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Mountain Echoes

By
Barbara
Kingsbery



Lyle Pearce, a Santa Anna native now living in Louisville, Ky., was featured in a recent story in the Louisville Courier-Journal.

Pearce, who retired in 1972 after a long and successful career in education, now spends his time "thinking," the article stated. His ideas and research include city improvement projects, commemorative moon landing coins, changes in basketball rules, etc.

However the writer of the story admitted there is still lots of action for Mr. Pearce. He reads, gardens and serves as a trustee of a senior citizens program.

Mr. Pearce is well-known here, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Pearce.

Baptist Bible School

Set Next Week

Vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church will be held Monday through Friday, July 20-24. Classes will be held for children nursery age through sixth grade from 9 - 11:30 each morning.

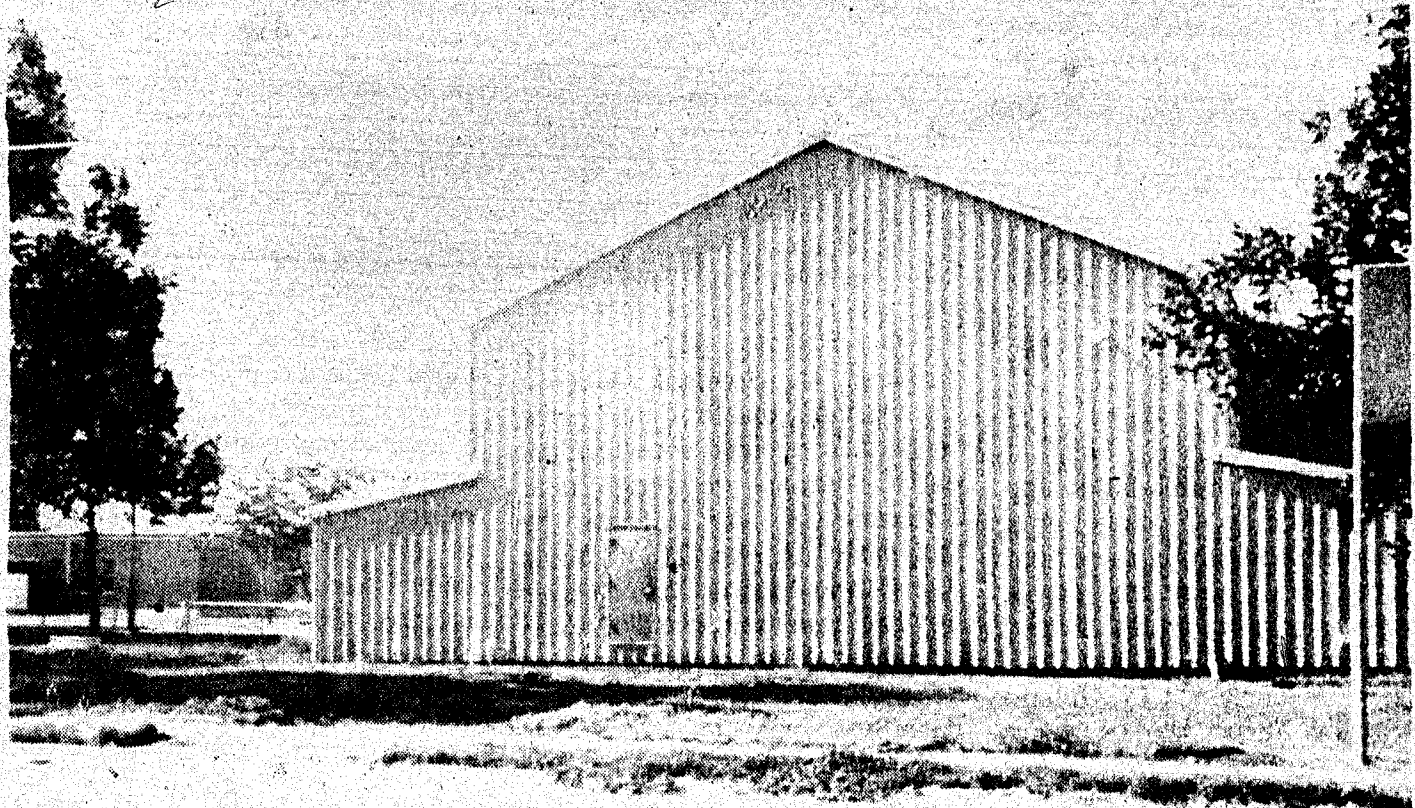
Janet Neff is director of the school, assisted by Rev. John Stanislaw. Department directors will be Cathy Keeney, nursery; Imogene Powers, beginners; Gail Horner, grades 1 and 2; Orabeth McIver, grades 3 and 4; and Vicki Green and Debbie Dean, grades 5 and 6.

Becky Allen Employed With

Ozona ISD

Becky Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, has accepted a position with the Ozona School System for the coming year. She will teach first grade and also serve as junior varsity coach for girls basketball and track in high school.

Becky is a 1975 graduate of Santa Anna High School and received a degree in elementary education and physical education from Tarleton State University in 1979.



FACADE CHANGED— The entrance to the old Santa Anna School Gymnasium has been moved to the south of the structure, with the steps removed from the street side. Major renovations to the building will increase the use of the old structure.

Old Gym Being Renovated

Work is in progress at the old Santa Anna School gymnasium, making use of the space in the large structure.

The old gym was moved to the Santa Anna campus in 1948 from Camp Bowie where it was used as a field house during World War II. Since construction of the new Perry Gymnasium in 1973, the old building was used for elementary physical education classes and other activities, leaving much

unused space.

In the new renovation project, the bleachers are being torn away, and dressing rooms and rest rooms for the Band Hall constructed on two levels. Storage areas will be included in the renovation, and the main entrance will be from the south, adjacent to the Band Hall.

New siding was placed on the frame structure two years ago, adding to the appearance of the old building.

The renovation is the major improvement project at the local school system this summer. Another project will include work on the press box and scouting box at the football stadium.

Santa Anna Boy Scout To National Jamboree

A Santa Anna Boy Scout, James Pelton, will be among the approximately 40,000 Scouts who attend the annual Boy Scout Jamboree in A. P. Hill, Virginia this month. The Jamboree is held every four years, and one of the highlights of a Scouting career.

Pelton, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. (Tex) Wright, has been chosen as Senior Patrol Leader for the group from the Abilene area that will be attending. Thirty-six boys from Abilene and Coleman and four adults will be in the group.

The local group will leave July 23 from Abilene, going by bus to the Dallas-Fort Worth airport for the flight to Washington, D. C. They will spend five days in Washington, with a V.I.P. tour of the White House, Senate and House chambers on the schedule. They will also tour Mount Vernon, the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, the Smithsonian Institute, Arlington National Cemetery, the Washington Monument, Lincoln Memorial and other points of interest.



JAMES PELTON

The Jamboree, held near historic Fredericksburg, Va., will be July 27 - August 5.

Scouts must qualify for the honor of attending the Jamboree, with the 1981 event marking the 200th anniversary of the Battle of Yorktown. Activities for the participants will include archery, orienteering, swimming, etc.

S-Anna Native On Committee For State Group

Pascal Hosch, Vice President and Trust Officer of First National Bank of Tullia, has recently been selected by the Texas Bankers Association for the Community Bankers Committee for 1981.

The committee, composed of eight community bankers from all areas of Texas, will plan and conduct educational and promotional activities which will address the needs of the Community Bank Trust Department.

Members of the committee were selected by their peers and will represent them at both State and National level.

Hosch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hosch, is a Santa Anna High School and Texas A&M University graduate and was with First Coleman National Bank prior to moving to Tullia two years ago.

Citizens' Committee Meets With S-Anna City Council

Members of Santa Anna City Council heard suggestions from the Citizens Committee on the methods of solving the city's financial crisis, when the group met in regular session at City Hall Thursday, July 9.

Glenda Cook was spokesperson for the 11-member committee composed of former city leaders and other local citizens.

Among other items discussed was the replacement of the city garbage truck that is no longer operable.

The resignation of City Superintendent Johnny Williams was also discussed, and plans made to advertise for a replacement. Williams had served in the capacity for about six months, coming here from Early.

Permission to use the area around the Civic Center as a city park was requested, and City Council will take the matter into consideration. Also tabled was

discussion of a rate increase for the Cable TV system.

It was also announced that final payment has been made on the Civic Center, with the city having full deed to the property. The center is the former National Guard Armory and acquired on a lease-purchase plan from the Government. Civic Clubs, the city and individuals helped with the purchase, with the city making monthly payments since the contract was signed 15 years ago.

Blood Pressure Clinic

Underway Today

The blood pressure clinic at the Chamber of Commerce office will be held today from 9 - 11 a.m. There is no charge for the service, and anyone interested may go by for the free testing.

S-Anna FFA Members To State Meeting

Two members of the Santa Anna Future Farmers of America chapter at Santa Anna High School will be among the six thousand Texas Future Farmers of America and guests at the 53rd annual convention of the Texas group being held in Dallas this week. The meeting got underway Wednesday at the Dallas Convention Center and will continue through Friday.

Attending will be Randy Scarborough, past president of the SAHS chapter, and Ward Stewardson, past sentinel of the chapter.

Also accompanying the Santa Anna boys will be Scott Patter-

son, Santa Anna FFA Advisor.

Convention participants will hear some outstanding speakers and participate in business sessions as well as recreational activities. Voting delegates will select new State officers and will recognize many award winners.

Convention theme is "Building Tomorrows Today."

The FFA is composed of students who are studying vocational agriculture in public schools in preparation for a variety of careers in agriculture and agribusiness. There are more than 900 chapters in Texas with over 60,000 active members.

VFD Fund Drive Needs Donors 1982 Budget Reviewed By County Tax Group

Response to the annual associate membership drive for the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department has not been as good as in previous years. Those who have not made donations to the VFD are urged to do so as soon as possible.

