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## Mountain Echoes



By  
Barbara  
Kingsbery

Dick Longbrake did not waste any time replacing the American flag that was stolen from his yard recently. He soon got another and it is prominently displayed in the front yard at his home on Wallis Avenue.

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I hate to be the one to mention it, but several have asked that local clubs and organizations who decorated downtown windows for Christmas should UNDECORATE them as soon as possible. It is a little late -- or a whole lot early -- for the Christmas greetings that are in many of the downtown windows!

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It has been such a long time since we have had a really good rain that local people get excited about the little moisture that is coming our way. We seem to brag about the fraction-of-an-inch moisture that has been received and are grateful for it.

The greatest need is for stock and household water at the area farms and ranches.

## BCWID Stalls Water Contract

### Contract Extension To Be Given At Future Meeting Of Board

The Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1 Board of Directors declined to quote a price on water sold to the City of Santa Anna when the group met with Mayor Glen Copeland and City Engineer Wendell Sparkman last Monday in Brownwood.

The BCWID leaders granted permission for water to be taken from Lake Brownwood at the proposed pump station at the lake, continuing on the present price in the contract that runs to 1980.

In a story in Monday, February 6, issue of Brownwood Bulletin, the report indicated that the entire water project for Santa Anna was endangered by the Board's decision. However Sparkman stated that only a price quotation on water past the

current 1980 contract was questioned.

Mr. Sparkman stated Tuesday that he expects no delay in the local project and the extension of the present contract was sought only to complete application

forms submitted to Farmers Home Administration concerning the loan to the City.

Mayor Copeland and Mr. Sparkman are to meet with the Brown County group in the near future to finalize the contract extension.

The work on the new project is continuing as scheduled, according to Sparkman.

## Two County Races Slated

Filing for places on the May 6 primary ballot ended Monday, February 6, with only two races listed on the Coleman County Democratic ballot.

County Judge W. W. (Pete) Skelton is opposed by David Jordan; Rondoe Horton of Santa Anna is seeking the office of District Clerk held by Louise Thompson, appointee for the office.

Other candidates unopposed on the ballot will be Max Horne, Commissioner Precinct 4; Jake McCreary, Commissioner Precinct 2; Glenn Thomas, County Clerk; Barbara Freeman, County Treasurer; Walter C. Holt, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1; and Gale Allen Brock, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2.

## Santa Anna Child Injured In Accidental Shooting

Rebecca Ann (Becky) Wells, aged six, is recovering well from a gunshot wound she received in an accidental shooting Saturday, February 4, at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wells, who live just north of Santa Anna.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wells, the child was injured when a pistol accidentally fired as children were handling the gun. The shot struck the child just behind the right ear.

The family rushed the little girl to Ranger Park Hospital, then Brownwood Community Hospital for emergency treatment.

She was transferred to Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene that night and underwent surgery about midnight Saturday to remove shell fragments.

Becky, a first grade student at Santa Anna Elementary School, was transferred from the Intensive Care Unit of the hospital Tuesday and was to be in the pediatrics division for further

treatment, according to a report Tuesday from the little girl's father.

The mishap was investigated by Coleman County Sheriff's office.

## Reunion Planned By Class of 1938

The Santa Anna Class of 1938 is planning their 40th class reunion during the annual Ex-Student Homecoming October 6 and 7. Class members are being notified of the get-together and names and addresses are being sought.

M. L. Guthrie Jr. is in charge of the reunion plans and is being assisted by other local class members.

The group plans to send notices and reminders of the reunion several times between now and the October event.

## Hosch Furniture Co. Interest Sold To Third Generation

Patrick and Sandra Hosch have purchased interest in Hosch Furniture Company in Santa Anna and are now assisting with management and operation of the store. They purchased the interest of Mrs. Norman Hosch and Roscoe Hosch and will be operating the business with Patrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hosch.

The Hosch business is one of Santa Anna's oldest, established in 'The Gap' almost 100 years ago as Adams and Childers Co. Grady Adams sold the furniture store

and undertaking business to the Hosch family in 1928. The funeral home was sold to Donnie Henderson in 1972. The family businesses also included a grocery store that sold several years ago.

Patrick Hosch is associated with Henderson Funeral Homes of Santa Anna and Coleman. His wife is a physician's assistant employed in Coleman.

The furniture store is being rearranged and restocked at the present time, and several improvements and additions are planned in the near future.

## Santa Anna High School Class Favorites Chosen

### To Be Featured In 1978 Yearbook

The four classes at Santa Anna High School have selected their favorites who will be featured in the 1978 Mountaineer annual.

Chosen as favorites in the Senior Class were Allen Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jones, and Tammy Benge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Benge.

Junior Class favorites are Tommy Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Harris, and Linda Key, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Key.

Selections from the Sophomore Class are Alice DeLeon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy DeLeon, and Joe Malaer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Malaer.

Freshman Class favorites are Joni Weathers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Weathers, and Danny Guerrero, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Guerrero.



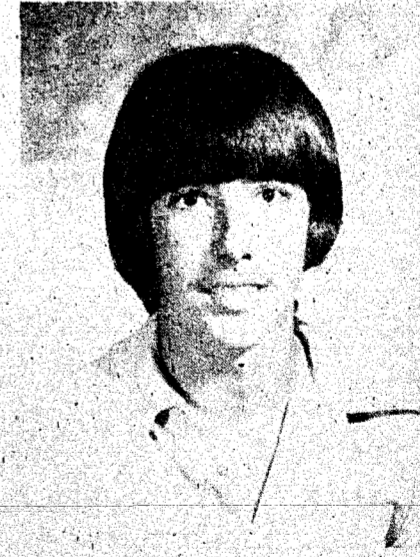
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Senior Favorite



ALLEN JONES  
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Junior Favorite



