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The best news lately is the nice rain that fell in the community Sunday night,

Even though the water shortage was not solved, we now know it CAN rain! The whole countryside looks like a different place with grain fields benefitting the most.

School activities are in full swing this week with six weeks tests, Interscholastic League contests and other events. It is hard to realize the school term will end in just over a month.

Everyone is reminded of the city clean-up Saturday and urged to be on hand to take part. Those not joining the work crews are encouraged to spend the day cleaning up in their own neighborhoods or helping with the project in some way.

Rainfall Welcome In S-Anna Area

The Santa Anna and central Texas area received a muchneeded rain Sunday night, measuring up to two or more inches near Coleman. The Santa Anna area received about one inch which was of great benefit to fields, pastures and yards but resulted in very little run-off water to fill the dry creeks and tanks:

The official measurement at Santa Anna was .90 inch. The largest amount reported in this community was 1.9 inches near Trickham.

The rainfall Sunday night caused no significant elevation in the water level at the city pump station at Jim Ned Creek or caught any water in the city lakes to ease the present city water shortage.

Gaines Store Sold To H&H

The purchase of Gaines Food Barn by Eddie and Stanley Hartman was announced this week, the transaction to take place in a few days.

The two men now own and operate H&H Food Mart on Wallis Avenue.

Dennis Gaines of Coleman owns and operates the former Piggly Wiggly Grocery Store, located or South Second Street. The Gaines store will close when the sale is finalized.

The Hartmans have been in business for three years in their present location.

Lori Herring To Represent SA At Regional Meet

Lori Herring, a freshman at Santa Anna High School, won second in the District Tennis Meet in Brownwood and will represent the district at the Regional UIL contest later this month.

Lori, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Herring, entered the senior girls singles event which has winners advancing to the regional contests. The contests were held in Brownwood Tuesday.

Winning first in the district singles event was Anna Davilla of Lohn, winning her fourth district championship. She was a competitor in the state tennis meet last year.

Also winning for Santa Anna Tuesday were Lori Smith and Norma Salazar who were first in junior doubles. The junior entries do not advance to regional.

Santa Anna boys tennis team will be competing in Brownwood next Tuesday for berths in the regional meet.

Tommy Harris and Terry Day, last year's regional wnners, and Dick Smith and Jim Young will be in the doubles competition. Bobby Permenter and Tony Malaer will compete in the singles event.

Last week at Talpa the Santa Anna boys scored well, with Harris and Day winning the tourney and Smith and Young placing second. Permenter won first in the boys singles at Talpa last week



ALL DISTRICT BAND— Eight Santa Anna students were chosen for the district junior high band in competition at San Angelo last week. They include Steven Hughes, Robin Hartman, Robbie

Clifton, Gay Hosch, Teresa Rolfe, Sherry Wilson, Juliann Jones, Lisa Rolfe and Pauli Vasquez. Pictured with the students is Ben Hill, band director.

City-wide Clean-up Saturday

Workers To Meet For Assignments; Prizes To Be Given Winning Groups

The annual city-wide clean-up day is planned Saturday, April 15.
Workers are to meet at the Community Civic Center at 8:30 a.m. for assignments, with plans made to work throughout the town during the manning.

during the morning.

Ministers of local churches will be directing the clean-up crews, composed of school classes, organizations and other

groups.
Workers under 14 years of age are asked to bring tools, such as hoes, rakes and brooms. Those over 14 will be used on the truck

detail.

Prizes will be awarded the best workers at the close of the clean-up day. Cash prizes of \$25, \$15, and \$10 will be given to the over age 14 group; \$10, \$5 and \$3

AARP TO MEET

The Santa Anna - Bangs chapter of American Association of Retired Persons will meet Monday, April 17, at the Bangs Community Center. All members of the group are to meet at 12 noon for the dinner and program.

will be given the younger workers.

At the noon hour grilled begiven assignments. We hamburgers, tea and dessert will the contests must be libe served the workers with eligible for the prizes.

members of the Volunteer Fire Department and Auxiliary cooking the food.

Those working with the project

Those working with the project are asked to meet at the Center (former Armory) and sign up and be given assignments. Winners of the contests must be listed to be eligible for the prizes.

Five Santa Anna Girls In Coleman County Contest

The 1978 Coleman County Beauty Pageant will be held Saturday, April 15, at Coleman High School Auditorium with five Santa Anna girls vying with 14 other Coleman County entries for the title of Miss Coleman County.

The contest will be held at 7:30 p.m. and is sponsored by the Coleman Action Club and Coleman Exchange Club.

Santa Anna girls entered are Sandi Hipsher, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hipsher; Anita McPhail, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Royce McPhail of Rockwood; Ginger Smith, daughter of Mrs. Floyd Smith; Cindy Cozart, daughter of Mrs. Janice Cozart; and Debbie Buse,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buse.

Other girls to take part will be Debbie Willetts, Sue Ellen Sneed, Elizabeth White, Malinda Smith, Leann Williams, Teresa Johnson, Cara Blackmon, Viki Johnson, Leslie Barr, all of Coleman; Gina Gassiot, and Lindy Walton of Talpa; Babette Taylor of Mozelle; and Connie Williams and Kay Sides of Novice.

Jim McCurdý of KRBC, Abilene will be master of ceremonies. The winner will be crowned by Sheila Sneed, the 1977 'Miss Coleman County' winner.

The public is invited to attend the contest Saturday night.

Santa Anna Girls Compete In 'Miss Coleman County' Beauty Pageant



CINDY COZART



ANITA McPHAIL



DEBBIE BUSE



GINGER SMITH



SANDI HIPSHER

Local Girls Teams Win JHS, HS Track Meet Titles

The Santa Anna Junior High and High School girls track teams won the championship trophies of their respective divisions in the Santa Anna Track Meet last week.

In the Junior High A. D. Donham Memorial Relays Thursday, the Santa Anna juniors scored 104 points to take the title. Runnersup were Menard with 85; Richland Springs, 80; Mason, 75; and Talpa-Centennial, 51.

The Mason JHS boys won that division with 97 points;

Runners-up Menard, 70; Santa Anna, 69 3-4;

Albany, 551/2; and Early, 38. There were 16 teams in the boys division and 12 in the girls division.

Santa Anna JHS girls winning for the local team were JoAnn Collins, first in discus, second in shot put and fifth in 220 yard dash. Teresa Rolfe, fifth in discus, second in 80 yard hurdles, first in 880 yard dash; Juliann Jones, fourth in discus.

Lisa Rolfe, third in shot put, fifth in 80 yard hurdles; Robbie Clifton, fourth in high jump; Holly Smith, second in 440 yard dash; Gay Hosch, third in 100 yard dash; Lori Stevens, sixth in 880 yard run; Channie Dickerson, sixth in 1320 yard run.

The 880 yard relay team composed of Gay Hosch, JoAnn Collins, Sheri Wilson and Holly Smith placed first; the mile relay team, Juliann Jones, Holly Smith, Lori Stevens and Teresa Rolfe, won fifth.

Santa Anna JHS boys had winners with Michael Simmons, first in shot put; Collins, first in long jump, first in Discus, second in 120 yard hurdles; James Pelton, third in long jump; Brent Hamlin, fifth in high jump; Ernest DeLeon, third in 440 dash; Wade Brooks, fifth in jump; Joe Dean Early was second 440 dash and third in 120 hurdles; in the 880 yard dash. Charlie Lewis, sixth in 100 yard

The mile relay team composed of Pelton, Collins, DeLeon and Bradley Wardlow, placed fifth.

