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## Papers Signed For Medicare Program Here

Final papers have been signed for approval of Santa Anna Hospital for participation in the Medicare program, which begins July 1, according to announcement Tuesday morning by Merle M. Roller, administrator of the hospital.

The papers are in the regional office of Bureau of Health Insurance, Department of Health, Education and Welfare at Dallas where final approval will be given advising that the hospital meets requirements for participation under the Health Insurance Benefits Program for the Aged, Roller added.

Administrative procedure is being perfected at the hospital to comply with the Medicare requirements.

## Committee Sets Date For 1966 Home-Coming

At a recent meeting of the Executive Board of the Santa Anna Ex-Students Association, the date for 1966 Home-Coming was set for Saturday, October 8. A football game between the Mountaineers and Blanket Tigers will cap the day's activities.

Several other matters were discussed during the meeting, presided over by Mrs. Gale Allen, vice president, but without any decisions being made due to the absence of President Felton Martin who was unable to attend.

## Savings Bonds Sales Hit All-Time High

Sales of Series E and H Savings Bonds are at an all-time high according to Bob Bowen, chairman of the Coleman county Savings Bonds Committee. Savings Bond sales in Coleman county during May were \$13,550.00, while sales for the first five months were \$57,817.00. This represents 48 percent of the yearly sales goal of \$120,000.

Texas E and H Bond sales for the month of May totaled \$12,792,623 which represents a 9 percent increase over May of 1965.

Nationally, new sales of Series E and H Bonds during May of \$413 million were the highest amount purchased in any May for the past 10 years, 16 percent higher than a year ago.

The cash value of Series E and H Savings Bonds outstanding reached \$49,585 million, another new record high. The investment growth since the commencement of the year was \$336 million.

## Neely B. Farquhar Joins Staff of Connally Tech

Neely B. Farquhar, professional civil engineer in highway construction over Texas since WWII, and resident of Santa Anna, has accepted a post with James Connally Technical Institute in Waco, effective July 1.

Mr. Farquhar's field is Civil and Highway Technology.

Texas A&M University's newest branch, Connally Tech, expects to open its doors to 800 students in September and is planning for 5,000 by 1970.

Two-year programs in 15 career areas will be offered. Others are planned when industry and worker interest develops.

Dr. Roy W. Duggar, director of Connally Tech, is careful to point out that this is not a school for "drop-outs." "Applicants to A&M's college for blue collar workers are given basic tests and interviews to insure good placement as well as sincere desire to study."

Residents of Coleman, Brown, and McCulloch counties know Mr. Farquhar for good highways and farm-to-market roads built in the area the past ten years. TA&MU students know him better as Chairman, Education

### Visiting Cecil Curry

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Curry have as their guests this week, their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Morgan and three boys, of Silver Springs, Md. Other visitors during the weekend included Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ogle and daughter, Janice, and a friend, Larry Hastings, all of Lubbock; M. W. Curry of Fort Worth, Marjorie Brewer of Brownwood and Glen Pope of Santa Anna.

Attend Church Regularly

## Joe D. Philpott Is Coordinator Of OEO Program

Joe David Philpott, high school teacher at Cisco and member of the Board of Regents of Cisco Junior College, was named co-ordinator for Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., a five-county organization to participate under the federal Office of Economic Opportunity program, at a directors meeting last Friday night at the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative office here.

The five counties include Coleman, Runnels, McCulloch, Concho and Callahan, with the headquarters office located in Coleman. It is expected that four or five people will complete the office staff.

Philpott, a native of Cisco, and a 1959 graduate of Texas A&M, moved with his family to Coleman this week.

## Weathers Family On Vacation To California

Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Weathers and children, Joyce and Johnny Bob, left Monday for San Francisco, Calif., where they will visit with his mother and two brothers.

On the trip they plan to visit Grand Canyon, Disneyland and other points of interest. High on the list will be the opportunity to worship in Palo Alto's First Methodist Church, one of the largest churches on the West coast. They also plan to attend several baseball games in Candlestick Park in hopes of seeing Willie Mays hit one of his famous home-runs.

During Rev. Weathers' absence in the pulpit of the Methodist Church, Rev. Chester Wilkerson will preach at the morning service on July 3rd, and Rev. Wm M. Greenwaldt, superintendent of the Brownwood District, will fill the pulpit on Sunday, July 10. All Sunday evening activities will be cancelled. Rev. Wilkerson is a retired minister now living in Winters.

Rev. Weathers urges all members of the church to hear these preachers expound the gospel at these services. Visitors are welcomed.

Lumber doesn't corrode. Did you ever see a rusty tree?

## Can We Wave the Flag Too Much?

BY R. S. L. DE LOVE

Is it possible to wave the flag too much? Provided, of course, that you wave it with integrity? Is it possible to study Lincoln or Shakespeare too much? Is it possible to read the Bible too much? The great, the good, the true, are inexhaustible for inspiration, example and strength. I believe that we are not waving our flag enough, not nearly enough. It seems to me that we are developing a tendency to be timid or even apologetic about waving the stars and stripes. Walk up and down the streets on July 4th and count the flags. It is our nation's birthday, a sacred day in world history, the most important day of America. Why isn't the flag on every rooftop and from every home and building? This complacent attitude is strong evidence of cancerous patriotic decay. The flag is a symbol of our national unity. It is the spirit of our undying devotion to our country. It stands for the best that is in us... for loyalty, character, and faith in democracy. Isn't our flag a synonym of the United States of America? Does it not represent man's greatest, noblest, most sublime dream? Is it not the zenith of achievement, the goal to which generations have aspired? Ladies and gentlemen, I believe it is time for us... for the mad, rushing Twentieth Century American... to stop for a moment and think. Let us arrest our near reverential admiration of material success and return to the spiritual and ethical values. Let us imbue and rekindle in ourselves and our children the so-called old-fashioned way of patriotism, a burning devotion to the principles and ideas upon which our country was founded. Should not every home own and proudly display the colors on holidays and other such occasions? Isn't the flag Patrick Henry, Jefferson, Franklin, Washington, Nathan Hale, Gettysburg and Valley Forge, Paul Revere, Jackson and other great men and women who have given us our heritage. When you look at the flag can't you see the Alamo, Corrigedor, Pearl Harbor, The Monitor, The Merrimac, Wake Island, and Korea? Lest we forget, isn't the flag Flanders Field, Bataan, Iwo Jima, Normandy, Babe Ruth and Davy Crockett? The great events of our past and present are wrapped up in our flag. It is a symbol of this blessed nation, a giant in industry, education and commerce. Millions of fertile square miles, wheatlands, coal mines, steel plants. Our great republic, the chosen infant destined to be man's last and remaining hope for suffering humanity, a shining beacon of light, noble and glorious, the haven for the oppressed and persecuted and truly God's gift to mankind. That is what the flag means to me. Can we wave it too much? I don't think so.

## Local Businesses to Close Monday In Observance of July Fourth

All business establishments in Santa Anna will be closed Monday, July 4th, in observance of Independence Day.

Employees at the post office will work an abbreviated schedule. All morning mail will be placed in boxes by 8 a.m., and noon mail will be up by 12:30 p.m. There will be no window service or rural route service, but special delivery mail will be handled, according to Postmaster John Gregg.

Outgoing air mail will be dispatched at 12 noon, with all other mail leaving from the courtesy box in front of the office at 5:45 p.m.

No special activities are being

planned locally, but citizens will no doubt be going visiting, fishing, picnicking, and just plain loafing.

July 4th is one of six holidays observed locally throughout the year. Remaining holidays for the year are: Labor Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Traffic is expected to be heavy during the long three-day holiday weekend, and law enforcement officials are cautioning motorists to drive with extreme care. The Department of Public Safety estimates that 31 persons will lose their lives in traffic accidents in Texas.

Please, don't be one of this number!

## Baking Winners Named at Annual 4-H Rally Day

County 4-H Annual Rally Day was held June 25 at the Coleman Park from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., with approximately 100 County 4-H'ers, their families, and friends attending the day of fun. Games were played throughout the morning, followed by lunch and then a baseball and volleyball tournament.

The 4-H girls participated in a baking contest with winners of the contest as follows:

Cookie Division: 1st — Brenda Smith; 2nd — Barbara Jourdan; 3rd — Ann Abbey, Jan Haas, Barbara Jourdan, Susan Newman, Linda Abbey, Ginger Fenton, Vickie Skelton, and Karen Duncan.

Candy Division: 1st — Connie Stoup; 2nd — Vickie Skelton; 3rd — Ann Abbey, Linda Abbey, Debbie Adams, Norma Eubank and Gail Webb.

Cupcake Division: 1st — Linda Abbey; 2nd — Jan Haas; 3rd — Ann Abbey and Norma Jo Eubank.

Cake Division: 1st — Jan Haas; 2nd — Ann Abbey; 3rd — Linda Abbey.