The Fire Department operates on donations, with purchase of equipment and maintenance from the yearly drive.

Appreciation has been expressed to those who have made donations, and those who have overlooked the opportunity may leave their donation at Santa Anna National Bank or give it to any VFD member.

The proposed budget for the Coleman County Tax Appraisal District was studied at the Monday, July 13, meeting of the Board held in Coleman. The 1982 proposed budget will be sent to all the taxing entities in Coleman County prior to a budget hearing.

Harold Pittard, chairman, presided at the meeting, with all members present. John Skelton, Chief Appraiser, gave the financial report and presented bills and accounts that were approved for payment.

Phil McCormick, consultant, gave a progress report, showing appraisals on rural property almost completed, as well as the City of Santa Anna and cities of Talpa and Novice. The next two months will be spent completing rural appraisals, and during September and October the City

of Coleman will be covered by the staff.

Representatives from two firms met with the Board concerning appraisals of mineral and utilities.

The next regular meeting of the Board will be Monday, August 10, at 5 p.m. at the Appraisal District office in Coleman. Visitors are welcome to attend the meetings.

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Local Girls Take Part In Dress Revue

The Coleman County 4-H Fashion Revue was held July 7 at First Christian Church fellowship hall in Coleman. Several Santa Anna girls took part in the event, with the high point individuals chosen to advance to the district dress revue in Abilene July 28.

Those to take part in Abilene are Shanna Ehrlar, Karla Stewart and Karen Bryant, with Janet Bryan and Christi Ehrlar as alternates.

Each 4-H member was judged on appearance, construction of their garments, and on their record books.

Contestants and their divisions include the following:

Beginner Division: Allison Brown, Janet Bryan, Shanna Ehrlar, Lynne Dockery, Mary Jo Jones, Shellah Vaughn, Allison Scott, blue ribbons, and Dana Cardinas, Maribeth Kirby, Lori Watson, Sherry Cupps and LeAnn Estes, red ribbons.

Intermediate Division: Karla Stewart, blue ribbon.

Senior Division: Christi Ehrlar, Karen Bryant and LeAnn Habiger, blue ribbons.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Baird of Coleman Cottons, Inc. presented cash awards for the high-point cotton garments in each division, with the winners being Shanna Ehrlar, Karla Stewart and Christi Ehrlar. The top scoring entries will also receive cash awards from the County Extension Homemakers Council in November.

The First Coleman National Bank hosted a luncheon for the contestants, an annual event. Judges this year were Jane Holubec, McCullough County Extension Agent, and Cynthia Quinn and Karen Reynolds. Sharon Sneed was commentator for the revue.

Santa Anna Men Injured In Car-Train Accident

John Holmes, 21, of Santa Anna is in Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene for treatment of injuries he received in an accident early Sunday morning near Coleman. A car, driven by Reginaldo Castillo, 21, of Santa Anna, was struck by a train one-half mile southeast of Coleman at a train crossing at the intersection of Highway 84 and Farm Road 568.

According to officers who investigated, Holmes was asleep in the back seat of the auto driven by Castillo. Passing motorists had notified authorities about 3:30 a.m. of a vehicle parked on the Santa Fe tracks with the headlights out, but the mishap

occurred before officers could move the car.

The impact threw the car about 30 feet, trapping Castillo temporarily in the vehicle. An electrical railroad signal mast was toppled in the mishap and the car demolished. Castillo was treated at the Coleman hospital for bruises and abrasions.

Local People At Lake B-wood For Youth Congress

Several Santa Anna young people are spending this week at the Heart of Texas Baptist Camp at Lake Brownwood attending the Baptist Youth Congress. Those from the local congregation are Robbie Clifton, Tammy and Melissa Stanislaw, Albert Collins, Charlie Lewis and Bradley Wardlow.

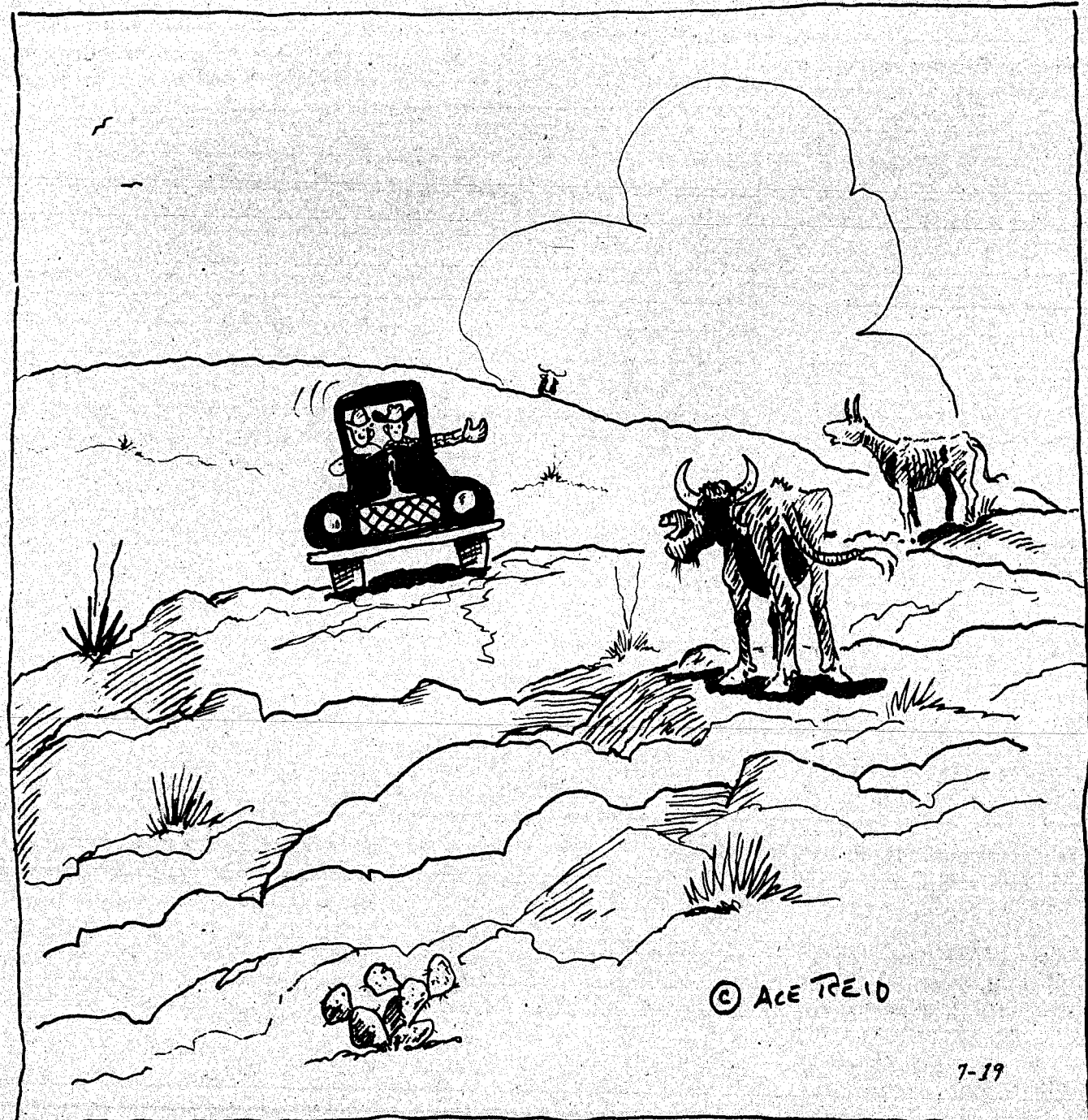
Rev. John Stanislaw, pastor of the church, is serving as associate director of the camp that has an attendance of 550 young people from the central Texas area.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Owen and Bill of Kemp were weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owen. They were here to attend the Coleman Rodeo.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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Minor Changes Expected In Dove Hunting Regulations

Only minor changes are anticipated in hunting regulations for mourning and white-winged doves this fall. The Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission will set seasons and bag limits when it convenes in a public hearing in Austin July 23.

For dove hunting it is proposed the state be divided into the same North and South Zones as for the 1980-81 dove hunting seasons. The North Zone, of which our area is a part, has a proposed season set for September 1 - October 30. South Zone would have a split dove season September 26 - November 8, and January 2 - 17, 1982. The white-winged dove season for 16 counties is proposed for September 5 - 6 and 12 - 13.

In all counties which do not have a whitewing season, shooting hours are one half hour before sunrise to sunset. In counties having concurrent whitewing and mourning dove hunting, shooting hours would be noon to sunset during the four days of the whitewing season.

One change proposed by the commission for the 1981-82 seasons is a reduction of number of counties where hunters are required to leave one fully feathered wing attached to the carcass of every dove until it reaches the personal abode of the hunter or a commercial preservation facility. This is proposed to

be required in 36 counties this season, whereas last season it applied to all of the South Zone.

It is proposed that bag and possession limits for mourning doves be raised from 10 and 20 to 12 and 24. The bag and possession limits for white-winged doves will remain at 10 per day, 20 in possession.

The Texas area should have good dove hunting this fall, due to the good rains and fine forage.

No Injuries In Train Derailment

Two train derailments occurred in our area Saturday. At 4:40 p.m. one car of a Santa Fe freight derailed in Santa Anna, the empty car running off the track while being pulled from a spur track onto the main line.

Near Talpa at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, fifteen cars of a Santa Fe freight derailed as it passed through the area. Ten of the cars were empty, four contained sand and fertilizer, and the other contained a caustic alkaline used for sulphur mining.

Roy Williams, trainmaster at Brownwood, said Wednesday the mishap was still being investigated. Train traffic on the line was halted about 24 hours as crews repaired the damage.

There were no injuries in either mishap.

