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Mountain Echoes



By
Barbara
Kingsbery

The activity of the Fire Department is a gauge of the humidity—or lack of it. The local firemen are having more calls and expect to be busy as long as the dry weather continues.

Everyone is urged to use care when burning trash, or better still, dispose of trash and garbage some other way.

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After mentioning recently that Santa Anna had several published authors and listing them, Mrs. R. W. Balke called to tell of another and sent by an attractive book of poetry written by Mrs. B. T. Withers and published in 1930 by Holcombe-Blanton of San Angelo in 1930. The book is entitled 'Red Birds.'

Mrs. Withers lived in Santa Anna while her husband was on the local school faculty.

Coleman Rodeo In Progress

The 40th annual Coleman Rodeo is in progress this week, continuing through Saturday. Performances are at 8:30 each evening.

Two hundred and six contestants were entered in the rodeo at the deadline, competing in the five events and barrel racing.

The Coleman County 4-H Horse Club will present a pageant each evening, "Texas Under Six Flags". Costumed riders on horseback will take part in the colorful presentation.

Jim Shoulders of Henrietta, Okla., is producer of the rodeo and Jon White of San Antonio is announcer.

Serving as queen of the 1977 show is Tammy Rabon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rabon. Other royalty to be on hand will be Miss Rodeo America, Terri Edington of Cross Plains and Miss Rodeo Texas Teen, Leslie Barr of Coleman.

Jack B. Horne of Coleman is president of the Coleman Rodeo Association and Ted Taylor is arena director for the second year.

A big rodeo parade is planned for downtown Coleman Friday at 5:30 p.m. featuring floats and decorated vehicles.

A dance will be held each evening following the rodeo performance at the open air pavilion at the rodeo grounds. Bill Hendersen and the Sundowners will furnish music for the dances each evening.



TAMMY RABON
1977 Coleman Rodeo Queen

VFD Makes Calls To Grass Fires

Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department answered a call Monday afternoon to a grass fire at the Garland Powell home in the Buffalo Community. The blaze was under control by Mrs. Powell and Roanna Barton when the VFD arrived. The fire apparently started from sparks or an exploded aerosol can from burning trash near the house.

VFD members were called to another fire Tuesday afternoon when tall weeds and grass ignited in a vacant lot near the home of Xuma Myers Jones on east Wallis Avenue. The blaze was thought to have started at a trash fire at a nearby mobile home, and the fire quickly spread in the dry foliage. Several out-buildings at the site were threatened by the fire, but the firemen and tank trucks kept the blaze under control.

The VFD members will be working on another fire truck this week, equipping a recently-purchased one-ton truck for use in the community. The truck will be equipped with a 500-gallon tank and a new pump, providing faster service, especially to the rural areas.

'Wallis' Band Sets Reunion

More interesting activities are being planned for the 1977 Ex-student Homecoming. Plans are now underway for a reunion of the early Santa Anna High School Band and community band organized in the late 1930s by Tom Wallis.

Doris Belle Turner of College Station, a member of the group, is organizing the get-together and Mr. Wallis, now of Bryan, plans to attend the October 14 - 15 homecoming and be with the group.

Local members of the musical group, their families and friends, are being sought for the reunion with time and place of the get-together to be announced soon.



COUNTY CHAMPIONS—The Santa Anna Orioles are Senior League champions, winning over the Coleman Astros in the post-season playoffs. Members of the team are, front row, Michael Salazar, Tommy DeLeon, Danny Guerrero, Junior Salazar, Wayne Kuykendal and Ernest DeLeon. Back row, Thomas DeLeon, coach, John Gordon, Duane Warnock, Jerry Don Culpepper, Joe Malaer, Ricky Compton and John Gordon, coach.

Senior League Orioles Coleman County Champs

The Santa Anna Orioles won the Coleman County Senior League championship Friday evening when they defeated the Coleman Astros 7-5. Mike Salazar pitched a two-hitter for the winners.

The Orioles, coached by Thomas DeLeon and John Gordon, won the first half of play while the Astros won the second half. The playoff went to the third game before the Orioles claimed the

title.

In balloting last week, five Santa Anna players were named to the All-Star team. They were Mike Salazar, Duane Warnock, Danny Guerrero, John Gordon and Ernest DeLeon. Jerry Don Culpepper is an alternate for the team.

The All-stars will be in a two-day regional tournament starting July 21 at Breckenridge.

Water System Proposals Discussed By City Council

City Council members heard a presentation from Wendell Sparkman, consulting engineer, on proposed solutions to the water problems in the City of Santa Anna when the group met in regular session at City Hall Thursday, July 7. Mr. Sparkman presented three plans with cost estimates for each.

The proposed plans to up-grade the city water supply will be studied again by the city leaders when Mr. Sparkman has additional information on available grants and loans. Estimated cost for a complete new water system was just under two million dollars, the figure including a new pump station at Lake Brownwood, two booster stations and treatment plant and all new lines in the city.

Mayor Glen Copeland led the Thursday meeting that included a report of Gale Brock on a recent

meeting in Austin on waste water disposal and how the state rulings affect the local system. Other routine business was also discussed at the session.

The next regular session will be held Thursday, August 4.

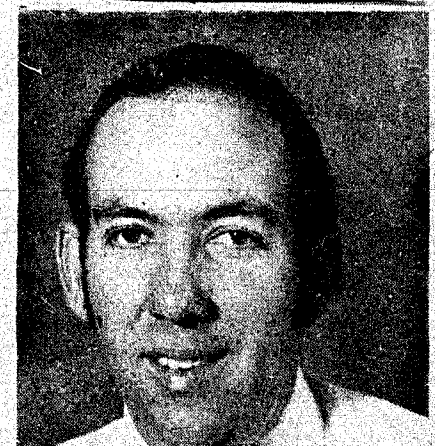
Hico Native Taking Over Vo-Ag Job

Scott Patterson has been elected Vocational Agriculture teacher for Santa Anna High School. He replaces Billy Riley who resigned to take the same post at Merkel.

A native of Hico and a 1965 graduate of Hico High School, Patterson holds both a BS and MS degree in agriculture education from Tarleton State University. He has taught the past eight years at Springtown, a AA school located west of Fort Worth. He had 150 students in the Vo-Ag program there last year.

During his years at Springtown, Patterson's vo-ag and FFA groups had many honors. He was honored with a Lone Star Farmer degree and completed certification for cooperative part time vo-ag training.

Patterson and his wife Barbara are parents of three children, Jody, aged five, Jeannie, two, and Cynthia, two months. They are living in the Jim Eubank house just west of town. They are Baptists.



SCOTT PATTERSON
New Vo-Ag Teacher

Garden Club Meeting Slated On Friday

The Mountain City Garden Club will meet Friday, July 15, at City Library building for a business meeting. Plans for the coming year will be discussed and a decision made to continue the long-time group or disband the group.

All members of the club are requested to be present for the 2 p.m. meeting Friday.

AARP Meeting Here On Monday

The Santa Anna Bangs chapter of American Association of Retired Persons will meet Monday, July 18, at United Methodist Church annex. A covered dish luncheon will be served at 12 noon followed by a program and business meeting.

All members of the group are invited to be present for the monthly session.



CCTC EMPLOYEES RETIRING—Fern Hoke, Eddie Paul Voss and Ellen Richards, left to right, will be honored Friday July 15, with a reception at Coleman County Telephone Cooperative office upon their retirement from the company. All three employees have been with the local telephone system since it was privately owned and known as Santa Anna Telephone Co.

Veteran CCTC Employees To Be Feted on Retirement

Three long-time employees of Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, Inc. are retiring this summer. The three, Eddie Paul Voss, Fern Hoke and Ellen Richards, will be honored with a reception Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock at the CCTC office. Family and friends of the honorees are invited to go by during the afternoon for refreshments and visit.

