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By

Barbara Kingsbery

Now that our Volunteer Fire Department has some fullfledged women members we must hereafter refer to the group as "firepersons", not firemen. Several local women, long-time members of the VFD Auxiliary, are educated in the art of truck operation and fire fighting, and now on call for local fires.

One thing for certain the winter of '76 and '77 will long be remembered. It's been COLD, and many of us have suffered with icy feet and frozen water systems.

One happy thought, spring is just two months away!

Richard Chaffin is back at home and getting along fine from his recent surgery. Needless to say, one of his first stops upon arriving home was the downtown coffee

Kenneth Bowker was appointed Tail Twister of the Lions Club during the absence of Richard Chaffin. Despite Bowker's insistence that he is doing a good job, some of the club members disagree and have been harassing him to the point of stealing Bowker's favorite pipe.

One advantage is apparent to me: Bowker has made a bargain rate for the ten-cent fines, charging three for a quarter!

Rural Fire Truck Is Now Operable

Rural residents in the community can breathe a little easier now. The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department made necessary repairs on the old Ford fire truck so that it is operable for rural fire calls.

The pump on the truck had been ailing for several months, and necessary repairs were made Monday night so that the truck, containing a 400-gallon water tank, can make calls outside the city limit.

For the past three weeks the new fire truck was the only one in operating condition and restricted by state regulations to remain in town at all times. Work is progressing well on the large water tank for the old Dodge truck and when completed will give three vehicles in operable condition for the local department.

maintain vehicles and equipment and with the recent fires in town everyone is aware of the necessity of a well-equipped department.

SAHS Girls Take District Lead

Susan Newman **Scores High** In Contest

The first-- and only-- girl on the Texas A&M University Meats Judging team, Susan Newman, was high point individual on the team at the American National Stock Show and judging contests at Denver, Colorado last week. Susan also led the Aggie team to second place in the contest and received an award as second high individual in the entire contest.

A junior student at A&M, Susan qualified for the judging team that will represent A&M at several contests this spring and next

The next contest for the 13 member team will be in Fort Worth later this month.

Susan, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman, is an animal science major at A&M where she has been named to the distinguished student list each semester since enorolling in the fall of 1974.

Arson Suspected In Pickup Fire

A late model Chevrolet pickup belonging to Leon Harvey Drilling Co. of Graham was heavily damaged Sunday morning when the interior of the vehicle burned as it was parked at the Sant Anna Motel. Santa Anna Voiunteer Firepersons answered the call at 3:15 a.m. at the Motel parking lot. The blaze was soon extinguished.

Bill Roach, an employee of the Harvey Company, reported some utems missing from the pickup and Sheriff's Department officials are investigating the fire and suspect arson in he case.

Roach is staying at the local motel while the Harvey Company is drilling in this area.

City Sales Tax Received in SA

State Comptroller Bob Bullock mailed city sales tax rebate checks last week which included the refund to the City of Santa

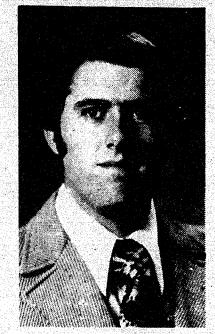
The January tax refund, payment of the one-cent city sales tax, amounted to \$745.04.

The city sales tax is collected with the four-cent state sales tax, then refunded to the cities on a monthly or quarterly basis.

Echo Jamboree

The monthly Echo Musical Jamboree will be held Saturday night, January 22, at the Echo Community Center. The concession stand will open at 6 p.m. with sandwiches, desserts and drinks and music will start about 6:30 p.m.

Everyone in the area is invited to be on hand for the family entertainment and to visit with friends and neighbors,



PASCAL J. HOSCH . . . Ass't. Trust Officer

SA Native Is Bank Officer

Pascal Hosch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hosch, has been named assistant trust officer and head teller at First Coleman National Bank in Coleman. The new appointment was made at the meeting of the Board of Directors Wednesday, January 12. Hosch has been with First Coleman National since last spring.

A graduate of Santa Anna High School, he received his bachelor and masters degrees from Texas A&M University, completing requirements for the masters degree in agri-business and banking last month. Part of the graduate program was a sixmonth internship with the bank.

Mr. Hosch and his wife, Joyce, and daughter Jill reside in Coleman where he is a member of Breeder Feeder Association. He served as secretary of the Coleman County Youth Stock Show this month. Mrs. Hosch is a teacher in the Brownwood schools.

Cash Is Taken In Burglary Last Thursday

Investigation is underway on a burglary at Burden Mobil Service Station Thursday night. The burglary occurred between the time the station closed at 6:15 p.m. and 19 p.m.

Nightwatchman Jim Lovelady reported the burglary when he discovered a borken window at the station as he went on duty Thursday night. H. A. (Sy) Burden owner of the station was called to the scene and reported over \$200 in cash taken in the burglary. Checks were scattered in the downtown street as the culprit discarded them upon leaving the scene.

Sheriff H. F. Fenton and his deputies are making the investgation.

Hi. School Basketball Teams Winning in District Games

team took undisputed lead of the District when they defeated the Brookesmith team last week and ended the first round of district action with a perfect tally. The girls also won over Rochelle in the second round action making a 8-0 district record.

In the Lohn game Friday, January 7, the girls won by a 57-47 score with Gaye Harvey scoring 26 points and Rhonda Rhoades scoring 20. On Tuesday night of last week they defeated Brookesmith 44-31 with Rhonda leading with 24 points and Gays socirng 16.

Last Friday night at Rochelle the girls mauled their opponents 69-37 with Rhonda and Gaye. having 28 and 27 points respectively.

Regardless of the results for the remainder of the seasn, the girls have cinhed a play-off for the district title. However they are without a play-off.

The Santa Anna girls basketball in the district and 10-8 for the

season.

At Lohn Terry Day scored 20 points and Mike Warnock scored 18 to defeat the opponents 74-57. In the Brookesmith game Santa Anna won with a score of 61-24 with Mike Warnock scoring 15 points and eight points each from Mike Warnock, Terry Day, Joe Joe Morris, E. J. Bible and Joe Dean Early.

At Rochelle Friday night Santa Anna won 68-35 with Warnock scoring 29 points and Day 14.

The Junior Varsity boys team is undefeated this season winning 51-23 over Lohn, and 68-29 over Rochelle. In the Lohn game Tommy Harris scored 13 and Don Eubank 12. At Rochelle Mike Pape and Eubank led with 15 points each followed by Harris with 14.

The Jayvees stand 11-0 for the season.

The Mountaineers played here seeking the second round. Tuesday night with the novice championship and district crown tems and will travel to Mozelle Friday night for 7 p.m. games. On The SAHS boys have also won Tuesday, January 25, they will several games and now stand 4-3 host the Richland Springs teams.

Local Rural Mail Carrier Receives District Award

M. L. Guthrie, Jr., an employee of the Santa Anna Post Office Department for the past 26 years, was presented the Driver of The Month Safety Award last week. The award is for the month of December, 1976, and was presented by the Postmaster John C. Gregg in behalf of the San Antoni District of the United States Postal Service.

Mr. Guthrie was selected as the driver of the month for the Abilene Sectional Center area during the first week of January. A safe driver is selected each month from the 111 towns and cities in the Abilene Sectional Center. This award enables the safe drivers to be nominated for the National Safe Driver of the Year Award.

Guthrie entered the Postal Services as a substitute clerk. In March 1961 he was transferred to the Rural Carrier position he now holds. Since that time he has been driving the 81 mile route six days each week and has never had an accident during this period.

The U. S. Postal Service has a continuing safety program underway. Each week all offices in the area have safety programs for the employees. Under this program every aspect of safety is considered. Of course safe driving is a major part of the program, as well as safety in lifting and walking.

Clyde E. Grant, Sectional Center Manager and Postmaster of Abilene, also sent Mr. Guthrie his congratulations for his accomplishments while participating in the Driver of the Month Award 76 Program.

SAHS STUDENTS EARN PRAISE

Santa Anna High School students showed their concern and interest in their friends and the community when they organized a fund drive for the Willis Morris family last week. The Morris home and all the contents were destroyed in a fire Tuesday morning.

The students collected money from the four classes and faculty members and purchased clothing for the school children and also made a cash donation to the family to show thir concern.

