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Welcome To Santa Anna

The Santa Anna City Park will be the scene of the first Frontier Days celebration Friday and Saturday of this week.

The activities for the entire family will get underway Friday as booths and events are set in place, then the main attractions will be held all day Saturday.

A feature of the weekend is the brisket cook-off slated Saturday. Six teams from out of town will be preparing their cook sites Friday in preparation for the judging of the finished product at noon Saturday.

Entries in the cook-off are "Whistling" Manny Ross of Brownwood, Horace "Gorilla" Puckett of Big Spring, Terrie Pitts of Brownwood, Joe Hollingshead of Menard, the Abilene Brisket Cookers, and The "Brady Bunch," representing the Goat Cook-off on September 3.

Entertainment is planned all day Saturday, with music by several area bands, old time gun fights, a performance by the Buffalo Gals from Buffalo Gap, and exhibitions.

On the program are "The Working Boys," a band composed of Bill Gilbreath, Mark Turney, Rudy DeLeon and Steve Hardin, and performances by the Puppet People of First Baptist Church.

Demonstrations during the day will be of sheep shearing, blacksmithing, taxidermy, and tours of the Santa Anna cotton gin.

Arts and crafts booths will be set up at the park and in the Civic Center during the two-day period.

Games and activities will include a dunking booth, car smash, can smashing, armadillo and greased pig races, ball throw, and others. Concessions will be set up by Windy B's Cafe with barbecue beef, turkey and sausage, lemon-



ade by the Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority, cold drinks, nachoes and frito pie by the Campfire Girls, and burritos by the Boy Scouts and home made ice cream by the VFD Auxiliary.

The Frontier Days Beauty Pageant is to be held at the open-air stage at City Park Friday night at 7:30 p.m. Twenty Santa Anna girls are entered in the contest in three divisions, competing for cash prizes and the Frontier Days Beauty titles.

Suzan Daniel is chairman of the pageant. Pictures of the contestants and more information is listed on Page 2.

The weekend activities will conclude with a dance Saturday night at the Civic Center starting at 9 p.m. The Sweetwater country-western band, "Party Time" will provide music for dancing or listening, with admission to be \$5

per person.

Jim Laubhan, organizer of the event, also plans exhibits of antique farm equipment and antique items at the park, a "petting zoo" for children, and other activities for the entertainment of the entire family.

There is no admission charge to any of the activities except the Saturday night dance. Proceeds from the games and concessions will go to the groups and organizations sponsoring them.

Spaces for booths or displays are still available, according to Mr. Laubhan. Anyone interested in taking part may contact him in Santa Anna at 348-3166 before Friday.

The Frontier Days celebration is the first major event in the community in several years, and it is expected to attract hundreds of out of town people to enjoy the fun and activities.

SAHS Girls Qualify for State Meet

Brenda Jackson In Long Jump Event May 6

Brenda Jackson, a sophomore student at Santa Anna High School, qualified for the State Girls Track Meet by leaping 16'9 1/4" in the long jump at the Regional Track Meet in Abilene last weekend. She bettered her longest mark of the year by almost a foot, and led in the Class A event until the last jumper's final try. First place in the event went to the girl from Throckmorton with a leap of 16'9".

Miss Jackson, the daughter of Mrs. Judy Jackson, is the only local trackster to qualify for the state meet from the group that competed at the Regional meet in Abilene last weekend.

Michelle Malone, first place winner in the district meet in both the 1600 meter and 3200 meter races, ran in very fast company at regional and represented Santa Anna very well. However she was not among the two top places for a berth in the state meet.

The sprint relay team of Brenda Jackson, Dilcy Kirven, Devida Bible and Jo Ann Collins, did not qualify for the state meet although they ran



BRENDA JACKSON

their fastest time of the year. They qualified for the regional meet by winning second in the district meet.

Jo Ann Collins, first in the district in both shot put and discus, placed fifth in shot put with 33' and third in the discus with 97', just out of a qualifying slot.

Coach Jack Snipes girls team has had a very successful season this year, and are pleased to have a representative at the state meet next month.

Hartman - Smith Duo In Tennis Doubles

Santa Anna High School will have representatives at the State Tennis Tournament May 6 and 7, after winning a place in the Regional Tournament in Abilene last weekend.

Robin Hartman and Karen Smith were runners-up for the Regional title, defeated in the finals by the girls duo from Paint Rock 6-3, 7-6.

In gaining the finals, Robin and Karen defeated the entries from Byers 6-3, 6-2, then won over Aspermont girls 6-2, 6-3. In the semi-finals they defeated the girls from Rochelle 6-3, 7-6.

Janis Weathers, the other local entry in the Regional meet, won over the singles entry from Forsan 6-2, 6-3, then lost to Megargel 6-0, 6-3.