Eddie Paul Voss retired June 30 after working with the local telephone system during a period of 46 years or more. He began part-time work with the former Santa Anna Telephone Company while in high school, then joined the company as a full-time employee upon his graduation in 1931.

A member of the famed 36th Division, Voss was among those in the group when it was mobilized in 1940. He served with the U. S. Army through World War II, reaching the rank of Captain and serving in the North African theatre and Sicily. He was discharged in 1945 and returned to work with the telephone company here.

Following a few years with a power company and in business for himself, Voss returned to the telephone company in 1954 where he has served as outside plant manager and with the central office. He has worked with almost every phase of the system and has seen the local system change from lines strung along fence posts to the present underground cable installation.

The son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Voss, Eddie Paul and his wife Henrilee live on their stockfarm four miles southeast of Santa Anna. He plans to 'do as he

pleases' upon his retirement and work on his farm.

Ellen Richards, billing clerk and cashier, will retire from CCTC at the end of the summer. She has been an employee of the local telephone system since 1941, serving as an operator with the original company.

A native of Haskell County, Miss Richards is a graduate of O'Brien High School and the daughter of the late Elder and Mrs. C. H. Richards.

During her tenure with the telephone company, the local system has changed from the old 'crank type' telephones in the rural areas to the direct distance dialing; from the multi-party lines to single party.

The changes are so frequent it is almost impossible to keep up with the new changes. Miss Richards said. She plans to enjoy handwork, gardening and resting upon her retirement. Sandra Clifton will assume duties as billing clerk and cashier.

Fern Hoke, a Santa Anna native and daughter of Mrs. J. L. McCaughan and the late Mr. McCaughan, has been with CCTC since 1954. She has been bookkeeper most of the time and insists the local job is the nicest one she has ever had.

Mrs. Hoke is a graduate of Santa Anna High School and attended Tyler Commercial College. She has made her home here since 1949 and is a member of the Presbyterian Church. She plans to spend her time gardening and tending to the herd of commercial Angus cattle on the family ranch after her retirement July 31.

Velma Benton will take over Mrs. Hoke's position as

Thate Rites Held Monday

Mrs. W. H. (Ona M.) Thate, 76, of Santa Anna died early Saturday in Overall Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman after a long illness. Funeral services were held at Stevens Funeral Chapel in Coleman Monday with burial in Burkett Cemetery.

Rev. Bobby Weathers of Stephenville and Rev. Ellis Holden, pastor of United Methodist Church of Santa Anna, officiated at the services. Stevens Funeral Home of Coleman was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Thate was born October 3, 1900 in Burkett. She married W. H. (Bill) Thate November 21, 1926 in Coleman. He died in 1972.

The Thates lived in Santa Anna many years where he was a businessman, operating the original Piggly Wiggly store, and in later years the Thate Grocery Store. He retired from the business about 1970.

The late Mrs. Thate was a lifetime resident of Coleman County and a former school teacher, housewife and member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors are a sister, Mrs. K. M. (Velma Lee) Mosley of Santa Anna; three aunts, Mrs. C. C. Burns, Mrs. Bertie Helms and Mrs. Audie Evans, all of Burkett; and two uncles, Arch Harris of Coleman and Ernest Harris of Burkett.

bookkeeper as well as serving as office manager. Pam Anderson will work with Mrs. Benton's former job as records clerk and receptionist.

CCTC Manager Thomas Wristen expressed his appreciation to the three employees for their long and faithful service to the company and urged all friends and patrons to join in offering congratulations and best wishes to the retirees at the reception Friday.

SAHS Graduate In Honor Group

Karen Kay Gordon, a former home economics student at Santa Anna High School, has been recognized by the Association of Distinguished Young Americans as a member of Who's Who Among Tomorrow's Homemakers.

The honoree is subsequently eligible for ADYA All-American recognition and a \$1,000 savings bond.

The association honors outstanding Home Economics students for leadership, achievement, service and contributions to their class, school and community. A very small percentage of home economics students nationwide receive this high honor.

Miss Gordon, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John Gordon, was valedictorian of her graduating class. She was an officer in her high school chapter and Area FFA organization and active in a number of other school and community groups.

Local Folks To FFA Meet

Santa Anna will be represented at the State Future Farmers of America convention in Fort Worth this week. Gary Morris and Jerry Don Culpepper will attend along with the SAHS FFA advisor, Scott Patterson.

The local group will attend the Wednesday and Thursday sessions of the meeting and take part in the election of state officers, sweetheart and talent group. They will attend the other programs and activities, returning home Friday.

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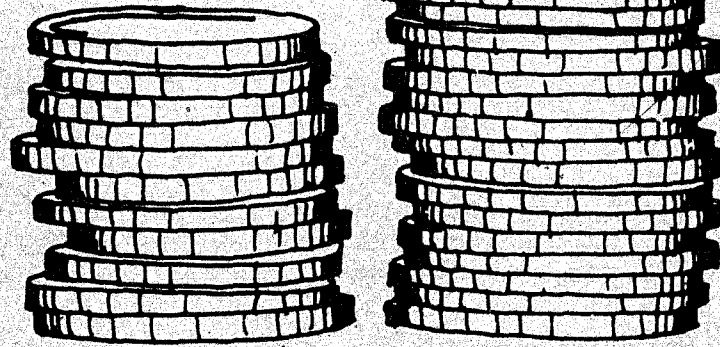
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Special Program To Be Presented

The Family Preparedness Program of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will be discussed at an "Open House" on Friday, July 15, 1977 at the chapel in Brownwood, 2314 Austin Ave at 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Knowledge pertaining to this subject is constantly being met and hopefully solved through ideas, methods, recipes, and other contributions shared to facilitate preparedness activities.

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We invite your attendance, refreshments will be served at the close of the program.

OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Stacy Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker of Bangs celebrated his 10th birthday, Monday July 11. He went bowling with friends and to Riverside Park for birthday cake, punch and to open gifts.

Those attending the celebration were his brother, Scotty, Christy and Gwen Bowers, Laura Peters, Wesley Baker, Daniel Gonzales, Philip Harris and Stacy's mother, Mrs. Walker.

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Visitors Attend SA Lions Club

Several visitors were present for the Tuesday meeting of Lions Club. They included Rob Ridings, a guest of Thomas Wristen; Scott Patterson, a guest of R. C. Smith and Ellis Holden, a guest of John Gordon.

During a directors meeting following the luncheon, the group voted to increase the insurance on the Lions Club building.

HERE FOR WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kingsbery of Beaumont were weekend visitors in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kingsbery. Saturday luncheon guests were Dr. and Mrs. Max Woodward of Sherman.



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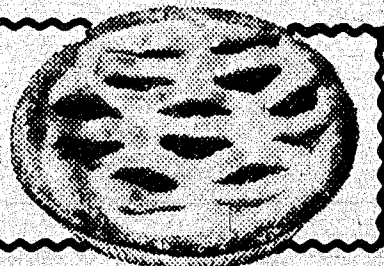
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County Girls Take Part In Dist. Event

Joy Bragg and Weda Fenton represented Coleman County July 8 at the District Dress Review held in Abilene. Joy and Weda were named as high point junior and senior entries in the recent County show held in Coleman June 24.

Joy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bragg of Glen Cove, was awarded a red ribbon for her junior entry, and Weda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Fenton Jr. of Gouldbusk, was also awarded a red ribbon.

Also attending the revue from Coleman were Mrs. Harold Bragg, Mrs. W. F. Fenton Sr., Bessie Parker, County Extension Agent (Home Economics), and Roxie Ann Rodgers, Assistant County Extension Agent.