Principal Ken Bowker praised the young people for their thoughtfulness and initiative in the project.

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Bob Bullock Comptroller Of Public Accounts



GRANT RECEIVED—Iralee Brooks, manager of Sears-Roebuck of Brownwood, presents Dr. Roger L. Brooks, Howard Payne University president, with a \$1300 grant for the university. Grants will be donated to 36 colleges and universities in Texas this week by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

HPU Receives Grant From Sears-Roebuck Foundation

Grants totaling more than \$71000 are being distributed to 36 privately supported colleges and universities in Texas this week by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation, a spokesman said today.

In the Brownwood area, Howard Payne University received grants totaling \$1300.

We are pleased and grateful for this kind and generous donation." said Dr. Roger L. Brooks, HPU president. "James Franklin, Roy Simmons and other members of the 1977 Sustaining Fund team join me in thanking the Sears-Roebuck Foundation for its contribution."

Texas college and universities

are among almost 1,000 private accredited two- and four-year institutions across th3 country which are sharing in \$1,250,000 in Sears Foundation funds for the 1976-77 academic year. Funds are unrestricted and may be used as the colleges and universities deem necessary.

In addition to its unrestricted grant program, the Sears-Roebuck Foundation each year conducts a variety of specialpurpose programs in elementary, secondary, higher, and continuing education. Altogether, the Foundation had expenditures of over \$2,500,000 in 1976 for its education activities.

"A mere trifle consoles us, for a mere trifle distresses us."

Focus on **Employment**

If you are looking for a job, you might begin by going to your local TEC office since the Texas Employment Commission handles job vacancies for many area employers. During 1976 the Brownwood TEC office recorded job openings for approximately 70 percent of all area businesses that employ twenty or more persons.

At this time, the Brownwood TEC is recruiting qualified applicants for the following jobs: **CEMENT MASON--Experienced** cement finisher needed for ninemonth job on out-of-town building project, journeyman experience, but not license required. Hours are 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, and pay is \$8.25 per hour.

TEACHER--Requires bachelor's degree and teaching certificate with at least fifteen hours college credit in business. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

IN COLEMAN--Jobs listed for janitor and for nurse aide. Both positions pay \$2.30 per hour. The nurse aide will work 7 a.m. to 3 p.m., four days on and two days off, weekend work required. No experience is necessary, the employer will train.

NEAR LAKE BROWNWOOD--Carpenter helper for about one and one-half months work at \$2.70 per hour.

NURSE--For REGISTERED nursing home facility.

If you are interested in any of these openings, apply in person at the Texas Employment Commission, 209 Fisk Avenue Brownwood Texas or call (915) 646-1591.



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill Attorney General

be consumers, too, our with a janitor or maintenance Consumer Protection Division attorneys point out. And they can have some special types of consumer problems that have to face.

As a matter of fact, sometimes unscrupulous "con artists" and other fraudulent operators concentrate their energies solely on trying to take advantage of business persons. They figure that with the usual flow of billings and payments a business handles routinely, some dollars diverted their way will never) be missed.

Some Texas business communities recently have experienced a wave of specialized frauds aimed at "conning" them into paying for products or services never received or items which were received although they had never been ordered.

One ploy is to call a secretary, office manager, or clerk to offer "discounted" as toner for copying machines. Lawyers in our Consumer learned that one approach is to say that a customer in the same city had cancelled an it was already in shipment. "In order to save the expense of having it returned to the home authorized to sell it at a "reduced price."

that the person will receive a special bonus, such as a television, if an order is placed. Our attorneys say that address to use for "authorizaplaced, the product may be sent anyway, and the company

The Better Business Bureau reports that some unscrupulous sales persons intentionally bypass persons

AUSTIN-Businesses can in authority and talk instead person. In these cases, the seller offers a small. inexpensive gift to the janitor for his time, in order to show individual consumers never him a line of office maintenance goods. In order to get the gift, the janitor has to sign a receipt. Later, the company is sent a shipment of office goods based on the signature "authorization" on the gift receipt.

> Businesses not only in Texas but across the nation have been plagued by solicitations disguised as invoices for listings in teletype directories, international business directories, advertisements in newspapers or magazines, and similar publications.

The Texas Deceptive Trade Practices-Consumer Protection Act offers protection from false, deceptive, or misleading business practices for business consumers as well as individuals. Contact the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division in Austin, prices on office products, such Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, El Paso, McAllen, or Lubbock if you think you have been Protection Division have victimized in ways similar to the above.

You can often prevent such abuses from occurring, order for the product, but that however, simply by desigauthorize all invoices. company contributions, office," the caller says he is advertising, or other purchases before payment. The BBB also suggests that Or the caller may indicate you advise all employees to refer requests for contributions or authorizations for purchases to this person.

In addition, the U.S. Postal what the caller usually wants Service now requires that all to do is acquire a name and solicitations must be labeled as such, along with the note tion" before sending the that the recipient is not product. Even if no order is obligated to pay unless the offer is accepted. If your business receives solicitations designed to look like due bills which do not carry this information, you should report them to your local Postal Inspection Service's Fraud Inspector.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke

Services were held here Sunday morning. The speaker was Chuck Bradford, student minister from Howard Payne University, who spoke on TANE drug and alcohol Sunday morning at 11 p.m.

The ones that attended an Avon Party at the Joe Hammonds home Saturday evening Jan. 15 were Annie Lou Vaughn, Carrie Stacy, Oma Lee Dockery, Russie James, Leona Henderson, Mary Boenicke, Thelma Fleming, Evaline Herring, Daisy McClatchy, Gertrude Martin, and Dorothy Wells and the Hostesses Leta and Brenda Hammonds.

Some of us left at 3 p.m. and went to the Cemetery for the burial of George Page. He was brought from Gustine here.

George Page, 66, Rt. 1 Gustine services were at 1 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church in Gustin, with Rev. A. J. Quinn and Rev. Calvin Gray officiating. Burial in the Trickham Cemetery.

George was born in Coleman County Jan. 21, 1910. He died at 8:40 a.m. Wednesday in Stephenville Hospital after a short illness.

He married Cora Shelton Dec. 4, 1932.

Survivors include his wife, Corea, of Gustine; one son George A. Page of Brigham City, Utah; and three daughters, Mrs. Elmer Garlity of Eldorado, Mrs. Jimmy Allen of Houstonand Mrs. Charles Beaty of Waco; two brothers Leon Page of Perry Ga. and Carol Page of Nashville, Ark.; and 12 grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren and a host of cousins and friends.

George and Cora Page will be missed at our annual Cemetery meeting each year. Harrell Funeral Home of Dublin had charge of his funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. York visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Charles York in Brownwood Saturday afternoon and night.

Visitors with the J. E. Yorks last week were Winnie H

Oma Lee Dockery. Friday evening Bond and Lillie Featherston visited Ethel Mathews and Lou Featherston and Ed and Gladis Featherston. They

were all doing pretty good. The ones that visited in the Fred Haynes home after the George Page burial were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bowden of Brownwood, Jerald Bowden of College Statin, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowden of Cherokee, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Page from Arkansas, Neson Ryan of Coleman, Sye Burden of Santa Anna, Mrs. George Page of Gustine, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Garlitz and family from Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Allen of Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beaty of Waco. They all had cake and coffee and



went by the cemetery after the grave was filled to take pictures of flowers.

Other visitors last week in the Fred Haynes home were Oma Lee Dockery and G. K. Stearns, Leona and Hilburn Hendrson and Jim Linebery of Bangs.

Saturday Florence Stearns went to Cross Cut to visit R. C. and Ann Stearns at their farm. They came home with her and spent the night and Sunday, R. C. visited the Gordon Stearns Sunday

morning. The Oscar Boenickes attended services Sunday morning and visited at Bangs with Oscar's sisiter and daughter, Laura Harris and Kathleen and Jeff Fitzgerald. So glad Kathleen is doing good now, her health has been bad awhile.

Pat Jr. McShan and Chris Mays of Brownwood visited Russie James Saturday evenig and had supper with her. This Monday night Russie and her sister, Yetive Cole of Brownwood, are attending the Knife and Fork Club at Brownwood and Russie will spend the night withYetive.