In the High School division Saturday, the Santa Anna girls dominated the field with 136 points, leading by a wide margin over Throckmorton with 88; Loraine with 66; Highland with 36; and Mozelle with 29 2-3.

The Early boys won that division, with Santa Anna standing second with 59 points. Miles was third with 57; Christoval had 52; and Cherokee had 44.

In the girls division, Celeste Simmons was third with high jump and third in discus; Loretta Collins was second in discus, third in shot put; third in 100 yard

Tracy Duus was fourth in discus.

Gayla Pritchard placed first in triple jump and third in long jump, second in 220 yard dash.

Cindy Cozart was fifth in both long jump and triple jump and first in the 80 yard low hurdles.

Belinda Phillips was sixth in triple jump and fifth in 440 yard dash. Eva Siller was sixth in the 880 yard dash. Carolyn Lewis placed third in the 220 dash.

The 880 yard relay team, Cindy Cozart, Carolyn Lewis Loretta Collins and Gayla Pritchard, placed first; the mile relay team, Sheri Hipsher, Marla Mills, Linda Sanders and Carolyn Lewis, was third. Placing third with the 440 yard relay were Gavla, Loretta, Cindy and Belinda

Freddie Fellers was second in shot and sixth in discus in the boys division; Duayne Warnock was third in long jump and fourth in 120 yard high hurdles.

Mike Pape was fifth in long

Placing fourth in the 440 yard dash: and James Pelton, third in relay were Joe Dean Early,

UIL Literary Meet Set In Richland Springs Friday

students will be in Richland Springs Friday, April 14, for the district literary meet for Interscholastic League. Events will start at 9 a.m. Friday morning.

Junior High contests will include Oral Reading with local entries being Julianh Jones, Mike Hartman and Holly Smith, with Lisa Rolfe as alternate.

Spelling and plain writing for grades 7 and 8 will have Robbie Clifton, Angie Day and Holly Smith with Meiissa Brown as alternate.

Those in number sense will be Mike Wetsel, Robbie Clifton and Angie Day, and Randy Casey, alternate.

Oral readers from the fifth and sixth grades will be Monique Spillman, Connie Culpepper and Casey Anderson with Robin Hartman as alternate. Those in spelling and plain writing will be Karen Wetsel, Monique Spillman and Toni Yancy with Connie Culpepper as alternate.

Junior High students who took part in the ready writing contest earlier in the week were Angle Day, Mike Wetsel and Sherry Wilson, Bradley Wardlow was alternate.

Elementary students in picture memory are Jeanene Jones, Missy Moore, Brenda Jackson, Lesha Eubank and Cheryl Mitchell, with Janis Weathers as alternate. Jetta Rutherford, Jackie Weathers and Stephanie Hartman are in the story telling

Duwayne Warnock, Mike Pape and Mike Warnock. The mile relay team placed fifth with Early, Mike Warnock, Mike Pape and Tommy

The SHAS teams will be in district competition this week in Brownwood: the JHS teams will compete in district April 19 in Brownwood.

alternate.

Those taking part in the high school contests will be in spelling and plain writing, Sylvia Salazar, and in science Mike Ballard, Mike Pape and Jody Brusenhan, alternate.

Number sense will have as entries Mike Ballard, Dick Smith, John Gordon and D'Ann Arp as alternate

 Those in slide rule will be Mike Ballard, Mike Pape and Rusty Buzzard with Jody Brusenhan as alternate.

Lois Gordon and Linda Key will enter the typing contest, and also be entering the prose reading event. Terri Knapp, Marybee Hoffman and Sandi Hipsher will take part in the poetry intrepretation event.

Students who took part in the ready writing contest Monday were Lois Gordon, Lori Herring and Linda Key.

FORMER RESIDENTS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ferguson of Wichita, Kansas and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Goodheart of Sacramento, Calif. were in the area visiting relatives and friends during the weekend. They visited the Ed Schraders, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Newman, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown and Mrs. John C. Brown.

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Eight JHS Band Members Named To District Band

were chosen for the Junior High All-District Band in tryouts in San Sherry Wilson, alto clarinet. Angelo Thursday, April 6. Of the eight qualifying for the elite group, three were named to first chair positions.

The students competing for the places in the all-star group were from the sixth, seventh and eighth grades and were among the 95 selected from over 325 in the tryouts. Santa Anna Band Director Ben Hill expressed and their performance.

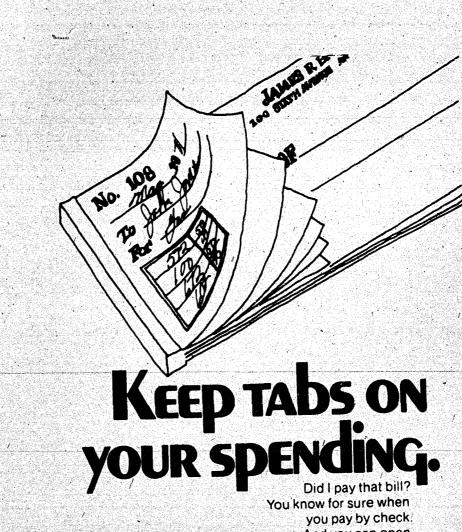
Those chosen for first chair University band director.

Eight Santa Anna band students positions were Teresa Rolfe, cornet; Juliann Jones, flute; and Others were nobin Hartman second chair baritone; Robbie Clifton, fifth chair alto Steve Hughes, fourth chair tenor saxaphone; Lisa Rolfe, fourth chair bass clairnet; and Gay Hosch, 11th chair flute.

Other students taking part were Randy Casey, Angie Day, Daniel Petre and Elizabeth Siller.

The tryouts concluded with a pleasure and pride in the students concert of the all-district band directed by the Angelo State





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Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke

Rev. Elli's Holden, the Methodist minister, preached here at 9:30 Sunday morning, and a report from the singing Sunday night was that it was good with a lot of good singers here. We let the cloudkeep us from going, but sorry we missed it.

We did get a good rain before morning. We got 1.3 inches and as much as 1.8 inches was reported east of Trickham , and Grady McIver reported 1.6 inches, It is sure good on everything trying to

Pat McShan and Pat Jr. of Brownwood had dinner Sunday with Russie James. Roberta McShan went with some friends of Brownwood to Lubbock over the weekend where she visited their daughter, Cindy McShan at Texas Tech.

Visitors with the Oscar Boenickes were Anton Boenicke and Laura Harris who visited last week, and Saturday evening Alvin and Pat Miller of Bangs and Betty Jean and Neute Cooper of Brownwood visited Saturday night, and Albert and Lois Miller visited us Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Thomas and Inez Miller and Ethel Johnson had supper with the Grady McIvers Monday night, and Tuesday night and Wednesday and Wednesday night Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Thomas of South Carolina and Mrs. Lela Stone of North Carolina all visited the Grady McIvers. They were cousins of the Ben McIver family. They visited in Coleman with Irene Durham and Roy and Inez Miller and other McIvers while here about a week.

O. T. and Sue Stacy of Abilene visited the Walter Stacys Sunday evening. Lou Vaughn and Oma Lee Dockery had dinner Sunday with Mary Ola and Elmer Woods of Bangs and spent the afternoon with them.

Visitors with Lou Vaughn Saturday were Zelda Walker of Bangs and Russie James and Oma Lee Dockery.

