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Mountain Echoes

By
Barbara
Kingsbery



Although Tuesday, July 4, will be a holiday for most businesses, the NEWS office will be open part of the day so that our publication can be on schedule next week. Community correspondents and advertisers are asked to have their copy to us by Monday, if possible.

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The Santa Anna school grounds have been mowed, trimmed and cleaned and are looking better than in several months. Congratulations to Orville Hall and his youth program workers, Melvin Rowden and John Frausto, for making the school campus so attractive. Ben Hill, school band director, is also employed at the school for the summer and is assisting with some of the projects that are now underway.

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One of our patrons requested the correct spelling of their name when included in the NEWS. We will try -- but it will help to have news stories written -- not given to us at odd places away from the office when we have no pen and paper in hand!

However we will never turn down a good story -- wherever we may be, and will try to get at least some of the information correct!

Holiday Activities Set In Central Texas Area

Santa Anna residents will not have far to go to take part in Independence Day activities and events during the coming weekend and holiday on Tuesday, July 4.

Several events are planned in Coleman with an adult-child tennis tournament set Monday, July 3, and the annual Fourth of July celebration set Tuesday, July 4.

Events will include contests for people of all ages, food concessions, entertainment, and at the conclusion of the day, the annual fireworks display. All events will be held at Coleman City Park.

In the neighboring city of Bangs, an all-day 4th of July Festival will be held at Bangs City Park. A queen contest will be held during the day, and a fireworks display will conclude the activities.

Included in the day will be an arts and crafts show, contests and other events.

The Annual Bards July Jubilee will be held during the coming weekend and conclude Tuesday,

SAHS Student Wins County 4-H Dress Revue

Juliann Jones, a freshman student in Santa Anna High School, will represent Coleman County in the District 4-H Dress Revue in Abilene next week, modeling the dress that took blue ribbon honors in the Coleman County Dress Revue Monday, June 26.

Juliann, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Jones of Gouldbusk, was winner of the senior division of the county contest with a sundress she fashioned as her project in the clothing program of the club.

The dress is styled with ruffled bodice and tiered skirt of soft print fabric. Juliann's sister, Jeanene, was also a participant in the county contest and received a red ribbon in the Beginner Division.

Tennis Lessons End This Week

The tennis lessons for local young people will be concluded this week after a very successful program. R. C. Smith, school tennis coach, has instructed the free lessons that involved about 50 children from elementary to high school age.

Several of the students placed well in the county tennis tournament held in Coleman last week.

The adult tennis program has also been well received with a number of local people taking part. The classes have been held once each week and will possibly continue longer as there is so much interest by the participants.

The annual festivities draw a large crowd for the carnival, parade, contests and horse racing.

The Jubilee parade will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 1, in downtown Brady. Races will be at G. Rollie White Downs Saturday, Sunday and Tuesday afternoons.

Adventist VBS Set July 10-21

The annual Vacation Bible School for the Seventh-day Adventist Church will be held July 10-21, according to Mrs. Nathan Starr, director for the school.

Classes are planned for children from aged three to 14 and will be held from 9 to 11:30 a.m. each weekday.

Children of all denominations are invited to attend for Bible study, crafts and other activities. Transportation to the church will be arranged by calling 348-3887 or 348-3633.

Four Faculty Vacancies Filled

Santa Anna Natives Return To Teach In Local School

Three Santa Anna High School graduates are among the four faculty members who have accepted positions for the coming year in the local school system. The announcement was made following the meeting of the Board of Trustees last week.

Pete Simmons has been named Santa Anna High School Principal and his wife, the former Linda Horner, will teach in elementary school.

Bill Jennings has accepted the position as head coach and athletic director and his wife will also take a position in the elementary grades.

Simmons, the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Simmons, is coming to Santa Anna from Coleman where he has served as counselor for two years. He is a former teacher and coach at Coleman and also spent several years at Ballinger where he was head coach. He is a graduate of Howard Payne University and has done graduate work at Angelo State University. Linda, the daughter of the Richard Horners, holds a BA degree from Angelo State and has been teaching two years in Coleman. They have two sons, James and Jeffery, who will be students in the local elementary school, and they reside at their farm west of Santa Anna.

Jennings, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Voss, is a 1959 graduate of Santa Anna High School and holds both bachelor and masters degrees from West Texas State University. He has been in education 13 years and is coming here from Falls where he was counselor. He also coached and taught at Kress several years.

Jennings' wife, Judy, is a graduate of Ouichita Baptist College in Arkansas and has taught several years. She is also a certified homemaking teacher. The Jenningses have three children, Robbie, eight; Jennifer,



PETE SIMMONS
SAHS Principal



BILL JENNINGS
New Head Coach

Nurse Aide

Training To Start

Ranger Park Hospital and Ranger Park Inn, Inc. will hold classes in Nurse's Aide training, especially geared to the care of patients requiring long-term nursing.

The classes will start July 11 and continue through August 3, with classes from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

The class will be limited to 15 students, and anyone interested in attending is asked to contact Mrs. F. Cabansag at Ranger Park Hospital.

Parade Floats Are Sought

The Junior Directors of Coleman Chamber of Commerce are seeking entries in the annual Rodeo Parade to be held in Coleman July 14. Santa Anna clubs, organizations or individuals are invited to have entries in the parade at 5:30 p.m. that day.

Cash prizes will be given winning floats in the parade that will have the theme "Texas Western History". All entries must be submitted to the Coleman Chamber of Commerce office by Monday, July 10.

Hospital Auxiliary To Be Organized

Ladies interested in taking part in a Hospital Auxiliary in Santa Anna are invited to attend an organizational meeting June 29 (today) at 10 a.m. at the Health Activities Center at the Ranger Park Medical complex.

Any women in the community interested in aiding with volunteer work at the medical center are welcome.

No Mail Service Tuesday, July 4

The Santa Anna Post Office will be closed all day Tuesday, July 4, and there will be no mail service here, according to John C. Gregg, postmaster.