TOMMY HARRIS  
Junior Favorite



ALICE DeLEON  
Sophomore Favorite



JOE MALAER  
Sophomore Favorite



JONI WEATHERS  
Freshman Favorite

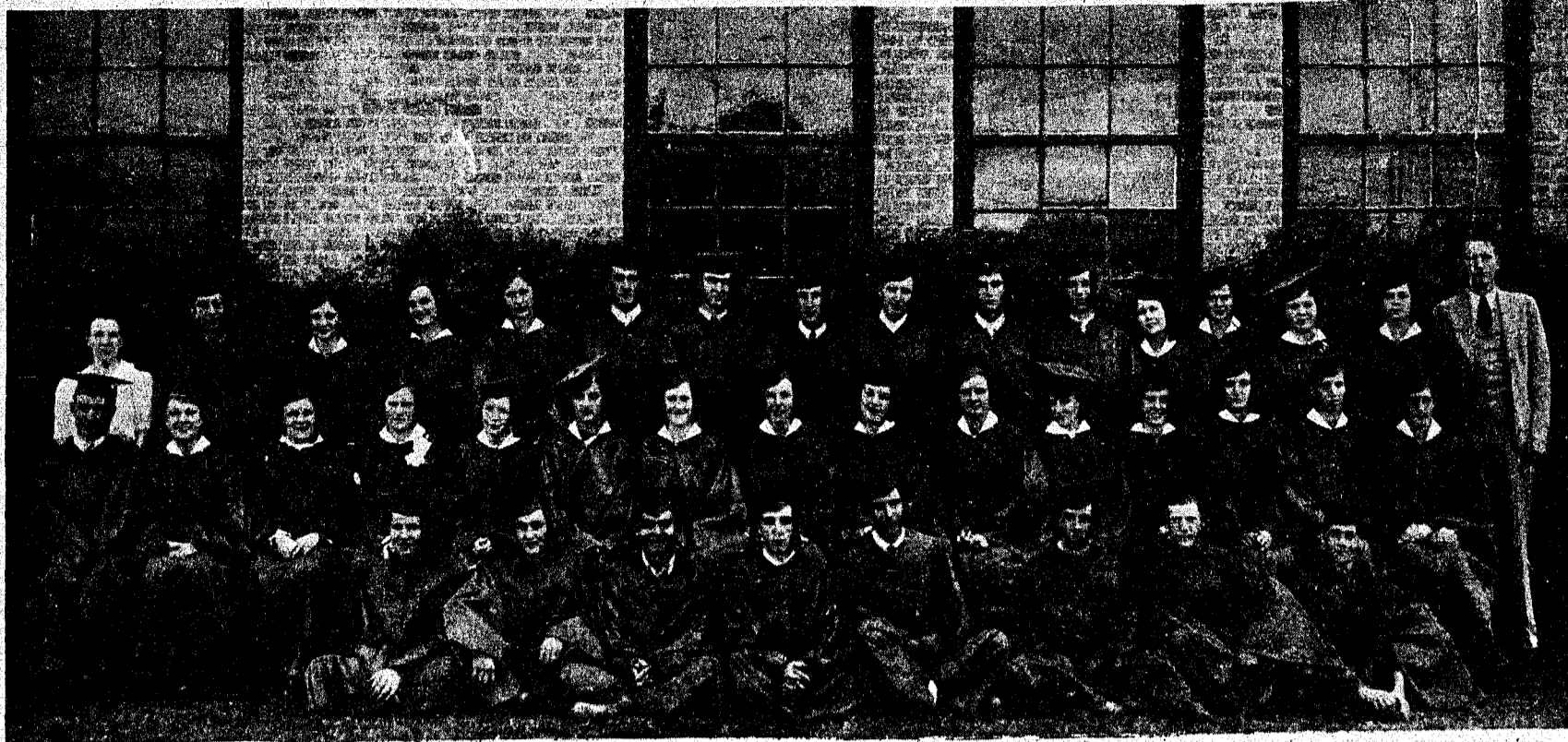


DANNY GUERRERO  
Freshman Favorite

## School Board Sets Meeting

Members of the Board of Trustees of Santa Anna Independent School District will have the regular monthly business meeting Tuesday, February 14. The meeting will be held at the Board Room at the school business office at 7:30 p.m.





**REUNION PLANNED.....** The Class of 1938 is planning a reunion at Homecoming October 6 and 7 and are securing names and addresses of the group. Pictured here at graduation is the class and their sponsors. Shown front row, left to right are A. L. McGahey, M. L. Guthrie Jr., Arnold Richards, Oscar Hill, O. T. Stacy, Eugene Ferguson, Bailey Horner and Robert Lovelace. Second row: Frank McGonigall (deceased), Virginia Holt, Gale Collier, Ada Lois Newman, Gwendolyn Oakes, Elizabeth Morris, Lenora Oakes, Dorothy Tillery, Clara Ruth Mathews, Louise Oakes, Buna Healing, Jewell Healing, Verna Neal, Copeland,

Dorothy Springer and Ruby Moore. Back row: Page Mays, Kathryn McCormick, Ruth Laverne Irick, Gene Adams, Daymond Jackson, J. B. Dodgen, T. L. Reed, Lewis Evans, J. W. Davis, Mace Blanton Jr., Violetta Goodgion, Inez Wallace, Hazel Stafford and Eva Nickens (deceased). Sponsors: Catherine Rose Penny and Charles F. Matthews. Other class members not pictured are J. S. Brewer, Durwood Burrows, Lucille Genz, John Gregg, Ruth Jones, H. L. Lackey, Ila Pettit, John R. Sparkman, Thomas Wristen, Vernon Herring, Alice Anna Lovelady, Frank Gary, Willie Mae Cruger, S. A. Stapleton, Billy Stapleton and Ben J. Parker (deceased).

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**1978 Basketball Season Nearing End For SAHS**

The Santa Anna High School basketball teams will end the regular season next week, closing a very successful season.

The SAHS girls won both games last week, defeating the Talpa girls 56-35 with Rhonda Rhoades scoring 38 points and Ginger Smith adding 12.

Friday night the local girls won over Lohn 47-37 with Rhoades leading the scoring with 33 points and Smith scoring 12.

In a Junior Varsity game, Santa Anna won over the Tal-Cen Jayvees with Celeste Simmons scoring 7 to win 21-14.

The Mountaineers lost to Talpa 53-42 with Mike Warnock scoring 17 and Joe Dean Early adding 10. The local boys defeated the

Lohn team 52-42 with Early scoring 18 and Bobby Permenter scoring 13.

The regularly scheduled games will be completed Friday night when the Novice teams play at Perry Gymnasium at 7 p.m. Make-up games are planned sometime next week with the Mozelle teams, the original games postponed because of bad weather.

**New Fire Hose To Be Purchased For Fire Dept.**

Mayor Glen Copeland presided at the Thursday, February 2, meeting of City Council held at City Hall. All councilpersons were present for the session.

Mayor Copeland gave a report on the water improvement project and stated that surveys are now being made.

The city election was called for Saturday, April 1. Thomas Wristen will serve as election judge.

A report was given on the recent Lions Club community projects survey and plans for a spring clean-up discussed.

The Council voted to purchase five new 50-foot lengths of fire hose for the Volunteer Fire Department. Members of the VFD also reported on needed repairs on fire plugs and the Council voted to make any necessary repairs.

City Council members discussed the city dog ordinances and stressed the need for local people to cooperate in vaccinating and tagging dogs. The Council does not want to enforce a leash law, but unless dogs are controlled in the town, such a measure may be necessary.

**SNYDER VISITORS**

Weekend visitors in the home of Blackie and Jeanette Brock were a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tucker and children. Joining the group for supper Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker and family.

**SA Boy Scout Bottle Drive A Success**

Santa Anna Boy Scouts had a successful drive recently for bottles on which deposits could be collected. The drive was a fund raising project for the local group, and they expressed appreciation to those who contributed their bottles, and made other donations.

The Santa Anna Scouts are raising money to help pay summer camp expenses at Camp Tonkawa.

D. D. (Tex) Wright is adult leader of the Santa Anna group.

**IN BROWNWOOD HOSPITAL**  
Melvin Lamb is a patient in Brownwood Community Hospital being treated for pneumonia. He was admitted to the hospital last Thursday.

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**H.W. Simmons Rites Set Today**

Funeral services will be held Thursday (today) at Henderson Funeral Chapel at 10:30 a.m. for Henry W. Simmons, 68, of Dickinson who died Tuesday, February 7, at 6 a.m. in Galveston County Memorial Hospital at Texas City. Interment will be in Santa Anna Cemetery under direction of Henderson Funeral Home.

Born in Mangum, Oklahoma September 23, 1909, he was a retired boilermaker with Chicago Bridge & Iron Co., retiring in 1973. He was reared in Santa Anna, moving from Coleman County in 1947.

Survivors are his wife, Gertrude of Dickinson; one daughter, Sedonia Calley of Pasadena; one son, Lankford Simmons of Dickinson; two stepsons, Donnie Shirey of Dickinson and Jackie Shirey of Corpus Christi; four brothers, Earl and M. R. Simmons of Santa Anna, Bunk Simmons of Abilene and Jay Simmons of Indio, Calif.; four sisters, Mrs. Jewel Fuzzell and Mrs. Bertha Miller of Corsicana, Mrs. Muriel Davis of North Hollywood, Calif. and Mrs. Bessie Thomas of Santa Anna; and five grandchildren.