Visitors with the Fred Haynes were Mattie and Jim Lineberry and Reba and Cindy Cozart who came Friday and stayed until Wednesday, Sug and G. K. Stearns and Dorothy Wells visited Monday evening.

Ray Henderson of Ozona spent Sunday night with the Hilburn Hendersons, and their grandson, Rodney Henderson, spent Monday with them.

Monday night Hene Haynes and Reba and Cindy Cozart visited Oma Lee Dockery. Other visitors last week were Ray and Barbara Dockery and children, Bo and Sandra Wilson and John Dockery

Georgia Hughes **Attends Meeting**

Mrs. Georgia Hughes, R. N., president of the area organization of Registered Nurses, was among five from the two-county area attending the annual convention of Texas Nurses Association held April 5 - 8 in El Paso.

Ann Zimmerman, national president of the group, was featured speaker, and other program highlights included workshops and seminars in the different fields of nursing, entertainment and presentation of awards.

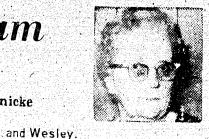
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Visitors with the Rankin

McIvers were Mr. and Mrs.

Larry Crider and baby who left

for their home in the State of

Washington after spending over a

week here. Also Natalie's mother, Mrs. I. N. Anderson of

Abilene, came last week and is

visited Sunday afternoon with Ed

and Gladis Featherston. Ed is

better and may get to go back to

Ray and Minola McSwain of Fort Worth visited the Howell

Everything sure has greened up

since the good rain. It looks like a

different country. We thank the

the rest home Tuesday.

Martins Thursday.

Bond and Lillie Featherston

with them now.

Spring Turkey Season Starts Saturday, April 15

Springtime turkey hunting has not really caught on in Texas. Perhaps it's the time of year, since emphasis seems to shift to fishing in spring.

Perhaps hunters doubt their turkey-calling ability, or maybe leases are difficult to find in some

Whatever the reason, the number of hunters participating in spring turkey hunts is smaller per capita in Texas than in some other turkey hunting states, particularly in the Southeastern

The spring turkey hunts are to start in Texas in a 49-county area Saturday, April 15, and continue through April 23. There is a one gobbler limit.

This year's spring season will not only be the biggest, but it may also be one of the best, since there was a bumper crop of birds hatched last spring and apparently a good carry-over through the winter.

Linum Reunion Set

The 21st annual reunion of the Linum family will be held April 22 and 23 at the Community Civic Center in Santa Anna. All family members and friends are invited to attend the event.

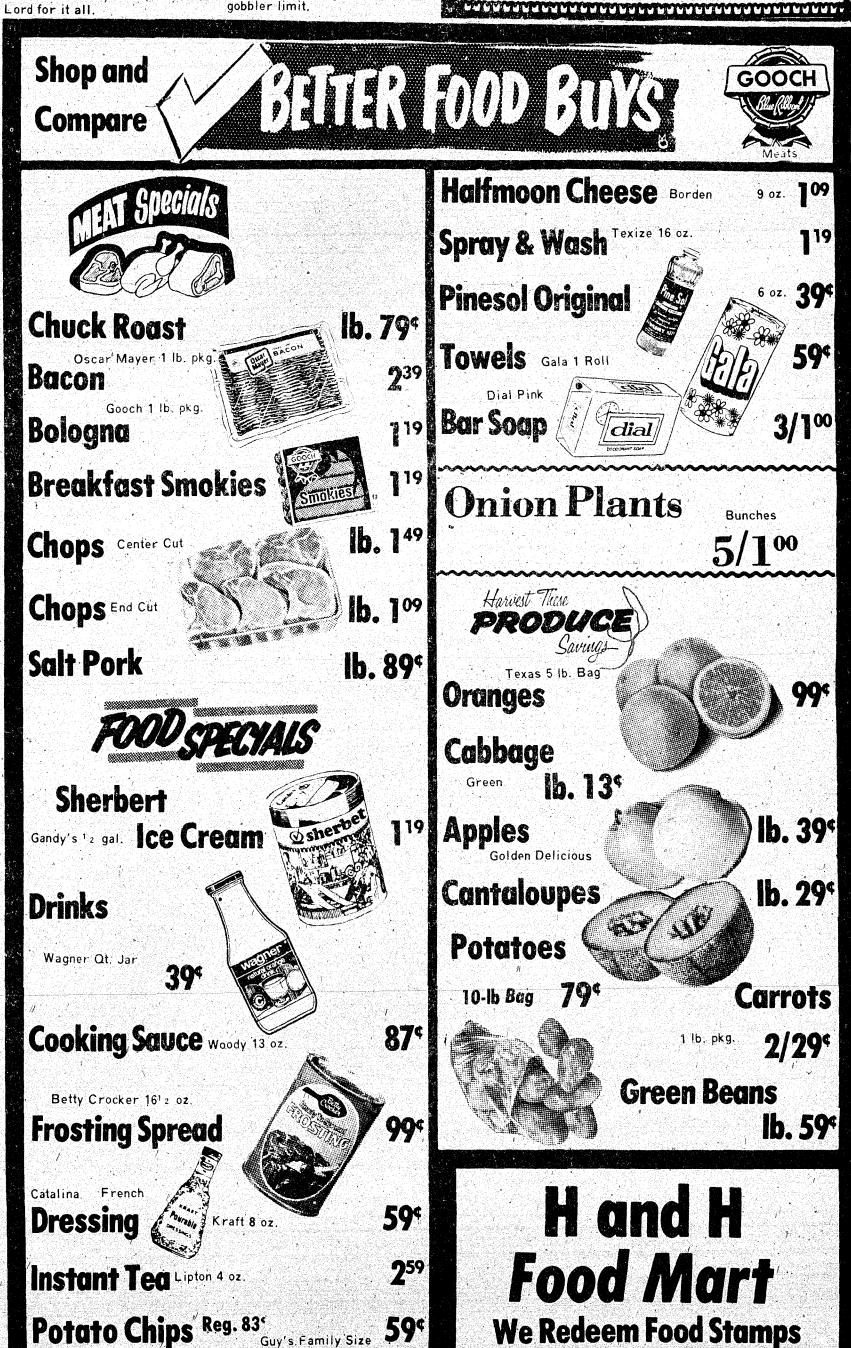
Local relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Linum are Mrs. Ruby Stephenson, Mrs. Maudie Fields and Ernest Roberts, grandchildren of the early-day residents.

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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

Mrs. Carl Buttry spent Saturday in San Angelo visiting Mr. and Mrs. Danny Sturgill and Christy.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo McDaniel of visited Wendesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler. Thursday and Friday Mr. and Mrs. Fowler spent in Granbury with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Fowler.

Mrs. Lester Bryan and Paul and Janet of Santa Anna visited Linnie Box Sunday afternoon after visiting the cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges also visited and a recent visitor was Jim Ryan George West.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal were in Brownwood several days last week visiting a granddaughter, Sherri Deal, who was in the hospital having had knee surgery and is doing nicely.

Friday visitors with the Deals were Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Deal and Belinda of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs, Deal visited in Melvin Saturday with Mrs. Tim Siler. The Rev. Chester Rummel was a Sunday dinner guest of the Deals. Also Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. Lon Gray visited Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper, Cody and Cari of Brady spent Sunday night and Monday morning with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper. Mr. and Mrs. C. F.

Rockwood WMS Has Program On Nigerian Work

The women of Rockwood Baptist Church met Monday morning at the church for a Royal Service program entitled 'Health Care Ministries in Nigeria.' Mrs. Lon Gray directed the program, and a devotion was given from Zachariah. Mrs. R. J. Deal led the prayer for missionaries having birthdays in April.

