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Point Rows

We were surprised at the widespread interest that was engendered by the "Extra" we published following the bond election a couple of weeks ago.

A number of daily papers carried items about The Santa Anna News and its Extra. The day of the extra has all but gone from the journalistic scene, even among big city dailies. The rapid news coverage of radio and television has all but made the extra obsolete, and weekly newspapers have even less opportunity for these special editions. So we suppose that it is real news when a little weekly like The Santa Anna News publishes such an edition.

Actually, we had not planned to put out an extra on the results of the election, but interest was so high and the vote was so close that we decided that here was one of the rare opportunities when a weekly paper has a chance for a real scoop by publishing an extra.

We made the decision to try to put out the extra about 8:00 o'clock Friday night, hopped in our car and raced over to Bangs, where Morey Mast, our production supervisor lives. Stopped by Morey's house but Mrs. Mast, Judy, told us Morey was downtown (yes, they do have a downtown Bangs, you just have to know where to find it). Headed downtown without telling Mrs. Mast why we were seeking her husband. Found Morey and explained our idea. Then came the job of locating a Linotype operator, not always an easy task at any time and one that looked almost impossible at 8:30 on a Friday night. Our first couple of prospects fizzled, but then we located Clyde Bunnell in Cross Plains. Clyde is a well-travelled fellow—his home is in Cross Plains, his farm is near Grosvenor, and he works in Brownwood. Clyde reluctantly agreed to come over to Santa Anna and set type for a bunch of nuts who wanted to put out an extra edition. Then roaring back to Santa Anna via the back roads (that was the night the two escaped convicts were being sought all over this part of the state, and it is a wonder that we didn't end up in the hoosegow on suspicion—particularly since Morey had been hunting earlier in the day and still had a couple of rifles in the rear seat of his car).

Went up to rouse our pressman, Ken Minyard, who was more than a little startled when we walked in at 11:00 p.m. and asked if he was ready to go to work. Then back to the office to pound out copy for Clyde to set in type, while Morey and Ken got the press ready and made up the advertisement that filled up the back page of our two page publication.

Heads were set, the page made up, and the extra was ready to go on the press about 2:00 a.m. Saturday morning. Clyde, his work completed, left for Cross Plains, still convinced that all Santa Anna newspapermen are nuts. The paper was printed, cut, and ready to go by 3:30 a.m. It had been a long night, but the fact that everyone concerned can say that they helped put out a real "extra" makes it worthwhile, since this is not something that the average newspaperman can boast of doing. And it was also made worthwhile by the knowledge that those of us who are responsible for producing The Santa Anna News did our best to live up to our pledge to give Santa Anna the best newspaper service that it is within our power to give.

By the way, in the rush to find a Linotype operator, Morey forgot to let his wife know what was going on. We understand he got quite a reception when he finally made it home about 4:00 a.m.

A lady stopped by the office Saturday morning, while we were moping around trying to wake up after our two hours of sleep, to congratulate us on putting out the extra, telling us that it was probably the first extra in the history of The Santa Anna News. We told her that the way we felt right then, it could be the last.

Hal Woodward, Coleman Attorney, Renamed To State Highway Commission

Hal Woodward, Coleman attorney, took the oath of office for his second six year term as a member of the Texas State Highway Commission in ceremonies attended by Governor John Connally in Austin today.

Governor Connally expressed "admiration, affection and abiding confidence" in Woodward whom, he described as a University of Texas classmate in the 30's.

"We all can take tremendous pride in our Highway Commission, the State Highway Engineer and his staff," Connally declared. He added:

"The Highway Department is one department with which I have very little contact—simply because it is run so efficiently and well, and with never a word of criticism."

The ceremonies were held in the State Highway Building in Austin.

Governor Connally invoked memories of University days when he and Woodward teamed up to court the girls who later became their wives.

The girls were counselors at Camp Mystic in the Hill Country, Governor Connally recalled, "and we both almost busted college as we beat a nightly path to the Hill Country."

"It would have been worth it," he added, "since we both won the young ladies we were pursuing . . . and assured our future happiness."

Woodward's wife, Dawn, and two sons, Hal, Jr., and Ben, were in the audience with a large delegation of friends and relatives from Coleman. A large group of Highway executives and state officials including Speaker of the House of Representatives Ben Barnes, also was present.

Judge Frank Lewis, of Coleman, administered the oath to Woodward for his second six year term on the three man Commission, which guides poli-

cies and programs of the Texas Highway Department, engineering and maintenance agency for the 66,000 mile Texas Highway network. Woodward began his first term in the post as an appointee of Governor Price Daniel, in March, 1959.

Since that time, Governor Connally pointed out, the Texas highway grid has grown by more than 5,000 miles, with 4,500 additional miles of farm to market highways and about 1,000 more miles of urban highways accruing to Texas during his tenure. In addition, he said, "hundreds of miles of highways have been reconstructed to multi-lane standards" during Woodward's term of office.

The Governor said such "impressive growth and progress" of the Texas road system was a tribute to the entire Highway Commission and the staff of the Highway Department under State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer.

Woodward's associates on the Commission, Herbert C. Petry, Jr., chairman, and J. H. Kiltgen, member, praised the reappointee's contributions to the body's work to extend the mobility of Texans.

The Governor cited the fact Interstate Highway construction in Texas costs 40 percent less than the national average for such construction as evidence of the Highway Commission's "foresight, vision and courage."

Declaring that a highway system is "more than asphalt and concrete," he saluted the Highway Department's programs to extend highways into recreational areas and to construct additional lakeside facilities for boaters.

He also praised Highway Department tourist bureaus and other travel services, noting that the Department "for many years has been the one great source of travel and tourist information about the great State of Texas."

Responding to the Governor's extemporaneous remarks, Commissioner Woodward noted the Governor's often-expressed challenge that Texas must double all its public facilities to meet population growth projected over the next 35 years. Woodward said he would continue working for "intelligent plans and policies" to achieve for Texans "a safe, sane and superlative highway system." He promised: "I pledge all I have to personally work toward the achievement of that goal."

Second Sunday Singing Set Soon

The second Sunday singing will be held Sunday, March 14, 1965 between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. at the Assembly of God Church in Santa Anna. Everyone is invited to attend.

Attend church regularly.

Local Man Joins National Guard

By S/Sgt. Bob Turner

Ray (Tinker) Dockery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dockery, who live on the Trickham route, Santa Anna, recently enlisted in the local Army National Guard Unit. Dockery is a 1963 graduate of Santa Anna High School, and is associated in the farming and trucking business with his brother and father, at Trickham.

