

SANTA ANNA NEWS

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Cemetery Street Paving Completed

Last week completed the paving of the cemetery street. The gap in the paving near the Methodist Church and the entrance to the cemetery have been paved and thus another important project in the history of Santa Anna has been completed.

The street from the end of Bowie Avenue to the City Limit was paved through donations from citizens, and former citizens, of Santa Anna. Every one who made any kind of donation to the paving of this street had a part in the paving and the Santa Anna News, the Chamber of Commerce and others who worked on the project express their sincere thanks to each of you.

\$53.68 Collected At Queen Theatre For March Of Dimes

The Queen Theatre cooperated with the March of Dimes the past week and three collections were taken up from the patrons of the theatre, on Tuesday night, Saturday night and then again on Tuesday night. Collections for all three nights totaled \$53.68.

The March of Dimes committee expresses their appreciation to the theatre for their cooperation and to all who contributed while you were at the theatre.

Mrs. J. W. Jordan and Mrs. C. J. Harris and son, Charlie Joe, visited Sunday with Mrs. Jordan's son, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan, Jr., and family.

Cemetery Clean-up Week Now In Progress; Bring Own Tools And Help

The Cemetery Clean-up Week is now in progress and it is hoped that before the Clean-up week is over that all the lots in our cemetery that needs working, gets a good one.

Most of this week has been to bad to get out and work in the cemetery. However, last week a number of persons went out and worked their lots before the regular clean-up week started. Some of the lots that had not been worked in a long time have been made to look very nice.

Reports indicate that the weather may clear up before this week is gone. Provided it does, this will still give us several days to get out and do a lot in getting the cemetery cleaned.

Some have asked about tools to work with. The Home Demonstration Club does not have any tools and request that each of

City Garbage Under New Arrangement

To The Voters Of Precinct No. 2

In announcing my candidacy for re-election as your Commissioner, I wish first to express my appreciation for the support and cooperation given me in the past. I will appreciate the continued support of each and every one, and I personally solicit your vote.

During my first term of office, I have tried to render the service that the people of this Precinct would expect and I trust this has merited your approval along with the manner in which I have handled the affairs of the office.

Yours Truly
Earl Hardy

Hill Country Firemen To Meet In Brady

The Hill County Firemen's Association will hold its semi-annual convention Feb. 14 in Brady.

Delegates are expected from Ballinger, Bangs, Coleman, Eden, Eldorado, Melvin, Junction, Mason, Menard, Miles, Ozona, San Angelo, Santa Anna, Sonora and Winters.

A parade will precede the meeting, with fire departments of various cities participating.

Christianity is not that we arrive at a PLACE; it is that we move in a SPHERE.

Boy Scouts Mark 40th Anniversary

"STRENGTHEN LIBERTY"



40th Anniversary
1910-1950
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Official poster marking the 40th birthday.

The 40th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America will be observed Feb. 6 to 12 in every part of the nation by more than 2,300,000 boys and adult leaders. "Strengthen Liberty" is the birthday theme. The Boy Scouts' "Crusade to Strengthen the Arm of Liberty" continues through 1950.

During Boy Scout Week, Units will hold "Crusade Night" meetings when 1949 Crusade Awards will be presented. Representing the 12 Scout Regions, 12 outstanding Boy Scouts will make a "Re-

port to the Nation" at Washington, D.C., where the Movement was incorporated Feb. 8, 1910. They will also take part in an impressive ceremony at Independence Hall in Philadelphia.

The highlight of 1950 will be the Second National Jamboree which will see 40,000 Scouts and Leaders camping together at Valley Forge, Pa., from June 30 to July 6, including Scouts of other lands.

Since 1910 more than 16,000,000 boys and men have been identified with the Boy Scouts of America.

Boy Scout Week To Be Observed Feb. 6-12; 40th Anniversary Of Scouting

Boy Scout Week, marking the 40th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, will be observed from Monday, Feb. 6 through Sunday, Feb. 12. The anniversary will be celebrated in every city and town and most villages and hamlets throughout the nation and its territories by 2,300,000 boys and adult leaders.

President Truman will greet twelve outstanding Boy Scouts in the White House during Boy Scout Week. The Scouts will present to Mr. Truman the "Report to the Nation" telling of Scouting's service to the community since he greeted a similar group of twelve outstanding Scout's a year ago. President Truman is Honorary President of the Boy Scouts of America.

Boy Scout Week this year finds the organization at the midpoint of its two-year Crusade to "Strengthen the Arm of Liberty", which seeks to bring more boys into its ranks, give them richer experiences in all phases of its programs under volunteer leaders of high character who take training courses so they can carry on effectively.

The theme of the 40th birthday observance in "Strengthen Liberty." In countless meetings across the nation, this theme will be portrayed in pageants, demonstrations, public ceremonies, and Parents' Night gatherings.

The highlight of the second year of the Crusade will be the National Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa., at which 40,000 Scouts and leaders from every section

of the nation and several hundred Scouts of other lands will camp together from June 30 to July 6.

In many communities and at state capitals, Scouts will be greeted by civic leaders and will take part in ceremonies related to the Crusade.

In accordance with tradition, Scouts everywhere will rededicate themselves to the Scout Oath and Law on Feb. 8th at 8:15 p. m., in the respective time zones.

During Boy Scout Week, parents of Scouts and friends will visit Troop meetings and see for themselves that the Scout Unit is a demonstration of democracy at work. The Scouts and their guests will enjoy an evening of campfire songs, skits, games and stunts. This year, as part of their observance of the Crusade, many meetings will feature a ceremony of lighting a special torch to emphasize its aims.

Boy Scout Week is also the occasion when Scouts, their parents and the institutions sponsoring Scout Units, get together to honor the adult volunteer leaders whose contributions in unselfish service to youth makes the Scout organization possible.

School authorities in countless communities have arranged for pupils who are Scouts to put on demonstrations in school assemblies. Many public and private schools act as sponsoring institutions for Scout Units. The latest National Council report to Congress shows that 16 percent of

Tickets To Square Dance To Go On Sale Next Tuesday

The Santa Anna Lions Club, in cooperation with the Wagon Wheel Club, is going to put on a March of Dimes Square Dance Saturday night, February 18, in the High School Gymnasium. Other than what little expense there will be to putting on the Square Dance, all proceeds will go to the March of Dimes Drive.

Tickets are being printed this week and will go on sale by members of the Lions Club Tuesday, February 7. Adult admission will be \$1.00 each and student admission will be 50 cents each.

When you are approached by some member of the Lions Club and asked to buy a ticket to the Square Dance, remember you are making a contribution to the March of Dimes, one of the most worthy causes that you can donate money to.

At a square dance only a certain number can participate in the dance. The main attraction is for the spectators. Plans are to get some novelty square dance teams from other sections of the county and also some of our own citizens will put on acts that guarantee the spectator an enjoyable evening and it will be worth the money you spend to see it.

Religious Census February 5th

A Religious Census is being taken of the city of Santa Anna and surrounding territory on Sunday afternoon, February 5. This Census is to enable the churches of Santa Anna to be of greater help to all of the people who live in this Mountain City of Central Texas. It is not an endeavor to pry into people's private life, but to gain information so that the churches will know how to be of greatest assistance.

An invitation is given for volunteers to help in the taking of this census. The more that help the easier it will be on all.

Come to the First Baptist Church at 1:00 p. m. or as soon thereafter as possible. Mr. Ford Barnes is in charge of this work. Every citizen can help by being courteous and giving the information being sought.

This week marks the beginning of another organization in the family of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church. The Intermediate Girls Auxiliary is being organized Thursday, February 2, 4:00 p. m. The W. M. U. now fosters the Sunbeams, Junior and Intermediate Girls' Auxiliary, Royal Ambassadors and Young Womens Auxiliary.