Pie Division: 1st — Kay Stoup.

La Gioconda is the real name of da Vinci's famous painting known as the Mona Lisa.

## Southside Church Schedules Meeting

The Southside Church of Christ will conduct a gospel meeting, beginning July 1 and continuing through July 10, according to announcement made this week.

C. M. Walkup of Gould, Okla., will deliver the series of gospel messages. Sunday services are scheduled at 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m., with weekday services at 7:30 p.m.

Aim of the meeting is "to worship and serve the true and living God according to the scriptures; to share with others the joys of fellowship in the services of God, and to preach the gospel as it is given in the New Testament," the minister of the church relates.

A cordial invitation is extended the public to join in this series of gospel messages.

## Traffic Safety Has Three Sides...

Traffic safety, like a triangle, has three sides: the vehicle, the person who drives it, and the road on which he drives.

Safety experts are making progress at improving all three, with much of the public's recent interest focused on the car itself. In the future you can expect to see more safety features in the next car you buy.

But, as important as all this activity and progress is, the Texas Safety Association reminds us that the main safety factor in any vehicle is the driver. Let's remember this — especially this Fourth of July weekend while driving on our highways in the heavy holiday traffic.

## County Men Called For Physical Exams

Three Coleman County men have received instructions from Selective Service Board No. 21, which serves Coleman and Runnels Counties, to report for physical examinations on July 7. They are Walter Frederick Gilbert, Robert Ladd Markland and Roger A. Powell, Jr.

On order for induction are five men, four from Coleman County. They are Charles Ryall Wilson, Jr., Garland Lynn Garner, Donald Eugene Turner and James Ward Fulbright.

## Refund Checks Being Mailed By Electric Co-op

Members of the Coleman County Electric Cooperative will be receiving their patronage refund checks, sometimes referred to as "capital credits," sometime next week. Over 3,400 checks will be mailed July 5th totaling \$153,575.15 to those persons receiving electric service from the cooperative during the year 1965. The average check will amount to \$45.17.

The checks represent the amount the members of the cooperative paid in excess over and above the actual cost of providing electric service. For each dollar spent on electricity in 1965, the members of the cooperative will receive approximately 25 cents back in the form of patronage refunds.

This is the seventh consecutive year for patronage refunds to be paid by the cooperative, making a total of \$654,530.68 returned to the members.

## Local People Attend 50th World Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

A number of local church members have just returned from the Seventh-day Adventist Hospital Association meeting and the 50th General World Conference in Detroit, Mich., held June 13-26.

Attending the association and conference meetings were Mr. and Mrs. Merle M. Roller, Dr. and Mrs. Charles M. Henner, and Elder and Mrs. H. B. Petry. The Hospital Association meets yearly and the World Conference every four years. The meetings were scheduled in Detroit this year where members and representatives could attend both sessions.

Mr. Roller stated that on the first Sunday of the World Conference, Cobo Hall, site of the gathering which seats 12,000,

## Sherman Stearns Attending ROTC Camp at Ft. Sill

Cadet Sherman C. Stearns, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Granvel K. Stearns, Trickham Route, Santa Anna, is attending Reserve Officer Training Corps summer camp at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, which started June 15. He is a student at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

During the six-week encampment, he is receiving advanced training in subjects he has been studying in school.

Cadets are trained in various subjects that will provide them with the skills necessary to command. On completion of the ROTC program, graduates may receive commissions as second lieutenants and may choose any branch of the Army.

Cadet Stearns is a 1963 graduate of Santa Anna High School and a member of Phi Alpha Sigma and Sigma Delta Chi fraternities.

The name, United States of America, originated when it was written into the Declaration of Independence.

## \$330,757 Paid To Farmers For Wheat and Oats

Wheat and oat harvest throughout this area was finished last week, according to local grain elevator operators.

Although exact figures were not available, local buyers estimated that approximately \$330,757 was paid farmers for this year's crop.

Pierre Rowe, manager of the Santa Anna Co-op Elevator, estimated that his company purchased 97,149 bushels of wheat and 18,750 bushels of oats, amounting to approximately \$175,397.

R. C. Smith, Continental Grain Company buyer here, stated the company had purchased approximately 77,000 bushels of wheat and 40,000 bushels of oats, paying farmers \$155,360.

Continental closed operations last Friday, while the Co-op is operating on a limited schedule.

## Mrs. Sam Moore Breaks Hip In Fall

Mrs. Sam Moore sustained a broken right hip in a fall at her home here last Saturday. She was rushed to a Brownwood hospital where she underwent surgery Sunday.

Latest report states she is recovering nicely and will be brought to Santa Anna hospital as soon as possible for further treatment.

Mrs. Rip Mayo of Coleman visited Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Vanderford.

## HD Agent Teaching Nutritional Classes

Bessie Parker, County Home Demonstration Agent, held the first class of a 6 week's nutrition school here Wednesday morning.

The school is for young homemakers, brides of the '60's, and homemakers with pre-school age children. Homemakers in the Santa Anna area wishing to participate in the program and who missed the first class, may enroll at the next session on July 13. Classes are being held in the Santa Anna Elementary school library from 9 until 10 o'clock each Wednesday morning. Opportunity will be given to make up the class missed this week.

The class scheduled for next Wednesday will be omitted, but will resume on July 13.

The class schedule is as follows: July 13 — Children Grow Right With the Right Food. July 20 — Meal Planning Made Easy. July 27 — Food Selection and Buying. August 3 — Principles of Food Preparation. August 10 — Food Fads and Facts (weight control).

There is no registration fee, and free baby sitting will be provided. Each child is asked to bring a toy for himself. At the close of the school a certificate will be presented to each person attending classes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey Cheaney of Abilene and Keith Rountree, brother of Mrs. Bailey, of Houston, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cheaney over the weekend. The Baileys also visited with Mrs. J. C. Mathews while here.

Visit in Stephenville

Mr. and Mrs. Montie Guthrie and Lane, and Mrs. James Spillman visited Sunday with Les Guthrie, a student at Tarleton State College in Stephenville.

Attend church regularly.

## Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

The Methodist Church School welcomed a new member Sunday, Cynthia Louise Estes, nine-day old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Estes. The young lady is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodges and Andra of Lubbock spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges and their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver and children of Spearman, who returned home Sunday after spending their vacation here. James Hodges of Abilene and Miss Carol Wester of Coleman were other Sunday guests.

Mrs. J. P. Hodges, Mrs. McIver and Mrs. Bryan Hodges and children visited in Coleman Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hambright and children.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady came home Friday after being a patient in Memorial Hospital in Brownwood. She appreciates all the nice things friends did for her during her illness.

Visiting with Mrs. Lovelady Saturday afternoon were Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. Junior Brusenhan, Mrs. A. L. Crutcher, Mrs. Boss Estes. Sunday callers were Mrs. Lee Miller and Mrs. C. N. Davenport of Coleman. Jodie Brusenhan spent Saturday night and Sunday with Randal Lovelady.

Mr. and Mrs. Hop Ashmore of Bangs visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King, Mr. King and granddaughter, Jilana Sitterle, were in Coleman Monday for the stock sale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter and Jimmy in Coleman. Jimmy went home with them for Friday night and Saturday. His dad and mother came for him Saturday, and were supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and Jimmy were Friday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Don Hunter at Waldrip.

Mr. and Mrs. Joey Bryan and children of Abilene spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Bryan. Mrs. Bryan went home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bryan visited her mother, Mrs. Crutcher Sunday evening. Other callers during the week were Mrs. A. L. King and Mrs. M. D. Bryan.

Mrs. Mena Shuford and Mrs. M. D. Bryan visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Sherman Heilman. Mr. and Mrs. John Fulbright of Coleman were Friday afternoon guests. Sunday visitors were Mrs. Hilary Ruth-erford and children and Mrs. Fulbright of Coleman and Mrs. Joe Langenning and girls of Lamesa.

Mrs. Johnnie Steward visited Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter at Utopia. She accompanied Mrs. Howard Rehm and Mr. Steward went for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Estes and Taresa of Ennis visited Wednesday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Estes and Steve of Abilene were Saturday and Sunday guests. Enjoying a fish fry Saturday evening were the house guests and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain and Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman.

Stanley McSwane, a student in Angelo State College, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwane.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bryan visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. John Hunter. Mrs. Gattis of Lohn was a Monday afternoon visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMillan were home for the weekend. Among the Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Crutcher of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McMillan of Brady, Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman, Mrs. Bill Rehm, Cindy Deal, Mrs. Carl Buttry and Lana Halmon; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Collins of Santa Anna visited Monday morning.

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. Tim Siler of Melvin and Mrs. Charles Bedford of Corpus Christi visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Deal and children of Denver, Colorado, visited with his parents, Wednesday to Monday. Other weekend guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Deal and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Deal and children of Abilene.