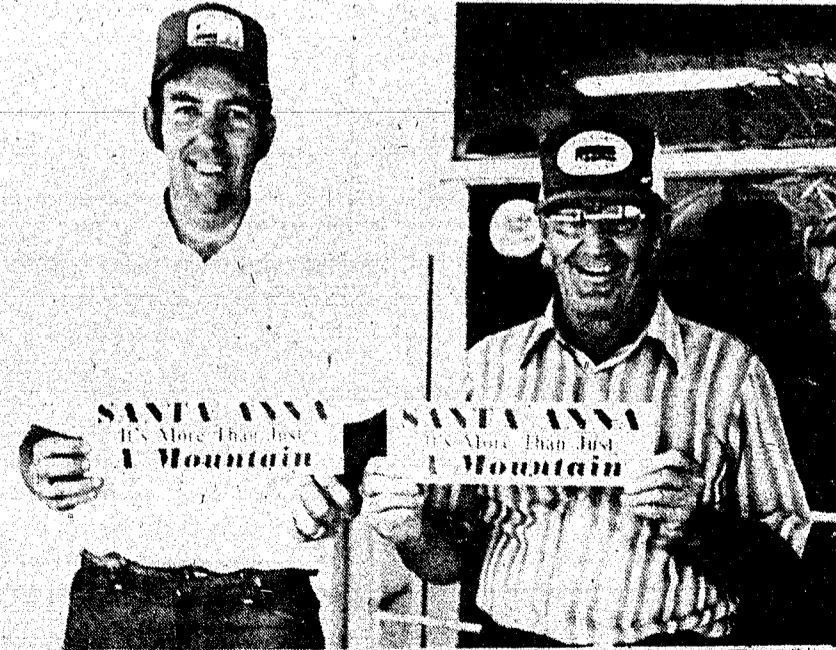
There will be no mail brought to Santa Anna that day for distribution in the boxes or on rural routes. The only service will be mail will be picked up at the outside drop box that afternoon.

Pump Problems Cause Shortage Of City Water

Santa Anna citizens are once again asked to conserve water as the main pump at the City filtration plant had to be removed for repair this week.

The water storage tank on the mountain was filled before the pump was removed, and with everyone conserving water for a few days, there will be no disruption of service.

Local people are familiar with water conservation as rationing was imposed before the recent rains. City officials expect to have the pump and water system back in operation Saturday.



TOWN BOOSTERS— Scott Patterson and M. L. Guthrie Jr., members of Santa Anna Lions Club, display the new bumper stickers that are given free to those wishing to promote the town and community. The red stickers are lettered "Santa Anna - It's More Than Just a Mountain". The bumper sticker project is sponsored by the Lions Club, and all area folks are invited to get a sticker for their vehicle.



LONG JOURNEY — This early-day picture of downtown Santa Anna shows Bill Brown, a cousin of Jay McCoy of Santa Anna, when he stopped in Santa Anna August 26, 1913 on a journey by buggy, pulled by wolf and dog team, from Nome, Alaska to Washington, D. C. Inscription on the Briggs Brothers

Photo indicates Brown had traveled 12,000 miles and had left Nome May 5, 1912. Brown is thought to be the man at the front of the buggy. Others in photo are not identified, but the location is probably the intersection where the traffic light is now located, looking west. (Photo courtesy of Jay McCoy).

ESA TO MEET

The Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority chapter will meet Saturday evening, July 1, for a family social at Coleman City Park. The group will meet at 7:30 p.m. for the annual event.

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Jarvis Funeral Set Thursday In Ft. Worth

Funeral services will be held at Greenwood Funeral Chapel in Fort Worth today at 3:30 p.m. for Lyle Jarvis, 69, of Santa Anna who died Tuesday morning, June 27, at his home in Santa Anna of a sudden illness. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Fort Worth.

Rev. A. J. Morris, Assembly of God minister, will officiate at the services.

Mr. Jarvis, a former resident of Grand Prairie, was born in Onida, Wis. March 9, 1909. He married Gertrude Baker July 26, 1947 in Phillips, Wis. He was a veteran of World War II, a member of the Assembly of God Church, and a retired cabinet maker, retiring in 1969. He and his wife had lived in Santa Anna the past four and one-half years.

Survivors are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Jerry (Linda) Vaughn of Midlothian; and two grandchildren. Also surviving is a sister-in-law, Mrs. Buddy DeSha of Santa Anna.

Henderson Funeral Home of Santa Anna was in charge of local arrangements.

VISITORS FROM IOWA

Visitors last week in the Michael Sheedy home were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kibat and daughters, Carrie and Cathy, of Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Over the weekend, the group went to Eagle Pass where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Adolfo Cortinas. They also went shopping in Piedras Negras, Mexico before returning home.

This was the first time the two families had been together in almost ten years.

RECENT VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford and children of Abilene and Mrs. Joe Rutherford and children of San Angelo were recent visitors in the W. F. Rutherford home. Mrs. Joe Rutherford also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Cullins, while Joe was at National Guard camp.

LIBRARY TO HAVE HOLIDAY

The Santa Anna City Library will be closed Tuesday, July 4, for Independence Day holiday. The Library will be open all day Monday, July 3.

Rites Pend For Lottie Cozart, 77

Funeral services for Mrs. Jess (Lottie) Cozart, 77, of Santa Anna will be announced by Stevens Funeral Home of Coleman upon completion of arrangements. Mrs. Cozart died Tuesday afternoon, June 27, in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene after a long illness.

ESA Sorority Plans Bake Sale Next Saturday

The Delta Omicron Chapter, Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority will have a bake sale Saturday, July 1, starting at 9 a.m. Homebaked cakes and pies will be for sale in downtown Santa Anna during the morning.

The bake sale is the first fund raising project of the group for the new year, and everyone in the community is invited to patronize the project Saturday.

ISD Tax Hearing Slated July 12

Persons having mineral or industrial interests in the Santa Anna Independent School District and wishing to make changes in valuation of such properties, are invited to meet with the ISD Board of Equalization Wednesday, July 12, at the office of John Skelton, School Tax Assessor-Collector, at 209 Concho Street in Coleman. Representatives from the Pickett Co. will be on hand to assist with the review and re-valuations.

The Board of Equalization met recently with property owners in the district, and the meeting July 12 is for minerals and industrial property only, according to Mr. Skelton.

CALIFORNIA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Pasley and sons of Brentwood, California have been visiting this week in Brownwood with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Pasley, who have recently moved there from Santa Anna. The California family has also visited in Santa Anna with other relatives during their trip to Texas.

GOP Candidate Visits in City

Jack Burgess, Republican candidate for the 11th District Congressional post, was in Santa Anna Tuesday visiting friends and soliciting signatures for petitions demanding a 33 per cent "across the board" tax cut for all Americans.

Burgess is calling on taxpayers in Central Texas to send a message to Congress demanding lower federal taxes.

Burgess hopes to gather signatures of 10,000 residents from the 19-county District to present to the U. S. House of Representatives Ways and Means Committee this fall.

The GOP candidate said that the current proposal in Congress supported by the Carter administration to cut taxes \$15 billion is far short of what is needed to get Americans back to work.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Visitors Sunday in the home of M. and Mrs. Carl Benton and Larry were her brothers and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stewardson and daughters of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stewardson of Abilene.