3 Stores Robbed Saturday Night

Three Santa Anna Stores were entered Saturday night and apparently the ones who broke into the stores were hunting only for money.

Parker Auto Supply was entered through a back window and the office was ransacked. A waffle iron and \$12.84 were all that appeared to be missing Monday afternoon. Apparently the same bunch entered the Mathews Motor Company through the back door and all that was missing there was a large screw driver. The screw driver was found at the Gulf Oil Warehouse, where the office had been ransacked, but nothing was missing. Here the office was badly torn up also. They gained entrance to the Gulf Oil Warehouse by prying the front door loose.

The robberies were investigated by the Sheriff's department.

Effective Wednesday, February 1, the city garbage pick-up and disposal went under a new arrangement that should be most satisfactory to everyone. The \$1.00 charge being made each month will continue to be collected and it should give the town a much better pick-up plan than the old arrangement.

The new plan is this: two new employees have been hired by the city for the primary purpose of seeing that the garbage is picked up and hauled to the city dump grounds. Also one of the city trucks have been put on the garbage run and plans are for the truck to make the north part of town one week and the south part of town the next week. Garbage is supposed to be picked up every two weeks.

There will be some weeks when this plan will not be carried out to the full extent. These will be when the weather is bad and the truck cannot get to the dump grounds and there is some parts of the town that the truck cannot get into when the weather is wet. However, generally speaking, a pick-up will be made at every resident in Santa Anna once every two weeks.

The city commission knows that there will be a number of mistakes made and also that some one will have their garbage missed, you are asked to call the City Hall and report it. Within a short time after you report it your garbage will be picked up.

Every one is requested to have a covered container, not over a 32 gallon capacity, and set it out where it can be easily accessible to the men picking up the garbage. Also you are requested not to put any thing in the garbage that will burn, or to put any dirt, rocks, etc. in the garbage cans. You will be allowed to have as many cans out as needed to hold your garbage but you are requested to cooperate with the men picking it up and to put it where they can get to it, and not to overload the cans. That is, do not get the cans so heavy that two men cannot pick them up and empty them in the truck.

When you have a complaint to make, you are to call the City Hall where a record will be kept, and where the trucks are dispatched from. The garbage pick-up will be supervised by Noah Stacy and for the purpose of getting you faster service, you are requested to call the City Hall and not the Mayor or one of the Commissioners.

The old way of getting the garbage picked up has not proved very satisfactory. Yet, most everyone seems to be fairly well pleased with the results it has accomplished. The new method of garbage pick-up and disposal should prove a lot more satisfactory and the city commissioners should be able to see that the town is kept cleaner.

Hospital Notes

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

Mrs. L. K. Wardlow, Jr., City
Peter Sherold Baxter, Coleman
Mr. A. C. Eaves, Slaton, Texas
Judge Lemon Brown, Coleman
Joe Vinson, City
Aubrey French, Bangs
Judge Leman Brown, Coleman
Mr. Howard Smith, Coleman.
Mrs. A. L. Hawkins, City.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Wardlow, Jr. are parents of a boy born Thursday, January 26 at 1:00 a. m. The baby weighed 9 lbs. 4 1/2 ozs. at birth and has been named Tommy Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bruce and daughters Evelyn and Barbara attended the Fat Stock Show and Rodeo in Ft. Worth Saturday. Barbara was the Santa Anna representative in the Saturday afternoon and evening performance. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

County Boys Make Good Showing At Fort Worth Livestock Show Saturday

Billy Ray Weathers exhibited the Reserve Champion lamb of the annual Fort Worth Livestock show on Saturday, January 28. The lamb was a Southdown and was judged by John H. Jones, professor of animal husbandry, A & M College. The Grand champion lamb was shown by Billy and David Bridgeford of Colorado City.

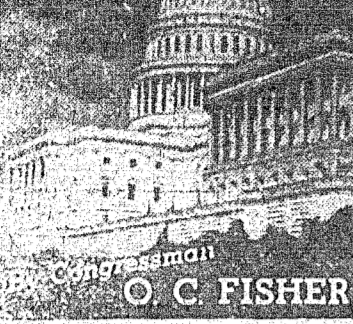
Billy Ray took second place in the Southdown grade or cross-

bred class with the animal that was later judged reserve champion. Charles Hosh took third place and Dale Herring of Talpa took fourth place.

Coleman county 4-H and FFA boys took second place in the group of 15 medium and cross-bred lambs.

In the Hereford division, Class 2, Thomas Ray Rutherford placed 5th. In class 3, Burgess Stewardson placed 7th and 16th.

Our WASHINGTON Letter



The House spent last week sparring over FEPC and finally on Friday got down to debate on the important cotton acreage control bills. It was a big week for the Civil Rights because it gave them a chance to harp about their pet project—the Fair Employment Practices measure. But with all the maneuvering, FEPC failed to get the right-of-way for House action.

The big job of proponents of bills in the House is to get them programmed to get them formally before the Congress for a vote. In the Senate final votes may be blocked by prolonged filibusters. But there is no such thing as a filibuster in the House. The maneuvering is different there.

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mittee of the power to hold legislation indefinitely. The change was made, giving committee chairmen the right to ask the Speaker for recognition to call up bills that languish in the Rules Committee for at least 21 days.

So Monday of last week was recognition day for committee chairmen whose bills had been before the Rules Committee for at least 21 days. Chairman Lesinski of the Labor Committee was on his feet seeking recognition in order to call up his FEPC bill. But as were a half a dozen other committee chairmen, and who had the same right to seek recognition. The speaker failed to recognize Lesinski. He recognized Mr. Peterson of Florida, Chairman of the Public Lands Committee, to call up bills on statehood for Alaska and Hawaii.

In order to be sure the full day was consumed on those measures, and not allow time for Lesinski to again seek recognition, FEPC opponents killed time by making points of order when members strayed from the floor and the quorams were not present. That often happens during the course of a debate. So, on Monday there were five quorum calls and one roll call. It takes about 35 minutes to call the roll. Thus more than three hours were consumed Monday in roll calls alone.

Then, on Wednesday the FEPCers were at it again seeking recognition on Calendar. Wednesday on each Wednesday the Speaker has a call of Committees, in alphabetical order, when the various chairmen can call up any bill favorably reported, irrespective of the Rules Committee. So on Wednesday Lesinski was on his feet again. But the Armed Services Committee was called first and the Chairman, Minner (Georgia), was on his feet. A bill on the floor of the House was reported favorably by the House Labor Committee. It then went to the Rules Committee. That Committee must report on it and that report is what the House acts on.

calls. And there was no time left for Mr. Lesinski.

Finally, on Friday, the Cotton acreage bill was called up, it having been given the green light by the rules Committee. The FEPCers, smarting from the blocks and quorum calls of the week, kneaded the anti-FEPCers from the cotton states by forcing five quorum calls during the three-hour general debate, and thus delayed final action to that extent. Final action on the cotton bill was scheduled for Tuesday of this week.

An interesting angle among the FEPC proponents was the struggle for leadership among three New Yorkers—Adam Powell, the Negro Congressman from Harlem; Vito Marcantonio, the darling of the Left-wingers; and F. D. Roosevelt, Jr., from the Bronx. All three were vying for the limelight, and Powell and Roosevelt denounced each other on the floor for trying to steal the show from the other. Marcantonio said a mouthful at one time when he yelled: "What all of you want in FEPC for an issue, not for a law!"

But while it adds nothing to the dignity of Congress, it is amusing at times to witness the Left-wing gladiators from New York put on a show in order to impress the Negro and subversive votes in New York City who clamor for civil rights and kindred legislation.

