

# SANTA ANNA NEWS

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## High School Honor Roll

Mr. Cullen Perry, Principal of the Santa Anna High School announces the honor roll for the third period of this school term, as follows:

### SENIORS

Alwyn Brandon, Helen Day, Margaret McCaughan, Glen Scarborough, Charlie Joe Harris, Billy Ray Weathers, Julia Ann Bailey and Martha Priddy.

### JUNIORS

Joyce Rowe, June Parker, Paula Holt, Reba Hardy, Geraldine Lewellen, Joe Vernon Buse, James Vercher and Fay Dunn.

### SOPHOMORES

Frances McClellan, Billie Lynn Westbrook, Evangeline Mulroy, Venita Joy Allison and Sandra Shields.

### FRESHMEN

Peggy Ford, Lucy Davis, Shirley Hale, Don Davis, Charles Scarborough, Annabelle Price, Sandra James and Betty Scott.

### SEMESTER HONOR ROLL SENIORS

Alywn Brandon, Helen Day, Glen Scarborough, Charlie Joe Harris, Billy Ray Weathers and Martha Priddy.

### JUNIORS

Theresa Baucom, Geraldine Lewellen, Reba Hardy, June Parker, James Vercher and Paula Holt.

### SOPHOMORES

Billie Lynn Westbrook, Frances McClellan, Evangeline Mulroy and Rose Zella Rushing.

### FRESHMEN

Peggy Ford, Lucy Davis, Shirley Hale, Don Davis, Charles Scarborough, Annabelle Price and Dennis Farmer.

## Ward School Honor Roll

Mr. J. A. Harris, Principal of the Santa Anna Ward School announces the third six-week honor roll of the ward school as follows:

### FIRST GRADE

Dixie Jo Baugh, Bobby Joe Wardlow, Pete Wylie, Freddie Walker, Sue Stiles, Jerry DeSha, Robert Priest, Eric Shield, Don Simpson, Mary Wigger, and Janice Smith.

### SECOND GRADE

Patsy Clifton, Mary Teague, Joe Riley, Darlene Mercer, Lavelle McClintock, and Kenneth Haynes.

### THIRD GRADE

Raymond McDonald, Lowell Pembroke, Donald Ray, Mary Baucom, Patsy DeSha, Geneya Jackson, Joan Smith, Fay Watson and Kay Kingsberry.

### FOURTH GRADE

Carolee Campbell, Nancy Jaehne, Linda Beth Moore and Wanda Stevens.

### FIFTH GRADE

Carolyn McClellan, Jackie Mobley, Virginia Ann Parish, Carol Jaehne, O. B. Smith, Jerry Bruce Snodgrass, Daniel Gilbert, Joyce Mills, Patsy Parish, and Ann Autrey.

### SIXTH GRADE

Ruth Milligan, Carol McClellan, Betty Ann Vinson, Carolyn Woods, Barbara House, Jerry Scarborough, Elizabeth Smith, Martha Ray, and Beverly Gilbreath.

### SEVENTH GRADE

Jimmy Priest, Billy Wayne Lowry, Bill McClellan, Bobbie Rehm and Ray Switzer.

### EIGHTH GRADE

Ola Taylor, Evelyn Shield, Kay Steward, Roy Buse, Mary Jane Turner, Neva Rehm, Joey Donald Bryan, Patsy Moore and Joan McClellan.

## O. J. Martin Father Of J. S. Martin

J. S. Martin, candidate for Sheriff of Coleman County, asked us this week to publish the fact that he is a son of O. J. (Oll) Martin. He said a number of citizens had asked who his father was, and it failed to appear in his regular announcement last week.

Mrs. F. C. Baraschas, of San Antonio, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lois Henderson.

# March of Dimes Drive Now In Progress

## T. H. (Sticks) Corder Announces For Re-election

T. H. (Sticks) Corder authorized the News to announce that he is a candidate for re-election to the office of District Clerk for Coleman County. Mr. Corder is now serving his second term in this capacity and requests your continued influence and support. He states that he will make his formal announcement at a later date.

## Bernice Johnson Announces For Tax Assessor-Collector

Miss Bernice Johnson of Coleman, this week authorized the News to announce that she is a candidate for the office of County Tax Assessor-Collector, Coleman County.

Miss Johnson has had a number of years experience and feels that she is well qualified to serve in this capacity.

She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson of Rockwood.

## Charles Hosch Has Grand Champ Lamb At Brownwood

Champion fat mutton lamb of the 1950 Brownwood Livestock Show's mutton classes was exhibited Saturday by Charles Hosch, Santa Anna, with Glenn Bragg, Talpa, showing the reserve champion.

J. L. Stewardson, San Saba, topped the group of three owned by one boy (Southdown), and Donald Hosch, Santa Anna, the group of three cross bred muttons.

Results of Santa Anna boys in the Brownwood show as follows: Fat lambs, fine wool: 2nd, 3rd, and 6th; Billy Ray Weathers, 4th, 5th and 7th.

Fat Lambs, Southdown: Charles Hosch, 1st.

Fat Lambs, other crosses: Donald Hosch, 6th and 7th.

Champion Fat Mutton: Charles Hosch, Santa Anna. Reserve Champion, Glenn Bragg, Talpa.

Group of 3 owned by one boy: Garland Schrader, 1st; Bill Ray Weather, 2nd.

Group of 3 Southdown owned by one boy: Billy Ray Weather, 7th.

Group of 3 crossbred: Donald Hosch, 1st.

## Mrs. J. R. Brooke Buried In Coleman Last Wednesday

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Coleman Wednesday, January 18, at 3 o'clock for Mrs. Joe R. Brooke, 67, a Coleman County resident since 1904. Mrs. Brooke died in the Coleman hospital January 17.

Rev. Tillman Hull officiated. Mrs. Brooke was born in Bell County, May 9, 1882. She had been a member of the Baptist Church for 53 years.

Survivors include the husband, three sons, J. B. Brooke of Coleman, Joe C. Brooke of Santa Anna and Coy Brooke of Santa Anna; three brothers, Reed Henderson of Winsboro, Dude Henderson of Cross Cut, and Payne Henderson of Santa Anna, two sisters, Mrs. W. M. Hagler of Holland and Mrs. Lewis Goodwin of Crowell, and seven grandchildren.

Funeral bearers were: Clyde Henderson, James Harvey, Dudley Tabor, Hilburn Henderson and Oran Henderson.

Interment was in the Coleman Cemetery.

## PROCLAMATION Cemetery Clean-Up Week

Know all men, women and children by these present that:

WHEREAS, the Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club is sponsoring a Clean-up Campaign in the Santa Anna Cemetery, and

WHEREAS, the Santa Anna Cemetery is now in a deplorable condition and,

WHEREAS, improvements have been made on the street going to the cemetery and,

WHEREAS, plans are being made to put a Rock Wall along the west side and at the entrance to the Santa Anna Cemetery:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, F. Z. Payne, Mayor of the City of Santa Anna, Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of February 1, 1950 through February 7, 1950 as CEMETERY CLEAN-UP WEEK, and respectfully urge all citizens of and around Santa Anna who have relatives buried in the Santa Anna Cemetery to cooperate with the Home Demonstration Club in their effort to get and keep our cemetery clean and beautiful.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto sign my name and affix my seal of office on this 23rd day of January, 1950.

F. Z. Payne, Mayor, City of Santa Anna.

## Cemetery Clean-up Week Proclaimed In Proclamation By Mayor F. Z. Payne

In a proclamation by F. Z. Payne, Mayor of the City of Santa Anna, he proclaimed the week of February 1 through 7 as Cemetery Clean-up Week and urged all citizens of and around Santa Anna who have relatives buried in the Santa Anna Cemetery to make an effort during that week to go to the cemetery and help clean the cemetery up.