Rites Held For Colgin Infant In Killeen

Funeral services were held in Killeen last week for Nye Charles Colgin, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Colgin, who was stillborn in Scott & White Hospital in Temple Wednesday, August 7.

Survivors are the parents, John and Barbara (Reid) Colgin of Killeen; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colgin of San Marcos and Mrs. Nye Reid of Austin; and a maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Edd K. Jones of Santa Anna.

Santa Anna Folks Attend Meeting In San Angelo

Ladies of the Women's Missionary Association of Northside Baptist Church were in San Angelo Monday for a district meeting at Grace Temple Baptist Church. Pastor George Cooper was speaker for the main session.

During the business meeting there was a luncheon.

Those from Santa Anna attending were Mrs. C. C. Gilbert, Mrs. John Perry and Rev. John Hix.

Santa Anna Student To TFB Seminar at Waco

Mike Wetsel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wetsel, is one of two Coleman County students chosen for the annual Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar July 20 - 24 on the Baylor University Campus at Waco. Also named for the award was Juanita Diaz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Balentine Diaz of Coleman. The two students were chosen to represent Coleman County because of their leadership ability, scholastic achievement and character, said Victor Cardinas, Coleman County Farm Bureau president.

The seminar is designed to give junior and senior high school students a better understanding of the various forms of government and their responsibilities as citizens. Comparisons of the different kinds of economic systems are outlined in lectures,

discussions and films presented by outstanding authorities in government, history and economics.

Among the speakers on the program will be Dr. Clifton Ganus, president of Harding University, Searcy, Arkansas, Alex Shkkel, a Russian immigrant who now lives in Waxo, and Dr. Cleon Skousen, founder of the Freeman Institute in Provo, Utah. Others will be Dr. Thomas Cunningham, family life specialist from Stillwater, Okla., and Jack Jackson, a representative of American Airlines in Fort Worth.

Students attending the seminar will be eligible to enter the TFB Young Speakers for Free Enterprise contest, also.

Mike Ballard On Dean's List

Mike Ballard, a junior at Abilene Christian University, was one of the 587 students who qualified for the spring semester dean's list.

Students who qualify for the honor earned a grade point average of at least 3.45 on a 4.0 scale while enrolled for a minimum of 12 semester hours.

Mike is a graduate of Santa Anna High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Ballard.

S-Anna Student On Dean's List

Robert D. Key, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Key, was among the students named to the Dean's List at Southwest Texas State University for the spring semester.

David is a senior at the University. He is a graduate of Brownwood High School.

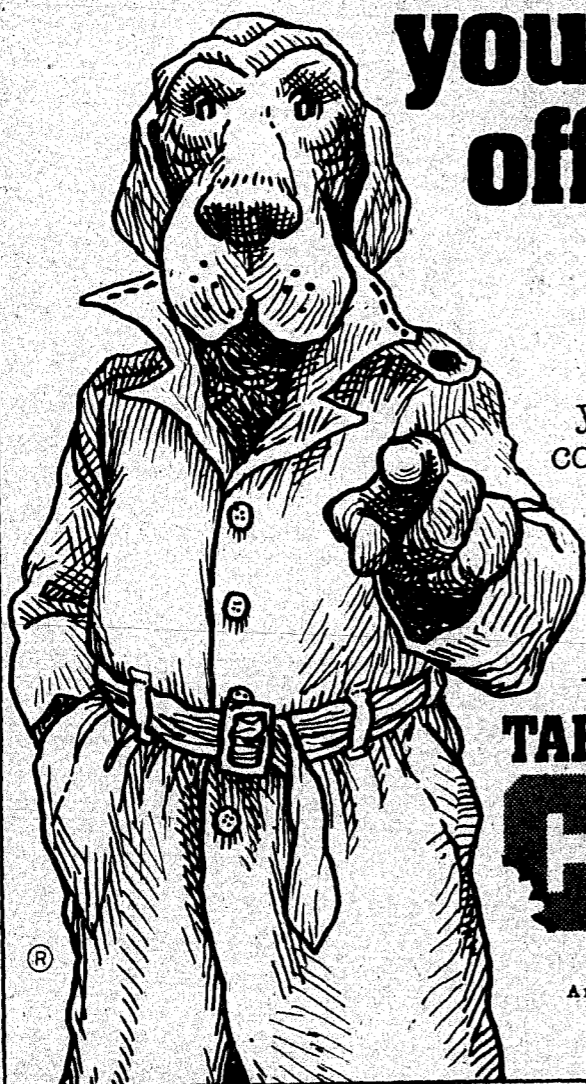
CRITICALLY ILL

Clifford Stephenson was listed in critical condition Tuesday at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. He had surgery last week and his condition worsened this week. Family members are at his bedside, according to a report from friends here Tuesday night.

BACK AT WORK

Brenda Culpepper spent several days in Santa Anna with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Culpepper and family, after being in Brownwood Regional Hospital for tests. She is now getting along well and back at work at the hospital in Brownwood.

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By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Rev. Mike Alexander the Methodist minister, preached at 9:30 Sunday morning. Next Sunday Rev. Swanner, the Baptist minister, will preach at 11 a.m.

Saturday night we had nice community supper at the Community center with 15 present, we played 84 after supper. Several regulars did not get to come, but all seemed to enjoy it.

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

Visitors with me last week were our niece and husband Betty Jean and Neute Cooper of Brownwood and their son and wife Steven and Karen Cooper of Plano, all visited and had supper with me Wednesday evening, and Friday evening Anton and Lee Boenicke visited me a while.

Sunday afternoon Carrie Stacy visited me and we went and visited Ilene Haynes and her daughter, Reba Cozart from Round Rock, she is staying with her mother a while. We also visited Mrs. Fry., we had a nice evening together.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Doug Perkins of Bangs and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Carlyle of Blanket visited the Walter Stacys. Saturday O.T. Stacy of Abilene spent the day and did a lot of work for them.

Sunday evening Walter Stacy attended the singing at the Congregational Methodist Church in Brownwood

Visitors with Oma Lee Dockery Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dockery of Fort Worth, Mary Ola and Elmer Woods of Bangs, H.B. Dockery of Brownwood, Lou Vaughn, the John Dockery family and Ray Dockery family were all there and had dinner and supper with her.

Roy and Inez Miller of Coleman visited Rankin and Natalie McIver Friday evening. Rankin and Natalie went to San Angelo and visited Sherrie and Jim Blake they had supper with them.

The McIver family received word that their cousin J.K. Thomas died with a heart attack. He and his wife visited here in the spring with the McIver family a month or more and he had a stroke on their way home. We all enjoyed them, they were a nice couple. They were from South Carolina.

Tuesday night Mike and Mryl Robinson of Brady had supper with the Charles Brewsters. Thursday evening Forest and Linda Hanson and children of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Leslid Fisher and children of Brownwood and Don Eubanks of Santa Anna all had supper with

the Charles Brewsters and Brad. Friday her brother, Greg Roach of Brownwood, and Brad went fishing they caught a 35 lb. yellow cat and several channel cat and Greg spent the weekend with them. Sunday Terry and Orabeth McIver and family came and brought a watermelon that they all enjoyed together.

Saturday afternoon Freddie Henderson and Sharyl and girl friend visited the Hilburn Hendersons they were from Odessa.

Clayton McMinn from Post and daughter Mrs. Ruth Crouch from Vernon and Minnie Bell Richardson of Abilene and Grace Smart of Coleman visited Minnie Wilson Thursday evening.

Ilene Haynes had surgery Wednesday at San Angelo Hospital where she had a tumor taken off the back of her leg. She is back home and seems to be doing well. Visitors since she came home are

Trent J. Arnold Born on June 27

Trent Jackson Arnold was born June 27, in Brownwood Regional Hospital, the son of Leslie McCreary Arnold. The little boy weighed six pounds, four ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary are maternal grandparents of the new arrival, and Mrs. Gussie Wise of San Angelo is maternal great-grandmother.

Billy Haynes and Tim, Anna Laura York, G.K. and Sug Stearns, Leona Henderson, Grady and Genia McIver, H.B. Dockery, Traci, Kelli, Wesley Dockery, Carrie Stacy and Mary Boenicke visited Sunday evening and also visited Mrs. Fry.

Sug Stearns took their grandson, Clint Stearns, home after spending last week with the G.K. Stearns.

Pat Jr. and Sharon McShan of Andrews visited Russie James Friday. Russie visited Ilene Haynes and Winnie Haynes Monday morning.

Betty and Damon Miller of

Local People Enjoy Vacation In New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fields have returned home from a recent vacation trip to Chama, New Mexico. They were accompanied by their daughter, Janett Fields of Abilene, and were away from home nine days.

The local folks spent three nights at Spruce Lodge at Chama, enjoying horseback riding, sight-seeing and a ride on the Cumbres and Toltec Scenic Railroad, a historic narrow gauge railroad in the mountains.

Enroute home they visited at

Austin spent the weekend with Mary Lea Mitchell. Damon went back and Betty will spend this week with Mary Lea Mitchell. Lea Mock and Jennie will come tomorrow to visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Perucca of Bangs visited the Walter Stacys Monday evening.

We had a sprinkle of rain this Monday evening not enough to measure.



JOHNNY FIELDS FAMILY
Enjoy New Mexico Vacation

Red River where they had a jeep ride to Goose Creek Lake above the timberline, and saw snow on Mount Wheeler.

GETTING ALONG WELL

Ford Barnes is still in Ranger Park Hospital and getting along well. He is recovering from a broken hip, and will be in the hospital a while longer.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Sparkman and family of Pampa were weekend guests of their aunts, Mrs. B. A. Parker and Mrs. Pearl Abernathy.

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MRS. JODY BRUSENHAN
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Miss Brown, Brusenhan Wed In Rockwood

Rockwood Baptist Church was the setting of the Saturday, July 11, wedding ceremony for Miss Rhonda Brown and Jody Brusenhan. The bride is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Don Cornett of Rising Star. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Brusenhan Jr. of Rockwood are parents of the groom.