Rev. and Mrs. Donnie Melton and Leo Deal were Sunday afternoon callers.

The Deal family drove to Brady Sunday afternoon to visit at the Bible reunion at the Brady Park.

Mrs. Bill Rehm and Cindy visited in the Deal home Thursday afternoon and Cindy was a Monday guest.

Mrs. Lon Gray and Mrs. Bill Brayn were in Temple last Wednesday for Mr. Gray, who had been a patient at VA hospital.

Serena Bryan spent last Wednesday with Jilana Sitterle, at the home of her grandparents, the A. L. Kings, where she is visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper of Coleman visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Ronnie Sunday afternoon.

Last Thursday morning Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Richardson of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. Fox Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson and Cindy of Baytown visited Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson, Nikki and Miss Bernice were Thursday afternoon callers.

Mrs. Bill Rehm and Cindy Deal and Mr. Buttry were in San Antonio last Wednesday for a checkup for Mr. Buttry's eyes.

Mrs. Lee Miller and Mrs. C. N. Davenport of Coleman were visiting Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes and family. Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman was a caller. Weldon Estes and son, Gordon, of San Angelo, are spending the week here.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Davenport also visited with Miss Linnie Box and Mrs. Bill Steward.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Box of Fort Worth spent Wednesday to Friday at their home here.

Mrs. Claud Box took her grandson, Pat Campbell, of Midland, who has been visiting here, to Eastland last week to visit friends and he attended Boy Scout Week at Billy Gibbons Ranch near San Saba last week. Mr. and Mrs. Box went for him Sunday and visited with Mrs. Jennie Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Abernathy in Santa Anna enroute home. Mrs. Abernathy is recovering from eye surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Day and family of Coleman were Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and family. Ronnie McCarrell of Santa Anna was an afternoon visitor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Douglas and Mike and Weldon and Gordon Estes spent Tuesday at Tyler with Mrs. L. C. Carlton.

### Vacation Dress Attire Important

The vacation season is a time when dressing correctly for each activity is important to people of all ages, emphasizes Dr. Graham Hard, Texas A&M University Extension clothing specialist.

This means hitting a happy medium between being over-casual and under casual. Either extreme can affect one's acceptance by other vacationers, and in turn, one's enjoyment, Dr. Hard says.

By selecting clothing that can be mixed-and-matched, it is possible for you to "take a little, and have a lot."

While carefully chosen clothes will not necessarily make your vacation trip a success, dressing right for each occasion will enable you to enjoy the funtime period more, Dr. Hard says.

### TAX MAN SAM SEZ:

What are the requirements for filing an estate tax return?

This question bothers many taxpayers, but the rules are fairly simple. Your administrator will have to file an estate tax return if the fair market value of your estate is \$60,000 or more on the date of your death. However, if there is a surviving spouse and the estate is community property, you do not have to file unless the estate exceeds \$120,000, since 50% of the community property belongs to the surviving spouse.

Getting the correct evaluation on your estate is important since this evaluation affects all future transactions on the property.

Originally the dollar was subdivided into halves, dimes, and cents; there were no quarters.

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## Meat Prices Not Inflationary Contends President of Cattlemen

"A report recently released by the House Committee on Agriculture refutes completely the contention heard during recent months that meat prices were a major factor in the inflationary pressures the country is experiencing," the president of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association stated in Wichita Falls, June 18.

Reporting to the association's board of directors at its quarterly meeting, Ben H. Carpenter of Dallas, president of the 10,000 member association, which is the largest organization of commercial cattle producers in the world, quoted extensively from a House Agricultural Committee Study comparing food costs and farm prices over the 18 year period since 1947.

Carpenter stated that "the Congressional study reveals that prices received by farmers and ranchers in 1965 were 10 percent lower than those received 18 years ago, while prices paid at retail by consumers for food increased 33 percent in these same 18 years."

"While retail food prices have risen relatively steadily over the past 18 years, none of the increase in retail prices accrued to the farmer and rancher. The net income of farmers and

ranchers declined by 18 percent from 1947 to 1965 even though the volume of farm produced foods sold to consumer had increased by 44 percent during the same period."

Carpenter compared these trends in food costs and farm prices to other statistics contained in the Congressional report showing that "rail freight rates on farm products increased 45 percent during the same period, prices of such services as rent, property insurance, property maintenance, and telephone services increased an average of 69 percent and unit prices of new plant and equipment were up 55 percent during the same period."

"Salaries and wages of employees in manufacturing industries increased during the same period by 113 percent."

He stated that during the 18 year period from 1947 to 1965 retail prices of meat products increased by 16 percent while the farm value of meat products in 1965 was 5 percent less than the farm value in 1947.

Carpenter stated that the real major cause of inflation is the federal government and that giant federal programs like Medicare, federal programs of accelerated unemployment compensation, and federal pro-

## Texas MD Population Expects Increase

At the beginning of 1966, there were 11,218 physicians (doctors of medicine) in Texas and 292,068 in the United States. With the recent graduations from the nation's 88 medical schools, the physician population will reach a new medical milestone and go over the 300,000 mark.

The number of physicians in the United States has been increasing faster than the general population for several years. The population of Texas is currently estimated to be 10,700,000. At the present time, Texas has a ratio of one physician for every 954 people. The physician population growth in Texas is expected to be even greater in the very near future with the opening of the new University of Texas South Texas Medical School in San Antonio. The admission of its first class this Fall will give Texas four medical schools.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. C. H. Richards is her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold R. Richards, of Lubbock. They plan to spend a few days visiting relatives and friends. Also spending the weekend were Mrs. Richards' daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Bernard of O'Brien.

grams designed to blanket the country with built-in wage increases are the real culprits of inflation.

"Giant federal programs of this type pump literally billions of dollars into the economy, yet they do not create to any degree new permanent plant capacity which can add to the total productive output of the nation, and therefore, they only create taxpayers instead of taxpayers."

"This is the area in which restrictions should be urged to combat inflations, instead of government officials urging the American housewife to restrict her purchases of meat at a time when the average price of beef cattle is only 85 percent of parity."

## Check Picnicking, Camping Manners

This is the season for outdoor living. Are you and your family enjoying the wonders of nature by picnicking, camping or motoring?

If we act like responsible Texans, all of us will be able to enjoy the natural beauty of our state, says Miss Lucille Moore, Extension recreation specialist at Texas A&M University. Our parks, forests and roadsides are our vacation outdoor living rooms. If some of us are careless, all vacationers will suffer, adds the specialist.

Careless vacationers destroy our forests by fires and pollute streams and campsites with discarded rubbish. Plants and animals may be killed by this careless disregard by vacationers. Careless campers may start ruts and erosion by driving off the roads provided for their use.

You will be a good citizen if you follow good outdoor manners when vacationing.

- 1) Keep a trash bag in the car, and use it.
- 2) Carve a stick, not a tree.
- 3) Leave the flowers and plants for others to enjoy. They

will die if you pick them, anyway.

- 4) Keep a safe distance from wild animals.
- 5) Be careful with fires. Douse the campfire an extra time.
- 6) Drive on roads.
- 7) Curb the urge to throw things into the water or off high places.
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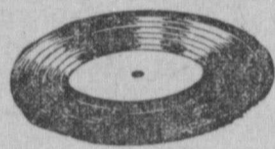


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Researchers at Texas A&M University's Plant Disease Experiment Station at Yoakum, are on the brink of developing a jointless tomato.

A jointless tomato is the dream of big-time tomato growers, since it can be mechanically harvested. The idea is to eliminate the joint on the stem located about an inch from the fruit.

On ordinary varieties, when the tomato is picked, a stem remains on the fruit. The stem punctures other tomatoes and causes rapid spoilage. The stems must either be removed by hand or during processing.

Dr. A. L. Harrison, plant pathologist at the A&M field unit, has been selecting tomatoes which have the jointless characteristic. He has one in 'breeding stock now — still just a number — but it shows promise, he said.

At a recent field day, Harrison demonstrated to visitors that the tomato cannot be picked from the vine and leave the stem on. It comes off every time, since there is no joint to break, he said.

Work is being carried on at other A&M field stations and on the main campus at College Station. The researchers are optimistic that before long a jointless variety will be ready for release to Texas tomato growers.

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**News From The RANGER PARK INN**

Mrs. Myrtle Scott, Mrs. Julia McGonagill visited Mrs. Ella Stiles, Mrs. Addie Huggins, Mrs. Lillie Archer, Mrs. Mattie Ellis and Fred Campbell.

Mrs. Calvin Fuller visited Mrs. Ben Herring, Mrs. Mattie Ellis, Mrs. Addie Huggins and Mrs. Lillie Archer.

Mrs. Joe Baker and Mrs. Blanche Grantham visited their sister, Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker Jr., Kathy and Joe, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, visited his aunt, Mrs. Ella Stiles.

The First Christian Church, with Rev. Robert Brandt, pastor, conducted the church service Sunday evening.