35 Carloads Food Donated To CROP

Houston, Texas—John D. Meyer of Chicago, Chairman of National CROP, officially received here Saturday the contribution which Texas is making to the Christian Rural Overseas Program.

Dedicated were 35 carloads of food fiber commodities to be distributed overseas by church relief agencies to help alleviate suffering. Special collection campaigns now in progress in the South Plains and Panhandle areas of Texas are expected to add from 5 to 10 additional cars of cotton, wheat and black-eyed peas to the total 1949 gift from Texas farmers and rural minded people.

Eighty-two Texas counties will have participated in the program before the solicitation campaigns close on February 15.

Cooperating in carrying out the program are all church denominations of Texas, civic and agricultural groups, and the county agents of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

Directing the program in Texas is a State CROP Committee headed by Daniel Russell of College Station, with the different church and agriculture groups represented on the committee, and Elmore R. Torn of Taylor as State Director.

Hope Vanishing For 44 Lost Flyers

Whitehorse, N. T., Jan. 31 (UP)—Hope was vanishing for 44 persons aboard a lost C-54 transport plane today but hundreds of U. S. and Canadian airmen flew their ships low over the wilderness determined to find them.

A ground rescue party meanwhile, bucked through deep snow to reach five men whose C-47 crashed while participating in the search.

Three of the C-47's six occupants were injured including the pilot 1st Lt. Charles Harden of Anchorage, Alaska, who made a heroic trek through waist-deep snow and underbrush for six miles to reach Self.

The 30-man ground party traveling in weasels, was expected to return here shortly after dawn.

Despite the waning hope for the 44 persons aboard the C-54, which disappeared last Thursday on a flight from Anchorage to Great Falls, Mont., there was no let up in the search.

Forecasters promised good visibility for the searchers who have flown over more than 72,000 square miles of desolate terrain.

Fifty-eight Canadian and American planes of many types participated yesterday and more flew in last night to join them today. Others flew from bases in the United States over the search area.

The influx of airmen taxed the facilities of this little frontier community and the adjoining Royal Canadian air base. The White Horse Inn was jammed with newspapermen.

In Anchorage, an Air Force spokesman revealed that the C-54 was delayed by motor for nearly 2 1/2 hours before it took off Thursday. The spokesman said the motor failure had feathered the plane's propeller.

However, he described it as "minor" and completely corrected before the plane left for Great Falls. He said new equipment had been installed and was checked out satisfactorily.

March Of Dimes Poster Girls Steal Fashion Show Scene

New York, Jan. 31 (AP)—Two little girls in fairy princess party gowns stole the show Tuesday at New York's biggest and most glittering fashion show-luncheon of the year.

They were Wanda Wiley, 1950 poster girl of the March of Dimes, and Linda Brown, poster girl of 1949.

Wanda took the applause of the 2,000 guests from a wheel chair, but little Linda stood on straight, strong legs and clung tightly to the hand of Ezio Pinzas of "South Pacific" fame, as the big town's most beautiful models and debutantes filed past her to drop their dimes into the wishing well.

The annual March of Dimes fashion show, staged in the Grand Ballroom of the Waldorf Astoria and produced by the New York Dress Institute, featured versions of the styles of the roaring twenties, striking the keynote with comments from Yvonne Adair and Eric Brotherson of the cast of "Gentlemen Prefer

Blondes" and bringing the flapper into vogue twice.

Miss Helen Hayes, whose daughter, Mary MacArthur, was a victim of the 1949 polio epidemic, made a moving speech as national chairman of the drive.

Dates For State 4-H Round Up and Agents Conference Set

College Station, February—Dates for the 1956 Texas 4-H Club Round Up and the annual conference for all Texas Extension Service personnel have been set, according to an announcement made by Extension Director G. G. Gibson.

Both meetings will be held at

Texas A. & M. College during the week of June 12-16. The district winning 4-H judging and demonstration teams will participate in the state contests on June 12 and the 4-H Round up will follow on June 13 and 14.

The annual Agriculture Extension Service Conference will be held on June 15 and 16. Details covering the programs for the week have not yet been completed, however Gibson says that all committees working on the programs are expected to have much of their work done by early March and announcements will be made at that time.

Duane Moredock and Craig Douglas spent Sunday afternoon at Locker, Texas.

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FOR HIS COMMUNITY....
FOR HIS WORLD....
FOR HIS NATION....



The Santa Anna Boy Scout

The Boy Scout from Santa Anna is a member of a world-wide youth movement which educates boys in practical skills and constructive ideals. As a Boy Scout he is dedicated to do his best—to help other people at all times....

The Boy Scouts of Santa Anna, of America, of the world, deserve your support. If you have a son of Scouting age, have him enroll in the local troop. If you haven't YOU can become a Scouting leader, or support the Boy Scout movement in other ways.

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assist you in getting started. If no club volunteers to do this by the first part of the week, a number of the ladies of the town will be asked to work with the organizations in putting this drive over.

As much advertisement as the March of Dimes has received this year, there is little use of going into details again as to how badly the money is needed. The County, State and National funds are exhausted, and the polio season is just now approaching. Naturally it is hoped that Texas or the United States does not have a repeat of the widespread epidemic that we had last year. But even if we do not have another epidemic, thousands of dollars are needed to carry on the treatment of those who have already been struck by this dreaded disease, and for the continued research of trying to stop the disease.

You are requested to make as liberal a contribution as possible each time you have the opportunity. You never know when it might be someone very dear to you who may be stricken with the dreaded polio next.

Boy Scouts
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the 71,000 Scout Units in America are sponsored by educational institutions.

During Boy Scout Week many store windows, theatre lobbies and other public places contain displays of handicraft made by Scouts. Often the boys themselves take turns demonstrating some of the skills they acquire through the program.

Thousands of new Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers, as the new Senior Program is termed, will be inducted through investiture ceremonies.

Sunday, Feb. 12 will be Boy Scout Sunday. Scouts and leaders will attend church services in uniform. Those of Jewish faith will hold their observances in synagogues and temples on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 10 and 11.

Local Methodist Church News

The absence on the fifth Sunday of several who attend regularly resulted in a decrease in attendance. It is hoped that all are back in their usual places not only the first Sunday in February but each succeeding Sunday.

At the morning hour the pastor spoke about right and wrong ways of measuring ourselves and at the evening hour his subject was "The White Stone," representing the gift of God through Christ Jesus. He spoke of how it symbolizes acquittal, victory friendship, service, etc.

All meetings of the past week

were held as scheduled, including the Gull, which met with Mrs. Green.

Our W. S. C. S. was well represented at the Federated Society Monday afternoon when the ladies of the Christian church, were hostesses.

February, though our shortest month, is our fullest. The first Wednesday which falls on the first day is important in that it is the regular date of the meeting of the Board of Education. The first Sunday, the 5th, concludes Christian Youth Week and as a climax our Youth Division Superintendent, Miss Ruby Harper, is sponsoring a worship service to be presented by our Youth Minister's Week at S. M. U., Dallas, being the 6th; the second Sunday is Race Relations Sunday; Lent begins the 22nd; World Day of Prayer is the 24th; Layman's Day and Commitment Sunday is the 26th, which also begins Brotherhood Week. Since the month reminds us of great men and thus our duty toward others, many think of the entire month as one of Brotherhood.

January has been a great season in our church, several have united with our church, attendance has been good, and much interest shown in every way. A spirit of prayer accompanied by a concerted effort on the part of many is responsible. May all continue to work and pray as never before that we may be of use in the fields that are "white unto harvest."