The Rev. Ricky McClatchy, pastor of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The altar of the church was decorated with a colonial bouquet of silk flowers flanked by potted palms. White wrought iron candelabra held bridal tapers entwined with boxwood greenery and blue and white satin bows. Blue and white ribbon marked the family pews.

Meca Pollock of Menard was pianist, and Mrs. Stan Martin, sister of the groom, was soloist, singing "Evergreen."

Robin Hartman registered the guests as they entered the sanctuary.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Donald Cornett, the bride wore a gown of Chantilly lace styled with a Queen Ann neckline and cathedral train. Her elbow-length veil was of Chantilly lace.

To complete her ensemble, the bride wore a pin belonging to the groom's great-grandmother, and a new silver cross necklace, a gift of the groom. She wore diamond earrings belonging to her maid of honor, and a blue garter.

The bride carried a cascade of red roses.

Jennifer Rutherford was maid of honor, wearing a gown of blue nylon organdy over taffeta. Lisa Brown and Alice DeLeon were bridesmaids, dressed like the honor attendant. They all carried bouquets of blue silk flowers.

Amber Huggins was flower girl, and Kevin Yager was ring bearer.

Mike Pritchard was best man, and groomsmen were David Cornett and Mike Sheffield. Ushers were Tom Black, Jody Van Fleet and Mike Taylor. Janet

Yager and Robby Brown, brother of the bride, lighted candles.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the Rockwood Community Center hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford. The bride's table was covered with a blue cloth overlaid with white lace. Crystal appointments were used to serve the three-tiered cake topped with wedding bells and blue roses. Silver candelabras with white tapers were surrounded by blue and white carnations for the centerpiece.

The groom's table was covered with a cloth of blue denim and decorated with white mums and blue carnations and white tapers. Coffee and chocolate cake were served from crystal appoint-

ments. Those in the houseparty were Mrs. Bobby Chapman, Mrs. Allen Jones, Sherry Curry, Dalia DeLeon, Mary Bible and Tracy Benge. Others were Mrs. Doug Cornett and Mrs. David Cornett, aunts of the bride. Jerry Brown, brother of the bride, and Jennifer Moore distributed rice bags.

After a wedding trip to Abilene, the couple will be at home in Bryan where the groom is a senior student at Texas A&M University. He is a 1978 graduate of Santa Anna High School and attended Angelo State University two years.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Santa Anna High School and a March graduate of Central Texas Commercial College in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Brusenhan Jr. were hosts for a dinner Friday at Underwood's in Brownwood. Members of the bridal party and family members were present for the party.

Social Security Benefits For Disabled Children

Supplemental security income (SSI) payments can be made to disabled children, including those mentally retarded, regardless of their age, Priscilla Tercero, social security branch manager in Brownwood, said recently.

SSI is a Federal program administered by social security which makes monthly cash payments to people in need who are 65 or over or disabled or blind. Money to the SSI payments comes from Federal general revenues, not from social security taxes, Tercero said.

In deciding eligibility of a child under 18, part of a parents income and assets are considered to be the child's. Not all of the parent's income counts, however. There are allowances for work and living expenses and for other children living at home.

After a child reaches 18, however, only his or her own income and assets count in deciding eligibility.

A child cannot receive both SSI and AFDC payments. The parents or guardian of a child eligible under both programs can choose whichever best suits the family.

More information about SSI for retarded persons, as well as for other disabled people of any age, can be obtained at the Brownwood Social Security office. The people there will be happy to explain the program and to answer any questions. The office is located at 300 North Main Building and the telephone number is 646-7533.

A representative of the Brownwood office visits Santa Anna each month, on the second Thursday from 1 - 2 p.m., headquartered at the Mountain City Center.

Aspirin Can Be Dangerous

Aspirin, the most commonly used medication in this country, can be dangerous. While the value of aspirin as a pain reliever is widely known, many people are unaware of the dangers which can result from improper aspirin use. The side effects of this drug should be clearly understood, says the Texas Medical Association.

People in chronic pain often take too much aspirin to relieve their symptoms. It is more important to discover the cause of the headache or chronic, than it is to disguise that pain with aspirin. Even when aspirin is prescribed as therapy, such as for rheumatoid arthritis, undesirable side effects can result.

Warning signals that you are taking too much aspirin or that you should not take aspirin at all include stomach problems, heartburn, ringing in the ears and intermittent hearing problems.

Aspirin can cause serious problems in the stomach, especially when taken without food or at bedtime. It has an

irritating, erosive effect which can sometimes cause internal bleeding. If there is a history of stomach problems or ulcers, aspirin should not be taken, since it can worsen existing problems.

A doctor can recommend other medications which are not as irritating. In cases where a fever-reducing medicine is needed, the doctor may prescribe the use of an aspirin suppository, which is not as harsh as aspirin taken by mouth. There are specially coated aspirin which minimize the danger of stomach problems. Aspirin may also be crushed in a small amount of liquid so that it will be absorbed more quickly and easily.

Another danger associated with aspirin concerns blood-clotting. Aspirin slows the normal clotting time of the blood. This should be taken into account especially if any surgery is planned.

Certain people are more susceptible to side effects of aspirin than others, and display symptoms after only one or two tablets.

The Mind Must Be Fed With Pure Food

Be still, and know that I am God: I will be exalted among the heathen, I will be exalted in the earth. Ps. 46:10.

Christians should cultivate a love for meditation, and cherish a spirit of devotion. Many seem to begrudge moments spent in meditation, and the searching of the Scriptures, and prayer, as though the time thus occupied was lost. I wish you could all view these things in the light God would have you; for you would then make the kingdom of Heaven of the first importance. To keep your heart in Heaven, will give vigor to all your graces, and put life into all your duties. To discipline the mind to dwell upon heavenly things, will put life and earnestness into all our endeavors.

Let every one who desires to be a partaker of the divine nature appreciate the fact that he must escape the corruption that is in the world through lust. There must be a constant, earnest struggling of the soul against the evil imaginings of the mind. There must be a steadfast resistance of temptation to sin in thought or act.

The soul must be kept from every stain, through faith in Him who is able to keep you from falling. We should meditate upon the Scriptures, thinking soberly and candidly upon the things that pertain to our eternal salvation. The infinite mercy and love of Jesus, the sacrifice made in our behalf, call for most serious and solemn reflection. We should dwell upon the character of our dear Redeemer and Intercessor. We should seek to comprehend the meaning of the plan of salvation. We should meditate upon the mission of Him who came to save His people from their sins. By constantly contemplating heavenly themes, our faith and love will grow stronger. Our prayers will be more and more acceptable to God, because they will be more and more mixed with faith and love. They will be more intelligent and fervent.

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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Visiting Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Deal and Rolan were Clayton McMinn of Post, Mrs. Lee Crouch of Vernon, Mrs. A.O. Richardson of Abilene and Mrs. Grace Short of Santa Anna; Mr. and Mrs. Deal joined a group of friends Friday visiting at Holiday Hill with Mrs. Norine Winstead; the group of friends included Mrs. Guy Ellis and Mrs. Dave Dickie of Woodson, Mr. and rs. Charles Bedford of Karnes City and Mrs. Leno Siler of Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Deal attended the Brown-Brusenhan wedding Saturday evening.

Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. Blake Williams visited with Mrs. Deal Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Fort Worth returned home Saturday after spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Claud Box. The Campbells visited in Santa Anna Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell. Callers in the Box home were Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. W.B. McCutcheon and Mrs. Blake William.

Mike Sheffield of Kingsville spent Thursday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield and Monte of Temple came Saturday and all were in Gatesville attending 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Sheffield.

Last Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Mrs. and Mrs. Alton Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Estes, Terri and Jeff of Pecos visited Wednesday to Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes; Kelly Estes of Sweetwater visited Friday to Sunday.

B.B. Fowler of Granbury and Odie Fowler and Steve Fowler of Fort Worth visited Wednesday to Saturday; Jim remained to spend the week with his grandparents.

Sunday guests of the Fowlers were Mark and Carrie Patterson of Abilene, who attended the Shields Church of Christ Sunday services.

The Baptist Women met at the Church at nine o'clock Monday with a royal Service program entitled, "Baptists Receiving and Sending Missionaries." Presenting the program were Mmes. Bill Bryan, Mary Emerson, Wayne Bray and Lon Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Jody Brusenhan returned Monday from a brief wedding trip to Abilene.

Visiting with Mrs. Emerson and attending the Brown-Brusenhan wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown and Meca of Menard and the Stan Martins of Denver, Colo., who left for home after the wedding reception. Mrs. Claud Box visited with Mrs. Emerson Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hudson and a couple of friends of Indiana visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain. Garland McSwain of Dallas is here for a few days with his parents. Mr. McSwain was admitted to the Brady Hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Will Isaacs of Fife and Thurman McCutcheon of San Saba were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W.B. McCutcheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duus, Rodney and robert were in Brownwood Friday evening for the rehearsal for the wedding of Larry Gilmore and Rene Perthuis and again Saturday for the wedding at the Central United Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Maedgen of Glen Rose spent Saturday with her parents, the Duus family, and attended th Gilmore-Perthuis wedding.

Visiting last weekend with Mr. anad Mrs. Wayne Bray were Mr. and rs. Larry Smith of Austin, Kim Bray and Billy Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hambright and Kathy vaughn and Rhonda

Rhoades who also attended the Brown-Brusenhan wedding. Curtis Bryan was Saturday dinner guests of the Bray family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan were in Coleman Monday morning visiting with Ernest Brusenhan.

Mrs. Jack Cooper and Mrs. Blake Williams visited the Shields Quilting Club Monday afternoon.

Rhonda Brown spent last week, before her wedding date, with Jennifer Rutherford.