Private Dockery entered the Guard under their Reserve Component Enlistment Program, and will depart for a six month active duty tour with the Regular Army in the near future. Upon completion of this short active duty tour, he will return to the Local Guard unit to attend drills, summer camp, and complete his military obligation with friends and neighbors at home.

Local Teachers Attend Association Meeting; No School This Friday

Santa Anna schools will be closed Friday, March 12, while local teachers attend the annual

convention of the Mid-Texas Education Association, in Brownwood.

The meeting will last through Saturday.

No One Forced To Connect To Sewer

Mayor Ford Barnes announced this week that, despite information that is being circulated to the contrary, no person will be forced to connect to the new sewer lines against his will.

Mayor Barnes emphasized that connecting to sewer lines is entirely a matter of individual choice. He also reminded persons not now on the sewer, but who wish sewer connection, that if they will inform the city of their desire to be connected at the time the sewer main is being laid past their property, the city will not charge the regular \$15 connection fee.

Bond Election Official, Council Says Thursday

Votes in the bond election of Friday, February 26 were canvassed and certified by the Santa Anna City Council during the regular monthly meeting, Thursday, March 4.

The Council authorized Curtis Adrian, city fiscal agent, to begin preliminary work toward obtaining a low-interest government loan to finance the water and sewerage work passed by

voters. Adrian explained that the government was holding funds for this project, but that application would have to be made shortly or more expensive private financing obtained.

Only unusual aspect of the canvass was the appearance of two citizens, Alton Bengé and Earl Irick, Jr., who asked permission to examine the lists of persons voting in the bond

election and checked this list against the list of city taxpayers. According to City Secretary Pauline Garrett, no appreciable discrepancy was found in this examination.

Because of the rumors of contest of the election by disident opponents of the bond issue, City Attorney Don Johnson was asked for his opinion of the situation by the Council. Johnson told the Council that the chances of any contest succeeding was practically nonexistent.

The Council discussed possible action for controlling the dumping of trash and garbage on the city-owned grounds west of the High School. It was reported that trash has been blowing from this area onto the school grounds, creating a problem.

In other action, the Council appointed Dr. R. W. McMullen as City Health Officer. The Council, noting that this job is normally rotated among doctors available on an annual basis to avoid burdening any one physician too much, voted to send a letter of appreciation to Dr. John Murrell, thanking him for filling the post for the past several years.

Next Council meeting will be Monday, March 15, when a public hearing and the first reading of the proposed annexation ordinance will be held.

Five Candidates On School Board Ballot As Irick Withdraws From Race

Five candidates were left on the ballot of the Santa Anna Independent School District fol-

lowing the withdrawal from the race of Earl Irick, Jr.

Those still running include an incumbent, James Eubank, Santa Anna area rancher. Also on the ballot will be Richard Horner, farmer and rancher and former service station operator in Santa Anna; E. O. Rider, Santa Anna garage operator; Floyd Smith; and Joe Wise, stockman from the Rockwood area.

Candidates drew from positions on the ballots in the office of The Santa Anna News Friday, and will be listed in the following order: Smith, Rider, Wise, Horner, and Eubank.

Election to fill the three seats on the Board of Trustees of the Santa Anna Independent School District will be held Saturday, April 3.

Industry Is Topic Of Tuesday Meeting

A meeting was held Tuesday, March 2, in the Elementary School cafeteria, with Larry Milner, of the Texas Industrial Commission to explain the purposes and methods of the TIC in helping local communities obtain industry.

Approximately 50 persons from Santa Anna and the surrounding area attended the session.

Milner stated that competition for industry in this part of the state is particularly keen. In seeking industry, Milner pointed out, local industries should not be overlooked.

Also on the program was Homer Lanner, of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, who discussed the Brownwood industrial program, which has proven very successful in recent years.

Annexation Session Set For Monday

The Santa Anna City Commission will hold a special called meeting this next Monday, March 15, for the purpose of conducting a public hearing on the proposed annexation of areas east and west of the city limits.

First reading of the annexation ordinance is scheduled for this meeting, which will be held in the office at City Hall.

Meeting time will be 7:30 p.m. Due to a delay in obtaining the maps, The Santa Anna News will publish the map illustrating the areas to be annexed and the new city limits in next week's edition rather than this week, as was announced in the paper last week.

According to state law, a city may annex an area equal to one tenth of the total area of the city each year. The proposed annexation to the city of Santa Anna falls within this ten percent margin, a spokesman for the city said.

Pink Lamb Brings Top Price At Show

Coleman County sheep raiser Vicki Brown, who has shown in several local junior livestock shows, received statewide publicity as a result of her salesmanship at the Houston Fat Stock Show last week.

Miss Brown, 11, had a lamb that placed fifteenth in competition. For the auction sale following the Show, the lamb underwent some beauty treatment. It was dyed pink, given mascara eye makeup, a poodle trim, and decked out in a rhinestone collar.

So successful was the beautification that the lamb sold for \$1,000, while the first place lamb brought only something more than \$700.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McMillan of Ballinger visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell.

Local Jaycees Set Meeting; 28 Members Now On Roster

The Santa Anna Junior Chamber of Commerce will hold its regular meeting Thursday, March 11, in the Santa Anna Lions Club Building. Meeting time will be 7:30 p.m. and all members are urged to attend, according to Jaycee President Max Eubank. The local Jaycee club has grown to a membership of 28. Those now on the rolls include Kenneth Armstrong, Thomas Langseth, Max Eubank, Fred Gray, Earl Ray, Kenneth Minyard, Robert Malaer, Gary Croft, Robert Lloyd, Jimmy Niell, Arlen Allen, Alton Bengé, Dayton Jackson, L. J. Clark, Jerry Clark, Brown Brooke, Rufus Cobern, Duane Tucker, Ronnie Carroll, Bob Parker, Fred Gilbert, Bennie Garrett, Morey Mast, Bobby Weathers, Travis Allen, Delbert McQueen, Frank Tullier, and Norman Pautsky.

Sheriff Warns Against Salesmen

Sheriff John Smith and Deputy Nick Buse issued a warning this week to persons in Santa Anna and the surrounding area to be on the lookout for itinerant salesmen selling insurance or magazines. Buse said that these salesmen have been using high pressure tactics to try to coerce older persons into making sales. He asked that anyone bothered by these salesmen call him or the sheriff's office.

All salesmen in Santa Anna must have a city permit, but no permit is required outside the city limits.