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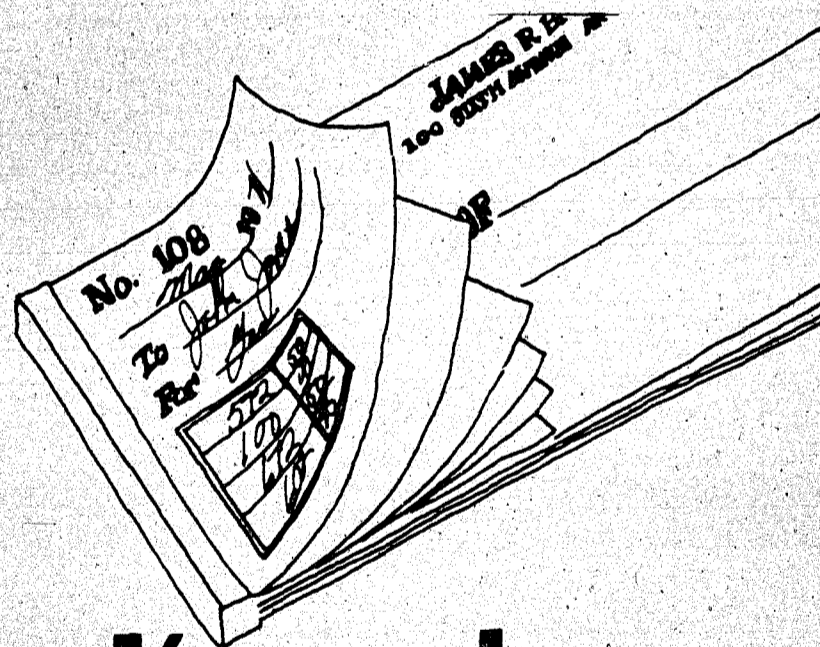


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Offering For Missions Given By SDAs

Kinshasa, capital of the African nation of Zaire, and Santa Anna, along with Adventists around the world, shared a link last Saturday morning when a special offering was taken to help that city.

The money will go toward building a medical and dental clinic in Kinshasa, the second-largest French-speaking city in the world. Also there is to be an educational and administrative center in the heart of the city.

Seventh-day Adventists have been active in Zaire (formerly the

Belgian Congo) for 50 years. With nearly 300,000 baptized church members (not including children under 12), one in ten Adventists in the world (total membership: 3 million) lives in Zaire.

The church also operates the Songa Hospital in Southeastern Zaire, and the Kivu Seminary in the nation's northern tier. Zaire is part of the Trans-African Division, one of the ten world administrative units in the Adventist church. Trans-Africa also includes Rhodesia, South Africa, and Southwest Africa.

TOWN HOLIDAY JULY 4

Tuesday, July 4, will be a holiday for most businesses in Santa Anna. The Post Office and Bank will be closed as well as most other places of business.

Church members around the world give special project offerings quarterly. Every three months the money goes to a different world division for special mission needs. Adventists conduct the third largest overseas program from the United States in terms of personnel, after Wycliff Translators and the Southern Baptist convention.

The local church always contribute liberally to these quarterly projects.

Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



The Quilting Club meets this Tuesday afternoon at the community center.

Howell Martin went after Sunday School to the Winchell Community reunion at Brownwood last Sunday.

Rankin and Sherrie McIver went to the Meek family reunion at Buchanan Lake Friday until Sunday. There were 27 present and they all had a big time.

Mrs. Nan Willcox of Houston spent Wednesday night with Lou Vaughn. She came for Ike Vaughn's funeral at the Davis-Morris Funeral Home in Brownwood Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. Also ladies from the Trickham Community fixed dinner for the Vaughn family and relatives Thursday afternoon at Lou Vaughns. There were 24 for dinner there. Also Karen Willcox has been here visiting her aunt, Lou Vaughn, and left for Houston Monday morning after spending about two weeks here.

Charm Stacy came from California last week and visited her grandparents, the Walter Stacys a few days, and other places also.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Smith also visited the Stacys several times last week.

Visitors with the J. E. Yorks during the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cole and grandson of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mathis of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene James, Mark and Bob Huebner of Bangs, Pat and Roberta McShan of Brownwood.

Our good neighbor, Walter Stacy, brought us a bucket of ripe peaches Monday morning and they were sure good.

Visitors with the Fred Haynes last week were Jerry and Wanda Haynes and family of Odessa who spent most of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Page and daughter and grandchild of Perry, Ga., and Zelda Walker of Bangs and Byrdie Miller of Santa Anna. Others were Rev. Ellis Holden and son, the Methodist minister here, from Santa Anna, Billy and Carole Haynes of Snyder spent the weekend. G.K. Stearns and Mattie and Jim Lineberry of Bangs visited Sunday morning with the

Hayneses.

Keatie Haynes of Santa Anna spent Monday and Monday night with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver. Monday evening Terry and Orabeth McIver and children visited them and they all enjoyed watermelon together.

Thursday afternoon our cousins, Ruby and Gordon Newton of Brady and daughter, Natalie Selee, visited us, also the Methodist minister, Rev. Ellis Holden and son, visited several in the community and came by to see us.

Sunday afternoon our nephew and wife, Herman and Anna Laura Boenicke and granddaughter came to see us, and about 4 p.m. my brother, Bryan Shield from Albuquerque, N. M. and his older daughter, Mary Louise and husband, Del White and two sons, Buck, aged 6, and Jesse, 4, from Collierville, Tenn. had supper with us and spent the night. We had not seen my niece since 1954, that would be 24 years. Now she is married and her husband and she have two sweet boys. We enjoyed their visit so much. They said they try to not wait so long to come back. They went out of their way to come by to see us. Bryan was going home with them to stay a few weeks.

Anton and Lee Boenicke visited us all Sunday night.

Visitors with the Bernice McIvers were Grady and Genia McIver who visited them Sunday night, and Melvin and Mary Lou Storm and Betty and Ann of Brownwood visited them Monday morning.

We are sure having summer time. It is dry and hot, but we are thankful that we have plenty of water.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Dub Proctor is back at home after spending over two weeks in Brownwood Community Hospital. He is convalescing at home and getting along well.

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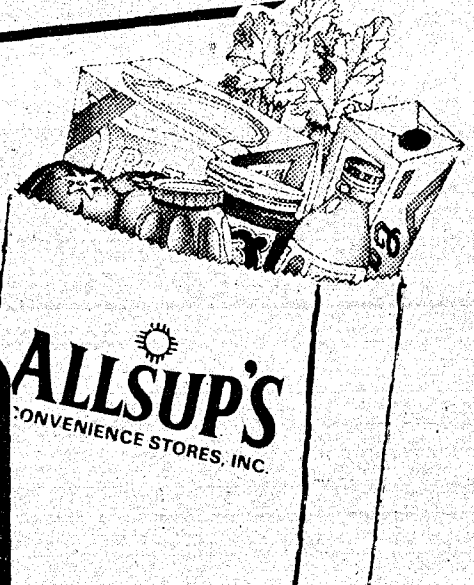
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L. Pollock Named To ART Board

Austin Reaching Toward Culture Organization, ARTCO, is an exciting and talented group of young persons interested in drama. Their objectives are to bring dramatic productions to the campus of Huston-Tillotson College; give theater to the community and inspire young persons to participate in drama. Named to the Board of Directors for the organization is Dr. Leroy Pollock of Ausitn.