Weekly Swing Of Southwest Farm Markets

(Covers period Jan. 23 through Jan. 30)

(USDA)—Hogs showed the sharpest advance in the generally steady to strong markets for southwestern farm products last week, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Staple and 12-months French wools sold in good volume in Texas at an estimated price of \$1.65 per pound, clean basis, delivered in Boston. Adult mohair was contracted for at 65 cents and kid mohair for 85 cents per pound.

The general trend on cattle at major southwest and midwest markets last week was steady to strong. Price fluctuations were frequent but net gains or losses were small. San Antonio reported moderate net losses on steers and yearlings as Fort Worth slaughter classes sagged even though supplies were meager some days. In contrast, Oklahoma City saw bulls, cows, canners and cutters 25 and 50 cents higher.

Slaughter lambes ranged from steady to \$1 higher at all termin-

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<p>PORK CHOPS Small and Lean — Pound 47c</p> <p>BACON Dexters Sliced — Pound 40c</p> <p>JOWLS Salt Cured — Pound 15c</p> <p>CHEESE American Brick — Pound 45c</p> <p>LETTUCE Large, Firm, Crisp Heads 10c</p> <p>CARROTS Large Bunches 6c</p> <p>ORANGES Texas 5 lb. sack 35c</p> <p>CELERY Large Stalk 15c</p>	<p>PEACHES RED & WHITE Sliced or Halves — Fancy Table Quality</p> <p>No. 2 1/2 can 26c</p> <p>3 cans for 75c</p> <p>6 cans for \$1.45</p> <p>FRUIT COCKTAIL RED & WHITE In Heavy Syrup, 4 Servings Per Can</p> <p>Tall can 25c</p> <p>3 cans for 70c</p> <p>6 cans for \$1.35</p> <p>SPINACH RED & WHITE Fancy Guaranteed — Clear of Grit</p> <p>No. 2 can 15c</p> <p>3 cans for 42c</p> <p>6 cans for 80c</p> <p>12 cans for \$1.55</p> <p>HOMINY Red & White — Fancy White</p> <p>No. 2 can 10c</p> <p>3 cans for 27c</p> <p>6 cans for 52c</p> <p>12 cans for \$1.00</p>
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als covered by USDA market news reporters. Replacement lambes and slaughter ewes held firm.

Hogs showed consistent daily upturns at most reporting markets for a net 50 cents to \$1 gain over the previous week's close. Monday's top prices his \$17.25 at San Antonio, \$17.50 at Fort Worth and at Oklahoma City, and \$17.75 at Kansas City.

North Texas and Little Rock poultry markets saw fryers remain steady last week. Monday's reports, however, note an advance of two cents per pound with fryers selling at 25 cents at both points. Eggs were mostly unchanged in the southwest. However, Monday's reports reflect a one to two cent advance in North Texas and in Arkansas.

a bale last week to reach the highest point since mid-August.

Good News For Texas 4-H Girls

College Station, February—Two outstanding Texas 4-H club girls will annually have a chance to attend college on scholarships provided by the Texas Home Demonstration Association, if plans made at the Association's recent board meeting are approved.

A recommendation was approved to raise the Maggie W. Barry Scholarship to \$500 per year and in addition, the board voted to present to club women plans for the creation of another scholarship of equal value. The second to be known as the Helen H. Swift Scholarship.

produced by Mrs. B. M. Harris, Plainview, chairman of the State of the 4-H Committee of the Association. Final action will be taken on the scholarship proposal during the 1950 state meeting which is to be held in Big Spring, in August.

The awards would be of equal rank and would be presented annually to the two most outstanding 4-H girls in Texas who are entering college for the first time or have started their second year.

tion Association also assists each member of the Association makes annually and it has done much to stimulate 4-H club work in the state. Club members also serve as local adult leaders for the 4-H clubs in the state.

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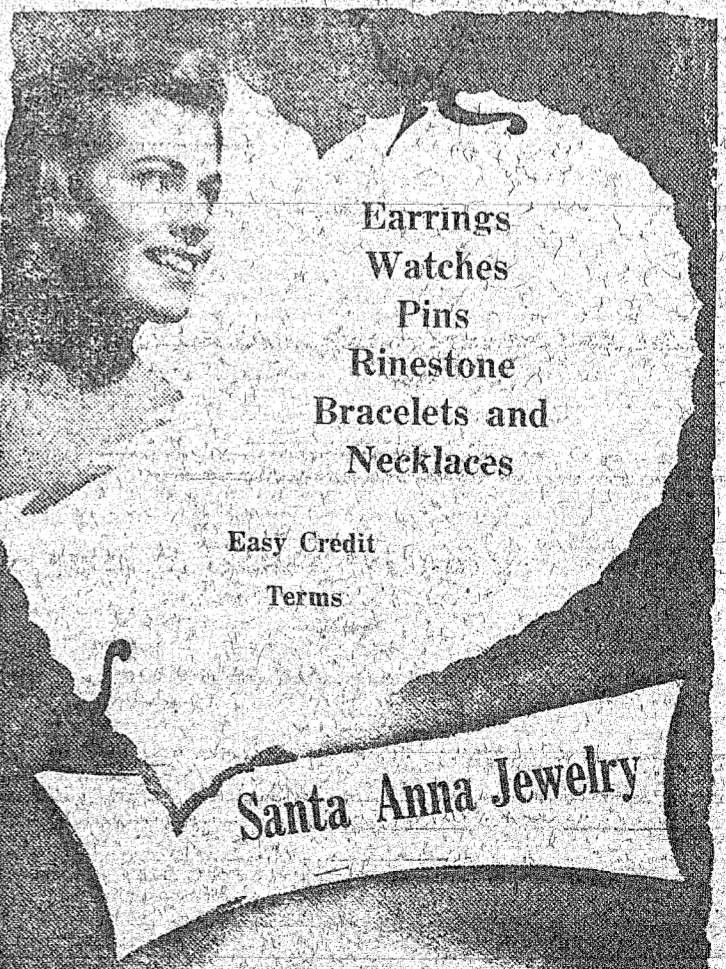
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Whon News
Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Hext and children and Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson were Sunday dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Everett, Baker and children.
Mrs. Leon Russel of Ballinger and Mrs. Bob Johnson of Rockwood visited with Mr. and Mrs.

Earl Cozart Monday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy England moved to College Station Sunday where Roy will enroll as a student in A. & M. College. Mr. Charles Bengel moved them to their new location Sunday.
Sunday Dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. George Rutherford were Mrs. Wagie Montgomery of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Richardson and girls of Brownwood, Tom Rutherford and children,

Lloyd and Lynda, Mrs. Rex Cooper and children were afternoon visitors in the George Rutherford home.
Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlin moved on the Gill Ranch Monday from Santa Anna. Riley will work for Mr. Warren Gill and live in the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Roy England.
Mrs. Kate Holmes and Sue went to Brownwood Saturday where they both obtained employment and will make their home there for the present.

Mrs. Joe Wesley Wise and children of Rockwood visited with Mrs. Earl Cozart Friday afternoon, and were greeting other friends in Whon.
Mr. M. M. Schafer spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. S. A. Lawson of Waldrip.
Mrs. T. J. Adkins and mother, Mrs. Kindle were transacting business in Coleman Friday.
Mr. L. J. Lovelady and Mr. Rex Cooper are away looking for work.

few days.
Mrs. Emma Paulson is spending a few days in Fort Worth with her sons.
Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. James and Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Buse and Mr. George Cheney of Crockett, Texas.
Mrs. Lola Jackson and daughter, Scarlet, of Fairbanks, Texas, are visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. H. Vernon. Mrs. Jackson is a niece of the late T. H. Vernon.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray McSwain and baby of Brownwood spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Martin.