Mrs. John Clark, the former Jane Burden, of Olathe, Kansas, her daughters Ann and Janie, visited her father, Homer Burden and others at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kinney of Coleman visited Mrs. Clara Kryder and Mrs. Eula Mitchell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Ellis and daughter of Brownwood visited his mother, Mrs. Mattie Ellis and Claude Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Fitzhugh and Mrs. Riley visited Mrs. Mattie Ellis.

Mrs. Tom Mills, a cousin of Mrs. Lillie Archer, was a visitor at the Inn, visiting Mrs. Archer and Mrs. Elizabeth Reynolds and others.

Miss E. Lee Harper was visiting friends at the Inn Monday.

U. S. Brannon, Mrs. Charles Armstrong and Mrs. Loyd Holman visited his wife, and their mother and grandmother, Mrs. U. S. Brannon.

Mrs. Ben Yarborough and her cousin, Mrs. Cinna Mabel Wallace, and Mrs. Harris of Santa Anna visited Mrs. Lillie Archer and others.

Glenn Brown of San Angelo visited his grandmother, Mrs. Lillie Archer.

Mrs. Cody Wallace visited at the Inn.

Peyton Dick and grandchild-

ren were visiting Mrs. Lillie Archer on Sunday.

Billy Archer visited his mother, Mrs. Lillie Archer.

Mrs. Lucy Price of Santa Anna and her sister, Mrs. Maud Groves of Kerrville, visited Mrs. Archer also.

Mrs. Stella Watson's son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Watson of Burkett and Mr. and Mrs. Max Watson of Savannah, Ga., visited her during the week.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce visited her cousin, Mrs. Stella Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Currie of Paint Rock visited Mrs. Eula Mitchell.

Mrs. Cullen Perry visited Mrs. Floyd Reynolds.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce came to the Inn on Sunday and took Mrs. Stella Watson to church services at First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Goss of Arlington, Mrs. J. W. Mask of Midland and Mrs. Wesley Mask of Bangs visited Mrs. Clara Kryder.

Dude Menges and Henry Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Spencer on Monday.

Ben Vinson visited his niece, Mrs. Floyd Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holcombe of Denver City visited her mother, Mrs. Lula Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mills were at the Inn to visit Mrs. Floyd Reynolds.

Mrs. Carl Buttry visited her mother, Mrs. Lee McMillan.

Mrs. Billy Batschi is devoting one day a week voluntary work to residents at the Inn. They will be looking forward to her day at the Inn.

Mrs. E. W. Stiles was at the Inn visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Cassie Stiles.

Mrs. Charles Bengue was at the Inn visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Fitzgerald of Knox City were in Santa Anna visiting Zack Bible.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold were visitors of Mrs. Floyd Reynolds. The Harolds live in New Mexico.

Mrs. White of Odessa was a visitor at the Inn.

Mrs. C. E. Flint visited her sister, Mrs. Eula Burris.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins and Mrs. Mildred Cammack visited their mother, Mrs. Addie Huggins. Mrs. Huggins went with them for a drive.

Robert Brandt visited Hulda Johnson on Sunday afternoon.

Emmit Smith of New Mexico

is visiting his parents, the Turney Smiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Currie of Paint Rock visited her parents, the George Simmons.

Mrs. Nell Bailey of Coleman and Mrs. Pattie Maddox of Palacios visited Mrs. Omi Heat-on.

Mrs. Stephens of Dublin called on Mr. Dobkins at the Inn, for the Dr. Bryans, who are his cousins.

R. H. Stainbeck visited his mother, Mozelle.

J. W. Osborne of Brownwood visited his mother, Mrs. Mattie Ellis.

Mrs. A. L. Hawkins and Mrs. Henry Smith and Mrs. Tom White visited Mrs. Dora White.

Miss Blanche Boyd attended church at United Presbyterian Church with her niece, Mrs. Gwen Walker.

Mrs. Mabel Burrage visited her mother, Mrs. Lula Harvely on Sunday. She was pianist for the church service in the afternoon, when First Christian Church was in charge.

Moody Copeland and Mrs. Neal Sweet of Coleman visited their mother, Mrs. Bertha Copeland.

Mrs. A. A. Bertrand visited her husband at the Inn.

Edd Jackson of Coleman visited L. C. Jackson.

Juanita Branch of Houston visited Zack Bible.

Roy Joe Harvey and Gay Harvey were also visitors with Zack Bible.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Yancy of Brownwood and R. C. Baird visited Thomas Baird.

Mrs. Floyd Reynolds received gladiolas and pots of mums from Louise Purdy last week. She celebrated her birthday.

Phelix Watson of Abilene visited Mrs. Stella Watson.

Mrs. Mozelle Stainbeck will celebrate her birthday June 30.

Fred Campbell celebrated his birthday last week. A birthday cake was furnished and Mrs. Stella Sanford gave a birthday prayer. He received gifts from all the children.

Officially, 1966 marks the 76th anniversary of the American Tree Farm program. The South certified its first Tree Farm in 1942. Texas, according to the Texas Forestry Association, certified its first Tree Farm in 1944.

**Tips About Health & Safety**

(Tuberculosis)

Tuberculosis still is a serious health problem in the United States.

One hundred thousand Americans are walking the streets today with active infectious tuberculosis who don't know they have it, says Today's Health, the magazine of the American Medical Association.

By the time symptoms appear — fever, weight loss, coughing, and perhaps blood spitting — the disease has reached a point at which control is difficult. Some won't recover; 10,000 victims died from tuberculosis in a recent year, Today's Health reports.

Everyone is susceptible. TB is contracted from someone who has it, mainly by breathing air contaminated with TB germs. These are spread by coughing, sneezing and spitting. Sometimes a person becomes infected when germs enter his mouth from contaminated fingers, food or eating utensils, or from kissing an infected person.

If active tuberculosis is diagnosed, your physician has a choice of a variety of drugs, such as streptomycin and isoniazid, which effectively suppress the germs while the body builds up its own immunity.

Children under five are a "high risk" group because of the frequent and close associations with their parents, relatives, household help and baby sitters, any of whom may be carriers.

Everyone should have an annual check-up in the form of a skin test or chest x-ray. These tests are available free in most areas any time of the year. Local public health officers and the local chapters of the National Tuberculosis Association will direct you to TB detection centers in your area. The skin tests are simple and painless. If one of these indicates TB germs are present, it doesn't necessarily mean the germs are doing damage. It takes an x-ray and sputum test, along with blood and urine studies, to determine accurately whether the bacilli are active.

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# Social Activities . .



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## Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Graham S. Fitzpatrick of Rockwood announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cheryl Elaine, to Mr. Jackie Joe Bullion, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. (Jack) Bullion of Brownwood.

The couple will be married July 23, at 7:30 p.m. at the Rockwood Baptist Church.

Miss Fitzpatrick is a graduate of Santa Anna High School, attended Draughon's Business College in Abilene and is presently employed at Life Insurance Company of the Southwest in Coleman. Her fiancé, a graduate of Brownwood High School, attended Texas University and graduated from Howard Payne College in Brownwood. He is Junior High School Coach at Santa Anna.

All friends of the couple are invited to attend.

## Stephenson-Dean Reunion Held

The Stephenson-Dean reunion was held June 25-26 at Sandy Beach Lake Brownwood, with thirty-five present.

Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dean of Bangs, Mrs. Neely Evans of Santa Anna, Mrs. Anna Phillips of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson, Mr. and Mrs. James Cliett of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dean and children of Rockwood, Mrs. Wanda Rachel and children of Hilltown, Pennsylvania, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dean and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stacy and Jane of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Charles White and Charlene of Dumas, Francis Glassy of Perryton, Phyllis Davis of California and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Maynor of Brownwood.

## T.E.L. Class Ends Summer Meetings

The T.E.L. Class of the First Baptist Church met June 28 at the church annex for a covered dish luncheon. This was the last meeting for the summer months.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Emzy Brown, followed in prayer by Mrs. Byrd Arnold. A poem, entitled "I Met God," was read by Mrs. Arnold.

Those present were Meses. Conner, Brandon, Moore, Evans, Ashmore, Chapman, Horner, Turner, Williams, Haynes, Arnold and Upton. Guests were Mrs. Dennis Kelley and Wanda Duggins.

The class adjourned singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

## Nephew Of Local Ladies Is Married In Saturday Rites

Miss June Elizabeth McKenzie and Ronald David Eubank were united in marriage Saturday in Madison Square Presbyterian Church at San Antonio. Officiating at the ceremony were Dr. John D. Barbee and Dr. George Mauze.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David W. Eubank, and the bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. McKenzie.

Mr. Eubank, who acted as his son's best man, is a native of Santa Anna.

Attending the wedding from here were Mrs. Chester Gallo-way, Miss Pauline Eubank and Mrs. Ira Huddler, all aunts of the groom.