Sunday Talmage and La Verne McClatchy took his parents, the C. T. McClatchys to San Angelo for Frank and Grace Newman's 50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration, Also Wiley and Carrie McClatchy attended from here. The Newmans had all their children and grandchildren with them. Congratulations to them, hope they have many more happy years together.

Earlene Dockery, Rodney and Wesley and Annie Lou Vaughn, also Tayna and Alex DeLeon had dinner at Lake Coleman at Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Johnson's. Also Mrs. Tom Johnson of coleman. They were celebrating Toyna and Rodney's birthdays, also Mrs. Tom Johnson has a birthday this Monday. They all enjoyed looking at films which were made of the family while they were young. Also had gift exchange.

The Santa Anna and Bangs AARP group met Monday, Jan. 17, at the Methodist annex at Santa Anna at noon for a covered dish luncheon. 54 present and all that were there payed their dues. Thre are 98 on roll, we are having new members along. Six who had birthdays this month were at the birthday table, Mrs. Audrey Holt made the birthday cake in shape of a horse shoe. It was very pretty. The President, Horace Shofner, had charge of the meeting. Lucile Wylie had charge of the program and several told funny things that happened in their lives.

The next meeting will be at the Bangs Community Center, Feb.

Mary Lea Mitchell and her brother, J. B. Griffin, spent the weekend at Post with her daughter and family, Lea and Loyd Mock, Jennie and James.

Rodney Guthrie spent Saturday

night with Annie Lou Vaughn. He helpedher feedher cows and went to church with her.

Grady and Genia McIver visited the rankin McIvers and the Bernice McIvers Sunday evening.

We ae still having some cold weather, but it is winter now so we might as well look for colder weather the moisture we got last week was good on the grain and will help everything.

Donations Made To SA Cemetery

A number of gifts have been made to Santa Anna Cemetery Association as memorials to recently deceased friends.

Those making donations in memory of the late Mrs. Newt Evans were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Glen Copeland Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Harris Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy Mrs. John Haynes Gale Brock

Those making donations for the late Myrtle Scott were these: Mrs. O. A. Etheridge, San Angelo

Ione Caton Gale Brock

Donations in memory of the late Mrs. Dovie Chapman have been from Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans.

L. Gilbreaths **Buy Home Here**

Mr. and Mrs. Lefty Gilbreath of Amarillo have purchased the Jimmy Boggus home on Bowie Avenue and will be moving to Santa Anna in the near future. The Gilbreaths are natives of the community and have resided in Amarillo the past ten years where he was employed with Amarillo Junior College and she worked for

a drapery company. The Gilbreaths plan extensive remodeling of their new home. They and will spend part of the time here while their home in Amarillo is being sold. They spent the past weekend with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day and sons.

Two From Here Get Invitation To Inauguration

Two local ladies are among the elite group to receive invitations to the inauguration of Presidentelect Jimmy Carter, the invitations were received earlier in the month for the Friday, January 21, events.

Jo Ann Allen, a leader in Coleman County Democratic Committee, and Ellen Richards, an employee of Coleman County telephone Cooperative, are the two known here to have been invited. Neither plans to attend the occasion.

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Cleveland News

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores of Bangs, and withher brother, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Flores of Vernon.

Tonie Watson visited Ruth Hibbetts Monday evening.

Aunt Tennie Campbell's visitors were her children, the Calvin Campbells and grandchildren and the Dutch Campbells.

Mrs. Ruth Hibbetts visited the C. C.Goulds Sr. Friday. Edna Hunter of Brownwood came and took her parents to Santa Anna one day.

Buddy and Irma Benge and Timmy of Brownwood visited the Bruce Hibbetts Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Ellis of



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211 Ccmmercial Ave. Coleman, Ph. 625-2227 Brownwood visited Aunt Lela Hodgs Thursday. Dick visited Thursday, and Ruth visited on Friday.

Tammy Ellis returned to school at San Marcos following the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. J. L. McDaniel, Johnny and Lynn of Carbon visited her mother, Mrs. J. F. Fleming and girls, Saturday.

J. D. Howard Jr. of Midkiff came Friday night and stayed until Sunday after lunch with his parents, the John Howards. Visitors with the V. H. Russells Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Elgene Gilliam of Abilene, Ms. Pearl Etheridge of Brownwood, Artie Magill of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. William Havner of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard and J. D. Jr.

Mrs. Peggy Sikes and children of Bangs visited Sunday with her parents, the Charlie Flemings. They were dinner guests and also attended church at Cleveland.

The Kenneth Sikes and children of Bangs visited Saturday evening, Derril McCain and Tammy Perry also visited Saturday. Mrs. Florence Stearns visited Wednesday and Leona Henderson visited the Flemings Friday afternoon.

Pam Morgan and John of Sonora came Sunday and spent the night with her parents, the Casey Herrings. John will spend the week with his grandparents. The Dale Herrings, Pete and Jeffery of Coleman visited Saturday.

Eppie Lowry visited lona Moore Monda of last week.

The L. V. Cupps' visitors were Billy Williams, Brad Welch, J. T. Naron and Gladys Haynes.

Lawson Battles visited the Adolph Kellys Thursday night. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Smith also visited them.

Dick Baugh visited Friday with

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Benny Barker, Owner 1200 N. Neches Coleman, Texas Telephone (915) 625-4433 Hardin Phillips. The Lee Ray Huggins and David were also visitors.

Phil Huggins and Dana of Coleman visited his parents, the Lee Ray Huggins and David, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell vsited the Carl Stovalls of Coleman. Capt. Kenneth Carroll of Crswell AFB of Fort Worth visited the Campbells Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hartman went tmBangs and visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Darryl Boyle, Sunday evening.

Edna Walker and Mary Ola Woods of Bangs visited a little while Saturday morning with Byrdie Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wise and Mrs. Roy Casey were dinner guests Sunday with the Charles Taylors and children of Abilene.

I am now helping out at the Ranger Park Hospital for awhile, so please call me with your news, or help me out with it.

I got to speak to and visit with Bunk Wagner Monday morning. The Billy Don Cupps and Kasha

of Brownwood visited late Sunday evening with his parets the R. W. Cupps. They also visited the Robert Robinetts of Sana Anna.

For our weather: Sure has been cold and bad.

New Subs

Martin Lehnis, Brownood City of Santa Anna L. V. Cupps Bessie Standley, Odessa Grady Banister, Burnet R. D. Holt, Copperas Cove Tex Collins, Valera Shield Brown, Austin Jessie Williams, Coleman Mrs. J. L. McCaughan Sylvia Herring Glynn McClure Jennie Richardson, Odessa Mrs. O. C. Yancy E. B. Drake Mrs. C. M. Moseley Hays Hefner, Lubbock Neta Williamson, Brownwood V. I. Dean Karen Beard, Austin Dr. Don Woodruff, Corpus Christi Dr. bzes Wise, Brownwood Ruby Harper Mrs. Vera Funk, Rockwood J. C. Avants, Coleman Mrs. J. W. Sellers, Comanche Tode Hensley, Coleman walter Holt, Coleman Virgil Newman Bill Jack Harris, Tyler Milford Harris Edith Guffey, Las Cruces, N. M. M. E. Williams, Bisbee, Ariz. Jim Elder A. E. Lowe, Jacksonville

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Sylvia Herring Local Representative

Ranger Park Inn News

The Junior High and High School Sunday School classes of First Baptist Church were at the Inn Sunday morning for group singing and a devotion. Adults accompanying the group were William Brow, Anna Puckett, Donnie and Janet Neff and Barbara Kingsber. Robin Smith was pianist for the singing.

The Junior Department will be at the Inn Sunday, January 23.

Rev. and Mrs. Gary Lawrence and Mitzi, Miss Adele Vinson, Selma Hasserodt and Vera Scott were at the Inn for the church service January 10. Residents enjoyed having the group with them.

Tom Todd, Ada Ferguson and Billy Allcorn are patients in the hospital this week. Nancy McCoy was dismissed from the hospital and is back at the Inn.

Mrs. Joe Baker is staying at the Innfor awhile to recuperate from injuries received in a fall downtown recently. She is getting along well.

Billie Clay of Aspermont was a visitor of her mother, Lola White, and her brother, Troy Lewis. She was spending several days in Santa Anna with her daughter, Mrs. Don Clifton and family, and visited several times with the relatives at the Inn.