Mrs. Kate Holmes has returned home after a two week visit with her son and family, L. J. Lovelady, in Texas City. She also visited with her two sisters in Pasadena, Mrs. J. C. Caruthers and Zell Powers.

Mrs. R. F. Watson returned to her home in Irving Sunday, February 28, after a week visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Vanderford, who have both been patients in the local hospital.

Typewriter paper at the Santa Anna News.

Five Run For Seats On Council; Two For Mayor

Seven candidates have filed for three places on Santa Anna City Council. Deadline for filing was midnight Friday, March 5.

Two alderman seats and the office of mayor are open for election. Incumbents running include Mayor Ford Barnes and Alderman L. M. Guthrie. Doug Moore, the other incumbent, has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election.

Seeking the office of mayor, opposing Mayor Barnes, is Leland Thompson, a farmer and combine operator. Thompson is currently fire chief of the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department.

Those filing for the two council seats, in addition to Guthrie, include Alton Bengé, an employee of the Santa Anna Tile Company; W. H. (Sy) Burden, Mobil service station operator; Jerry Clark, an employee of the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative; and Earl Irick, Jr., a truck driver for the county, and son of the local justice of the peace.

Election for the city offices will be held Monday, April 5, in the City Hall Building. Voters will have one vote for the office of mayor and two in the alderman race.

The number of candidates in this year's race is the largest in Santa Anna in several years.

Simmons Station To Hold Grand Opening

M. R. (Bud) Simmons, former deputy sheriff in Santa Anna, will hold the official grand opening of his new Premier Service Station this weekend, Friday and Saturday, March 12 and 13.

Free candy and balloons for the kids (and for the adults too, if they want them), cold drinks for adults, and drawings for transistor radios and television sets will feature the opening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Aldridge, Sr. were in San Angelo last week to attend the funeral of Edward Guess, who was the father of Mrs. W. P. Aldridge, Jr.

Attend church regularly.

Questions have been raised about the concern of the State Department of Health with the inadequate sewerage treatment facilities now in use in Santa Anna. Here is a letter from the Department stating the facts--

The State Department of Health

AUSTIN, TEXAS

March 9, 1965

RE: Santa Anna, Texas
WPC-Tex-345

Honorable W. F. Barnes
Mayor, City of Santa Anna
Santa Anna, Texas

Dear Mayor Barnes:

We were pleased to note your bond election for improvements to your water and sewer system passed.

This will enable the City to provide the necessary facilities for both water and sewer treatment plants that have been recommended by the Texas State Department of Health on several occasions.

As you, members of your City Council and Mr. C. W. Stephenson, Water and Sewer Superintendent, know; the sewage treatment plant serving the City of Santa Anna does not provide secondary treatment and this has been a source of concern of the Texas State Department of Health for some time. With provisions for adequate treatment of the wastes from this facility you will greatly reduce the contamination presently being discharged to the river.

I feel sure that the accomplishment of the program you and your City Council have outlined will prove to be a source of pride to you and the citizens of Santa Anna. If we can be of further assistance, please let us know.

Very truly yours,

R. B. Riddle

R. B. Riddle, Acting Chief
Plans and Grants
Division of Water Pollution Control

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Cleveland News

By Mrs. Sid Blanton

Sending donations in for Cleveland Cemetery Fund have been Mrs. Jean Cox of Odessa, \$5.00; Mrs. Bill Rice of California, \$10.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Larue Mitchell and Sue of Brady visited Sunday with Mrs. Jewell Clifton and children.

Sidney Blanton and Virgill Cupps found a den of rattlesnakes on the Schirmacher place. There were about six large ones with 10 to 13 rattlers.

Mrs. Etta Mae Hall from Snyder visited Mrs. Nora Blanton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard went to Lometa Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray

Fleming of Abilene attended church at Cleveland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman and children visited in Midland over the weekend.

Mrs. Clifton, Kippy and Judy visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Day and children in Eden on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Penney visited Thursday with Mrs. Jewell Powers.

Those attending the "42" party at Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howards Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard, Mrs. Jewell Powers, A. L. McGahey Elmer Cupps and Mrs. Gladys Day.

Visiting in the Edd Hartman home on Sunday were Mrs. Nola Moore, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pollock and children of Mineral Wells, also Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hartman

of Coleman.

Mr. Tulley Allison is in room 203 at Medical Arts in Brownwood. If you would like to send him a card.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Penny went to Brady Friday to see their grandson, Joe Priest, of Olton play in the band.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Priest of Olton spent the weekend with Mrs. Annie Stoval and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Penney.

Mrs. Jewell Clifton, Kippy and Judy visited with Mrs. Hollis Watson and Bill late Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nora Blanton and Mrs. Gladys Day were shopping in Brownwood and Coleman on Saturday.

Tommy Blanton was in Hamilton attending the track meet on Saturday.

Shields News

By MRS. E. S. JONES

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents and brother Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler and Dwight.

Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough was hostess when the quilting club met at the community center Tuesday afternoon. The quilt was finished and Mrs. Scarborough served sandwiches, cookies and punch or coffee to the group.

Mrs. Otis Powers, who had surgery and was in Scott and White Hospital for ten days, came home Sunday and is doing nicely.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wheatley attended singing at Jones Chapel in Brown County.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jamison, Mrs. Manton Jamison and Jinks of Leaday and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCorkle and children of Coleman spent Sunday with the Glen Scarborough

family.

Gerald Harper and David Roberts of ACC in Abilene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Fryar on Sunday in the afternoon visited with the Bert Fowlers.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shelton and boys Mike and Randy of Abilene and Butch Moore of Coleman visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shelton. Floyd states his building project at Lake City Colorado is progressing nicely.

Tommy and Tracey Glasson of Coleman spent the weekend with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brehm.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald visited Wednesday to Saturday in Stephenville with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cobb and in Fort Worth with their daughter and children, Mrs. Margaret Wood Cheryle and Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cobb of Fort Worth and Mrs. Jesse Fowler of Coleman spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler.

Karen Jones has graduated from Commercial Business College of Abilene and is now employed at Life Insurance Company of the Southwest in Coleman.

Trickham News

By Mrs. J. E. York
Telephone DU2-3336

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Meek of Post and Mr. and Mrs. Damon Miller and girls of Austin spent the weekend with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Newman of Portales, New Mexico spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmidge McClatchy visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Williams of McAlester, Oklahoma are visiting this week with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray Fleming of Abilene spent Saturday night with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stearns of Brooksmith, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells and children of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacey visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Stearns.