## Bowden Descendants Hold 18th Reunion

Descendants of the late Jim and Mollie Bowden gathered at Park Homes Center, in Brownwood Sunday, June 26, for their 18th family reunion. Forty-seven relatives were in attendance.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bowden, Mr. Henry Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bowden and family, Mr. and Mrs. Murry Bowden, all of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowden, Carolyn and Al Boyles of Cherokee, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bowden and family of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bowden and Don of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bowden and son and Mrs. Ruby Gibbons and family, all of Garland, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Ennis of Colorado City, Mrs. Cora Bowden of Bangs, Mr. George Page of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ryan and family of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford of Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Dockery and Mary Ola Woods, of Brownwood.

## Rockwood HD Club Plans Painting Community Center

Mrs. Jack Cooper gave a demonstration on baking Jalapena Corn Bread when the Rockwood Home Demonstration Club met at the Community Center, Wednesday, June 22. A luncheon with "Vegetables That are Different," was prepared by members according to new recipes. The hours were 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Another luncheon is planned this fall.

Mrs. Cooper, president, presided for the business session, when plans were discussed for painting the community center.

Participating in the luncheon program were Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. A. L. Crutcher, Mrs. A. L. King, Miss Bernice Johnson, Mrs. Jack Cooper, Mrs. Claud Box, Mrs. Aubrey McSwain, Mrs. M. D. Bryan, Mrs. Jack McSwane, Mrs. Marcus Johnson, Mrs. Hilton Wise and Mrs. F. E. McCreary.

## Rockwood Society Makes Plans to Host Quarterly Session

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the Rockwood Baptist Church Monday afternoon in study of "The Missionary Message of the Bible," with Mrs. F. E. McCreary directing. Mrs. Henry Smith presided during the business session, where plans were made for the Quarterly W.M.U. of Coleman to be held at Rockwood Baptist Church, Tuesday, July 5, beginning at 10:00 a.m. with lunch served at noon hour at the Community Center.

Participating in the study were Mrs. Smith, Mrs. McCreary, Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. Matt Estes, Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mrs. Evan Wise and Mrs. A. L. King.

## 4-H Dress Revue Slated July 27

Coleman County Dress Revue will be held Monday, July 27, at 3:00 p.m. in the Willie Wire-hand Room, Sandra Duke, Assistant County Home Demonstration agent, announced this week.

Some twenty 4-H girls are expected to participate. The theme will be "4-H Fashion Barometer." Winners will be selected on the individual's grooming, the garment on the girl, and their record. The objective of the Dress Revue is not to win, but to develop self-confidence and poise.

Judging of the garments on the individual will begin at 9:00 a.m. At 10:00 a.m. participants will rehearse for the dress revue. Miss Jan Yeatman will assist the girls with modeling. Everyone is invited to attend the revue.

## Mrs. Billie Guthrie Is O.E.S. Conductress

Mrs. Billie Guthrie was installed Conductress of Santa Anna Chapter No. 247, Monday night, June 21.

Mrs. Rose Bass was installing officer, Mrs. Willie Jean Bostick, installing marshal and Mrs. Exa Lane, installing organist.

Mrs. Exa Lane, Grand Representative from Maryland to Texas, spoke to the group.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Avants and Mrs. Jane Smith were host and hostesses. Iced melons were served to members, and visitors from Bangs.

## Green Descendants Schedule Reunion

The family of the late Willis and Mary E. Green will meet for their annual reunion on Monday, July 4, 1966, at the Coleman City Park.

Basket lunch will be served at the noon hour. All friends and relatives are invited.

## Rockwood W.M.U. To Host County Association Meet

A county-wide W.M.U. quarterly meeting and Prayer Retreat will be held at the Rockwood Baptist Church Tuesday, July 5, at 10:00 a.m.

Horace Crowder of the First Baptist Church in Coleman will be the 11 o'clock speaker.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon, followed by a business meeting at 1:00 p.m. Mrs. M. W. Young of Glen Cove is president of the Coleman County W.M.U. Association.

A nursery will be provided for small children.

## County 4-H Dress Revue Winners To District Meet

Coleman County 4-H Dress Revue winners Charlotte Faubion of the Senior Division and Connie Stoup of the Junior Division will represent the County at the District Dress Revue August 4 in San Angelo.

Miss Faubion is a member of the Talpa 4-H Club and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Faubion. Miss Stoup is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stoup of Mozelle.

Debra Sparks, Mozelle 4-H'er and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sparks, was named alter-

nate winner in the Senior Division. Debra Stephenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Stephenson of Mozelle, was named Junior alternate.

Norma Jo Eubank of Santa Anna welcomed the guests and served as Mistress of Ceremonies for the Revue. Paul Beaver of Valera served as commentator and his brother, Scott Beaver, provided organ music while the participants modeled.

County Judge Frank Lewis presented ribbons to the following girls: Junior Blue Ribbon winners were Marcia Jill Martin, Debbie Marcee, Lindy Sparks, Nancy Pittard, Ginger Rodgers, Jan Haas, Debra Stephenson, and Connie Stoup. Senior Blue Ribbon winners were Debra Sparks and Charlotte Faubion. Junior Red Ribbon winners were Sharon Griffith, Martha Powe, Linda Hudson, Rita Casey, Cindy Sparks, Gail Webb, Vickie Skelton and Kay Stoup.

Dress Revue participants, judges, leaders, and special guests enjoyed a luncheon, sponsored by the First Coleman National Bank, at the Tradewinds Restaurant.

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By Mrs. Sid Blanton

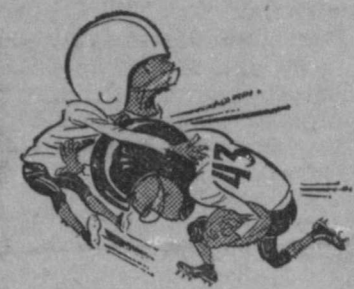
Mrs. Sam Moore is in Medical Arts Hospital with a broken hip she received Saturday afternoon. Her children have been staying with her.

Mrs. William H. Cupps has two of her grandchildren, J. T. Jr. and Janera Naron, of Odessa spending several days.

Terry Blanton of Austin was home on Saturday. He left Sunday with the National Guard on their two week encampment.

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### Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney received the death message Sunday of a niece of Mr. Turney, Mrs. Fayola Keleho, of Salinas, California. She passed away very suddenly Saturday following coming in home from work. Mrs. Keleho was 46 years of age and the daughter of the late Mrs. Ella Turney and Mr. Don Turney. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Leo Keleho and one son, one brother and one sister.

Mrs. Willie Branch of Houston was here over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Mary Bible and visited with her father, Mr. Zack Bible of Ranger Park Inn. Mr. and Mrs. Orval Bible and daughter spent last week here. Mrs. Mary Bible and her daughter, Mrs. Juanita Branch, attended the Bible reunion in the Brady Park Sunday. They reported a big crowd and enjoyable get-together.

Mrs. Cleburn Stanley visited in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brown last Thursday.

Mrs. Leonard Williams visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Williams one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Williams entertained in their home during the weekend, with a family get-together. Guests were entertained on Home Creek with out-door cooking and wiener roast. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams and Tracy of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Williams, Leland, Gary, Larry and Danny of Gouldbusk, Mr. and Mrs.

Grady Williams and Johnny of Shield, Mr. and Mrs. Hays Dixon, Mrs. Dee Yancy, Ronnie and Jodie, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Dixon and Ricky, Mrs. Ann Webb and son, Lynn, Carl Cowan and Johnny Haynes of Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cider and boys, Bob and Dick, of May. All reported a wonderful time.

Dr. Ray Lovelady of Coleman and Mr. Oscar Lovelady of Rockwood were in the Bert Turney home Wednesday afternoon playing dominoes with Mr. Turney and Mr. Gus Hines.

Lynda Rutherford of Abilene was home with us over the weekend. Mr. Hilary Rutherford and son, Rocky, of Coleman, Mr. Loyd Rutherford, also of Coleman and Mr. Arlen Allen of Santa Anna, were in the Tom Rutherford home Saturday. Loyd left with the Coleman National Guard Sunday for two weeks at North Fort Hood. His wife, Pat, is with her aunt and uncle in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley visited with Mr. Stanley's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Reeves, in Bronte Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Langer and son of San Angelo spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford.

Mrs. Randy Brown and son, C. W., of Brownwood spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney of Santa Anna visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants reports killing a large rattlesnake near their house last week. The snake was awfully large, but after Aaron shot the snake it had neither head or rattles.

## July 4th Greatest Event

Omar Burleson, M. C. 17th District, Texas

Washington, D. C. — GREAT MOMENTS IN AMERICAN HISTORY: Columbus refuses to turn back. The Mayflower lands at Plymouth Rock. A settlement starts on the James River. The Colonies break with England. 'Tis the "Star Spangled Banner." The defenders of the Alamo answer Santa Anna. Our Flag is raised over Alaska. Gold seekers rush to California. American walks in space around the earth.