Visiting during last week with Linnie Box were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hudson of Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adian of Pleasanton, Calif., Mrs. Hyde Teel Creedmore of Temple and Mrs. Bill Teel of Azle.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes of Bovine and Mr. and Mrs. Don Estes of Brownwood were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Lee; they were here also visiting their mother, Mrs. Ollie Estes, at Ranger Park Inn.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Luther McCrary, Mrs. Beatrice Bilbrey, Orval Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gilbert were in Odessa Sunday of last week to attend funeral services for an uncle and brother, Early Gilbert.



AUGUST WEDDING PLANNED— Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hataway of Roby have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tina, to David Minyard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Minyard of Snyder. The wedding is set Saturday, August 22, at the Christian Student Center at Western Texas College in Snyder. David is the grandson of Mrs. Opal Little of Santa Anna.

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Cleveland News

By CLARA CUPPS

As you know, I did not get my news in last week's paper. I was called to Fort Worth where Linda Genz died in a car accident Monday morning. She was the wife of my brother, Herbert Genz. She is survived by her husband and two daughters. The funeral was in Fort Worth at 1 p.m. on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Brooke of Comanche were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooke Tuesday night and again Sunday at dinner. Jeffery returned home with his parents. Malanie Wilson was with her grandparents. They also visited the R. W. Cupps Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Fort Worth visited the W. L. Campbells Tuesday afternoon. The W. L. Campbells and Mrs. Sue Moredock visited Mrs. Thelma Stewardson of Brownwood Friday.

Cindy Boyle and children and Stacy Walker of Bangs visited the Edd Hartmans Tuesday. Jeremy and Jeffery spent the day Wednesday, Thursday and Friday with Ruby Hartman. Mrs. I. E. Hartman is spending some time with her son, the Edd Hartmans.

Albert Williams and Michael Covey of Seabrook spent Saturday night with his grandparents, the R. W. Cupps. I visited the Fred Coveys at Bangs Saturday.

Kenneth and Peggy Sikes of Bangs were at church and were Sunday dinner guests with her parents, the Charlie Flemings. The Flemings visited Mike and Ivy Hitchcock and new baby boy, James Michael, in Brownwood Thursday. Charlie and Thelma visited Raymond Don and Doris Cupps, Joey and Jerry on Monday. They also visited Randy and Elaine Brown and children Monday.

Randy and Elaine and children brought Thelma and Charlie a freezer of ice cream Monday night. Ovella and Russell visited Thelma and Charlie Thursday evening.

Tammy Ellis of Bellville came Sunday to visit her parents, the Cecil Ellises, for a few days.

Amber Huggins spent Saturday night with her grandparents, the Lee Ray Huggins. Adam Huggins spent Sunday afternoon with them.

Mrs. Vera Wise visited Tuesday night with the Adolph Kelleys. Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Travis Smith, Nancy and Laura of San Angelo and Mrs. Rosa Lee Seals and Mrs. Novie Seals of Coleman visited.

Cindy Pierce and David Strickland came out Wednesday night to visit the A. C. Pierces and had supper. Then they all went to the Rodeo in Coleman. Sue McCarroll spent several days with the Pierces.

Mrs. Betty Joyce Cupps and Michael, Sherry and Shane visited Janice and Curtis Fellers Friday night. They all visited Betty Joyce Sunday, except Regina and Danny.

Hal Howard of Abernathy visited the John Howards one day last week. Also the V. H. Russells dropped by after church Sunday for awhile. Tom and Bobby Howard came Monday to visit his parents, the John Howards.

Charlie and Kathleen Avants and Sabrina and Mike and Lynn Stephenson and Holly all visited the Bruce Hibbetts Sunday afternoon. Bobby and Tammy Chapman of Abilene came Saturday for awhile.

J. T. and Debbie Naron and Trey of Merkel spent the weekend with the John Narons, Jennifer and Jody. Pat Ann Rowland of Godley spent the weekend. They all went to Proctor for the weekend to visit John's mother, Mrs. C. F. Fisher.

Dana and Lavonda Evans, Doyle and Laverne Evans spent Sunday with Winnie Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring visited the R. W. Cupps Sunday night. Also Russell and Ovella Williams visited us Thursday evening.

Those visiting the Casey Herrings over the weekend were Pam and John Morgan, Dale Herring, Pete and Jeffrey. The boys are visiting here with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh went to Cameron to visit Aunt Lela Hodges Friday. They went on to Teague to visit Naomi Reid and family, spending a couple of days and returning back by Bangs for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry visited the James Perrys Sunday evening. Mrs. Amanda Perry along with the church group attended the WMA meeting in San Angelo Monday.

Those visiting Hardon Phillips over the week were Syle Huggins who visited Saturday, and on Friday night Hardon visited with Iva Taylor. He also dropped by to see David Lee Huggins and visited with Bruce Alsbrook and Hoyt Gilley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Battles attended the Huggins family reunion at Lampasas Sunday.

Saturday Mrs. Lucille Cupps went to Coleman to visit Richard Wells. She took him to the parade. The Darrel Cupps went to Brownwood Lake and spent the

THE SANTA ANNA NEWS

Susan Newman

To Be Feted Next Thursday

Susan Newman, bride-elect of Kevin Fritz of Fredericksburg, will be honored with a gift coffee Thursday, July 23, at the home of Mrs. Tom Kingsbery. Friends and relatives are invited to attend from 10 to 11 a.m.

Hostesses for the party will be Mmes. Elgean Harris, Charles Greenlee, Roddy Dean, Ken Bowker, Donnie Neff and Kingsbery.

Miss Newman and her fiance will be married in Fredericksburg August 8. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman of Santa Anna.

day with some of the kinfolks who were there.

Peggy Lancaster of Brownwood came and took Mrs. Tavy Ford to see her eye doctor in San Angelo Friday. Mrs. Lula Hancock is in the Coleman hospital, and Mrs. Ford and Sammy LaDoucer have been going up to see about her. Last Wednesday Judy Straughan came to visit her mother. She is from Conroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps and Kasha went to Sonora to visit the Tommy Locks and family.

The grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. James Ford, Vicki, Tonya and Barbi, spent a few days with them. They are the children of Joe and Frances Ford of Brownwood.

I missed getting news from Vera Wise.

For our weather: Dry and hot. We did get a few sprinkles this Monday night.

If you don't think it is hot, just try painting awhile. All are well.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Hosch, Jill and Sam of Tullia were weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hosch and Mike. Joining the group to celebrate Sam's third birthday were Patrick and Sandy Hosch.

Money-saving tip. Save syrup from canned fruits (store in freezer). When you have enough, thicken with cornstarch and use as topping for pancakes, waffles.



MR. AND MRS. GUY ALLEN
Wed in New Mexico July 5

Miss Pearson, Guy Allen Wed in New Mexico July 5

Crill Pearson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pearson of Eunice, New Mexico, and Guy Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Allen of Santa Anna, were united in marriage Sunday, July 5, in a ceremony at the ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Berry of Eunice, New Mexico.

The Rev. Andy Harris officiated at the Western-style wedding.

Pam Henry of San Angelo was maid of honor. James Allen served his son as best man.

A reception was held following the ceremony at the Berry home. Brenda Fort of Lovington, N. M. was at the register.

The bride is a graduate of

SPENDS WEEK HERE

Novelle Boylston of Aiken, South Carolina spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan. She was accompanied by a granddaughter, Carolyn Cockerell of Abilene, and while here attended the Oakes family reunion.

Eunice High School and has received her degree from Sul Ross State University at Alpine. The groom is a 1977 graduate of Santa Anna High School and attended Ranger Junior College and Sul Ross State University.

The couple continued on the professional rodeo circuit for their wedding trip, traveling to rodeos at Sheridan and Laramie, Wyoming.

BACK AT HOME

Mrs. E. K. Jones is back at home after spending three weeks in Austin with her daughters, Mrs. Nye Reid and Miss Alene Jones, and at Killeen with the John Colgins. She attended the funeral service of a great-grandson, Nye Charles Colgin, in Killeen Friday.

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Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



Our community was well represented at the Rodeo in Coleman the past week. Several in our community rode in each parade, and others who did not ride in the parade attended the Rodeo.

Mrs. Ed Smith and son Kelly of Coleman visited briefly with the Tom Rutherford's Monday.

Mrs. Pearl Avants of Santa Anna along with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants and their daughter, Jacky Lynn of Brady, and Mrs. Dougy Avants and son of Midland attended the Mary Avants family reunion at the Brownwood Lake Sunday. Mrs. Avants reported all of the children of Mary Avants were present, and only four grandchildren were unable to attend. She reported a wonderful day -- visiting eating and best of all, seeing relatives whom she had not seen in quite a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and granddaughter Jennifer were transacting business in Brady Monday and also visited with Mr. Morris' brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Morris of Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Bullion of O'Donnell were with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick last week. They also visited his mother in Brownwood while here. Mr. and Mrs. Bullion returned home Sunday, and their daughter, Michelle, remained here for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford were dinner guests with Mr.

and Mrs. Jack Cooper last Tuesday. Others present for the fish dinner and many other kinds of food were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper of Rockwood. We really did enjoy the afternoon visiting.

Mrs. Rex Turney of Santa Anna spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bible and other relatives at Killeen.

Loyd Rutherford and son Todd of Bangs visited from Tuesday to Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford. It was so good to have them with us and helping with the farm work. Loyd is on vacation. Hilary Rutherford and son Rocky were with us Wednesday assisting with cattle work. Hilary and Rocky were also on vacation last week. Loyd and Todd attended the Coleman Rodeo Thursday night, along with Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and Rocky.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Grote and girls attended a get-together with their family and relatives at Stonewall on the L.B.J. Ranch and Park on Sunday, celebrating birthdays of members of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick were in Abilene Saturday morning. Mrs. Fitzpatrick was back to see her doctor, and glad to report she is feeling better.