Mrs. Wallace Geer of Bangs spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Fred Haynes. Miss Linda Evans of Austin, Mrs. Doyle Evans of Santa Anna and Mrs. John Haynes visited with Mrs. Haynes Monday night.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the people of Santa Anna and Coleman County, for their many kindnesses and cherished friendship enjoyed by our mother while she was a proud resident in your midst. She loved every one of you.

Sincerely,
 The Gipson Family.

SPECIAL NOTICES

NOTICE
 The State of Texas, County of Coleman, By virtue of an order of sale, Dated February 26, 1965, and issued pursuant to a judgement decree of the District Court of Coleman County, Texas, by the clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 8717-A, and styled State of Texas and Coleman County vs. Mrs. J. W. Wise and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on February 26, 1965 Seized, levied upon, and will, on the First Tuesday in April 1965, the same being the 6th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Coleman, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Coleman and State of Texas, to wit:

Lot 5 in Block 8, Lots 4 and 5 in Block 9, all in the F. M. Lankford Addition to the City of Rockwood, Lot 7 in Block 2, Lots 6 and 7 in Block 4, Lot 8 in Block 5, Lot 12 in Block 7, Lots 2 and 3 in Block 9, Lots 1 and 12 in Block 11, Lot 14 in Block 12, Lots 1, 2, and 11, in Block 13, Lots 12, 16 and 17 in Block 14, Lots 3 and 5 in Block 16, Lots 4 and 5 in Block 18, Lots 11, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 in Block 19, Lots 5, 7, 9, 11, 17, and 18 in Block 20, Lot 13 in Block 21, Lots 1, 2, and 3 in Block 26, Lot 5 in

Block 27, Lots 7, 9, and 16 in Block 28, Lot 3 in Block 29, and Lots 11 and 12 in Block 30, all of said property being located in the Town of Silver Valley, and all of above described property being located in Coleman County, Texas; or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest, penalties, and costs of suit, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

Dated at Coleman, Texas, this the 26 day of February, 1965.
 W. J. Smith, Sheriff, Coleman County, Texas, by Nick Buse, Deputy.

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 The State of Texas, County of Coleman, By virtue of an order of sale, Dated February 26, 1965, and issued pursuant to a judgement decree of the District Court of Coleman County, Texas, by the clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 8718-A, and styled State of Texas and Coleman County vs. Addie Moore and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of said County, I have on February 26, 1965 Seized, levied upon, and will, on the First Tuesday in April 1965, the same being the 6th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Coleman, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Coleman and State of Texas, to wit:

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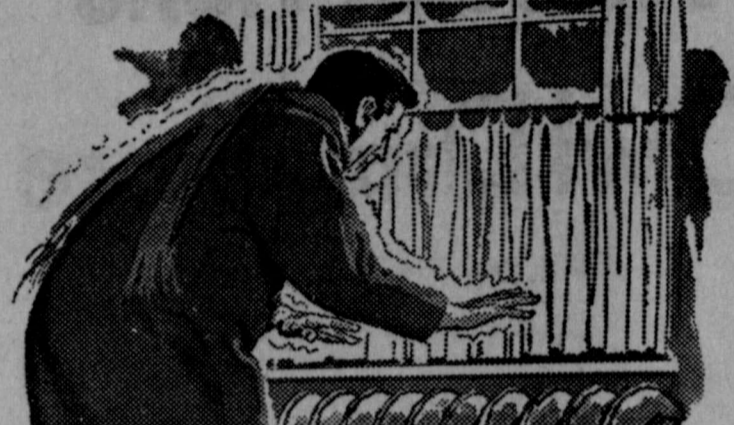
Lot 7 in Block 31, Lots 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 12 in Block 32, all in the Original Town of the City of Silver Valley, Lot 18, in Block of the Sealy Addition to the City of Santa Anna and Lots 1, 4, and 5 in Block 26 of the Original Town to the City of Santa Anna, all of the above described property being located in Coleman County, Texas; or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment, interest, penalties and costs; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, at any time within two years from the date of sale in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me

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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Visitors with her have been Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes, Mrs. Claud Box, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. F. E. McCreary, Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. Evan Wise, and the Rev. Donnie Melton. Elton Steward of Fort Worth and Ray Hillard of Arlington also visited.

Mrs. Bill Bryan and Serena visited last Wednesday with Mrs. M. D. Bryan. Mrs. Curtis Bryan visited one afternoon.

Mrs. Hubert Johnson of Mercury spent Thursday with Mrs. John Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hellman spent Friday in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children. Ernest Smith of Oklahoma City visited Saturday. The Hilary Rutherfords were Sunday supper guests.

Mrs. Mae Luckey and Harley Junior Hellman of Muncie, Ind., talked to the Hellmans Friday night.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain were Mr. and Mrs. Winifred Weaver and boys of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary and girls of Santa Anna. Sam and Raymond Estes visited in the afternoon.

Mrs. M. A. Richardson and Mrs. Marcus Johnson were in Santa Anna last Thursday to attend the District meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Eddie Joe and Ellen Hodges of Coleman spent Saturday night and Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. A. L. Crutcher. Mr. Hodges came for them Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sleepy Garner and children of Brownwood visited Mrs. Crutcher Sunday afternoon and they all visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bryan.

Mrs. Crutcher and Mrs. Lester Bryan were business visitors in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan and Leann are driving a new Plymouth station wagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Estes and Teresa of Ennis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Howard Lovelady of Gatesville was greeting friends Sunday morning.

The Cemetery Association is planning for the cemetery to be in perfect order for Mother's Day. Cash contributions are always needed and appreciated. Mrs. Claud Box is secretary-treasurer. John X. Steward is president of the Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Deal of Killen and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal

visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Deal at Gouldbusk. Mrs. W. F. Deal has been dismissed from the Santa Anna Hospital after having surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal and children of Fort Stockton spent the weekend with his parents, the Deals and her mother, Mrs. Bill Rehm.