Bessie Parish visited Bertha Simmons, Pearl Swartz and Mrs. Baker one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Smith of Mason visited Sunday with his mother, Myrtle Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis of Coleman were other visitors of Mrs. Smith.

Roy R. Terrell and family of Key West, Florida visited an aunt, Carie Spirlock.

Myrtie Hill, the former activities director at the Inn, was by to visit friends one day last week.

Small Business Seminar Slated

The Brownwood Chamber of Commerce and the Small Business Administration are sponsoring one six-hour Financial Management Seminar on Tuesday, January 25, 1977 at the chamber of Commerce in Brownwood, Texas.

Topics to be discussed in the first session from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. are "Small Business Today," "Factors Affecting Profitability" and "Tools of Financial Management." Scheduled for the second session from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. will be a discussion on "Financial Planning," a film entitled "The Heartbeat of Business" and general discussion.

Since registrationis limited, pre-registration is requested. For further information, contact Mr. Raymond Beck, Manager of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce.

Rites Held For Dovie Chapman Last Thursday

Funeral services were held Thursday, January 13, at First Baptist Church for Mrs. Dovie nChapman, 89 who died in Ranger Park Hospital Tuesday. Burial was in Rockwood Cemetery under the direction of Henderson Funeral Home.

Rev. W. M. Price, pastor of the church, officiated at the services. Born November 27, 1887 to the late Samuel A and Ella (Old

Moore, she married in Travis

County in 1906 to John B. Chapman, He died in 1913.

Mrs. Chapman resided near Rockwood until moving to Santa Anna in 1944. She was a member

Anna in 1944. She was a member and former Sunday School teacher at First Baptist Church, a member of Woodmen Circle and a former city librarian.

Survivors include one daughter Mrs. Bryan F.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Bryan E. (Vivian) Phillips, of Fort Worth one sister, Mrs. Lela Gassaway of Elm Mott; a number of nieces and nephews. Oen daughter, Inez Glenn, preceded her in death in 1965.

Pallbearers for the services were William Brown, Lwis Miles Guthrie, R. J. Deal, Jim Rutherford, R. C. Smith and Bill Bryan.

Relatives Attend Chapman Funeral

Relatives attending funeral rites for Mrs. Dovie Chapman were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Phillips of Fort Worth, Mrs. Bessie Standley and Mrs. Audas Smith of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Dosh T. McCreary of Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hodges of Brownwood, William Hodges of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore, Mrs. Buck Mills, Mrs. Ed Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Moore, all of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bland of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Stem of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges and Mrs. Lon Gray of Rockwood.

Funeral Rites Are Held For S-Annan's Kin

Funeral services were held Tuesday and Wednesday for relatives of a Santa Anna area man.

Mrs. C. N. Davenport, 71, of Coleman was buried Tuesday in Bangs Cemetery following Coleman services. She died Sunday morning, January 16, in an Abilene hospital. Mrs. Alberta (Davenport) Rutherford, 70, of Bangs died Sunday afternoon in a Dallas hospital following a three-month illness. Services were held in Bangs Wednesday.

Mrs. Rutherford was a sister of Clyde Davenport and Mrs. C. N. Davenport a sister-in-law

COUNTY GROUP TO MEET

The Coleman County Historical Commission will meet Thursday (today) at the Coleman County Courthouse. The meeting will begin at 3 p.m. and all interested people are urged to attend.

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Discussion will be proposed historical markers for Coleman County.

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Monday: Corn dogs with mustard, whole kernel corn, pork and beans, cheese stix, purple plums. milk

TUESDAY: Chicken and noodles, green beans, buttered carrots, hot rolls, peanut butter and syrup,

WEDNESDAY: Ham and cheese sandwich, sliced tomatoes and lettuce, French fries, oatmeal cookies, milk.

Area Sheepmen Are Invited To **Short Course**

A sheep short course has been planned by Roger Blackmon, Coleman County Extension Agent, to be held Wednesday and Thursday January 26 and 27 at the Hospitality Room of First Coleman Natinal Bank in Coleman.

A panel of sheep producers will give part of the program that will start at 7 p.m. each evening. The remainder of the program will be given by Dr. George Ahlschwede, State Sheep Specialist from San Angelo. He will show slides of tours to several midwest sheep producers last year.

Coleman County sheepmen on the program will be Dale Herring, Ralph Edens, Bob Turner, Clyde Thate, Johnny Jamison and Harold Bragg. A question and answer session will conclude the panel presentations.

All interested people in the area are invited to attend the special program next week.

Brownwood Man To Speak Here **Sunday Morning**

Thomas M. Hays will serve as worship leader at the Sunday, january 23, worship service at United MethodistChurch. Speaker for the 10:50 service will be Rev. Jack Riley of Brownwood, Mthodist District Superintendent.

Jay Weathers, a member of the congregation, will be speaker at the rural churches during the absence of the pastor, Rev. Richard Chaffin, Mrs. Terry McIver is music director nd leading the Tuesday evening rehearsals of the choir.

Jimmy Eubank on ASU Roll

/Jimmy Eubank, son of Mr. and Mrs. JAmes Eubank, was among students listed on the Dean's honor roll at Angelo State University. He maintained a grade average of 3.50 or above during the fall term.

A graduate of Santa Anna High School. Jimmy is a senior physical education major at ASU.

Coleman Monument Works Night 625, 27 1

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Rep. Lynn Nabers For Legislature

Rep. Lynn Nabersof Brownwood has been named chairman of the Criminal Jurisprudence Committee by Speaker of the House Bill Clayton.

Nabers, in his fifth term, will also serve on the House Administration Committee and Institutions Financial Committee.

He is one of 11 members of the Criminal Jurisprudence Committee who will consider all matters concerning prohibitions, standards and penalties under criminal law. The committee will also consider all matters relating to criminal procedure in the Texas courts, proposals for revision of the Penal Code of Texas and legislation pertaining to the Board of pardons and Paroles.

Clayton, who moved Nabers from the chairmanship of the Health and Welfare Committee to the new assignment, said he did so because Nabers had "proven to be a capable chairman who could handle any assignment."

The House Administration Committee has jurisdiction over the administrative operation of the House and the General House

Financial Instituions Committee has jurisdiction over all matters pertaining to banking, savings and loan associatons, credit unions and the State **Finance Commission.**

Deputy Sheriff Has Office Here

Deputy Sheriff M. R. (Bud) Simmons will be maintaining an office in Santa Anna and will be at the office for some time during each day. However no regular office hours have been set.

Mr. Simmons will share the office with Chamber of Commerce, the phone number being 348-3535. The office is located on Wallis Avenue, next door to Treadwell's Barber Shop.

Santa Anna Coed On Honor Roll

Debbie Jean Harris, a senior elementary education major at Angelo State University, was listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at the University. Debbie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Harris and a 1974 graduate of Santa Anna High School.

Miss Harris was in the group with an average of 3.0 to 3.49 on the 4.0 scale.



Roses Planted At Cemetery By Garden Club

Mrs. Bob Wille presided at the Friday, January 7, meeting of Mountain City Garden Club when the group met at City Library Clubroom. Two new members, Mrs. Clarence Smith and Mrs. J. C. Seratte, were welcomed into the club.

A report was given on the cemetery where 77 rose bushes were planted by the club along the boulevard at the entrance. J. T. Avants. Jim Daniell and two employees of Santa Anna Co-op Gin donated their labor to plant the roses.

It was voted to plant a tree at Kate Mathews Memorial Park on Arbor Day.

During the program a discussion was held on planting and soil preparation during the month of January.

Others present for the meeting were Mmrs. Arthur Casey, Alma McNutt, Jess Howard and Bert Turney.

The next meeting of the club is Friday, February 4.

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Local Church Aids in Relief Here, Abroad

Seventh-day Adventists gave more than 17 million pieces of clothing and \$9 million in cash through its community services program in the last recorded year, according to report sent through Mrs. John Hart, director of the Santa Anna Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Statistics for 1975 showed a 21 percent increase in articles of clothing and a 30 percent jump in cash and food contributions over

Mrs. Hart reported that the world Adventist Church helped 11.7 million persons in one form or another during 1975. Nearly all Adventist Churches have Community Service Centers or "Dorcas Welfare" societies affiliated with their congregations for the purpose of helping needy. In 1975 there were 11,104 such centers.