Dr. Pollock, son of Mr. and Mrs. M.R. Pollock of Santa Anna, is serving as the Texas Educational Foundation counselor at Huston-Tillotson College in Austin.

Renovation Planned For Facilities

Renovation of the concession stand and restrooms at the Santa Anna athletic stadium is to start soon and be completed by the coming football season.

A committee from the Board of Trustees, Donnie Neff, Glynn Scarborough and Felton Martin, studied the project and recommended the present facilities be renovated rather than building a new complex. The concrete foundation and main structure are in good condition and the site is convenient, so work is planned on a complete remodeling job.

The concession stand was built many years ago, soon after the athletic stadium was moved to the present site from just south of the high school building at the site now occupied by the new gymnasium and elementary school playground. Restrooms were added about 15 years ago with no major changes or improvements since that time.



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Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes To Note 70th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ford Barnes of Santa Anna will celebrate their 70th wedding anniversary with a reception Sunday afternoon, July 9, at Mountain City Center from 3 to 5 p.m.

The reception will be hosted by the couple's four children, Joe Christie Barnes of Santa Anna, W. Ford Barnes Jr. of Lake Brownwood, Beth Barnes Sanders of Princeton, N. J. and Dr. James Q. Barnes of San Antonio.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the reception.

W. Ford Barnes and Leola Christie were married in Garden City, Texas July 12, 1908. They moved to Santa Anna in 1910, where they have resided since that time.

The Barneses have been active members of the First Baptist Church of Santa Anna 68 years. Mrs. Barnes was a Sunday School

Lions Club Meeting Cancelled For July 4

John W. Gregg of Coleman was a guest at the Tuesday meeting of Santa Anna Lions Club, a guest of his father, John C. Gregg.

The new bumper stickers for the community were distributed and it was announced that the stickers will be available in several local stores and are free to anyone wishing to have one.

It was announced that there will be no meeting of the club Tuesday, July 4.

UT law library now ranks sixth

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) — The University of Texas Law Library has grown to be the sixth largest academic law library in the nation, according to the American Bar Association.

The Tarlton Library at the UT Austin Law School, with 388,003 volumes, is the largest of its kind in the Southwest and second largest in the U.S. among law libraries of public universities. Only Harvard, Columbia, Yale, Michigan and New York University have larger law collections.

The UT Law Library is noted for holdings that reflect the impact on the law of the rapidly changing social, behavioral, economic and medical sciences.

teacher for more than 60 years. They have also been active in business, civic and community affairs.

In addition to her family responsibilities, Mrs. Barnes always found time to pursue her hobbies, including crocheting, painting, writing and other creative arts. She is widely known in literary circles as the author of several books, including five books of poetry, a biography and a historical novel. After her graduation from Daniel Baker College, she was voted college poet laureate. Later she was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts and Sciences of London, England.

Mrs. Barnes became a world traveler after their daughter, Beth, married Terry B. Sanders, whose career in foreign service with the Department of State, took them to various foreign capitols. A most noted experience was the round-the-world trip which Mrs. Barnes made in 1951. This jaunt took her by plane to Los Angeles where she boarded an ocean liner for a cruise through the Pacific, visiting the islands enroute, then to Hong Cong, Tokyo and finally on to Rangoon, Burma to visit the Sanders family. On her return trip she visited the Taj Majal and rode an elephant in India, toured the Holy Land and visited several European countries before boarding her plane to return to New York. At other times, Mrs. Barnes visited the Sanders family in Barcelona, Mexico City, London, Ottawa and other cities.

In 1968, in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes hosted a Carribean cruise for their children and their spouses.

Ford Barnes served as mayor of Santa Anna for 12 years. He was president of the Santa Anna School Board for 12 years and is currently serving his 30th year on the County School Board. He has served his community for 25 years as head of the Red Cross and the Salvation Army. He is also secretary of Precinct 2 Community Chest, which he helped organize. He is the only remaining charter member of the Santa Anna Lions Club, having been in the club for 55 years and serving as secretary for 25 of those years. He holds 50-year pins from not only the Lions Club, but also from the Santa Anna chapter of the Masonic Lodge



MRS. AND MRS. FORD BARNES To Have Anniversary Celebration



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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell are residing in Ranger Park Inn for awhile, they entered Friday and are in Room 110. Their son, Dan Moody Caldwell of Austin, was with them Wednesday to Friday.

Rockwood folks are welcoming Ward Lentz of Dallas, who is retired and living in the Methodist parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry were in San Angelo Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Danny Sturgill and Christy and were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wright, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Sturgill and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Sturgill and girls, the occasion was Christy's third birthday anniversary.

Mrs. John Hunter accompanied Mrs. C. D. Bruce to San Saba Sunday to attend the San Saba Historical Foundation, with a program on Early Day San Saba County ranching and families. One speaker noted the land where the City of San Saba stands, known as the Old Wilcox Survey, was bought for \$101.00.

Mrs. Jeanne Cleveland of Christoval visited with Mrs. Hunter Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson recently spent three weeks in Springfield, Va. with Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Pearson and did some sightseeing in Washington, D. C. and other interesting places. Mr. and Mrs. David Pearson and David Jr. of San Antonio spent the weekend with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John McClelland and Susan and Jimmy of San Antonio spent Wednesday to Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler; Mrs. McClelland, Mrs. Fowler and Susan spent Friday and Saturday visiting relatives at Granbury.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenlee and Jeff, Mrs. Lon Gray and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gregg, Carla and Lucy of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins Steward,

Colette, Jeanette and Annette of Katy visited Thursday to Sunday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward. Weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Shreveport, La. who came for son, Pat Artis, who had spent a couple of weeks with his grandparents.

Paige Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson, is an Exchange Student, touring Europe for some three weeks. She is a college student in New Orleans where she was selected for his honor. Going first to Amsterdam, she will visit Paris, Nice, France, Rome, Florence and Venice, Italy, going to Innsbruck, Austria where she is an art student, returning home August 11.

Mrs. Polly Wise of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wise, Chris andayne of Waco, visited the Bill Stewards Tuesday to Thursday. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise. Mr. Wise has been dismissed from the Brownwood Hospital and is doing nicely at home.

Visiting in the R. J. Deal home last Wednesday were Mrs. Leno Siler of Melvin and Mrs. Ione Bedford of Agua Dulce; Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Deal and Belinda were Friday supper guests and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mills of Hurst spent the weekend.