Mrs. Bill Bryan, president, led the business session when routine reports were heard and the May social planned for Monday, May 1. at the home of Mrs. R. W. Emerson, Mrs. Wayne Bray led the benediction.

Participating were the ones mentioned and also Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and Mrs. Walter Yancy.

ATTENDS MARATHON

Mrs. Opal Stockard and two daughters, Jeannine Sawyer of Brownwood and Beverly McFaddin of San Angelo, were in Abilene Saturday at the finish line of the marathon race in which another daughter and sister, Virginia Powell, was competing. Also in the race was Virginia's husband, Dick, and a son-in-law, Bob' Jeffery of Albuquerque, N.

Mr. Powell came in first in his age group in the 26-mile race, and Jeffrey was second. Virginia was first in her age group in her longest race to her credit.

The family were pleased that all three completed the long race, and were most appreciative of the phone calls, telegrams and congratulatory messages from the Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce, the bank and others. They all appreciated being remembered by their hometown friends.

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Roberts of Kingsland spent Saturday and Sunday with the

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Stanford of Fort Worth spent the weekend at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan visited by phone last Wednesday and again Sunday with their daughter Judy, in Denver, Colo., and on Thursday with a daughter, Mrs. Bob Brown of Austin.

Mrs. R. W. Emerson was a Sunday ainner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and Jody. Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper and children were Sunday evening visitors and Mike Pirtchard of Santa Anna visited Jody Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Valicek of

San Antonio spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise, Mrs. Howard Pearson and Mrs. Bill Steward visited the group Saturday evening.

We are told of the death of Mrs. Ima Sanderson of Jourdantown. after a long illness. She was a niece of Ray Caldwell and was reared in the Lohn community.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams spent Saturday and Sunday in Brownwood with Barney Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams and attended church services and were Sunday luncheon guests of the Donald Williams.

Mrs. Lon Gray and Mrs. Blake Williams were business visitors in Brownwood Tuesday and in Brady Wednesday.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray and Kim were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Smith of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gregg and Carla and Lucy of Coleman. Guests for Saturday fishfry were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hill, Mrs. Lela Brock, Mrs. Winnie Dee Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bray, Mr. and Mrs. Nola Richter, Mrs. Cassie Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hambright and Jill and Mr. and Mrs. John C.

Gregg. Mrs. Junior Brusenhan, and Mrs. R. W. Emerson visited Tuesday morning with Mrs. Claud

Mechanic on Duty

4th & Walks

Mrs. S. Baxter Senior Citizens **Buried Here** On Monday

Funeral services were held in Santa Anna at Henderson Funeral Chapel Monday, April 10, for Mrs. Stafford (Effie) Baxter, 90, of San Antonio who died in San Antonio Friday, April 7 after a lengthy illness. Rev. Nimmo Gholston, interim pastor of Coleman First Christian Church, officiated at the services with burial in Santa Anna Cemetery.

Mrs. Baxter was born May 24, 1887 in Lockhart, the daughter of the late John W. and Susan Davis Shoaf. She was a 1904 graduate of Lockhart High School and Texas Christian University. She married Stafford Baxter January 4, 1911 in Lockhart and came to Santa Anna as a bride. He died in 1948, and she moved to San Antonio in 1953.

Mrs. Baxter was a housewife and a member of the First Christian Church. She was for many years an active leader in the Campfire Girls and Girl Scouts.

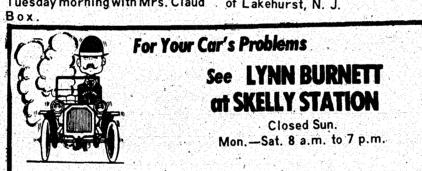
Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. A. H. (Marilyn) Williams of Bethesda, Md.; a son, William S. (Bill) Baxter of Ponca City, Okla.; a sister, Miss Mary Shoaf of San Antonio; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers for the services were Dawson See, Nowlin Myers. Glen Copeland, Dan Blake Jr., Talmage Turner, Julian Kelley, M. L. Guthrie Jr. and L. M.

Honorary pallbearers were O. L. Cheaney, Rev. Cecil Strickland, Fred Irby, Sid Fisher. Norval Wylie, Basil Gilmore, Preston Bailey, Tommy Bailey, George Stewardson, Sam Polk, and all other nephews and grandnephews.

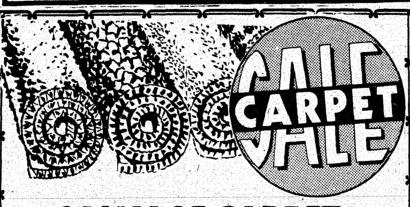
NEW JERSEY VISITORS

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Luther May this week are friends from their former home in New Jersey, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blue of Lakehurst, N. J.



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planned Thursday (today) at Mountain City Center. At 1 p.m. a special puppet show will be presented by Mrs. Betty Smith. At 2 o'clock the games of

forty-two and dominoes will be played. Refreshments will be served at

the close of the party. The Thursday event is the regular second Thursday game party for local people, and everyone is invited to attend.

Minnesota Folks

Move To Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald R. Hendrickson Sr. and two sons have moved recently to Santa Anna from Duluth, Minn. Mr. Hendrickson is an agent with Red Oil Co. in exploration and production.

The Hendricksons' children are Jerry, aged 14, and Michael, 10. The family purchased the new home near Ranger Park, built last year by Matt Storey of Brownwood.

WEEKEND AT LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert spent last weekend at their cabin at Buchannan Lake.

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Ranger Park Inn News

Bill Laws and his Western band will be at the Inn Friday, April 14, at 6:30 p.m. to entertain residents and visitors. Everyone interested is invited to be on hand for the evening of good music.

Residents of the Inn enjoyed the singing of the group from the Coleman Pentecostal Church Tuesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bell of Plano were at the Inn Tuesday, April 4, for an afternoon devotion The Junior High Suncay School Department of First Baptist

Church was at the Inn Sunday morning, The Junior Department will be out for the Sunday School hour April 16.

Verna Newman and Mattie Madkins are both back at the Inn after several days in the hospital

Mrs. McClusky, Mrs. Aldridge and Mrs. Copeland of Bownwood were at the Inn to visit their mother, Mrs. Asburn.

Visiting with O. W. Croft were his daughters, Mrs. Glen Berry and Mrs. Glen Schulle of Coleman

Mrs. Barbara Hollingsworth and children, Rusty and Becky of Spicewood were visitors of her grandfather, A. E. Switzer, last weekend. Also visiting with Mr. Switzer was a son and daughterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lovelady of Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bowers of Coleman visited an uncle, Lee

Marie Britton of Valera visited Mary Miller and Susie Snider. Lucy Rodden of Valera also visited the two ladies.

Visitors of Verna Newman have been Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newman of San Angelo, G. T. England, also of San Angleo, Elsie Lee and Ruby Harper, Mrs. C. E. Wise, Ruth Campbell, Mrs. Ella Hart, all of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Broadway of South Carolina, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Polk of Rising

Residents of the Inn are pleased with the pretty new guilts that have been made by friends of the

IN COLEMAN HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. B. Griffin was admitted to the Coleman Hospital Sunday for treatment. She is getting along well and expected to be back at home this week.



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II, the United States was the greatest military power in the history of civilization. Our military force was the greatest deterrent to war, the greatest power for peace this world has ever known.