Spiritual Awakening

April 9-23, 1950, Southern Baptists are calling 8,500 churches West of the Mississippi River to spearhead a great spiritual awakening for America. The Baptist Churches of this county will have a part in this mighty movement. They crave the interest and prayers of all right thinking people that God may turn all our hearts back to Him.

Spiritual awakenings have saved the world on many occasions. The Wesleys were the channel for such a blessing to England, Edwards and Finney released this divine energy in their days. The needs of America and the world are so great that no human power is sufficient for the hour. Moral responsibility is at a low ebb; high ideals for life are wanting; nearly half our homes are on the rocks, and unbelief stalks across the land. Governments believe they have superhuman powers and riches. Thus, freedom is shackled and persecution practiced.

God says, II Chronicles 7:14, "If my people who are called by my name will humble themselves and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked way, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and heal their land."

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bruce and family left Tuesday for Houston where they will attend the Rockwood and Fat Stock Show there. From there they will go to Palestine, Texas.

Mr. W. C. Rushing arrived home Thursday from San Antonio to be with Mr. Rushing and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rushing of Kuykendall visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. W. A. Rushing and family.

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Mr. Bert Turney stayed in Brownwood one night last week where he was transacting business.
Jerry Alberts son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Alberts is out of school with the chicken pox.
Mr. Howard Lovelady and Mrs. Earl Cozart were transacting business in Coleman Monday (today).
Mrs. T. J. Adkins and daughter, Vonnie, Mrs. Tom Rutherford and children, Patsy and Hilary Allyn attended the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth Saturday and were guests Saturday night with Mrs. Adkins sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Plunk and boys in Fort Worth.
Mrs. Bert Turney stayed with Mrs. Kindle Saturday and Sunday while Mrs. Adkins attended the Fat Stock Show.
Sunday dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnson and son, Tom Boy of Rockwood, Dick Stafford of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Russel of Ballinger.

Trickham News

(By Lea Mitchell and Mary Catherine Fellers)

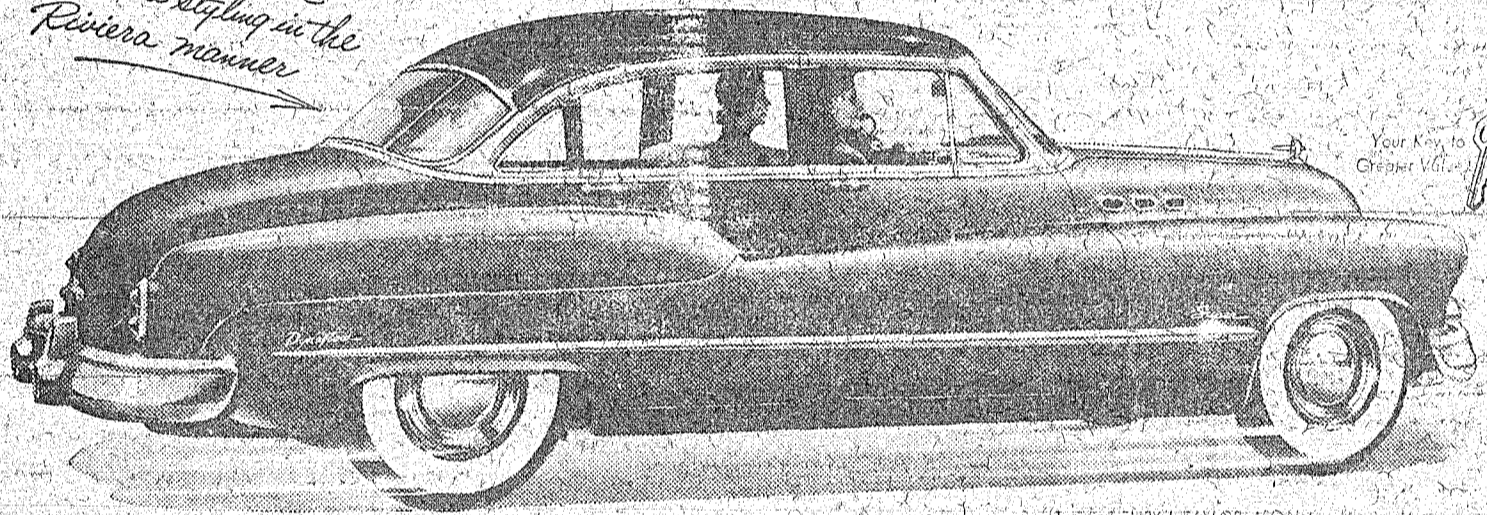
Visitors in the S. M. Fellers home last Sunday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Alton Yandell and A. C. of Trent, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whisenhunt and Carol, Sue from Merkel.
Mr. and Mrs. Talmage McClatchey are the proud parents of a baby girl, born January 24th. The little one has been named Wanda Jean. Mrs. McClatchey nee Laverne Martin.
The Trickham 4-H Club met at the club room last Tuesday, January 24th.
Rene Steward of Rockwood spent last Thursday night with Lois Haynes.
Mrs. Stacy visited last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Rankin McIver.
Tom Guthrie has purchased the C. B. James house and will move into same within the next

few days.
Mrs. Emma Paulson is spending a few days in Fort Worth with her sons.
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray McSwain and baby of Brownwood spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Martin.
The Trickham P. T. A. met last Wednesday night at the school house. After the business meeting, games were played and Mulligan stew was served.
Mrs. Vernon, Frank Wells, and Mrs. Lola Jackson and daughter attended church at Rockwood Sunday.
The young people attended a party Saturday night given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Stevens.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown and children of Talpa spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Key Bradley and children.
Lea and Betty Mitchell and Peggy Ford spent Sunday with Lois Haynes.
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Johnson and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. James, Wanda and Lois Haynes.
By one night last week, Mrs. Kingdon and Mrs. Key Bradley were in San Antonio on business.
Visitors with Mrs. Edna Kingdon last week were Mrs. Leta Burney, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. S. M. Fellers, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. M. King and Mrs. Eugene James.
Visitors with the Ladd family Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lovelady and Mrs. Budy Winchell, Mrs. Bill Luchini and Mrs. A. J. King.

TWO-WAY STRETCH

that's strictly inside stuff!

Look! What-around rear wheelbase and top-side styling in the Riviera manner



HERE'S THE NEW 1950 BUICK SUPER 126, companion body-type to the equally new ROADMASTER 130. Both are shorter than last year's 4-door Sedans—yet 4 inches longer in wheelbase. In both, the difference is used to give you real stretch-out room in the rear seat.

What the boys did here really calls for some medals.

We gave them the job of coming up with something that was bigger inside—for room and comfort—longer in wheelbase—always important to good riding qualities—yet unbulky and easy-handling in over-all dimensions.

Just look how well this tidy number meets these "impossible" specifications!

Item one—rear-seat cushions are a full foot wider than last year's SUPERS and ROADMASTERS.

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Item three—wheelbases are the longest of our 1950 line. On the SUPER, it is 125½" instead of 121½"—on the ROADMASTER 130½" instead of 126¼".

Yet—and here's where the magic comes in—the whole car is shorter over-all. Actually less from bumper to bumper than previous Buicks in these series.

That means easier parking, easier tucking away in family garages, easier maneuvering in crowded traffic.

There are some other things too. An extra rear-quarter window not found in standard 4-door Sedans. A different upperstructure styling that makes this body-type stand out as something pretty special.

Even special names that let you say, "I drive a SUPER 126" or "Mine's a ROADMASTER 130," just by way of being different.

Yes, we think we hit on a happy idea in the "Longfellows," as they're coming to be known. They are not longer, on the outside, but there's a two-way stretch—in width and length—in the rear compartment.