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By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



We are sorry to report Mr. Tom Vinson not feeling so well, having back trouble and is confined to the house. Weekend and Sunday visitors were their daughter, Mrs. Tom Berry and son John and Barbara Hanson of Abilene, and their son, Jim Vinson and boys, Dusty and Dale of Fort Worth. Mr. Bean Radle of Santa Anna is assisting Mrs. Vinson with the daily chores. We all trust Mr. Vinson will soon be well again.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick reports her daughter, Mrs. Jacky (Cheryl) Bullion of Hico, was dismissed from the Brownwood Hospital Sunday and she is reported her condition muchly improved. Mrs. Fitzpatrick was with her daughter in the hospital all the past week.

Mrs. Floyd Morris and Mrs. John David Morris were shopping in Coleman Friday and visited briefly with Mrs. Morris' brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Perkins there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle of Santa Anna visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson Friday. Enroute home the Radles stopped for a visit with Tom Rutherford and son, Thomas Ray Rutherford.

Mrs. John David Morris visited Wednesday with her mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Davenport of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Wheeler and daughters, Christi and Erica, of Pasadena came Friday night and were with her parents, the Tom Rutherfords, during the weekend.

Mrs. Bob (Patsy June) Smith and children, Deborah and Barry of Abilene were with us Saturday and Sunday. Our grandson, the son of Thomas Ray Rutherford, came Saturday for a visit, and Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford, Rocky and Dena and Bobby Boatright of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rutherford, Tonna and Todd of Bangs were with us. We had a wonderful weekend with all of our children at home. All were here except a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Ray Rutherford, and a son-in-law, Bob Smith, and the Thomas Rutherfords' two daughters, Diane and JoAnn. They were missed.

Our luck for some time, with the children scattered, when some come home, one or more of the others can't be here. For all this, our children at home, we give thanks.

Dick Deal visited briefly Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson.

Leon Carter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris spent Saturday with his parents, the Floyd Morrises.

## Annex Building Is Planned By Local Church

Members of St. Willow Baptist Church and their families held a special service and rally in preparation for the addition of a new activity building at the church.

The group hosted a dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barton, then those present went to the church for a program in the afternoon.

Among those present for the occasion were Rev. Alton Hurd and members of the New Light Baptist Church of Abilene, a group from Mt. Calvary Baptist Church and Truevine Baptist Church in Coleman.

The St. Willow church, located at Rockwood Highway and Mahoney Street in South Santa Anna, is seeking a building that can be moved to the location to house an annex and restrooms.

## Mrs. Huggins To Be Feted At Rockwood

Mrs. David Huggins will be honored with a pink and blue shower Saturday, February 18, at the Rockwood Community Center.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend at 2:30 p.m.

## Former Resident Buried Jan. 30 In Florida Rites

Funeral services were held Monday, January 30, in Zellwood, Florida for H. L. Voss Jr., 59, who died there of a sudden illness. Mr. Voss was a former Santa Anna resident, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Voss Sr.

He was reared in Santa Anna and was a graduate of Santa Anna High School. He was a veteran of World War II and was a businessman in Zellwood, operating a nursery and greenhouses.

Survivors are his wife; two sons; and one daughter. Also surviving is a brother, Eddie Paul Voss of Santa Anna.

## Officers Named In DECA Club

Officers for the Distributive Education Club of America chapter (DECA) at Santa Anna High School include Wallace Collins, president; Mike Warnock, vice president; Tracy Duus, treasurer; Terry Day, secretary; Mike Pritchard, parliamentarian; and Philip Johnson, reporter-historian.

The club has 20 members this year, with a number of the group employed in the community.

## VISIT IN HAYS HOME

Gary Knapp of Norfolk, Va. spent Tuesday to Friday of last week with his mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Hays and Terri Knapp. He was here to attend the funeral of his grandfather, Arthur Eidson.

Alice Wilhide of Gaithersburg, Md. was also here for the memorial service, returning home Thursday.

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### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10:  
 SAHS Basketball, Perry Gymnasium, 7 p.m.  
 SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12:  
 Attend Church  
 Second Sunday Singing, Trickham Church, 7 p.m.  
 MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13:  
 Booster Club, Vo-Ag Building, 7 p.m.  
 TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14:  
 Lions Club, Lions Building, 12 noon  
 School Board, H. S. Business office, 7:30 p.m.  
 WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15:  
 Social Security Rep., Mountain City Center, 9 a.m.  
 Whirly Birds, UMC Basement, 2:30 p.m.  
 Jet Cadets, UMC Basement, 4 p.m.

### SANTA ANNA SCHOOL LUNCHROOM MENU

Monday, February 13 - Friday, February 17:

MONDAY: Barbecue Weiners, chili beans, relish and onion slice, hot rolls and butter, plain cake and milk  
 TUESDAY: Fish stix, coleslaw, cheese stix, greenbeans, cornbread, valentine cupcakes and milk  
 WEDNESDAY: Western burgers, buttered corn, tomato and lettuce salad, peaches and milk  
 THURSDAY: Fried chicken and gravy, creamed potatoes, sweet peas, hot rolls and butter, strawberry jello and milk  
 FRIDAY: Cheeseburger on bun, vegetable salad, pickles and onions, potato chips, peanut butter cookies and milk

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## Cleveland News

BY CLARA CUPPE

Sunday, February 5, Granddaddy Cupps was wheeled down to the church service at Ranger Park Inn. He ate his dinner out in the dining room with the other nursing home folks. So he is coming along well and waiting to go home. You can hear that word "home" several times a day. The children come and go each day.

Hannel Cupps and Ovelia Williams visited Sunday afternoon. I am sure there were others. Eveline visited him Monday.

Russell Williams placed 8th with his medium weight crossbred pig out of 54 head in the class at the Fort Worth Stock Show last weekend. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams of Santa Anna.

Wednesday Carmilla Baugh was in Bangs visiting her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores at Twilight Nursing Home. On Friday Mrs. Baugh went to Brownwood and visited her mother en route home and with Nancy Lee Lowry. The Dick Baughs visited Elmer Cupps at the nursing home and with Mrs. Lela Hodges Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter of Brownwood and Claude brought his parents a load of wood Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould Sr. The C. C. Goulds Jr. of Brownwood visited Saturday, and Mrs. Edna Hunter came Friday and took her parents to town. Ruth Hibbetts visited them Thursday.

Charlie Fleming visited his mother, Mrs. Beulah Fleming and girls, Saturday.

Linda Rasch and children, Dena and Lance of Brownwood spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell.

Tammy Ellis of San Marcos was at home for the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis.

Pamala Morgan of San Angelo came to get John who had spent several days with his grandparents. They returned home Sunday afternoon. Kenneth Herring and Max of Odessa visited his parents, the Casey Herrings, Saturday. Also Dale Herring visited his folks, and the Dale Herring family visited Friday night.

Bernice Battles and Amanda Perry and Mildred Cammack went shopping in Brownwood Saturday. Bernice called on Amanda one day last week.

Bob Boyet and Caleb of Santa Anna visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fleming, Sunday evening.

Syble Huggins and David visited Harden Phillips Wednesday.

Harden visited Ivey Taylor Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Walker of Spaur spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooke. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bloodworth visited Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Olet Holcombe of Coleman visited Sunday evening. Jeffery Brooke spent Wednesday and Thursday with his grandparents while Patsy was in the hospital. Brown visited Friday night and Jeffery returned home to Comanche with his father.

Gladys Haynes, Billy Williams, Leona Bruce, J. T. Naron and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mills of Santa Anna were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cupps during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard visited Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Priest Sunday afternoon. They also visited Verna and Wilmoth Russell. Oleta and Ruby visited Artie Magill of Bangs Friday, and Ruby visited Ranie Howard Saturday.

Adolph Kelley visited Lawson Battles Sunday evening. Bernice visited Doris Kelley Friday afternoon.