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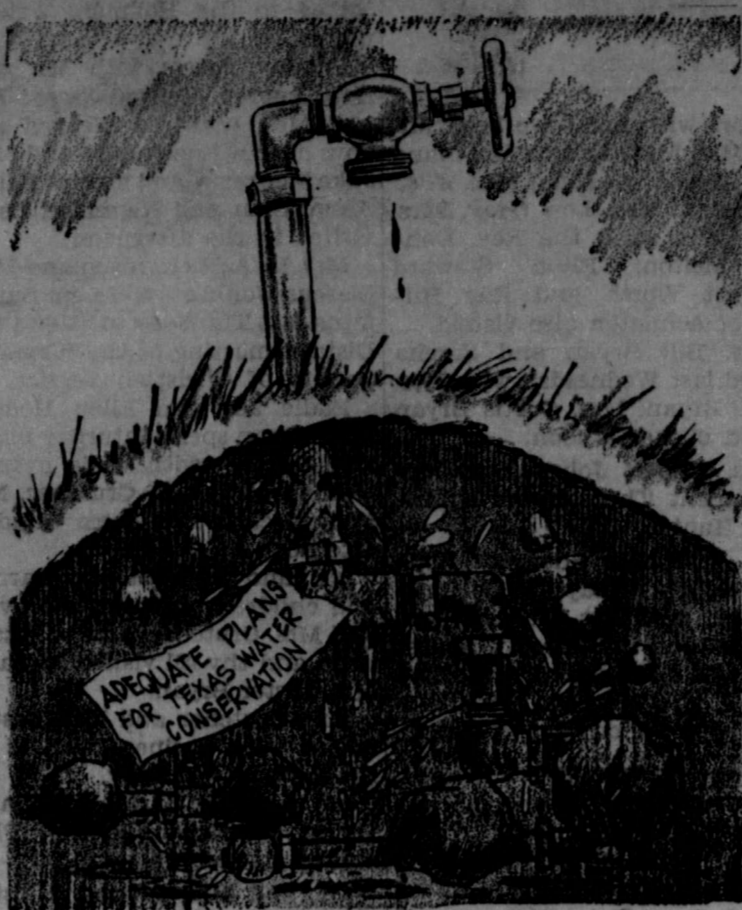
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HIGH TIME

LETTERS

Editor:

Just a few words of appreciation to the voters in Santa Anna and the publisher and editor of The Santa Anna News who were responsible for the victory in the recent bond issue for water and sewer improvements.

Being a resident of the Santa Anna rural area for nearly 20 years, I know the Santa Anna citizens will benefit greatly from the bond issue.

Very truly yours,
Grady G. James
2313 King Avenue
Fort, Worth, Texas

PS: We still enjoy THE NEWS. I am sending a column I took from the Star Telegram, March 4, 1965.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mr James enclosed a column from the Fort Worth Star Telegram telling of the extra edition published by The Santa Anna News following the bond election.



KILL THE LAWYERS!

"The first thing we do," cries a Shakespearean character in King Henry II, "let's kill all the lawyers!"

Happy Birthday

"Happy Birthday" to all who have birthdays during the next week. Below are listed the birthdays we have this week.

MARCH 13

John David Morris
Jayne Guitar
Raymond Valdez
Mrs. Lura Williamson, San Angelo

MARCH 14

Mrs. E. E. McClintoc
Mrs. Inez Buse
Earl Erick, Jr.
O. M. Jackson
Sandra Clawson
Doyle Price, Brownwood
Silas Eugene Baker

MARCH 15

Clara Jean McClellan
Melvin Lamb
Mrs. Miller Stanford

MARCH 16

Wade Jones

MARCH 17

Mrs. Ruby Pritchard
Doyle Wright

MARCH 18

Mrs. Tom White
Mrs. Charles Bengge
Mrs. Charles M. Henner
J. L. Scott Jr.
Mrs. Eula Burris

MARCH 19

Eva Nell Bengge

Would you like your name to be published on your birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know when it is. Next week we will publish the names of those having birthdays between March 20th and March 28th.

lawyers."

That cry has echoed, not always so bloodthirstily, throughout history. One of the first measures of the French Revolution was to abolish the legal profession. The same thing happened in the Russian Revolution. In early American days, many colonies tried to do away with the practice of law. Rosee Pound, the eminent legal scholar, once said:

"Every Utopia has been designed to dispense with lawyers."

Yet, somehow, abolition doesn't take. In France, only a few years after being "abolished," lawyers were playing a key role in formulating the Code Napoleon—one of the mightiest social documents of all time. Attorney John Hazard, an expert on Soviet affairs, has reported that revolution's effect on the legal profession:

"When its ranks had been purged, the empty chairs filled up with new men to perform the centuries-old functions of the bar."

Why this persistence? Why is there a legal profession today in every civilized country on earth?

Consider the experience of the colonial Quakers. For 70 years after they settled in Pennsylvania, there were almost no lawyers at all in the community. William Penn's laws were supposed to be so simple that any layman could understand them. Points in dispute would be cleared up with the help of friendly neighbors.

But if the laws were simple, life was not. Complexities arose, too numerous to be foreseen by the wisest of men. Disagreements arose, too stubborn to yield to the arbitration of amateurs. And when those disagreements touched vital issues in the affairs of mankind, the special talents of the lawyer came into demand. The man whose freedom, money, good name, or life was at stake wanted an expert to speak for him.

But besides settling—or forestalling—disputes, lawyers serve a loftier purpose. They symbolize, however imperfectly, the Rule of Law in society. That quotation from Shakespeare, often used to taunt lawyers, is actually a subtle compliment. For the character who was so eager to kill lawyers was no well-meaning champion of the common man. He was a power hungry demagogue, scheming to set himself up as the absolute ruler of England. Thus Shakespeare was depicting the legal profession not as a burden on society but as the first barrier on the road to dictatorship.

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

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Green and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Larkin, of Rockdale, Indiana, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George O. Green. They also visited with Mrs. Hickman and with Mrs. McCullough, in Coleman. They were on their way home from Houston, where Mr. Green had exhibited, some cattle at the Houston Show.

Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Robbins and children, of Odessa, were recent visitors with their mother, Mrs. Ruby Pritchard.

State Capital NEWS

If you want to sit in on the committee hearing for the bill which would legalize the sale of miniature bottles of liquor in restaurants, you better come early.

That's what Senator Jim Bates, of Edinburg, sponsor of the bill in the upper house, is saying. He expects as many as 3,000 persons will be at the capitol to testify or to listen when the bill comes up before the Senate Committee on Jurisprudence at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 16.

Bill would allow establishments where at least half of the monthly business is for meals to get a state license for the sale of two ounce bottles of liquor, enough for a single cocktail.

There's organized support on both sides. The line-up:

In favor, the Texas Restaurant Association, which hopes the bill will permit its members to meet the competition of private clubs, which increasingly are getting the restaurant business from people who like a drink before dinner.

