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Mountain Echoes



By
Barbara
Kingsbery

I didn't intend to return to work this soon. However there were several reasons for my quick return. (1.) Billie Gregg couldn't help out this week; (2.) I am feeling great; and (3.) the NEWS was looking so good that I figured I'd better get my feet back under the desk PDQ.

Anyway, I helped Billie Wheatley get the paper written this week, then she'll help me next week before I'm back "on my own"...

bk

Thanks again for all the kind things done for me during my absence. It is good to be back among all the fine friends and into some activity. However I promised Tom I'd acknowledge publicly his good care. He is really efficient around the house and a good cook.

bk

Congratulations to Clint and JoAnn Day upon their purchase of the Western Auto Store. It is always pleasing to know folks CHOOSE to move to our town, and these pleasant folks seem to already be enjoying living here.

FB Insurance Co. Presents Check To S.A. Fire Dept.

The Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Company presented the Santa Anna Fire Department with a check of \$75 for making a call to the fire at Mrs. Tom Stewardson's home, south of Santa Anna Monday, November 1.

Royce Burkett, agency manager of Coleman County Farm Bureau, and Bill Glass, Senior Claims Representative for Farm Bureau, presented Freddie Dodson, treasurer of Santa Anna Fire Department, with the check. It is a policy of Farm Bureau Insurance Company to acknowledge fire departments when they make calls to rural property insured by their company, to show their appreciation of the fine work the firemen do and the time they spend to help in every way they can.

Mr. Burkett and Mr. Glass also presented a check in the amount of \$75 to the Coleman Fire Department for their assistance in fighting the fire.

Christmas Event Seeks Entries

Festivities are being planned for the upcoming Christmas Season and one highlight will be the Miss Spirit of Christmas contest which will be held this year with county high school girls participating.

Deadline for entering the contest is November 19. Girls wishing to enter should contact the Chamber of Commerce office in Coleman. Each girl will have a sponsor who will furnish decorations for an open vehicle, ribbon with the girl's name, and a corsage. Girls will furnish their vehicle and their formal dress. The Commerce office will help girls who have not already obtained a sponsor.

Girls will be riding in the Coleman parade on Saturday, December 4, beginning at 10 a.m. Judges will be four college students from Abilene. Judging will take place Friday night, December 3. The winner will be judged mostly on personality.

All high school girls in the Santa Anna area are invited to participate in the contest. The Santa Anna Mountaineer Band will be marching in the parade.

AARP To Meet Next Monday

The regular monthly meeting of the Santa Anna-Bangs Chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons will have a covered dish luncheon Monday, November 15, at noon, at the Bangs Community Center. Everyone in the chapter is invited to attend and visitors are welcome.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY MONDAY

Santa Anna school students will have a holiday Monday, November 22, as faculty members have an in-service work day. All teachers and staff members will spend the day at school while their pupils enjoy a long weekend.

Store Ownership Changes



JoAnn and Clint Day
New Owners of Western Auto Store

Santa Anna Native Buys Western Auto Store

Santa Anna's Western Auto Store, located in the community for the past 36 years, has changed ownership recently. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Day, formerly of Dallas, have purchased the business from Mrs. Blanche Grantham and are now operating the business.

The store was opened in Santa Anna by the late J. C. Grantham in 1940 and operated by Mrs. Grantham since his death, a few years later. She was assisted at the store by Mrs. Cliff Herndon and the late Mr. Herndon, and Bunk Wagner is also a former employee.

Mr. Day, son of Mrs. Erin Day, is a Santa Anna native and a 1955 graduate of Santa Anna High School. He was with the Aviation Division of Southland Corporation in Dallas for the past 15 years.

Day and his wife, JoAnn, a Texarkana native, have two daughters, Angie, 12, and Amy 10. The family was active in community events in Garland where they resided.

The Days moved to Santa Anna about a month ago to the former Gipson home, a Santa Anna landmark at the corner of North Eighth and Wallis Avenue, and are remodeling the home.

The new Western Auto Store owner is in the process of redecorating the building and plans to install new fixtures and lighting. New merchandise is arriving daily that will soon include large appliances, auto batteries, tires and accessories, sporting goods, athletic equipment and gift items.

A grand opening celebration for Western Auto is planned next month when the remodeling and restocking is complete. However the business is open on the regular six-day-a-week schedule with the new owners operating the business.

Lay Renewal Weekend Set For First Baptists

Members of First Baptist Church and their families will be taking part in a "Lay Renewal Weekend" Friday through Sunday, November 12-14. Activities are planned for all ages beginning with a covered dish supper at 6:30 Friday evening.

Baptist lay-workers from Waco, San Angelo, Midland, Winters, San Antonio and Brownwood will be leading the activities that will include share groups, testimonies, special music and worship. Special children's and youth programs will be held including a cook-out Saturday noon.

The local congregation took part in a lay renewal program three years ago and choose to have another instead of a fall revival.

Hilton Gilliam of Brownwood is

coordinator for the weekend activities. Local committee chairmen are Barbara Kingsbery, Vernon Rowe, Leta Parker, Suzanne Smith, Omadean Horner, Leona Bruce, Verna Price, Tommye Pollock, Chris Henderson, Donnie and Janet Neff.

Following the Friday supper, the first session will be held in the church auditorium at 7 p.m. Saturday activities include prayer-coffees in homes of members at 10 a.m. and luncheon meetings for men, women and youth at noon.

The Saturday night program will include supper at the church annex at 6:30 and a general session at 7:30. Sunday services will include Sunday School at 9:45 and morning worship at 10:55. The 6 p.m. service will be a time of evaluation and sharing.

The visiting group leaders will be staying in homes of church members during the weekend and getting acquainted with others in the community.

People of all denominations from the entire area are invited to attend any or all of the activities. A nursery will be provided for young children at each service.

Swine Flu Innoculations Planned Here November 29

People in the Santa Anna area will have an opportunity to get the free innoculations for both A-New Jersey monovalent influenza vaccine and A-New Jersey and A-Victoria bivalent influenza vaccine will be given in Santa Anna Monday, November 29, at Community Civic Center (Armory). The innoculations will be given from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The innoculations are free to those wishing to take it, but it is not recommended for people with an allergy to eggs. Others with specific health problems should also consult their physicians about the innoculations.

Registered and licensed vocational nurses will be administering the innoculations, and a number of volunteers will be assisting with clerical work.

Mrs. Henry Newman, local coordinator, has announced a training session for workers will be held at the Civic Center Monday, November 22 at 7 p.m. Those enlisted for the project are requested to be present, and others interested in helping are welcome to be present. There is a special need for additional LVNs to administer the vaccine.

For further information you may contact Mrs. Henry Newman.



DONATION MADE... Coleman County Farm Bureau Agency manager Royce Burkett of Coleman presented Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department with a donation in appreciation for the Department's call to the residence of Mrs. Tom Stewardson which burned last week. Freddie Dodson, VFD treasurer, center, accepts the check as Bill Glass, Claims Representative, right, looks on.

SA Basketball Now Underway

Even before the dust has cleared from the football field, the Santa Anna basketball teams are on the court, ready for the round ball season.