The Santa Anna-Coleman Church distributed 4,325 garmets, besides about 300 pounds of clothing sent to the Adventist warehouse in Watsonville, California, during 1976. 393 hours of labor went into this work. Also 26 pieces of bedding were given as well as 56 miscellaneous articles. There were 122 persons helped.

Anyone needing help from the Community Services Center or wishing to donate good, clean clothing, bedding or other articles should contact Mrs. Hart or Mrs. Ba: ker in Santa Anna. or Mrs. Vioda Fields, 625-5174 or Veda Pearl Quinn, 625-2374 in Coleman. Bedding and even some furniture will be appreciated and will fill real needs.

Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

The Home Demonstration Club has slated the meeting for Wednesday, January 26, at the Community Center at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Lon Gray and Mrs. Bert Turney hostesses. Ms. Maynard Gaines will present the program on "Where there's a Will-Setting your household in Order.'' Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes of

Bovina visitd last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert See of Coleman were visiting with Linnie Box Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges visited in Brownwood Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hodges. Mr. and mrs. James Hodges of Clyde spent Saturday night and Sunday with his

Saturday morning Mrs. Claud Box visited in Santa Anna with Jim Lovelady and his aunt, Mrs. Myrtle Robertsonof Englewood, Calif. and visitd in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle and Willie Gipson. Sunday Ms. Box accompanied the Rev. and Mrs. C.

W. McCulloughand Mrs. Jack Rutherford to Lohn, attending services at the Baptist Church where the Rev. Mr. McCullough is pastor. They were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gale Doyal.

Mrs. Billy McIntire has been a patient in Ranger Park Hospital for some ten davs.

Mrs. Joe M. Box of Freeport visited Linnie Box Monday morning enroute home she and her sisters, Mrs. Jack Rutherford and Mrs. C. W. McCullough had been visiting in Bangs with their mother Mrs. J. O. Chaffin and Anita, Mrs. Chaffin was celebrating her 87th birthday anniversary.

Cash donations made to the Cemetery fund in memory of Mrs. Dovie Chapman were from Mrs. Claud Box, Ms. R. W. Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore, and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Parker, Regular funds Box, Mrs. Bob Mobley, Myrtle Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal spent the weekend at Woodson visiting Mrs. Guy Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Winstead. The Deals were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Deal and family in

Brownwood other quests were Mr.and Mrs. Joe C. Deal and Belinda of Bangs. The occasion was Johnny's birthday anniversary.

We regret to report te death of Mrs. Dovie Chapman, Mrs. Lon Gray's aunt, and express our sympathy to the family. Mr. and Mrs. Dosh T. McCreary of Tulsa, Okla. spent Thursday night with Mrs. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCutcheon of Abilene spent Friday night and Saturday night at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd of Comanche spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain visited in Coleman Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Trotter, who have recently moved there from Lamesa, they also visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwane.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Maxey, Mark and Jason of Abilene visited briefly Saturday enroute to Brady to visit relatives with Mrs. John Hunter.

Dove Season Ended Sunday

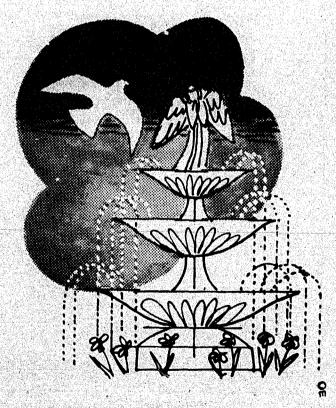
The winter hunting season for mourning doves ended Sunday after being underway since January 1. No reports on the dove harvest have been made in the Coleman County area, however doves were said to be plentiful in areas with un-harvested sorghum fields or other cover.

Four Central Texas men, two from Goldthwaite and two from Comanche, found dove hunting almost too good early in the season. The four hunters were in possession of 247 doves over the limit and were fined a total of \$700 following their apprehension by game wardens.

The men were hunting in Mills County at a baited feed lot were from Mr. and Mrs. Miller surrounded by empty shells and doves. According to the game wardens, doves were in a shaving kit, plastic bags, in a 10-gallon drum and in a pile.

The case involved the greatest number of doves in the 15 years Royis Tucker had been a game

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By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris visited with Mrs. Morris' brother, Mr. and Mrs. WilliamPerkins, in Coleman Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna visited with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Randel Lovelady, in Brownwood Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Wimpy Watson of Brownwood was greeting friends in our community Saturday afternoon, As we know, Mr. and Mrs. Watson have just moved to their home purchased in Brownwood and have not been well with colds since being there.



Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Walker family at Burkett Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle of Santa Anna visited with Mrs. Radle's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn in Coleman Saturday afteroon and were supper guests.

Last week was really a bad week for visiting, and weather wise our community had one inch of rain, and the roads and ground were really muddy, falling overa period of several hours.

Mrs. Floyd Morris and Mrs. John David morris were shopping in Brownwood Saturday and also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Floyd Morris and also with Mrs. "Ma" Bush Harrell. We are sorry to hear Mrs. Harrell is not feeling so

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney of Santa Anna were on their farm here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna recently visited with Mrs. Vera Lovelady and her daughter, Mrs. Doris Starnes, in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Micky Paldrack and daughter of Coleman were Sunday dinner guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Greham Fitzpatrick visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson in Brownwood awhile Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John David Moris were in Coleman Wednesday and Mrs. Morris spent the day with her mother, Mrs. Armstrong.

Mrs. Rex Turney will go to Temple Tuesday and will be with her sister, who will have surgery in Scott and White Hospital Wednesday. Friends will be remembering them.

Games Planned With Talpa JHS

The Santa Anna Junior High boys basketball team won over the Novice boys Monday night at Perry Gymnasium. Danny Guerrero scored 18 points and Duane Warnock scored 16 to lead the Junior Mounties to the 41-33 victory.

The local girls lost to the tall Novice girls by a 40 to 19 score. Leading the local girls were Gayla Pritchard with 10 and Lori Herring with four points.

The JHS teams will travel to Talpa Monday, January 24, for a series of games starting with PeeWee games, followed by the JHS girls and boys games. The sixth grade teams will play at 4 p.m. and 5:15 p.m. with the regular games starting at 6:30.



Virginians rebeled against their British governor 100 years before the American Revolution.

Talpa, Mozelle Are Winners Of JHS Tournament

The Talpa boys team and Mozelle girls team won the championship at the Santa Anna Junior High basketball tournament last weekend. The Talpa boys defeated the Santa Anna JHS boys 39-26 in the championship game Saturday night. Duane Warnock was leading scorer for the local team with eight points.

Santa Anna defeated the Richland Springs team in the first round of play Thursday, then won over Blanket on Friday.

Winning consolation trophy in the boys bracket was Richland Springs which won over Mozelle.

The Mozelle girls defeated Ballinger girls 36-27 for the championship trophy, Brookesmith girls took the consolation prize when they won over Talpa 32-21.

The Santa Anna girls won their first game over the Richland Springs girls, then lost to the Ballinger team on Friday.

Also in the tourney were junior varsity teams from JHS which lost to their opponents in the first two rounds of play.

Wanted by the FBI: Clerical Employees

The Dallas Office of the FBI, through its Special Agent in Charge, Mr. Theodore L. Gunderson, has announced it is in need of clerical employees to fill the positions of Clerk, Typist, and Stenographer at Bureau Headquarters in Washington, D. C. these positions present an excellent opportunity for all young people, male or female, including minorities, who are at least 16 years of age, United States citizens, and have at least a high school education, provided they can pass a rigid investigation of loyalty, reputation and character, and are in good physical condition. No previous experience is required.

The entrance salary for a Clerk is \$6,572 (GS-2) per year with a raise in thirty to ninety days to \$7,408 (GS-3) per year, if their work is satisfactory. A twenty word spelling test must be passed to qualify for the Clerk position.

A Typist starts at \$7,408 (GS-3) per year. Applicants for the Typist position must pass a five minute typing test at the rate of 40 words per minute and a twenty word spelling test.