Opposed, church groups which generally are against any liberalization of liquor regulations and a strange bedfellow, the Texas Package Stores Association, which contends the bill as written would prevent liquor stores from continuing to sell beer.

The Texas Package Stores Association also believes the same section it opposes would prohibit restaurants from selling beer and wine if they sold miniatures.

A hearing is yet to be scheduled on the House version of the bill by Representative Willis Whatley of Houston.

INTEGRATION COMPLIANCE NOTED

Texas Education Agency notified Federal authorities of compliance with school integration requirements of Federal Civil Rights Act.

All but 160 of 1,350 Texas school districts also agreed to comply, according to Dr. J. W. Edgar, state education commissioner.

Agreement is necessary to continue receiving \$40,000,000 in Federal school aid.

GUARD FORCES CUT

Texas National Guard will undergo reductions more drastic than anticipated under troop allocation plans announced by the Pentagon.

Major General Thomas S. Bishop, state adjutant general, said Texas personnel will be reduced 4,645 from the 28,233 in the Guard and Reserves. And 155 of the present 367 existing units will be dropped if the proposal, still subject to negotiation, becomes final.

"This far exceeds the 25 percent (reduction) that we were advised to expect," Bishop commented.

LAND PROGRAM RENEWAL PROPOSED

Voters will get another chance to say whether they want to continue the veterans land program under which thousands of Texas veterans have purchased farm property at low interest.

A proposed constitutional amendment to extend the program, first amendment cleared this session, was approved by the Senate and sent to the Governor. Amendment will be voted on in November. Representative Gus Mutscher, of Brenham, and Senator Criss Cole, of Houston, are the sponsors.

SMALL LOAN HEARING

A housewife from Dallas told members of the House Committee on Banks and Banking that a \$50 loan, which she later decided she did not need in the first place, cost her \$1,500 over a three year period by the time she went through renewals and additional loans to meet high interest rates.

She testified in a hearing on a bill by Representative Reed Quilliam, Jr., of Lubbock, which would reduce interest rates on loans \$100 or less by one-half to two-thirds.

An association of small loan companies appeared to oppose the bill. A citizens committee from Dallas and ex-Attorney General Will Wilson favored it. The bill went to subcommittee.

GUADALUPE PARK ASKED

Senate adopted a resolution by Senator W. E. Snelson, of Midland, urging fast action by Congress to appropriate funds for buying land to create a

Guadalupe Mountain National Park.

A Federal agency has recommended that the park be created, and an area man has offered to sell 72,000 acres. Area contains the only stream in Texas where mountain trout thrive and is stocked with bear, mountain lion, elk, bighorn sheep, deer, turkey and a great variety of birds.

INTEREST BILL UP AGAIN

Representative James Nugent, of Kerrville, reintroduced the amendment to the state conflict of interest statute which failed to pass during the last session.

Among the changes is addition of a section which would prohibit any member of the Legislature from introducing or causing to be introduced legislation which would directly affect any client or employer from whom the legislator receives a retainer fee or any other financial consideration during his term in the Legislature.

SHORT SNORTS

"Equal legal rights for women" received another setback in the House, where the proposed constitutional amendment mustered only 91 of needed 100 votes.

Texas Commission on Higher Education picked three junior colleges and 11 four year institutions to receive \$12,000,000 in Federal building aid.

Bill to place game and fish regulation in all 254 counties under Parks and Wildlife Commission ran into strong opposition at House Game and Fisheries Committee hearing, was sent to subcommittee.

House amended Senate-passed bill to require imported meat to be so labeled.

Final approval has been given a bill by Senator Bruce Reagan, of Corpus Christi, which adds milo maize seed and safflower to the list of products from which oleomargarine can be made and sold in Texas without payment of the 10 cents a pound tax.

State Treasurer Jesse James reports that revenue from cigarette tax stamps in February totaled \$5,600,000 or \$1,000,000 over February, 1964.

Today's MEDITATION
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The Upper Room
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Read Mark 14:60-72

And he (Peter) broke down and wept. (Mark 14:72 RSV)

This must have been the moment of bitterest heartbreak in Peter's life, the pain of grief over the betrayal of love. The cock's crow brought back his conscience. He had sinned, but he quickly repented, as is manifested by his bitter weeping.

The changing of a sinful life begins in repentance. It is the starting point. Repentance makes way for God's entry into a person's life. Man's extremity, awareness of his sinful condition, is God's first real opportunity. Peter's tears had washed away his pride, self-trust, selfsufficiency, and self-regard. Only humility and shame were left. This made possible an utter dependence on God, which is the beginning of sonship.

This story is told not to pillory Peter as a coward. It points to the grace of Christ's forgiveness by which Peter was finally restored and given great responsibility in the redemptive plan of Christ.

PRAYER

O Lord, our great Redeemer, quicken our conscience, and make us aware of our sins. Grant us true penitence. Bless us with restoration, and commission us to Thy service. In Thy name we ask, and pray as Thou hast taught us, "Our Father who art in heaven. Amen."

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"I will declare mine iniquity; I will be sorry for my sin."

Pau-Waung Yang, Chinese Edition (Hong Kong)

EDITORIAL

The 'Big Lie' In Santa Anna

It is unfortunate that much of the information spread by leading opponents of the recent bond issue was false. It is unfortunate because it served to confuse many voters who had neither the time nor the opportunity to check the facts for themselves. One instance concerned an elderly lady who was called and told that passage of the bond issue would mean that she would be forced to pay \$300 to be connected to the sewer. The lady was in tears when she called City Hall to check on the facts. It was explained that by no stretch of the imagination could she be forced to pay any such amount.

Not only are tactics of this type to be condemned from a standpoint of immorality, but also from a standpoint of cruelty. The lady mentioned above was panic-stricken over the prospect of having to pay the ridiculous amount she was told she would have to pay, because she relies on a pension for her income. The cruelty of lying to such a person in such circumstances is shameful.

We hope that no matter how bitter or committed advocates of either side of local political questions may become, they will not have to resort to the "Big Lie" technique that was used for effectively by Adolph Hitler, the idea that if you take any lie and repeat it long enough and loudly enough, people will begin to believe it.

If we cannot fight something with facts, let's not fight it with lies.

Sure Way To Boost Membership

One of the more ridiculous stories being circulated concerning the recent bond election is to the effect that members of the Seventh Day Adventist Church here in Santa Anna do not pay local taxes.