The Rev. Ellis Holden Jr. preached at the Methodist Church Sunday morning, speaking on "The Stewardship of Life." The Rev. Chester Rummel of Brownwood filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church. He was accompanied by Mrs. Rummel, her parents and a sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward and Mrs. Mack Rehm went to Utopia Friday and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter and all went to Uvalde Saturday for funeral services of Willard Rehm, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rehm.

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and boys of

Richardson, Mrs. Bobbie Robicheaux and girls of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Esslinger and Kyndal of Midland and Mrs. Roger Gilpin and sons of Laredo, who are spending the week with her parents.

Lois Haines spent Wednesday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes before moving to an apartment in the highrise complex in Santa Anna. Friday visitors in the Estes home were Josie Thomas Reddell of Weatherford, Patricia Thomas of Edwardsville, Ill., and Clifton Thomas of Olathe, Kansas.

Raymond Estes of Pecos called his parents Sunday night reporting on his move from Lovington, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper returned home Thursday after accompanying Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Roberts of Kingsland on a wonderful four-week vacation and sightseeing trip. They went first to California where they visited with Mrs. Joyce Hamby and sons. Mrs. Hamby is a sister of Mrs. Cooper and hadn't seen each other in 34 years. They traveled up the coast line to Oregon and into Canada and visited with relatives, then went by plane from Prince River, Canada to Anchorage, Alaska. Coming home by a different route, they visited different attractions and spent one night in Friona with Mr. and Mrs. David Cooper and girls.

Last Tuesday Mrs. Chuck Hamilton and girls and Ray Gleaton of Brownwood spent the day with Mrs. R. W. Emerson and were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and Jody. Sunday Mrs. Emerson was luncheon guest of the Brusenhans. Meca Pollock of Austin came Monday to spend this week, and Mrs. Emerson visited the Brusenhans again Monday.

Jack Cooper is a patient in the V. A. Hospital in Temple, for a checkup. Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen, Elizabeth and Wesley have moved to Temple from New Braunfels, and Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Charles Sheffield and Monte of Houston spent several days with them. Mrs. Cooper returned home Sunday and Elizabeth and Wesley came with her for a week and will also visit their other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Allen in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. James Milligan and Lori of Denver, Colo. spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan; Lea Meredith of El Paso came Monday to visit her grandparents.

VISITS IN BRADY

Mrs. Lora Rollins visited in Brady one day last week with her niece, Mrs. Charles Henderson.

Ranger Park Inn News

Lillie Knotts, Lola White and Allie Woodard were honored last week with a party in honor of their birthdays during the month of June. Ice cream, cake and punch were served by Mrs. A. D. Longbrake and Mrs. Earl Chapman, and the honorees were presented gifts.

Other residents at the Inn and visitors enjoyed the birthday party.

Mrs. Bessie Hodges of Brownwood is a new resident at Ranger Park Inn. We welcome her and are pleased to have her as a new resident.

Ray and Ora Caldwell of Santa Anna are also new residents of the Inn. They are former residents of Rockwood and are well known in the community.

Residents of the Inn enjoyed a movie Friday afternoon. George Osburn was projectionist for the comedy, and pop corn was served during the movie. Thanks to Mrs. Longbrake for providing the pop corn and making it an enjoyable occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Larson of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lawrence Croom of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Bessie Hodges on her birthday, Sunday, June 25. Mrs. Larson is a sister and Mr. Croom a grandson of Mrs. Hodges.

Visitors with Nyla Simmons during the week were Eddie Barrington of Coleman, Doris Bamber, Lucille Seratte, Louise London, Alice Baker of San Antonio and Sally Stewardson.

Family members visiting

Verna Newman, a patient in the hospital, were Walter and Winnie Newman, and her sisters, Lucile Wylie, Modora Gilmore and Sally Stewardson.

Visitors with Lola White and Troy Lewis last week were a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coleman of Brady, another daughter, Billie Clay, and a granddaughter, Robbie Clifton of Santa Anna.

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

Visiting with Ollie Estes last week were Don Estes of Brownwood, a son, and a friend, Sam Hicks, also of Brownwood.

Oleeta McClusky of Brownwood and Jeff McClusky of Arlington visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Ashburn. Jimmy Aydellote of Springfield, Tenn. and Micky and Gussie Smith of Coleman visited recently with their father and grandfather, Lee Smith.

Rita Faye Winstead of San Angelo visited her sister, Ollie Estes, one day last week.

John Baugh visited his friend, Richard Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Davis and four children of San Antonio visited his mother, Mrs. Claudia Davis.

Those visiting with Mary Miller and Susie Snider were Dorothy French, Nell Myers, Lucy Rodden, Marie Britton, Claude Davis and Florence Davis.

Mrs. Bill McCrary Is Honored With Bridal Shower

Mrs. Bill McCrary, the former Margie Morelock of Brownwood, was honored Tuesday, June 20, with a gift tea at the annex of Northside Baptist Church.

Greeting guests with the honoree was her mother-in-law, Mrs. Luther McCrary.

Mrs. Don Clifton, Mrs. James Allen and Mrs. Gary Lawrence served punch and cake squares from a tea table laid with a white lace cloth. The table was centered with an arrangement of multicolored carnations and greenery. Ribbons were inscribed with the names of the newlyweds.

Assisting with the display of the gifts were Mrs. Norman Anderson and Mrs. Roy West.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCrary were married Saturday, June 3, in Brownwood. They are making their home near Santa Anna.

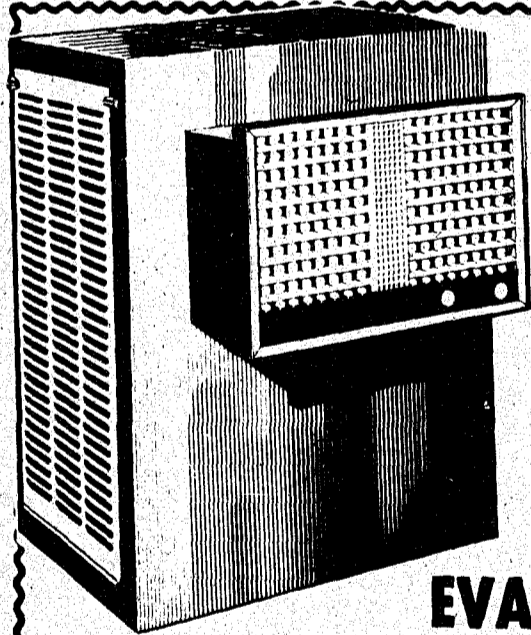
WMA Meeting Is Hosted By N-Side Church

The Women's Missionary Association of Northside Baptist Church hosted the quarterly district meeting at the church Monday, June 26. Ladies from four area churches were on hand for the program and business meeting.

Rev. Hicks, pastor of the Pecan Baptist Church of Robert Lee, was speaker at the morning session. Following the covered dish luncheon at noon, a program on WMA history was presented.