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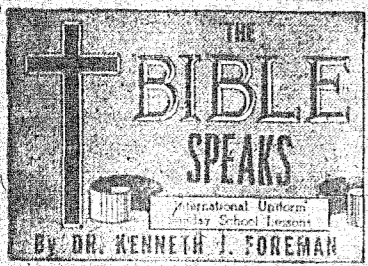


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By DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

Where We Came In
Lesson for February 5, 1950

A CIRCULAR LETTER came in the other day from a stranger who is hot and bothered because he has discovered that Jews and Negroes can belong to Christian churches along with white Americans. The astonishing thing is not that that should be true, but that any man should be excited over it. What a s.o.b. is he! The Apostle Paul was not that Jews were in the Christian church. It is not anybody else could be! We must recall that Jesus was a Jew; that all the apostles were Jews; that the first Christian church at Jerusalem was composed exclusively of Jews.



Dr. Foreman

New Type

THE CHURCH AT ANTIOCH, one of the great commercial cities of the Roman world, was where the Gentiles came in. The writer is indebted to his former teacher, Dr. Charles Erdman, for noting four ways in which that church in Antioch was something new.

They had no Old Testament. They knew nothing of the Old Testament sacrifices; they had no interest in the Temple or in the history of Israel. Like most Gentiles, they had usually thought of the Jew as a quaint but unimportant minority group. Now that these Gentiles were in the same church with Jews, there would be plenty of room for trouble.

Could a church made up of such different races become a true neighborhood? So the old mother church at Jerusalem sent up Brother Barnabas to look around. Barnabas was a good man, a man's most brilliant had, but he had a heart full of faith.

New Leaders

GOD DOES NOT ALWAYS give the greatest successes to the "big names." On weekdays every one who knows his Bible knows Paul and Barnabas, but in Antioch both men were unknown at first, and untried.

When God wants a Reformation he calls forth a Luther, an obscure man who never fitted any of the existing priestly molds. When God wanted to open up Africa he called David Livingstone, when he wanted men for the far interior of Asia he called Hudson Taylor. When he wanted light to shine down into the slums he called William Booth.

These were all peculiar men by the standards of their times, but it takes peculiar men to break away from tradition's hearth-fire and break out new roads for the Gospel.

New Center

FOR SOME TIME Jerusalem was the capital of the Christian world. All roads led out from there, so to speak. With the rise of the Antioch church, however, a new center took the place of the old. Jerusalem withered away. In later times Alexandria led, and then other cities.

For a thousand years Rome and Constantinople were the acknowledged centers of the Christian world. Now we have also London—New York—Geneva. Many such centers have small beginnings. In America's early days the churches of Scotland sent over missionary offerings for the help of the struggling little church of New York.

In future years, who knows? Some church in Yunnan may be sending missionaries to the feeble folk left in the war-devastated ex-while world.

New Name

ANTIOCH is no longer a city of any importance. Missionaries go to it, not from it. But old Antioch left us something still cherished, a new name for believers: Christian. That name itself proves something.

It proves that the church in Antioch was something more than an aggregation of "churchmen." It was a family of Christ-men and Christ-

Shivers Explains Calling Legislature in Special Session

(NOTE: This is the second of three articles prepared by Governor Shivers for Texas weeklies, discussing factually the conditions in our state hospitals and the financial problems faced by the Legislature, now in special session.)

BY ALLAN SHIVERS, Governor of Texas
In the first article of this series on Texas' eleemosynary and financial problems, I touched upon some of the conditions in our state hospitals and mentioned the sum of "at least \$25,000,000" being needed. Immediately, this amount must be supplied. (1) to feed, clothe and provide care and medical attention for more than 23,000 people now in these mental, epileptic and other hospitals for the fiscal year starting next Sept. 1, and (2) make a guided start on an urgently needed building program. The Board for State Hospitals and Special Schools estimates that it will eventually take \$40,000,000 to bring these physical plants up to acceptable modern standards. For this first year, however, the Board is asking only about \$5,000,000 for buildings. At the same time, the importance of a long-

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Training Union, 8:30 p. m.
Preaching Service 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, 7:00 p. m.
Harry C. Wigger, Pastor

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m., 2nd and 4th Sundays.
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Choir Practice, 8 p. m. each Friday.
Ben H. Moore, pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Bible School 10 A. M. Geo. F. Richardson, Supt.
Communion and Preaching service 11 A. M.
Ernest H. Wylie, Pastor.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
Wednesday night Prayer Service, 8:00 p. m.
Charles Conley, Pastor

Buffalo Methodist Church
Preaching services 1st and 3rd Sundays.
Sunday School 10:00 A. M. every Sunday.
Preaching service 11:00 A. M.
Evening service 7:30 P. M.
Cecil Guthrie, Pastor.

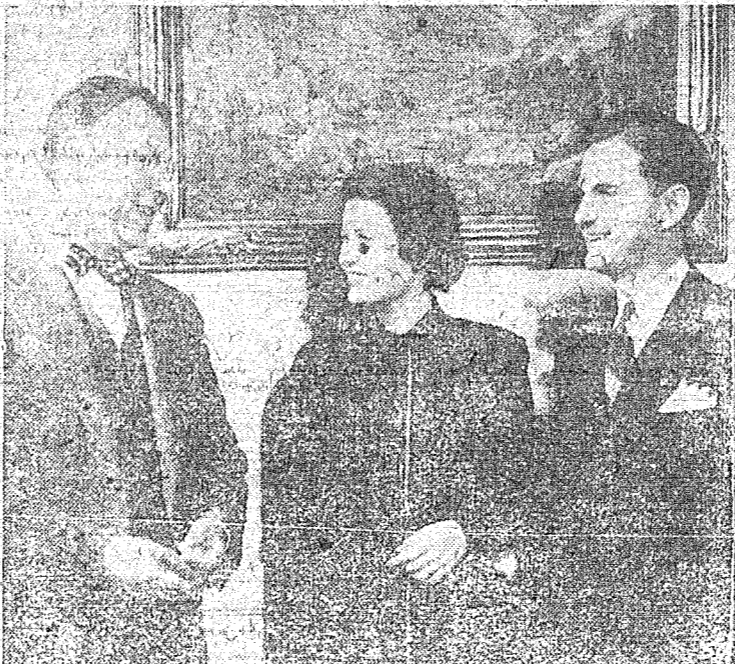
Cumberland Presbyterian Church
Sunday School at 10: a. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.
Preaching services every fourth Sunday morning and evening.
O. N. Baucum, Pastor

BUFFALO BAPTIST SERVICES
Rev. G. W. Childers, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching hour, 11:00 a. m.
Training union, 7:00 p. m.
Preaching hour, 7:45 p. m.
Wednesday night prayer service 7:00 p. m.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Sunday.
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.
Young People's Service, Thursday night, 7:00 p. m.
Evangelistic Services, Saturday night, 7:30 p. m.
You are cordially invited to attend.
C. A. Oliver, Pastor

women. These believers must have talked and lived something better than mere vague "religion." They talked of Christ, they loved Christ and they lived Christ, till even their busy neighbors took notice.
If your church had no name, and if your neighbors were to name it, and all the neighbors knew about it were you, by what name would they call it?

Greetings from Miss America



Mrs. Jacquie Mercer Cook, "Miss America of 1949," greets two officials at the annual Distinguished Service Award banquet of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, Peoria, Ill. Ten outstanding young men of 1949 were honored with gold pins and scrolls. Louis B. Neumiller (left), president of Caterpillar Tractor Co., served as a judge in the selection of the young men. Clifford D. Cooper (right) is president of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce.

range program is stressed. Merely to start and then quit will not get the job done.

The Special Session was necessary because the Legislature will not meet again in regular session until 1951. The hospitals will run out of all funds Aug. 31, 1950!