The Junior High teams are first to start the season with games Thursday (tonight) at Perry Gymnasium.

Rebecca Martin's seventh and eighth grade girls will have a 6:30 p.m. game with the Talpa girls, followed by the boys game at 7:30. Bruce Smith is coach of the boys team.

The high school teams will travel to Bangs Tuesday, November 16, for their first games, with both the A and B teams for boys and girls to play the Bangs teams. Games start at 4 p.m.

Santa Anna will host a basketball tournament next week, Thursday, November 18, through

Saturday, November 20. Teams from schools in the surrounding area will be in town for the three-day tourney.

Dennis Higgs is coach for the varsity and junior varsity girls teams; Anthony Strother is boys varsity coach; and Bruce Smith is boys Jayvee mentor.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

A community Thanksgiving service is being planned by Santa Anna ministers, the date being Sunday, November 21. The service will be held at United Presbyterian Church at 6:30 p.m.

A. L. Swanson, pastor of Seventh-day Adventist Church, will be speaker, and Gale Brock will direct the community choir.

Most local churches will be taking part in the event, and everyone is invited to attend.

S. A. Garden Club Fall Luncheon Set November 20

The Santa Anna Garden Club met Friday, November 5, at the clubroom of the City Library Building. Mrs. Bob Wille, president, led the business meeting.

Plans were made for the annual luncheon to be held Saturday, November 20, at the Lions Club Building. A turkey dinner with all the trimmings will be served. Serving time will be from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. and the price will be \$2 per plate.

Everyone in the community is invited to have lunch with the Garden Club ladies.

Members of the club are reminded to meet Friday, November 12, at the Lions Building to prepare for the luncheon. All members are asked to be present and bring decorations for the tables.

Program Given By Bob Griffis

Bob Griffis of Coleman, owner and manager of Radio Station KSTA, presented the program at the Tuesday meeting of Lions Club. He spoke to the group on new construction and business activity in Coleman County. Griffis was a guest of Richard Chaffin.

Other visitors at the meeting were Bill Irick of Stephenville and Tommy Stevens, guests of Billy Riley; Dan Durant of Bryan, a guest of David Barkley; and Clint Day and Sidney Tucker, guest of Ford Barnes.

During the business session, plans for the December 3 pancake fiesta were discussed.

AROUND TOWN CALENDAR of Community Events

Thurs., Nov. 11:
City Library Open, 3-5 p.m.
Shower for Theoma Stewardson and Linda Slusher, Mountain C. Center, 7:30-9 p.m.
JHS Basketball games, Perry Gymnasium, 6:30 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 12
Lay Renewal Meeting, First Baptist Church
Sat., Nov. 13:
Chile Fiesta, Valera Community Center, 5 p.m.
Sun., Nov. 14:
ATTEND CHURCH
Mon., Nov. 15:
Firemen and Wives Thanksgiving supper, Fire Hall, 7 p.m.
Tues., Nov. 16:
Lions Club, Lions Building, noon
Senior Citizens Forum, Mountain City Center, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.
SAHS Basketball games, at Bangs, 4 p.m.
Wed., Nov. 17:
Jet Cadets, United Methodist Church basement, 4 p.m.

GOOD NEWS

By WRIGHT PRICE, Pastor



Several logs burn brightly together, but put one aside by itself and it loses its glow. Soon it is cold, useless and a stumbling block to all who come near.

—So It is With Christians—

Every Christian needs to belong to a Bible believing, Bible teaching Church. Actively participating at every opportunity of worship and service. "Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together as the manner of some is." Heb. 10:25.

You are invited to share a special weekend with us. Friday at 6:30 p.m. is the starting time. Join us for supper then. We are expecting you.

First Baptist Church of Santa Anna

Visitors Welcome—Members Expected

Quarter Century Pins Presented Local Masons

The Masonic Lodge No. 61 AF and AM met for a family night of fellowship Friday November 5 at the Masonic Hall.

Principal speaker for the evening was Dr. Clyde R. Majors of Howard Payne University who spoke on Masonry concerning law enforcement in the public schools.

Mr. R. W. Balke, District Deputy Grand Master, presented 25-year Service Awards to Verna H. Russell, John A. Gordon, and Edward W. Parker.

Following the program, refreshments were served and an hour of fellowship was enjoyed.

VISIT IN SANTA ANNA

Sunday visitors in Santa Anna with Tommy Stevens in the home of Mrs. Opal Stockard were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens of Colorado City and a neighbor, Mrs. A. B. Nixon, and Tommy's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens and son Corky of Sterling City. His fiancée, Zenda Cummings, was also present for the day.

The group enjoyed dinner and visiting.

Mrs. Emerson Hosts Meeting Of R-Wood WMS

The women of the Rockwood Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. R. W. Emerson Monday at 9:30 a.m., for a Royal Service program, titled "Healing in the Far East", Mrs. Lon Gray brought the devotional using Jeremiah 24:1-7 for her scripture.

Participating on the program were Mmes. Bill Bryan, R. J. Deal, Lon Gray, Howard Pearson and Mrs. Emerson.

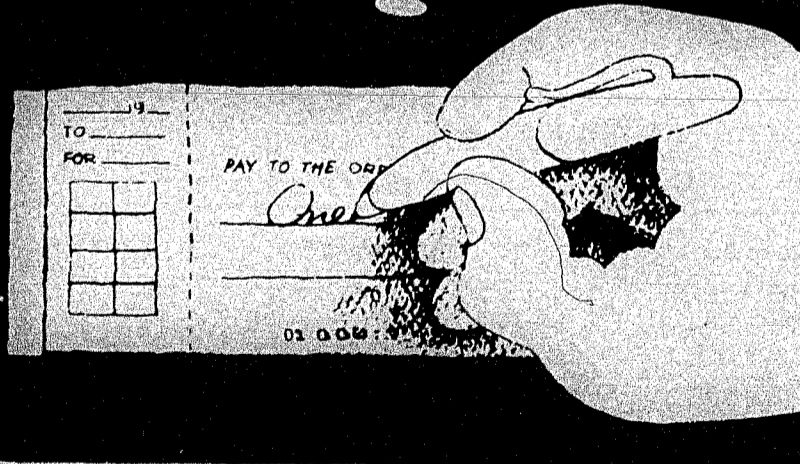
Booster Club Holds Meeting

Members of the Santa Anna Booster Club met Monday night to view the film on the Santa Anna-Irion County football game. It was voted to discontinue meetings until spring after having met weekly during football season.

Alex DeLeon was recognized as "Booster of the Week", for the final week of the season. He is the father of Alex DeLeon Jr., a member of the varsity team.



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"Car Talk for Women", a workshop sponsored by Coleman County Home Demonstration Clubs and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will not make you a "lady or man mechanic", but it will offer you some basic information about the functioning of your car and give you some practical tips for maintaining and checking out your car on your own.

Subjects to be covered in the workshop include "How to read the Instrument Panel", "Parts identification," "Practical Preventive Maintenance", "Hints on Saving Money", and "Traveling Hints". Henry O'Neal, Agricultural Engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will present the program.