What's happened to it? Today, the Soviet Union has a larger army, stronger force of strategic weapons, more submarines, more tanks, more weapons than the United States.

Is the answer an arms race? No. The answer lies in a better use of our defense funds, in elimination of duplication in the armed services, in constant research to keep us militarily powerful. The scrapping of the B-1 bomber at a time when Russia is expanding its air power is just one instance of the dangers of an unrealistic military policy in our government.

Dusty Rhodes believes that the only way we can preserve

At the end of World War our freedom and the freedom of our children is through a strong national defense. He is a member of the Military Affairs Committee of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce.

> "I served during one war, as a Navy man for four years during the Korean conflict. I don't want my kids or my grandkids to fight another one. I am convinced that only a powerful national defense can deter the threat of global conflict in which there can be no winners," says Dusty.

> And he'll fight to make sure our country has the military might to discourage unfriendly nations. As a lawyer who's used to having the cards stacked against him -and still win-as a man in whom the indomitable frontier spirit is still alive — Dusty is the kind of fighter we need in Congress.





There was a time when I envied the women whose husbands do something besides cow-chasing for their livelihood, But no more! It took just one week of being a carpenter's helper to effect a cure. Give me a mad yearling with his head stuck in the fence any

Really, I guess I asked for it, but all I said was, 'If you don't get a garage built, you're going to wake up some morning and find your rig looks like it's had chicken pox!' Where I made my mistake was adding, 'I'll help you.' Most mothers have that fault.

Never buy new what you can get for a little cash and a lot of work. Therefore, Monday found us tearing down an old building in order to obtain material. The truth is, one of us spent the day tearing down, and the other one used it up pulling nails, loading trailer, looking for snakes and picking stickers.

It took two tubs of water to get rid of the evidence I collected that

Tuesday, bright and early, we're ready to commence. The trouble is we can't start until we dig these big holes for the posts to stand up in.

This was accomplished with a crowbar that weighed more than I do and a flat pan to dip the dirt out. Father provided the pan. The dipping out was a cinch, but the crowbar deal gotkind of raunchy.

We're not an hour into it until I'm told I'm out there to dig, not to give advice. Well, if a hole is in the wrong place you don't just push it over a foot or two.

Wednesday found us with enough in the air to begin driving

One-Act Play Dist. Alternate

The Richland Springs High School and Rochelle High School entries in the One Act Play contest will represent District 14 B in the regional competition next month after being selected the best entries Friday night. The Santa Anna entry was chosen alternate in the contest.

Selected for the All-Star Cast in district competition was Terri Knapp. Given honorable mention were Lois Gordon and Suzette Cozart.

The Santa Anna entry was entitled 'Phaedra' and directed by Morris Williams. Others in the cast were Jim Young, John Gordon, Dick Smith, Linda Key and Shari Buse.



Jack Dempsey's 8-10 inch punches traveled an estimated

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nails. That is, one of us drove nails, and the other one bent them in the middle.

No, he doesn't know why they bend, they just do! This is about where he spied my hammer,

It took twenty-seven years of marriage before I got a hammer that was all mine. It was found in the road and was presented to me as a gift, and if you lost it just forget it because possession is nine-tenths of the law, and I'm keeping it! I just wish you'd had a better handle in it.

Thursday reminded me of the Tower of Bable. We had to summon help because one of us was too puny to lift her end of the rafters, and besides by now we're not speaking to each other so we needed a go-between.

'Ask your son if the board is supposed to be on the east or west side of the mark!

He said tell you if it's as close as an inch either way to go ahead and nail it!"

The sun came up Friday morning on a shiny new top, and we started putting tin on the sides. The first hour got one thumb and the finger next to it. If you put your knee against the bottom and use one hand you can hold as good as

It was still standing up Saturday, so we nailed a horsehoe over the door and decided it looked pretty good.

On the seventh day we rested.

Timy Griffith, 93, Buried In S-Anna Last Tuesday

Timy Griffith, 93, of Santa Anna died Sunday, April 9, in Ranger Park Hospital after a brief illness. Funeral services were held Tuesday, April 11, in Stevens Funeral Chapel in Coleman. Burial was in Santa Anna Cemetery.

Coy Cavitt of Midland, a Church of Christ minister, officiated at the services.

Mrs. Griffith was born at Trickham September 19, 1884 and was a member of the Church of Christ. She married John T. Griffith July 9, 1905 in Santa Anna and had lived here most of her life. Mr. Griffith preceded her in

Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. A. G. (Ima) Brewer of Santa Anna: a son, Joe E., Griffith of San Angelo; a sister, Virgie Loudermilk of Santa Anna; four grandchildren; 🗥 six greatgrandchildren; and one greatgreat-grandchild.

Pallbearers for the services were C. E. Wise, Allen Wells, Robert Robinett, Luther McCrary, Odie Griffith and Dub Proctor.

Rondoe Horton Makes Statement To County Voters

STATEMENT TO THE VOTERS OF COLEMAN COUNTY IN BEHALF OF HIS CANDIDACY FOR THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT CLERK

I am 58 years old, and except for four and one-half years during World War II. I have lived all my life in Coleman County. I graduated from Mozelle High School where I was an honor student in bookkeeping and typing and also received the good citizenship award of my graduating class.

I am married to the former Fredna Slayton of Coleman. We have one daughter, Debbie (Mrs. Roddy) Dean and two grandchildren. Our home is on a small farm northeast of Santa

After an honorable discharge from the army with the rank of Tech. Sgt., in September 1945, I returned to Coleman County and spent the next 20 years working in various garages and car dealerships.

My experience with the functions of county management is varied. I have five years as deputy shefiff, three and one-half years as Santa Anna Deputy, and one and one-half years as office deputy in the Court House. I worked seven months in the County Auditor's office prior to serving 13 months as County Treasurer.

I resigned as County Treasurer because I believe than and now that it was in my best interest. I could not in clear conscience countenance the unfairness present and the misuse of the taxpayers money while I had no voice in the matter. I am not sorry that circumstances dictated this move, but my beliefs concerning these subjects have not changed.

Since I have been closely associated with Law Enforcement agencies in Coleman County since, 1969, I chose to seek the office of District Clerk since it is also related to this field, one I truly enjoy and believe in. In my past experiences with Law Enforcement, I became acquainted with the functions of the District Clerk and I believe that I am capable of fulfulling these responsibilities.

I believe that the individual is entitled to complete confidentially concerning his record. My proudest possessions have always been honesty and fairness, and if elected, I will operate this office with these beliefs in mind.

At the present time the office is filled by an appointee, not an elected official. You, the voters of Coleman County, are charged with choosing your representative for this important office, If you believe I am capable of serving you, I pledge my best effort to serve your needs openly, honestly and fairly. I sincerely request your support and ask that you vote to elect me your District Clerk of Coleman County on May

Thank You, Rondoe Horton



Cleveland News

Lucille Cupps and Sydney visited her sister, Maggie Leonard and family, in Coleman Saturday. They also visited her brother, Richard Wells, several times the past week.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell during the week were Mr. and Mrs. John Howard, Alton Brewer

Those visiting the Dutch Campbells during the week were Mrs. B. A. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard and Alton Brewer. The Campbells visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sims at Early Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wise were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Casey.

Those visiting Thelma and Charlie Fleming the past week were Casey and Eveline Herring, Darrel and Lucille Cupps, Ovella and Russell Williams and Miller D. Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Phillips of Concord visited Sunday morning at Cleveland Church of Christ.

