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"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

Ex-Ranger Boosters Say—

Mr. Dewey Pieratt, Lion's Club President: "While in Coleman this week I attended the Kiwanis Club and one of my fellow guests upon hearing we would have Dick O'Brien as the chief speaker said that no better choice could have been made in his opinion. He said that at a recent convention in Abilene, O'Brien thrilled and entertained the men as few others have ever done. Without doubt we have a most excellent speaker and may expect a very enjoyable time at the Ex-Ranger Dinner."

Mr. J. J. Gregg, Editor of Santa Anna News: "I have known Dick O'Brien all his life. I was present when he was ordained as a minister, and have watched with pleasure his rapid rise, both as a minister and lecture platform speaker. There just isn't anything too fine to say about Dick O'Brien. People who know him go a long way to hear any speech he makes. I expect the time of my life at the Ex-Ranger Banquet."

Mrs. Dennis Kelley, representing one of the Embroidery Clubs on the Dinner Committee said: "I have heard Mr. O'Brien speak at a convention. He is a real Irishman, and made one of the most amusing speeches I have heard. I am glad we have him for our chief speaker at the Ex-Ranger Dedication dinner."

Rev. O. Dee Carpenter, Talpa Minister, and Lions Club guest of this week: "You can't beat Dick O'Brien on an after-dinner speaker anywhere. I am going to try to be here at the dinner if I can work it out, just to hear O'Brien speak. He is worth going places to hear on any subject."

Members of Ticket Sales Committees said: "We expect to sell 200 tickets or more and we are going out to sell them by Friday at 4 p. m. Almost unanimous success has been the result of local efforts so far. The Methodist ladies will serve a fine dinner that will be well worth the money to those who get tickets. Since the building will hold only 200 when crowded, local people should buy early so there will not be more out of town guests than home town. People are really going to be there Tuesday night from far and near. It will be Santa Anna's chief social event of the year and reservations should be made at once."—Contributed.

Eggs For Buckner Orphans' Home

The ladies of the Baptist Church, headed by the W. M. S., will collect eggs Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8, for the Buckner Orphans' Home. The eggs will be assembled at the Louis Evans Produce house and crated for shipment. All who wish to contribute to the worthy cause are requested to bring your eggs to Mr. Evans on the above dates.

GILL RANCH SHIPS CARLOAD OF CATTLE TO SOUTH CAROLINA

Jimmie Gill left last Friday with a carload of Registered Polled Hereford Heifers for Newberry, South Carolina. The fourth head of registered heifers were sold by correspondence to T. B. Amis, former football coach in Howard Payne College. Mr. Amis knows the Gill herd, and placed his order for the fine stock. Mr. Gill accompanied the cattle to their destination to make delivery.

PLANT EXCHANGE SATURDAY, APRIL 1

Weather permitting, the Santa Anna Garden Club will hold a plant exchange in the building formerly occupied by Mrs. Gehrett, Saturday afternoon, April 1st. Contributions of shrubs, plants or seeds are solicited, and the general public is invited to participate.

APPRECIATION

I wish to thank the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department and others who rendered aid during the destructive fire that destroyed the double garage at my place in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon.

M. D. Babank

Last Rites Held Here Sunday for Mrs. P. M. Skinner

At the Christian Church Sunday at three o'clock, funeral services were held for Mrs. Mary Haseltine Skinner with Rev. E. H. Wylie officiating, assisted by Rev. Lawrence Bridges and Rev. R. E. Dunham. Born April 2, 1850, Mrs. Skinner was nearing her eighty-ninth birthday. Though she had spent most of her life in Bell County at Salado and Belton, she died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Thigpen, where she had lived the past two years.

Her husband and four children preceded her in death. Surviving are two sons, A. L. Skinner, Decatur, Texas; and P. M. Skinner, Galveston; one daughter, Mrs. Mattie Thigpen, Santa Anna; sixteen grandchildren; and a number of great grandchildren.

Pall bearers, Clifton Switzer, Jessie Fletcher, Arnold Huder, and William, Leland and Davis Thigpen, are grandchildren of the deceased.

The body was taken to Salado Monday where a brief funeral service was performed at the Church of Christ of that city. Rev. Sweet of Bryan, her former pastor at Belton, conducted the services.

A Timely Charge And Admonition

Judge E. J. Miller, in his charge to the Grand Jury at Coleman, and in discussing their oath, said in part: "The primary and most important feature of your oath and of the discharge of your duties is that which relates to impartiality. It is presented at the beginning and at the close of the oath, it is presented positively and negatively. Your oath stipulates that you will not in any way be influenced by envy, hatred or malice, nor will you leave any person unduly influenced by love, fear, favor, affection or hope of reward. It requires you to investigate and present ALL THINGS TRULY as they come to your knowledge. Absolute impartiality and the equality of citizens in their rights and responsibilities before the law and to their government are the most basic and fundamental of our American Government, in fact of all free democratic governments."

"The Declaration of Independence declares that all men are free and equal. This did not mean and does not mean that they are equal mentally, equal physically or equal economically, but meant and means solely that they are equal in their rights before, and obligations to, government. Whether great or small, high or low, rich or poor, black or white, every citizen should be accorded the same rights, should be adjudged the same responsibilities, and receive the same treatment before our courts and all other arms of government. This is the distinguishing feature of our Government, and of all democracies,—and we should carefully guard and preserve it. There are great forces and great combinations of governments and men in the world today that deny such freedom and equality, and are energetically engaged, at untold expense of human life and of money, to curb, to discourage, to limit and to destroy that freedom, that equality, and to destroy all democratic governments based thereupon. I should not be surprised if we are called upon during your life and mine to fight for the very existence of this freedom and this equality."

"We only have seven or eight cases this morning bound over for your consideration. These cases however, seem to cover the whole category of crime: Highway robbery, robbery with firearms, burglary, theft, forgery, drunken driving and big game."

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Two Important Events Scheduled

Saturday, April 1st, patrons of the Santa Anna Independent School District will go to the polls to elect two members of the Board of Education to serve a three years term. L. V. Stockard and Jim Robin, whose terms are expiring, have been re-nominated to serve again, and will likely be elected without opposition. In so far as we know, their services have been commendable, and if re-elected, will continue to serve the community in this important position.

A City Election is due Tuesday, April 4th. According to information reaching this office, neither Mayor Leman Brown or the Commissioners, J. Frank Turner and E. P. Ewing, are candidates to succeed themselves.

Several names have been suggested as likeable prospects for Mayor and commissioners, but up to this date, (Wednesday evening) no definite ticket has been nominated. Just who will be on the ticket is a matter of speculation, but one thing the voters should bear in mind is the future welfare of the town and community. All prejudices, if any, and personal grievances, if any, should be forgotten, and the people should try to unite upon a set of public spirited citizens who can and will serve in the respective places to be filled, elect them with the intention of cooperating with them for the betterment of the town.

This writer will cooperate with whoever is elected and our utmost to render such service as we can to bring about better conditions in our town, knowing that whoever is elected will have plenty to do.

May we urge the voters to consider well who you nominate and elect, and when they are elected back them up with your moral support.

Visitation Day Draws Crowds

According to Mrs. G. A. Shockley the success of opening and visitation day at her millinery and ready-to-wear shop Saturday far exceeded her expectations, both in the crowds who attended and the business received. The people enjoyed seeing the complete and well selected stock of new merchandise, and realizing that spring is really here were ready to make purchases for their wardrobes.

TRICKHAM CHURCHES TO CELEBRATE HOMECOMING

A card has been handed to this office announcing a Homecoming Service for the churches at Trickham Sunday, April 30.

A special effort is being made to have as many former pastors present as possible, and a general invitation is being extended those who lived there in former years who are now living elsewhere.

More will be said about the meeting in future issues if data can be obtained. Will some of you good Trickham folk come in and tell us more of your plans.

NEPHEW OF REV. RAMSEY BURIED IN BROWNWOOD

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Ramsey and Miss Johnnie Mae Ramsey went to Brownwood Sunday afternoon to attend the funeral services for Rev. Ramsey's nephew, Billy Harrison.

Billy Harrison, seventeen years old, died Friday night at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Ramsey, in Brownwood, where he had made his home for several years. Services were at the Central Methodist Church at 2 p. m. with Rev. Luther M. Nelson, pastor of the Methodist Church at Rockwood, officiating.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harrison and two brothers, Bobby and James of Odessa, and a host of other relatives.

SOME MOISTURE THIS WEEK

Parts of Coleman county have been blessed with fine rains this week, other parts have reported from light sprinkles to fair showers. A good rain is generally needed.

Formal Opening of Spencer Pharmacy Is Well Attended

A profusion of beautiful flowers, congratulatory gifts of friends, decorated the new Spencer Pharmacy for their formal opening Tuesday evening. Brick ice cream, ice cream cones, chewing gum, drinks and cigars were served to the visitors who filled the store from seven until ten o'clock. The Line String Band, made up of Alvis Griffin, Bailey and Carson Homer, Jack Rowe and L. E. Williams entertained with music for the occasion.

Out of town visitors included Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Spencer of Dublin, father and mother of Herman Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hollingsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Bob Cope and daughter, all of Coleman; and Scott Jackson of Brownwood. Well over three hundred people called during the visiting hours.