The workshop will be held on Monday, November 15, at the High Rise Community Room in Coleman. For the convenience of participants, there will be a session at 2:00 and a session at 7:00 p.m. Each session will be the same.

For more information, contact the County Extension Office at 625-4519.

Dorothy Harris Hosts ESA Meet

The Delta Omicron chapter, Epsilon Sigma Alpha, met Monday night, November 8, in the home of Dorothy Harris for a business meeting and program. Sharon Cheaney presided during the meeting.

The program was on sorority rituals with the group enjoying games while new members learned the rites.

Each member brought a gift for Linda Slusher, a member of the group, whose belongings were destroyed by fire last week. Members also brought gifts to be given the Mental Health and Retardation Center at San Angelo instead of a gift exchange for the chapter at Christmas.

Lois Harper was named chairman of the float committee for the Christmas parade, and Cathy Strother will be in charge of decorating a downtown store window for the December 3 holiday opening.

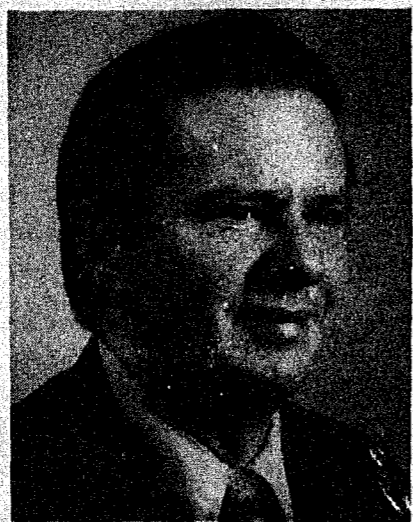
At the close of the meeting, refreshments were served to the ones mentioned and also JoAnn Higgs, Cindy Maedgen, Judy Runyan, Coyita Bowker, Gayle Stewardson, Charlotte Moseley, Sharon Greenlee, Debbie Dean and Donna Bradley.

Betty Barton To Be Feted On November 20

Miss Betty Barton, bride-elect of Curtis Roberson of Giddings, will be honored with a bridal shower Saturday, November 20, at Mountain City Center. The party will be at 7 p.m. and all friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

Hostesses for the party will be Roberta Thomas, Shirley Isaacs, Claretta Baker and Rosa Roberson.

Miss Barton and her fiance will be married December 4 in Santa Anna.



ROBERT BARKLEY To Give Program

Robert Barkley To Give Program On Zambia Trip

Sunday, November 14, is an important day for the Northside Church of Christ. At the Sunday evening services Robert Barkley will speak and show slides of Zambia.

Barkley and his son spent last summer doing evangelistic work in the African nation and plan to return the summer of 1977. The local congregation shared in sending the Barkleys to Zambia. Barkley is the wearer of many hats. He is presently completing graduate work in Abilene Christian University, he has a daily radio program over KREX at 6:50, and works at several pharmacies in the Brownwood area.

Barkley states, "Several in the community have expressed a desire to see these slides, and we want to stress that the public is especially invited to this meeting. Church services at the Northside Church have recently been changed to 6 p.m. Sunday evening.

Isiah Garzas Buy Beal Home

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Garza and family have purchased the Ricky Beal home on Avenue B and North Third, and moved to the new location recently. Mr. and Mrs. Davy Beal and son have lived in the house in recent months since the Ricky Beals' built a new home at Lake Brownwood and moved there.



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Season Ends with Victory For Mountaineer Gridders

The Santa Anna Mountaineers closed the season Friday night with a 22-8 win over Iron County Hornets. This gives Santa Anna a 3-2 record in District and a 4-6 for the season.

Santa Anna scored first on a 34 yard run by Norris Lewis. The try for the extra point failed, and the half time score was 6-0. Salvador Salazar scored from 16 yards out and then caught a pass from quarterback Jody Brusenan for the two point conversion to give Santa Anna a 16-0 lead in the third quarter.

A bad snap from the Hornets gave the Mounties a safety and they continued to lead in the fourth quarter. The Hornets came back and scored on a 9-yard pass and converted for two points to make the score 16-8.

Santa Anna scored again late in the game on a one-yard run by Jody Brusenan and the kick was no good, making the score 22-8.

The Mounties defense was cited for a good job, holding the Hornets to 101 yards total offense. Norris Lewis rushed for a 140 yards and Salvador Salazar rushed for 65 yards. David Chaffin caught several passes for around 50

yards. The Eden Bulldogs took the West Zone championship and will be playing Number One ranked Gorman for the District Championship this week.

TRANSFERRED TO HOUSTON

Benny Jack Garrett who has been a patient in the Brownwood Hospital for several days, has been transferred to St. Lukes Hospital in Houston. He will be having tests for several days.

Presbyterians Host Area Meet

A meeting of representatives from Presbyterian Churches in the central Texas area met Friday of last week at United Presbyterian Church for a forum on small church programs. Rev. Don Shepard of Amarillo was leader of the workshop.

Representatives from churches at Cross Plains, Coleman, Brownwood, Comanche, Eastland and Cisco were on hand for the day. Those representing the local congregation were the pastor, Rev. John Gordon, R. W. Balke and Norman Walters.

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By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



Our weather is beautiful. We have had frost but not enough to kill every thing to date. Cool or cold nights and warm afternoon. Our son Thomas Ray of New Hampshire called Sunday afternoon. They were all well. And having rather cold weather. Snow was in the weather forecast.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and Mrs. John David Morris visited with Mr. and Mrs. Odom Armstrong in Coleman on Wednesday.

Mrs. Bertha Newsum, Mrs. Oleta Baker, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gallaway of Zephyr and Mrs. Cecil Elkins of Brownwood, visited in the Darwin Lovelady Home in Santa Anna Thursday afternoon and all attended the wedding shower for Mr. and Mrs. Randel Lovelady in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Daniels in Santa Anna Thursday night.

Miss Barbara Kennedy and Mr. Bill Porter of Abilene, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson Sunday. Mr. Porter had charge of Sunday

services at the Shields Church of Christ.

Mrs. Lorene Black of Brownwood visited her brother Leon Carter Sunday. They visited Sunday morning in the Tom Rutherford home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney of Santa Anna were on the Turney farm Sunday. They had their farm house repaired last week with a new top, new windows and other improvements following the storm we had in early October.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene James of near Brookesmith. Mr. and Mrs. James are soon moving near Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwain in Coleman.

Mrs. Snowden of Brady visited her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick during the week.

Mr. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman spent Monday with his father Tom Rutherford assisting with farm work.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris were in Brady Thursday and visited with Mrs. Morris sister, Mrs. Ola Bell Morris, and with Floyd's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baker.

Mr. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman, Mr. Loyd Rutherford and children Tonna and Todd of Bangs and Mrs. Bob Smith of

Abilene were with their parents the Tom Rutherford Saturday. Mrs. Smith spent Saturday night with us returning home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady recently visited with Mrs. Oleta Baker in Zephyr. A Brother of Mrs. Lovelady, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Baker of Midland was also visiting with Mrs. Baker in Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zabel of Rockwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper of Rockwood were bed time visitors Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Cieta Pearson and Mrs. Vivian Steward of Rockwood visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Wimpy Watson.