Mrs. Jacky Morris and children, Jeffery and Jennifer of Santa Anna and her mother from Florida were Sunday guests in the

Newman Reunion Held Recently At Lake Buchanan

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman met for their annual reunion July 10 - 12 at Cedar Lodge on Lake Buchanan. Attending were 124 relatives and guests.

Three of the children of the late couple were present, Mable Parish of Fort Worth, Frank Newman of San Angelo and Walter Newman of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hal England of Canada attended from the farthest distance, and new officers elected for the coming year were Byron and Joyce (Parish) Campbell of Fort Worth.

Other Santa Anna people attending the reunion were Mrs. Walter Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Glen McClure and Jody Byerly, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman, Susan and Elaine, and their guests, Kevin Fritz and Clarence McDaniel Jr., and guests, Lucile Wylie and Modora Gilmore.

Floyd Morris home.

D. H. Moore of San Antonio has been in his home in our community for several days. Mr. Ed Smith of Coleman has assisted him with the work. Fay Gill of Coleman has been staying in her home here during the weekend.

Leon Carter visited the Tom Rutherford's Saturday afternoon.

Etoile Cozart of Brownwood was on his farm here during the past week. He had coffee with the Tom Rutherford's Tuesday morning.

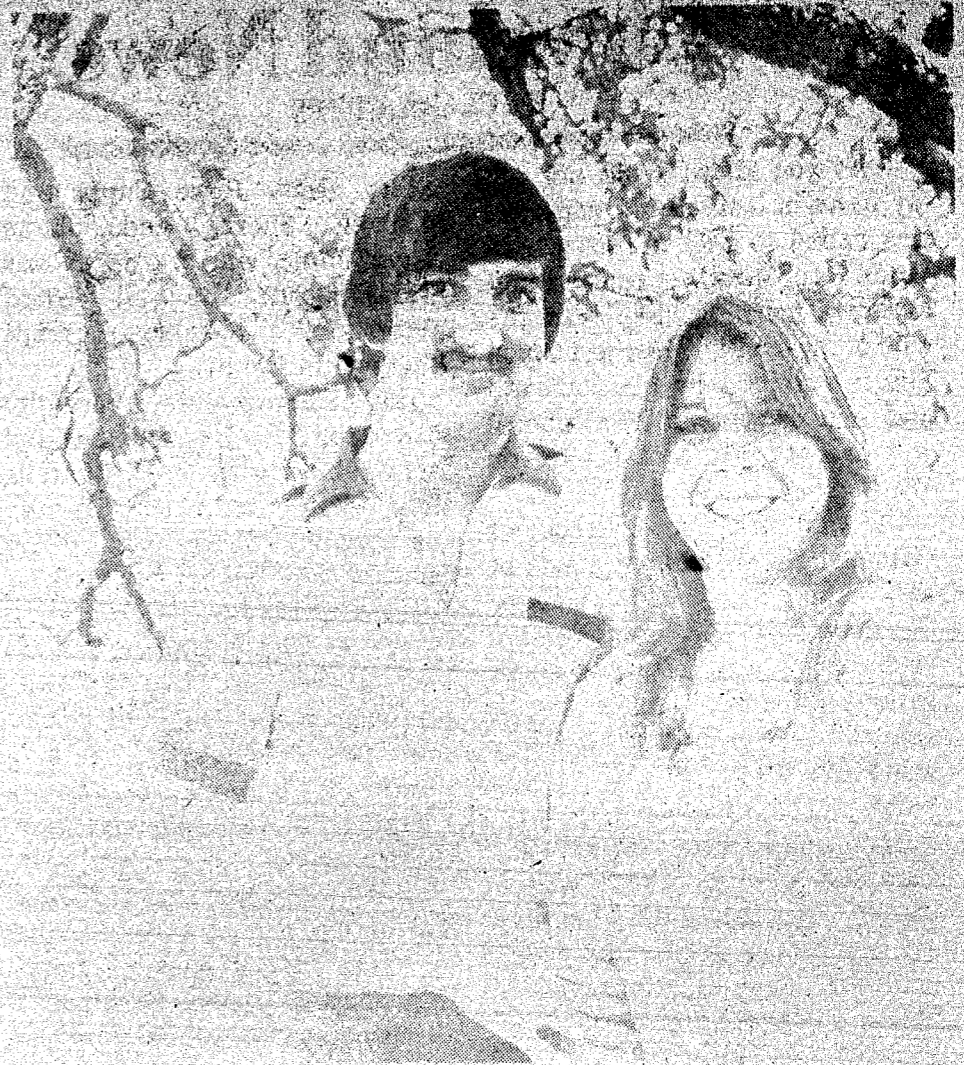
ATTEND SPECIAL SERVICE

Mrs. O. L. Cheaney Sr., Rob and Sharon Cheaney were in Houston July 4 to attend the christening ceremony of Mrs. Cheaney's great-granddaughter, Jill Jackson, daughter of Larry and Nancy Jackson of Houston.

The ceremony was held at St. John's Vianney Catholic Church. Jill, aged two months, is the granddaughter of Mrs. O. L. Cheaney Jr. of Houston.

VISIT IN McCREARY HOME

Visitors in the Jake McCreary home this week were Mrs. Jack Boyd and Bonnie of Comanche and Mrs. Curtis Bryan of Rockwood, Garland McSwain of Dallas. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Guest of Early, Mr. and Mrs. Knox of Mineral Wells, Karen and Wanda Simms of Baird, Mrs. Gussie Wise and Mrs. Jessie Eckles of San Angelo.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED— Mr. and Mrs. Tex Tomlinson have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kimberly Ann, to Wesley Dee Head, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Head of Goldthwaite. The couple will be married August 14 in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Clifton in Goldthwaite. Miss Tomlinson, the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Morgan of Santa Anna, is a senior in high school. Her fiance, a 1980 graduate of Goldthwaite High School, is employed with Hondo Drilling Co. in Rockdale. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bandolph of Channing.

Useful Drugs May Cause Reactions

Illness caused by drugs is sometimes reported in press. When such reports appear, many individuals become concerned about the safety of their medicines.

It is true that an occasional person does have an adverse reaction to some drug, the American Medical Association points out. It is also true that some drugs tend to produce more adverse reactions than others. Penicillin, the lifesaving wonder drug that quickly halts pneumonia and many other serious illnesses and infections, produces adverse reactions in

possibly one person of every twenty. But penicillin still saves thousands of lives every year.

The pharmaceutical manufacturers are constantly studying drugs, determining their safe and effective doses, learning of their side effects, and advising physicians and pharmacists about their safe use, as well as

their potential dangers.

Patients should feel free to take the drug the doctor prescribes. But they should let their doctors know about any adverse reactions. If the patient believes the reaction is not usual, he should report to the physician immediately and stop taking the medicine until the doctor can advise him.

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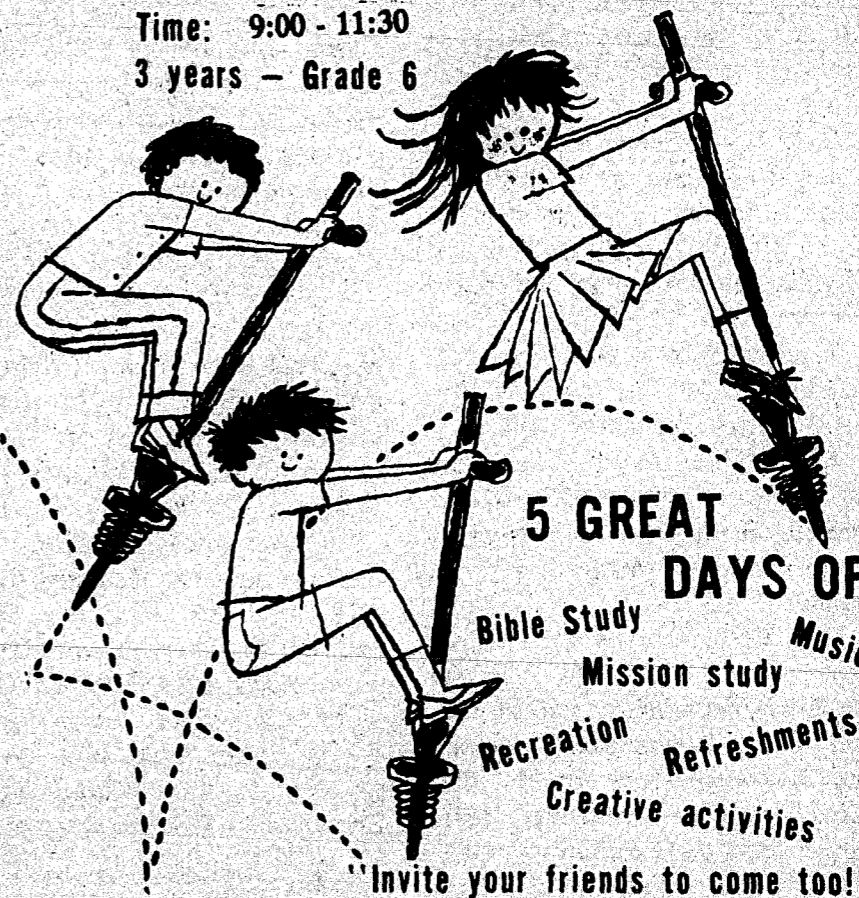
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transit and equipment to construct terraces in an early program of soil conservation. Members of the class are not identified. The 1981 Buffalo Homecoming was dedicated to the memory of the late Mr. Baker.

The Pentecostal Church group came Tuesday evening and sang for us, returning Sunday afternoon to sing, and Bro. Linley brought a beautiful devotion. We appreciate their faithfulness and concern for us. A large number of residents enjoyed the singing and devotion.