Charlie and Kathleen Avants of Gouldbusk visited Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts.

Lucille Cupps and Sydney went to Brownwood Sunday to visit Richard Wells in Brownwood Hospital. They also visited in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Randal Dutton and the Charles Kirkpatricks and Jennifer, and with Alice Wells and the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sikes and children of Bangs Sunday.

Bro. Coy Cavett of Midland was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wise Sunday. Ruth Campbell was a supper guest Sunday night. Billy Williams visited Friday and was a dinner guest.

Aunt Lela Hodges visited Mary Cruger Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Ellis visited Friday with her mother.

Dutch Campbell entered Brownwood Community Hospital Sunday afternoon.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins Sunday night were Phil and Gwen Huggins and Dana of Coleman and David and Jimmie Gail, and Jimmy Lee Brown of Brownwood.

Tommy and Sherry Watson, Wynndi and Tracy of Coleman visited Sunday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford visited Mr. and Mrs. Ercell Ellis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry

### Valentine Cakes Being Sold By Annual Staff

Members of the SAHS Annual Staff are taking orders for Valentine cakes, specially made by Janice Hipsher.

The cakes of special design and decoration may be ordered in red, yellow, white or pink, and there are several attractive designs.

Cost for the cakes is \$5 each, and they may be ordered from any annual staff member.

### RECOVERING WELL

Oscar Boenicke of Trickham is getting along well after having surgery Wednesday of last week in Brownwood Community Hospital. He is expected to return home in a few days.

visited Sunday evening with their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and children.

I visited with Grace Ellis, G. K. and Sug Stearns at the mail box Monday. Glad to see our friends. Got a letter from my mother. She is well and Freda is doing well now after heart surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Blanton visited his son, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Blanton and children one night last week on Sid's birthday. Happy Birthday, Sid.

For our weather: 20 percent chance of rain Monday night. Still cold, though. I believe hot weather, how about you? We do need rain.

### PTO To Meet On Tuesday

The sixth grade class of Mrs. Joan Jones will present the program at the Thursday, February 16, meeting of Parent Teachers Organization.

The meeting will be at the school cafeteria at 7 p.m.

An nominating committee will be chosen, and other routine business attended to at the business meeting.

Parents of all school children are urged to attend the meeting and asked to note the change in meeting date from Tuesday to Thursday.

### Visitors Attend

#### Lions Club Meeting

Members of the Lions Club reviewed the community projects suggestions at the Tuesday meeting, and plans were made for the Board of Directors to compile a list of priority suggestions to be presented at a coming meeting.

It was announced that John Gordon and Gale Brock will attend a West Central Texas Council of Government meeting in Abilene so that the Chamber of Commerce and Lions Club may work together on projects.

Guests at the meeting were Cullen Perry and John Skelton.

The club welcomed a new member, Dennis Gaines.

### S-Security Rep To Be In S-Anna

A representative from the Brownwood Social Security office will be in Santa Anna Wednesday, February 15 at 9 a.m.

People needing information concerning their social security benefits or other matters relating to social security should be at Mountain City Center.

### SPECIAL SERVICE SET

Members and friends of First United Presbyterian Church will have a special service Sunday, February 12, on the first Sunday of the Lenten season.

Those attending the 11 a.m. worship service will have communion in observance of the season.

Everyone is invited to be present at the service.

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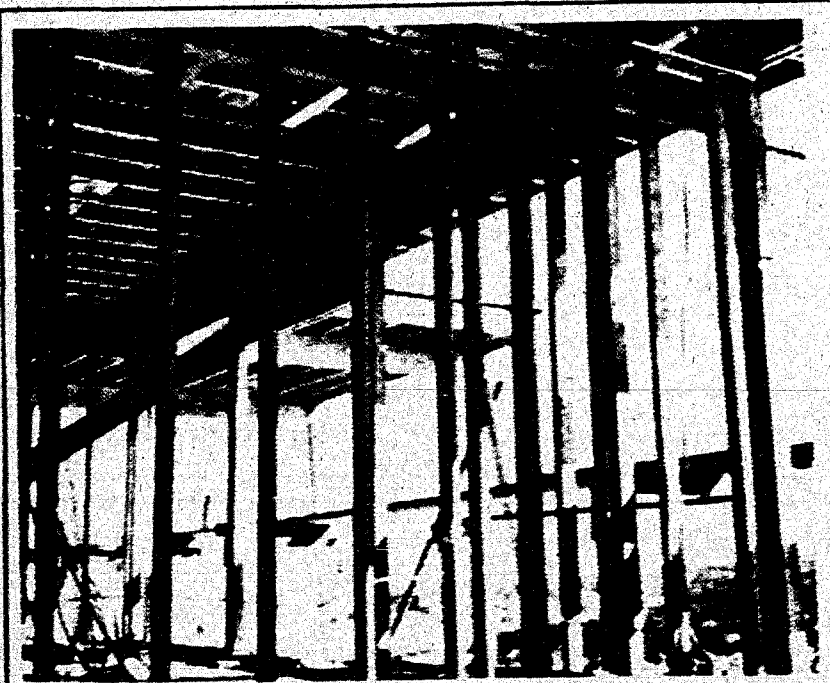
### Santa Anna Livestock Assn. FFA-FHA and 4-H Members

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# Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Rev. Louis Stucky of Brownwood, the Baptist minister, preached here Sunday morning at 11 a.m. Next Sunday the Methodist minister, Rev. Ellis Holden, will preach at 9:30 before Sunday School, and the Second Sunday singing will be held at 7 p.m. that night.

Last Thursday afternoon 11 ladies met at the church for Bible study. Mrs. Gertrude Martin was in charge. The next first Thursday Tavy Ford will have charge.

Oscar Boenicke entered the Brownwood Community Hospital last Monday, January 30, and had surgery Wednesday morning. I am glad to report he is doing good and as well as Doctor Wheelis thinks he should. I don't know how much longer he will be there but several days yet. He is in room 231.

I want to thank everyone who has sent cards and flowers and visits. They all help, and everyone has been so nice to us. Thanks to Gertrude Martin who

got the news off last week. Oscar's sister, Laura Harris of Bangs, spent each night last week with me since Oscar has been in the hospital.

Terry and Orabeth McIver and children of Santa Anna had dinner Sunday with his parents, the Grady McIvers.

Lea and Loyd Mock and Jennie and James of Post visited over the weekend with her mother, Mary Lea Mitchell. Saturday night Russie James and Lou Vaughn visited them.

Roberta and Pat McShan and Pat Jr. had dinner Sunday with her mother, Russie James. Saturday evening Russie and Oma Lee Dockery and Lou Vaughn visited at Brownwood Hospital with Oscar and with Carrie McClatchy and H. B. Dockery and maybe others.

Paul Martin was home with his parents, the Felton Martins, from Tarleton State University at Stephenville during the weekend. Billy and Carole Haynes and Tim of Snyder spent the weekend

## St. Valentine Program Given At Garden Club

The Valentine theme was used in refreshments and program when the Mountain City Garden Club met last Friday in the home of Mrs. J. C. Mathews.

In the business meeting, a discussion of the need for replacing the floribunda roses in the boulevard at City Cemetery resulted in a decision to plant different varieties of evergreens which would require less care and also last for many more years than the roses. This will be done by a committee during the month of March.

Mrs. Arthur Casey, president led the business meeting and gave a talk on the legends and sentiment of St. Valentine's Day and the history of its observance.

Those present were Mmes. Lonnie Bledsoe, Jess Howard, C. M. Moseley, Ford Barnes, C. D. Bruce, Virgil Priddy, Elton McDonald, Jesse Lee Sparkman, Mrs. Casey and Miss Alma McNutt.