Mr. Etoile Cozart of Brownwood was on his farm here during the past week. One morning he chatted with Tom Rutherford.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Randel Lovelady in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim & Fay Gill of Coleman was on their ranch here during the past week.



Mr. and Mrs. Roman C. Hintz and family Enroute to Nairobi, Kenya

Hintz Family To East Africa

SDA Assignment

Mr. and Mrs. Roman C. Hintz and children, Ricky, David, Sharon and Darlene, visited several days with Mrs. Hintz's mother, Mrs. John Hart, in Santa Anna.

The family is enroute to Washington, D. C. and New York, where they will board a plane for Nairobi, Kenya, East Africa. They will spend a little time in London, Warsaw (Mr. Hintz's birth place) Athens and then down to Kenya.

Mr. Hintz will be principal and a teacher in the school operated there for children of the American and European missionaries in that area of the Seventh-day Adventist Church. There will be some National children as well.

Enroute to Washington D. C., the family will visit relatives in

Keene, then in Gentry, Arkansas where Mr. Hintz's parents are living, on then to Belville and Boston to visit other relatives.

The Hintz family plans a six-year assignment in Africa.

Jess Howards

Fetes Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Jess E. Howard of Santa Anna were honored on their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, November 7 from 2-5 p.m. at the Mountain City Community Center in Santa Anna.

In the receiving line with the honorees were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Howard.

Guests were registered in an Anniversary Book, a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Marrs. At the registry were a great-grandson, Glenn David Pearson, and a great-great niece, Miss Cindy Rizzoffi of New Caney.

The bride's table was laid with a white linen cutwork cloth, appointments were in crystal. The bride's cake, made and decorated by Mrs. Don Howard, was a seven-tiered confection in white decorated in gold roses and latticework and topped with the numerals "50". A miniature bride and groom decorated the lower layer. Gold sugar bells made by Glenn David Pearson, also were on the cake.

The groom's table was laid with a gold cloth and was highlighted with a chocolate cake depicting an early day barber shop. It was complete with a barber pole and a miniature barber.

Relatives in the houseparty were Mrs. David Pearson, Mrs. John Howard, Mrs. Luke Rizzoffi, Mrs. Bennie Parsons and Mrs. William Sheffield. Others in the party were Mrs. Mayo Marrs, Mrs. Wilmeth Russell, Mrs. Elgean Gilliam, Mrs. Tom Howard, Mrs. R. W. Balke and Mrs. Tension Granad.

Approximately 200 guests attended. Out-of-town guests were from Carlsbad, New Mexico, Crane, Dallas, New Caney, Houston, San Angelo, Brownwood, Bangs and Coleman.

Layette Shower

Held Wednesday

For Mrs. Bradley

Mrs. Dale Bradley was honored with a surprise baby shower in the home of Mrs. Michael Cupps, Wednesday November 3, from 7-8:30 p.m.

The honoree opened the gifts after which the hostesses served cake squares, punch, nuts and mints to those present.

Those attending were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Donald Strickland, a sister, Mrs. Roy Keeney, her mother-in-law, Mrs. Bradley of Coleman and a sister-in-law, Agatha Bradley, Mrs. Leland Thompson, Mrs. Lloyd Halmon, Mrs. Freddie Dodson, Mrs. Ed Hartman and Mrs. Nathan Starr.

Several who were unable to attend, sent gifts. Mrs. Michael Cupps and Mrs. Jim Burchfield, were hostesses.

Cantata Choir

Urged to Show

Rehearsals for the community choir Christmas cantata have started, and those planning to sing with the group are asked to note the schedule and make plans to attend.

The next practice session will be Monday, November 22 at 7 p.m. at United Methodist Church, and everyone is requested to be on hand.

The community group presented the cantata, "Night of Miracles", last year directed by Richard Chaffin. Several of the 26-member choir have moved from the community or are otherwise unable to take part this year, so other singers are needed and are asked to be present Monday night.

Plans call for the cantata to be presented Sunday night, December 19.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Rev. Travis Gibson the Baptist minister preached here Sunday morning at 11 a.m. Next Sunday morning at 9:30 Rev. Richard Chaffin the Methodist minister will preach and Sunday night will be the second Sunday night singing. We hope to see all those good singers back and good crowd to hear them.

Mrs. Rankin McIver returned home from the Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene Thursday. She seems to be doing fine and glad to be home. Those visiting in the Rankin McIver home since she came home were Darla and Ricky Beal and Christi from Lake Brownwood, Inez and Roy Miller of Coleman, Russie James and Oscar and Mary Boenicke.

Rev. and Mrs. Chester Wilkerson from Winters visited the Oscar Boenickes Thursday evening. Thursday night we had a nice surprise. My nephew and wife Bill and Doris Shield of Ladonia came by and spent the night with us. They were on their way home from California. They went out there to take both of their mother's to spend the winter with their daughters, Bill's sister and Doris's sister. They had a nice visit there with all the familys and were gone two weeks, but would be glad to get home. We sure enjoyed their visit with us.

Several from our community attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard at the Community Center at Santa Anna Sunday evening from 2 to 4. It was all very nice and a large crowd attended. The Grady McIvers and Oscar Boenickes and maybe others from here attended.

Mr. O. J. Martin of Santa Anna had dinner with his daughter Oma Lee Dockery Sunday. Also Annie Lou Vaughn had dinner with them, and Mary Ola and Elmer Woods of Bangs visited them Sunday afternoon, and Russie James visited Oma Lee Monday night.

Anna Laura York visited Annie Lou Vaughn Friday evening and Rodney Guthrie spent Saturday night with her.

Lillie Featherston was sick most of last week with some thing like the flu. She was very hoarse when I talked to her to get her news.

Walter and Carrie Stacy visited the Gordon Stearns Friday night. The ones that visited the Stacys were Rev. and Mrs. Chester Wilkerson of Winters. They visited Thursday afternoon and on Carrie's Birthday, Saturday, Florence Stearns and Annie Lou Vaughn and Mary and Oscar Boenicke visited them. Carrie thought she had a big birthday. She heard from all their

children with cards and gifts and some from friends too.

Visitors with the Grady McIvers were Terry McIver and boys Saturday. Also Gayla and J. W. Sellers and family from Comanche had supper with them Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henderson of Midland and Mrs. Rosa Henderson of Santa Anna visited the Hilburn Hendersons Saturday night and Derrel Cupps visited them Sunday.

Pat and Roberta McShan and Cindy and Pat Jr. had dinner with Russie James Sunday. Cindy was home over the weekend from Tech at Lubbock, and Russie spent Friday night in Brownwood with them and attended the football game between Brownwood High School and Graham. They sure beat Graham.

Toyna Guthrie went with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Johnson of Lake Coleman to Cleburne to visit their son and family over the weekend.

Visitors with the Wiley McClatchys during the weekend were Lessie Thomas McClatchy, and Myrtle Bearid and Etoile Cozart, and Frank and Bertha Rice.

We are having some pretty fall weather the last few days. The grain that had been sowed sure looks pretty so many pretty flowers in bloom, and pretty leaves now. I love fall of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stearns of Snyder visited Saturday afternoon and Saturday night with Mrs. Florence Stearns. Sunday afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wells of Coleman.