Uncle John Baugh of Santa Anna and his son, Raymond Baugh of Weatherford, visited Thursday at the Methodist Church and Cleveland Cemetery. Raymond's son, Simeon, and wife and little girl of Florida visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Pierce and Troy visited Friday evening with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierce.

J. D. Howard Jr. of Midkiff came Wednesday night for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard. Ruby went to Bangs to visit her sister, Artie Magill, Sunday evening. Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Gilliam of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Priest of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Doug Penny of Spence Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps and Kasha of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Horner and Brandi of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Robinett Sunday

Syble Huggins and David visited Friday and Saturday with Harden Phillips. He also visited in the Lee Ray Huggins home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman attended the Hillcountry Firemens Convention at Big Lake id spent the night there, then on over to Crane where they visited Z. W. and Thelma Box. Ruby and Mrs. I. E. Hartman visited in Bangs Monday afternoon with her daughters, Sandra Walker and Cindy Boyle and Matthew.

Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and children visited during the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perry. Amanda visited Etta Mae and Leona before leaving for Kemp where they will

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman visited her niece and nephew,

> Crane, Sunday. Saturday night Tracy and Wynndi Watson of Coleman spent the night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Watson. Sunday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Watson and Mitzi of Coleman who came for the girls. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson, Jodi

> Dale and Donna Hawthorne of

visited Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Herring. Peter and

and Sandi of Santa Anna, visited,

and Mrs. Billie Schrader of Lohn

Jeffery of Coleman. C. C. Gould Jr. of Brownwood visited his parents, the C. C. Goulds Sr., of Cleveland. Celia Drewry of Bangs visited, and Edna Hunter of Brownwood and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts visited Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Richey of Farmington, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Baugh, Rhonda, LaReta and Timothy of Weatherford, Mrs. Wilma Smith of Snyder all visited Uncle John Baugh during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Williams left for Huntsville to visit his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams. They spent two weeks with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis. They also visited Grace Ellis one afternoon.

Winnie Haynes and Grace Ellis visited Clara Cupps Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Taylor of Corpus Christi visited awhile with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Battles Monday on their way back home from a trip to Colorado.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cupps the past week were Brad Welch, Gladys Haynes, Billy Williams and Snow Herring.

Aunt Lela Hodges has gone to Brownwood for a visit with her daughter, Ilene Ellis, and family. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins drove over to San Angelo to visit Leon Phillips. He was gone, so they drove over to Brady to visit his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elliott. Sunday night supper guests were David and Jimmie Gail Huggins and Amber. Sunday night visitors were Glen and Cynthia Handcock of Denton. Monday Laverne Simmons and Phil Huggins of Coleman visited.

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooke visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Densman of Coleman. Thursday evening Loraine Beeler visited also. Saturday Brown Brooke and Jeffery of Comanche were dinner guests.

Bobby Fuller visited Iona Moore Monday afternoon. Iona

`Sew Fair'' On April 19

Fairs don't always mean ferris wheels and cotton candy. Sometimes they mean learning to sew better. That's what 'Sew Fair' will show interested viewers when it comes to Coleman April 19.

Sew Fair will be held in the Willie Wirehand Room of the Coleman County Electric Cooperative, 200 W. Live Oak.

Two identical presentations of the program are scheduled for the convenience of participants. The afternoon session will begin at 2 p.m. and conclude at 4 p.m. The evening program is set for 7-

Each of the two-hour presentations will include four presentations by representatives of Bernina Sewing Studio of Abilene, White Sewing Machine Co. and the Clothing Specialist of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, College Station.

Sponsored by the Family Living Committee and Coleman County Home Demonstrations Council in cooperation with local businesses, the Sew Fair will feature home sewing industry representatives.

The fair Wednesday, April 19, will be open to the public.

VFD Ladies Win Contest At Meet

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary women's race team won first place in the Hill Country Firemen's Association six-woman contest Saturday at Big Lake. The ladies team was the only local winner at

Members of the winning team were Debbie Dean, Donna Bradley, Sharon Guthrie, Jimmie Gail Huggins, Janette Strickland and Edith Dodson.

Men taking part in contests Saturday were Donald Strickland, Dale Bradley, Roddy Dean, David Drake, Lane Guthrie, David Huggins and Freddie Dodson.

Also attending from the Santa Anna Department were Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman.

visited Roxie Allison

Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith visited Mrs. J. F. Fleming and girls, also Mr. and Mrs. Bert McLean of Decatur visited Sunday

For our weather this Monday night: Kinda cloudy and cool. We got a little over one inch of rain Sunday night. We need more to fill the Santa Anna lakes and our

Recent Bride Is Honored On Saturday

Mrs. Ricki Watson, the former Tony Allen, was honored with a gift coffee Saturday, April 8, in the home of Mrs. Robert Smith. Greeting guests with the honoree was her mother, Mrs. James R.

Other special guests at the party was the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. Lee Tatum, and an aunt, Mrs. Stuart Williams of Duncanville.

Kim Stewardson ladled punch from a crystal bowl. Serving cake squares were Mrs. Nathan Price and Mrs. Delbert Snow of Brownwood. The refreshment table was covered with a yellow linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of carnations and shasta daisies.

Mrs. Charles Hosch and Mrs. Vernon Herring displayed gifts. Others in the houseparty were Mmes. Richard Horner, Glenn McClure, Tom Kingsbery and Burgess Stewardson.

Other hostesses were Mmes. Luther McCrary, James Eubank, Elgean Harris and Stanley Hartman,

The Watsons were married March 3 in Brownwood and are making their home there.

L. K. Rountree Buried In S-Anna

Funeral services were held at Henderson Funeral Chapel Saturday, April 8, for Lawrence Keith Rountree, 80, a former Santa Anna resident who died in San Marcos Thursday morning, April 7. Burial was in Santa Anna Cemetery with Rev. Ellis Holden, pastor of United Methodist Church, officiating.

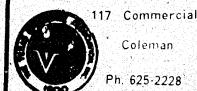
Mr. Rountree was born at Poolville January 2, 1898, the son of the late R. T. and Ida Goodman Rountree. He resided in Santa Anna from 1904 to 1916 and was a 1916 graduate of Santa Anna High School. A veteran of World Warsland II, he was a member of the Methodist Church and a drug salesman, retiring in 1958.

Survivors are a sister, Mrs. Joe Bailey (Ruby) Cheaney of San Marcos; and a niece, Mrs. J. R. Mickler of Falfurrias.

Dr. E. H. Henning, Jr.