We appreciated the watermelon party Thursday afternoon. Thank you, Herman and Edna Estes, for serving the watermelon. A large number of residents came to the dining room for the party. We love our friends for being so good to us.

There was a big crowd to watch the Rodeo Clown, Quail Dobbs, and his dog, Phyllis, do their tricks Friday morning. That was a wonderful treat and entertainment. Thank you so much, Mr. Dobbs.

We sure enjoyed eating pop corn Friday afternoon while we watched the movie, "Model Railroads." Thank you, Ann Stiles, for the corn.

We are glad Mary Hoffman is back from a stay in the hospital.

Sorry Mrs. Dorris Kelley is in the hospital. We hope she will be

well and back with us.

Mike Brown visited with his grandmother, Mrs. E. J. McCoy. Hal Souder of Fort Worth was a visitor of his aunt, Mrs. D. R. Hill.

Visiting with Mrs. Nora Goen have been Mrs. Ralph Jackson and Mrs. Irene Nettleship, a sister, from Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hinkle of Waco and Amy Sauveur visited their mother and grandmother, Mary Cruger.

Ginger Kennedy of Coleman was a visitor with a friend, Bessie Thomas.

Others visiting Mrs. Thomas were a granddaughter, Donna Morgan of Houston, and Jesse Campbell of El Paso. Joanie and Kevin Morgan of Fort Worth, her grandchildren, also visited.

Minnie Belle Richardson of Abilene and Ruth Crouch of Vernon were at the Inn to visit Leo Deal, also with Dorris Kelley and Nora Goen. Also visiting with Mr. Deal was Clayton McMinn of Post.

Nota Snider of Coleman visited her sister-in-law, Susie Snider.

Visiting with Lily King last week were Lora Rollins, Keetie Haynes, Edith Stanislaw, friends from Santa Anna, and her daughter and son-in-law, Jean and Gerald Sitterle of Houston who were on their way home from a vacation trip to Alaska.

Wayne, Bitsy and Terri Heatherly of Premont were visitors of their grandmother, Sally Brimer.

rabies if attacked by a rabid animal.

In dogs, rabies can be identified if the dog either snaps at imaginary objects or sits quietly with its jaw hanging open, staring into space. A rabid dog's bark will be higher-pitched than usual, the pupils of the eyes will be larger and the mouth will foam or drool.

Tips on Canning, Preserving Given By Extension Service

With gardens flourishing, many consumers are attempting food preservation at home to save on food costs. While home canning may look simple, every detail requires careful attention.

If you do choose to can some vegetables, the Food Quality and Safety Committee of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, offers these important points:

--Before starting, contact your local county Extension office for the latest information.

--Use only high quality produce for best results.

--Be sure to have the pressure gauge on your pressure canner checked. Your local county Extension office usually has the equipment to provide this service.

--Also check gaskets and seals on your pressure canner.

--Follow directions to every detail; do not use your own times or pressures.

--All low-acid foods such as green beans, corn and potatoes must be processed in a pressure canner. Water bath methods are not adequate for proper preservation of low-acid foods. Firm, fresh tomatoes which are not overripe may be processed in a water bath.

--Use only approved canning techniques; processing in a microwave oven or conventional oven is not an approved method.

--Use only standard canning jars with lids and rings; old mayonnaise or peanut butter jars are not designed for home canning.

--Do not reuse lids.

--Do not use jars that are chipped or cracked.

--Do not overfill jars as this can cause a faulty seal.

--Be sure tops of jars are wiped clean before sealing.

--Avoid sudden pressure drops; wait until the pressure gauge is at zero before opening the lid.

--Be sure to allow for processing adjustments for those elevations over 1000 feet; charts are available in canning guides.

Avoid placing jars direct from the pressure canner onto cool surfaces; it's best to cool jars by placing them on a rack.

--Be sure to check all lids for a depression which indicates a good seal; products in jars without a good seal may be eaten immediately but should not be stored for later use.

TMA Has Pointers On Rabid Animals

As the Weather gets warmer, our contact with dogs and wildlife increases. So does the possibility of contracting rabies. According to public health reports, an estimated one to one and one-half million dog bites alone are reported in the US each year, and between 30,000 and 35,000 anti-rabies treatments are given. It is important to recognize the symptoms of rabid animals and to know how to treat animal bites in general. The Texas Medical Association (TMA) has some pointers which will help you identify and avoid animals which may have rabies.

The most common cases of rabies occur in wildlife such as skunks, raccoons, foxes, and

bats. Beware of abnormal behavior in animals. If a wild animal which usually shies away from people comes up to you and acts friendly, or if a typically friendly housepet suddenly becomes vicious, rabies should be suspected. If you're in the woods and a normally nocturnal animal approaches you during the day, this is a sign that the animal may be rabid. Stay as far away from it as you can. Technically, any warm-blooded animal can have

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MRS. WILLIAM FORSYTH
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Deborah Bowker, Forsyth Married Saturday, July 11

Miss Deborah Fae Bowker became the bride of William Gordon Forsyth of Richardson in an afternoon ceremony at First United Methodist Church Saturday, July 11, at 3 p.m. Father Stanley Sullivan of Encampment, Wyoming, cousin of the groom, read the double ring ceremony as the bridal party stood before an arch covered with greenery and topped with white doves and blue satin ribbon.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bowker Jr. of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. William Forsyth Sr. of Richardson. The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. W. B. Griffin of Santa Anna. Mrs. Vesta Forsyth and Mrs. Faye Hendrix of Dallas are grandmothers of the groom.

The altar area was centered with a memorial table to the bride's grandfather, the late W. B. Griffin, holding a Bible belonging to the bride's great-grandmother, Bertie Hull. The table was flanked by two silk floral arrangements of blue and yellow tones. Aisles were marked with daisies and blue ribbon.

Guests were seated by Carlton Watson of Abilene, cousin of the

bride, and Kit Horne of College Station.

Daniel Keller of Dallas, organizer, played pre-wedding selections of the couple's favorite songs and the traditional wedding march.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a gown of white satin and chantilly lace with cathedral train. Her veil was attached to a pearl-edged heart-shaped head-dress. The gown was worn by her mother at her wedding 28 years ago.

The bride's bouquet was of silk daisies and baby's breath in shades of blue and yellow, trimmed with white lace ribbon.

Mrs. Kit Horne of College Station was matron of honor and wore a gown of yellow floral print. Jody Forsyth or Richardson, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, wearing a gown of blue floral print. Both attendants carried baskets of blue and yellow daisies.

The groom was attended by his brother, Stan Forsyth as best man, and Scott Bowker, brother of the bride, groomsman. Men of the bridal party wore pastel blue

Eastern Star Meeting Held Monday Night

The Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter met Monday, July 13, at the Masonic Hall with the new officers presiding.

Billie Guthrie, worthy matron, and R. W. Balke, worthy patron, led the meeting. Mrs. Guthrie made a telephone call to H. A. Burden, a patient in Scott & White Hospital at Temple, and each member spoke to him.

Mr. Balke led the patriotic program, and Mrs. Guthrie and

tuxedos and carnation boutonnieres.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Bowker wore a gown of floral chiffon. The groom's mother wore a gown of peach nylon.

Parents of the couple were hosts for the reception at the church annex. Mrs. John Tridle of North Platte, Nebraska, cousin of the bride, presided at the register that was on a table covered with white satin and centered with an antique blue vase holding daisies.

The bride's table was covered with a white satin cloth overlaid with lace. The three-tiered cake had daisy accents and was served with punch from a crystal bowl. Mints and nuts were also served from crystal and antique grape flatware. Mrs. Carlton Watson of Abilene and Mrs. Margaret Wofford of Bangs served cake and punch.

The groom's table was covered with a floral print floor-length cloth and centered with an arrangement of carnations, roses and daisies. The chocolate cake was served with coffee by Mrs. J. R. Pullous and Mrs. Tom Cheek. Others in the houseparty were Mrs. N. C. Watson, Mrs. Dick Bass, Carman Donham and other family members.

The couple flew to Las Vegas and Ruidoso for their honeymoon. They will reside in Denton where the groom will complete his masters degree in Industrial Arts in May 1982. The bride is employed in the area, having been a teacher in the Garland school system the past year. She is a graduate of McMurry College.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted Friday at Traveler's Steak House in Brownwood by parents of the groom. The bride's parents were hosts for a family dinner at their home on the day of the wedding.

Out of town guests attending included Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tridle, Mr. and Mrs. John Tridle of North Platte, Neb., Mrs. Naomi Forsyth of Bryan, Mrs. John A. Hull, Mrs. Linda Day and April of Copperas Cove, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pullous of Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cheek and Lea of Dallas and Kim Baum of Graham.

Mrs. Viona West installed Lois Avants as conductress and Ethel Williams as Adah.

Annual reports were given by Viona West, auditing; Lillian Herndon, secretary; Rose Bass, treasurer; Mrs. Guthrie, junior past matron.

Reports were given on members who are ill, including Mr. Burden, Nora Goen, Pearl Hardy and Mary Rae.

After the meeting closed, the group met in the fellowship hall where Mrs. Avants and Mrs. Herndon served frosted drinks, sandwiches, chips and candy to those attending.

The next meeting will be August 10.

UMW Group Has Meeting In Church Annex

The Martha Group of the First Methodist Church met in the Annex Monday afternoon. Mrs. John Hunter opened the meeting.

Mrs. Xuma Jones read the minutes of the previous meeting and Mrs. Bill Griffin gave the treasurer's report and reports of the sick members.

Mrs. Fred Williams brought a program on "Called to Stewardship" assisted by Mrs. O.L. Cheaney and Mrs. Ora Hunter.

Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Opal Little served the refreshments to Mmes. Bill Griffin, Jones, Ora Hunter, Little, Mae Blue, Grace Short, John Hunter, Cheaney and E. Lee and Ruby Harper.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Floyd, Jennifer and Angela of Snyder spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy.