The day long activities were sponsored by West Texas Utilities Co. Participants were judged not only on the construction of the garment, but also their poise, self-confidence and how the outfit looked on the girl. An important part of the dress review score was the record kept by the participants on her learning experiences.

Spring Graduate Enrolled At TSU

Elaine Newman began classes this week at Tarleton State University, Stephenville. She is a freshman elementary education major, studying for kindergarten certification.

Miss Newman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman, is a spring graduate of Santa Anna High School.

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



We are glad to report Mr. Franke Wells, who has been in Veterans Hospital for some time after suffering a heart attack, is home. Franke came home before the Fourth of July. So glad you are home Franke, and doing well. Sorry I failed to mention this before this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris visited during the week end with Mrs. Morris' brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Perkins, and a sister, Mrs. Ester Burkett, of Mansfield.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Willie Bentley of Enid, Oklahoma. Mrs. Bentley was the sister of Darwin Lovelady's mother, Ava Smith Lovelady. Darwin Lovelady was in Oklahoma for the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick visited briefly Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick. They had been to visit Don's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Fitzpatrick at Blackwell, and Don had also attended a sheep lecture and classes in San Angelo. Don is an agriculture teacher at Crandall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Barnes spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes, in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris were shopping and visiting relatives in Coleman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Randal Lovelady and Stephanie in Brownwood. While there Mrs. Lovelady's sister, Juanita Minica of Blanket, and her daughter, Mrs. Bettye Bearden of Brownwood, visited with the group.

Norman Floyd Morris of

Brownwood was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris. Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris visited in the afternoon.

Mrs. Snowden of Brady spent Monday night with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick, returning to her home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Pearl Avants of Santa Anna is staying a few days with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wynn in Coleman. Another sister,

Mrs. Fannie Alsup, also of Santa Anna, stayed several days last week with them. Buster Wynn is doing well following surgery in San Angelo, but Mrs. Wynn is not doing so well with an injured knee.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Radle of Oklahoma City spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle in Santa Anna. The three boys of the Billy Radles remained here with their grandparents for the week.

I had a nice visit with Mrs. Wimpy Watson in Brownwood while shopping Friday afternoon. They are great-grandparents. A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sherrod, also of Brownwood, making Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Sherrod of Austin grandparents. All are doing well.

Lloyd Rutherford and son Todd of Bangs were with his parents, the Tom Rutherfords, Saturday. Since I was working I never saw them, but they helped Tom with some farm chores.

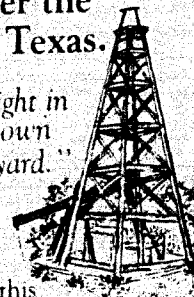
Mrs. Floyd Morris was with Ma Bush Harrell several days last week. Mrs. Harrell was taken to the Brownwood hospital from a resthome where she was very ill for a time. But Mrs. Morris reports she has shown a little improvement.

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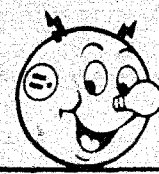
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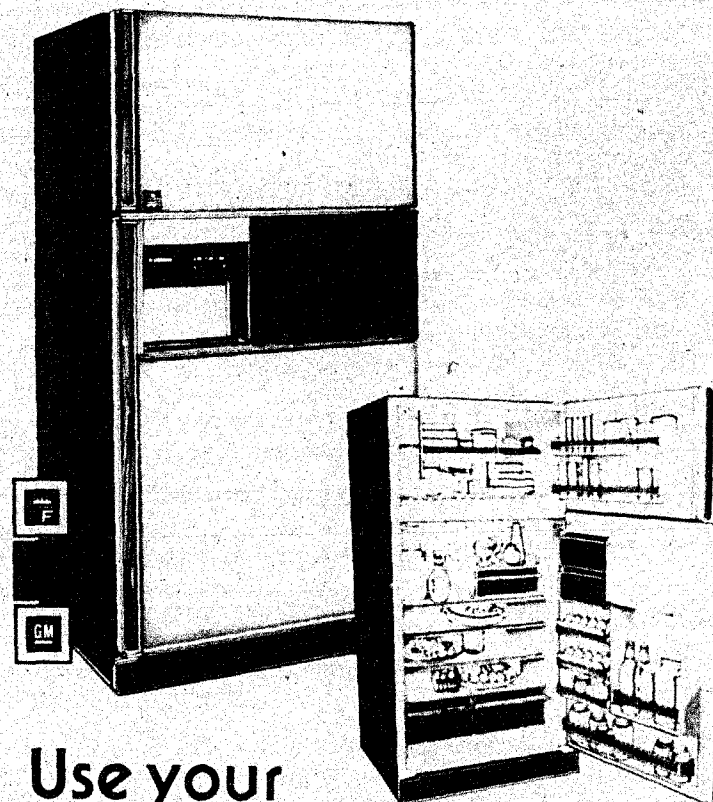
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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Nunallee and Mr. and Mrs. Price Nunnallee of Temple visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Frankie McCarthy was called to Lampasas last Thursday because of the death of Mrs. A. J. Kendrick, mother of her son-in-law.

Mrs. Ruth Meredith of El Paso spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan, and her daughter, Lea, accompanied her home after several weeks with her grandparents. They all attended the Woolvorton family reunion at Tennessee Colony.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Smitherman of Oklahoma City, Okla. spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary. Visiting also for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Peden were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler; Mr. Peden was speaker at the Shields Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arnold of Moore, Oklahoma spent Thursday night with her mother, Mrs. A. L. King, then on to Lake Brownwood for the weekend. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Keith Featherston.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Stewardson of Roswell, N. M. and Sammie Stewardson of Coleman visited

Mrs. King Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Claud Box came home Friday after a couple of weeks in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Johnny Pat and Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes. While in Fort Worth Mrs. Box and Mrs. Campbell visited in Lewisville with Mrs. Jack Rutherford and her family. On Sunday they went to the lake with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Floyd and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Floyd and grandson Michael.

Mrs. Royce McIver and Britt and Mrs. Artie Smith, Bryan and Kyle of Midland spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges visited in Clyde Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges. Walter and Ted Hodges of Brownwood visited with the J. P. Hodges Friday afternoon.

A report from the treasurer of the Rockwood Cemetery Fund, Mrs. Claud Box, lists a memorial for Mrs. Wagie Langer by her husband, Joe Langer and son George Wayne; a memorial for Mrs. Leonard Alexander by Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes; and a memorial for Mrs. Katherine Carroll by Mrs. Gale Brock.

Latest donations to the Permanent fund were made by Mrs. W. E. Routh of Alvin, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Griffin and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bowker of Santa

THE SANTA ANNA NEWS

Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Brusenhan were in Brownwood shopping Saturday morning. Mr. and Mrs. John Geer and Johnny visited the Brusenhans Monday, and Mr. Brusenhan and Johnny were business visitors in San Angelo Tuesday.

Mrs. Claude Box had lunch Saturday with Mrs. R. W. Emerson and Mrs. Emerson spent Sunday with Mrs. Box. Mrs. Emerson visited by phone with a granddaughter in Brownwood, Mrs. Dennis Ray Gleaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and Jody are visiting in Denver, Colorado with Stan and Judy Martin, and on to Billings, Montana to visit another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Highsmith and family, and to South Dakota to visit another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hetts.

Mrs. Ila Overstreet of Oklahoma City visited Mrs. John Hunter Monday to Thursday.

Mrs. Hunter visited last Tuesday in Rockwood with Linnie Box and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes; Mrs. Claud Box visited Mrs. Estes last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Steward visited the J. E. Porters in Utopia Friday and Mrs. Porter accompanied them back to visit several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward.