All the lots that are members of the Cemetery Association are being worked and cleaned regularly. However, there are a number of lots that do not belong to the Association and most of them are not being worked or cleaned. A lot of the lots have not been cleaned in several years and it is very detracting from the beauty of the cemetery.

The Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club has selected the cleaning of the cemetery as their community project for 1950. Most of these ladies are not in a position to get out there and do the work themselves. But they can see that the work is done, if all the lot owners who are not members of the Cemetery Association will get in and help them. There are a number of lots owned by people who do not live here anymore, but most of these will be contacted and asked to help with the cleaning expense.

The colored and Latin-American people who have lots in the cemetery are also requested to join in this campaign and during this week go out to the cemetery and get your lots cleaned off. Some members of the Home Demonstration Club will be out there to offer suggestions and help see that the work is carried on.

The beauty of a town is often judged by the manner in which their cemetery is kept. Right now if our town were judged that way, would be far down on the list. Every citizen who possible can, should make plans to spend at least a part of one day working in the cemetery during this week. Several have indicated they would be glad to help clean a lot near theirs, even though their lot is neat and well kept. Let's do all possible to get the cemetery clean and make an attempt to keep it that way.

Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd R. Simmons and little daughter, Betsy, returned to their home in Ft. Worth, Saturday, after an overnight visit in the J. J. Gregg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Waller, of Albany, were dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Payne Henderson, Monday.

## David J. Morris Is Candidate For District Attorney



DAVID J. MORRIS

David J. Morris, county attorney of Brown County, has formally announced his candidacy for District Attorney of the 35th Judicial District.

Mr. Morris is serving his third term as county attorney, having served 13 years of his first term before the war and before joining the Navy during World War II. He served in the Navy for four years and upon coming back in 1945 was elected to the position without opposition.

Mr. Morris is a graduate of Howard Payne College where he was an honor graduate, president of the Freshman and Junior Classes and Student Body. After his graduation in 1936, he attended the University of Texas Law School and was graduated there in 1939 and has been practicing law ever since that time in Brownwood.

He is married to the former Miss Juanita Sentall of Snyder, Texas, and they have three children: David J. Morris, Jr.; Dan Morris, and Annette Morris. In announcing his candidacy, Morris makes the following statement: "I wish to announce to the people of Coleman County my candidacy for the office of District Attorney, a position for which I have been preparing myself for several years. As an able editor of the Dallas News recently pointed out, the job of District Attorney is one requiring the services of an experienced lawyer capable of matching wits and abilities with able defense counsel. In this respect, I have served a through apprenticeship; I do not come to you fresh from a law school or seeking to become your District Attorney before proving myself before the bar of your District as a representative of the electors. For two full elective terms I shall have served as County Attorney of the most populous of the three counties of your District, a position the duties of which involve all of the criminal matters a District Attorney is called upon to deal with. Throughout these four years, your District Attorney resided outside my home county and therefore was not on hand much of the time to initiate prosecution, and it has been my duty and my pleasure to assist him as best I could, acting so to speak as his assistant until he could come in person, and perform the duties (Continued on page 3)

## Blossom's Service Station Robbed Tuesday Night

An undetermined number of persons broke into the Blossom's Service Station in the east part of town Tuesday night. Time of the robbery has been set at between 12:00, midnight and 1:00, a. m.

The robbers failed to find any money, but took a radio, 6 quarts of anti-freeze, 3 cartons of cigarettes, and about 16 quarts of oil. They also carried a new \$128.00 adding machine outside, but left it in a ditch near the station.

Entry was gained by prying the back door loose.

## County Resident Since 1878 Buried At Glen Cove Last Wed.

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Lucille Hamon, 88, one of Coleman County's first residents, were held at the J. E. Stevens chapel in Coleman last Wednesday, January 18. Dan Fogarty, minister of the Coleman Church of Christ officiated.

Mrs. Hamon died Tuesday about noon, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Close.

Minnie Lucille Cravens was born in Mississippi, November 11, 1861, at the start of the Civil War. She came to Coleman County in 1878 and was widely known as a pioneer of the county. She was married at Santa Anna in 1887, and her husband, Ed Hamon, was an early-day ranchman. He preceded her in death in 1942. Mrs. Hamon was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are: three sons: Ed Hamon, Jr., Rodney Hamon and Dick Hamon, all of Glen Cove, and a daughter, Mrs. J. M. Close of Coleman. One brother, W. M. Cravens of New Mexico and a sister, Mrs. George Dobby of Brownwood.

Burial was in the Glen Cove Cemetery.

## THREE SERVICES AT CHURCH OF CHRIST SUNDAY, JANUARY 29

Brother Thomas Enix of Brownwood will preach at the Church of Christ in Santa Anna Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m., at 2:15 p. m. and at 7:00 p. m. The general public is invited to attend each of these services.

Mrs. B. C. Walters left Sunday, January 15, for Knox City, to spend an indefinite visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fitzgerald.

The March of Dimes quota for Coleman County has been set at \$7,000.00. Actually Santa Anna does not have a quota other than to attempt to raise approximately 35 cents per capita residents.

The March of Dimes is being sponsored by the Lions Club and during the next two weeks everyone will have a chance to help make this drive for much needed funds a success.

March of Dimes money is used in the fight against Infantile Paralysis or as is more commonly called polio. Polio struck a hard blow to Texas in 1949. Over 2,355 men, women and children were stricken with the dreaded disease last year. This was the worst year Texas has had. Funds that have been raised in the past are now depleted and more must be raised to carry on the fight against polio.

There are seven patients being treated from Coleman Co. at this time. Last year over \$4,000 had to be borrowed from the National Foundation to take care of the treatment of these patients.

This week jars are being put in a number of business houses in Santa Anna with the slogan "Join The March of Dimes"

printed on them. Also other plans are being made to get as much money raised as possible. When you see one of these jars you are requested to make as liberal a donation as possible. If you don't care to put money in one of the jars you may take it to the Santa Anna National Bank and deposit it to the Infantile Paralysis Fund or drop by the News office and leave your donation there.

J. W. Gregg has been appointed chairman for the Santa Anna territory. Mrs. J. A. B. Miller of Coleman is the county chairman. The Lions Club is working with both in an effort to make this drive a big success.

## Rockwood Ward School Honor Roll

Mr. M. B. Williams and Mrs. Len Gray present the following names on the Honor Roll for the 1st semester: La Quina Cooper, Peggy McIntire, Vita Rehm, Patricia Bryan, Belva Dene Hoffman, Olivia McIntire, Mary Rehm, Judy Bryan, Dixie Deal, James Hodges, Ladis Jane Crutcher, Matt McIntire and Wess Wise.

## Hospital Notes--

The following patients have been admitted to the Sealy Hospital within the last week:

Mrs. W. P. Burris, City; Jerry Dunn, Midland, Texas; Mrs. D. R. Hill, City; Dale Dodgen, City; Larry Trinidad, City.

## Mrs. W. V. Priddy's Mother Buried Wed.

Mrs. G. S. Shipp, 83, of Moody, Texas, mother of Mrs. W. V. Priddy, died at her home Monday, January 23. Services were held for Mrs. Shipp at Pendleton, Texas at 10:00 a. m. Wednesday morning.

Mr. Priddy and daughter, Martha, went to the service. Mrs. Priddy has been with her mother for about a week.