### HERE AT WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hootton of Odessa were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCary. They were joined here by their son, Larry, who is a student at Tarleton State University at Stephenville.

with his parents, the Fred Hayneses, Oma Lee Dockery and G. K. Stearns visited them last week.

Lillie Featherston is still not feeling too good, and Wendell and Sherry Rice and boys of Santa Anna visited the Bond Featherstons Sunday evening.

Gertrude Martin took me to Brownwood Sunday evening to see Oscar and she visited others while there. I don't know what we would do without our friends and kinfolks.

Lou Vaughn took me to the doctor and to see Oscar Monday. He seemed better than he had been for a long time.

Last week was cold and bad, and misting rain most all of the week, and it has started misting again this Monday. We like to see a good rain and some sunshine.

## Ranger Park Inn News

Residents of Ranger Park Inn have enjoyed special entertainment in recent days, the group enjoying very much the different activities.

Jay Weathers came to the Inn Friday and brought tapes of vocal selections he has recorded and songs with Orabeth McIver, another local singer.

On Saturday Jay Weathers and Mrs. Myrtle Chapman came to the Inn for a musical program with Mrs. Chapman as pianist.

We hope Mr. Weathers will come often and bring the good musical entertainment.

John Blevins of Brownwood is a new resident of Ranger Park Inn. We welcome him to our nursing home.

The residents and staff enjoyed a Thursday afternoon visit by 'Uncle Ezra' and 'Aunt Samantha' who had a humorous dialog. The two are in real life O. C. Barker and Fannie Gilbert, and their comedy routine is complete with costumes.

Jerry and Esther Barker were with them and presented musical selections, Jerry playing the guitar for Esther's solos. Also with the group was C. C. Gilbert.

A very special thanks to Mrs. Adrian Price for the quilt top she gave the residents of the Inn. The quilting project is coming along well with a number of people helping.

The High School - College Sunday School Department of First Baptist Church was at the Inn Sunday morning for the devotion. Robin Chaffin was pianist and accompanied Debbie and Sandra Harris in special music.

Ricky Jones read the scripture and Donnie Neff gave the devotion.

The Youth I (Junior High) group will be at the Inn next Sunday morning.

Sunday, February 5, Mrs. Ruby Halman, Mrs. Grace Barrington

### Presbyterian Ladies Plan Quilting Day

Ladies of United Presbyterian Church have planned a quilting session Saturday, February 11, at Ranger Park Inn. The ladies are inviting any interested ladies in the community to join them for the day to cut, piece and quilt on the project.

Those who plan to meet with the group are asked to bring a sack lunch, their scissors, thimbles and needles. Double-knit fabric is also welcomed for the project.

The ladies will meet at 10 a.m. and stay until mid-afternoon.

### OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Brown of Waller were in the community Wednesday and Thursday of last week visiting relatives. They visited a sister, Miss Virgie Brown, who is residing at Sunny Acres Nursing Home in Brownwood, and helped observe her 84th birthday.

Miss Brown is getting along well and enjoyed the cards and gifts from friends and relatives.

of Coleman and Mrs. Sloan Wells of Cross Plains visited at the Inn and Mrs. Wells played the piano to entertain the residents.

Visitors with Mary Hoffman were a son and his wife, J. D. and Marcile Hoffman of Talpa.

Mrs. Glen Schulle of Odessa visited with her father, O. W. Croft.

Those visiting Dan Shuford were his daughter, Frances Cook of Glen Cove, and friends, Gayla Scott, Christine Williams and Bettye Duval, all of Glen Cove.

Ida Jackson of Coleman is a frequent visitor of her father, A. E. Switzer.

Billie Clay of Aspermont visited her mother, Lola White, and brother, Troy Lewis.

Visiting with Mary Morrow last weekend were her sister, Bernie Davis, and Mrs. Jimmie Cline and Earl Hines, all of Fort Worth.

Elmer Woodard visited a sister, Allie Woodard, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Craig of Coleman was a visitor of her brother, Homer Boyd.

Visiting Verna Newman last week were her sisters, Lucile Wylie, Sally and George Stewardson, and a number of friends. They included Ruby and E. Lee Harper, Ora Hunter, Dessa Patterson, Janet May, Jessie Evans, Bessie Parish, Jay Weathers, Selma Hasserodt, Rev. and Mrs. Gary Lawrence and Toby, Mae Blue, Clara Cupps, Dewayne Warnock, Mrs. Dick Baugh, Sylvia Edwards and Mattie Madkins.

Those visiting Nyla Simmons during the week were Bonnie Lou Norwick and daughter Debbie of Coleman and Mrs. R. W. Grossman of Valera.

### Church Banquet Planned Feb. 15

#### By 1st Baptists

Members and families of First Baptist Church will have an all-church banquet Wednesday evening, February 15, at the Community Civic Center. The Sweetheart Banquet is for all the congregation, families and friends.

A sweetheart and beau will be named from the youth departments of the church, and entertainment will be by a musical group from Howard Payne University.

Each person planning to attend is to make reservations at the church office or by contacting Mrs. M. R. Pollock, church secretary, by Sunday, February 12.

### VISIT SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Morris McFadden and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Portis Ribble, all of San Angelo, visited Saturday in Santa Anna with Mrs. McFadden's mother, Mrs. Opal Stockard. The two couples were enroute home from Farmers Branch where they had attended a seminar at the Church of Christ since Thursday.

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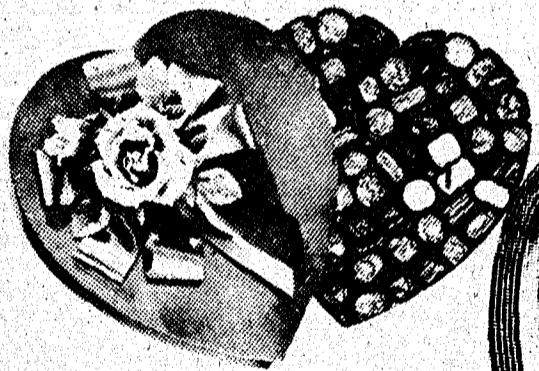
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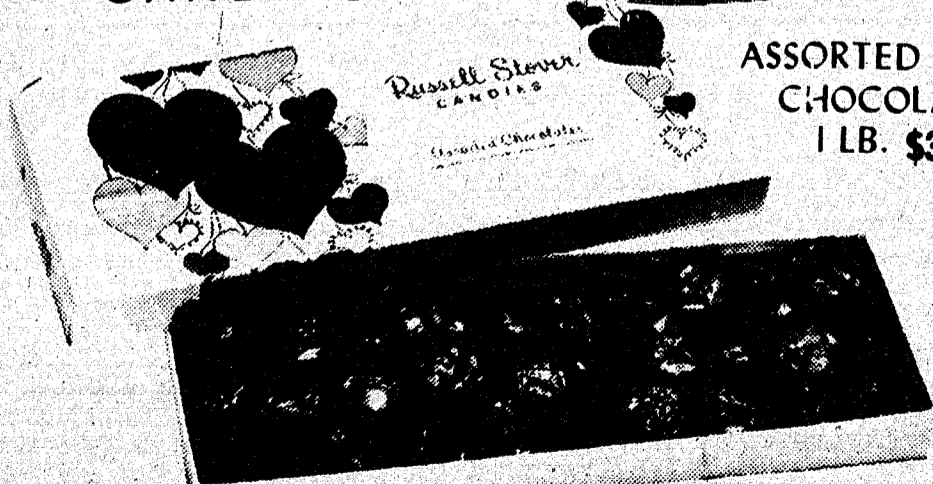


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## Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

The Rev. Ellis Holden, the Methodist pastor of the Santa Anna Parish, visited in the Sam Estes home last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lee of Santa Anna were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Troy Fowler of Richardson spent Saturday to Monday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler. Saturday and Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Odis Fowler and Steve and Mrs. Ethel Cobb of Fort Worth; B. B. Fowler and Joe W. Fowler of Granbury and Mrs. Jess Fowler of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan were in a car wreck last Wednesday in Brownwood and Mrs. Milligan suffered a broken arm; she is home and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lee McCutcheon and two children of San Antonio spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McCutcheon.