COUNTY GROUP TO MEET

The Coleman County Historical Association will have a regular meeting at the Coleman Court House at 3 p.m. November 18. All members and anyone interested in Coleman County history are invited, and a program of early day history will be given.

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Mountaineer Band, Twirlers Compete in Regional Events

The Santa Anna Mountaineer Band was in Brady Saturday to participate in the Region VII University Interscholastic League marching and twirling contests. The local group competed with bands from other Class B schools in the mid-Texas area.

The Santa Anna Band was awarded a Division II rating for their performance which is excellent. The marching group, directed by Ben Hill and under the field direction of Drum Major Karen Gordon, is composed of 37 members.

The excellent rating pleased both director and musicians as most of the group are in the senior

band for the first year and are junior high students.

In twirling contests Saturday, several girls competed for ratings but none received the coveted Division I award. Those in the competition included solos by Robin Smith, senior; Ginger Smith, junior; and Lori Herring, eighth grade.

Twirling ensembles included Dolly DeLeon, Ginger and Robin Smith; Alice DeLeon, Cindy Greenlee and Lisa Rolfe.

Band members are tentatively planning a Christmas concert next month and will be marching in the Santa Anna Christmas parade December 3 and the Coleman Christmas Parade,

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December 4.

Other activities on the schedule include solo and ensemble contests in February and the concert playing and sight reading competition in March.

Shower Planned

For Victims of

Recent Home Fire

There will be a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Tom Stewardson and her daughter, Linda Slusher, Thursday, November 11, from 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Mountain City Center in Santa Anna.

This shower is to help replace belongings lost in the fire that destroyed their home. All friends and relatives in the community are invited to attend.

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The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints sponsored a young Women's Conference, November 6-7 at the Austin State Center in Austin. Two hundred and fifty young ladies and their mothers attended the conference

titled "Memories Are To Treasure". Activities planned for the conference included workshops, spiritual as well as educational, luncheon, and a fashion show where the young ladies modeled

garmets they had made. Mrs. J. D. Hughes, president of the Brownwood Branch of the organization attended the conference. Others attending were Regina Boivin and her mother, Mrs. Joe Ford.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL
Mrs. C. E. Kingsbery is back at home after several days in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman. She is getting along well at her home.

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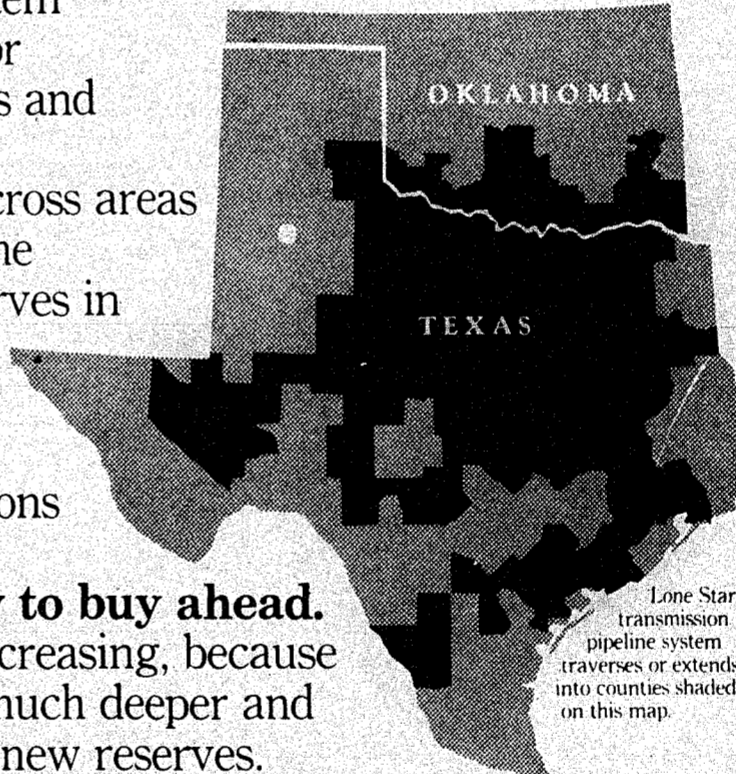
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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

Mrs. Tom (Thelma) Stewardson will be honored with a miscellaneous shower of love gifts because of the loss of her home by fire when the Home Demonstration Club meets Wednesday, November 17, at the Community Center, at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Stewardson presiding. Mrs. Roland Dues will bring a program on Special Occasion Candles, Mrs. Jack Cooper and Mrs. Blake Williams are November hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cox of Vista, Calif. and Ernest Brusenhan of Coleman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan, all of them spent Tuesday driving in the Hill Country. Bill Gustavus visited Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lester Bryan visited Monday morning with Mrs. Sam Estes.

Mrs. John Hunter visited Tuesday morning in Brady with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nevans, the occasion was Mrs. Nevans' birthday anniversary. Then spent Wednesday night watching the election returns in Mason with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Steen. Mrs. Hunter and the Steens enjoyed driving in the Hill Country Wednesday afternoon deer-counting. Then home Thursday morning.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell of Fairfield, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ardis Caldwell and Mrs. Sherry Hoskins and baby, Heather, of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Caldwell of Austin and Mrs. Frankie McCarthy, the occasion was the senior Caldwell's 63 wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Ray Caldwell and Mrs. Hoskins and Heather attended Church at the Rockwood Baptist Church Sunday morning.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Miller Box were Mr. Shipley of Joshua and Don Pritchard of Santa Anna.

Junior Brusenhan was admitted to the Brady Hospital Sunday afternoon, while Mrs. Brusenhan was at the Brady Hospital with Mr. Brusenhan they had a call from a Hospital in Denver, Colo. that their daughter, Judy, was in the Hospital. The Brusenhans were Sunday dinner guests of her mother, Mrs. R. W. Emerson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal visited in Brownwood Saturday with the Johnny Deal family, the Johnny Deals spent Sunday with his parents.

Recent visitors with Mrs. Matt Estes were her son, Herman, and his daughter and her children of Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges visited in Brownwood Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson visited one day last week in Coleman with his mother, Mrs. Fox Johnson and Bernice David White and a couple of friends of San Angelo visited the Johnson Sunday.

Garland McSwain of Dallas spent Saturday to Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey

McSwain Sunday morning visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwain of Coleman and Mrs. Marcus Johnson.

Mrs. Jim Rutherford, Jimmie Gail and Jennifer spent the weekend in San Angelo visiting her mother, Mrs. Gussie Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Eckles and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford and boys.

Visiting this weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward were Mr. and Mrs. Olin Horton of Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter of Utopia.

Mrs. Fern Baker was dinner guest Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Skelton, the Skeltons were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Skelton in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise were in Roswell, N. M. Wednesday to Friday on business. Saturday visitors with Mr. and Ms. Wise were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Elmo, Jennifer and Lola of Greenwich Conn., Mr. and Ms. Hal Singer and Richard of Chicago, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Minton of Santa Anna, Mrs. E. M. Tisdale of Brady and Mrs. Korky Wise Lyndie Jo and Shawn of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Wise, Bradley and Nathan of Seminole and Hank Wise, a student in Texas Tech, Lubbock. This was the first time Mrs. Tisdale had all seven of her great-grandchildren together.