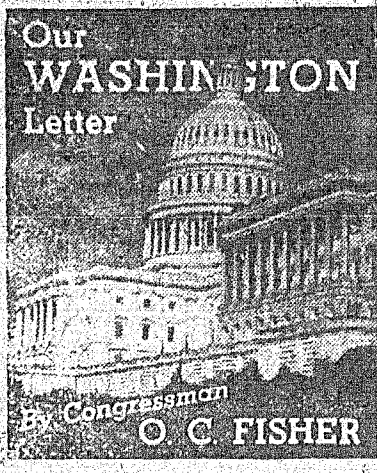
## FEDERATED MISSIONARY TO MEET AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH MONDAY

The ladies of the First Christian Church will entertain the Federated Missionary Society in their regular meeting Monday, January 30, at 3:00 p. m.

The meeting will be at the Church, and all are invited to be present.

Pat Gilmore and Leon Oakes returned to their stations in California, Monday, January 16.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. O. T. Stacy and Jane visited with relatives in Santa Anna Saturday and Sunday.



Chances for a reduction in Federal spending and for needed economies during this session of Congress were dealt a heavy blow last week when the House Rules Committee voted 215 to 183 against amending the House

rules to allow the House Rules Committee to screen all spending and other legislation.

The action of the House not only meant more and more spending, cleared the way for FEPC and other civil rights bills to be brought to the floor. And it enhanced the chances for advancement of such welfare measures as socialized medicine etc.

Using this test vote as a barometer, it can be assumed that if the FEPC measure is brought to a vote in the House it will be passed by about the same margin. It begins to look like we must depend on the Senate to save us from FEPC.

Most of the Texas Members voted to curb deficit spending and to block FEPC and other socialistic measures. I was among 13 from our State who voted that way. Seven from Texas, however, voted the other way.

The other action by the House last week was the defeat by a close margin of a bill to provide \$120 million for aid to Korea and to commit ourselves to an additional expenditure there of \$200,000,000. I voted against the Korean aid measure.

Many of us became that, as matters now stand, this spending would be plain wastes and would add very little if anything to the security of this country. Our State Department has drawn a line from the Aleutians through Japan and Okinawa to the Phil-

ippines and has announced that we will not defend anything on the other side of that line. Korea and Formosa are both on the other side of the line. In other words, the State Department is willing to pour several hundred millions into Korea but is not willing to turn a hand toward its defense in the event of attack, and does not consider it militarily important to our security.

You may recall the trial and conviction a year or so ago of one Harold Cristoffel of Milwaukee for the offense of perjury. He was sentenced here in Washington to serve three years but the Supreme Court reversed the action and ordered a new trial. And the new trial is set for January 30.

It all started when Cristoffel appeared before our Labor Committee a couple of years ago and, in answer to questions by the committee, swore he was not a Communist and had never been one. He had led an 18-months-long strike against Allis-Chalmers and our committee was investigating the charge that it was a Communist-inspired strike. In fact, we concluded it was just that and later events confirmed our finding.

The interesting point in the case was the precedent set by the Supreme Court in holding that a quorum of a committee could never be resumed but must be proved at the very time the alleged false testimony is given. In other words, just proving that a majority of the Committee is present when a witness is sworn in and begins to testify is not enough. The proof must go further and show that a majority was there at the instant the false part of the testimony is given.

In the first trial of Cristoffel proof was ample that a quorum present when the defendant was

sworn and began his testimony. Now, in the second trial, the Government must put each of us who were committee members on the stand and prove by a majority of Members that were present when the false testimony was given.

Christoffel is represented by John Rogge, former Assistant U. S. Attorney General, who specializes in representing Communists and alleged Communists.

Since Christoffel's prior conviction he has been busy helping raise money for the defense of the 12 Communists convicted in New York a few months ago. The Milwaukee radical is a bad actor and, according to sworn proof, is undoubtedly a Communist of long standing.

Texans gathered last week in Washington to pay tribute to Justice Tom Clark, the first Texan to gain a place on the Supreme court of the United States. The event was sponsored by the Texas State Society.

Aside from the State Society, there is also an association of ex-who now reside in the Nation's capitol. This group meets annually, on March 2nd, Independence Day and talks Texas from away back. This year, though, something new is planned—not a single speech. Fritz Lanham of Ft. Worth, President of the Ex-Students, says it'll be different this time—not a dull moment, he promises, not even a speech. But he says the history and traditions of Texas will not be neglected.

May this commendable record continue. Even yet there may be some disagreeable weather, so as far as possible may each be present for each service.

At the morning hour the pastor spoke of that which really determines a person's worth and Sunday evening the exhortation of Paul to the Corinthians "Quit Ye Like Men, Be Strong," was the Scriptural bases for the message.

The young people report a wonderful time at their Vesper Banquet.

A large attendance of the W. S. C. S. was noted at their meeting Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Griffin. The devotional was given by Mrs. Mill. Mrs. Eebs was program leader being as-

sisted by several of the officers. Refreshments were enjoyed following announcements of plans for the week.

Several have attended sessions of the Training School being held at Brownwood the first of the week and at Coleman the latter part of the week.

The current Bible study "Women of Scripture" is to be resumed next Wednesday afternoon at 3:00. All women of the church, members of the W. S. C. S., Guild and Sunday school classes are invited.

A most cordial welcome is extended to all who care to worship with us.

As old as she is, Dame Gossip is still able to make the rounds.

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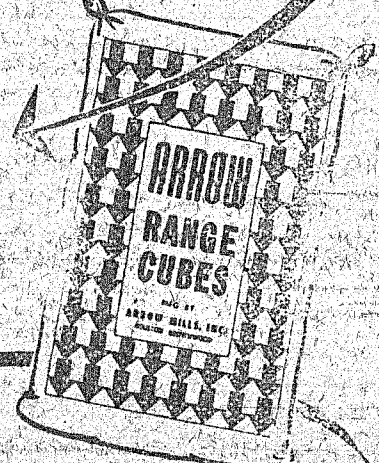
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### Trickham News

(By Lea Mitchell and Mary Catherine Fellers)

Rev. Baucom, the Presbyterian pastor preached here Sunday morning. No church services Sunday night.

Those present for Bible Study last Tuesday were: Mmes Carrie McClatchey, Zona Stacy, Beula Kingston, Ruth McIver, Mary Lea Mitchell, Faye Whitley, Maude Burney, Tavey Ford and Rev. and Mrs. Weathers.

The Gene James family moved last Friday, out on a farm near Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thompson spent several days last week visiting relatives of Brownwood.

Frank Wells spent one day last week with his sister and family of Waldrip.

Buck Mitchell and H. B. James were in Coleman on business last Thursday.

Del Ray Stacy spent one night last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Zona Stacy.

Catherine Fellers, Lea Mitchell and Verna Mae Calcote visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Rodney Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brien of Waldrip spent Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. T. H. Vernon.

Sorry that Mrs. Vernon isn't feeling so well.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Calcote of Brownwood visited Sunday with friends and relatives.

Miss Delma Martin, who is teaching school in Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Martin over the week-end.

Mrs. A. J. Martin returned home Saturday after spending several days with relatives of San Antonio and Floresville.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke celebrated their 25th wedding Anniversary last Saturday. Saturday night the ones who visited them were: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Poff of Blanket, Miss Pauline Boenicke, of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harris, and Betty Jean of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold

Boenicke and Rosnelle, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Herring and Dale of Talpa and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley.

Miss Pearl Ford of Brownwood visited her sister, Mrs. Mollie Shield over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Newman visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes Friday night.

Visitors in the Fred Haynes home Sunday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Etoile Cozart and Dawn of Whon, and Mrs. Jack Dockery and boys.

Bill and Patsy Richardson and Ray Trawick were in Brownwood Sunday afternoon visiting the stock show.

A large crowd of young people enjoyed a party given by Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Stearns last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowden, and Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chelo James were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rankin McIver Sunday.

Judy Ford spent Sunday with Naomi Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Meek visited Mr. and Mrs. Rankin McIver Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Rosa Henderson and boys and Mrs. Fred Henderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson.