We welcome a new family to Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. Max Richardson who have moved to the Methodist parsonage.

Mrs. Erin Day and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Day of Santa Anna visited Linnie Box Sunday

Bride-elect To Be Honored

Ruthie Bassett, bride-elect of Travis Priddy of Bangs, will be honored with a gift tea Monday, July 19, from 7 to 9 p.m. The party will be held at the dining room of Ranger Park Inn, and all friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

Hostesses for the party will be Pauline Scott and Faye Gee. Miss Bassett and Mr. Priddy will be married July 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe M. Box and family of Freeport and other children and families from Houston and Macogoches visited with Linnie Box Sunday morning, and Mr. and Mrs. Miller Box and Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise joined the group for a regular family reunion. The visitors had been at Bangs attending the Chaffin family reunion.

Mrs. Guy Ellis of Woodson spent Sunday to Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal and attended the Siler funeral service. Monday afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Deal of Bangs and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Deal of Brownwood; others from out-of-town for the Siler rites were Rufus Deal of Wall and Gene Deal of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bible, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Simmering and Ginger of Lockhart, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Williams and Blank of San Marcos.

Mr. and Mrs. Deal visited Sunday afternoon at Melvin with Mrs. Tim Siler.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Skelton were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell McClain and Glenna and two girl friends of Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Skelton attended the Riley family reunion in Coleman. Hank Wise, a student at Texas Tech, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise; they visited in Brady Sunday afternoon with Mrs. E. M. Tisdale. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Winton visited Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wise.

Brown Family Has Reunion

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Brown met last weekend for a reunion at Christian Retreat at Lake Brownwood. It was the 20th reunion for the family.

Children of the late couple present for the occasion were Mrs. Addie Childress of Stamford, Ollie Brown of Waller, Miss Virgie Brown and Mrs. Ed Schrader of Santa Anna.

Others from Santa Anna present were Mrs. John Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and Ed Schrader.

Family members from Wichita, Kansas and Carlsbad, N. M. joined relatives from all over the state for the get-together.

The W. B. Browns came to Coleman County before the turn of the century from Williamson County.

Box Reunion Attended By Forty-Seven

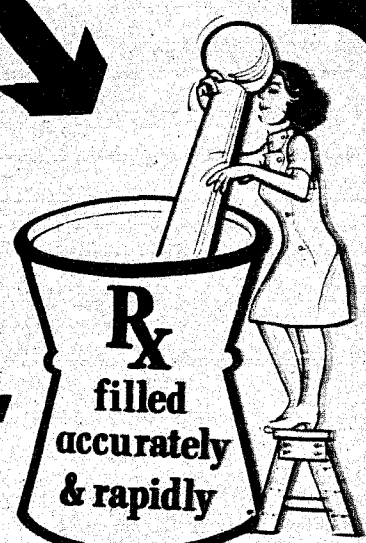
The annual Box family reunion was held recently near Brady at the Dub Box Ranch. The Box family were all raised in Santa Anna. Bill now lives in Port Arthur; Chester, Odell and Z. W. (Dub) live in Crane; ZeWilla (Mrs. Howard) Bivins resides in Utah; and Joe Wilburn in Dallas.

The only one unable to attend the reunion was Zera Box Stone of Tyler.

ZeWilla Bivins returns each year for the reunion, and this year was a very special occasion as she had each of her children and grandchildren present. They were Howard of Virginia, Golda Ann of California and Joe of Florida.

A total of 47 were present for the family get-together.

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Ranger Park Inn News

Residents of Ranger Park Inn enjoyed a watermelon party Friday afternoon, July 8. Mrs. A. D. Longbrake and Mrs. Earl Chapman were hostesses for the social event which was enjoyed by many of the people.

Bill Laws and his Western Band entertained at the Inn Friday night, July 8, and everyone enjoyed the good country music.

Residents of the Inn in the hospital this week are Pearl Curry, Dobie Osburn, Ada Conner and Orvel Croft. We hope they will soon be back at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Snider of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Snider and children of Lake Geneva, Wis. visited Susie Snider. They spent the weekend at Fisk and Coleman and attended

Mrs. Guthrie Feted Saturday At Luncheon

Mrs. Lane Guthrie was honored with a salad luncheon Saturday, July 9 in the home of Mrs. Norman Walters. Members of the Lena Boyd Sunday School Class of United Presbyterian Church hosted the luncheon as a pink and blue party for the honoree.

The buffet luncheon was served with the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Leroy Keeney, and mother-in-law, Mrs. M. L. Guthrie Jr., seated at the head table. A blue votive candle centered the table, surrounded by blue flowers and cherub figurines. A handmade cross stitch cloth in shades of blue covered the table.

Each guest present wrote favorite names for a boy or girl, and Mrs. Byron Brock presented the honoree a gift of money from the group.

Twenty-two were present for the event.

the wedding of Yvonne Moares Saturday night.

Lillie Knotts visited her mother, Mrs. Brooker, in Coleman Sunday. They enjoyed watermelon and visiting.

Grandchildren of Mary Hoffman visiting with her during the weekend were Bethe and Jimmy Jones, Dedra and Lisa Slavinsky, all of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Winn Jr. of Houston were visitors of his uncle, A. G. Winn.

Mrs. Jack Ogle of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Curry, during the weekend.

Mrs. Lucy Williams and Jo Ann Baker of Valera visited one day with friends at the Inn, Mrs. Annie Lee Moore, Lydia Miller, Susie Snider and Mary Hoffman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stewardson visited at the Inn one afternoon with Mrs. Adell Conner.

Irene VanPelt of Coleman visited Annie Lee Smith, a friend. Earnest Weaver of Brownwood was a recent visitor of Minnie Humphrey.

Visiting with Mary Miller has been a niece, Marie Britton of Valera.

Mrs. Gussie Smith of Coleman visited with her father-in-law, Lee Smith, one day last week.

John Brown of Valera and Stacy visited at the Inn with several friends, Mrs. C. O. Moore, John Snodgrass and Dan Shuford.

Those visiting with Carrie Spirlock have been her nieces and friends, Ivera Byrd, Mary Kiser and others.

Mrs. Kiser is from Jasper, Texas.

VISITING FRIENDS

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Gilmore visited several days this week in Longview with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Murry Cooper. The Coopers are former residents of Santa Anna.

Woodwards Host Family Party

Dr. and Mrs. Max Woodward of Sherman were hosts for a family dinner and get-together Saturday night, July 9 at the Riche Room at Holiday Inn in Brownwood. Members of the Woodward and Kingsbery families were present for the informal event.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kingsbery and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Kingsbery of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray, Shelly and Callie of Rising Star; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kingsbery of Beaumont, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kingsbery and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce of Santa Anna.

Local Girls Attend Camp

Four girls from Santa Anna, three of whom are visiting relatives here, are among the group attending Buffalo Gap Presbyterian Encampment at Buffalo Gap this week. The Junior High session opened Sunday and will conclude Saturday.

Attending are Lori Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith, Robbie Lee Clark of Arlington, a summer visitor of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin Myers, Karla Kuykendall of San Antonio, granddaughter of the R. W. Balkes, and her cousin, Sandra Gay Williams, also of San Antonio.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Mrs. Donnie Henderson returned home from Brownwood Community Hospital where she had surgery last Thursday. She is getting along well at home.

Clarissa and Rodney Henderson are spending some time with relatives in the Dallas area while their mother recuperates.

Newman Family Has Reunion

Descendents of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Newman met at Cedar Point at Lake Buchanan for the annual reunion last weekend with about 80 in attendance.

All surviving children of the late couple were present for the gathering, Virgil and Walter Newman of Santa Anna, Roy Newman of Dallas, Frank

Newman of San Angelo and Mrs. Mabel Parish of Fort Worth.