Mrs. Luther McCrary read the history of the local WMA group.

During the business meeting, members of the group voted to sponsor the radio program, "Harvest Gleaner Hour", on area radio stations.



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Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



Apparently if the weather is all we have to talk about, that is something everyone already knows about. Especially Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd Morris who are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, and who live in New Jersey. They are not especially enjoying the hot weather, although they are enjoying being with his parents and family.

But we are really in need of a good rain again. Grazing and feed is really suffering.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert Abernathy of Millersview visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abernathy, until bedtime Monday evening.

Rocky Rutherford and Bobby Boatright of Coleman were supper guests of the Tom Rutherfords Wednesday night. They were hauling hay.

Mrs. Tim Snowden of Brady was a guest of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick, from Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Perkins of Coleman visited his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, and their guests Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lee Abernathy reports her father, Mr. Roy Clifton, who has been making his home in a Brady Rest Home for several months, is now at his home in Millersview and improving reasonably well. We are sure glad to have this in the news, for Mr. Clifton was very ill a few months back.

Randal Lovelady and daughter Stephanie of Brownwood were supper guests of his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady, in Santa Anna Monday night.

Norman Floyd Morris and son Ricky of Brownwood visited his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, and their guests Sunday. Mrs. Norman Floyd Morris, who is employed in Brownwood Hospital, is on vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Fitzpatrick of Blackwell spent Wednesday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick.

Leon Carter visited in the Floyd Morris home Sunday afternoon. Jamie Lee Morris of Dallas was with his parents and others most of the past week. Janet and Judy Morris returned to Coleman Saturday after a week's visit here.

Etoile Cozart of Brownwood spent Wednesday on his farm here, and possibly other days during the week.

Michelle Bullion spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick, returning home Friday night when her parents, the Jacky Bullions, came for her.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna visited several times during the past week with Mrs. Maud Lovelady, also of Santa Anna.

Troy Abernathy visited with his grandmother, Mrs. Lee Abernathy, awhile Saturday until his mother, Mrs. Ricky Abernathy, came for him.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick reports her son, Don Fitzpatrick, is really liking his work in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. Don attends college and also does work in the hospital where his wife, Sandra, is also employed as a registered nurse.

Saturday Church Ceremony Roy Keeneys Unites Couple Known Here Have Baby Boy

Wedding vows were exchanged Saturday, June 25, at Southern Hills Church of Christ in Abilene by Patti Jo Stewardson and Elliott Craig Mendenhall of Abilene. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Stewardson and Dr. Elliott Mendenhall Jr., all of Abilene.

Douglas Rohre of Waco officiated at the ceremony at 10:30 a.m. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Susan McEntyre of Odessa was maid of honor, and Jamie Criag of Robert Lee was bridesmaid.

Michael Brown was best man, and Peter Agnell was

Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Keeney of Santa Anna are parents of a baby boy, Ernest Lee, born at 5:07 a.m. Tuesday, June 20, in Brownwood Community Hospital. The little boy weighed seven pounds, 14 ounces at birth.

Grandparents of the new baby are Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Keeney and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Strickland, all of Santa Anna.

The baby boy is also greeted by a brother, Zane, aged five.



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groomsman. Van Ligon of Lubbock and David Castle of Odessa seated guests.

Following the ceremony the parents of the bride hosted a reception at the bridegroom's home. The father of the groom was host for a rehearsal dinner at the Royal Inn.

Following a wedding trip to San Francisco, the couple will be at home in Abilene.

The bride, the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Stewardson of Santa Anna, is a graduate of Cooper High School and received a BS degree in education from Abilene Christian University and will receive a masters degree in food and nutrition from Texas Tech University in August.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Cooper High School and attended Washington University and received a BS degree in mechanical engineering from Texas Tech. He is employed by Tippet & Gee Consulting Engineers in Abilene.

Local people attending the wedding Saturday were the bride's aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benton and Larry, and cousins, Mrs. Ray Dockery and daughters of Rockwood.

Daniel Group Holds Meeting Last Monday

The Nitia Daniell Group of United Methodist Women met Monday night, June 26, at the church annex for the monthly session. Mrs. V. I. Dean led the invocation.

Mrs. Derriel Warnock and Mrs. Opal Little were program leaders with Mrs. Little giving the devotion from St. Luke. Theme for the program was "What Color is Other."

A film, "The Asian American", was shown by Mrs. Warnock.

Mrs. Dick Baugh read the secretary's report and Mrs. N. C. Watson gave the treasurer's report. Discussion of a shower and reports on sick members concluded the business meeting.

Mrs. Walter Scarbrough and Mrs. Ken Bowker served refreshments of sandwiches, cake, punch and nuts to the ones mentioned and also Mmes. Thelma Upchurch, Lillian Herndon, Basil Gilmore, Harry Crews, Norval Wylie, Gus Morgan and J. T. Avants.

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Strip Mine Hearing This Week

Folks To Get Their Say On Project

The following story is from the Sunday, June 25, issue of the Brownwood Bulletin:

By Lash Lashbrook
Brownwood Bulletin Staff Writer

ROCKWOOD— The population of this tiny hamlet, nestled quietly

alongside U. S. Highway 283 in south Coleman County, is expected to swell manifold Wednesday, June 28, as state officials, businessmen, scientists, environmentalists, news reporters and interested citizens gather.

What brings this assortment together is the same important commodity that caused Rockwood to boom in the late 1890s and carried it into the 20th century as an active, bustling community -- coal.

Wednesday morning at 10, under the leadership of Chesley Blevins, a hearing examiner, the Texas Railroad Commission will



ROCKWOOD MINE— This picture, believed to have been taken about 1916, shows a portion of the wooden rails that supported the small cars that brought coal out of the Rockwood mine. According

to the late "Mr. Bob" Steward, when the mine was operating at its peak he paid \$3 for a ton of coal to operate his cotton gin. (Photo courtesy of Miss Linnie Box)



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- B. Most blind dates
- C. Winter
- D. The five minutes between 4:55 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. on a workday
- E. The Friday afternoon line at the drive-in teller
- F. Being fifteen years old
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open a public hearing on whether or not to allow Kaiser Cement & Gypsum Corp. of Oakland, Calif. to reopen a coal mine located about a mile southwest of here for open pit, strip-mining operations.

The California-based firm made application to the TRC last January for approval to reopen the mine in order to supply coal to the Longhorn Division Cement Plant in San Antonio, a subsidiary of the Kaiser Corp. If the application is approved, the on-site operations here will be conducted by Amistad Fuel Co. of San Antonio, a subsidiary of the California firm.

In its application to operate the mine -- known as the Little Bull Creek project after the small creek that runs through the area -- Amistad announced that it had already obtained coal leases or options from the 21 land owners who hold title to the 1,100 acres in the proposed mining area.