Several Visitors At Lions Club Tuesday

The Lions enjoyed having several visitors at the weekly luncheon Tuesday. Rev. Carpenter of Talpa was the first entertainer, who demonstrated his vocal cords with a solo. That young preacher can sing as well as do other things entertaining.

The Line string band composed of Alvis Griffin, Bailey Homer, Carson Homer, Jack Rowe and L. E. Williams, invited guests of Lion Calvin Campbell, entertained with several musical renditions on their string instruments, led by Mr. Griffin with his violin. My, how those young men can make music.

Rev. Lawrence Bridges, pastor of the Christian Church at Dalhart, who is here in a revival meeting at the Christian Church, joined by the young Rev. Carpenter, also entertained the Club with some fine songs. We have not had the opportunity to hear the Rev. Bridges preach, but if he preaches like he sings, it is well worth hearing. We'll try to hear him while here.

Twenty-four of the twenty-seven members were present, but the list has been scrambled and we will omit the names this week. In the absence of the president, Lion D. L. Pieratt, Lion Dr. R. R. Lovelady presided.

JULIAN KELLEY PROMOTED TO RANK OF CORPORAL

Julian Kelley of Santa Anna was promoted to the rank of Corporal upon the recommendation of his Company Commander and the approval of the Professor of Military Science and Tactics of John Tarleton College, according to a news release from the college.

Kelley is a freshman at John Tarleton College and has an exceptionally high standing in the Cadet Corps of the Unit. He, as a non-commissioned officer, will be obeyed and respected accordingly. The insignia of his rank, which he is privileged to wear, distinguishes him as a cadet with a better than average record.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kelley.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our thanks to our friends for the many favors and kind deeds during our bereavement in the loss of our Mother and Grandmother, Mrs. P. M. Skinner.

Mrs. Mattie Thigpen and family
Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Switzer

Miss Lillian Durham of Blanket spent Tuesday night with her aunt, Mrs. G. A. Shockley. Miss Lena Mae Perkins of Brownwood visited her sister, Miss Arilee Perkins Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Woodruff of Coleman visited Grandmother Chambers and Miss Luella Chambers Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Riley of Melvin spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Riley.

Mrs. Gus Morgan, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curry, for two weeks, returned to her home in Winfield, Louisiana, Wednesday.

Santa Anna Wins Highest Score in Literary Events, Breaks Record in Mile Relay

Nine Scouts Pass Court of Honor

At the first Court of Honor since re-organization, held Tuesday night at the Baptist Church, nine boys passed to the rank of Tenderfoot and are now ready to wear the badge and uniform of a scout. Working under the handprint of having few books and no others available, these boys have done exceedingly well. They were excused to the Court by Duane Griffin and Eugene Farris. The Scouters acting as helpers at the various stations in the court were First Station, Mr. Leon Bartlett, Second Station, Mr. Garland Close, Third Station, Mr. Forrest Deal, Fourth Station, Mr. R. E. Dunham and Scoutmaster Emory L. Brown as the presiding officer of the court. Mr. Louis Newman had charge of tests before entering the court. Guests present were Mr. Jack Howard and Mr. J. L. Boggus.

The nine boys who were raised to the Tenderfoot rank were: Billy Jack Deal, G. T. England, Roy England, Grady Griffin, Bobbie Haimon, Harper Hunter, B. W. Ryan, Glen and Bill Jack Teague.

At the next meeting work will begin on second class Scout tests. The troop organization will be permanently set up with officers elected. All former scouts should come in now, as they will begin work according to previous rank held, whether tenderfoot, second or first class. Hikes, picnics and other events will soon be under way, now that an organization may be set up according to Scout authorities.

The next meeting will be held Monday at the Scout Hall and plans will be made to furnish a guard of honor and ushers for the Ex-Ranger Dedication Dinner the following night.

Personal Mention

Mr. Jess Garrett, who has been seriously ill at the Sealy Hospital for the past week, is reported improving and is expected to be able to return to his home soon.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Lovelady, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Piefatt and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Goston represented the Santa Anna Club at the district convention of the Lions of district 2-A at Goldthwaite Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. O. Garrett were called to Winsboro Wednesday morning because of the serious illness of Dr. Garrett's father.

Mrs. D. J. Johnson and Miss Margaret Schultz visited Mrs. M. T. Glasgow in Nixon during the week-end. Mrs. Glasgow is remembered here as Othelia Croft. Miss Tula Mae Sides, Mrs. J. R. Daniels, and Mrs. Fred Watkins and daughter accompanied them to San Antonio for a visit.

A telegram from Mr. and Mrs. Rex Garrett of Kim, Colorado, announces the arrival of a son on Monday, March 27. The baby is a great-grandchild of Mrs. W. O. Garrett and Mrs. Amanda Hicks of this city. The Garrett family lived in Coleman before moving to Colorado a few years ago.

Mrs. Maurine Walker, Bennet, and little son of Bartlett are visiting Mrs. Bennet's mother, Mrs. Lena Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reid of Merkel spent Wednesday in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thate and Miss Iva Smith of Comanche visited in the Mountain City Wednesday.

Mrs. Katy Nichols, her daughter Elva Burgamy, and Marie West spent a very pleasant week-end visiting friends and viewing the scenery in neighboring counties. They went to Llano Thursday afternoon for a visit with friends and visited places of interest in nearby towns. They returned via Fredericksburg Sunday afternoon and stopped in Brady to visit the broadcasting station. While there they were privileged to dedicate some songs to friends.

Dedication Dinner Plans Continue

Great preparations are being made for the evening dinner and dedication service at the Texas Ex-Ranger Memorial Building next Tuesday evening. Several committees are busy making preparation for the meeting, the principal aim of which is to raise money to finish paying off the debt incurred for the building, and for a general good time.

Rev. T. D. (Dick) O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Stamford, will be the main speaker, and his talk will be worth the price to hear.

This writer has known Rev. O'Brien since he was a small boy going to school, and consider him to be a clean, upright citizen, a good speaker and entertainer, always using an elevated trend in his thoughts, yet furnishing plenty of fun for the amusement of his hearers. We consider it a treat to have such a noted speaker visit our town on such an occasion. You'll miss something if you miss it, in our opinion. One dollar out of each ticket goes into the fund to help pay for the building. If you do not care to attend the dinner, a little donation will be appreciated.

Geo. M. Johnson Is Named Director At Telephone Meeting

George M. Johnson, manager of the local telephone company, was elected one of the directors for the Texas Telephone Association at the convention which was held in Dallas last week. The members elected one new director who will select officers for the Association.

Other directors are R. B. Fairly of Lubbock, W. L. Prehn of Dallas, Arthur Schmidt of Hallsville, H. T. Shipman of Pecos Gap, Jean Shottwell of Lufkin, Sam H. Shutt of Sherman, D. T. Strickland of Brownwood and Fred Trower of Corsicana.

16 F.F.A. BOYS RECEIVE CERTIFICATES OF MERIT

Certificates of Merit have been issued Vernon Oakes, Buddy Lovelady, Joe Flores, Oran Henderson, Ford Holt, H. W. Norris, Pay Hartman, Wilford Wilson, Felton Martin, James Moore, Walter Schattel, Shag Garrett, J. T. Garrett, Tom Bill Guthrie, Richard Homer, and Robert Dunn, according to A. J. Spangler, F.F.A. adviser of Area IV.

Degree advancement is the basis of the individual member's growth in the leadership program of the Future Farmers of America and the certificates of merit are part of the requirements for the several F.F.A. degrees.

PIE SALE SPONSORED BY DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club is sponsoring a pie sale at the Pick & Pay Grocery store Saturday morning beginning at 10 o'clock. Proceeds will be used to purchase new spring equipment for the recreation department.

JAKE BARNES AND CARL WILLIAMS WIN IN COUNTY TENNIS

In the final games of the county tennis matches played at Coleman Thursday, March 23, Jake Barnes, senior singles player, and Carl Williams, junior singles, won first place in their respective divisions. Wynell Rowe and Charles Wristen placed second in senior boys' doubles. The junior girls' singles player, Dorris Belle Turner, lost to her opponent.

Mr. Justin Ramsey, nephew of Rev. J. D. Ramsey, visited his uncle and family Sunday. Mr. Ramsey is working for the Skelley Oil Company and is being sent from Edna, Texas, to Egypt for a two year period. Miss Corinne Wallace spent the week-end with friends in San Angelo.

In the County Interscholastic League meet held last week in Coleman, Santa Anna walked off with the literary events in the class A and B division, winning 68 points compared with 39 points for Coleman, 22 for Burkett, 10 for Mozelle, 7 each for Centennial, Novice and Talpa, and 5 for Buffalo. Breaking the Class A record in the mile relay and tying the record in 120-yard high hurdles, the local athletes will offer strong competition in the district, even though they won third place in the class A division for the county.

The literary events were held in Coleman Friday but the field and track events scheduled for Coleman were transferred to Mozelle Saturday due to the muddy fields in both Coleman and Santa Anna. New records for class-B were established in the 120-yard high hurdles, 880 yard run, 440 yard dash, mile run, pole vault, high jump, 12 pound shot put, broad jump and discus. Adrian of Mozelle was high point man of class A with 18 while King of Talpa with 25 points was high in class B. Total points by class A field and track were Coleman 63 1-2, Mozelle 45 1-2, Santa Anna 39.