Mrs. Junior Brusenhan spent Friday to Sunday at Sanderson with Mr. Brusenhan where he is employed.

The Rev. and Mrs. Chester Rummel were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. R. W. Emerson.

### Daniel Group Has Program On Witnessing

The Nitia Daniell Group of United Methodist Women met Wednesday, February 1, at the Church annex.

Mrs. Ellis Holden led the invocation, and Mrs. Dick Baugh was pianist for group singing.

Mrs. Baugh read minutes of the last meeting, and Mrs. Chester Galloway led the benediction.

Mrs. Thelma Upchurch and Mrs. Lillian Herndon gave a program on 'Ye Are My Witnesses'. A report was given on members who are ill.

At the close of the meeting Mrs. V. I. Dean and Mrs. Holden served refreshments of cake, coffee, and nuts to the ones mentioned and also Mmes. J. T. Avants, Walter Scarbrough, Opal Little, Pauline Eubank and Harry Crews.

The next meeting of the group will be March 1.

Jody Brusenhan was also visiting his grandmother.

The Rockwood Churches report a good attendance at Sunday services; the Rev. Chester Rummel preached at the Baptist Church and Rev. Ellis Holden, pastor, preached at the Methodist Church.

Cash donations to the Cemetery Fund are memorials for George Steward from Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell, Mrs. Frankie McCarthy, Mary Alice Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hallford; donations to the regular fund were from the Buttry-Rehm Estate and Mrs. H. R. Ashmore.

Permanent Fund donations include a memorial from Mrs. Vivian Phillips of Fort Worth for her parents, John and Dovie Chapman; and from Blake Williams, Carl Williams, Donald Williams, Barney Williams, Mrs. Ruth McGee, Mrs. Gene Richardson, Mrs. Lois Reeves and Billy Maness.

Hack Reed sent a memorial for Miller Box.

Recent callers of Mrs. Claud Box were Mrs. Bill Steward, Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. W. B. McCutcheon and Mrs. Iris Hallford.

Mrs. Box visited by phone during the week with Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Pat of Fort Worth, Brian Harkey of California, Ann Cathy and Essie McGuire of Pharr.

Visiting Sunday afternoon with Linnie Box were Mrs. Ann Bryan and two granddaughters of Brownwood and Mrs. Erin Day and Jim Lovelady.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell had Sunday dinner guests, Mrs. Frankie McCarthy and Mr. and Mrs. James Laughlin. The occasion was Mrs. McCarthy's birthday anniversary. Mrs. Caldwell and Mrs. McCarthy visited the Rockwood Cemetery Sunday afternoon and met other Cemetery visitors, Mrs. Ivan Ashmore and Clarice of Ballinger, long-time Rockwood residents.

Mrs. Bill Nevans and Mrs. Louis Whisenhunt of Brady visited with Mrs. John Hunter Thursday afternoon; Mrs. John Kemp of Coleman visited Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges spent Saturday to Monday in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver and Britt and Mr. and Mrs. Artie Smith, Bryan and

### S-Anna Native Is Interred At Eldorado

Funeral services were held in Eldorado Saturday, February 4, for Mary Alice Munn, 72, of Eldorado who died Monday afternoon, January 31, in Schleicher County Medical Center.

Memorial services were held at First Baptist Church in Eldorado with burial there.

Mrs. Munn was born at Santa Anna December 4, 1905, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee Stewardson. She attended the Live Oak school and moved with her family to Eldorado in 1920.

She married Erwin Munn in Eldorado January 1, 1930. He died in 1961.

Mrs. Munn was a housewife, a former school teacher and a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Jane Browning of Brady and Mrs. Becky Moore of Eldorado; a son, Jack E. Munn of Llano; one brother, Billy Stewardson of New Mexico; five sisters, Mrs. Salome Nicks of Fort Stockton, Mrs. Artie Mae Crump and Miss Sammie Stewardson of Coleman and Mrs. Ada Ashmore and Mrs. Lily King of Santa Anna; and six grandchildren.

Kyle, Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges of Clyde joined the group for Saturday and Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodges of Lubbock joined them Sunday. Enroute home Mr. and Mrs. Hodges visited in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hodges Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal visited last Thursday afternoon at Brownwood with Johnny R. Deal and children. Mrs. Deal was in Arlington because of the death of her grandmother, Mrs. Dan Maddox.

Rolan Deal of Stamford spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Deal of Santa Anna were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Tammy Bengé spent Saturday night and Sunday with Kim Bray. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hallford of Coleman visited Saturday afternoon with Harold McCarrell and Mrs. Goldie Milburger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise were in Brady Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. E. M. Tisdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper, Cody and Cari of Brady spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper. Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman, Dorinda and Byron of Brady were Saturday visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper and children visited at Burnet Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams were business visitors in Coleman Saturday afternoon and visited Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richardson.

Bertis McSwane and his daughter, Mrs. Laverne Ratliff of Brownwood visited Tuesday morning with Mrs. Milford Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams and Greg Mobley of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain Saturday afternoon; Sunday dinner guests were Vicki Smith and Robbie Drake of Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Friends of Mrs. Marvin Richardson will be happy to know she has been dismissed from the Brownwood Hospital and is back at Leisure Lodge in Coleman.

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Gifts in memory of the late Milford Harris have been from Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kingsbery and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Fort Worth.

A donation in memory of the late Mrs. E. K. Blewett was made by Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lowe.

### Coleman Lady Buried Here

#### Last Thursday

Funeral services were held at Stevens Funeral Chapel in Coleman Thursday, February 2, for Katie Catherine Blewett, 91, who died Wednesday, February 1, at Leisure Lodge nursing home in Coleman. Rev. Nemo Goldston officiated at the services with burial in Santa Anna Cemetery.

Mrs. Blewett was born in Bosque County July 16, 1886, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Andrew Jackson. She married Eli Blewett in Llano October 2, 1905. She and her late husband lived in Santa Anna many years, coming here from Ballinger in 1927. Mr. Blewett died in 1948. She was a member of First Christian Church of Santa Anna.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Marie Richards and Mrs. Aletha Boardman, both of Coleman; two granddaughters and two great-grandchildren.

#### VISITING PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. R. Cummings Arnold of Moore, Oklahoma have spent the past week here visiting his mother, Mrs. Byrd Arnold, and her mother, Mrs. A. L. King. They are to return home today.

### WMS Meeting In Bryan Home

The Women of the Rockwood Baptist Church met in a social meeting Monday, February 6, in the home of Mrs. Bill Bryan.

Mrs. Bryan brought the devotional, using scripture from Joshua. Mrs. Lon Gray led the opening prayer.

During the business session plans were discussed for the Week of Prayer for Home Missions to be held March 5-12. Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Bryan directed recreation and gifts were exchanged.

Mrs. Bryan served refreshments to Mmes. Gray, Claud Box, Junior Brusenhan, Walter Yancy, Mary Emerson, Blake Williams, Wayne Bray and R. J. Deal.

#### Senior Citizens

#### To Be Entertained

The monthly Senior Citizens game party and get-together will be held at Mountain City Center Thursday (today) from 2-4 p.m.