ON JULY 4, 1776, America declared its independence from the British Crown. Of all events affecting our Nation, this is the greatest.

THE CENTRAL EASTERN SEABOARD OF OUR COUNTRY, of which Washington is the center, is full of history and historical reminders.

FROM THE CHEST OF THE BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAINS to Gettysburg, to Philadelphia, to the Capitol in Washington, Virginia and Chesapeake Bay, is history itself — Jamestown, Williamsburg in Virginia, and Fort McHenry at Baltimore.

ON THE NIGHT OF SEPTEMBER 13, 1814, Francis Scott Key, whose home stands on the District of Columbia side of the Potomac River bridge named after him, wrote the "Star Spangled Banner." Our Flag and the song it inspired are inseparably woven into the American fiber. It was the Garrison Flag of Fort McHenry, still flying defiantly after 25 hours of bombardment of the Baltimore fortress by the British, which led Francis Scott Key to write the poem, since set to music, that is now our National Anthem.

AS A YOUNG WASHINGTON LAWYER, FRANCIS SCOTT KEY had sailed under a flag of truce to the British Fleet in the Chesapeake Bay. His mission was for the release of a friend, Dr. William Beanes, who had been captured by the British after burning the Capitol and the White House. Although Barnes was released, the truce team headed by Mr. Key was detained by the British during the attack on Fort McHenry in Baltimore.

IN HIS ANXIETY FOR THE OUTCOME OF THE BATTLE, Key remained on the ship's deck all night. When "by the dawn's early light" he saw the

Flag waving, his pent up emotions gave way and he expressed himself in the immortal lines.

THE REPORT GOES THAT HE WAS UNABLE to put all his thoughts on paper during those turbulent moments, but finished that night when he had safely returned to Baltimore.

A FEW DAYS LATER, WITHOUT TITLE OR THE AUTHOR'S name, it was printed in handbill form and distributed on the streets, in the shops and hotel lobbies.

SOON THE LINES WERE BEING SUNG TO THE tune of an English ballad popular at the time. Its name, "To Anacron in Heaven." Slowly the song grew in popular affection, and in 1931, President Hoover signed the bill making it our official National Anthem.

THE ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT OF "The Star Spangled Banner" is enshrined in the Maryland Historical Society in Baltimore, which paid \$28,400 for it. It was purchased from the estate of a Henry Walters, a citizen of Baltimore. The huge original Fort McHenry Flag, which measures 42 by 30 feet, is displayed in the new Museum of History and Technology in Washington, D. C., and Fort McHenry is a National Shrine.

TO REMEMBER AND APPRECIATE THESE INCIDENTS of our heritage is to exercise our patriotism.

ON THIS FOURTH OF JULY WE MIGHT REMEMBER TOO how Daniel Webster described our Constitutional Government, "A more glorious edifice than Greece or Rome ever knew."

### Shield News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

Donald Moore of California, a student at the Seminary in Fort Worth, preached the morning and evening services at the Baptist Church and he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ollis Powers.

Mrs. Bert Fowler attended the bridal shower at the Rockwood Community Center Saturday afternoon honoring Mrs. Dale Hibbs of Austin, the former Peggy McIntire.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skelton and Mrs. E. S. Jones visited with relatives in San Angelo.

Mrs. Faye Williams, long-time resident of our community is now living in Coleman and is employed at Rolling Hills Lodge as evening supervisor.

Larry Moore, minister of the Church of Christ, was a guest of the A. D. Epplers on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Niley Dees of Fort Worth spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skelton.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson during the week were: Mrs. Frances Green and Mrs. Myrtle Burden of Santa Anna, Mrs. Janie Clark, a niece of Mrs. Stewardson and daughters, Anna and Janie, of Kansas, Darwin Watson and family spent Saturday night, enroute to Big Bend Park for a weeks vacation; Gay Turner of Santa Anna, Robert and Mildred Stewardson and Mrs. Bessie Stewardson.

Mrs. Ura Dillingham and Richard were in Fort Worth Friday to Monday visiting relatives.

Thursday evening visitors with Mrs. E. S. Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woodard of Cache, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Price. On Monday, Mrs. Nora Goen of Santa Anna and Mrs. Rosa Machen of Gouldbusk visited.

Mrs. Herman Gilbreath of Coleman attended the morning service at the Baptist Church.

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### Trickham News

By Mrs. J. E. York

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy McVain and baby of Houston and Mrs. Jewell Stearns and Stanley James of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene James.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver and children of Spearman spent last Thursday and Friday with his parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver and Terry. Mrs. Keetie Haynes of Santa Anna and Mrs. Lige Lancaster visited with Mrs. McIver on Monday.

Mrs. Jewell Stearns of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rutherford and Mrs. Jo Grant of Santa Anna visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stearns. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray Fleming and Leslie of Abilene spent Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Martin and Mrs. Talmidge McClatchy Jr., and girls attended the McCullough reunion at Coggin Park in Brownwood Sunday afternoon. Miss Ann Martin attended G.A. Camp at Lake Brownwood Baptist Encampment last week.

Rev. James Gilbert of Denton preached here Sunday. He and his daughter, Rosalee, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Martin. Sunday afternoon they all drove over to Bangs and visited in the rest homes with Mrs. Zona Stacy and Mrs. Beula Kingston.

Rev. Bob Brandt of the First Christian Church in Santa Anna, was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boenicke. Little Miss Julia Haynes and Miss Josephina Carona of El

Paso spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes and granddaughter, Linda Cozart. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lineberry of Midland were Wednesday night supper guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lancaster and children of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Jackson and little daughter of Santa Anna were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes were Saturday night bedtime visitors with Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Whitley of Big Lake spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Whitley.

Harold Casey of Abilene spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Niki York. The boys enjoyed fishing and swimming.

Mrs. Georgia Hill of Houston visited for several days recently with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Williams and son, Harry, of Bethesda, Maryland, were visitors in Santa Anna during the week. Mrs. Williams is the former Marilyn Baxter.

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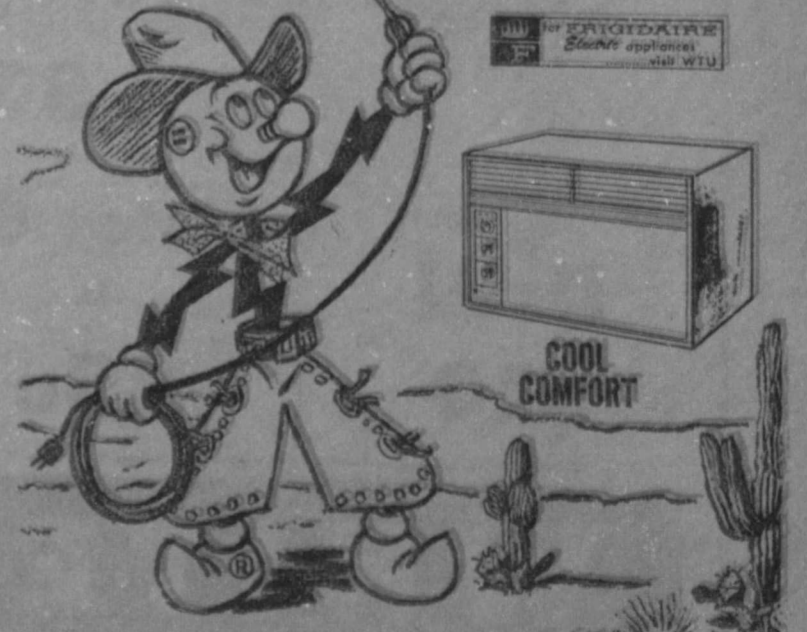
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Austin, Tex. — It's tourist season at the historic Texas State Capitol Building.

On any summer day, visitors from all parts of Texas, many other states and even foreign countries can be found in its spacious rotunda and in the splendid legislative halls or on the green, tree-shaded grounds. More than 200,000 tourists looked over portions of the 78-year-old state house during the last year, estimates the Capitol Tourist Bureau which is operated seven days a week by Texas Highway Department personnel.

Two-hour free parking is available for visitors on a lot at 11th and Congress Ave.—across from the south Capitol grounds. Limited parking also is provided on a first-come-first-serve basis in marked tourist spaces on the grounds.

**DOMES OPENED** — A part of the famous Capitol dome was reopened last year for the first time in 12 years. Visitors can now go to the fifth floor landing (in company of a guide) and are rewarded by a spectacular view of the capital city from an outside balcony.

Six guided tours a day take them from the fourth-floor elevator stop — up 112 spiral steps to the fifth floor.

Many less — adventuresome visitors are content to wander on their own through the columned corridors, to look up their Legislators' pictures in the House or Senate or to drop by the Governor's office and sign the guest book.