Mrs. Charlie Haynes visited with Mr. and Mrs. Will Haynes Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Stacy and boys of Santa Anna spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver.

Mr. and Mrs. General Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. George Powell visited in Trickham Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert Dean and Ruth visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kit Casey and Thelma of Santa Anna Friday.

Mrs. Kingston visited her niece Mrs. Howard Jones of Bangs last Wednesday.

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- DUZ** Large Box **25c**
- OXYDOL** Large Box **25c**
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- DREFT** Large Box **25c**
- SPIC and SPAN** Box **25c**
- CRISCO** 3 lb. Tin Can **75c**

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



### Give Us Back Our Sidewalks, Slim!

I wrote that over an article in the Clarion last week, but I didn't like doing it. After all, the man it was aimed at—Slim Henderson—is a good friend of mine.

Slim came into quite a windfall last month, and bought the old Clarke place. The deed gave him title to all the land—right down to the street. Then Slim started to take up the sidewalk to make his lawn look better.

I felt it wasn't fair to the town and said so in my article. Next morning Slim comes around and wants to know what I mean—get-

ting folks, riled against him. I felt ornery myself, and we had quite a set-to over the whole business.

From where I sit, that was foolish. Once we'd cooled off (over lunch and a bottle of beer at Andy's Tavern), Slim decided the sidewalks should stay—for the common good and I promised next time I'd take a good look at the other fellow's point of view before writing any articles about him!

Joe Marsh

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Tom Guthrie was a visitor in Bangs last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newman were bed-time visitors with Mrs. Kingston Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller of the Cleveland community spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Kingston.

Mrs. Tom Bagly and Mrs. Larry La Douceur of Brownwood visited briefly with their mother, Mrs. Zona Stacy last Wednesday.

Visitors of Mrs. Stacy's Sunday afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stacy and children of Brooksmith, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Stacy and boys of Santa Anna, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ford and Peggy.

Carey William of Coleman and Bill Williams of the Cleveland community visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. James Sunday.

### David J. Morris

(Continued from page 1) chief prosecutor of my county and yours.

Even earlier, before the recent war, the people of my county saw fit to elect me County Attorney. I entered the Naval Service without completing that term, but after four years of service came back and was elected to two more terms in that office. Although I have had this position of District Attorney uppermost in my mind and ambitions through these years, I did not make the race in 1946 when I returned feeling then as I do now, that it is a place for which a man should have experience gained by an apprenticeship.

I am a lifelong resident of your District, and I refer you to

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**Cleveland News**

(By Mrs. M. F. Blanton)

We are enjoying real summer time weather and most everyone is taking advantage of it putting up their land.

Mrs. Duane Williams and son or Pecos spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Blanton and Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Drisco Woods and Cis and Carlyn spent Sunday visiting in Mason.

Those visiting in the M. F. Blanton Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Westley Williams and son, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Blanton and son and Mrs. Duane Williams and son.

Billie Woods spent Sunday with Harold and Teddy Gene Clifton.

Mrs. Willie Baugh is spending this week with her daughter Mrs. Elmer Cupps.

Mrs. C. T. Moore and Mrs. M. F. Blanton attended the Basketball game in Santa Anna Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Almer McFaddin of Abilene attended church at Cleveland Sunday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mills and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cupps.

Mrs. William Cupps and Juanita visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming. Mr. and Mrs. Casey Heering and family with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fleming Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cupps.

Mr. Woods who has been visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Drisco Woods the past week went back to her home at Brownwood Sunday.

Mrs. Betty Allison of Santa Anna spent Friday with Mrs. C. T. Moore.

Mrs. Willie Vinson of San Angelo is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Helen Evans and children, Loyd Dale and Manon.

**Whon News**

Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Rev. Glen Terry preached his last sermon Sunday as pastor of the Nazarene church. Rev. Terry has been serving the church here as pastor since March. We wish him well where ever he goes. He was accompanied here Sunday by his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Kitchen.

Mrs. Earl Cozart received word last week of the arrival of a little baby girl to make here home with Mr. and Mrs. Lefty Moore of Freer, Texas. Mrs. Moss will be remembered as Alpha Mae Johnson a sister of Mrs. Cozart.

Louise and Ann Averett of San Angelo spent the week end with Ima Smith and Billie Ruth Wallace.

Mrs. Joe C. Barnes entertained Birthday Dinner on her 6th birthday. Those present were: Brenda Baker, Deanne Hext, Nelda Wallace, Sharon Cooper, Earle Jean Buse, Jimmy Lee Gill and the honoree, Bobby Lee. The beautiful cake with 6 candles was the center of attraction at the noon hour with plenty of delicious food also. Each was served an individual cup cakes with one candle. Bobby received several lovely gifts and games were enjoyed throughout the afternoon.

Vonnie Adkins spent Sunday night with Nelda Steward of Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn and boys of Santa Anna were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and family and visited in the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Zack Bible and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avant.

Sunday Dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith and family were Mr. and Mrs. Billie Kitchen, and Rev. Glen Terry of Brownwood, Louise and Ann Averett of San Angelo, Billie Ruth Wallace and Patsy June Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Hext and children and Mrs. Schater were visiting and shopping in Brady Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Martin and son of Santa Anna spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith and Eldor.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gill, Mrs. and Mrs. Roy Englund attended the Brownwood

Live Stock Banquet Friday night. Roy and T. J. were in Brownwood caring for their livestock.

Joe Alvin Wynn of Santa Anna spent Sunday night with Bobby Stuart.

Mr. and Mrs. Aleo Cooper and children of Rockwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford.

Mrs. Kate Holmes and Sue are visiting relatives in Santa Anna.

**Local Baptist Church News**

To increase the efficiency of the Bible School, the teachers and officers of the First Baptist Church Sunday School are meeting each Wednesday evening at 6:30 p. m. by departments to discuss and plan the activities. Prayer services are conducted at 7:00 p. m. under the direction of the pastor.

The Y. W. A. s met in the home of Miss Fay Dunn on Monday, January 23, 1950. The subject of the evening was "Our Treasure Chest." Refreshments were served by the hostess. Activities were planned for Focus Week, Feb 5-11 after which the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. C. Wigger. All girls from the age of fifteen to twenty-four are invited to attend.

The sixth annual session of District 16 Convention will meet with Coggin Avenue Baptist Church, Brownwood, Texas, Friday, January 27, 1950. The program starts at 10:00 a. m. with

the second sermon being brought by Rev. L. L. Trot just before noon. The evening program beginning at 7:00 p. m. will be under the direction of Emzy Brown, Santa Anna, and Mrs. W. A. Todd, Brownwood. Rev. and Mrs. Wigger, Santa Anna, will also have part on the evening program.

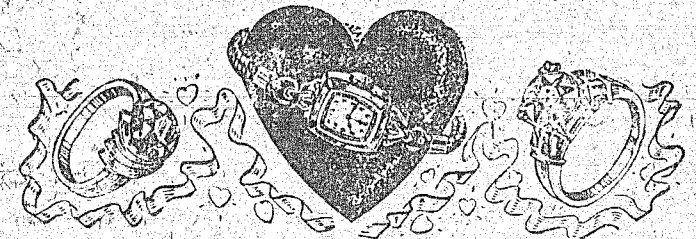
The pastor will use as his subject for his message Sunday morning: "The Mediator for the Whole Life" and Sunday evening: "An Important Question".

**Rockwood BTU Presents Program**

The Intermediate B. T. U. of the Baptist church had charge of the Sunday evening services.

Bobbie Rehm was song leader with Nelda Steward at the piano. Kay Steward presented the speakers: Jay Steward, Neva Rehm, Nelda Steward and Bobbie Rehm. Mrs. Ray Caldwell is director of the Training Union.