HERE FOR BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter and Diana of Round Rock were weekend visitors with her parents, the Tom Kingsberys. On Sunday they were all guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce at lunch, celebrating birthdays of Diana and of Mrs. Bruce.

Oakes Family Has Reunion In Santa Anna

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oakes met at the Mountain City Center in Santa Anna for a reunion Saturday, July 4. Six of the seven living children were present for the occasion. They were Veva and Jasper McClellan, Era and Norman Walters, Charlotte and Otto Wojtek of Robert Lee, Louise and Charlie Konze of Abilene, Vernon and Lolly Oakes of Hobbs, N. M. and Fred Oakes of Dallas.

Grandchildren and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Linton Oakes and son of Houston, Carol Simmons of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cockerell and daughters of Abilene, Novelle Boylston of Aiken, S. C., Jasper and Jean McClellan and daughters of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. David Konze and sons of Arlington, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herring and daughter of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Weisner of Houma, La., and Mikalynn Konze of Columbus, Ga.

The time was spent visiting, singing, taking pictures and eating a bountiful lunch.

Both spouses make homebuying decision

COLLEGE STATION — Old ideas about husband-and-wife homebuying behavior is falling by the wayside as new research reveals modern couples are sharing the decision on which home to buy.

In a report to the Texas Real Estate Research Center at Texas A&M University, Dr. Stan Madden says the notion one spouse makes the homebuying decision is outdated.

"It was once believed that one spouse was dominant in the decision-making process, and the other was willing to go along with the dominant spouse's decision," said Madden, an assistant professor of marketing. "But recent research indicates more persons are willing to discard any alternative not acceptable to both spouses."

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FOR SALE— Three acres of land inside city limits, all utilities. Three-bedroom, two bath mobile home, central air and heating. 14 x 80' 1979 Celtic model. Land and home can be sold separately if necessary. Allen Hawkins, 348-9231. 29-1tc

Garage Sale

RUMMAGE SALE— Seven miles east of Santa Anna. Friday and Saturday, July 17 - 18. TV sets, tool box for narrow shortbed Chevrolet pickup, clothes, toys and miscellaneous. Watch for signs on highway. 29-1tc

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Ranger Park Hospital

The following patients were admitted to Ranger Park Hospital July 6 - 14:

Katrina DeLeon, city
Virginia Roach, city

Dorris Kelley, Ranger Park Inn
Arthur Holland, Coleman
Manuel Quiroga, Ballinger
Vince Remy, city

These patients were dismissed from the hospital July 6 - 14:

Kathleen Mitchell, city

Mary Hoffman, Ranger Park Inn
Othel Egbert, Bangs
Katrina DeLeon, city

Other patients still in the hospital July 14:

Ford Barnes, city
Mattie Avinger, Coleman
Lois Haines, city

Harold Brown, city
Clarence Broyles, Brownwood
Zola Kuykendall, city

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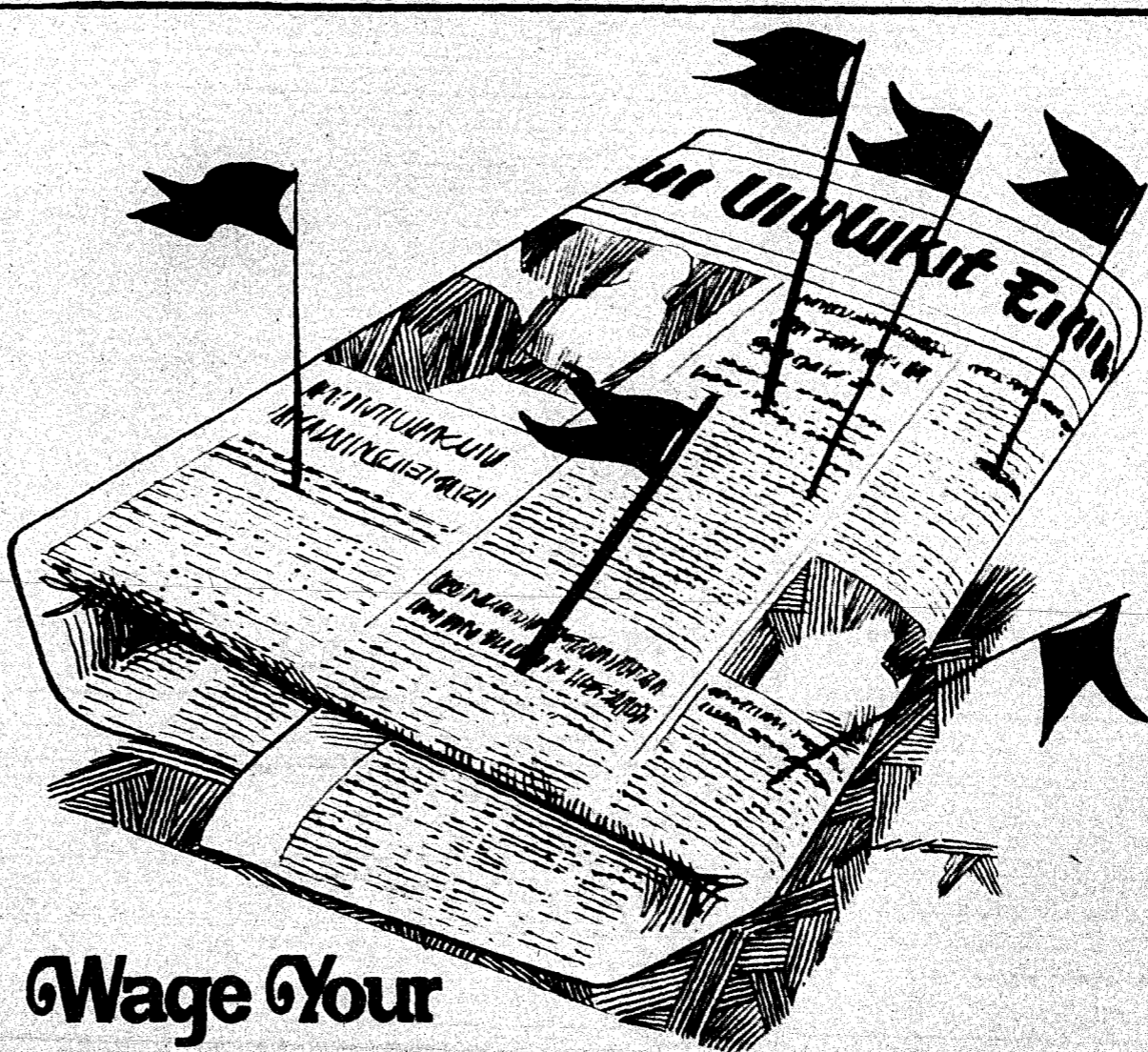
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Research and Development Important For Energy Output

Research and Development are two of the biggest words in the energy business, Glen D. Churchill, president and chief executive officer of West Texas Utilities Company, declares.

In an interview with a reporter, Churchill said research and development, commonly referred to as "R&D", ranks at the top of priorities for companies involved in producing the power needed to keep America running. Nowhere is this more true than in the electric utilities area, he said.

Churchill said that when a new, practical source of energy for conversion to electricity, or a new economically feasible method is developed, it will be done by, or at least welcomed by, the investor-owned electric utility industry.

The interest of electric power companies in new energy sources didn't develop overnight. A look at the record shows the great amount of time, money and effort which has gone into research and development since Benjamin Franklin executed his kite-and-key experiment in colonial America.

WTU's interest in new energy sources didn't develop overnight,

VISIT IN BIBLE HOME

Visiting with Wilburn and Mary Ellen Bible have been two nieces from Oklahoma and three great-nephews and one great-niece. Also visiting was a brother from Sonora and sisters from Hobbs, N. M. A sister and brother-in-law from Odessa visited last week. The Bibles are hoping for a visit soon from a sister, Mrs. James Carter, of Alabama.

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either, the Company's president explained. Long before the perceived fuel crisis developed in the early 1970s, electric companies, including wtu, were seeking the most efficient and least costly methods of producing and distributing energy. WTU, for example, developed its generating system logically by using low-priced West Texas natural gas as boiler fuel for its power plants.

The Company's power plants (at eight major stations) were located through the 52-county service area, near load centers and near the natural gas pipelines. Gas was extremely cheap, Churchill recalls, and for many years electric rates went

down instead of up.

The fuel adjustment provision, though long authorized to allow the utility to pass fuel cost increases to customers, never had to be utilized. Both the customers and WTU were doing well under those conditions.

But the honeymoon ended in the mid-1970s as the fuel crisis began. With gas shortages viewed as inevitable, the Texas Railroad Commission ordered utilities to begin phasing out natural gas as a boiler fuel. The state order was later lifted, but a rule under the federal Fuel Use Act still calls for eliminating gas fired plants by 1990 unless exceptions are made. WTU's current plants apparently qualify

for exemptions, but it can build no new gas-fired plants.

Until something better comes along, coal and nuclear are the only options, but nuclear actually is no option for WTU for several reasons. There are no suitable sites in the area, and the cost of an optimum-sized plant is out of the question for a company as small as WTU, Churchill said.

Coal, then is the answer for WTU in the foreseeable future. Planning of the company's coal-fired Oklahoma plant near Vernon is complete, and actual construction is slated to start next year.

Fortunately for WTU and its customers, two other members of the Central and South West

System will be partners in the large Oklahoma plant, which would have been too large for WTU to build alone.

Beyond coal, WTU is taking part in a number of studies and research projects aimed at developing new energy sources at feasible costs. Gasification, geothermal and solar experiments are being studied, as well as fusion nuclear research. National research by the industry is being done by the Electric Power Research Institute with WTU as a regular participant in the institute's program.

Churchill and his WTU team are convinced that they will continue to meet the challenge of the future in providing all of the power needed for home, business and industry in the 52 West Texas counties the company serves.



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