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MRS. LERA HIPPI, 104

### Temple Rites Are Held For Centenarian

Mrs. Lera Hipp, 104, of Temple died in a nursing home there Monday, January 30. Funeral services were held in Temple Wednesday, February 1, with burial in Little Flock Cemetery. Mrs. Hipp was born in Davilla and lived all her life in Bell

### Jennifer Rutherford Elected Delegate For Area FHA Meet

The Santa Anna Future Homemakers of America Chapter met Monday night at the Homemaking Cottage for the February session.

The Area meeting was discussed, and Jennifer Rutherford was chosen as delegate from the Santa Anna chapter.

The meeting will be held March 4 and several local girls will attend.

The FHA group also discussed projects planned for the week.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

County. She would have celebrated her 105th birthday February 2. She was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene.

Survivors include two sons, George Hipp of Santa Anna and J. C. Hipp of Temple; and two sisters, Eria Putnam of Highlands and Vera McMillan of Baytown; 19 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and 37 great-great-grandchildren.



MR. AND MRS. CHARLES HALMON

### Oakes-Halmon Wedding Held In Coleman Jan. 14

Wedding vows were exchanged Saturday, January 14, at Coleman First United Methodist Church by Miss Susan Gale Oakes and Charles Glenn Halmon. Rev. Leonard Radde, pastor of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Upton Oakes of Coleman. The groom is the son of Mrs. J. C. Halmon of Coleman and the late Mr. Halmon. Miss Oakes is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Oakes of Coleman, formerly of Santa Anna.

The altar of the church was decorated with candelabra

entwined with garlands of greenery and daisies and holding yellow tapers.

Kay Brooks, organist, accompanied soloist Ann Hargett as she sang 'Whither Thou Goest' and 'The Wedding Song.'

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an original gown of white satin styled on princess lines with a gently flowing skirt, tapered, fitted sleeves and an Elizabethan neckline. Over the gown she wore a cape of Benedictine lace with a mandarin collar that extended the full length of the gown in back, forming a cascading train.

Seedpearls embroidered the lace of the cape. Her headpiece was of matching lace and pearls. She carried a nosegay of silk daisies accented by yellow and rust star flowers.

Susie Boatright was maid of honor and Jonita Wood and Dee Ann Duke were bridesmaids. Each wore a gown of sunlit yellow satin fashioned similar to the bridal gown with simulated capes of yellow lace. They wore yellow lace headpieces and carried nosegays of daisy poms.

Paul Whittington was best man. Groomsmen were Joel Wigington and Cliff Lefevre. Guests were seated by Rode Chambers, nephew of the groom, and Kim and Melony Orr cousins of the bride, lighted candles.

Following the ceremony the bride's parents hosted a reception at their home.

The bride's table was covered with a white linen tablecloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow silk flowers set with milk glass appointments.

Mrs. Edgar Shelton served punch and Mrs. Don Boatright served the three-tier wedding cake.

Guests were registered in a bride's book made of satin and lace matching the wedding gown and cape.

The cover was decorated in a sketch in oils on satin, and appropriate sketches in watercolors decorated each page. The book and the wedding gown were made by the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Neal Oakes. Julie Chambers, niece of the groom, registered guests.

Others assisting in the houseparty were Mrs. Don Orr, Mona Kvapil, Sherrie Boatright, and Marlene Crye.

The couple will be at home in Bedford, Texas.

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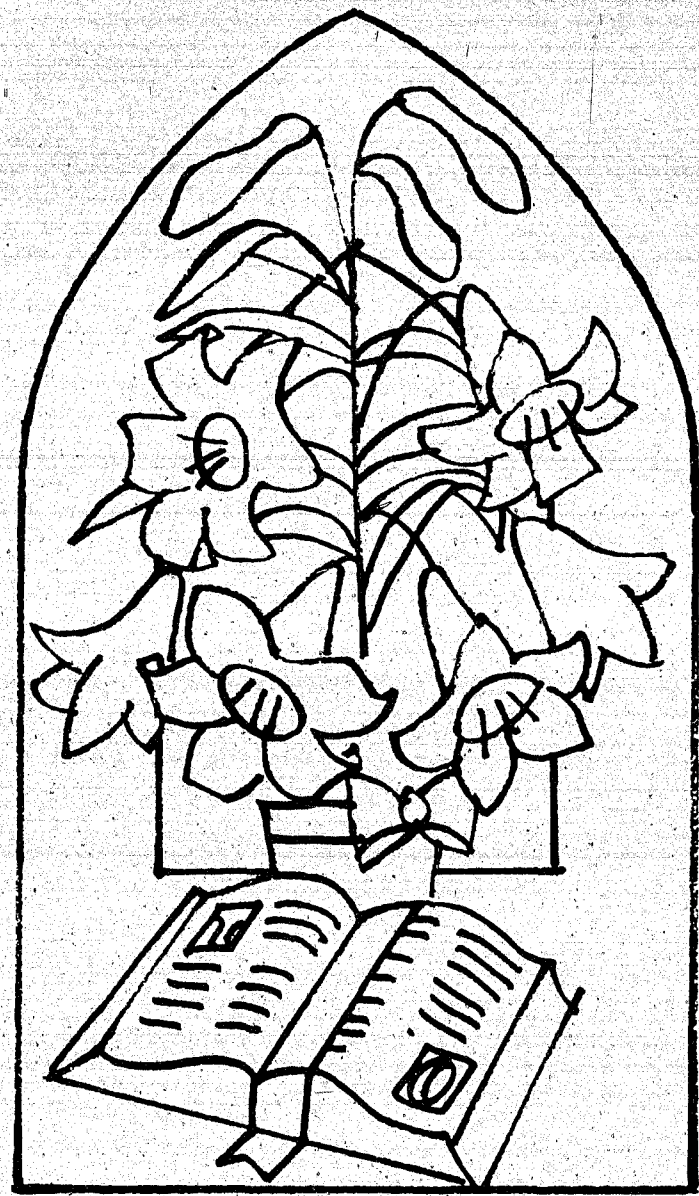
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FOR SALE-Two-year-old brick home. Three bedrooms, one bath, utility room. All-electric kitchen, central heat, carpeting, large corner lot, good location. Fruit trees. Call 348-3664 after 7 p.m. or all day Sunday, Monday.

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## Homes for Sale

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE: David Jordan  
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FOR COUNTY TREASURER: Barbara Freeman

FOR DISTRICT CLERK: Louise Thompson  
Rondoe Horton

FOR COUNTY CLERK: Glenn Thomas

FOR COMMISSIONER PCT. 2: Jake McCreary

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## Card of Thanks

We would like to express our deepest thanks to the many, many friends and neighbors who expressed their sympathy in so many kind ways of the death of our loved one. We appreciate the acts of love displayed by our friends. May God bless each of you in a special way.

Sincerely,

The family of A. C. (Papaw) Eidson

6-1tp

We wish to thank our friends for their kindness in the loss of our loved one. Special thanks to the ladies who served lunch.

The Family of Mrs. Lucie Daniels

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## Miscellaneous

WANT TO BUY - Grape pattern flatware or hollow ware. Contact Billie Guthrie, 348-3517.

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## News From Ranger Park Hospital

The following patients were admitted to Ranger Park Hospital January 30 - February 6:  
Paula Barlow, city  
John Baylis, Brady  
Thomas Zagorski, Brownwood  
L. D. Deitrich, Coleman  
Coleta Ludwick, Brownwood  
Mrs. Ace Reid Sr., city  
Estelle Holloway, Coleman  
Hazel Bryan, Coleman  
Frances Salazar, Brownwood  
Emma Webb, Coleman  
Winnie Haynes, city

The following patients were dismissed from Ranger Park Hospital January 30 - February 6:  
John Hunter, city  
Thomas Prieto, San Angelo  
Robert Buford, Coleman  
Bessie Hipp, city  
George Hipp, city  
Other patients still in the hospital Monday, February 6:  
Ethel Tabor, city  
R. L. Mankins, Coleman  
Timy Griffith, city  
Jewel Duggins, Coleman

## Legal Notices

### NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION SANTA ANNA

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 1st day of April, 1978 in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city: Four Aldermen. Said election will be held at the following polling places in said city:

In Election Precinct No. One, at City Hall Building.