Gene Rice and son of Arlington visited Linnie Box Saturday morning. Gene is a former resident of Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Phillips of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Lon Gray Saturday afternoon.

The Rev. Mr. Chaffin preached at the Methodist Church at the Sunday morning worship hour.

VISTS IN BIG LAKE

Mrs. Cliff Herndon visited last week in Big Lake with her brothers Dewral and Paul Willburn and their families. She also visited with a niece and baby, Mrs. C. O. Ratliff and Caline from Houston.



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Additions for ISD Cafeteria Are Approved

Max Kubank, president, led the monthly meeting of Santa Anna School District Board of Trustees when they met Monday night, November 8, at the school board room. All members were present for the session that opened with a prayer led by Jay Weathers.

Minutes of the past meeting were read and approved, and bills and accounts approved for payment totaling \$4,968. Major expenditure for the month was utilities at a total of over \$1,300.

Supt. R. C. Smith gave a report on the Governor's recommendations for school financing. Plans were made for the remodeling of the school cafeteria that was approved through a non-food assistance program that pays 75 percent of the cost of new equipment. Included in the renovation will be a new dishwasher to replace the 1952 model presently in operation, a new walk-in cooler-freezer and other rearranging. The work will be done Monday of next week on the school holiday.

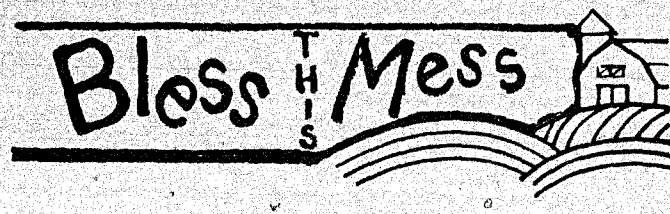
Faculty members appointed to the textbook committee were Sharon Cheaney, Joan Jones, Ruth Dodson, Judy Runyan, Roland Nicholas, Dennis Higgs, Scott Beaver, Anthony Strother and Rebecca Martin.

Board members reviewed the Work-Study Program for graduation and set policies regarding the special education graduate program in the local high school.

Plans were made for a called meeting later this month to review and approve the 1975-76 auditor's report, and the next regular session announced for Monday, December 13.

VISITS BROTHER

Mrs. C. D. Bruce was in Burnet Saturday to visit her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Banister. Also visiting there was a niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Rowley of Austin, and their daughter and family from Killeen.



By Billie Wheatley

Well, his name is Jimmie Carter and he told us he was running for president. In the early hours Wednesday morning he invited "we the people" to help him make the government work for us, so in that light I began to wonder what he could do to make my life better. If you're going to speak out it may as well be for the ladies, so I've made a little list.

Every parking space shall expand three feet when a woman pulls up to parallel park.

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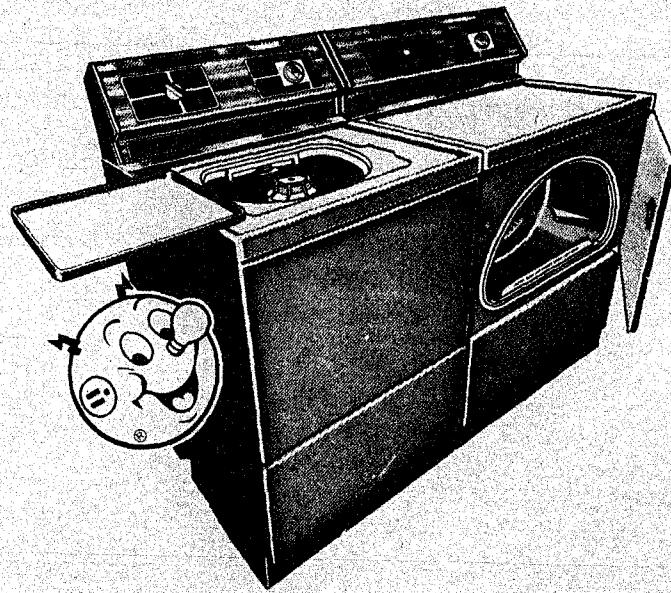
A free face lift every ten years would be nice, not that we need it.

I could sure use a medal for bravery after I've held the rope for a wild cow milking.

Unreasonable? Well, maybe so; but there is one thing that's a "must" before another election rolls around. Resolution: No wife shall be expected to get up and cook breakfast after she has set up until 3:15 a.m. watching election returns!

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By Clara Cupps

Our quilting Club met last Thursday evening. Evaline got her quilt out and Ruth will put one in next. Those attending were Ruth, Eveline and Clara.

Iona Moore visited Mrs. Carol Kingsbery in Coleman Hospital last Sunday.

Pam Morgan and John of Sonora attended the Cleveland Church of Christ Sunday morning.

Rachel and I ate dinner with granddaddy Cupps and Etta Mae last Tuesday. I visited them Saturday evening!

Eppie Lowry visited Iona Moore Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sikes and children in Bangs Saturday evening. Other visitors for the week were Evaline, Miller, O. Fleming, Ima Lee Dockery and Lura Henderson.

Lucy Cupps and Richard Wells visited in Coleman Hospital with Edward Leonard.

Sparks and Leo Boatright of Glen Cove were dinner guests of the Bruce Hibbits Sunday. After lunch they went to San Saba to see an aunt, Mrs. Josie Taff. On the

way back they had supper at Underwoods in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Herring and boys ate supper Tuesday night with Casey Herring. Eveline visited Wednesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Horton.

Mrs. Louise (Thompson) Wakes visited a while with Eveline Friday. We were so glad to see one another. She is from California. We went to school together. David, Pamela and John Morgan are visiting with home folks.

Aunt Tennie Campbells visitors for week were Mrs. D. R. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sims of Early, Ruth Hibbits, Novie Switzer, Carolee Monroe and girls of Fort Stockton, The Dutch Campbells, and the Calvin Campbells and grandchildren.

C. C. Gould Jr. of Brownwood visited Saturday with his parents the C. C. Goulds Sr. Jewel Beeler of Coleman visited Sunday evening. Mrs. H. V. Copeland of Bangs and Cherie Tedford of Brownwood and Edna Hunter came Friday and took the Goulds to town Friday.

On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gilbert were dinner guests of the John Howards. The Roy Caseys visited in the evening. J. D. Howard Jr. of Midkiff spent the weekend. All of the John Howard children were here for the Jess Howards fiftieth wedding anniversary. Other visitors have been the Joe Morrow children of Paluxy, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and boys of Zephyr, and Mrs. Turner.

Those visiting the V. H. Russells over the weekend were Mrs. Lora Russell of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Granad of New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Bob

Russell and Jeff of San Angelo. Others were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gilliam of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Howard of San Angelo. They all attended the Howards Anniversary party.

Visitors with the L. V. Cupps this week have been the Casey Herrings, Gladys Haynes, L. West, and J. T. Naron.

Hardin Phillips visits the past week were James Sealy Phillips and Billy Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Huggins.