Newspaper stories and radio broadcasts have emphasized the financial problem before this Special Session. While the General Fund now contains around \$50,000,000, all that is committed to other expenditures by laws already in effect. In fact, the Comptroller estimates that by the end of the biennium there will be a \$26,000,000 deficit in that fund. Thus, despite the fact that we have around \$120,000,000 more in special funds, the State's "housekeeping budget" is in a shaky state.

It would be fair to ask, "What went with the money? Wasn't there talk of a \$100,000,000 surplus a year ago?"

There was. However, the \$100,000,000 never fully materialized; actually the surplus proved to be nearer \$85,000,000. That was a "loss" of \$15,000,000, one might say—although we never actually had the money. Most of this talk of "surpluses" and "deficits" is based on estimates. For example, since January 1950 we have "lost" \$48,000,000 in oil tax revenue that didn't materialize. Had the original official estimate presented to the Legislature last January held up, our General Revenue Fund would be in fairly good shape now.

It is interesting to know where the State's money goes. Most people are surprised to learn that we spend approximately 90 cents of every State dollar on just three items: education, roads, public welfare.

If a Texas citizen paid \$100, directly and indirectly, in State taxes for this year, his donation would be spent approximately as follows:

- For expenses and pay of the Legislature, six cents.
- For courts and judicial expenses, 60 cents.
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State's spending, it is easy to reach two conclusions:

1. The eleemosynary institutions, getting less than 4 per cent of the total, are probably not receiving their share of the money, and
2. In order to make any really large reductions in state expenditures, it would be necessary to cut the State's contribution to schools, roads and public welfare—items in which the public has consistently demanded increases.

The final article in this series next week will discuss suggested plans for emergency financing of the state hospital program.

Allcorn Takes Oath As District Attorney

At 9:10 a. m. Tuesday Bill Allcorn, young Brownwood attorney, heard District Judge A. O. Newman read the oath of office and was sworn in as district attorney of the 35th Judicial District. Allcorn was appointed by Gov.

Allan Shivers to complete the unexpired term of Ralston P. Haun, who will become postmaster at Coleman Wednesday.

The brief private ceremony took in Judge Newman's second-floor office in the Brown County Court House.

Allcorn said after taking the oath that he was both happy and grateful for the appointment. "I will strive to fulfill the obligations of this office, and carry out the duties to the best of my ability."

The present term for district attorney expires Dec. 31.

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Dish-Breaking Is Expensive

Alanta, Jan. 31. (AP)—A waitress who had a desire to throw dishes will be handling only tin cups and plates for the next 15 months. Criminal Court Judge Charles Bruce sentenced Ruth Shirley, 36, to that length of time Monday. Breaking nine dollars worth of dishes in a cafe amounted to

malicious mischief, the court held. Miss Shirley, employed as a waitress at another restaurant, said broke the dishes because the owner refused to serve her. "And being a waitress, I know what it takes to break a restaurant man's heart!" piped Miss Shirley. "I always have had a desire to throw dishes when they couldn't take it out of my salary."

Loss Of Teeth By Decay Can Be Prevented, Dr. Cox

Austin, Texas.—Solution of the nation's dental problems lies in making dental health education and dental care available to every child, said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

He said it is possible to prevent loss of teeth from decay if a person starts early in life to follow these simple rules:

1. Early and frequent examinations of the mouth by a dentist.
2. Early treatment of small cavities and other dental defects.
3. Proper diet with refined sugars held at a minimum.
4. Proper brushing of teeth after eating.

A child should be taken to the dentist shortly after the last of his first teeth appear at the age of two, he declared. Frequent examinations and treatment of dental defects by dentists should follow, he added. Experiments are under way in research laboratories to find the answer to dental decay and other diseases, he said adding:

"It has been learned that the very active element, fluorine, can be used to curb dental decay to a large degree. Dentist are now applying a solution of sodium fluoride to the teeth of their child patients as a routine dental

treatment. "Improve the dental health of the children of this country, each community, through coordinated group activity, should assume its responsibility in putting an adequate dental health program into operation to meet adequately the needs of our children."

Immediate Action On Flood Control Urged

Abilene February 2, Executive Board members and committeemen of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and West Texas Domestic Water Association meeting in Abilene on January 26 unanimously authorized immediate action in introducing to the Congress an amendment to the present flood control act giving municipal water priority and establishing it as a criteria for dam building.

The action was stimulated by proposals for President Truman's new Water Resources Policy Commission which recognize the need for study of existing water legislation, and the President's expression of hope that the commission will report on projects and proposals which can be submitted to the present session of Congress.

The executive order creating the commission lends further support to the WTCC-WTDWA water program in proposing an appraisal of the priorities of water uses and for new criteria and standards for evaluating the feasibility of such projects.

"The entire spirit of the order reflects a desire to enhance the social and economic welfare and at the same time, secure for the government more payable re- turns from their water projects. This is not a tax grabbing—but a tax saving scheme," D. A. Barden, WTCC-WTDWA general manager, said.

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FOR RENT: Two room furnished apartment. Phone 113. Mrs. J. R. Bannister, 5-1c

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MISCELLANEOUS

PUPILS interested in Speech art lessons. Contact Mrs. Ford Barnes, Phone 35, 2tp

PLUMBING: For first class plumbing and electrical work, repairs, etc. See W. C. Smith, phone Red 246, 4-7p

FIELD SEED

Certified and State Tested field seeds. Hybrid corn, Martin, Majie, Early and Regular, Red Top cane and Sudan. Griffin Hatchery, 1fc

SPECIAL NOTICES

POSTED: Hunting, fishing, or trespassing are prohibited on all lands owned and controlled by me in Coleman County. Elgean Shildt, 32 (184)

WANTED-TO BUY

WANTED! Clean cotton rags. No overalls, khaki, wooleys, or silks. L. A. Welch Garage, 4fc

CARD OF THANKS

Your many expressions of love and sympathy are acknowledged with deep gratitude. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Priddy and Family, p

Mr. and Mrs. Cluad Eastman, of Dallas, were visiting in Santa Anna, Monday.

Nothing has done so much harm to healthy friendliness as the belief that we ought to do one good act a day.

Trickham H.D.C. Met In Club Room

'Parliamentary Procedure' was the subject for the day, when the Trickham Home Demonstration Club met last Wednesday, January 25th., at the club room with Mrs. A. H. Dean, Vice-President in charge.

The club opened by singing two songs, and the club pledge and prayer was repeated by all. Roll call was answered by some of the suggested roll calls in the year book, which proved very interesting. The Secretary, Mrs. Edna Featherston read the minutes and same were approved. Mrs. Oscar Boenicke, council delegate, gave a report of the last council meeting which was held in Coleman, January 14th. Mrs. Lean, Mrs. Pentecost, Mrs. Williams, and Mrs. Boenicke had parts in the program.

Plans were made for the next meeting to be held in the home of Mrs. Edna Featherston, on February 8th, at 2:30 p.m. in subject, 'Bedroom Improvement.' All members are urged to attend and new members are welcome.

Refreshments of punch and cake were served to ten club members, and a new member, Miss Mary Catherine Fetters, and her child.

Self Culture Club Met With Mrs. Payne

The Self Culture Club met in the home of Mrs. F. Z. Payne last Tuesday, January 24 for their regular meeting. A 'Town Hall' discussion on present day affairs was the program for the afternoon.

Mrs. Ollie Weaver, Mrs. Jim Harris, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. R. C. Gay, Mrs. Ford Barnes and Mrs. Hardy Blue were those taking part in the discussion with 'Military Aid to Formosa', 'Charity Wards in Hospitals', 'The United States Foreign Policy', 'Our Taxes', and 'Future of Agriculture' being discussed.