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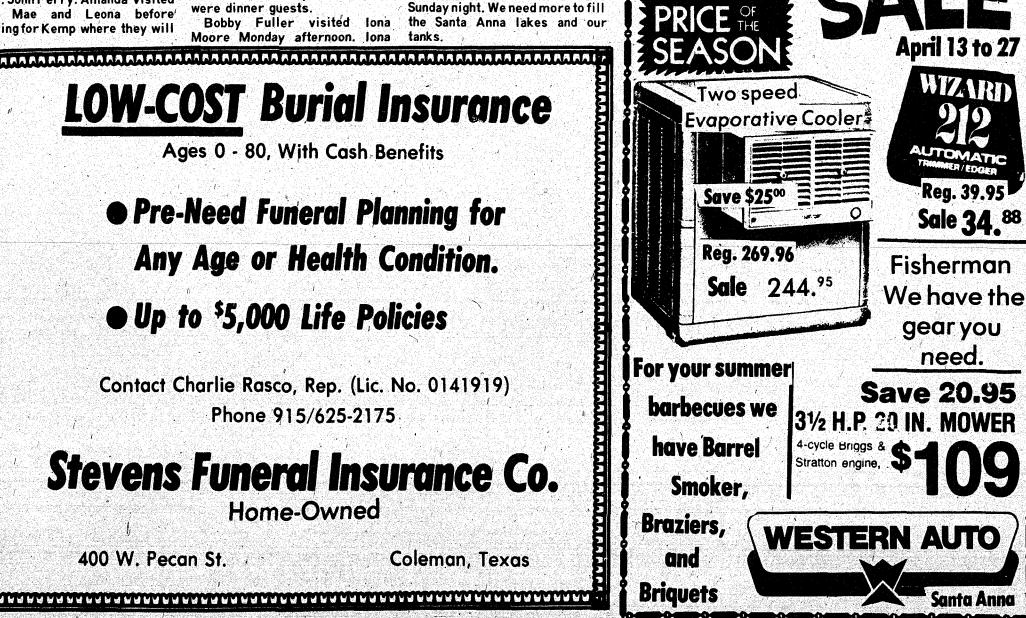


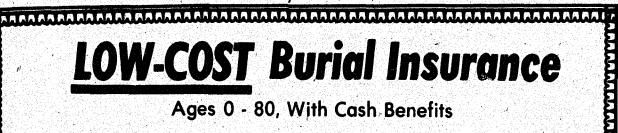
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By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Our thoughts today have turned to giving thanks for the good rain we received Sunday night, Sunday was a very dreary, discouraging day weather-wise. Looked like we would never receive any rain. But Sunday night our spirits were lifted when we received one inch and four-tenths at our house. And no stormy weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants and daughter Jacky Lynn of Brady and Mrs. Pearl Avants of Santa Anna spent Sunday on the Avants farm here. Mrs. Avants was on the farm with her son, James of Coleman, one morning last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dossett and boys of Grand Prairie were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris. On Sunday the ones mentioned did some sightseeing and toured the Big Country south and reported an enjoyable day, but the country they visited was also awfully dry. Muchly in need

Mrs. Leonard Matassa and her son of Dallas spent several days the past week with her mother. Mrs. Hettye Turney, in Santa Anna, returning home Wednesday. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney.

Mr. Tom Rutherford was a dinner guest of a son, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and family, in Coleman Monday.

Mrs. Imogene Fitzpatrick

Steven Hughes Scores Well In Piano Audition

Steven Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hughes, received a superior rating in the National Piano Guild auditions in Brownwood last week. He played five selections by memory for the

A student of Jo Laine Boies of Howard Payne University, Steven will be presented his certificate at the spring recital next month. He also scored well in the local auditions earlier in the year.

Pattern Workshop Attended By Nine From Santa Anna

Nine local women took part in the recent Pattern Alteration Workshop held at Mountain City Center. The two-session program was led by Bessie Parker and Rhondy Huckabee, County Extension Agents, March 21 and 28.

Demonstrations were given showing 14 special pattern alterations. Work sessions were included for participants to make alterations. Each alteration was placed in a labeled folder with a step-by-step instruction sheet for future reference.

Women completing the workshop were Dorothy Dillingham, Nellie Tucker, Nelda Fellers, Dorothea Wells, Judy Hartman, Suzanne Swanson, Ruth Lane, Gladis Barnes and Lisa Jenkins.



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drove over to Brady Friday aftermoon to visit her mother, Mrs. Snowden, and attended the singing sponsored by the AARP association in Brady and reported a very enjoyable singing and meeting friends from

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris enjoyed a fish supper Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bush near Trickham and enjoyed visiting with Mrs. Bush's sister. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Curry of Hamilton who were weekend guests in the Bush home.

Friends from Lubbock were weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Worthington.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris were shopping in Coleman Monday and visited Mrs. Morris' brother, William Perkins. Leon Carter visited Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick of near Dallas visited briefly with Don's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick, Friday

Please accept this as my thanks for the donations to the Whon Cemetery Fund. Every penny is appreciated. And may many blessings come your way. Looking forward to being around next week at this time.

R-Wood Quilters Have Meeting

The Rockwood Quilting Club met in regular session Thursday. The conversation piece was a quilt belonging to Mrs. Hilton

The members enjoyed a morning and afternoon session and served refreshments in the afternoon.

Members of the club are Mmes. Bill Bryan, Jack Cooper, Claud Box, Hilton Wise, Johnnie Steward, Bill Steward, J. P. Hodges, Lon Gray, Bert Fowler, C. A. Scarborough, Blake Williams, Marion Aldridge and Howard Pearson.

Afternoon visitors Thursday were Mrs. Johnnie Martin of Santa Anna and her guest, Mrs. Kathy Griffin of Oxon Hill, Maryland, Mrs. Elma Wright of Chilton, a quest of Mrs. Aldridge, and Mrs. D. S. Milligan.

Larry Johnsons

Have Baby Girl of Hewitt are parents of a baby daughter, Sylvia, born March 28,

in Hillcrest Hospital in Waco. The baby weighed six pounds, seven ounces at birth. The Johnsons have a daughter, Brandie, aged seven, and a son,

Cody Delaine, aged three. Mr. and Mrs. Noble Carpenter of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson of Coleman are grandparents of the new baby. Mrs. Callie Carpenter of Santa Anna is maternal greatgrandmother.

Mrs. Noble Carpenter is back at home after spending ten days with her daughter and family.

Bride-elect Is Feted With Gift Shower

Miss Vicki Smith, bride-elect of Robbie Drake, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday morning, April 8, at First Baptist

In the receiving line with the honoree was her mother, Mrs. R.: C. Smith, and Mrs. E. B. Drake, mother of the groom-to-be.

A white floor-length cloth covered the refreshment table, and an arrangement of multicolor spring flowers centered the table. Fruit punch was served from a crystal bowl, and coffee was served from a silver service. Assorted fruit and nut breads and fresh fruit tidbits were served from crystal appointments.

Those serving were Mmes. Terry McIver, L. M. Guthrie, John Gordon, Elgean Harris and Donnie Neff.

Displaying gifts were Mmes. Angie Hernandez, Rodney Dean, Charles Greenlee and Joan Jones. Other hostesses were Mmes. Ruth Dodson, Ken Bowker, Hershell Ballard, Carl Benton

and Norval Wylie. Miss Smith and Mr . Drake will be married Saturday, April 15.

RELATIVES VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Copple and a little granddaughter, Aleshia Rene Copple, all of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Parnell, Carrie and Joel of Iraan, were weekend visitors in the home of a daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boyet and children.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford, Stacie and Jackie of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rutherford, Julie and Shanna of San Angelo were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rutherford, It was Jackie's first visit with his grandparents in

Santa Anna, The Joe Rutherfords also visited her parents, the Omer Cullins family.