This is about the silliest thing we have ever heard. If it were true, it would be the greatest aid to recruiting members for a church ever devised. With all the efforts being expended by certain local people to avoid paying city taxes, if they really thought that membership in this particular church would excuse them from paying taxes, they would be members right now.

Why anyone would spread such a story is beyond comprehension. We condemn the examples of religious prejudice and persecution that existed in Nazi Germany or in present day Russia, but we have the same thing going on here in Santa Anna. On a smaller scale, and more subtly, but religious prejudice nonetheless. It is to be hoped that people of good will, which means the great majority of people here in Santa Anna, will repudiate this blot on our local honor.

Possibility

The Santa Anna News has made several requests, both in the paper and in person, that persons opposing the bond issue give us the facts and information on which they are basing their opposition, so that we may present these facts and reasons to all the people.

They have not responded at all to this invitation to put their case before the public.

Could it be that they don't really want the people to know the real reasons behind their actions?

Hesterday's News

FIVE YEARS AGO

Ben Yarborough, Oscar Etheledge, and Kenneth Bowker have filed for spots on the city ballot, reports the paper for March 4, 1960. William Brown and Grady McIver have filed for seats on the Board of Trustees of the Santa Anna Independent School District.

TEN YEARS AGO

L. A. Welch has been elected president of the Chamber of Commerce, it is noted in the lead story in the paper for March 11, 1955.

Mrs. Robert Markland has named the following persons to the local Red Cross drive committee: Mrs. John Gregg, Mrs. Hardy Blue, Mrs. Calvin Campbell, Mrs. Arley Welch, Mrs. Lewis Graves, Mrs. Nolan M. Fisher, Mrs. F. C. Williams, Mrs. Robert Trinklein, Mrs. J. L. Bogus, Mrs. Pat Hosch, Mrs. A. D. Donham, Mrs. Al Davis, and Mrs. Bernice Collins.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Israel R. Hartman, of Santa Anna, recently received the Air Medal for service in the Southwest Pacific, reports the paper for March 9, 1945.

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO

The Coleman County Electric Cooperative is taking applications from persons interested in having electric service, notes the paper for March 8, 1940, in a frontpage story.

Jake Barnes, from Santa Anna, is number one player on the Howard Payne tennis team this year.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Frank Lewis, County Tax Assessor-Collector, has an ad in the paper for March 8, 1935, notifying car owners that they have only until April 1 to buy license plates. Wonder what ever became of that Lewis fellow?

A headline in the paper this week says "Corn And Hog Meeting 'This Weekend.'" We wonder if people could come too?

FORTY YEARS AGO

Santa Anna beat Brownwood in basketball this week in 1925. The paper for March 6 of that year reports the score as 23-18 in favor of the Mountaineers.

Top quality gingham and percale dresses are now on special for \$1.95 each at the Santa Anna Mercantile Company.

Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

The birthday supper honoring Mr. Zack Bible and Mr. Oscar Lovelady Saturday night was a success. A large crowd attended reports are around 100 registered from Abilene, Rockwood, Santa Anna, Houston, Brownwood, Ft. Stockton, Gatesville, Coleman and New Hampshire State and possibly other points. Lots of food and all reported a wonderful time. Each wishing Zack and Oscar many, many more birthdays.

Friends will be pleased to hear Mrs. Florence Carter returned home Sunday morning following some 3 weeks in Brownwood. Mrs. Floyd Morris visited with her Sunday afternoon. Also Mr. and Mrs. Bert Carter of Brownwood were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Baker of Midland came Sunday and are visiting in the Darwin Lovelady home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney and Mark of Santa Anna spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rutherford and children of New Hampshire, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rutherford of Coleman and Mr. Sammie Shields were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and Lynda. The Thomas Rutherford family are visiting a few days in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Daniel Wheatley and boys of Shields visited Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randel Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Floyd Morris and son, Jamie Lee, Leon Carter, John Dockery and Rodger Baird captured a catch of 61 rattlesnakes on the Taylor Ranch Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Mrs. Floyd Morris were in Brownwood Friday and visited with Mrs. Vera Lovelady.

Mrs. Gladys Hunter of Rockwood visited and was a dinner guest with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney Friday.

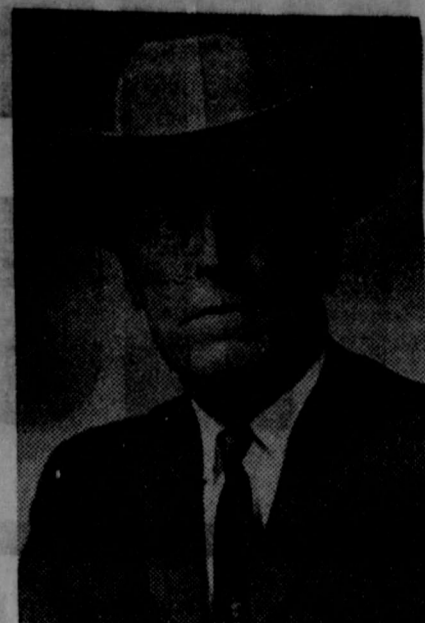
Mr. J. D. Loyd and Paula of Brady visited with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer and children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd Morris of Brownwood visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and son Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Oscar Lovelady visited in Santa Anna Sunday with Guy and Alta Lovelady and with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lovelady of Gatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Switzer and Mr. Arthur Switzer of Santa Anna were supper guest with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer and children Monday night.

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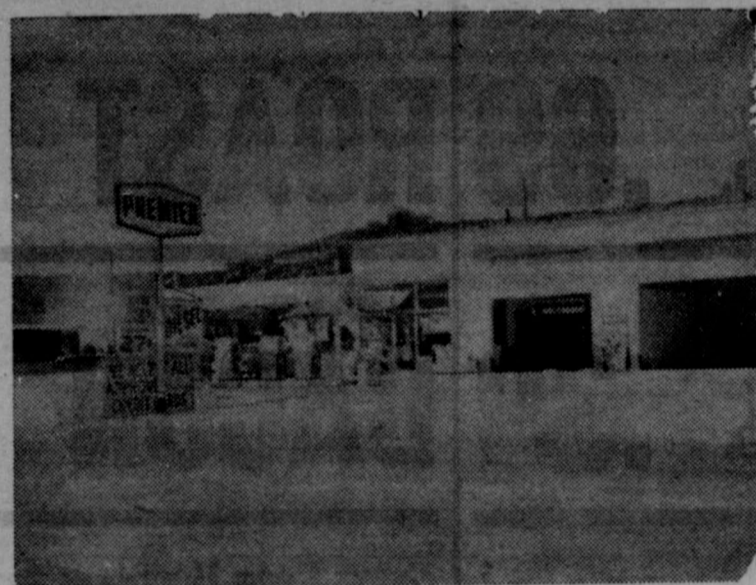
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 Sunday School (9:45 a.m.) -- 128
 Morning Worship (11:00 a.m.) -- 121
 Evening Worship (6:00 p.m.) -- 48
 Training Union (7:00 p.m.) -- 26
 Message for Sunday March 14:
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Masonic Meeting