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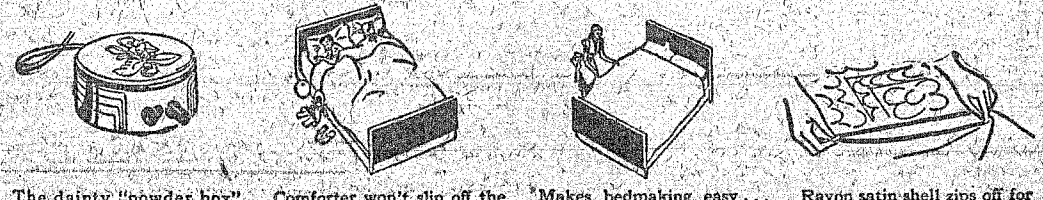
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by Rose Rushing  
It may not be the finest yet; We may not have the biggest team; But the kids are the finest I ever met, And of the teachers you do dream. (Night mares)

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lap, And especially not for me. (You sweat)  
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**FADS AND FANCIES FOR 1950**  
Have you seen the different fads and fancies in Santa Anna High School? For instance, the bright and colorful neckerchiefs that these little scarfs are quite popular, especially since Christmas.

It seems now that if you don't have a brilliant colored corduroy suit or dress you are out of style. Also moire taffeta dresses are popular for dress-up occasions. When we have this dreary, rainy January weather, bright colored plastic raincoats are sure to keep you dry.

As for the boys, they have many beautiful neckties which are being shown even at school along with matching suspenders. The most important articles of clothing are the new black and gold letter jackets worn by the football lettermen and some of them are worn by their girl friends!

All the basket-ball fans have noticed the gold tee shirts and gold socks added to the boys' basketball suits. They make a very striking and flashing appearance on the boys as they play ball.

So goes the January, 1950 fads and fancies for S. A. H. S.

**HIT PARADE**

"I can Dream Can't I?" Frances B. to Jimmy Lee R. and Patsy B. to Dan D.  
"Mtle Train" Coach to the S. A. H. S. students in the

"I'll Never Smile Again" Mr. Green to the Physics class.  
"Ragmop" Mrs. McQueen when she gets out of 6 period Home-making class.

"I don't See Me In Your Eyes Anymore" Lanettia to R. L.  
"Why Don't You Haul off and Love Me" B. J. to Joyce.  
"Love Come Back To Me" Betty to Doug and Marian to Dewey.

"Is you Is or Is you Ain't My Baby" Bill to Sandra.  
"A-You're Adorable" Charles S. to Rilda.

"Blues Stay Away From Me" Annabelle to Lam Pasas.  
"What Did I Do" Sandra to Bill  
"Love's Ole Sweet Song" David to Faye.

"Let's Be Sweethearts Again" Venita to Gene S.

"Love Somebody" Martin L. to all the girls.

"I gotta Have My Baby Back" June to Olin.

**BIRTHDAYS IN JANUARY**

Lucy Davis—January 4  
Betty Hale—January 10  
Theresa Baucom—January 11  
Billie Ruth Wallace—January 16  
Reha Hardy—January 17  
Lea Mitchell—January 21  
Billy Wayne Dodson—January 22  
James Milligan—January 25.  
Margaret West—January 26  
Luther Talley—January 29.

**WHO'S WHO**

Yessir, that's my baby! That is probably what the boys are saying when they see that little blonde down at school. Have you seen her? If not just get a load of this: blonde hair, blue eyes, just seventeen, weighs 120 lbs. and only five feet and seven inches. Her name is Eddie Edmondson.  
Eddie's favorite movie stars are

Shirley Temple and Peter Lawford. I don't know if they played in "The Best Years of Our Life", but you can bet Eddie was around when that was showing.

Mrs. Williamson seems to be favorite with Eddie just as she is with most of the rest. I can't tell what Eddie's planned career is, but she sure likes typing.

Next time you boys take a look around and I'm sure you'll say "Yessir that's my baby."

**WHO'S WHO**

Ever see a 5' 4", 125 pound, goodlooking blonde running up and down the stairs? That's Helen Day. Helen is attractive because she has the distinction of being the blondest blonde of Santa Anna High School.

During her high school years she has been active in almost everything. This includes lettering two years in basketball.

Helen's favorite color is green, favorite pastime is eating and her pet peeve is getting fat from doing so.

She doesn't know what she will do when she finishes school, probably go to college, but hasn't decided which one. What ever it may be, We wish her the best of luck.

Billy Ray—"Do you mean to say you can tell the score of any basketball game before it starts?"  
Martin L—"Why certainly before it starts it's always 0-0."

Two tired boys after they reached the top of the hill: "That was a steep climb, Max," said

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Jimmy. "It was at that," said Max. "And if I hadn't kept the brake on we would have gone backwards, sure."

Billy Ray W.—"This party is awful dull. I think I'll go home."  
James M.—"Fine old boy—that will sure help."

Frances—"You don't like your neighbor's attitude about your voice practice?"

Sandra—"Well, I can't make up my mind; she keeps telling me I ought to go aboard to study."

Paula—"June are catpillars good to eat?"

June—"No, I don't guess. Why?"  
Paula—"Well, there was one on your plate a minute ago and now it is gone."

Mrs. Evans to Mr. Perry—"That Duane Moredock is the world's slowest moving creature. One day I asked him if there was anything he could do fast. "Yes'm," he replied, "I get tired fast."

B. J.—"Is that pink lightning lipstick you are wearing?"  
Joyce—"Yes, how did you know?"

B. J.—I've been struck by it before."

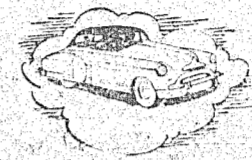
Mr. Martin enjoyed a reputation for short reports to parents. One time he wrote to Max's parents, "Trying," which delighted them until the next report came. This one read, "Very trying."

Child specialist giving advice to mother: "You'll have to handle Bill (M.) carefully; remember you're dealing with a sensitive, highstrung little stinker."

On a quiz show Billie Wallace was asked if she did much horseback riding. "Yes," she replied, "off and on."

Venita Joy—"May I try on that plaid suit in the window."

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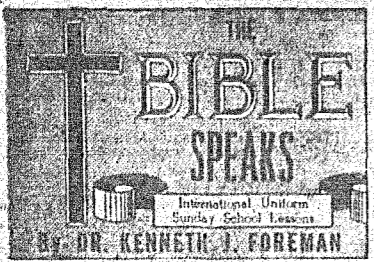
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**Unto All Men**

Lesson for January 29, 1950

**"MARK TIME, Christian Soldiers!"** is not a Christian hymn. The word is "Onward, Christian Soldiers!" The command was given by no less a person than Jesus himself: "Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them... teaching them..." (Matt. 28:19, 20). Do you know some one in the church who says he doesn't believe in missions? Such a man does not take Christ seriously. If you do believe in Christ then his commands are for you to obey, not to ignore.



Dr. Foreman

**When Men Delay**  
UP TO NOW, the church has been playing around with Jesus' command. Very few denominations are actually putting any large amount of money or manpower into obeying Christ's command to go into all the world.  
One fairly typical American denomination contributed last year to all benevolences, that is, to all causes not in their own local congregations, the sum of \$9,137,065. That sounds like a lot; but divided by the total number of members it boils down to \$14.93 per member for the year, or less than five cents a day.

And of course not all that big sum of five cents went to missions of any sort. Yet that denomination gives more per capita to missions than most others do. When a man who gives less than five cents a day to carry the good news of Christ into the wide world sings "Onward, Christian Soldiers!" or prays "Thy Kingdom come!" how much does he mean it? Not a nickel's worth!