Attending from the farthest distance was Joe Hal England and family of British Columbia, Canada, the son of the late Bessie Newman England. With them were his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Emms, also of Canada.

Harold and Marilyn (England) Warren of Fort Worth were chairmen of the 1977 reunion; Janice Newman Powell of Long Beach, California will be in charge of the 1978 event.

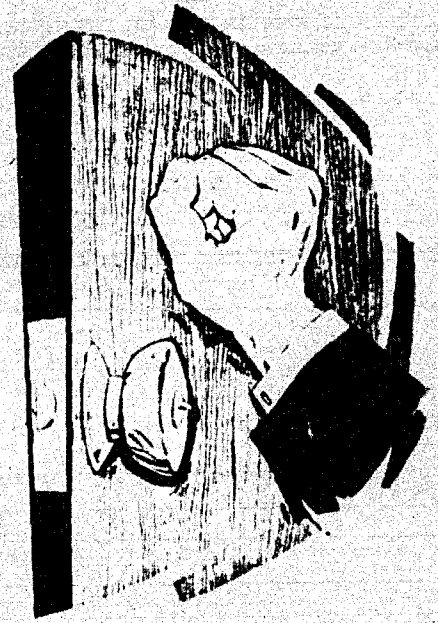
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Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Rev. Ellis Holden, the Methodist minister and his wife, were here Sunday morning. He preached his first sermon here. The Holdens and two boys attended the singing Sunday night. The singing Sunday night was good with lots of good singers here and a nice crowd to hear the singing. The Ben McIver family reunion was held over the weekend at the Mountain View Lodge at Lake Brownwood. Sixty-seven attended, with all the brothers and sisters there. They are Bernice and May McIver, Rankin and Natalie McIver, Grady and Genia McIver, Inez and Roy Miller, Irene Durham, and Ethel Johnson. Most of their families were there and they reported a good reunion. Marjorie Sullivan and

daughter, Carolyn of San Antonio visited her parents, the Walter Stacys, Thursday. Rev. and Mrs. Ellis Holden and sons of Santa Anna visited the Stacys Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Bengy Allison of Santa Anna visited the Oscar Boenickes Thursday evening. We enjoyed their visit very much. Micky Davis of Corpus Christie and Pamela Miller of Austin were married July 1. She is the daughter of Damon and Betty Miller of Austin and granddaughter of Mary Lea Mitchell of Trickham. They are both attending college at San Marcos. Leslie Ray Fleming spent three nights last week with his grandmother, Florence Stearns. Russie James and Lou Vaughn

visited Florence Saturday evening. Rev. Ellis Holden, his wife and two boys visited the Grady McIvers after the singing Sunday night. Two of the Grady McIvers grandsons, Reece McIver and Allen Hornell, spent Sunday night with them, and Allen will spend this week with his grandparents. Sherrie McIver came from San Angelo Thursday to the Rankin McIvers and also attended the McIver reunion.

Oma Lee Dockery and Annie Lou Vaughn, H. B. and Ernestine Dockery of Brownwood had a nice trip together and were gone a week. They went to Albuquerque, N. M. and from there to Arizona where they saw the painted desert a crater and the Grand Canyon, and to Four Corners, to Colorado on the Million Dollar Highway, and saw several mountain peaks. They went through Estes Park, Vail, Colorado, to the Garden of the Gods, Royal Gorge Canyon. They returned through the

Man Known Here Buried Friday

Funeral services were held in Dallas Friday, July 8, for James K. Prescott, 37, of Dallas who died Thursday in a Dallas Hospital. Mr. Prescott was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Knight Prescott of Dallas, a former resident of Santa Anna. The Prescotts lived here in the mid 1930s where he was on the school faculty. The senior Mr. Prescott resigned from the local school faculty to serve in the State Legislature. Survivors of J. K. Prescott are his parents, two brothers, a sister and other relatives.

Panhandle of Texas and to Canyon, Texas and toured Palo Duro Canyon, arriving home Saturday evening. Jerry and Donna Haynes and children of Odessa spent the weekend with his parents, the Fred Haynes. Also Billy Don and Carole Haynes and Tim of Snyder spent the weekend, and Mr. Row of Coleman visited Friday evening and he and Jerry did some fishing.

Sunday Carrie McClatchy went home with Oma Lee Dockery from Church and had dinner with her. In the afternoon Oma Lee and Carrie and Ora Stacy went to Coleman to visit O. J. Martin in the Holiday Hill nursing home. Russie James spent Friday and Saturday with her daughter and family, Roberta and Pat McShan, Cindy and Pat Jr. Sunday Russie had dinner with the Roy Mathews of Bangs, and Monday she came by and visited Carrie McClatchy.

We missed the good rain last Saturday. East of us at Oscar's nephew's, Albert Miller's, they got nine-tenths of one inch. Others got showers and we did not even get a drop. Sure hot and dry again. We are thankful for the ones that got the rain.

Farm Safety Is Stressed By County FB

County Judge W. W. (Pete) Skelton has proclaimed the week of July 25 - 31 as Farm Safety Week in Coleman County at the request of Coleman County Farm Bureau. The local farm organization is coordinating activities within the county for the special farm safety campaign.

In his proclamation, Judge Skelton said 'Accidents on Texas farms and ranches claim more than 200 lives each year and thousands more are injured.' According to recently published reports of statewide and Farm Bureau accidental deaths, Texas farm and ranch people died during the past year of 1976 at the following rates: traffic - 95; firearms - 34; drownings - 25; tractors - 21; falls - 20; fires and burns - 17; plane crashes - 15; suffocation and asphyxiation - 13; electric current - 8; struck by object - 7; machinery - 6; other vehicles and trailers - 6; explosion - 5; animal - 4; poisoning - 3; lightning - 1; and bee sting - 1. Coleman County recorded one farm-ranch death.

Coleman County Farm Bureau president Victor Cardinas has announced the theme for the week is 'Safety is a Good Investment'. Agricultural producers have substantial investments in land, facilities, equipment and livestock. Too, they invest skill and a full measure of time and energy. Still, dividends are never assured. But there is one investment that always pays: SAFETY. Usually it's a modest investment at that -- and quite often it costs you nothing.

For instance it costs you nothing to have a positive attitude toward safety... to have a home escape plan... store poisons out of the children's reach... read and follow labels and instruction manuals... train family and employed workers on the safe way of doing things... to work, drive and play in ways to minimize mishap and misery... SAFETY IS A GOOD INVESTMENT.

Daniell Circle Has Meeting Last Wednesday

The Nitia Daniell Circle of United Methodist Church met Wednesday, July 6, at the church annex. Mrs. Lillian Herndon led the opening prayer.

Mrs. Herndon presided during the business session that included reading of communications and a report of members who are ill.

The group voted to sponsor a fellowship following the evening church service July 17. The committee named for the occasion includes Mmes. Walter Scarbrough, Bob Malaer, Thelma Upchurch and Dick Baugh.

Mrs. Malaer and Mrs. Ellis Holden presented a program entitled 'People Who are in Missions'. Mrs. Holden led group singing accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Harry Crews. Mrs. Holden led the closing prayer.

Mrs. Ruby Strickland and Mrs. Upchurch served refreshments of punch, nuts and cake to the ones mentioned and also Mmes. V. I. Dean, J. T. Avants, Glen Pope and J. A. Harris.

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Cleveland News

BY CLARA CUPPS

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Covey and children returned to their home Saturday morning. They came last Tuesday for a visit with their parents, the Fred Coveys of Bangs and the R. W. Cupps. Also Joe Galbreath returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lowry were home over the weekend visiting the Bill Lowrys and the Dick Baughs.