The following students will represent the school in the district meet to be held in Brownwood Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8.

Billy Burk Pope and Mary John Wade — Debate.

Bartlett Lamb — Senior Declaration.

Mae Norris — Junior Declaration.

O. L. Cheaney — Extempore Speech.

Art Belle Ragsdale — Extempore Speech and Tennis.

Talmadge Turner — Tripping.

Jake Barnes — Tennis.

Track team — Charles Wristen, Charles York, Ray Hartman, Bill Wade, Wendell Rowe, Vernon Oakes, LeRoy Vaughn and Adrian Speck.

Other winners in the county do not compete in the district.

Results of the literary events:

Classes A and B

Typewriting contest: Evans, Mozelle first; Santa Anna, second; and Coleman third.

Individual scores: Wynell Pearl Martin, Mozelle, first; Reba Ruth Terry, Mozelle, second; Talmadge Turner, Santa Anna, third; Myron Hoyt, Santa Anna, fourth; Alice Ann Maxwell, Coleman, fifth.

Extempore: Two in scores, Coleman, first and Mozelle, second. Only two teams entered.

Individual scores: Iva Mae Razzelle, Coleman, first; Lela Mauldin, Coleman, second; Geraldine Miller, Mozelle, third; Sara Mae Cox, Coleman, fourth; Reba Ruth Terry, Mozelle, fifth.

Spelling, eighth and above: Ima Niell and Emma Sue McCain, Santa Anna, first; Verda Gaines and Dorothy Younglove, Burkett, second; Brooksie Nell Matthews and Wanda June

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QUEEN THEATRE

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Fri.-Sat., Mar. 31 - April 1
GENE AUTRY in
"Mexicali Wonders"

"Hawk Of The Wilderness"
Final Episode

Sat. Prev., Sun. & Mon.
April 1-2-3
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS, JR.
in
"Gunga Din"
With JOAN FONTAINE

Tues., April 4
BARGAIN NIGHT -
LYNN OVERMAN in
"Persons in Hiding"
With J. CARROLL NAISS

Wed.-Thurs., April 5-6
CLARK GABLE in
"Idiot's Delight"
With NORMA SHEARER

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J. J. Gregg, Editor & Publisher

Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon calling attention of the management to the article in question.

Notices of entertainments where a charge of admission is made, obituaries, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all matter not published as news items will be charged for at the regular rates.

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103 YEARS AFTER SAN JACINTO

- Name withheld. Please make a law to regulate. All retail prices in this state. A law to make all trading fair. A standard price for cutting hair. Best competition interfere. A retail price on ale and beer. A certain day to plant our corn. A time for rising in the morning. A price on every loaf of bread. A time when all must go to bed. Best anyone a duty shirk. The time when we must go to work. A price on copper, lead and brass. On paint, nails and window glass. The speed at which all cars must run. Time for the rising of the sun. A price on trucks and pleasure cars. A price on candy and cigars. A price on every fork and spoon. A time for turning on the iron. A day when speckled trout will bite. And when the light's turned off at night. We should know every rate of pay. For men who labor every day. A doctored price to give a bill. A law to collect a bill. Then if you have some time to spare. Set breathing rates up at the top. Let Henry Ford or Irene DuPont. Fix Texas prices wherever they want. Oh Legislators, our liberties please take. Freedom, we agree, is a beautiful mistake.

ARCHITECTS ARE AGAIN DOING A RUSHING BUSINESS

Austin, Texas. Architects, a few years ago prominent among victims of the depression, are again doing a rushing business, if the demand for University of Texas-trained graduates is a criterion. W. T. Wolfe, architect department chairman, disclosed recently that he has been unable to fill recent requests for architects as no graduates of recent years are unemployed. "There is no overload of top-notch architects with talent and the willingness to work," he declared. The average annual class output of twenty architects is being absorbed as draftsmen and designers. Architectural engineers are finding places with large corporations, he said. You are your brother's keeper on the highways.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

Marriage Licenses: Mr. Emmitt E. Blanton and Miss Katherine Wright.

Warranty Deeds: Burgess Weaver to First National Bank, Santa Anna, Texas.

John A. Harris to J. W. Roberts, a part of G. H. and H. R. Co. survey No. 153. \$596.02 and other considerations.

New Car Registrations: Jack Rambo, Coleman, Ford Tudor.

C. J. Gordon, Coleman, Ford Deluxe.

Joe M. Mattison, Coleman, Plymouth Tudor.

Ex-Student Officials Announce Program For U. Homecoming

Austin, Texas. — Headlining this year's alumni homecoming at The University of Texas will be the combination, April 1, of Texas Relays, one of the nation's outstanding athletic carnivals, with the regular Round-Up program, March 31, April 1 and 2. Ex-student officials said today. The program includes the annual Round-Up parade, three miles of student-decorated floats and visiting bands, and election of the Sweetheart of Texas to preside over the traditional relay and ball and the relays. Class reunions will reach all the way back to the veterans of 1914—first University graduation class and honor guest this year. Visitor number one on the campus will be President-elect Homer P. Rainey, scheduled to take up administrative reins in June and in Austin for the second time since his election in December. Alumni officials predict more than ten thousand "exes" will swarm the University campus for the spring homecoming.

Extension Editor Leaves Texas Post

College Station, Texas, March 29. Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, editor of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service for the past five years, and a member of the organization since 1930, has accepted appointment with the AAA's Regional Contact Section, Extension Director H. H. Williamson has announced. Mrs. Cunningham's appointment was effective March 16. While her duties will be nationwide, her headquarters will be Washington, D. C. Nationally known for her work in connection with women's organizations, she is included among 37 women who have been engraved on a tablet in the Department of State in Washington for distinguished service in the field of citizenship. She recently was named chairman of the important national committee on urban-rural cooperation for the General Federation of Women's Clubs. A native Texan and a graduate of the University of Texas, Mrs. Cunningham in recent years has been particularly interested in the rural library movement and in the health and nutritional standards of Texas farm families.

The gasoline tax is fair if its proceeds are used for highways.

1939-40 Texas Almanac and Industrial Guide Now Printed and Ready for Sale

From "AAA" to "Zinc" the new Texas Almanac, just published by the Dallas News, covers practically every question that might be asked about the economics, politics, government or cultural progress of Texas. The new book has 512 pages, is illustrated with a number of charts and half-tone reproductions of photographs, and contains a large folded sheet showing the highways of Texas on one side and railway and county map of the state on the other side. If you want to know the things in which Texas is first among the states, or the names and areas of the Texas state parks, or the amount of retail business done in each county and town, or the name of the Sheriff of Brown County, or the winner of the Dixie series in 1936, or the size of Buchanan Lake, or the kind of soils found in every county, turn to the Texas Almanac. Rare varieties of the tropical orchid are found native in one or two places in Texas. More than 30,000 deer were killed in Texas legally in 1938. There is more than \$3,350,000,000 (billions) of life insurance in force in Texas. Cost of Texas State Government increased from \$33,498,724.83 to \$157,747,877.57 in 1938. Texas paid last year \$145,551,279 in federal taxes. A Texas man, Thomas V. Munson of Denison, originated and introduced more hybrid grape varieties than any other person or agency in the United States. More than 300 new manufacturing plants were established in Texas during 1938. The University of Texas has the largest library in the South. These and other facts may be obtained from the Texas Almanac, which very appropriately bears the subtitle, "Encyclopedia of Texas."

The new edition brings up to date all of the material carried in the Centennial Edition of 1936 and, in addition, has a number of new features. It is the best proportioned, most varied edition to date, and it is more attractively bound and printed than ever before. In connection with the issuance of the Texas Almanac this year, The Dallas News is offering prizes in a "Know Your Texas" contest in public schools. The contest has been prepared and is being directed by Dr. Carter Alexander, Library Professor of Teachers College, Columbia University, New York, who also offers a course each summer at the University of Texas. The contest has the approval of the State Department of Education. The Texas Almanac sells for 50c paper bound and \$1.00 a copy cloth bound on local newspapers, or may be obtained directly from The Dallas News, Dallas, Texas, by adding 15c to the price to cover postage.

Amendment To Adopt Sales Tax Fails In House

Austin, Texas, March 28. (Special) The well-laid plan of a group of special interest lobbyists to foist a \$45,000,000 a year constitutional sales burden on the backs of the poor folks of Texas for social security purposes went haywire in the House of Representatives when the first test vote on adoption of the sales tax constitutional amendment could muster only 79 votes. The matter is not yet finally settled, and another test was scheduled this week but there were signs that the whole plan of the lobbyists has gone awry and may be lost beyond recovery.