As openings occur, applicants for the Clerk and Typist positions who are interested, are considered for the Fingerprint Clerk position which starts at \$7,408 (GS-3) per year. Successful candidates are considered for promotion to \$8,316 (GS-4) per year after six months; to \$9,303 (GS-5) per year after one year; and to \$10,370 (GS-6) per year after two years experience in fingerprint work.

A Stenographer starts at \$8,316 (GS-4) per year, To qualify for the Stenographer position applicants must pass a three minute dictation test at the rate of eighty words per minute; pass a five minute typing test at the rate of forty words per minute; pass a twenty word spelling test; and a twenty word vocabulary test.

The FBI is only interested in above average young men and women. Many FBI clerical employees continue their college education on a part-time basis in the Washington, D.C., area while working at these full time clerical jobs. Young men and women who possess a four year college degree from an accredited college and who have been employed in a clerical capacity with the FBI for three years and meet all other requirements may then be considered for the Special Agent position at a starting salary of \$15,524 (GS-10) plus overtime of \$3,881 per year.

The FBI provides counseling services to its new employees to assist them with housing, transporation, and other needs. If close friends or young married couples apply at the same time and are found acceptable, every effort is made to afford them appointments on the same date.

The FBI does not come under Civil Service in that the FBI has its own application form, tests, investigates and hires its own employees rather than draw them from a Civil Service list or

An application and detailed information may be obtained by calling or writing the Special Agent in Charge, FBI, 200 Mercantile Continental Building. Dallas, Texas, 75201, telephone Area Code 214-741-1851, or by contacting the nearest FBI office whose telephone number will be listed in the front of your telephone directory.

Completed applications should be sent to the above address as processing of such applications can be instituted as much as six months prior to an individual's availability. Upon receipt of a completed application. interested applicant will be contacted and arrangements made for personal interview and appropriate tests at a time and place convenient to the applicant.

Vacancies for the positions of Clerk, Typist, and Stenographer frequently exist in the Dallas Office for which interested and qualified applicants may also be considered.

The many benefits of working for the FBI such as annual leave. sick leave, health and life insurance. and retirement benefits should be thoroughly considered when choosing a



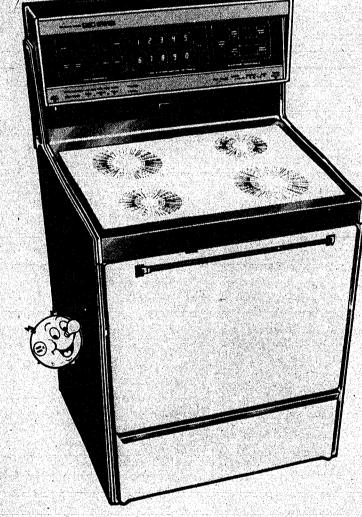
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Mohair Council To Meet in San Angelo

The Mohair Council of America will conduct its annual membership and directors meeting at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 27 at the LaQuinta Motor Inn in San Angelo.

Highlighting the one-day meeting will be the election of directors, officers, discussion of the world mohair market situation, and a report on the first vear's collections by the new Texas Mohair Producers Board.

Jim Heath of Austin, textile industry development program coordinator for the Texas Industrial Commission, will be featured speaker. Heath has been active in seeking new textile industry for Texas for a number of years, particularly since Texas produces most of the nation's natural fiber but manufactures few finished products of these fibers.

A special feature of the membership meeting will be the premiere showing of a slide presentation on the mohair industry produced by the Soil Conservation Service in cooperation with the Mohair Council. The presentation was prepared as an educational film for use by civic groups, schools, colleges and others.

The final business session will be highlighted by the election of officers. Directors will elect a new president to succeed James T. Hunt of Sonora, who is completing his third term as the council's chief executive.

Hunt is only the second person to serve as an officer in all positions, having first been elected as secretary-treasurer in

Serving this past year with Hunt ware Sid Harkins of Sanderson. vice president; and Bob Childress of Ozona, secretary-treasurer.

In addition to regular business, directors and members will hear reports on plans for the International Mohair Association meeting to be held next June in San Antonio, which will draw leading importers, mohair manufactuers and processors from all over the world. Also expected to draw much interest will be a year-end report on activities of the Texas Mohair Producers Board, formed in March, 1976, by referendum when mohair producers in 54 Texas counties voted in favor of setting up a 2.5 cents per pound checkoff for mohair sold each year. The board administers the checkoff program.

"It is our sincere hope that every producer who can will attend this important meeting and help the new officers map out a strong promotion program for the future," Hunt said.

Pork to be Plentiful

Pork is expected to be plentiful in supermarkets throughout the state in January, according to Agriculture Commissioner John C. White. Production rates during the first month of 1977 are likely to continue seasonally large and average about 22-24 per cent above the unusually low level of a year ago.

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Selecting a Nursing Home? Plan Ahead

provides the services and and atmosphere a persons needs and prefers takes time and effort, as well as information, Mrs. Vivian Blair, family life education specialist aging, says.

"Considering that a nursing home becomes a person's home and community for as long as he remains there explains how necessary and worthwhile the search can be.

"It helps to plan ahead for the future of older members of your family as well as your own later years. Advance planning makes on better able to locate the right nursing home care at the right price—or to find suitable alternatives to nursing home care. It also enables one to accept the decision to enter a nursing home in the event it becomes necessary," she said.

Mrs. Blair is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Explore the alternatives to nursing home care in your community or area. There are increasing services available such as visiting nurses, homemakers and home health aides. These services enable a person to remain in his own home longer, she pointed out.

"When an older person needs help with dressing, shopping, meal preparation and personal chores, and when these needs cannot be filled by his family or community services, then

Finding a nursing home which nursing home care could be needed. It is also needed when the older person requires medical attention which the family cannot provide at home or when keeping him at home severely upsets family life.

> "The decision should be discussed among family members—including the patient. Consult your physician. Always consider the patient's needs and preferences. After all.his lifestyle may be changed. Everyone, regardless of age or degree of health, has a right to influrnece his own fate. Consider family needs. No one needs to feel guilty about a loved one moving into a nursing home if all alternatives and consequences have been carefully weighed and if the nursing home is chosen with care," she said.

The specialist pointed out that contrary to general belief, only five per cent of all people 65 years of age or older reside in nursing homes or similar institutions. But if you live to be 65, there is one chance in five that you will die in a nursing home.



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AROUND TOWN CALENDAR of Community Events

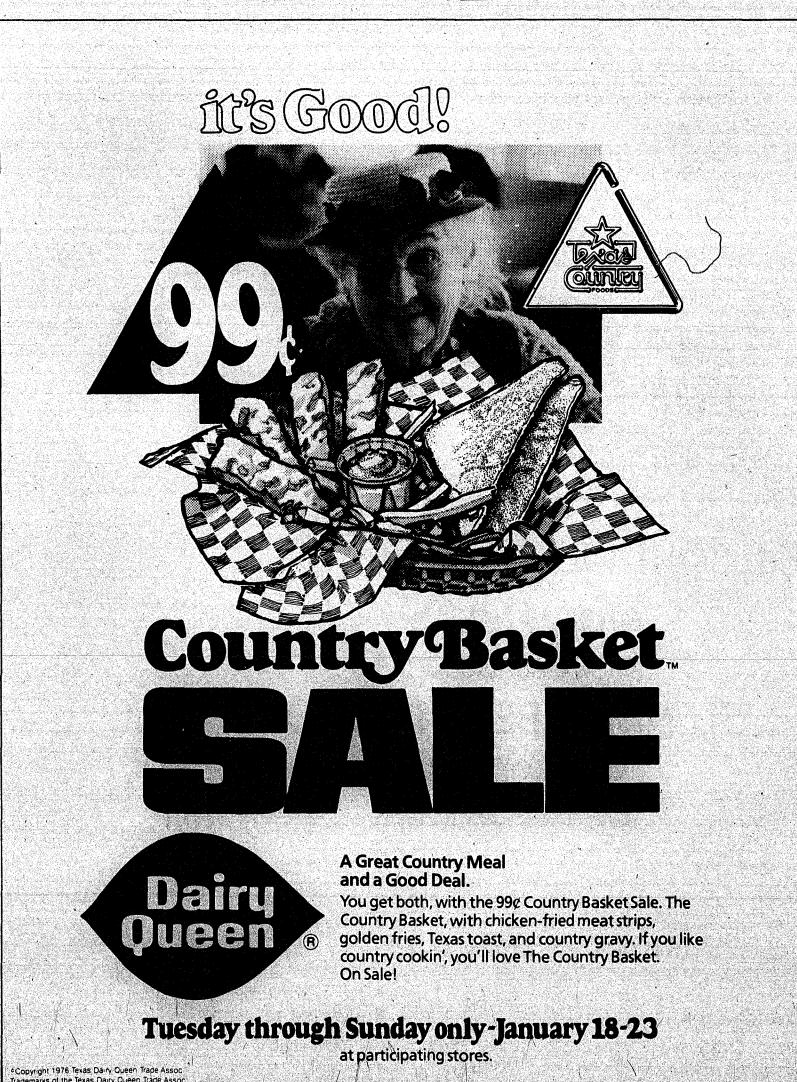
Fri., Jan.21: SAHS Basketball, at Mozelle, 7:00 p.m. Sat., Jan. 22: Sun., Jan. 23: ATTEND CHURCH Mon., Jan. 24: 6th Grade Basketball, at Talpa, 4 p.m. JHS Basketball, at Talpa, 6:30 p.m. Tues., Jan. 25: Lions Club, Lions Building, 12:00 noon SDA Service Center open, 1-3 p.m. SAHS Basketball, Perry Gymnasium, 7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal, Methodist Church, 7 p.m. Wed., Jan. 26:

Sheep Shortcourse, in Coleman, 7 p.m.

Methodist Men, UMC Annex, 7 p.m.

Effective February 1st STANLEY CRITTERS

Brownwood, will be Open Tuesday and Thursday Only to Buy Live Caught Raccoon, Fox, and Bobcat. Also Groom Dogs.





COMMUNITY ATHLETES..... The Live Oak Baseball Team is shown here about 1915. The team was in competition with those from surrounding communities. Those pictured are front row, Virgil Newman, Carroll Kingsbery and Carol Williams; back row: Walter Newman, Seth Elmore Hudson, Floyd Visor, Walter Ferguson, umpire, Tucker Newman, Ernest Newman and Earl (Pud) Williams.

Mrs. N. Walters Reviews Book For Study Club

Colors of red and white were used at the tea table when Mrs. Hardy Blue was hostess at the January meeting of the Self Culture club last Wednesday. Mrs. Peter Durichek was cohostess and welcomed the members at the door.

Hotfruit punch and carrot cake was served from china services.

Among reports given when Mrs. Norvel Wylie, president, was conducting business, was that the club had been given \$5 for the decorated Christmas window

downtown.

Mrs. Norman Walters gave a review of the popular new book, "None Of These Diseases", by

Dr. S. L. McMillen.
Present besides those mentioned were Mrs. Willard Allen, Mrs. C. D. Bruce, Mrs. Fil Cabansag, Mrs. Earl Chapman, Mrs. Gus Morgan, Mrs. W. F. McCary, Mrs. Burl Sparkman, Mrs. Opal Stockard, and Mrs. C. P. Wenzel.

HAS EYE SURGERY

Mrs. E. W. (Fannie) Gober of Abilene, formerly of Santa Anna, had eye surgery last week in Abilene. She received a cornea transplant in one eye and was hospitalized only a few days.

Mrs. Gober is back at Happy Haven Nursing Home where she has resided in recent months. Her daughter, Mrs.Lolete Curry of Coleman, and her sister, Mrs. Elton McDonald, were with her during the surgery.

Rockwood WMS Holds Meeting

The women of the Baptist Church met with Mrs. Lon Gray Monday at 10 a.m. for a Royal Service program, titled "Telling God's Love in Human Languages". Mrs. Gray conducted the devotional using Psalm 62:5-12 as her scripture. Prayers were offered by Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. R. J. Deal.

Mrs. Bill Bryan conducted the business session, when minutes were read and approved and the February social was set for Monday, February 7; Mrs. R. W. Emerson gave the dismissal

Members participating were Mrs. Emerson, Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. Howard Pearson, Mrs. Deal and the hostess, Mrs. Gray.

County Baptists To Meet Jan. 25

The Coleman County Baptist Associational meeting will be held Tuesday evening, January 25, at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Coleman. The conference will be an orientation session for the "Good News Texas" revivals that will be held during February.

Discussion and planning groups will be held for chairmen of all the revival committees. Among those leading groups Tuesday night will be W. M. Price, pastor of First Baptist Church.

Baptists from all Coleman County churches will be attending the session starting at 7:15 p.m.

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Program Given By Kit Horne At Lions Club

Kit Horne of Coleman, a 4-H foreign exchange student, was guest speaker at Lions Club Tuesday, showing slides and telling of his five-month stay in Norway last year. Kit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Horne and a graduate of Tarleton State University, was one of 75 American 4-H'ers chosen for the project last year.

Thomas Wristen introduced the program. During the brief business session led by R. C. Smith the mid-winter conference of Lions Clubs was announced for January 29 and 30 in Colorado City

Other visitors at the meeting were Morris Schulle, a guest of Ronald Combs, and Velma Benton, Barbara Kingsbery, and Ace Reid Sr., guests of Thomas Wristen. Horne was a guest of Elgean Harris, program leader for the day.

Lauren Hawkins Born December 23

Mr. and Mrs. Allen (Joe)
Hawkins have announced the
arrival of a baby daughter,
Lauren Suzanne, born December
23. The baby weighed seven
pounds, 11 ounces upon arrival at
Bethesda Naval Hospital.
Bethesda, Maryland.

The little girl is also welcomed by a sister, Stephanie, who will be five year's old in March. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Louise Avants of Coleman.

Mrs. Hawkins will be remembered here as the former Patricia Beard.

Richard Zabels Have Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Zabel of Bangs announce the birth of a son at the Brownwood Hospital, Friday, January 14. The boy weighed seven pounds, three ounces and was named Bradley Scott. He has a little sister, Melissa Dawn, 2 years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Zabel and Mrs. Billy McIntire all of Rockwood.



Pecan Production Dives By Near Three-Fourths

AUSTIN--With Texas pecan growers facing the most dismal harvest in 14 years, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White reports that some producers have sustained complete losses of their 1976 crops.

A 74 per cent drop is being forecast for Texas pecans in comparison to last year's crop with the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service estimating total 1976 production at only 18 million pounds.

"In pecan production, every other year a large crop develops. Because the 1975 crop was 68 million pounds, we were expecting around 30 to 40 million pounds this year," White explained.

However, a plague of poor growing conditions, including insects and diseases, have contributed to the small harvest throughout the season.

At the same time, harvesting has also been slowed due to sleet and rain throughout much of Texas.

"The only bright side to the poor pecan crop is the good prices being paid for

METHODIST MEN TO MEET

Men of United Methodist Church will meet for their monthly supper and program Wednesday night, January 26, at 7 p.m. Supper will be served at 7 p.m. followed by a business meeting and program.

All men of the church are invited to be present for the meeting.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Children and grandchildren of Jeanette and Blackie Brock visited during the weekend with their parents and grandmother, Mrs. Ethyl Matthews. They included Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tucker and children of nyder, Duane, Doug and David Tucker of Colorado City, Bill Tucker and family of Santa Anna.

Also here for Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Woods and daughter of Mnahans, C. D. Leach of Fort Worth, a son-in-law of Mrs. Matthews, was a visitor Thursday of last week.

ATTEND ANNIVERSARY FETE
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce were
in Junction Sunday to attend the
fiftieth wedding anniversary
party for Mr. and Mrs. Asa Murr.
The two couples have been friends
for many years, the two men being
schoolmates in Kimble County.

WITH ILL SISTER

Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Price are in Dallas with her sister, Mrs. Billie Moore, who is very ill in a hospital there. Mrs. Price was called to her sister's bedside last week and Rev. Price went to be with the family Monday.

the pecans which are available. Improved varieties are bringing from 75 to 97 cents a pound, while natives are in the 65-70 cent a pound range," White said.

Nationally, production is expected to be down 59 per cent from last year's crop.

Cemetery Assn.

To Hold Meeting

The annual membership meeting of Santa Anna Cemetery Association will be held Thursday, January 27, at the Telephone Cooperative building. The business meeting will start at

7 p.m.