Dale Herring was out Saturday and Sunday visiting his parents, the Casey Herrings. He also visited the R. W. Cupps Saturday evening.

Doug Molden and Leslie Fleming and Kelly are spending a vacation with their grandparents, the Charlie Flemings. Peggy Sikes and children of Bangs, Ovella and Russell Williams visited this week. They all went to a park Sunday at noon. Thelma visited her daddy Saturday morning. Also Rachel and Eveline and Virgil visited him.

Lucy Cupps moved her brother, Richard Wells, to Holiday Hill in Coleman Thursday. All of you go out to see him.

Ray Wells got to go home from the Brownwood hospital Friday. He is recovering from a heart attack.

Carmilla Baugh visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores, in Bangs Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Wanda Gentry and grandbaby of Slaton visited Sunday afternoon with the Baughs. The Lonnie Lowrys were visiting Sunday afternoon. Wanda and family were spending a few days over at Lake Brownwood.

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Aunt Tennie Campbell's visitors for the week were Mrs. D. R. Hill, Novie Switzer, Carolee and girls Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell, Linda and her children, the the Dutch Campbells.

Wanda Mae Gentry of Slaton and her grandbaby visited the Bruce Hibbetts Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wells and daughter, Mrs. Don Gatlin of Dallas, spent the Fourth of July with the Cecil Ellises. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ellis and children of Liberty came Tuesday and stayed until Thursday. Tammy is home from college for the rest of the summer as her school semester is out now. J. C. and Happy Wells spent Sunday with the Ellises and Grace visited several times.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Curry and Charles Marshall of Freeport and Marie Marshall of Brady visited Mrs. J. F. Fleming and girls Saturday afternoon. Charlie and Mut visited them.

Those visiting the John Howards were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Sharrack from Lake Brownwood, Mrs. Ruth Walling of Dallas, Pearl Etheridge of Brownwood, Artie Magill of Bangs, Joe Priest of Uvalde, Mrs. Lora Russell of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Priest. All were dinner guests Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgene Gilliam of Abilene were Saturday night supper guests, and Sunday the Tom Howards and family visited the John Howards. The Howards visited Sunday with Bessie Parish.

Mrs. Lora Russell returned home Sunday morning after visiting relatives here.

Those attending the Huggins reunion during the weekend at Lampasas were the John Perrys,

the James Perrys and children and the Lawson Battles.

Iona Moore and Terry will be leaving Monday morning for California for a two-week visit with her sister and brother and other relatives.

Billy Williams and Leon Phillips of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins visited Harden Phillips over the weekend.

Carolee Monroe and girls and the Dutch Campbells visited friends in Abilene and Silver Valley Tuesday. Carolee and girls visited relatives in Fort Worth, Dallas and Garland and also went to Six Flags Over Texas before returning to her parents' home. Sunday was Ruth Campbell's birthday and Carolee and girls took her mother and father out to dinner, returning home in the afternoon. The Dutch Campbells were supper guests of the David Coffmans of Novice Thursday night, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McGahey of Copperas Cove visited them Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Moore Jr. and daughter Wendy and Cathy Reyesford of San Antonio visited his parents, the Doug Moores, over the weekend.

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

THE SANTA ANNA NEWS

Phillips of San Angelo also visited with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and children of Abilene came Saturday morning and were dinner guests with her parents, the C. E. Wises. Tallion and Shannon will spend a few days with their grandparents. Jimmy Lovelace returned to Pecos Thursday morning after ten days stay with his mother, Mrs. C. E. Wise.

Winnie Haynes, Nona Bell Ellis and Toni Watson visited Grace Ellis one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kelley were visiting in San Antonio over the weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelley.

Winnie Haynes spent the day Sunday with her daughter, the Doyle Evanses and Linda who was home for the weekend from Austin. Winnie also visited last Wednesday with Ethel Mathews of Brookesmith and I visited awhile Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace were visiting in Highland over the weekend with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Purcell and Crystal who was having her first birthday. They were present for her party where ice cream and cake were served.

Warren Bruce Wallace was home over the weekend for reserve training. He still has a few more weeks of school at San Marcos.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garey of Buckholts came to spend Friday night with her mother, Aunt Lela Hodges. Wanda Mae Gentry and

grandbaby of Slaton visited awhile Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Ellis of Brownwood visited her mother last Monday. Mrs. Mary Cruger visited her several times last week.

Aunt Lela was canning peaches this Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps and Kasha of Brownwood came out Sunday night and were supper guests of his parents, the R. W. Cupps. Raymond Don Cupps also visited us Sunday evening, and

Thursday July 14, 1977

Virgil visited Saturday morning and evening.

Doug and Leslie spent Monday with Peggy and family at Bangs. Kelly returned to her grandmother's and the Charlie Flemings to spend the rest of the week.

Duncan Frasier of Dallas was out last week to his ranches. He also visited in our home.

For our weather: Hot and dry and windy. We need rain badly. It did rain all around us last week.

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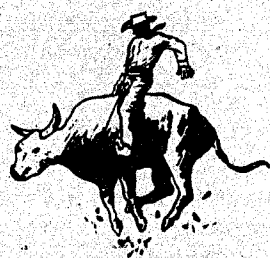
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Felton Martin Attends Meet Of TFB Leaders

A leader of the Coleman County Farm Bureau attended a statewide Farm Bureau commodity conference July 6-7 in Waco, according to Victor Cardinas of Coleman, president.

Representing the county organization was Felton Martin of Trickham, county Dairy Commodity Chairman.

He was among producer representatives in the five Texas Farm Bureau commodity divisions who discussed policy development subjects surfaced earlier in county meetings.

Invited to attend were the county presidents and the commodity committee chairmen in the 103 counties that have county commodity organizations in either the TFB's cotton, citrus, dairy, peanuts or rice divisions.

A number of counties have more than one commodity division. There are 55 counties with cotton divisions, three with citrus, 35 dairy, 18 peanut, and 12 with rice divisions.

Several prominent agricultural leaders and government officials addressed the meeting. These included Allan Gran, Visalia, Calif., president of the American Farm Bureau Federation; David L. Hume, Washington, D. C., administrator of the Foreign Agricultural Service of U. S. Department of Agriculture; and U. S. Rep. Jack Hightower, Vernon, member of the House Agriculture Committee.

Top executives, educators, and government officials spoke in separate meetings of the various commodity divisions.

The annual summer commodity conference complements one held early in the year dealing with implementation of Farm Bureau policies for commodities involved.

Eastern Star Meets Monday

The Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter will meet Monday, July 18, at the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. Jack Bostick, worthy matron, and R. W. Balke, worthy patron, will lead the meeting to begin the new year. Annual reports will be given during the business meeting.

Hosts for the social hour will be Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Balke. All members of the chapter are urged to be present.

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A. F. Vise died in 1895. A history of the Caldwell family reveals origin of name Colville from Tours, France.

John E. C. Sr., graduate of Texas A & M.

Dussie Vice C., graduate of Texas Woman's University in Art and Music.

1st. Lt. John Elisha C., Jr., USAF, died in World War II.

Hamilton Daughtrey C. missing in the middle or late 1950s.

Octavia Vise T. died in 1969. Fred Henri S., long time stock farmer here.

From the last survivors of the Vise Family
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Rites Held For Roy Holt Jr. In Kingsland

Funeral services were held in Kingsland Friday, July 8, for Roy D. Holt, 47, of Kingsland who died Tuesday, July 5, in the Veterans Hospital at Kerrville of a massive heart attack. A former resident of Coleman County,

Holt was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holt Sr. of Copperas Cove and the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. John R. Pearce and the late Mr. and Mrs. Jeff D. Holt.