Recent Lobbyists' Tactics

A deciding factor in the failure of the amazing effort of the small group of lobbyists who literally "took the ball" out of the hands of the duly elected legislators at the opening of the regular session, and set out to write a tax program to suit themselves, was the ruthless manner in which they sought to kill off every competing tax measure, and leave the House of Representatives no choice but the sales tax constitutional amendment with the rate frozen into the Constitution. The super-coercive five taxation and revenue committee, which has apparently responded to every detail of the lobbyists' program with ferocity, held a meeting with 16 members present on the 27th of March, and voted 14 to 2 to kill the national resources and income tax bills which had been offered as alternative proposals to the sales tax constitutional amendment. This ruthless action brought a whole morning of vigorous denunciation from the "liberal" group in the House, and the vote reflected the resentment of the House, when the sales tax amendment fell 21 votes short of the necessary two-thirds, and 65 legislators voted "no." The defeat was all the more impressive, in view of the fact the special interest lobby had fired its biggest gun by calling on Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel to take the air and voice a plea to his radio audience to write and wire the solons in favor of the sales tax amendment, which he had opposed throughout his campaign. People Protest Sales Tax That program, too, backfired, because many legislators claimed they received more protests against a sales tax than messages in its favor. Then the House voted by substantial majorities to take from the taxation and revenue committee two other tax measures, including one to double the tax on sulphur, and re-refer them to more liberal committees, which promptly brought them to the floor with favorable reports. The anti-sales tax group, under leadership of G. C. Morris of Greenville, Albert Darden of Marlin, Hale of Farmersville, Cornett of Clarksville, and others, planned to write a tax bill around this sulphur tax measure, through amendments, which would raise additional

social security revenue, and push strongly to lead the House entirely away from both the sales tax and the constitutional amendment plans. Growing in both houses was a strong sentiment to limit the amount for pensions to some definite figure, and write into whatever legislation is passed, a definite "ceiling," with restrictions as to need that will insure continued contribution by the Federal government. The O'Daniel plan of \$30 total income for everybody over 65 is meeting definite and continued opposition, because many members believe it would be unacceptable to the Federal government, and because, as several stated in debate, they think the administrators of pensions should be left some latitude, to avoid placing negroes with a life-long low standard of living in the same category with whites accustomed to a higher standard.

Oil Lobby Is Cool

Further evidence of the possible collapse of the lobbyists' plan was seen in indications of a rift in their own ranks. The oil lobby, never very enthusiastic about the "program," was never in 100 percent, and some of those who went in on the "program" were openly critical of it this week, expressing the opinion that the traditional strategy of the oil lobby, which has always been to fight any and all taxes to the last ditch, would have been more effective than the present scheme to "take the ball away from the legislature" and attempt to run with it. The lobby leadership sought desperately to rally its forces, even to the extent of having Gov. O'Daniel call numerous House opponents of the sales tax into his office to plead with them, despite the Governor's repeated declarations that he would not seek to lobby or influence the legislators in their deliberations. Economy advocates in both houses were enjoying the row, hoping silently that it would result in a deadlock that would preclude the possibility of any huge hike in taxes, at a time when the national congress is inclined to cut the Federal tax burden, in the hope of improving business conditions and boosting private employment of jobless workers.

BIG SHOTS, WINDBAGS, SHEIKS AND SISSIES RATE LOWEST WITH TCU COEDS

A campus survey shows the four types of males most unpopular with the Texas Christian University coeds are the "Big Shots," who feel their own importance, the "Windbags," who talk "big," the "Sheik," who tries to impress with his beauty, and the "sissies," who fall far short of being the real "he-man" type. Other types of boys disliked by the coeds are the following: 1. Pests who find enjoyment in twisting arms, hiding purses, and other misguided pranks. 2. Bad dancers, if the girl likes to dance. 3. Boys who condemn a girl forever if dates get mixed once. 4. Boys who are jealous or conceited. 5. Those who seem lost or bewildered by the whole thing. 6. Men no one else likes. Texas highways are vital to Texas expansion.

In The United States District Court In And For The Western District of Texas Waco Division

J. M. HUBBERT VS TEMPLE TRUST COMPANY

NO. 236 - IN EQUITY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed his application with the Clerk of the United States District Court in and for the Western District of Texas, Waco Division, for an order authorizing him to sell and convey to Clovis I. Tyson and wife, Mae Belle Tyson, the South one-half (S 1/2) of Lot Two (2) in Block Twelve (12) of Beakley Addition to the city of Coleman, Coleman County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated, and for a consideration of \$1000.00, and of which amount \$131.00 will be paid in cash, and the balance, \$869.00, to be evidenced by a series of seven notes, to be executed by said purchasers, payable to the order of the undersigned at his office in the city of Temple, Bell County, Texas, and said notes to be in amounts and to mature as shown below:

Table with 2 columns: Note number and due date, and amount. Includes notes 1 through 7, and a TOTAL of \$869.00.

to bear interest from March 1, 1939, at the rate of seven per cent per annum, the interest to become due and payable semi-annually on the first days of March and September of each year, beginning September 1, 1939, and defaulting principal and interest to bear interest from maturity at the rate of ten per cent per annum; to provide that failure to pay any one of said notes, or any semi-annual installment of interest on all of said notes when due shall at the option of the holder mature all unpaid notes of said series; to stipulate for ten per cent additional as attorney's fees, and said notes to be secured by a vendor's lien and deed of trust lien on the property and premises above described.

Said application will be heard by the Honorable Charles A. Boynton, Judge of said court, after this notice shall have been published for a period of ten days, and any person interested in said Receivership Estate may contest this application. WITNESS my hand at Temple, Texas, this 20 day of March A. D. 1939. H. C. GLENN, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Temple, Texas.

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Gov. O'Daniel Proclaims April 2-9 Clean-Up And Fire Prevention Week

Austin, Texas, March 30. The week of April 2 to April 9 has been proclaimed State Clean-Up and Fire Prevention Week by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel in an official proclamation issued at Austin. State and city-wide clean-up campaigns are scheduled over the State, these campaigns to facilitate public health protection, lessen fire losses and promote public safety, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

The cities and towns of Texas will conduct programs of far-reaching activities. Scheduled for inclusion is cleaning, draining, graveling of streets and alleys, cleaning city parks and playgrounds, malaria control, fire prevention, garbage and trash disposal and spring house cleaning for homes and business establishments. The observance of good sanitation principles indicates the necessity of prompt removal of all waste matter in and around homes to lessen the spread of disease, notably diseases affecting infants and children. Clean-up week is designed to focus attention upon the dirt and disease problems of the State. Spring clean-up week provides an opportunity for the proper disposal of fire-generating accumulations. A check of homes and business establishments to unearth conditions which are favorable is important so that remedial procedures may be instituted. Clean-up week gives each citizen an opportunity to investigate cleanliness of services which affect health conditions in his home. As a citizen you have the right to know whether your water supply is pure, whether your milk comes from a clean dairy, whether your community makes use of proper sanitation methods, whether your home has proper sewer connections and plumbing installations. You should make it a point to better inform yourself on the sanitary measures carried out in the various divisions of your municipal government and in business. The idea of spring clean-up week in Texas is that it be an intensive one week period of scrubbing, raking, painting, etc., and it is hoped that spring clean-up week will generate a standard of cleanliness in each community which will be carried on for the succeeding weeks of the year.

Bronze Memorial To Texas Mustang Given To Texas University

Austin, Texas. — A huge bronze memorial to the early Texas mustang on the grounds of Texas Memorial Museum will be executed by A. P. Proctor, outstanding American sculptor of Seattle and New York, University of Texas officials have announced. The \$60,000 memorial, to tower ten feet high and measure about the same distance in length and width, was given the University by Ralph E. Ogden, Austin oil operator and former cattleman. "I want to show the children of this country what the horse was like that carried the men who redeemed Texas from the wilderness," he told J. Frank Doble, University professor and author who represented him in arranging for the memorial. The several ton statuary will show seven bronze mustangs—stallion, five mare and a colt—galloping "hell bent for leather" in Doble's words down the face of a bronze mountain. Mr. Proctor said he would mould his working model during a three months' camp on the Tom East Ranch near Hebbronville, where the pure strain of the fading breed of Texas horses is still preserved. The contract calls for completion of the statuary within two years. It was let to Mr. Proctor after a five months' conference with the outstanding animal sculptors of America, Mr. Doble said.

Boost your home town.

Easter Offerings advertisement for Purdy Merc. Co. featuring New Spring Colors in Berkshire Hose, Ladies Handbags and Gloves, and Fancy Shirts, Hats, Ties and Hosiery. Includes illustrations of clothing items.

Spencer Pharmacy advertisement for Woodbury Lotion and Facial Soap. Includes an illustration of a woman's face and a box of Woodbury Lotion.



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WHO'S WHO IN THE SENIOR CLASS

Henry Lee Ashmore, who is going to become a beauty operator, started her school career at Santa Anna and her school career is ending at Santa Anna in May.

Henry Lee has been a member of the pep squad and Home Making Club. She was one of the five personality girls who marched with the band last year. Henry Lee also represented Santa Anna at a beauty contest in Coleman last year and served as one of the flag bearers for the high school band.

She enjoys reading as a hobby and skating as a sport. She plans to enter Parsons Beauty School at Abilene and become an expert beauty operator.

Doreen Tucker entered SAHS last fall. Before that time she attended school at Mozelle. She plans to enter Texas Tech next fall and major in Home Making. She belongs to the Home Making Club and was in the club play, "Maurine's Secret."

Doreen's hobby is making scrap books and her sport is hiking. During the three years Doreen attended Mozelle she was a member of the pep squad, Home Making club and recreation club. She was an outstanding character in a play, "Arizona Cowboy," which was presented by the recreation club.