**CONSTRUCTION** — The Capitol covers three acres of ground and has 192,374 square feet of floor space.

At the time of its completion in 1888, it was said to be the seventh largest capitol building in the world.

In 1879, the Legislature appropriated more than three million acres of land in 10 Panhandle counties to pay for the building.

Construction was begun February 1, 1882. Owners of Granite Mountain near Marble Falls in Burnet County offered free of charge to the state all granite needed to complete the building. (Original plans called for construction of Texas limestone.) Extended labor problems delayed completion, but Texas finally got a building that cost more than \$3,700,000 in exchange for her three million acres of land.

Rising to a height of more than 309 feet (from basement floor to top of the Goddess of Liberty statue on the dome), the building is seven feet higher than the National Capitol in Washington.

It is 585 feet long and 299 feet wide, including outside steps in both measurements.

**OX-POWERED** — Fifteen thousand carloads of Texas red granite for exterior walls were hauled into Austin from Burnet County by ox-power and a specially built railroad. Texas limestone forms interior and dome walls.

Wainscoting of oak, pine, cherry, cedar, walnut, ash and mahogany would reach a length

of seven miles.

Door and window frames are all in oak and pine except those in the Governor's ornate reception room, which are of cherry.

The original copper roof covers 85,000 square feet.

Original floors were of hand-blocked clay tile, glass and wood. New hall and rotunda floors are of terrazzo, all Texas rock aggregate except for the blue in the U. S. Seal which, was imported from Italy. These retunda floors tell the story of Texas history and are regarded as among the largest and most beautiful terrazzo floors in the world.

Modeled after the classic design of the National Capitol, the Texas Capitol is built in the form of a Grecian cross.

**ALWAYS WORK** — Maintenance requires almost constant effort. Crews of painters, carpenters, electricians and plasterers are at work in some portion of the sprawling building almost every day. Many areas, including the Governor's quarters, have been remodeled, modernized and air-conditioned.

Most dramatic of the maintenance work is painting the interior of the Capitol dome every seven years. Painters work on a platform suspended 260 feet above the star on the rotunda floor.

There are still a few oldtimers around who remember when the grand old building was brand new.

**OTHER ATTRACTIONS** — "The Texas Capitol is more than a seat of government; more than a fountainhead of law," one writer has said. "With its treasurers of Texas, it acts like a lodestone upon even the 'summer soldier and the sunshine patriot.' And those who enjoy deeper drafts of history

**MORE HIGHLIGHTS** — may stand again and again before the Capitol's paintings, sculptures and documents, each time finding something they had missed before. Here, one must thrill to the feel of an undecurrent of the tremendous energy and vigor which continues to keep Texas great."

While the Capitol used to house all agencies of state government, now only the Legislature and its agencies, plus the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State and State Comptroller are under its spreading roof.

Many other state agencies are located in modern buildings just off the Capitol grounds. Visits to some of these buildings are also well worthwhile.

Especially fascinating is the fine Archives and Library Building east of the Capitol.

The Capitol Tourist Bureau, one of nine such units of the Highway Department, maintains complete information about other Austin attractions and provides travel information about the entire state.

Last year, these bureaus played host to 753,000 travelers out of a record total of more than 12,600,000 out-of-state people who were passengers in autos visiting the state.



Lieutenant Colonel Sherman R. Higdon (right), whose wife, Gaytha, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Fallis of Bangs, receives his second U.S. Air Force Commendation Medal during his retirement ceremony at Langley AFB, Va. Brigadier General Robert F. Werley, assistant deputy chief of staff for the Tactical Air Command, makes the presentation.

**SPECIAL NOTICES**

**ORDINANCE NO. 24**

**AN ORDINANCE DECLARING THE DUTY OF EVERY PERSON, FIRM OR CORPORATION OWNING, MANAGING, OPERATING, LEASING OR RENTING A HOTEL, RESTAURANT, CAFE, BOARDING HOUSE, EATING HOUSE, APARTMENT, BUSINESS HOUSE, OFFICE, PRIVATE RESIDENCE, OR ANY PLACE WHERE KITCHEN GARBAGE ACCUMULATES TO PROVIDE SUITABLE GARBAGE CONTAINERS FOR ACCUMULATIONS OF SUCH GARBAGE AND FOR THE HANDLING AND DISPOSING OF TRASH AND RUBBISH THAT SHALL ACCUMULATE FROM SUCH PREMISES; MAKING THE VIOLATION OF THIS ORDINANCE A MISDEMEANOR; FIXING THE PENALTY FOR SUCH VIOLATION; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.**

Section 1. It shall be the duty of every person, firm or corporation owning, managing, operating, leasing or renting a hotel, restaurant, cafe, boarding house, eating house, apartment, business house office, private residence or any place where kitchen garbage accumulates, to provide a portable garbage can containing constructed of galvanized iron, tin, or other suitable metal, with tight fitting cover of a capacity of not less than five gallons nor over thirty gallons and the daily accumulations of kitchen garbage shall be placed in this can. It shall be the duty of every person, firm, or corporation owning, managing, operating, leasing or renting any premises to place all trash and rubbish from said premises that can be placed in boxes, sacks or barrels of other receptacles of reasonable size, provided that the weight does not exceed 100 pounds and grass, tree limbs and grass clippings may be placed in neat piles. Garbage cans, boxes, sacks or barrels of trash and rubbish and tree limbs (which shall be cut into lengths not exceeding six feet) or neat piles of weeds, grass, tree limbs and grass clippings, shall be placed inside the property line at the edge of the alley where there is no fence and where there is a back fence with alley gate, place garbage cans, boxes, sacks or barrels of trash, rubbish and tree limbs (which shall be cut into lengths not exceeding four feet) or neat piles of weeds, grass, tree limbs and grass clippings against inside fence at side of alley gate; if there is no alley gate, kitchen garbage, trash and rubbish shall be placed inside curb line of street at front of premises, to be collected by the city garbage wagons or trucks.

Section 2. Any violation of any of the terms of this ordinance, whether herein denominated as unlawful or not, shall be deemed a misdemeanor and any person convicted of such violation shall be fined not less than one (\$1.00) dollar nor more than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars by a court of competent jurisdiction. Each day of the continuance of such violation shall be considered a separate offense and the punishment separately.

Section 3. Any and all ordinances of the city which are in conflict with any of the terms of this ordinance are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

Section 4. In order to protect the public health and the public interest of the people of the city of Santa Anna an emergency is hereby declared and this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

s/W. Ford Barnes, Mayor

Attest: s/Pauline Garrett, City Secretary

More than 10,000 board feet of lumber are used in the construction of the average home, according to the Texas Forestry Association.

**Hospital News**

**ADMITTED**

Mrs. Roy Escobar, Ballinger  
Gilbert H. Scott, Brady  
George Green, city  
Dan F. Wristen, city  
Mrs. J. P. Dean, Coleman  
Mrs. Sam Moore, city  
Miss Christino Nombrano, Ballinger

**DISMISSED**

Isaac Bethurum (deceased), city  
Mrs. Amos Taylor, city  
Mrs. Stella Wagley, Coleman  
Mrs. Roy Escobar, Ballinger  
George Green, city  
Dan F. Wristen, city  
Mrs. Sam Moore, city

**BIRTHS**

Amy Jo Escobar was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Escobar of Ballinger on June 21, 1966, weighing 6 lbs., 5 1/2 ozs.

**The Dirty Dozen**

"I heard—"  
"They say—"  
"Everybody says—"  
"Have you heard—"  
"Did you hear—"  
"Isn't it just awful—"  
"People say—"  
"Did you ever—"  
"Somebody said—"  
"Would you think—"  
"Don't say I told you, but—"  
"Oh, I think it's perfectly terrible because—"  
—The Lookout.

**Happy Birthday . . .**

**JULY 1**

Mrs. Leon Phillips  
Gilbert (Bubba) Jones  
Karen McCuskey

**JULY 2**

Scotty Walker

**JULY 3**

William Rutherford  
E. F. Talley  
Rodger Jackson  
Mrs. Billy Joe Harvey

**JULY 4**

W. R. Mulroy  
Sam H. Collier  
Mrs. R. C. Rainey  
Mrs. Vernon Penny  
Dale Hicks  
Katie Lee Collins  
Mary Anna Collins

**JULY 5**

Dan Tindol

**JULY 6**

Leland Thompson  
Mrs. Leffel Estes  
Mrs. Bob Nixon

**JULY 7**

Mrs. Lois Henderson  
Mrs. Roscoe Hosch

Some isolated areas of loblolly and shortleaf pine are found in Eastrop, Fayette and Lavaca counties and are known as the "Lost Pines" because of their isolation from the normal pine-growing area about 100 miles to the east.

**Teal Shoot Set For Sept. 10-18**

Texas will participate in a special nine-day experimental teal hunting season again this year, September 10-18, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

This will be the second statewide season conducted in order to evaluate the effects of an increased harvest on teal that normally pass through Texas prior to the opening of the waterfowl hunting season.

