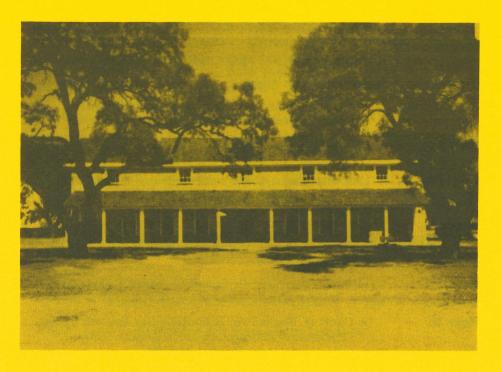
# West Texas Historical Association



Sixty-Seventh Annual Meeting April 6-7, 1990

in

San Angelo, Texas

#### HOLIDAY INN

# Conference Headquarters Friday, April 6 ★ 1:15-5:30 p.m.

Registration will be held in the Holiday Inn ★ Registration Fee: \$10.00

Afternoon Program ★ 2:15-3:30 p.m.

Session I

JUSTICE ON THE TEXAS/HISPANIC FRONTIER ... Stephen F. Austin/East

Chair: Eugene Jones, San Angelo

Paper I: "Law Without Lawyers in the Hispanic Frontier"

Joseph W. McKnight, Southern Methodist University

Paper II: "The Court Martial of Lt. Henry O. Flipper"

B.J. Fisher, Abilene

Paper III: "Lone Star Justice: Crime and Punishment in Early Texas"

Marvin Schultz, Ft. Worth

Session II

POTPOURRI ..... Stephen F. Austin/North

Chair: Jack Bates, San Angelo

Paper I: "The Early Educational Experience of Rupert N. Richardson"

Wes Watters, Grapevine-Collevville ISD

Paper II: "A Circle of Wagons: An Historical Essay Fostered by the

Epidemic of Poliomyelitis at San Angelo, Texas,

in the Summer of 1949"
Ralph Chase, San Angelo

Paper III: "The Oslo Community: A Successful Failure"

Melyn Johnson, Grover, Texas

## 3:45-5:00 p.m.

Session III

MINORITIES IN WEST TEXAS ...... Stephen F. Austin/East

Chair: Sharon Kohout, Southwest Collection

Paper I: "Blacks in San Angelo: Relations Between Ft. Choncho and the City"

Patricia E. Lamkin, San Angelo

Paper II: "The Texas-Mexican Frontier: A Mexican Prospective, 1848-1872"

Joseph A. Stout, Jr., Oklahoma State University

Paper III: "Jews in West Texas, 1900-1930"

Suzanne Campbell, Ballinger

Session IV

TEXAS POLITICS ...... Stephen F. Austin/North

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Chair: Cindy Martin, Southwest Collection

"Thomas A. Hickney: Texas Socialist and Oil Man" Paper I:

Robert W. Clark, Texas Tech University

Paper II: The Historiography of Post 1845 Texas Politics"

Walter L. Buenger, College Station

"The Borden County Ribbon Wars" Paper III: Rebecca Carnes, Texas Tech University

6:30 p.m.

Presidents Reception....

7:00 p.m.

Banquet ..... .... Stephen F. Austin Central Ballroom

Dr. David Murrah, Presiding

Speaker: Joe Frantz, "LBJ: The Other Side of Box 13" \$11.00 per plate

Saturday, April 7, 1990 ★ 9:00-10:15 a.m.

Session V

**BIG BEND HISTORY:** 

CATTLE, CONFLICT AND MILITARY PRESENCE Stephen F. Austin/North

Chair: Arnoldo DeLeon, Angelo State University

Paper I: "W.B. Mitchell and Highland Herefords"

Judith Parsons, Sul Ross State University

"The Big Bend Military District" Paper II:

Earl Elam, Sul Ross State University

Paper III: "The Portales Valley Road"

Dolores Mosser, Texas Tech University

**SESSION VI** 

MYTHS, LEGENDS, AND TALL TALES ..... Stephen F. Austin/East

Chair: Mildred B. Boren, Angelo State University

Paper I: "The B Western: An Effective History of the West"

Al Tucker, Sul Ross State University

Paper II: "The Well Dressed David Crockett: The Congressman,

The Coonskin Cap, and the Creation of the an American Icon' Stephen Hardin, Texas State Historical Association

Paper III: "Have You Heard The One About...Texas Drought Humor" Rana K. Williamson, Southwest-Texas State University

#### 10:30-11:45 a.m.

Session	VII					
TEXAS	FOLKLORE	 	 	Stephen	F.	Austin/Eas

Chair: Al Lowman, Institute of Texan Cultures

Paper I: "The Fighting Preacher of Frio Canyon"

John Minton, Institute of Texan Cultures

Paper II: "Fun, Facts, and Fantasy in West Texas County Histories"

Ken W. Davis, Texas Tech University

Paper III: "Cross Roads on the Dance Floor: Austin's Broken Spoke Saloon"

Michael Adams, University of Texas, Austin

**Session VIII** 

MILITARY HISTORY ...... Stephen F. Austin/North

Chair: Wayne Sheehan, Sul Ross University

Paper I: "Join the Cavalry: The Confederate Trooper From Texas"

James T. Matthews, Texas Tech University

Paper II: "Hunting Lieutenant Chadbourne"

Jim W. Corder, Texas Christian University

Paper III: "The Texas Insurrection of 1832"

Vonda Hines, Grapevine-Colleyville ISD

### 12:00 Business Meeting

Luncheon and Business Meeting Stephen F. Austin Central Ballroom Presiding: David Murrah

"Back To The Future: The State of West Texas History"

David Murrah

Program Committee: Arnoldo DeLeon, Chair, Cindy Martin, Fred Rathsen

Membership in the W.T.H.A. is open to everybody: dues are \$10.00 annually, which includes a copy of the *Year Book*.

Indexes for Volumes 1-45 and for Volumes 46-55 are available at \$10.00 per copy.

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