Louise Holland entered our class in the sixth grade where we were under the direction of Miss Lillian Durham. She plans to enter Draughon's Business College at Dallas and become a private secretary.

She belongs to the Spanish Club and has been a member of the Home Making Club. Louise enjoys playing a guitar and collecting songs as a hobby and hiking as a sport.

Vernon Pivensh entered our class last fall. Before that time he attended school at Rockwood. When asked "How do you like SAHS?" Vernon replied, "I think it is a grand school."

Vernon would like to attend T.C.U. and become an athletic coach. He was a rather outstanding player on the football team, serving the position of end. It was his first and last time to play football for the Mountaineers.

Vernon picks baseball as his favorite sport and collecting pictures of famous baseball players as a hobby.

Clem Shelton, who came to SAHS from Coleman, entered our class when we were small freshmen. She is a member of the Spanish Club and Scribner Club. She enjoys horse-

back riding as a sport and collecting Spanish songs as a hobby.

Clem wants to enter Howard Payne College next fall and major in Spanish. She says, "Some day I should like to be a Spanish teacher in a large college."

SANTA ANNA WINS THIRD IN COUNTY TRACK

At county track meet at Mozelle Santa Anna placed in the following events. 120 High Hurdles, Bill Wade, first.

220 Low Hurdles, Leroy Vaughan, second. 100 Yard Dash, Adrian Speck, third. 220 Yard Dash, Ray Hartman, third.

440 Yard Dash, Charles York, first. Half Mile, Wyndell Rowe, 1st. Mile, Charlie Wristen, second. Mile, Vernon Oakes, third. Javelin, Bill Wade, third. Javelin, Vernon Oakes, 4th. Discus, Jim Everett, 4th. Broad Jump, Bill Wade, 2nd. Broad Jump, Charles York, third.

High jump, Bill Wade, tied for second place. Mile Relay, York, Rowe, Hartman and Speck, first place with new record of 3:33.3.

F.F.A. PRESENTS PLAY

Monday morning the student body witnessed a very unusual play presented by the Future Farmers. The one act play was entitled, "F.F.A. Foils the Villian."

The boys who helped make this play a success were Ray Hartman, Billie McCormick, Floyd Shelton, G. T. Endland, Jack Everett, George Wheatley, Virgil Lancaster, Haskell Richardson, W. D. Sheffield, Ed Hartman and Wallie Garey.

These boys entered the one act contest which was held Monday night.

EXAMINATION ANNOUNCED FOR JUNIOR OBSERVER IN METEOROLOGY

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an open competitive examination for the position of junior observer in meteorology. \$1,440 a year, Weather Bureau. Applicants must have completed a 4-year high school course or 14 units of high school study. Those who do not meet this requirement, but are otherwise qualified, will be given a mental test. Applicants must have reached their 18th but must not have passed their 35th birthday.

Applications must be on file with the U. S. Civil Service Commission not later than April 17 if received from States east of Colorado, and not later than April 20 if received from Colorado and States westward. Full information may be obtained from local secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners at the post office in this city.

Mrs. Bessie Lavender went to Wichita Falls Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Santa Anna Wins - -

(continued from page one) Miller, Mozelle, third.

Extemporaneous speech, girls, Arabelle Ragsdale, Santa Anna, first; Maurine Evans, Burkett, second; and Laverne Morris, Coleman, third.

Extemporaneous speech, boys, O. L. Cheaney, Santa Anna, first. Only one entry. Declamation, junior high, girls: Olivia Cox, Talpa, first;

Lenore Dyer, Centennial, 2nd; Mary Frances Herring, Santa Anna, 3rd.

Declamation, junior high, boys: Mac Norris, Santa Anna, first; Sealy Smith, Mozelle, second; Glynn Burrough, Centennial, 3rd.

Declamation, senior girls: Reta Parker, Novice, 1st; Betty Jo Cross, Coleman, 2nd; Dorothy Pettit, Santa Anna, 3rd.

Declamation, senior boys: Bartlett Lamb, Santa Anna, 1st; Damon Wade Polk, Buffalo, 2nd; Marvin Burton, Burkett, 3rd.

Boys debate: Harris Cheney and Elbert Woolen, Coleman, 1st; Willard Wilson and Ray Hartman, Santa Anna, 2nd.

Girls debate: Billie Burk Pope and Mary John Wade, Santa Anna, 1st; and Bobby Horne and Mary Evans, Coleman, 2nd.

Rural Division

Spelling, four and five, Silver Valley, Maxine Johnson and Terrell Dean McDonald, 1st; Junction, Bonnie Slate and Dorothy Richardson, 2nd; and Liberty, Lenora Powers and Clarence Crockett, 3rd.

Spelling, five and six, Silver Valley, Joyce McDonald and Mary Jane Gipson, 1st; Cleveland, Omelia Hartman and Lois Blanton, 2nd; and Junction, Veta Merle Watson and Vadine Beal, 3rd.

Spelling, eight and above: Cross Roads, Alta Lee Kerbo and Laverne Martin, 1st; Glen Cove, Maurice Whittington and Nida Lee Beth King, 2nd; and Trickham, Tavy Stacy and Joan Wilson, 3rd.

Girls' declamation: Mary J. Gipson, Silver Valley, 1st; Otis Ruth Martin, Glen Cove, 2nd; and Leota Bullard, Goldsboro, 3rd.

Boys' declamation: Raymond Odem, Cross Roads, 1st; Elvin Owen Childers, Silver Valley, 2nd; and J. W. Rice, Cleveland, 3rd.

Senior boys' declamation: Otto Farris, Plainview, 1st; and S. C. Wagner, Trickham, 2nd. Only two entries in this contest.

Senior girls' declamation: Mary Lou Ridings, Glen Cove, 1st; Dorothy Sackett, Cross Roads, 2nd; and Edith James, Trickham, 3rd.

Picture memory: Junction, Bonnie Jim Slate and Patty Watson, 1st; Cross Roads, Minnie Mae Martin, Martha Wriehl and Jack DePasha, and Cleveland, Norma Jean McCormick and Sadona Geer, tied for 2nd and 3rd.

Story telling: Margaret Fleming, Liberty, 1st; Verna Joyce Vance, Shields, 2nd; J. B. Laws, Glen Cove, 3rd.

Three-P. Contest: Omelia Hartman, Cleveland, 1st; Veta Merle Watson, Junction, 2nd; Harmon Hodge, Buffalo, 3rd.

Summary for ward school division: Talpa, 20; Burkett, 45; Rockwood, 20; Coleman West Ward, 25; Santa Anna, 10; Valera, 5; Coleman South Ward, 37; Novice, 2; Buffalo 2.

Class A Track Events

120 yard high hurdles: Wade, Santa Anna, 1st; Glasson, Coleman, 2nd; Abernathy, Mozelle, 3rd; McKinney, Coleman, 4th. Time, 18.9 seconds. Tied record.

100 yard dash: Bearden, Coleman, 1st; McKinney, Coleman, 2nd; Row of Mozelle and Bristow of Coleman, tied for 3rd and 4th. Time: 10.7 seconds.

440-yard run: C. York, Santa

Hartman, Cleveland, 1st; Veta Merle Watson, Junction, 2nd; Joyce McDonald, Silver Valley, 3rd.

Music memory: Mildred Wagner and Glenda Dodgen, Trickham, 1st; Allene Kemmel and Betty Jo Vaughn, Junction, 2nd; Laverne Martin and Hattie Lee Moore, Cross Roads, 3rd.

Number sense: Omelia Hartman and J. W. Rice, Cleveland, 1st; Christine Douglas and Ruby Bowden, Trickham, 2nd; Edna May Sparr and Loretta Keeney, Cross Roads, 3rd.

Summary for rural division: Junction, 45; Silver Valley, 44; Cross Roads, 42; Glen Cove, 23 1-2; Trickham, 22; Cleveland, 17; Plainview, 17; Liberty, 15; Shields, 5; and Goldsboro, 3 1-2.

Ward School Division

Number sense: B. W. Ryan and Katherine Ashmore, Santa Anna, 1st; Walter Barnes, Alfred Creel, Mary Ruth Hubbard, Inez Laird and Imogene Dillard, Coleman West Ward, 2nd; Wayland Green and Bobby Hamilton, Coleman South Ward, 3rd. Alfred Creel had a perfect paper.

Spelling, fourth and fifth: Billy Ruth Whitley and Wynona King, Talpa, 1st; Lela Edington and Eureka Mountain, Burkett, and Dick Stafford and Mildred French, Rockwood, tied for 2nd and 3rd.

Spelling, sixth and seventh: Layton Hector and Gloria Smith, Coleman West Ward, 1st; Jo Ann Baker and Doris McGahey, Santa Anna, and Bobbie Bennett and Lorena Simmons, Valera, tied for 2nd and 3rd.

Picture Memory: Bobbie May Nelson, Artie Jean King, Alvin Bostick, and Dick Stafford, Rockwood, 1st; Betty Jo Moore, Margie Crews, Nina West, Hollis Kitchen, Ted Hatcher, Dorothy Lee Kelly, Louise Gordon and Prunty Campbell, Coleman South Ward, 2nd; Bobbie Jean Watson, Mary Edwards, Mary Jean Aaron, Maxine Burkett, Ovella Baker, Burkett, 3rd.