A report will be given on the past year's work at the City Cemetery and new officers and directors chosen for the coming year. A good attendance is urged at the meeting next week.

Nurses Group To Meet Here

Sub District 1, District 15, Texas Nurses Associaton will meet in Santa Anna Thursday, January 20, at the Health Activities Center at Ranger Park Complex. Mrs. Georgia Hughes, vice president of the organization, will also serve as program chairman for the meeting.

Program topic will be "The Advantages of Membership in the Association," All registered nurses in the area are urged to be on hand for the meeting and take part in the three-county group.

Prices Published

A USTIN--Information concerning prices received as well as paid by Texas farmers is now available in a recently issued publication, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has announced.

Included in the publication are the average prices received by farmers for major Texas crops and livestock from 1960 to June, 1976, generally at the point of first sale.

Prices paid by farmers are shown for 303 production and living items in 1974 and 1975.

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Ada Ferguson, Ranger Fark INN.

Billy Allicern, Ranger Park inn

Patients dismissed January 10-

Nancy McCoy, Ranger Park Im-

Dovie Chapman, city (deceased)

Others still in the hospital

Tom Todd, Banger Park Inn.

Ruby Lobstein, Coleman

Frank Salas, Coleman

R. C. Archer, Caleman

Illa Croft, Coleman

Ezra Beall, Coleman

Louisa Frausto, citx

Santha Honton, Braids

Charles Horton, Brady

Oline Yarbaraugh, city

Odie Fuller, Caleman

Mercedes Nambatac, city

Rybby Lobstein, Coleman

Victor Manning, Brownwood

Bassia Wasson, Brownwood

Rachel Swafford, Coleman

Hessie McMillan, Caleman

Ruby Mointire, Rockwood

Nora Stavin, Coleman

Margaret Herring, city

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January 17:

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Allie Smith, city

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> The family of Mrs. Dovie Chapman

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CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank Or. Fill Cabansag and the staff at Ranger Park Inn and Hospital for the loving care and kind attention shown our aunt, Dovie Chapman, while she was there. Each of you went beyond the call of duty to show your love and concern.

> Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Moore Mrs. Lon Gray

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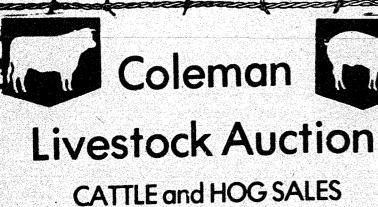
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Years Ago In The NEWS

The following stories are from the February 1935 issues of the NEWS:

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Holland, formerly of the Plainview community, now living out on Route 3 out of Coleman were among the pleasant callers at this office Monday. Mr. Holland stated his grain crop was badly damaged by the recent freeze. Thanks for the fine box of canned goods which paid Mr. Holland's subscription up into spring of 1936.

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Gene Heley, son of Rev and Mrs A. L. Haley, is recovering from injuries sustained last Friday night when he fainted and fell on a show case at Walker's Pharmacy. Several stitches were required to close the gash at his throat, and his face is badly bruised.

--42--FROM THE SAHS "MOUNTAINNER"

Ninety-two is the exact count of the windows in Santa Anna High

These windows are used for ventilation as well as for observation. And are they used for seein' things? Of course, the mountain is very pretty when one catches a view of it from a secondstory window but there are plenty of happenings on the campus to attract one's attention.

Students find many uses for the windows. Books sail out now and then. Although it is not a common occurance, one could descent to the ground by a window.

Friday, January 25, the girls met with their coach, Miss Hays, in the Home Making Department to organize a baseball team for this year. Louise Oakes was elected captain.

The team is composed of the following: Louise Oakes, Doris Rollins, Elizabeth Morris, Ruth Laverne Irick, Martha Bell Bharvey, Gene Revel, Margaret McDonald, Mary Todd, Gene Adams, Augusta Bond, Juanita Self, Eva Dean Bledsoe, Gale Collier and Lenora Golston. --42--

Weekend specials at Self Save **Grocery Store:** Early Bird coffee, 19c per lb. Macaroni or Spaghetti-4c per pkg. 2 lbs. crackers-15c Sour pickles-15c jar Pork and beans-5c a can Corn Flakes-9c a pkg. Snuff-29c per glass Apples-4c per lb.

LEEDY SCHOOL NEWS:

The Sixth Grade has organized an English Club with the following officers: President, Kingsbery; vice president, Merele Ferguson; secretary, Tom Kingsbery; treasurer, Edmond Perry.

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When the Santa Anna High Basketeers met the Coleman Quintet in the Buaffalo High Gym Tuesday evening, it was extremely doubtful about which way the game would go.

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The game went Coleman's way for about the first five minutes, with their scoring 11 points to none for the local team. But Santa Anna rallied and scored tentimes to lead 18-17 at halftime.

Coleman won the game 28-27. See was high point man with 12 points. The starting line-up was Wallace, center; See and Burney, forwards; Price and Cheaney, guards.

Regardless of the fine rains that soaked the fields with plenty of moisture filled surface tanks to. overflowing and affixed a redemption smile on he face of most every farmer, stock raiser business man in the county, there is one main item that has not been reckoned with yet. We have reference to the water situation in Santa Anna.

At the time the present lake was built, people were led to believe that the water problem had been solved permanetly for Santa Anna, but a few years experience has taught us that the problem has been slightly or otherwise, overestimated.

We can probably hold our own, but Santa Anna can never go forward without adequate water supply.

Friday is Arbor Day

Arbor Day coming up Jan. 21 signals the time for Texans to beautify home landscapes and communities by planting trees.

'Trees have long been appreciated for their beauty and by-products such as lumber and cooling shade. But trees have proved they are worth much more," says Everett Janne, a landscape horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension service. 'Majestic oaks, pecans, cedars, pines and elms are being used to combat noise and air pollution and as protection from erosion.

"Our ancestors realized the permanent beauty of trees and their value to each coming generation. Such a thought should be kept in mind when planting a tree this Arbor Day," says the Texas A&M University System specialist.

The tree to be planted should be selected for the climate the soil of the area, emphasizes Janne.

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Q. Several homeowners in my neighborhood applied for a grant from the city under our community development plan to enable them to restore their homes. Is there tax due for money received for this purpose?

A. Payments or grants made to further legislatively funded benefit programs for promotion of general welfare, such as grants to low-income homeowners for the restoration of their homes, are not a part of gross income, but considered general welfare in nature and nontaxable. For more details contact the local agency responsible for your community development plan.

Q. I visited an IRS office, and re-

quested an application for an employer identification number because I'm starting a new business. While there, I was given some information in the form of a kit concerning the tax obligations related to my type of business. Is this a special procedure of the

A. More than likely you received a set of materials called Your Business Tax Kit. Publication 454. that is compiled for each new businessperson who applies for an employer identification number. It is a routine but important procedure for the IRS to provide individual tax information to people starting a new business because each individual may require different tax information.

Usually, the package is presented by an IRS representative with a complete explanation either at an IRS office, at the taxpayer's place of business, or at the taxpayer's home.

Q. Robbers broke into my home and stole several personal items valued at \$550. The items were not insured. How much of this loss. can I claim as a deduction on my Federal income tax return?

A. A loss you endure due to theft of property held for personal use may be claimed as an itemized deduction on your Federal income tax return. However, such a loss is deductible only to the extent that it exceeds \$100. This \$100 limitation applies to each instance of theft.

In addition, if requested by the IRS, you must be able to prove that you sustained a loss.

For more detailed information. see IRS Publication 547, Tax Information on Disasters, Casualty Losses and Thefts, available at IRS offices.

More Rainfall; 76 Total Given

Santa Anna received rainfall last week, a total of .75 inch at the official guage in town.

Moisture of an inch or more was reported around the community, a great benefit to fields and pastures. The rainfall rain was received Wednesday night and Thursday, January 12

The only other moisture recorded this month and year was .10 inch received from the sleet that fell Sunday, January 2.

Rainfall for the year of 1976 totaled 25.4 innhes according to R. W. Balke, rainfall reporter. October was the wettest month with five inches, and December had the least moisture with only .35 inch reported.

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Parents or guardians are required to submit reports for alien children under 14 years of

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