Or take the question of manpower. This same denomination sends out as missionaries every year, as many men and women as are sent by some denominations three times its size. And yet, even so, the total number of ordained ministers in that denomination who are foreign missionaries is only 4 per cent of their total number of ministers.

"Go into all the world," said the Master. "Four per cent of us will," we reply. "The rest of us will stay at home."

**When Men Obey**  
AS A MATTER OF FACT, even the earliest church was slow to pay real attention to Christ's command. Forward Men are strange creatures. And one of the strange things about us is that we often have to be scared into doing our duty.

It took the persecution set off by the death of Stephen to move the Christians in Jerusalem out along the roads south, north, east, anywhere to get away from the city of death. Everywhere they went, they told the story of Jesus.

But at first it was all rather breathless and informal. "Why are you here?" one of these DP's would be asked, as he was passing through Samaria or Antioch or Alexandria, perhaps in the bread-line, perhaps looking for a place to work and settle down. "I'm a refugee from Jerusalem," he would say. "But why?" "Well, I'm a Christian." "What's that?"

So the story would be told all over again, the good news about God's grace in Christ. So the church spread. Today, though an enormous part of the world's population is still unwon, there are Christians in so many lands that the Bible—all or parts of it—has had to be translated into more than one thousand different languages and dialects.

**Unto All Men**  
ONE OF THE MOST interesting and surprising little books of recent years is called "They Found the Church There," by H. P. Van Dusen. It is the dramatic story of how the American GI, to his great astonishment, found Christians in the most unexpected places.  
It is a tremendous mistake to think that the Christian re-

igion is only for English-speaking peoples, or for Europeans, or for white people. It began among people whom most readers of this column would set down as "foreigners."  
Christ can be as much at home in an igloo or a wigwam as he is in an American farmhouse or in an efficiency apartment on the city boulevard. He comes to all men, and as Peter found out, the Lord is no respecter of persons.

**Rockwood News**  
By Mrs. John C. Hunter

The Rev. W. H. Robinson, of Brownwood, pastor of the Baptist church, conducted the morning service at the church on Sunday. He and his family were guests of J. T. Adians and Ray Steward.

Raymond Steward, who is attending the Railroad Telegraph school in Fort Worth, was home for the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steward.

Bob and Dick Stafford, of Zeller, were visiting friends over the week end.

The Rev. H. E. Dutton was a business visitor in Sweetwater last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lady Crutcher, Collins and Ludy Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Norris spent Sunday with Mr. Crutcher's mother, Mrs. A. F. Crutcher, in Coleman.

Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Garner, Gene and Rody of Abilene, Mrs. Hattie Pearson, Jr. and Mrs. Raymond Carnes, of Coleman, Mrs. Lampert Andrews and Betty Sue and Mrs. Sam Cleveland.

Mrs. Howard Blackwell and daughter of Three Rivers came last Wednesday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackwell.

Alvin Bostick is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bostick. He and Mrs. Bostick spent the week end in Lampasas visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maness of Brownwood, visited with relatives Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morgan and children, of Rising Star visited Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs.

J. T. Adian and Pat. The Adians have recently purchased a Dodge pickup.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McMillian were Mr. and Mrs. Lester McMillian and girls.

Visiting Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunter, and Mrs. Ella Nell were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hunter and son, R. C. Jr., of Indian Creek, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kelley, of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Unger, of Hartsdale, N. Y. visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise and Mrs. Gussie Wise were week end guests of Misses Bobbye and Joyce Wise in San Antonio.

Mrs. J. E. Porter, of Utopia and Ethel Steward, of Abilene, spent the week end with their parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Johnny Steward and James.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Box and Mrs. Irene White and son, of San Angelo, were week end guests of Mrs. J. W. Box and Miss Linnie.

Mrs. Emma Steward, of Lohn, has been visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell while recuperating from a broken arm she received in a fall. She is now visiting in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges, Sr. went to Sweetwater, Friday to visit relatives. Mr. Hodges went to Snyder, Saturday, to attend the funeral of an uncle. They were accompanied by Mr. Elmer Moore, of Marlin and Mrs. Watkins of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Gray were visiting relatives in Temple over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ovard, of Dallas, were recent guest of Mr. Jim Rutherford and Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richardson and Betty, of Coleman, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson.

Mrs. John McIlvain has gone to Cisco to spend several days with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Baum and family. Mrs. McIlvain is still suffering from an injured foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver, of Coleman, were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McIlvain.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Davenport

and family and Mrs. Fanny Pike were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller. Mr. Miller went to San Angelo, Tuesday to a specialist for examination.

Others on the sick list are, Mrs. W. G. Williams, Carolyn Williams, Dan Dutton and Mr. Jim Baugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bryan were called to San Angelo Sunday night, because of the illness of their grandson, Gary Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry were business visitors in Fort Worth last Tues. and visited with a niece Miss Adele Crutcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan were in Rochelle Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Halmon, of San Angelo, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

**County Invests Large Sum In Savings Bonds**

The people of Coleman County invested \$345,962.50 in U. S. Savings Bonds during 1949, according to the annual sales report received today by Robert I. Bowen, Jr., county Savings Bonds chairman, from Nathan Adams of Dallas, state chairman. This compares with sales of \$436,325.25 for 1948.

Of the 1949 total, Series E, the so-called "people's bond" accounted for \$290,062.50, as compared with \$268,379.25 E bond sales in 1948. Series F and G sales were \$55,900.00 as compared with \$168,506.00 in 1948.

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Total sales for the entire state were \$191,499,089 as compared with \$196,448,280 in 1948. Mr. Adams report said. This is a decline of 2.5 per cent. However Mr. Adams declared that sales last year were highly satisfactory in view of economic trends and because of a 3.9 per cent increase in the sale of E bonds, from \$139,591,216 in 1948 to \$145,114,738 in 1949. Series F and G bonds accounted for \$46,384,351 of the state's sales total last year.

Mr. Adams said that the people of Texas today hold more than \$1.5 billions in Savings Bonds, a substantial share of which are owned by citizens of this county. These savings, he added, give the community, as well as the individual owners, a high degree of financial stability.

Miss Evelyn Bruce returned home Sunday, from Sul Ross College at Alpine, to stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bruce.

R. E. Wood & Sons of Santa Anna, Texas, recently purchased five purebred Aberdeen-Angus cows and a bull from White's Fram Ira, Texas.

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### Texas Legislature To Meet In Special Session Tuesday

By Allan Shivers

Next Tuesday, January 31, the Texas Legislature will meet in special session to make appropriations for our state hospitals. The bill for food, clothing, medical care and badly needed buildings and repairs will run at least \$25,000,000 for the year beginning next September 1.

That is a lot of money—especially when the State doesn't have it, as it does not at the present

time. Letters coming to the Governor's Office from over the State indicate that a good many citizens do not fully understand the present situation. The Governor is often called upon to answer such questions as these:

1. Why is it necessary to have a special session of the Legislature?
2. Why wasn't that state hospital program properly financed at the regular session a year ago?
3. Why do we say that the State has no money for the hospitals, when the Treasurer's Report shows we have around \$50,000,000 in the General Revenue Fund and about \$120,000,000 in other state funds?
4. What went with that \$100,000,000 surplus we were supposed to have had a year ago?
5. Why can't the appropriations for other things be reduced so as to provide funds for the eleemosynary institutions without raising taxes?

These are perfectly logical questions, and they deserve logical answers. To inform the people about this problem, which is theirs just as it is the Legislature's and the Governor's, I will try to set down the pertinent facts of the situation.

To begin with, our state hospitals are badly run down. Little has been done in a number of years to improve, add to or even maintain the buildings at Austin, Abilene, Wichita Falls, Rusk, Terrell, San Antonio and other long-established hospitals for mental cases and epileptics. The tuberculosis hospitals at Tyler and Mission are old army camps; the Mexia hospitals for seniles and mentally deficient children is a former German prisoner of war camp.