Music memory: Jimmie Newton and Helen Key, Burkett, first; Y. Ray, J. Hamilton and P. G. Cummings, Coleman S. Ward, 2nd; F. Stoup, B. Gardner, F. Kline, and H. J. Duncan, Coleman West Ward, 3rd.

Story telling: Marie Newton, Burkett, 1st; Edith James, Trickham, 2nd; and Dorothy Whigham of Coleman South Ward, 3rd.

Girls' declamation: Bonnie Cobb, Coleman South Ward, 1st; Martha Lou Elder, Cleveland West Ward, 2nd; and Edith James of Coleman South Ward, 3rd.

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Rural pentathlon: Won by Leedy Rural school by default. Entries were Joe Wallace and Bill Everheart.

Advertisement for West Texas Utilities Company. Features cartoon characters and text: 'Housecleaning is easy with ELECTRICAL HELPERS here they are for you!'. Includes slogans like 'You'll Have Time to Burn' and 'Just 11 o'clock and All Through!'. Logo for West Texas Utilities Company is at the bottom.

Advertisement for Santa Fe World's Fair. Features a large eye graphic and text: 'SEE all of the WEST. Grand Canyon, Los Angeles, Southern California'. Includes a 'Plan now' section with rail fares and a 'PURINA GROWENA' section with a calendar and product image. Ticket agent B. T. Vinson is mentioned at the bottom.

Baptist Column

R. Elmer Dunham, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Emay L. Brown, Gen. Supt. Preaching Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Training Union 7 p. m. Mr. L. J. Smith, Gen. Director. We Welcome These

Three young girls came forward for church membership Sunday morning after a very fine decision service in the Junior Department. One boy came forward in the Department service who will unite with the church later.

School of Music Date Set Mr. Louis Newman is announcing that beginning Monday, April 17, Rev. O. Dec Carpenter will conduct a School of Gospel Music in our church for choir singers and those who wish to become singers in the choir.

Sunday School-Training Union To Coleman Sunday afternoon at 2:30 the Sunday School and Training Union officers of the association will meet at the First Baptist Church at Coleman for their regular monthly meeting.

State Sunday School Convention Waco A large number of local Sunday school workers are planning to attend the State Sunday school meeting at Waco April 11, 12 and 13th.

come in from a remote "Studio" to the Training Union members and guests present at 7 p. m. Music, brief talks, instrumental numbers, etc. will be rendered in this unusual way.

Presby'rian Church

M. L. Womack, Minister Next Sunday is communion. Sunday An opportunity will be given any one so desiring to unite with church.

Christian Church

Our revival meeting is progressing nicely and will continue the greater part of next week. All our services were well attended last Sunday with a large number of visitors at all services.

All our members are urged to attend and assist in making the meeting a success. Visitors are always welcome. The Santa Anna Christian Church has always been known for its public spirit and cooperation in all good things.

Assembly of God

Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching Service 11 a. m. Evangelistic service 7:45. Wednesday night service at 7:45. Saturday Evangelistic Service 7:45.

Model Railroad at Frisco Fair Attracts Crowds



A miniature railroad, built by Minton Cronkrite of San Marino, California, pioneer model railroad builder, is on display in the vacation and transportation building at the San Francisco Golden Gate Exposition, on Treasure Island.

Methodist Church

J. D. Ramsey, Pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. J. Frank Turner, Supt. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Buffalo News

(By Patsy Farren) Monday night a sox supper was given by the Home Demonstration Club. A "mock faculty" was given by members of the Club.

Cleveland News

(By Ruby Moore) Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mills Sunday. Dinner guests of Kathleen McCormick Sunday were Misses Evelyn Haynes and Freda Genz.

Rockwood News

(By Hearthal King) Mr. Amos Caldwell of Bangs spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Shuford. Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Taylor and daughter of Eldorado spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Johnson.

Ward School News

(By Billy Ross and Tommie Upton) Since our holiday Friday, classes seem to be willing to work again. Grade School Arithmetic Team, made up of B. W. Ryan and Maudie K. Ashmore, won first place in Arithmetic in the County Interscholastic League contest.

Liberty School News

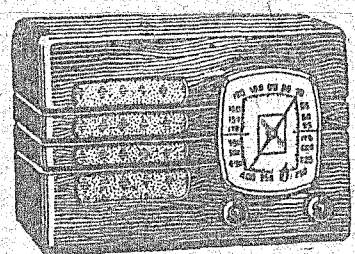
The school is proud to announce that we placed in two events at the Interscholastic League at Coleman. Margaret F. Fleming won first place in story telling while Lenora Nell Powers and Clarence Crockett placed third in spelling.

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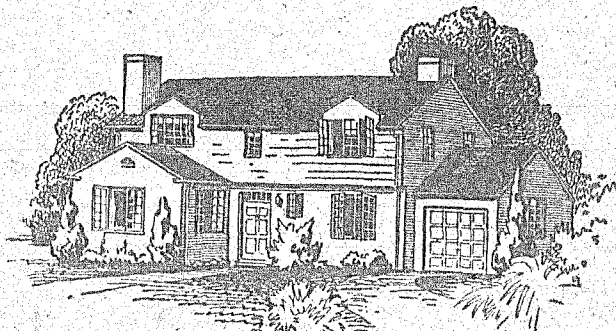
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Santa Anna — Texas



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Leland W. Cutler, President of the Golden Gate International Exposition, which opens February 18. During the 288 days of the California World's Fair he will welcome to Treasure Island members of European royal families, President Roosevelt, members of his cabinet, and other dignitaries from all parts of the world.

20,000 Plays Sent Out Last Year By Texas Loan Library

Austin, Texas — Drama soared to new heights in Texas last year when high school students ordered 20,000 plays from the University of Texas Loan Library to register the heaviest demand for drama in the state's history, F. L. Winship, library director, revealed here today.

The University's drama loan library, largest university collection in the world, counts 11,000 play manuscripts including 7,000 separate titles, according to its director. For ten years the service has been fur-

nished free to Texas high schools and dramatic organizations.

Last year the Extension Division's services were opened to more than 1,000 Texas high schools, in addition to a number of little theater and private projects, Mr. Winship declared.

The most popular playwright was Anton Chekhov, Russian dramatist of last century, master of farce comedies.

"We were gratified with the demand for works like Chekhov's," Mr. Winship admitted. "As a rule you would not expect high school students to be ready for productions of such advanced nature."

WITH OUR WILDLIFE

BY JOHN E. WOOD State Game Warden

Automobiles and Wildlife
During the depression automobile manufacturers had their sales channels analyzed and to their great amazement they found that the fourth greatest use to which the automobiles are put in the United States is for sporting activities.

They found that five million automobiles were used annually for sporting activities; that these cars annually traveled seven hundred miles each on the average; that the total mileage traveled by these automobiles was three billion five hundred millions of miles each year. They found that the average life of these cars was forty thousand miles, which caused a replacement of eighty seven thousand five hundred cars at a cost of seventy millions of dollars. They found that the tire bill for these cars exceeded six millions of dollars each year; that the money spent on gasoline topped thirty five millions dollars each

He'll Guide You



Here is Tom Murphy, California World's Fair guide, in his smart new uniform. The double breasted coat is of electric blue whipcord with trousers of gold whipcord and a stripe the same color as the coat. The cap is blue and gold with black patent leather strap.

THIS SPACE SHOULD HAVE BEEN PAID FOR BY AN ADVERTISER BUT ??

Texan Aids in Plans For World Congress



DR. W. J. MCCONNELL

year; that the oil bill exceeded three million dollars and the total cost of transportation paid out each year by hunters, fishermen, and lovers of nature in general through the use of the automobile alone exceeded one hundred and twelve million seven hundred thousand dollars.

The automobile manufacturers were amazed. Here was a source of revenue that had been entirely overlooked by these manufacturers. Not unnaturally they at once became deeply interested in the state of our wildlife. Inquiries directed to the Bureau of Biological Survey in Washington, D. C., brought forth a rather gloomy picture of the actual conditions of our wildlife all over the nation. Here are some of the facts that Texas produced.

The wild pigeon, that migrated in such amazing numbers as to blot out the sun as it passed in flight, had moved into complete oblivion. Not a single wild pigeon has been seen throughout the world in more than thirty years.

The buffalo once roamed the state in seeming inexhaustible numbers has moved out of the picture, and only a few remain because of the rigid protection that they have.

The antelope numbers less than 10,000 in the state today. The Attwater Prairie chicken whose drumming thrilled many a band of hardy pioneers with its promise of a supply of food, numbers but eight thousand eight hundred by actual count inventory and its range is limited to only a few counties in Texas.

And so on the reel unfolded as the picture was studied. Our resources of birds, animals and fish all had the same story. Once in abundance, now with decimated ranks and, in some cases, bordering on complete extinction or actually having become extinct.

"These manufacturers realized that if the fourth greatest use to which automobiles was being put in America was to be preserved, then something had to be done about the matter. The General Wildlife Institute was founded to cooperate with the Biological Survey. Each furnishing its quota of the necessary money, and ten typical states were selected for research work to determine what must be done, if our wildlife resources were to be saved or restored to near its former numbers.