Weekend visitors in the home of the C. E. Wisers were their grandchildren, Shannon and Tallion Their father, Charles Taylor came for them Sunday evening.

Carolee Monroe and girls spent the weekend with her parents the Dutch Campbells.

Tuesday afternoon the Dick Bauhs visited her mother. Mrs. Mae Flores in Bangs. Thanron Teague spent Friday night with the Jimmie Reids, then went to Bryan to visit the Lonnie Lowrys. They came back by Buckholts and visited the Frank Garveys and Aunt Lela Hodges.

Tammy Ellis was home visiting the home folks the Cecil Ellis, Grace visited Sunday evening.

Those visiting Mrs. J. F. Fleming and girls Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wallace of San Angelo, Mrs. J. L. Daniels and children of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davenport of Coleman visited Tuesday.

Sunday visitors in the home of the Edd Hartmans were Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Boyle of Bangs, Sandra Walker and boys of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Hartman and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wille.

Mrs. Bernice Battles, Amanda Perry and Mildred Commack visited Mrs. Roy Bledsoe of Coleman Sunday evening.

Winnie Haynes visited Clara Sunday evening.

Mr. Duncn Fraser of Dallas was out on his ranches the past week. He also visited in our home.

A recent visitor with Myrtle Wagner was her son-in-law Watt Ingriam and son Freddie. He will be stationed in San Diego, California.

Ethel Stewart and Imogene Herring were dinner guests of the Casey Herrings, Sunday. Others were Dale Herring, Peter and Jeffery of Coleman, The David Morgans and John of Sonora. They also visited the Daryl Boyles of

Bangs.

Mitzie, Tracy and Wynndi the children of the Tommy Watsons of Coleman, spent Sunday with their grandparents the O. H. Watsons. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and girls of Santa Anna visited Sunday evening.

Cindy and Troy Pierce and Jacky spent the weekend with his parents the A. C. Pierces.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore went to Travis and met Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gilbert and children. While there they visited Mrs. Ruth Moore.

For our weather Monday, Clear and Cool.



BARBARA FREEMAN

Mrs. Freeman Takes Office As Co. Treasurer

Barbara Freeman took office the past Thursday as County Treasurer, succeeding Everett E. McKinney who was serving an appointive term.

Mrs. Freeman was elected to the post as Democratic nominee in the General Election last Tuesday. Following the official canvass of votes Thursday, she was sworn in and took office.

The appointive term of McKinney was effective only to the General Election. Mrs. Freeman will serve out the unexpired term of Rondoe Horton, who resigned to run for Sheriff. The term runs through 1978.

Ranger Park Inn News

The Youth Group I from the First Baptist Church came to the Inn Sunday morning for the Sunday School lesson, after which they gave fruit and gum to the residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain of Rockwood visited her mother, Mrs. Kate McIlvain.

Billie Clay and Minnie Reynolds of Aspermont and Louise Watson of Coleman visited during the week with their mother and brother, Lola White and Troy Lewis.

Mrs. J. S. Nichols and Mrs. Fred Craig of Coleman visited with Pearl Curry and H. B. Boys.

Susie Sniders visitors have been her nieces, Flossie French, Eyyonne Moore, and Barbara Moore all of Coleman.

Sandy Clifton visited one day with Troy Lewis and Lola White.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elder of Coleman visited her brother, Orvil Croft.

Oscar Williams has been a recent visitor with his mother, Callie Watkins.

Ruby Wengel visited her sister, Stella Sanford, the past week.

Visitors with Nola Hopper have been Mr. and Mrs. Howard Young and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sheffield of Brownwood and Thelma Casey of Coleman visited with Mrs. Bernice Herring.

Visitors are always welcome at the Inn and are invited to sign the register.

Myrtle Hill, who is activities director at the Inn, has been on the sick list for a few days. Everyone hopes she will soon be able to return to the Inn.

Smith Family Moves To S. A.

Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Smith and son James, have moved from St. Charles, Missouri to Santa Anna recently. They purchased the J. T. Avants home on Fannin Street.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Smith, Rev. Smith served as pastor of Bible Baptist Church in St. Charles for over 12 years. During his pastorate a new church and parsonage were constructed. He attended school at Santa Anna, Buffalo and Liberty, then later attended Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth. He has held other pastorates in Texas, Florida and Louisiana. Mrs. Smith is a San Angelo native.

Since moving to Santa Anna, Smith and his son have been working with his brother, Travis Smith of Coleman in roofing work.

Mr. and Mrs. Avants have moved into the home of the late Mrs. M. D. Bryan on Bowie Avenue which they have remodeled and redecorated.

FORT WORTH VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Watson and children, Shirley and Marsha of Fort Worth, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson. They returned home Sunday.

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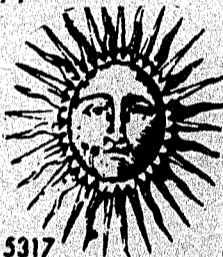
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FFA News

A freshman student at Santa Anna High School, Jerry Malaer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Malaer.

Jerry is enrolled in Vocational Agriculture I for the 1976-77 school year. For his livestock project, Jerry has chosen sheep. This year he is raising one Crossbred ewe which he plans to show this winter at the Coleman and Santa Anna stock shows. Outside of his interest in livestock production, Jerry is also active in the Greenhand Chapter Conducting Team. He is now serving a treasurer for the team, which plans to participate in the district contest later this month.

Obviously, Jerry is active in many FFA functions, but he is also very interested in athletics. Before entering high school, Jerry participated in junior high athletics such as basketball, football and track.

Jerry has proven himself to be a student community member, and young man of which all can be proud.

Terry Knapp

FFA

Robert Young son, of Mr. and Mrs. Andy D. Young is classified as a Sophomore this year at Santa Anna. Robbie is from Hawaii, where he stayed for a couple of years with his mother. He came here to stay with his father because he likes Texas.

Robert was enrolled in Coleman last year where he played football and raised commercial cattle for an AG project.

This year he is playing football for Santa Anna and is raising a Hampshire pig for AG. He is also raising commercial cattle for a project.

Robbie is an active member of FFA and the Science Club. His hobbies are hunting fishing and swimming.

FFA

E. J. Bible, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bible, is classified as a Junior at Santa Anna High School. He went to Brownwood school last year and was an active member of the football team, basketball, and track. He was in all school choir his sophomore year and was in F.C.A. for two years.

This year at Santa Anna he is in the athletic department and on the Student Council Staff. E. J. is in Vo. Ag. III and is raising 25 broilers for the stock shows. E. J. is enrolled in English III, Vo. Ag III, related math, health, pre-employment lab., Chemistry and Athletics.

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Finance Recommendations Show No Great Revisions

Governor Briscoe has recommended that the state finance 90 percent of the total cost of the Foundation School Program. This recommendation is misleading unless you are familiar with the financing of our state schools.

The Foundation Program provides money for teacher salaries, transportation of students, etc. It does not supply

money for payment of bonds, upkeep of buildings, or salaries for custodial or kitchen help. In other words, in the past years the Foundation Program has supplied about 50 percent of the total budget and the local school district the other 50 percent.