Some places are worse than others, but in general we find the hospitals badly overcrowded and many buildings unsafe. The Board for State Hospitals and Special Schools, which has charge of these institutions, estimates that it would take more than \$40,000,000 just to eliminate the firetraps and add enough buildings to care in an adequate way

for the unfortunate people who are in these institutions today. I have personally inspected nearly all of these hospitals.

This is not a problem that developed overnight, but one that has been building up over a long period of years. The Legislature tried in 1941 and again in 1943 to do something about the building needs. One appropriation was vetoed by the then Governor; then the war came along and the building program was shelved for the duration.

The late Governor Jester recognized the crying needs of the state hospitals for more buildings, more doctors, more nurses and better facilities for treatment. He advocated a large appropriation for buildings, as well as a larger operating budget. The Legislature last year was sympathetic with his ideas, but heavy appropriations for other purposes used up most of the available revenues. On top of that, a sharp cut in Texas oil production caused an estimated \$22,000,000 in tax receipts.

Announcing he was not satisfied to see the job only halfway done, Governor Jester vetoed the state hospital appropriations for the second year of the biennium (the year September 1, 1950, to August 31, 1951). At the same he promised he would call the Legislature together in January 1950 to provide for the state hospital operation and building needs.

A few days after that promise was made, Texans received the shocking news that Governor Jester was dead. His promise, however, must be kept. Otherwise when another fiscal year begins next September 1, there will be no funds for food, clothing and care for the more than 23,000 people who are now in our insane asylums, tuberculosis hospitals, epileptic hospital and the special schools for the blind, deaf and otherwise physically handicapped.

I think these facts will suffice to answer the first two questions. Why is a special session of the Legislature necessary, and why

hasn't the Legislature already provided the necessary funds? Actually, as has been shown, these two questions are one and the same. The thing that matters most now is that the funds have NOT been provided—and they must be.

What happened to the State's money? In another article I will attempt to answer that question with official figures from the State's books. The people of Texas certainly have a right to know.

### Discussion On Mohair Support Price Held

San Angelo, Texas—Although discussion of the new mohair support program for 1950 was had between Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association representatives and officials of the Agriculture Department's P. M. A. in Washington, January 9th, Jake Mayfield, Association President, has reported. The group recommended that mohair be supported at 90% of parity or about 60 cents a pound average.

At a later meeting in which they joined with representatives of the National Wool Marketing Corporation, the Pacific Wool Growers Association and the American Farm Bureau Federation, it was proposed to the De-

partment of Agriculture that growers of both wool and mohair be given the option to either take or refuse the government's appraisal of their product during the marketing year. Mayfield said that this proposal, if accepted, on the open market until just before the end of the marketing season and then if the open market price was lower he could still sell to the Commodity Credit Corporation at the appraised price. The support level of wool will almost certainly be at 90% of parity because of the wording of the law, Mayfield added, but there is some question as to what the mohair price level will begin the 60% to 90% support range. Another meeting will be called to fix the price schedule on the various grades of wool and mohair.

A special progress report on the Mohair Market Research Project was made to the Association representatives by Ralph E. Burgess of the Burgess Company, doing the actual work on the project. One phase of the contract, all of which is expected to be completed in the latter part of this year, has been completed. The group was shown blends of synthetic fibers with various

grades of mohair. The next phase of the project will be the manufacture of yarns and fabrics utilizing these particular blends, according to the contractor.

Attending the meeting from Texas were Mayfield, Frank Roddie, First Vice-President, Fred Earwood, Ernest Williams, Secretary and Congressman O. C. Fisher.

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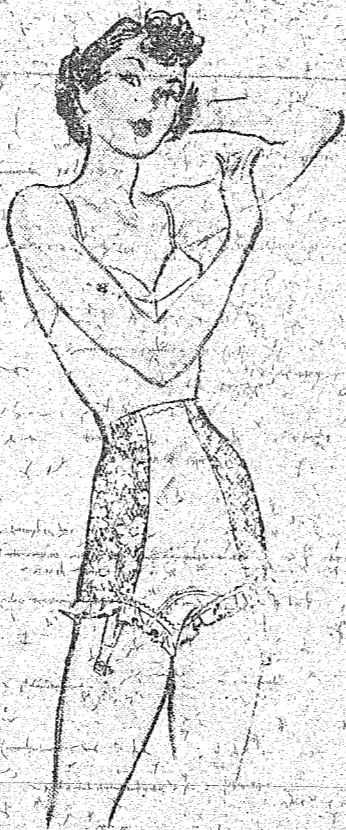


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CEMENT WORK: Sidewalks, curbs, porches, steps, foundations, and also rock, tile, stucco or white coat sand finish. All plastering included. Call Sam Jones, Phone 114, Santa Anna, Texas. 161c

SPECIAL NOTICES POSTED: Hunting, fishing, or trespassing are prohibited on all lands owned and controlled by me in Coleman County. Elgean Shield. 32 tfs4p

WANTED TO BUY WANTED: Clean cotton rags. No overalls, khaki, woollens or silks. L. A. Welch Garage. 41c

CARD OF THANKS We would like to express our thanks for the thoughtfulness and deeds of kindness extended to us during the illness and death of our wife and mother.

There are no words that can express our appreciation of all the many kind deeds, flowers, and expressions of sympathy from our many friends at the death of our beloved mother and grandmother. We were so grateful to all of our friends who were at the depot. It is with full hearts that we try to say thank you.

Mrs. Lois Henderson Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Teague Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Elkins Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Henderson

Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton, Jr. and baby, Mace III, of Ft. Worth spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton, Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duckworth of San Angelo, were also visitors in the Blanton home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stephenson and Bilda visited the Curtis Richardsons in Abilene Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Jordan, Mrs. Beatrice McMullen and Mrs. J. D. Weathers, of Cisco, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan, Wednesday.

FOR SALE: 1 second hand gas range, 1 second hand bed divan and 1 five piece bedroom suite. Hesch Furniture Company.

The City Of The Dead

Cooperation with the Home Demonstration Club, in putting the Santa Anna Cemetery in A-1 condition is urged.

Mrs. A. L. Oder A request has come to me from the H. D. Club, asking that I write something regarding the cleaning of the cemetery, which they are sponsoring.

I am glad to give my endorsement to this most worthy undertaking.

I do not understand all the plans for getting the work done, but I do know the need of it.

When I first came to Santa Anna, 26 years ago, the cemetery was in a rather bad condition. There was much said about it, but like the weather, not too much was done about it.

However, through the years civic organizations and individuals, worked faithfully, improving and beautifying the grounds, but much remains to be done.

From the days of Abraham and maybe beyond, people have been concerned about their final resting places, and a community is more or less judged by the condition of their burial grounds.

Santa Anna folks have a habit of putting things over in a big way, when once they get interested in the cemetery, as the recent successful drive, to pave the street leading to it, demonstrated.

I believe a rock fence at wall across the front and an attractive entrance is planned also with the garden club leading the effort.

All of this shows interest. The first week in February has been decided upon as the time to get the cleaning-up done. This is a good time, as spring will soon be coming around the corner.

Many people say to have their lots cleaned regularly and others do the work themselves.

If all the citizens in the community will get their lots cleaned that will be a fine start. But of course, there are many lots with no one in the community related to the deceased, and these become the responsibility of the community.

I have no doubt that civic minded persons will combine their efforts in some way to get the whole cemetery cleaned from corner to corner during the coming days.

I would be glad to be with you to help in some way. In times past, members of my family have helped with such efforts, though we have no one buried there.