Texas was selected as one of the ten typical states where research was to be carried on and Dr. Walter P. Taylor, senior biologist of the biological survey is in charge of this project at College Station, Texas. Thus another agent is employed to aid the nation in build-

DENTON, Texas — A world Congress in Education for Democracy will be held in New York City August 13-14-15, with President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia University as honorary chairman. Dr. W. J. McConnell, president of the North Texas State Teachers College, announced following his return from Cleveland, Ohio, meeting where preliminary plans for the congress were discussed.

Dr. McConnell has been named a member of the sponsoring committee for the congress by Dean William F. Russell and Winthrop W. Aldrich, prominent New York banker, lawyer and philanthropist, are sponsoring the meeting. A number of outstanding European leaders will assist in the deliberations.

The World Congress will be attended by some 300 members of representative organizations of the whole of American life, including labor, agriculture, industry, women's groups, and education. It will have as its aim the bridging of the gap between education and the public which has arisen as a result of depression, Dean Russell said in Cleveland. This can take place only when educators meet together and understand each other's points of view, he declared.

Miss Helen Anderson of Stephenville spent last week-end with Miss Martha Belle Harvey. Quinton Hudler of Monahans returned home Thursday after a visit with relatives here.

Miss Dale Scofield, who has been attending school in Rose-dale, Indiana, has returned to her home in the Eureka community.

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ing up its wildlife resources. Are you doing your part to help the many agencies that are striving to build up the wildlife populations; thus building up one of the greatest natural heritages of this great nation which means so much to you and me?

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WANTED: A nice couple to live in home with aged widow. See the editor for further information.
BOOK WANTED: Will pay \$12.50 fine copy "The Cattle Industry of Texas and Adjacent Territory, 1895." Describe condition fully. H. Sender, 5044 Garfield, Kansas City, Mo. 13-14c

Miscellaneous

NOTICE!

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Treasure Island on San Francisco Bay, March 15.—More than \$500 was found by guides and guards during the opening day of the Golden Gate Exposition, and was returned to owners. It was announced by officials of the Fair's Lost and Found Department.

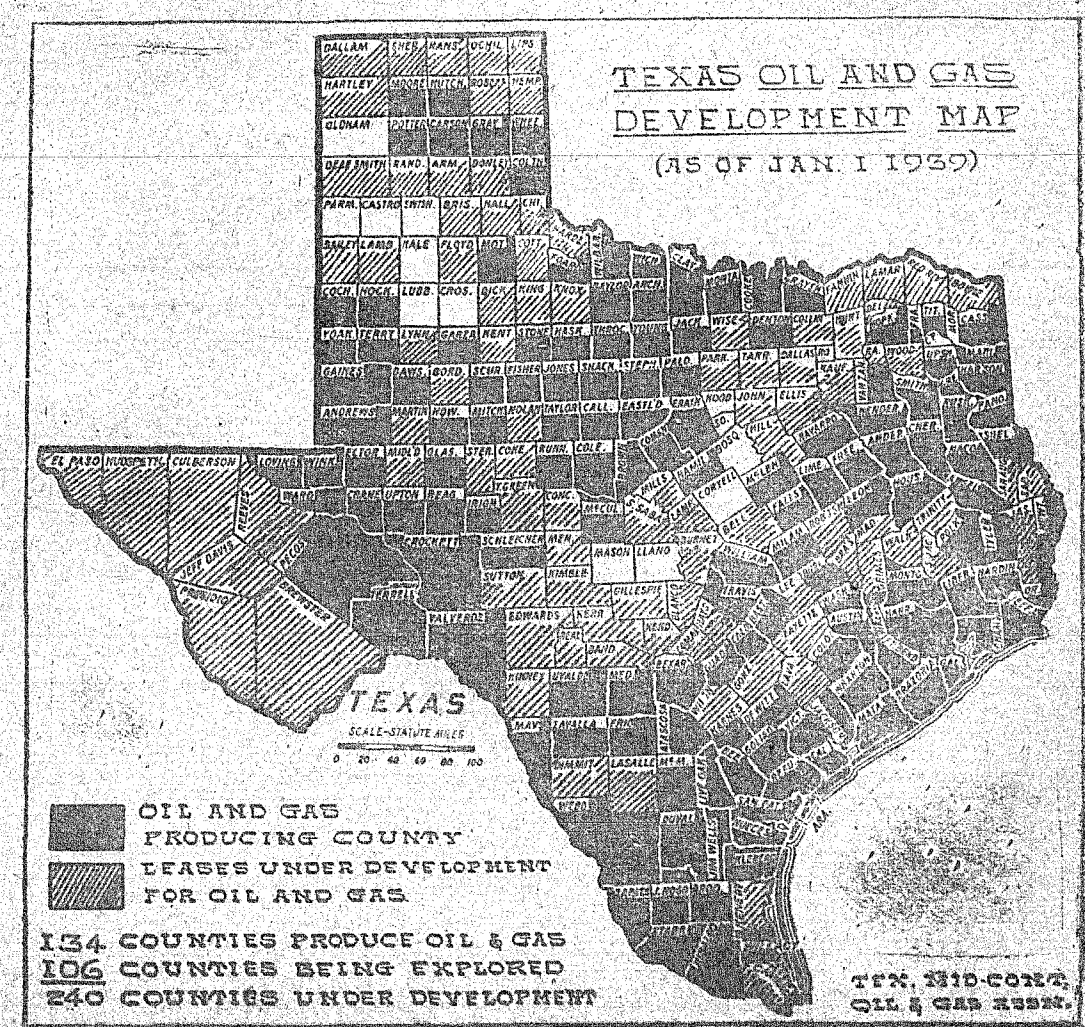
Leisure Exceeds Work
The average American industrial or commercial or professional life divides his 168 hour week approximately like this—40 hours work, 56 hours sleep, and 72 hours leisure.

Morgantown, W. Va., Feb. 12.—Robert Sturgis, reporter on the Morgantown "Dominion News," fractured a vertebra in his neck while playing football. So, even sleeping is dangerous.

J. A. Williamson of Whon is visiting this week with his son J. G. Williamson and family.

From the Foreword to SOILS AND MEN Yearbook of Agriculture 1938
The earth is the mother of all plants, animals, and men. The phosphorus and calcium of the earth build up the skeletons and nervous systems. The nitrogen and potassium from the soil and sun come from the earth.

Henry A. Wallace



SOCIETY - CLUBS

Edwin Rollins, Miss Mamie Davis Wed in Bryan

From the Bryan Eagle we learn of the marriage of a popular Santa Anna boy, Edwin Rollins, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Rollins, who has been employed at A and M College for several years.

At 11 o'clock Saturday morning, March 25, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Moreland, in Travis Park, the marriage of Miss Mamie Davis, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Moreland, to Mr. Edwin Rollins of Santa Anna, was solemnized by Dr. W. H. Andrew, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The bride was attended by Miss Dorothy Moreland as maid of honor, and Albert Douglas White of A and M College, served as best man to the groom. Earl Davis of Dallas, brother of the bride, gave her in marriage. The bridal party came into the beautifully decorated room while the wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Miss M. Marie Moreland. The bride wore a powder blue suit with fuchsia accessories and carried pink rose buds.

After the ceremony those present who included only relatives and those friends of the couple enjoyed a luncheon served buffet style. The bride's cake was a hybrid white one.

After the luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. Rollins left by auto for a four week trip, their destination being kept a secret. They will be at home after April 1st at 300 North Baker Avenue.

Local H. D. Club To Hear Discussion On Kitchens Friday

A demonstration of a light airy, healthy kitchen with emphasis on windows, curtains and screens will be given by Miss Chrystene Trowbridge Friday afternoon, March 31, when the Santa Anna H. D. Club meets with Mrs. J. K. Hargrove at two o'clock.

Questions will be answered with a helpful household.

For the business session a panel discussion from various committee reports will be held. The sale of Easter Seals for the Crippled Children's Fund and an Easter picnic are subjects to be introduced.

Members are urged to be present at the demonstration and the business meeting. Visitors are invited.

PRESBYTERIAN W. M. S. MEETS WITH MRS. PAYNE

The Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society met at the home of John T. Payne Monday afternoon. The lesson on Japan was led by Mrs. Payne with articles given by Mrs. Doris Bell and Mrs. W. R. Kelley. Devotions were led by Mrs. W. O. Garrett. The Prayer Book was led by Mrs. Kelley.

Reports of last year's work were given and goals set up for the coming year. New goals for the coming year were made. Mrs. Bell was elected delegate to Presbyterial with Mrs. Fred Rollins alternate.

Mrs. Ratliff Is Honored On 88th Birthday Sunday

Mrs. Martha Ratliff, who was 82 years old Thursday, March 23, was honored with a birthday dinner at her home Sunday with her daughter, Miss Fannie Ratliff, her son, Henry Ratliff, and about twenty-five out of town relatives participating in the celebration.

When the delicious dinner was served cake was in abundance for three birthday cakes, one a huge one holding 38 candles, were gifts of the honoree. A beautiful hydrangea and many other lovely gifts were presented Mrs. Ratliff.

The relatives spent a very enjoyable day together laughing, talking, and taking pictures.

Out of town relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davis, Ratan; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Games and daughter, Hazel; of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Games and son, Coleman; Dennis Perry, Austin; Curtis Perry, Beaman; Mrs. Mabel Landrum and daughter, Burnette; and Mrs. Clinton Perry and Mrs. Alice Barber and daughter, Cora, of Lampasas; Mr. and Mrs. John Powers and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Powers and children of Ballinger, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown and baby of Gatesville.