Two committees were named. Mrs. A. D. Donham, Jr., Mrs. C. L. Peds, and Mrs. Ed Bartlett were named to choose a course of study for the next year and Mrs. Noryll Wylie, Mrs. Barnes and Miss Dora Kirkpatrick were named to make arrangements for the Federated Luncheon, to be held February 24.

There was 14 members and one guest present.

Rockwood W.M.U. In Bible Study

'We're a Story to Tell' was the opening hymn, with prayer offered by Mrs. Dick Fondren when the W. M. U. met at the Baptist church Monday afternoon Bible Study in Psalms chapter 16-36 was under the direction of Mrs. F. E. McCreary, others present were Mines, Dick Fondren, Evan Wise, Ray Caldwell, Joe W. Wise, J. T. Fondren, Evan Wise, Ray Caldwell, Joe W. Wise, J. T. Aguirre, Ray Steward and J. W. Box.

Rockwood W.S.C.S. In Regular Meeting

The World Federation of Methodist Women was discussed and two playlets were read by the group when the W. S. C. S. met at the Methodist church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Richardson presided over the business session which followed, when she was elected as a delegate to the annual meeting to be held in Waco. A nominating committee was appointed, composed of Mines, Aubrey McSwain, Bob Johnson and Charles Porter. Present were Mrs. Uless Maness, Mrs. Fox Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Ferguson, Mrs. J. P. Richardson, Mrs. J. O. Baugh, Mrs. W. G. Williams and Mrs. J. C. Hunter.

Courtesy—the lubricant which oils the wheels of business.

Prevent Home Fires

College Station, February — Fires cost Americans \$2 million per day to say nothing of the hardships and tragedies they leave behind. This is the time of year when home fires are most numerous, says W. S. Allen, extension agriculture engineer-buildings of Texas A. & M. College. A major cause—all heating equipment is operating at capacity or above and thus the chances for fire are greater.

He says overheated stoves or flues and overloaded furnaces and space heaters can easily start home fires. He points out that space or portable heaters should always be kept away from walls and from materials that burn easily and should never be placed where they could be knocked over. Kerosene, not gasoline should ever be used for starting a fire and if you use a fireplace, he advises, keeping a metal screen in front of it at all times.

Coal or wood burning stoves should be set on a metal pad that has some insulation between it and the floor. He says the grate and ash pit should be kept clean and that only metal containers should be used for holding the ashes. Be sure that no live coals are in the ashes you carry outside. A gust of wind might blow the coals into combustible materials and start a fire.

The easiest and by far the best way to fight fires is by prevention. You should remember, says Allen, the first few minutes are the most vital so far as fire fighting is concerned. Every home should be protected by home fire fighting equipment and this should include some of the following: a chemical extinguisher, pump tank extinguisher, fire pails, barrels of water and ladders. Such equipment should be kept in a handy place and ready for instant use.

Each member of the family should know where the fire fighting equipment is kept and should be drilled in using it. The equipment should be checked periodically to see that it is in working order. Allen says, always remember that farm fires are destructive, that they cost lots of money and even lives but your big job is to prevent them.

Veterans Farm Reports Must Be In By March 1, 1950

Veterans Administration today reminded veterans taking GI Bill institutional on-farm training that reports of their 1949 earnings are due at their VA regional office by March 1, 1950.

Failure to submit the reports before the deadline, VA warned, may result in suspension of subsistence payments until such time as the reports reach the VA. The annual earnings report based upon farm accounting records kept by the veteran trainee as part of his course of instruction.

Beware how you trust the man who has tried to flatter you.

Queen Theatre

Friday and Saturday
FEBRUARY 3 and 4

Richard Arlen
Mary Beth Hughes

—IN—
"Grand Canyon"

Sunday & Monday
FEBRUARY 5 and 6

Victor Mature - Elizabeth Scott
Lloyd Nolan
Lucille Ball - Sonny Tufts

—IN—
"Easy Living"

Tues., Wed. & Thurs.
FEBRUARY 7, 8 and 9

Spencer Tracy
Katharine Hepburn

—IN—
"Adams Rib"

THE AMERICAN WAY



Blind to Reality

DRINKING CUSTOM

A backwoodsman came to town the other day sporting a gallon jug over one shoulder and a mean-looking shotgun on the other. He stops a fellow in the alley saying "Have a drink out of my jug." The fellow protests, "But I don't drink," to which the woodsman retorts, "But have a drink anyway." When it became apparent the stranger was having no part of the moonshine the owner throws his gun on him and says, "Now, you'll take a drink

or I'll blow you to bits." So the stranger partakes of the moonshine and seven coughs and six strangles later finally gets enough breath to comment: "That sure is wicked liquor." The woodsman replies, "Yea, I know it. Now hold the gun on me while I take a drink." —Thomaston (Ga.) Times.

Mr. Oran Lewellen left Sunday afternoon for College Station, where he will attend school at A & M College.

New Body For Oldsmobile By Fisher

Detroit, Mich. —Fisher Body has designed a 1950 line of bodies for Oldsmobile which represents a peak of achievement in safety, durability, comfort, and beauty. Outside, the new models have a sweeping gracefulness of line that makes them distinctive on sight. Inside, the smartness of body design and the attention to the details of comfort create an atmosphere of luxury that is an irresistible invitation to the pleasure of driving.

To enhance that pleasure, the driver of this year's Oldsmobile gains an immediate feeling of assurance as soon as he gets behind the wheel, and notices that his all-around field of vision has been greatly increased by the new Fisher Body designed "observatory windshield. There is more glass in both the windshield and the rear panoramic window, which with unusually slender front and rear pillars reduces visual interference to a minimum. In the 98 series the windshield is a one-piece rounded expanse of glass, giving the driver and increase of more than 52 square inches of glass area.

Safety plate glass is used in all windows of all models. This is glass ground and polished like a lens.

For rear seat passengers, Fisher Body designers have provided increased hip space and head room. The seat, with a cushion fashioned of resilient sponge rubber, has been moved forward so that it is carried between the front and rear axles, which is the smoothest riding and most efficient load position.

This year's models once again represent the latest result of continuous research added to 42 years of body making experience, it was pointed out by J. J. Cronin, vice president of General Motors and general manager of the Fisher Body Division.

Mr. Kenneth Moredock and Oran Lewellen spent Tuesday here with their parents.

Here's a Sensational Super Special...

Don't miss this big opportunity to cash in on some red-hot prices and buy enough to stock up your pantry. Our shelves are loaded and ready with super values in all kinds of canned goods. Fill up now at PIGGLY WIGGLY!

Tomatoes	10 No. 2 cans	Only .99
Corn	AYWON Cream Style 9 Cans	Only .99
Peaches	Sliced, Packed in Syrup 6 No. 2 1/2 Cans	Only .99
Peas	Fresh Black Eye 12 Fresh Shelled Cans	Only .99
Fruit Cocktail	White Swan 3 No. 2 1/2 Cans	Only .99
Beans	Pinto C. R. C. 10 Pounds	Only .99
Juice	Grapefruit World Over 3 46-oz. Cans	Only .99
Juice	Orange Texsun 9 No. 2 Cans	Only .99
DECKERS TALL KORN	SLICED BACON, lb.	.39
HALF OR WHOLE	PICNIC HAMS, lb.	.35
TENDER SEVEN OR CHUCK	BEEF ROAST, lb.	.49
ONE POUND ROLL	PORK SAUSAGE, only	.29
TEXAS GROWN	CARROTS, lb.	.05
TEXAS SEEDLESS	GRAPEFRUIT, 8 lb. bag	.43
RED DELICIOUS	APPLES, lb.	.12
COLORADO	POTATOES, lb.	.05

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