A veteran of the United States Navy and a member of the Presbyterian Church. Holt was born in Abilene August 12, 1929. His wife preceded him in death February 14, 1976.

Survivors are his parents; one sister, Mrs. Nancy Mitchell of Copperas Cove; one son, James Roy Holt of Reno, Nevada.

MOVING FROM SANTA ANNA

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Allen and Melody are moving soon to near Bowie where he will be employed at Denton Creek Ranch. They will live near the town of Sunset.

Family Attends Quanah Wedding

Lynn Wright and Miss Jerrie Arnh were married Saturday, July 9, at Quanah in a ceremony at the home of the bride's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Garner.

Those attending the wedding included the groom's mother, Mrs. Doyle Wright of Santa Anna, and her children, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Wright, Dana, James and Alys, of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gipson, Greg and Broah and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Chambers, of Brownwood, and a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Parsons and Misty of Brownwood.

The newlyweds will be living in Oklahoma where the groom is a ranch foreman.

VISITING FRIENDS

Rev. and Mrs. Richard Chaffin and Danny of Fabens visited in Santa Anna this week, houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Longbrake. They also visited their son, David, and his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chapman, and with friends in the community.

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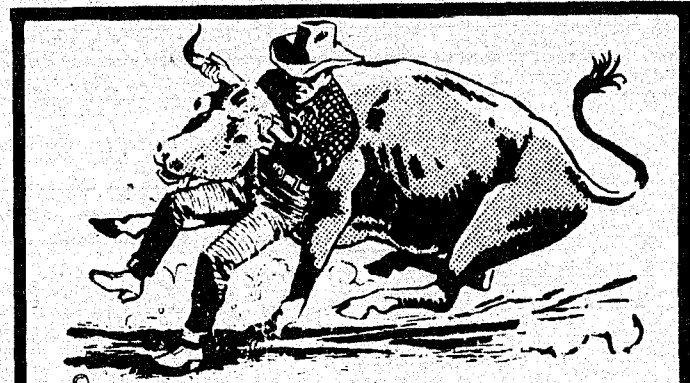
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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bamber returned home Sunday from a five-week trip. They went from here to Rhode Island for a visit

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'Little more than a decade ago the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation was working to keep C-F youngsters alive long enough to start school. Now we are trying to help some of these same patients, who have grown to young adulthood, enter college or find jobs.'

These encouraging words came from the newly appointed chairman, Mrs. Sharon Cheaney, as she accepted the chairmanship of the 1977 Breath of Life Campaign in Santa Anna.

Longevity has increased every year because of earlier diagnosis and progress on research and cure, supported by volunteers and donations. This year's campaign begins with a door-to-door march September 19. When a C-F marcher knocks at your door, give as generously as you are able.

Among the programs of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation are support for over 100 Cystic Fibrosis Centers across the nation. These centers provide diagnosis, treatment and referral to children who have these lung-damaging diseases as well as those who suffer from gastrointestinal disorders related to cystic fibrosis. In Texas there are clinics at San Antonio, Houston and Dallas.

The foundation also funds research to find a cure and control for cystic fibrosis, the most serious of these lung-damaging diseases, and to develop better treatments for children suffering from all lung disorders.

Cystic Fibrosis, the number one genetic killer of children, affects one out of every 1,500 babies born each year and occurs when a child inherits two genes for the disease, one from each parent.

The parents don't have to have cystic fibrosis, but they are among the 10 million carriers of the gene in the United States.

People in the Santa Anna area are urged to support the worthwhile cause by making a contribution when the drive is underway in September.

HOMEcoming PLANNING

The Executive Board of Santa Anna Ex-students Association will meet Monday night, July 18, for a planning session for the October 14-15 Homecoming. The meeting was called off last week when a quorum was not present.

The group will meet at the annex of United Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m. and all of the officers and directors are requested and urged to attend.



WACO BOUND—These three Coleman County High School students are at Baylor University this week attending the annual Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar. From left they are Bryan Bourland of Coleman High School, Dick Smith of Santa Anna High School, and Cynthia Smith of Talpa-Centennial High School.

**Coleman County Students
Attending TFB Seminar**

Dick Smith of Santa Anna is one of three Coleman County high school students in Waco this week attending the annual Texas Farm Bureau High School Citizenship Seminar. The week-long program is being held at Baylor University campus.

Dick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith; others in the local group are Cynthia Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Coleman and Bryan Bourland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Bourland of Coleman.

Speakers at the Seminar include Carrol Chaloupka, TFB President, Warren Newberry, TFB executive director, Dr. Clifton Ganus, president of Harding College, Searcy, Ark.; Jack Jackson, flight training instructor for American Airlines, and others.

The purpose of the seminar is to convey to the students a better understanding of the American heritage and capitalistic private

enterprise system thereby developing 'better informed citizens'. Ultimate goal is to cause the students to share this knowledge with others.

The three county students were chosen for their leadership and scholastic achievements and sponsored by the Coleman County Farm Bureau.

**Couple Feted
With Shower**

Patrick Hosch and his bride-elect, Sandra Carey, were honored Tuesday, July 5, with a 'Money Tree' shower at First Baptist Church annex. Hostesses for the party were Mmes. Donnie Henderson, Byron Brock and Buddy Neff, all of Santa Anna, and Mmes. Joyce Saverance, Kenny Day and Neil Hudson, all of Coleman.

A money tree decorated with gold glitter and gold ribbons held rolled bills. The refreshment table was laid with a white lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow galdioli.

An arrangement of yellow daisies decorated the register table.

Couples who are friends of the honorees were present for the party. Special guests were Mrs. P. H. Hosch, mother of the prospective bridegroom, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carey of Odessa, parents of the bride-elect.

Mr. Hosch and Miss Carey will be married this month in Coleman.


VISIT IN OWEN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Owen had visitors in their home for the past two weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Owen, Bill and Cyndia of Concord, California, and Mrs. Don Owen's sister, Mrs. Bobbie Sexton of Hot Springs, Ark.

The Don Owen family will be moving soon to Cedar Creek Lake where they have purchased a business.

Weekend visitors in the Owen home was Mrs. Owen's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Norwood and girls of Weatherford.

Howdy Pardner!




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GARAGE SALE—Monday through Thursday next week South Fifth and Willis. 28-1tp

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FOR SALE—Mercury Marauder, like new. Only 11,650 miles, very reasonable. Ray Wooten, 402 Ave. C Santa Anna, Texas. 28-2tp

FOR SALE—40 Channel CB with magnetic antenna. Used two weeks \$80. Elder's Garage, call 348-3117. 28-2tp

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- Joe C. Brooke
- Cora Sorrells, Houston
- W. D. Aldridge
- Julian Whitley, Midland
- C. E. Wise
- Eddie W. Hartman

Ranger Park Hospital News

The following patients were admitted to Ranger Park Hospital July 5 - 11:
Fred Cepeda, Brownwood
Carrie Perry, Gouldbusk
Lavelle Walters, Coleman
Allie Smith, city
Ima Boenicke, Bangs
Kenneth Raulston, Coleman
Mary Robertson, Brownwood
Katie Collins, city
Ima Simpson, city
Shirley Snodgrass, city

Patients dismissed from the hospital July 5 - 11:

- Reba McCarrell, Abilene
- Roy Simmons, city
- Ida Glasson, Coleman
- Daisy Green, city
- Grace Perez, city
- Mamie Taylor, city
- Doris Kelly, city
- Fred Cepeda, Brownwood
- Lavelle Walters and baby, Coleman
- Kenneth Raulston, Coleman

Other patients still in the hospital July 11:

- Adelle Conner, Ranger Park Inn
- Pearl Curry, Ranger Park Inn
- Annie Barrington, Coleman
- Bertha Sanders, Coleman
- Rachel Swafford, Coleman
- Orvel Croft, Ranger Park Inn
- Etta Cupps, city
- Arthur Eidson, city
- George Osburn, Ranger Park Inn

NEW BABY AT RANGER PARK HOSPITAL:
Mr. and Mrs. Mackie Joe Walters of Coleman are parents of a baby daughter, Tonya Lanette, born Thursday, July 7. The little girl weighed eight pounds at birth.