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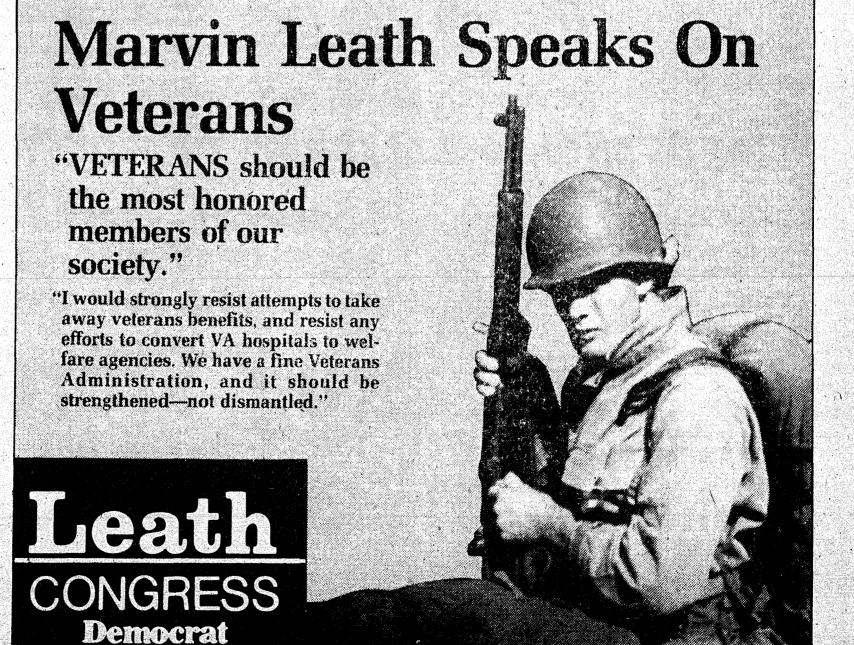
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The family of Mrs. Stafford Baxter

Arthur and Marilyn Williams Bill and Bernice Baxter

Viona and I would like to thank each of you for the calls, cards, gifts and other thoughtful things you did for me, at the time of my hospitalization convalescence at home.

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Billy Archer, city Raymond Sauceda, Brownwood Fred Cummings, Coleman Lester Smith, Coleman

The following patients were dismissed from the hospital April

Timy Griffith, city (deceased) George Glasson, Coleman Verna Newman, Ranger Park Inn Mattie Madkins, Ranger Park Inn Teodoro Gomez, Brownwood Linda Osburn, city Billy Archer, city Lester Smith, Coleman

(deceased) Other patients still in the hospital April 10: Ray Stepp, Zephyr Lucille Popnoe, Coleman

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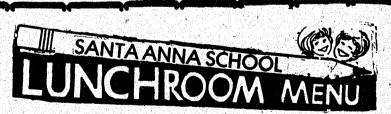
SATURDAY, April 15: City-wide Cleanup Day, 8:30 a.m.

SUNDAY, April 16: Attend Church

MONDAY, April 17: AARP Meeting, at Bangs, 12 noon.

TUESDAY, April 18: Lions Club, Lions Building, 12 noon.

WEDNESDAY, April 19: Whirley Birds, UMC Basement, 2:30 p.m. Jet Cadets, UMC Basement, 4 p.m.



Monday, April 17 — Friday 21: MONDAY: Hot dogs on bun with chili, pinto beans, vegetable. salad, fruit cup, milk.

TUESDAY: Turkey noodle casserole, blackeyed peas, colesiaw, hot rolls, butter, plain cake, milk .

WEDNESDAY: Western burgers, pork and beans, tomato and lettuce salad, pears, milk. THURSDAY: Tacos, tossed salad with onion, buttered corn, taco

sauce, jello, milk. FRIDAY: Bar-B-Que on bun, potato rounds, vegetable soup, apple



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SWEEPSTAKES WINNERS- The Santa Anna Sixth Grade Band received the sweepstakes trophy April 1 in Cisco after being awarded a division I rating in both concert playing and sight reading. Members of the group pictured with

their director, Ben Hill, are Connie Culpepper, Raymond Castillo, Mauricio Castillo, Roger Underwood, Robin Hartman, Tom Hipsher, Casey Anderson, Richard Malaer, Toby Logan, Daniel Petre, Elizabeth Siller, Hauli Vasquez and Karen

To Speak At **FBC Revival**

Former Resident

Dr. A. B. Lightfoot, a Santa Anna native now of Carrollton, will be speaker at the revival at First Baptist Church planned Sunday, April 23, Wednesday, April 26.

Services are planned each evening at 7 p.m. and a noon luncheon meeting will be held Monday through Wednesday at

Dr. Bob Sartain, director at the church, will lead the music for the revival. Special music will be presented at each

Special youth activities are planned during the revival, and everyone in the community is invited to attend.

625-4103

Ladies Night **Being Planned** By Lions Club

Rep. Lynn Nabers of Brownwood will be guest speaker at the annual Lions Club Ladies Night banquet and program slated Tuesday night, April 25. All Lions Club members and their wives are invited to attend the event at 7 p.m. that evening.

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Sixth Grade Band Wins At Recent Cisco Event

The Sixth Grade Band, directed by Ben Hill, was in Cisco Saturday, April 1, for junior band contests, winning a sweepstakes award for their Division I ratings in both concert playing and sight reading. Five of the 12 members also received Division I ratings for their solos.

The 12 students played two concert selections for the judges, then played a selection they had never seen before for the sight reading contest.

Students receiving Division I ratings in solo contests were Karen Wetsel, clarinet: Tom Hipsher, cornet; Robin Hartman, baritone; Connie Culpepper, French horn; and Casey Anderson, awards for solos with both trombone and baritone.

Kindergarten **Enrollment** Set April 24

The annual pre-school enrollment for kindergarten pupils is planned for Monday, April 24 , at Santa Anna Elementary School. Children who will be five years of age on or before September 1 are invited to be on hand with their parents to enroll in the class for the 1978-79

Mrs. Sue Newman, kindergarten teacher, will meet with the children while parents are given information about the program and enroll the students. Parents are to meet at the school cafeteria at 3 p.m. on that day.

Parents are to have birth certificates and health records of the children with them when they attend the registration session. session April 24.

Re-elected V.Pres

Mrs. C. D. Bruce was in Abilene Friday and Saturday for a meeting of the West Texas Historical Society held at Hardin Simmons University.

Mrs. Bruce was re-elected vice president of the group. She also serves as president of the Edwards Plateau Historical Society.



E-Star Officers To Be Elected

New officers for the Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter will be elected at the meeting Monday night, April 17, at the Masonic Hall. All members of the group are requested to attend the meeting at 7:30 p.m.

be hosts for the social hour following the business session Monday night.

Monday Night

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Balke will

Water Situation Discussed At City Council Meeting

Mayor Glen Copeland and City Councilpersons expressed appreciation Thursday for the cooperation of local people during the current water shortage and rationing. The Council met in regular session April 6 at City

All negotiations have been

Second Division ratings were

awarded to Raymond Castillo,

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tuba; Maurice Castillo, cornet;

Other members of the band at

the contest were Richard Malaer,

Pauly Vasquez, Elizabeth Siller

and Roger Underwood. A member

not present at the contest was

Maurice Castillo and

and Toby Logan, drums.

Daniel Petre.

made with the Brookesmith Water Corp. to tie on to the water line from Lake Brownwood for Santa Anna's emergency supply if needed. All concerned are hoping for a good rain to fill the pool at the Lake Brownwood Pump Station and the City Lake before the present supply is exhausted. It will take about one day to connect with the Brookesmith line northeast of Santa Anna where the Santa Anna line crosses the Brookesmith water line.

Council leaders were asked to remind local residents of the necessary precautions required when private water sources are connected to to homes now using city water. Since water from wells or other sources is untreated water, there must be a special valve to keep the untreated water from entering city lines. Anyone planning to make such a connection should contact City Hall.

The city garbage trucks will be available an additional week for the clean-up drive, so residents needing trash hauled have until April 21 to arrange for a truck to haul trash or garbage by calling

During the meeting Thursday, the recent election results were canvassed and accapted.

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