The hunting season will be open to hunters holding a "teal hunting permit" one week later than the 1965 hunt.

The daily bag limit will be 4 teal with a possession limit of 8. The number of permits will be unlimited and will be issued through August 8 upon application to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, John H. Reagan Building, Austin, Texas. Each applicant should submit his name, complete address and county of residence. Application cannot be accepted after August 8.

Each hunter participating in this special season will be required to have the regular Texas hunting license and Federal duck stamp, in addition to the "teal hunting permit."

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Winger spent the weekend in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee.

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## Miss Carolyn McClellan, Santa Anna Native, Gets Missionary Appointment

Miss Carolyn McClellan, native of Coleman County, was appointed a missionary to Yemen recently by the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board, meeting at Ridgcrest Baptist Assembly, Ridgcrest, N. C.

A registered nurse, Miss McClellan expects to work in a new Baptist hospital to be built at Jibla, Yemen. Southern Baptist missionaries and several Christians from other countries now operate a small hospital in Ta'izz, Yemen, but they are preparing to close it and move to Jibla. The personnel related to the Baptist medical work (begun in 1965) are the only Christian missionaries in Yemen, a small, almost totally Muslim country on the Arabian peninsula.

Miss McClellan recently returned to Coleman from Fort Worth, where for nearly two years she worked at Harris Hospital and studied in Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Born in Santa Anna, she lived on a farm near Coleman and in the Liberty community while growing up. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester McClellan of Coleman, and a granddaughter of Mr. E. S. McClellan of Santa Anna. She graduated from Santa Anna High School in 1957.

She attended Howard Payne College, graduated from Baylor University with the bachelor of science degree in nursing in 1962, and then worked in Baylor University Medical Center, Dallas and Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene.

Prior to her missionary appointment in the opening session of the annual Foreign Mission Conference at Ridgcrest Assembly, Miss McClellan gave a brief testimony. "During my junior year in high school I made a commitment to Christ to use my life in whatever way he led," she said. "I sought to make him the Lord of my life. Two years later, during religious emphasis week in college, I felt that God was calling me to foreign missions. After struggling with the decision for several days I committed my life to this purpose."

She said that in 1959 summer work in California under the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board strengthened her missionary purpose. Last summer at Glorieta (N.M.) Baptist Assembly she met missionaries to the Middle East and decided that she should work in that part of the world.

Miss McClellan is among 23 career missionaries appointed and two missionary associates employed by the Foreign Mission Board at Ridgcrest, bringing the Southern Baptist overseas mission staff to 2,179 (including 156 persons on short-term assignments).

Mrs. John Clark and daughters, Anna and Janie, of Olatha, Kansas, visited her father, W. H. Burden at Ranger Park Inn and with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sy Burden from Monday until Friday of last week.



MISS CAROLYN MCCLELLAN ... to Yemen

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Middlebrooks of Abilene visited last week with Mrs. Vera Shield. Mrs. Middlebrooks is the former Sue Phillips.

Thomas Jefferson started the Democratic party in 1793 when he resigned from Washington's cabinet and formed his own political party.

## Elementary Honor Roll

Students listed on the honor roll for the last six weeks and 2nd semester at Santa Anna Elementary School are as follows:

**4th Grade**  
6 weeks: Serena Bryan, Regina Cupps, Dorothy Williams, Benny Guerrero, Debbie Bray and Lane Guthrie. Semester: Serena Bryan and Lane Guthrie.

**5th Grade**  
6 weeks and semester: David Horner, Janna Kay Eubank, Carol Kingsbery and Janice Martin.

**6th Grade**  
6 weeks: Melinda Dean, and Sherrie McIver. Semester: Melinda Dean.

**7th Grade**  
6 weeks and semester: Nancy Haugh, Gail Robinett, Nina Stiles, Jim See and Ruth Walker.

**8th Grade**  
6 weeks and semester: Pascal Hosh, Boots Walker, Sue Kingsbery, Sheila Loyd and Lafayette Mays.

## Goldsboro Airmen Slated for Technical School at Sheppard

Airman Jerry D. Gayler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil L. Gayler of Goldsboro, has been selected for technical training at Sheppard AFB, Tex., as a U.S. Air Force aircraft maintenance specialist.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB. His new school is part of the Air Training Command which conducts hundreds of specialized courses to provide technically trained personnel for the nation's aerospace force. Airman Gayler was graduated from Novice high school in 1965.

Stamp pads at the Santa Anna News office.

## Fourth of July Holiday Accidents Estimated To Claim 31 Lives In Texas

The director of the Texas Department of Public Safety reports that DPS estimates indicate 31 persons will die in traffic accidents during the three-day Fourth of July holiday, and cited incidents from last year's Independence Day holiday as examples of how these mishaps occur.

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., DPS director, said the estimate was compiled by the DPS Statistical Services on the basis of past experience and the current trend of traffic deaths. Last year, 28 persons lost their lives in traffic accidents during the holiday period.

Garrison pointed out that the responsibility for avoiding an accident rests with each individual driver.

"Most drivers are basically good drivers," he said. "But too often even the best driver lets his attention wander and lack of attention to one's driving can be a fatal fault."

To focus attention on the added dangers of holiday travel and the need for awareness while driving, the DPS will conduct "Operation Motocycle" during the holiday period. From 12:01 a.m. Saturday, July 2, through 11:59 p.m. Monday, July 4, traffic fatalities will be tabulated by the Department and the totals will be announced officially three times daily as a means of keeping safety uppermost in the minds of the motoring public.

As a part of the DPS' operation, calling for maximum enforcement and public support, additional personnel from other uniformed services of the DPS will augment the regular Highway Patrol force.

In addition, Garrison added, numerous agencies, organizations and individuals will help in the coordinated program to

cut down on traffic accidents by taking part in the "Operation Motocycle."

## National Safe Boating Week July 3-9

The Texas Safety Association today urged Texas boating enthusiasts to join in observing National Safe Boating Week, July 3-9.

"Boating has become one of America's favorite family sports," J. O. Musick, TSA General Manager said, "And — with more and more families taking to the water for fun and recreation each year, a special effort must be made to call attention to the need to know and observe basic rules of common sense and courtesy afloat."

The safety director pointed out that despite the heavy increase in boating in the past 10 years, boating has maintained a fine safety record.

National Safe Boating Week, proclaimed annually since 1957 by the President of the United States, pays tribute to the many persons and organizations who have contributed toward maintaining boating's fine safety record, and provides a medium for focusing nationwide attention on the need to "keep boating safe."

It is estimated that more than 39 million Americans will take to the water in nearly eight million boats of every description for recreation and relaxation this year.

Musick urged Texas boatmen to observe National Safe Boating Week by brushing up on nautical know-how and by displaying "caution and courtesy in the water at all times."

## RETURN FROM MEXICO TRIP

Mrs. L. O. Garrett and granddaughter, Ruth Ann Starnes of Austin, returned to Santa Anna last Friday after a week's vacation and trip through New Mexico. They visited in Carlsbad with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoffman and family, a granddaughter of Mrs. Garrett. Mrs. Hoffman and children accompanied them to Cloudcroft, White Sands and Alamogordo. After spending the weekend in Ruidoso, Mrs. Garrett and Miss Starnes returned home by way of Roswell, N. M., Lubbock and Abilene. Mrs. Garrett reports that the mountain country was very beautiful, and some of the best crops she had ever seen in the Roswell area. An unusual amount of rainfall has been received throughout that section of the country, she added.

## Ed Jones Spends Several Days In Houston, Austin

Ed Jones has returned home after a visit of several days in Houston and Austin in the homes of his daughters, Allene Jones and Mrs. Nye Reid and family. He also visited with a granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Landers; and in the home of a sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Strauss, and a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Jones and Terry. Another brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and Linda, of Memphis, Tenn., and a sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jud, of Freeport joined the group for a visit.

On Friday evening they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. J. Bower, several nieces, nephews and friends and attended the wedding of David Vernon Strauss and Miss Lynda Wilhelm, in Bellaire Methodist Church.

Ed says it was all great, except the traffic.

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## Cole - Anna

Drive-In Theatre  
Coleman, Texas

SUNDAY - MONDAY  
TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

JULY 3-4-5-6

KIRK DOUGLAS

—IN—

"Cast A Giant Shadow"

## OAK

Drive-In Theatre  
Coleman, Texas

FRIDAY - SATURDAY  
AND SUNDAY

JULY 1-2-3

ELVIS PRESLEY

—IN—

"Harum Scarum"

—PLUS—

DEAN MARTIN  
JERRY LEWIS

—IN—

"Pardners"

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**SHORTENING Snowdrift 3 lb. .73**

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**FRYERS Fresh Dressed - Whole - lb. .29**

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