Mrs. Ratliff has lived in Santa Anna 32 years, having previously lived in Burnet County. She is the mother of three children, Miss Fannie Ratliff and Henry Ratliff of Santa Anna and Mrs. W. M. Davis of Pottaw. She is the last child living of a family of ten children.

Miss Wallace Is Junior Culture Club Hostess

The Junior Culture Club had an enjoyable meeting with Miss Corinne Wallace at her home Tuesday evening. Miss Ouida Casey gave a very interesting talk on "Color."

A refreshment plate holding a peach salad, Ritz wafers, nuts and ice tea were served to the following members: Mrs. J. W. Riley, Misses Mattie Elka McCreary, Eunice Wheeler, Ruby Harper, Ouida Casey, Margaret Schultz, Elsie Lee Harper, Nathalie Nabers, Mrs. Aubrey Parker and the hostess, Miss Wallace.

Improvement For Kitchens Is Subject For Liberty Club

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met March 23 at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. M. Duggins. Miss Trowbridge gave a demonstration on wall and woodwork finishes, floors and floor coverings. She urged that we use our kitchen for a kitchen and not a bath room or a junk room.

Refreshments were served to sixteen members, one visitor and Miss Trowbridge. The next meeting will be at the school building April 6. Everybody is invited to be present.

Renew your subscription to the News.

Merry Wives Are Entertained With Travel Pictures

Members of the Merry Wives embroidery club were guests of Mrs. Ed Bartlett at the club hours Thursday afternoon. The time was pleasantly spent looking at kodak pictures and other colored pictures of interesting scenes and objects the hostess had gathered from traveling in Colorado, Texas, Louisiana and other southern states. The pictures were made more vivid by Mrs. Bartlett's interesting explanatory talks.

The refreshments consisted of a fruit salad, ribbon sandwiches and coffee. Plate favors, chocolate coated eggs, carried out the Easter theme.

Medaunes Roger Hunter, O. L. Cheaney, Sam Collier, Dennis Kelley, Rex Golston, O. A. Etheridge, Leman Brown, Burgess Weaver, S. W. Childers, Ford Barnes and the hostess, Mrs. Bartlett, were those enjoying the afternoon.

Art of Living Is Discussed By Buffalo H. D. Club

Music should be in each home and in every man's memory of his childhood. It has been said that no criminals will come out of homes where a love of music has found expression, said Mrs. G. A. Byrnes, hostess to a group of Buffalo Home Demonstration Club women held at the Home Making Cottage Friday afternoon. The program subject was "The Art of Living."

The president, Mrs. L. W. Kieters, presided over the business session. It was voted that the club sponsor a Soek supper Monday night at the school gymnasium, and make and sell ice cream all day Friday, March 31 at the school and community picnic to raise money for future club expenses.

The white elephant, a covered butter dish, was received by Mrs. Wilson.

Refreshments of cake and lemonade were served to 12 club members and two visitors. Mrs. Wilson joined the club.

Hospital Notes

Clifford Ellis of West Millford, West Virginia, is a surgical patient.

T. A. Lovell, Bee House, was able to go home Monday.

J. T. Garrett of Santa Anna is a patient in the Hospital.

A. M. Phillips of Mercury is a surgical patient.

J. A. Lacey of Turkey was able to go home Sunday.

Walter Martin of Ira was a patient Friday and Saturday.

Master Joe Floyd Lynch of Gouldbusk was a patient in the Hospital from Friday to Sunday.

J. C. Allen of Cross Plains is a patient in the Hospital.

Miss Magdalene Long of Glodthwaite is a surgical patient.

A. A. Huff of Tahoka is a surgical patient.

Mrs. F. A. Fore of Cross Plains is a patient.

C. C. Polvado of Ackery was a patient Saturday and Sunday.

Kenneth Vance of Santa Anna is a patient.

Mrs. Eva Herring of Talpa was a patient Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. M. M. Blackwell of Whon is a surgical patient.

A. J. Kidd of Jayton is a surgical patient.

R. O. Phillips of Goldthwaite is a surgical patient.

N. A. Parsons of Coleman is a surgical patient.

S. D. Wilson of Santa Anna is a patient in the Hospital.

Recreation Notes

(By Mrs. Reuben Fulton)

Miss Grace Willhott, County Recreation supervisor, met with the Santa Anna staff at their building on Monday, March 27. Plans were discussed at this meeting to complete arrangements for playground activities through the spring and summer months. Many timely suggestions were offered by Miss Willhott.

The wading pool will be repaired in the near future and a well equipped playground is being planned for that park.

Another community night will be held at the Santa Anna recreation building on Friday night, March 31. These get-togethers are gaining in popularity, with each event. Group singing, games and other music are enjoyed and a sense of fellowship and well being is strongly felt.

You are cordially invited to take part in one of these events, then you will need no second invitation.

A city wide Easter egg hunt will be sponsored by the Lions club for the children. Watch for the announcement in next week's paper.

GLADHAND CLASS

Inspired by the beautiful weather Sunday, 14 members of the Gladhand Class of the Methodist Church were present. Mrs. Chap Eeds very capably presented the lesson discussion.

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A Timely Charge

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any. A more comprehensive list of different classes of crime could hardly be written.

As to drunken driving, I am sure that you will not fail to do your duty in regard to this, and yet it is hard to get Grand Jurors, and harder to get petit Jurors to realize the enormity of that offense because there is ordinarily no malicious, willful or vicious intent or purpose. Statistics, however, show that of the hundreds and thousands killed in this state and other states on our highways that 55% is attributable to drunkenness or driving on the highway in some crimes the question of intent or purpose is the controlling matter, and in others the purpose or intent has no bearing. The primary purpose of all criminal law is not to punish, as a matter of punishment, but to protect life and property. If a man puts himself on the highway in condition that he endangers life and property, he is a menace and must be stopped, whether he has any wrongful intentions or willful purpose or not. The Legislature has done about all that it can do about this by making drunken driving a felony, and I do not know what citizens and jurors can do about it unless they take the matter more seriously and assess heavier penalties.

"We have one case of burglary, two of theft, and one of robbery. Such cases are based upon the fundamental disposition of man to have the things that he desires or enjoys without conforming to the great fundamental eternal law laid down in Holy Writ that man must live by the sweat of his brow. Instead he chooses by stealth, under cover of night, or at the point of a gun, to take what he wants, and live at ease on the earnings of his fellow man. That is a very basic element of human nature. It is a motive that is producing crime more frequently, an attitude that has been increasingly active in recent years, and is a matter of grave concern. I believe I am conservative in saying that there are at least three times as many people trying to live without earning a livelihood by honest toil than there was 20 years ago. Some of them are wanting to live by burglary, some by forgery, some by robbery, and some by various other illegal means. Many others are seeking legal means of living from the earnings and savings of their fellow man, or of becoming charges upon the government. Certainly this trend wherein it violates the law should be discouraged and checked, and your duties and mine as representatives of the State of Texas are to see that such illegal acts are discouraged and checked. The basic laws of human nature and of economics are immutable. Industry, honesty and economy are the only bases for the happiness, comfort and security of the individual, and as well the only bases for the safety and perpetuity of free government."

TO THE SUNFLOWER

Oh, much desired optimist, True flower of the sun! Daily you will face that planet, Until your day is done.

'Tis true you see the brighter side, With care avoid the dark, Yours not to heed the owl's hoot, But to hear the meadow-lark.

Your nodding head at night bespeaks Grief at the sun's retreat, His early, welcome, morning light, Your lifting face will greet.

And when the sun shall higher rise, To make a brighter morn, He will see your opened, eager face.

Your petals with light adorn.

Harry Oder

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Ramsey have spent most of the week in Brownwood with Rev. Ramsey's mother, Mrs. W. H. Ramsey, who is critically ill.

Miss Bess Shield and Mr. Ed Alexander of Ranger spent Sunday with Mrs. Vera Shield and Annelie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bob Gregg of Ranger were Santa Anna visitors Thursday afternoon.

Mr. John Lacy of Dallas spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ford. Since his visit Mrs. Ford is enjoying a new radio, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy and Mr. and Mrs. Seth Ford.

Mrs. Coe Cross and son of Coleman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marshall. Clifford Oder, student of Howard Payne College, visited his mother, Mrs. A. L. Oder, Sunday.

Reginald Owen spent the first part of the week in San Antonio attending the Head Camp Convention of the W. O. W. Life Insurance Society.

Etheridge Strickland of the Eureka community, returned Tuesday night from a visit to Snyder.

Visiting Mrs. J. W. Kirkpatrick and Miss Josie Baxter Sunday were Mrs. H. O. Newman of Alpine and Sam Polk and family of Abilene.

Rev. and Mrs. Wallace Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Picheo, Mrs. Skobaugh and several others of Ballinger attended services at the Christian church Sunday night.

Among the visitors from Coleman who were at the Christian church services Wednesday evening were Rev. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Kinney, Mrs. Jones and Mr. Garrett.

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Frank W. Hayes PLUMBER

OFFICE AT Coleman Gas & Oil Co. Phone 88

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