The polls at each of the above designated polling places shall on said election day be open from 7 o'clock a.m. to 7 o'clock p.m.

The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Hall Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 o'clock a.m. and 5 o'clock p.m.

Dated this the 9th day of February, 1978.

Glen Copeland  
Mayor

## Notices

### NOTICE

The City of Santa Anna will hold a public hearing at City Hall Tuesday, February 21, at 10 a.m. for the purpose of obtaining written and oral comments from the public on the proposed uses of Revenue Sharing Funds in the upcoming budget for the Fiscal Year 1978.

Interested citizens' groups, senior citizens and senior citizens' organizations are encouraged to attend the hearing. Persons attending the hearing shall have the right to provide written and oral comments and suggestions regarding possible uses of Revenue Sharing Funds. Amount of Revenue Sharing Funds expected to be received during the upcoming Fiscal Year is \$13,541.00.

City of Santa Anna

### LODGE MEETING

Mountain Lodge

No. 661 AF & AM



will meet on Third Thursday each month at 7:00 p.m. Visitors are welcome. J. A. Harris, Worshipful Master and Raymond W. Balke, Secretary.

## Statement of Nondiscrimination

COLEMAN COUNTY TELEPHONE COOP, Inc. has filed with the Federal Government a Compliance Assurance in which it assures the Rural Electrification Administration that it will comply fully with all requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Agriculture issued thereunder, to the end that no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the conduct of its program and the operation of its facilities. Under this Assurance, this organization is committed not to discriminate against any person on the ground of race, color or national origin in its policies and practices relating to applications for service or any other policies and practices relating to mistreatment of beneficiaries and participants including rates, conditions and extension of service, use of any of its facilities, attendance at and participation in any meetings of beneficiaries and participants or the exercise of any rights of such beneficiaries and participants in the conduct of the operations of this organization.

"Any person who believes himself, or any specific class of individuals, to be subjected by this organization to discrimination prohibited by Title VI of the Act and the Rules and Regulations issued thereunder may, by himself or a representative, file with the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250, or the Rural Electrification Administration, Washington D. C. 20250, or this organization, or all, a written complaint. Such complaint must be filed not later than 180 days after the alleged discrimination, or by such later date to which the Secretary of Agriculture or the Rural Electrification Administration extends the time for filing. Identity of complainants will be kept confidential except to the extent necessary to carry out the purposes of the Rules and Regulations."

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## 'Farm Bureau Week' Now Being Observed

February 6 - 11 has been proclaimed 'Farm Bureau Week' in Coleman County by County Judge W. W. 'Pete' Skelton. The local event is part of a statewide observance designated by Governor Dolph Briscoe.

Coleman County Farm Bureau will have a special membership enrollment drive during the week as a part of the statewide effort in the Texas Farm Bureau to surpass last year's total of 214,197 member families. All 211 county FBs will be trying for a membership gain.

Victor Cardinas of Coleman is president of the Coleman County Farm Bureau. Membership chairman is Charles Greenlee of Rockwood.

County President Cardinas said farmers and ranchers are showing by their current unrest that a strong organization is needed more than ever before. Among the problems needing solution are high production costs and depressed prices, taxation,

threat of export controls, environmental restrictions and land-use proposals, he said.

Part of the proclamation signed by Judge Skelton reads: 'An adequate supply of food and natural fibers is essential to our nation. Many of our citizens of Coleman County are directly or indirectly dependent upon agriculture for their livelihood. All of our citizens benefit from the advancements made in the agricultural industry.'

'Our farmers and ranchers have learned the value of promoting their industry through organization. Four out of five agricultural producers in the nation are members of Farm Bureau.'

'Farm Bureau seeks to improve the social and economic conditions of farm and ranch families and the Nation as a whole. It is an independent voluntary organization.'

## Grandson of S-Anna People Killed In Florida Accident

Valentine Diaz Jr., 19, of Coleman, the grandson of Santa Anna people, was killed in an auto accident near Jacksonville, Florida Tuesday, January 31. The young man was stationed with the U. S. Navy at May Port, Fla. aboard the aircraft carrier USS Saratoga.

Rosary was held Friday night, February 3, at Henderson Funeral Chapel in Coleman and Requiem Mass was held Saturday afternoon at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Coleman. Burial was in Coleman City Cemetery with full military rites.

Diaz was born July 25, 1958 in Santa Anna, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Balentin Diaz of Coleman. He graduated from Coleman High School in 1976, was a lifetime resident of Coleman County and a Catholic. He was a Ship Serviceman Seaman Apprentice with the U. S. Navy.

Survivors are his parents; three sisters, Sylvia, Juanita and Veronica Diaz, all of Coleman; three brothers, Daniel, David and

Edward Diaz, all of Coleman; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Diaz and Mr. and Mrs. Venino Vasquez of Santa Anna.

Pallbearers were Frank Perez, Tim Marcee, Darwin Wisener, Robert Espita, Mario Gomez, Tommy Trimble, Cory Finlay and Jerry Baker.

## Club To Plan SA Track Meet

Members of Santa Anna Booster Club will meet Monday night, February 13, at the Vo-Ag Building to make plans for the annual Santa Anna Track Meet scheduled Friday and Saturday, March 3 and 4.

All members of the club and others interested in supporting the Santa Anna athletic program are urged to be on hand for the meeting. Dozens of local people assist with the track meet each year, and about 20 schools will be represented in the meet.

## Lee R. Huggins Named Chairman Of VFD Drive

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department met Monday, February 6, at the Fire Hall for the monthly session. Ladies of the VFD Auxiliary served supper for the group and their families preceding the meeting.

An order was approved for a Scott Air Pack for the Department, to be purchased from funds from the recent Chili Day and other donations. An additional Air Pack is to ordered soon.

The annual associate membership drive was planned and Lee Ray Huggins was named chairman of the project. Letters and requests will be mailed to local people in a few weeks. The associate membership drive is the major fund-raising project of the VFD each year.

Clint Day, president, presided at the Monday night meeting that was attended by 12 members.

## Rainfall Welcome In Community

The Santa Anna area received some rainfall Monday night, February 6. The measurement at the official gauge in Santa Anna was .28 inch with larger amounts reported in the surrounding area.

The Monday rain is in addition to .02 inch that was measured Friday.

The total moisture in January was .84 inch with .20 inch recorded Tuesday, January 31.

## Library Closed Next Wednesday

The Santa Anna City Library will be closed all day Wednesday, February 15, while Mrs. Buck Mills and Mrs. Jo Horne, librarians, are attending a training session in Brownwood.

Other 'Green Thumb' employees in Santa Anna will also attend the all-day session at Brownwood.

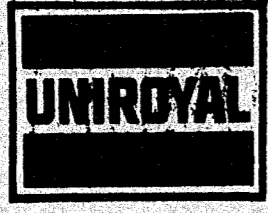
## FFA Members Place Well At Ft. Worth Show

Two Santa Anna FFA members with entries at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show did well last week, placing in the large show.

Phil Johnson had two barrows in the heavy weight Duroc class and they placed 9th and 14th. Russell Williams had one entry in the medium weight crossbred class and placed 8th. Dick Smith did not show his hog at Fort Worth as was planned.

The Santa Anna boys' entries were in the sale following the show and will receive a premium above market price.

The Fort Worth show was the last of the year for the Santa Anna FFA exhibitors.



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