In addition to the strip mine operation, developers indicated they also plan to construct a \$3 million coal slurry plant on the east side of the 1 1/2 mile by 1 1/2 mile mine area that will weigh and crush the coal and add water to it for slurry operations.

In all, the entire project could employ as many as 100 people, most of them drawn from the Coleman-McCulloch-San Saba County area.

However, before any decision is made to okay the project, the TRC must hear from landowners who own property directly involved or adjacent to the leases. And it will be listening to residents of this community which, according to the latest edition of the Texas Almanac, has a population of 80, many of whom live in the surrounding countryside.

Under consideration is the mine's impact on the environment -- the surrounding flora and fauna -- and any possible air pollution the mine and the plant might cause. The TRC will also study the possibility of disturbing any archeological artifacts or skeletons of past occupants of the land from days before the settlers came.

TRC representatives, and townspeople, want to hear about the developer's plans for restoration of the land to some semblance of its appearance before the mine was cut into the earth.

All these factors and more

must be considered during this hearing and any others that may follow.

On Page 105 of Gladys Nevins Hunter's recently published book, "Historically Speaking, Coleman County, Texas", is a picture of the students that attended Harper School in 1904. Second from the right in the front row is a young girl with a pixy grin named Linnie Box.

Today, Linnie Box runs one of Rockwood's three main businesses, a tiny grocery store that stands between the U. S. Post Office and the Texaco service station.

Linnie, who still hasn't lost that pixy grin and who exhibits the youthful spirit now that she must have had when that picture was taken, is all set for the influx of visitors that will descend on the tiny community next Wednesday.

"I'll have my cooler stacked with cold drinks and there will be some milk and ice cream", she said. "But if there is anything else they want they'll either have to bring it with them or drive back over to Santa Anna (18 miles north) for something to eat if they're plannin' on bein' here past lunch time."

Linnie said she didn't "know what all the fuss was about. All they'll do is talk about it. That's all I've heard for the past four years is talk. They probably won't do anything different this time."

According to Linnie, many of the townfolks favor the mine, "But there's one that I know who's against it," she added.

Well, discord is not new to this community. Way back in 1889 folks hereabouts couldn't get together on what name to give the small town. So, according to Mrs. Hunter in her book, "Discord, Texas on Camp Creek and Other Stories", Uncle Jim Foreman suggested they call the town Discord.

And Discord it became until 1893 when Adolph Wood became the new postmaster and succeeded in having the name changed to Rockwood.

But whatever the outcome next Wednesday, many city folks will be seeing Rockwood for the first time and will have the opportunity to learn about an important mineral -- coal -- and they will have the opportunity to meet a charming woman who is a product of the rough, strong Texas country she was reared in -- Linnie Box.

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Cleveland News

BY CLARA CUPPS

Lucy Cupps and Sydney were up to see Richard Wells several times the past week. He had to go back to see his doctor in Brownwood. The girls were also in Coleman and dropped by to see Mrs. Maggie Leonard and Mrs. Micky Carpenter Friday and her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming had almost all their family and grandchildren at church Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray Fleming and sons of Alice, who will be here a few days with his parents, also Mr. and Mrs. Tom Molden and children of Fort Worth, Mrs. Peggy Sikes and children of Bangs. They were all dinner guests of their parents.

Leona Henderson visited Eveline Thursday evening, also Ovella and Russell dropped by for awhile.

Loyce Wheat and Jeannie, Peter and Jeffery Herring of Coleman visited awhile Friday with the Casey Herrings and also dropped by for a few minutes to visit with me. Casey and Eveline Herring visited Adolph and Doris Kelley Saturday evening and night.

Russell Williams spent the night with Doug Molden Wednesday night. Doug also spent the night with Russell, and Ovella visited awhile Thursday evening with Charlie and Thelma.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Russell went to Bangs and were dinner guests Saturday of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Boyd. Mrs. Lora Russell of Crane and Billie Haught of Fort Worth spent Friday night with the Russells.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morrow, Paul and Jay of Paluxy ate Sunday dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Howard. Mrs. Lora Russell of Crane and Mrs. Billie Haught of Fort Worth dropped by Saturday and visited awhile. They left for Crane Saturday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Russell and Ruby visited Artie Magill at Twilight Home in Bangs one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Boatright of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gary of Welco, Texas dropped by to see Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould Jr. and Clayton of Brownwood visited his parents Friday. Edna Hunter also of Brownwood, came and took her parents, the C. C. Goulds Sr., to town Friday. Mrs. Ruth Hibbetts visited Thursday afternoon.

Nancy Lee was at her parents', the Dick Baughs, Thursday. They canned corn. Jamie Joe Bible visited his grandparents, the Dick Baughs and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bible, Friday and Saturday. The Baughs went to Bangs Saturday to see her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores, and Nancy came over and visited with them there at Twilight Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell visited Mrs. Eva Stovall at the rest home in Bangs Monday. Mrs. E. K. Jones and Mrs. C. E. Wise dropped in one day last week. The Campbells were among those who attended the Echo Jamobree Saturday night.

Harden Phillips was a dinner guest of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins, Sunday. Syble visited him Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and Tammy went to Lorraine to visit her brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells, over the weekend.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John Perry visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and family, and also her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woodard of Coleman visited Sunday afternoon.

Pat and Sherrie Boyet of Coleman spent Saturday night with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fleming and Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman went to Midland to spend the weekend with his mother, Mrs. I. E. Hartman. Also Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hartman of Atlanta, Ga. were there and the Winnie Blancett family. Those returning home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hartman and Mrs. I. E. Hartman, who spent Sunday night and went to Austin Monday to visit another sister, Mrs. Midget Reeves and family. Sunday night visitors were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Hartman and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hartman and sons. Ruby visited in Bangs Thursday with the girls and their families, Sandra Walker and sons and Cindy Boyle and Matthew.

Tracy Watson of Coleman spent Friday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Watson. Wynndi spent Saturday with them.

I talked to Aunt Lela Hodges Monday and she said she talked to Gwen Garey Sunday. Gwen is doing O. K. now but slowly. Dick Baugh and Bruce Hibbetts came by and brought her some corn last week.

Mrs. Frankie Wells dropped in to see Ann Ellis Monday afternoon. Also Mrs. J. M. Fields visited one afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor and children of Abilene were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wise. Other visitors were Alton Brewer, John Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stephenson. Mr. and Mrs. Wise were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Brewer Sunday. Mrs. Wise spent several days in Pecos with her son and family, Limmy Lovelace recently had surgery and is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray Fleming and sons are visiting their parents during the weekend and returned home Tuesday morning.

Gregory Wells of Coleman visited in the home of the Charlie Flemings Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Florence Stearns and Ruth Hibbetts visited Sunday

Drake Family Class Meeting Has Reunion

The Drake family reunion was held at Quail Creek at Lake Coleman June 17 and 18. Descendants of the T. A. Drake family were present as well as several from the Tom Drake family.