It is true that the Governor's recommendation states that the local fund assignment has been cut \$37,500, but it also cuts \$18,000 from teacher salaries, \$8,100 from Compensatory Education, and \$2,100 from State Equalization aid. The difference between \$37,500 and these three funds is \$9,300.

As was stated previously, the state supplies 90 percent of the foundation program but only 84 percent in the Santa Anna ISD—the reason being we are supposedly a little better off financially than some other districts.

If we are to keep at least the same educational program that we have now in our schools, it appears that the local school district will have to supply about the same amount of money that we have furnished in the past. Of course, these are only recommendations by the Governor and we will not know for sure until the State Legislature meets this year.

Film Forum Planned For Local People

A special TV film forum for senior citizens and others will be held in Santa Anna Tuesday, November 16, at Mountain City Center. The meeting will be a gathering where you can ask questions, talk to community leaders, view films and get advice for people over 60.

Under the title "A Human Condition," the forum will begin at 10 a.m. and continue until 3 p.m. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

An out-of-town moderator will lead the discussion on services to the aging, programs available and answer questions. An evaluation will conclude the day's program with leaders developing priorities for the community.

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Rites Held For Man Known Here

Clyde Powers, 48, of Winters, formerly of Coleman, died at 7 p.m. Saturday in North Runnels Hospital in Winters of an apparent heart attack. Services were held at 3:30 p.m. Monday in Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman.

The Rev. Charles Mitchell will officiate, assisted by Armo Bentley. Burial was in Glen Cove Cemetery.

Born October 29, 1928, in Grosvenor, he married Peggy Bledsoe, June 17, 1967, in Coleman. He lived in Coleman County before moving five years ago. He was employed at Winters High School. He was a member of Southside Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Margaret Powers Bradshaw of Winters, and Gloria Powers of the home; a sister, Margaret Powers of Clyde; a brother, James of Winters; a niece; and three nephews.

Pallbearers will be Carson Easterly, Cecil Sudduth, Manuel Esquivel, Ernest Haupt, Raul Ortega and Bill Hall.

Roping Event Held Sunday

Sonny Davis of New Mexico was winner of the annual Steer Roping Fiesta in San Angelo Sunday, competing with 35 top steer ropers from the nation. Davis is a consistent winner and a former champion in the event.

A Santa Anna father-son duo took part in the roping with Guy Allen, SAHS senior student, qualifying for the finals for the 12 leading ropers in the three-steer roping. His father, James Allen, one of the top-ranked steer ropers in the professional circuit, did not make the finals Sunday.

In the Saturday main event, veteran calf roper Dean Oliver of Boise, Idaho won the matched calf roping over Roy Cooper of Monument, New Mexico, who presently leads the PRCA calf roping event.

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City of S-Anna 'Going To Dogs'

It seems that an old problem creating the most complaints for the Mayor and all city employees are dogs that are not kept penned. It is obvious they are a nuisance and aggravation. Trash cans are seen all over town that have been turned over, the trash scattered and torn to shreds.

A personal plea is being made to control your own dog if it is straying, attacking smaller animals, or destroying your neighbor's trash. A reminder is made about vaccinations and tags for your dog's collar. Without this, they can be picked up and impounded and action taken thereafter.

If each pet owner would make an effort to control their own pet, it would make Santa Anna a more pleasant place to live and your neighbor will thank you for it.

S. A. Native Named Deacon In Brownwood

In an impressive service Sunday, November 7, Tom Stewardson was appointed a deacon of the Austin Avenue Church of Christ in Brownwood. Stewardson, son of Mrs. Tom Stewardson of R.R. Rockwood, is a dentist in Brownwood. He and his wife have two sons.

In Churches of Christ the deacons are not of the ruling board but as in Biblical instructions serve the congregation in various leadership capacities under the leadership of the elders. They must have several Biblical qualifications rendering them above average individuals and Christians.

John Shero, a minister of the church, is quoted as saying, "Tom is a wonderful person and is highly respected in the Austin Avenue Church."

MRS BOGGUS ILL

Mrs. Jimmy Boggus is very seriously ill in Brownwood Community Hospital after suffering an apparent heart attack early last week. Mrs. Boggus was in the hospital at the time of the attack, having been there three weeks for treatment of a broken shoulder and other injuries received in a fall at her home. Members of the family have been at her bedside the past week, and she was still in the intensive care unit of the hospital Monday of this week.

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VFD Auxiliary Holds Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Santa Anna Fire Department met November 1, at the Fire Hall.

A Thanksgiving supper was planned for November 15, and all firemen and their wives are invited to attend. Serving time will be at 7 p.m.

Plans were made for the Christmas season which include decorating a widow in the downtown area.

Those present for the meeting were: Edith Dodson, Janet Strickland, Donna Bradley, Patsy Starr, Anita Cupps, Ruby Hartman, and Debbie Dean. Edith Dodson won the door prize of cinnamon bread and a jar of honey, which was brought by Patsy Starr.

Hospital News

The following patients were admitted at the Ranger Park Hospital November 1-8:

Judith Gorree, Coleman
Donniga Diaz, City
Dessie Drennan, Coleman
Versie M. Hodges, Coleman
Dennie Sharp, City
Dana Beth McKinney, Burkett
Ethel Claudine Fenwick, Winters
Lela Whitely, Brownwood
Winnie Mae McGee, Coleman
Louisa J. Frausto, City
Earnestine Arnold, Coleman
Alvin H. Burden, City
Ramond Castillo, City

Patients dismissed November 1-8:

Berena McNeeley, RPI
Alma Audis, Coleman
Beulah Morgan, Coleman
Edward Nelson, Bangs
Rosa Bass, City
Willie Daniels, Doole
Nila Simmons, RPI
Reba McCarrell, Abilene
Alma Webb, City
Beulah Leavell, Coleman
Frances Reyna

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Travel Group Holds Party Saturday Night

People who went on the recent Arkansas sightseeing trip gathered Saturday, November 6, at Mountain City Center for a get-together and game party. All but five of the travelers were on hand for the party.

Mmes. Henry Newman, Norval Wylie and George Stewardson served as hostesses for the party. Decorations of fall flowers centered the refreshment table where coffee punch and assorted pastries were served from silver appointments.

Special guests at the get-together were Mr. and Mrs. Horace Shofner of Bangs. Mr. Shofner is president of the American Association of Retired Persons chapter that sponsored the trip.

Local Woman Speaks At Eden

Mrs. C. D. Bruce was at Eden on November 4, to talk on archaeology to the Eden High and Junior High School students. Slides of archaeological sites in Yucatan and Oaxaca were shown, as was display of costumes and mementoes of Yucatan.

Mrs. W. B. Sparkman accompanied Mrs. Bruce

Valera Church Chili Fiesta Set Saturday

The Valera Methodist Church will sponsor a Chili Fiesta to be held at the Valera Community Center in Valera Saturday, November 13. Serving time will start at 5 p.m.

Chili will be 75 cents, stew 25 cents, cake 15 cents, tea and coffee 10 cents.

A program will be presented at 6:30 p.m. and everyone is invited to attend. Rev. Richard Chaffin is pastor of the Valera Church.



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