County Baptists

To Meet Tuesday

The Coleman County Baptist Associational meeting will be held at Harmony Baptist Church near Fisk Tuesday, July 19. The meeting will open at 7 o'clock with an executive board meeting and the program will begin at 7:30. Baptist people from all over Coleman County will attend the monthly session.

INJURED IN FALL

Sam Robertson of San Saba, a brother of Mrs. Lora Rollins, is getting along well while convalescing from a broken hip. Mr. Robertson was injured in a fall June 28.

SURGERY TUESDAY

Mrs. James Puckett is a patient in Brownwood Community Hospital where she had major surgery Tuesday morning. She was reported to be getting along well following the surgery.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Thurs., July 14:
Coleman Rodeo 8:30 p.m.

Fri., July 15:
CCTC Reception, telephone office 3-5 p.m.
Rodeo Parade at Coleman 5:30 p.m.
Coleman Rodeo 8:30 p.m.

Sat., July 16:
Coleman Rodeo 8:30 p.m.

Sun., July 17:
ATTEND CHURCH

Mon., July 18:
AARP Meeting, UMC Annex 12 noon.
Ex-Student Board UMC Annex 7:30 p.m.
Eastern Star Masonic Hall 7:30 p.m.

Tues., July 19:
Men's Prayer breakfast UMC Annex 6 a.m.
Prayer and Share groups 9 a.m.
Lions Club, Lions Bldg 12 noon

Wed., July 20:



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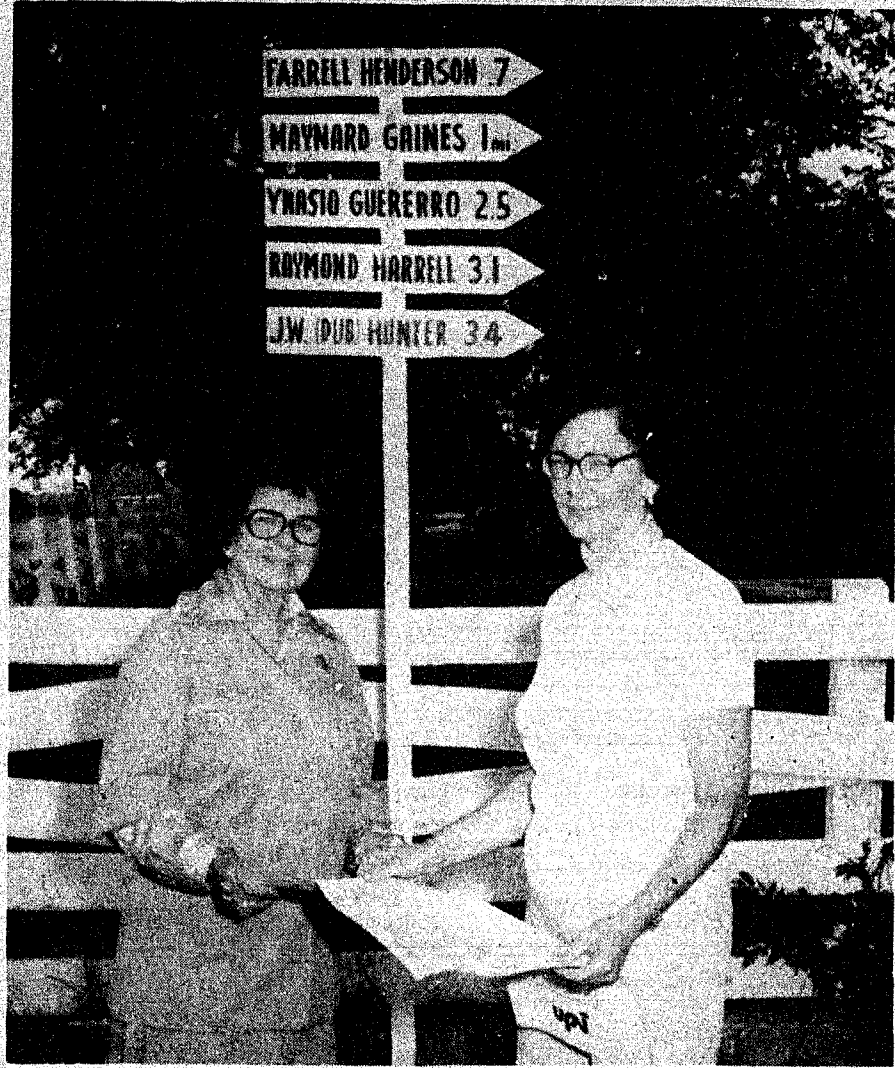
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NEW DIRECTION SIGNS.... The first of the new rural direction signs was erected in Precinct Two at the edge of Coleman Thursday. Mrs. Maynard Gaines, committee chairman, and Mrs. Roland Duus of Rockwood, committee member, are shown with the new sign at the intersection of Shield Road and Santa Anna Avenue. The sign project is sponsored by Coleman County Home Demonstration Council.

Rural Sign Project Promoted By HD Club

The Education Committee of the Coleman County Home Demonstration Council is working toward replacing name and distance signs at all major intersections in the rural areas throughout the county.

The Council is financing the project. All materials and labor are being purchased locally. When the project is completed, individuals will be given the opportunity to purchase individual name signs to indicate their specific residence, lane, etc., during a designated period of time.

The committee is most grateful for assistance received thus far from various individuals who have secured the names and distances to the homes on their road. However, much additional help is needed. The signs are being prepared and placed on a first-come-first-served basis. It is hoped many other individuals

will do their road and get the information to the committee member in her precinct -- Mrs. Fred Garrett, Pct. 1; Mrs. Roland Duus, Pct. 2; Mrs. Bob Turner, Pct. 3; and Mrs. Ivan Hill, Pct. 3.

Those doing their particular road need to keep in mind that they are directing the fire department, ambulance, and others from Coleman or Santa Anna to their home. This means one sign at the rural road to your farm or ranch.

Spring Graduate SANB Employee

Stephen Cullins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Omer Cullins, is a new employee of Santa Anna National Bank. A spring graduate of Santa Anna High School, Stephen was employed at the Santa Anna Tile Co. while in high school.

THE SANTA ANNA NEWS Search Underway For Class of '48

While some groups are planning homecoming activities for the 1977 event, class members from the 1948 graduating class are already securing information and addresses for the reunion next year.

Earl Jean Woodard Alexander is organizing the '78 get-together and has been quite successful in locating most of the group. However several have not been located and help is asked to get

their current names and addresses

Those for whom listings are needed include Bobby Hewlett, Billie Fay Newton, Geneva Starnes, Dorothy Tennyson, Betty

Ware and Ernestine Elliott Newton. Anyone knowing these addresses or whom to contact, please write or call Coyita Bowker, Rockwood Route, Santa Anna, or contact the NEWS office.

Area SBA Rep In Brownwood On Wednesday


On Wednesday, July 20, 1977, the Dallas District Office of the Small Business Administration will have W. D. Long, Loan Officer, visit the Brownwood area. Mr. Long will headquarter at the Chamber of Commerce building in Brownwood and will be available to discuss the loan programs of the Small Business Administration. Meetings with Mr. Long will be by appointment only. Appointments may be made by calling area code 915-646-9535.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce office.

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