Relatives from the T. A. Drake family attending were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cantrell Sr. of Grapevine; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drake, Dina and Jack, Mrs. Pat Frazier of Breckenridge; Mrs. Prebble M. Dunn and granddaughter, Debbie Long, and Mrs. Dona Stember of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Vickers and D'wayne of Bakersfield, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ridenor and Mrs. Vera Hansen of Tuscon, Ariz.

Others were Mrs. Maureen Watson and Wes, Milton Drake, Mrs. Eva Mauldin and Jamie, all of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Burleson, Lance and Brian of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. David Drake and Joey of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Robbie Drake of Rockwood; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Drake, Mrs. Patsy Jordan, Chris and Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Rambo and Mr. and Mrs. Eurell Blair, all of Santa Anna; and Mrs. Thay Averett of Coleman.

Those from the Tom Drake family present were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. (Shorty) Burnett and granddaughter, Shari, and a friend, Miss Sonya Reno, all of Eufala, Okla.

The group had a fine time visiting and reminiscing, remembering the past and being brought up-to-date on family activities.

afternoon. Margie Molden and girls and Iris Sikes visited Mrs. J. F. Fleming and girls this Monday morning. The Tom Moldens and children returned home Monday evening. Iris Sikes went home with the Moldens to spend a few days.

For our weather this Monday: Around 100 degrees, and Sunday over 100 degrees. Would I hate to be out fixing fence! No sign of rain, hot, dry and wind blowing and burning things up and taking up tank water. What else?

VACATION AT LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown spent several days last week at the Gilberts' home at Bucannon Lake where they enjoyed fishing.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Bridges of Denver City were visitors last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McCary. Mr. McCary's sister, Mrs. Leta Faulkner of Brownwood, was also a guest in the McCary home during the week.

Class Meeting Last Monday

The TEL Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met Monday, June 26, at the church annex for a morning session.

Mrs. Virgil Newman, president, led the meeting, and Mrs. Lee Hunter read the scripture. Mrs. Keetie Haynes led in prayer.

The program was presented by Mmes. Audie Conner, Lora Rollins and Newman.

Mrs. Conner gave the benediction.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. John Brown, Mrs. Haynes and Mrs. Newman. Others present were Mrs. Lily King, Mrs. D. R. Hill and Mrs. Nora Goen.

The class will continue with meetings during the morning until the end of summer.

SUNDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Brewer were hosts Sunday for a luncheon at their home for members of Southside Church of Christ and guests. Leroy Stockard of Abilene was in charge of the Sunday service at the church.

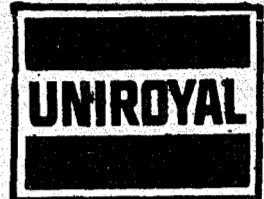
After the meal and visiting, Leroy and his mother, Mrs. Opal Stockard, drove to Richland Springs to visit with relatives and friends.

Memorial Donation Given Cemetery

The Santa Anna Cemetry Association has received a memorial gift during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Joe Powers made a donation in memory of the late Benny Parsons of Coleman.

HOME FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Elder are back at home after spending two weeks in California visiting relatives. They visited their children at Oakley, Calif., and a daughter, Mrs. Bonnie Owen, returned to Santa Anna with her parents for a visit of a few weeks.



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Employment

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Card of Thanks

We are grateful for the flowers and other expressions of kindness while Dub was in the hospital. Thanks to everyone for their interest and concern.

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Notices

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

The Board of Equalization for the Santa Anna Independent School District will be in session at the County School Tax Office, 209 Concho in Coleman, Texas at 3 p.m. Wednesday, July 12, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of minerals and industrial property situated in the said Santa Anna Independent School District. Any and all persons interested in having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

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Ranger Park Hospital

The following patients were admitted to Ranger Park Hospital June 19 - 26:
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John W. Gober Jr., Brownwood
Grady Davis Corpus Christi
Bennie Parks, Coleman
Ruby Tucker, Keene
S. A. Tucker, Keene
Daisy Green, city
Nancy Menges, city
The following patients were dismissed from the hospital June 19 - 26:
Lillie Parks, Coleman
Mrs. Ross Kelley, city

George Stewardson, city
Harry Gordon, Coleman
Fannie Bradshaw, Comanche
Eddie Barrington, Coleman
Barbara Moore, Coleman
John Baugh, city
Jose Frausto, city
Benito Diaz, Brownwood
Donna Estes, Rockwood
John W. Gober Jr., Brownwood
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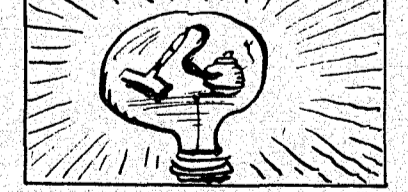
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

THURSDAY, JUNE 29:
FRIDAY, JUNE 30:
SATURDAY, JULY 1:
ESA Sorority Bake Sale, downtown Santa Anna, 9 a.m.
ESA Sorority social, Coleman City Park, 7:30 p.m.
SUNDAY, JULY 2:
Attend Church
MONDAY, JULY 3:
VFD and Auxiliary, Fire Hall, 7 p.m.
TUESDAY, JULY 4:
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Country Club Sets Tourney

A Scotch Foursome String Tournament is planned at Coleman Country Club Tuesday, July 4. Members of the club are invited to take part in the special event.

Tee-off time is 10 a.m., and the day's activities will include a sack lunch at noon. Cost for the

Crickets Lose Playoff; Have Successful Season

The Crickets Tee-Ball team ended the season Friday evening by losing to the Coleman Hornets in the play-off game for the county championship. The Hornets were given the title after the 15 - 11 victory over the local team.

The Crickets had a 10 - 3 tourney fee is \$5 per couple. Tournament winners will be given golf balls for prizes.

season record while the Hornets ended with an 8 - 4 tally and the title.

The Crickets were undefeated by the Hornets in the first half of play, then lost one game in the second half and were defeated in the play-off.

The local team, composed of seven and eight year old players, had a very successful season.

Leading batters for the team

are James Hartman, with 30 runs; Reece McIver, 29; Eddie Tomlinson, 22; Jeremy Hartman, 19; Sonny Guthrie, 18; Jerry Brown, 17; and Vernon Valdey and Kelly Pape, 16.

Other members of the team are Louis Diaz, Salvador Perez, Shane Simmons, Buddy Burchfield, Lorri Perry and Rodney Musick.

VISITING RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Val Paul Kilgore and daughter Kathy of Grand Prairie spent the weekend in Santa Anna with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kilgore and other relatives.

ATTEND MEETING

Mrs. C. D. Bruce and Mrs. John C. Hunter were in San Saba Sunday afternoon for a historical association meeting and program.

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