Douglas H. Moore District Deputy Grand Master of Masonic District No. 76 announces that M: W: J. Carroll Hinsley Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas A. F. & A. M. will meet with masons of workshop area F3 Friday March 12, at 7:30 p.m. in the First Methodist Church at Ballinger Texas. This will be an open meeting and all masons are urged to come and bring their wives and any non mason that cares to attend

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Sunday Open House For Ranger Park Inn

Sunday, March 14 is the date set for the official Open House marking the beginning of operations at Santa Anna's newest business, the Ranger Park Inn nursing home.

The new 40-bed institution has been filled to capacity by reservation long before construction was completed. A duplicate unit is now in the planning stage.

The Open House, to which all persons from Santa Anna and the surrounding area are invited, will begin at 1:30 p.m. Sunday afternoon and will continue until

6:00 p.m. Located in old Ranger Park on the Brownwood highway just east of Santa Anna, the new nursing home offers complete facilities for the care, comfort, and enjoyment of its guests.

Among features of Ranger Park Inn is the central nurse station, which is connected to all rooms by an intercom system, by an electronic signalling system, and by a fire alarm system.

Guests in the home will live in 19 double occupancy rooms and two private bedrooms. Each

bedroom has a large bureau and clothes closet, and a connecting bath. Handrails in halls and rooms in all parts of the building aid guests whose footing may not be too secure.

Meals will be prepared in the home's own kitchen, which features a large walk-in refrigerator, and served family style in the dining room. The dining room overlooks a patio area on the east side of the building.

The lobby area will contain craft tables, television viewing

areas, reading and writing tables, and other facilities for the entertainment of the guests.

A large outdoor patio will provide recreation and lounging area during pleasant weather. A barbecue pit will be available for family parties. The entire Ranger Park will also be available for family picnics and other outings when family and friends visit those who are guests in the home.

The \$115,000 building was constructed by R. O. McDonnell, a

specialist in nursing home construction.

Ranger Park Inn is a division of the Santa Anna Medical Center. Other units of the medical center to be constructed at the site in the near future will include a clinic building with space for four medical doctors and a dentist, a modern hospital, and a convalescent home.

Construction of nursing homes has been one of the phenomena of recent years. As medicine increases the life span, more and more elderly persons are in need of a home where they can receive the close care required and can participate in activities with persons of like age and interests. Nursing homes, such as Ranger Park Inn, fulfill a vital need in

providing such facilities for this growing segment of the population.

The new nursing home is licensed by the state of Texas, and was required to undergo rigid inspection in order to qualify.

Nurses will be on duty at all times, with medical doctors available at all hours.

Ranger Station To Become Museum

As a part of the program to beautify and improve old Ranger Park, the Santa Anna Medical Center plans to turn the old Ranger Station into a museum reflecting the early history of Santa Anna and the surrounding territory. Working in cooperation with interested local organizations and individuals.

Santa Anna's history goes back to the days of the Spanish conquistadores. The first settlement grew up in the pass between the east and west mountains and was called The Gap. It was primarily a trail town, catering to the drovers who brought the herds of longhorn cattle up the trail which came through the pass and on to the railroad.

Later, when the Santa Fe railroad came through the area, the town was moved down along the tracks.

Prior to the location of the town, Santa Anna Mountain was used as a lookout and signal position by army troops and Texas Ranger units assigned to protect the area against Indian raids.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce, a noted authority on the history of Santa Anna and the surrounding territory, has been asked to be director of the museum.

Delta Omicron To Help At Rest Home

Delta Omicron, local chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority, will have charge of serving refreshments at the Open House being staged to mark the start of operations at Ranger Park Inn, Sunday March 14.

The local sorority will also conduct monthly social and recreation services at the rest home, beginning in April. Mrs. Elgean Harris, Mrs. Allyn Gill, Mrs. Jake McCreary, Mrs. Bruce Cammack, and Mrs. Jackie Smith were named to this committee.

Painting Exhibit

A exhibition of paintings by Gene and Winona Pierson, of Coleman, will hang in Ranger Park Inn during the Open House, Sunday, March 14.

The Coleman painters are noted artists and have exhibited widely.

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Local Garden Club Furnishes Floral Work

Floral arrangements and the installation of plants in the planter boxes at Ranger Park Inn was done by the Mountain City Garden Club. Extensive use has been made of planters in the lobby of the nursing home to provide a feeling of the outdoors, particularly important to persons whose health prevents them from going outside as often as they would like.

Special Facilities

Ease Bath Problems

Special bathing facilities will be available at Ranger Park Inn for guests who are unable to use normal tub or shower arrangements. One large tub features a hoist and sling arrangement for allowing invalid persons to be placed in the tub. A shower area features benches where elderly guests may sit while taking a shower, and also an area where guests may be placed in the shower while still in a wheelchair.

Beauty Shop For Lady Guests

One unusual feature of Ranger Park Inn Nursing Home is the completely equipped beauty shop for lady guests. Among the facilities are a beauticians chair, with hairdryer, and a special sink for giving shampoos. Attendants at the nursing home will be available to help guests in the beauty shop.

Administrator Thanks Town For Help

Fred Murray, administrator of Ranger Park Inn, has asked The News to express the thanks of everyone concerned with the new rest home for the cooperation, assistance, and words of encouragement received from many persons and groups in Santa Anna.

Organ Studio To Furnish Music

The Hammond Organ Studios, of Abilene, will furnish music during the Open House at Ranger Park Inn, Sunday, March 14, from 1:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

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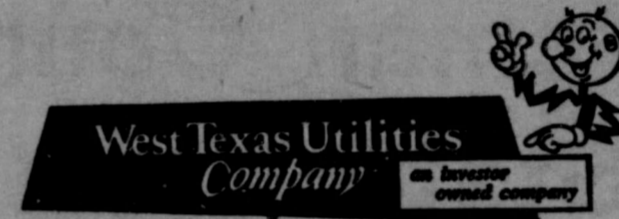
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