When the planned improvements are complete, and the grounds have been cleaned from A to Z, and let us hope kept that way, then we can say with pride to those who visit our town—'Have you seen our cemetery?'

Home Demonstration Club Meets With Mrs. Stephenson

The Santa Anna Home Demonstration Club met Friday, January 20, in the home of Mrs. C. W. Stephenson.

A very good report was given from the committee working on the Cleaning of the Cemetery project.

Mrs. D. H. Moore, Mrs. Lewis Zachary and Ellen Richards gave a Parliamentary Drill.

Rockwood WMU Has Bible Study

'Christ for the World, We Sing' was the opening hymn when the Woman's Missionary Union met at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon. Mrs. A. L. King led the opening prayer.

Bible Study included Job 41-Psalm 15, directed by Mrs. F. E. McCreary, Sr.

Those attending the Study were Meses, Ray Caldwell, J. T. Adian, Evan Wise, Joe W. Wise, Matt Estes, Carl Buttry, Dick Fondren, Arthur King, Ray Steward and F. E. McCreary, Sr.

Young Folks Have Party At Trickham

Mrs. Harley Stearns and Mrs. Douglas Lykins entertained the young folks of and around Trickham with a party Saturday night. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to the ones attending.

Organs Do Not Grow Or Degenerate At Same Rate, Dr. Cox

Austin, Texas, We do not all grow, develop, mature—nor do our organs degenerate—at the same rate, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

'Today, a man of 60 may be as young, vigorous and vital as the average man of 49. On the other hand, he may look and act like a man of 80, old, weak and miserable. A man of 60 may have a 40 year old heart, 50 year old kidneys and an 80 year old liver.'

'The physical changes which come with age alone are not entirely decline, either. Speed of reaction does diminish, but endurance increases in certain capacities. As speed declines, skill is increased with practice, and as strength declines, judgement increases. Automobile driving ability, for example, improves from 24 to 43 in the average individual and at 65 is superior to that of the 20's.'

'Normal human beings can grow mentally at any age. The worst of all old age diseases is neglect. Many factors that help make a healthy, happy old age are (1) eating right, (2) regular physical examinations and (3) keeping physically and mentally active without overtaxing ourselves. There is a rapidly growing branch of medicine, known as geriatrics, that specializes in disease conditions of the ageing.'

'Don't wait until you deteriorate—consult your physician now!'

Five Year Olds Feted On Birthdays

Mrs. Blake Williams and Mrs. Ray Steward gave a birthday party for their little 5 year-old girls, Mickey and Carolyn, Sunday afternoon at the Blake Williams home. Cake and ice-cream were served to Mrs. Joe W. Wise, Jo'ed and D. W. Mrs. Marcus Johnson, Nikki Van and Jerry, Mrs. Jack McWaue and Stanley, Mrs. J. T. Adian and Pat, Mrs. W. H. Robinson and Ruby Nell, Mrs. J. P. Richardson and Max, Betty and Morris Straughan, Mrs. J. P. Hodges, Jr., Wanda and James, Mrs. Jake McCreary, Mrs. Sam McIlvain, Mrs. Ray Steward and Mickey, Mrs. Blake Williams, Carolyn and Mac.

Vesper Banquet At Methodist Church

The Vesper Banquet, sponsored by Miss Ruby Harper, at the Methodist church last Sunday evening for the Youth Division was a grand success with thirty two attending. The occasion, much to the delight of all, was a banquet in the truest sense for fellowship and food were stressed rather than decorations and formalities. Following the affair, which featured a turkey dinner, a vote of thanks was extended Miss Harper and her committee. The young people then assembled in the choir for the evening worship service.

Miss Gay Turner, Brother and Mrs. Womack spent Tuesday afternoon in Coleman.

Miss Coyita Griffin, who is attending McMurry College in Abilene, spent from Thursday until Monday morning with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg and family visited Sunday afternoon in the C. W. Chance home in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Conley of Temple, visited a few days last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Conley.

Mrs. Pearl Williams of Tulare, California, is here, visiting her mother, Mrs. C. F. Yancy. She will be here for about 10 days.

Joyce Peyton, Cleo Rushing and Marilyn Richards visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sparkman in Coleman.

Queen Theatre

Friday and Saturday JANUARY 27 and 28 James Millican Mary Beth Hughes -IN- "Rimfire"

Sunday & Monday JANUARY 29 AND 30 Robert Mitchum-Jane Greer William Bendix -IN- "The Big Steal"

Tues., Wed. & Thurs. JAN. 31 AND FEB. 1 AND 2 Gene Kelly-Frank Sinatra Betty Garrett-Ann Miller -IN- "On The Town" COLOR BY TECHNICOLOR

Refund On Deductions Will Be Repaid

Veterans who receive National Service Life Insurance dividend checks from which previous overpayments by the Veterans Administration have been deducted, were advised by Dr. George T. McMahan, manager of the Waco Veterans Administration Center, that the Finance division of the regional office under whose jurisdiction the veteran's account is maintained, would refund any overdue deduction.

Mr. G. T. England spent a few days in Dallas on business and while there, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newman and family and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Danney Bryan and boys, of Abilene, visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Herring, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Eubanks and children spent the week end in Temple with his father, Mr. Elmo Eubanks, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Carl Oakes of Corpus Christi, Texas are parents of a baby daughter, born January 19. The baby has been named Frances Louise. The Oakes have a son, Jesse Carl, Jr., 3 1/2 years old. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Talley of Santa Anna and Mrs. E. L. Oakes of Corpus Christi.

Mrs. W. P. Burris fell Friday, January 20, and broke her hip. She is reported to be resting well in the Sealy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McKinzie, of Brownwood, visited Mrs. Lucie Daniels, Sunday afternoon.

We are what we are when we are doing as we please.

Fort Worth Fat Stock Show Opens; It Is "Best Ever"

Fort Worth, Jan.—It's Stock Show time in Fort Worth! Beginning with the colorful, traditional Western parade on Friday afternoon and the opening performance of the rodeo that night with Gov. Allan Shivers present, the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show will be in progress through Sunday, Feb. 5.

There will be rodeo performances at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m. daily, and a big, free attraction—the Southwestern Square Dance teams from anywhere, no entry fee, \$1,000 in prizes, each afternoon at 4:30. Another free attraction will be the West Texas Art Show, presenting the paintings of leading artists.

Fifty-three cities—the greatest number in the Show's history—will have special "days" bringing their bands and cowgirl Sweethearts. Future Farmer and Future Homemake Day is Saturday, Jan. 28; Oklahoma Day, Sunday, Jan. 29; 4-H Club Day is Monday, Jan. 30; Veterans and American Legion Day, Wednesday, Feb. 1.

The rodeo, besides presenting the greatest cowboy contestants and the wildest of stock, will offer the greatest horse show the Southwest has ever seen and six spectacular specialty acts.

Entries of cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, turkeys and rabbits are the heaviest the show has ever

New Experiments On Corrosion

Austin, Texas, Jan.—University of Texas scientists are using radioactive isotopes in new experiments to study corrosion.

Corrosion costs industry untold millions of dollars each year in ruined machinery and reactions to retard it.

Carbon-14, a radioactive isotope in stearic acid is being employed by Dr. Norman Hacker-

PIGGLY WIGGLY advertisement with various food items and prices. Includes: Peaches (1.00), BAKERITE (0.69), Syrup (0.10), Pickles (0.19), CHUM SALMON (0.35), CHICKEN OF THE SEA TUNA FISH (0.31), CARROTS (0.05), RUTABAGA (0.06), TURNIPS (0.06), GREEN HEAD CABBAGE (0.03), COLORADO COBBLER POTATOES (0.05), BACON (0.39), BEEF ROAST (0.49), WIENERS (0.45), Fryers Raised - Dressed And Drawn.