Karen competed with Julie Jones in the state tennis meet last year, then teamed with Robin after Julie's graduation. Both girls are juniors this year and have played tennis together since sixth grade.

The boys regional meet will be in Abilene Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Mike Hartman and Doug Warnock are singles entries, and Paul Vasquez and Tommy DeLeon, Johnny Vasquez and Chris DeLeon are in the doubles event.

Santa Anna Dairy Queen To Have New Owners

The Santa Anna Dairy Queen is changing ownership. Bob and Doris Richeson of Graham have purchased the business from Ken Boydston and will take over operation of the restaurant on Sunday, May 1.

The Richesons own 33 other Dairy Queen restaurants, including those at Cross Plains, Goldthwaite and San Saba.

A manager for the local restaurant will be named soon from the Richeson staff and moved to Santa Anna. Current employees will be

given priority as the business is reorganized, Mrs. Richeson said.

Among changes planned at the business are new hours, from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week, with the time to be adapted to the need of the local patrons. The Dairy Queen will begin serving a complete breakfast and will also carry the menu served by other Dairy Queens.

Ken and Jean Boydston have operated the business for four years, moving here from Abilene. They will be returning to Abilene where he will go into sales.

VFD to Have Tornado Warnings

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department will have a warning system in effect during the tornado season this spring.

Members of the department will serve as spotters, watching storm clouds and listening to the weather broadcasts.

In the event they observe an approaching tornado or severe storm, the fire alarm will be sounded to alert residents with three 15-second blasts on the fire siren. Local residents should listen for the warning system when severe weather is forecast and be ready seek shelter.



EARLY-DAY SANTA ANNA BUSINESS was Gardner Filling Station at the corner of North Lee Street and Wallis Avenue (far left). Home at right is now owned by the Tex Tomlinsons. The station featured Texaco

gasoline and Mobil oil. Note the flowers and vines growing about the station, making it a park-like location. The photo is from the collection of M. L. Gutrie Jr. and thought to be from the early 1930's.

Junior High District Track Meet At Mountaineer Stadium Friday

The District 12-A (East Zone) Junior High Track Meet will be held in Santa Anna on Friday, hosted by the local school.

Field events will begin at 2:30 p.m., with preliminaries in the running events at 3:45. Finals will start at 5:30 p.m.

There will be divisions for both boys and girls teams, with schools to take part being Santa Anna, Lohn, Brooksmith, Novice, Talpa and Mozelle.

The public is invited to attend the meet Friday. Winners in the JHS divisions advance no farther than district competition.



REVISED EDITION, a contemporary gospel group, will be featured at the Friday night Youth Rally at Santa Anna High School auditorium. The program, sponsored by Coleman County Baptist Association,

will begin at 7:30 p.m. and is free of charge. The public is invited to attend, with a special invitation to young people of the area.

Six Weeks Honor Roll Listed for Schools

Students qualifying for the fifth six weeks honor roll have been listed by the principals of the school.

Principal Gerald Brister has listed the following students at Santa Anna High School:

SENIORS:
Bodie Stark

Randy Casey
Eva Ekstedt

JUNIORS:
Karen Smith
Lanita Switzer

SOPHOMORES:
Monique Spillman

FRESHMEN
Jeanene Jones
Alys Pelton
Aimee Villafranca

Students in the elementary school who achieved honor roll status are these:

FOURTH GRADE:

Alex Frausto
Jeffrey Hartman
Chris Simmons

FIFTH GRADE:

Scotty Anderson
Robert Duas
Rhett Guthrie
Michael Powers
Webb Stark

SIXTH GRADE:

Rhonda Fleeman
James Hartman
Holly Hoffman
Rachel Phillips
Frances Weems

SEVENTH GRADE:

Jeremy Hartman
Vernon Valdez

EIGHTH GRADE:

Joey Anderson
Melissa Buse
Shannon Herrod

Coleman County Youth Rally Planned Here Friday Night

The annual Coleman County Baptist Youth Rally will be held in Santa Anna Friday, April 29, at the High School Auditorium.

The program this year will be presented by a contemporary gospel group, Revised Edition, from Waco. The group of young people have performed at a number of area events, most recently appearing at the Baptist Evangelism Rally in Fort Worth.

The quartet is composed of singers who are former students at Howard Payne and Baylor universities. They

have performed together since 1977 and are very talented and entertaining.

People of all ages are invited to attend the program, and there is no admission charge. An offering will be taken, however, to help defray expenses of the group.

The program will begin at 7:30 p.m., with Chuck Evans, youth minister of Santa Anna First Baptist Church, and Roger Harmonds, youth minister of Coleman First Baptist Church, in charge.

Twenty Local Girls to Compete

Funtier Days Pageant Slated Friday Night

The elementary division of the Funtier Days Beauty Pageant has the most entries, with 12 girls to compete for the title Friday night.

Three entries have been received in the high school division, and five girls are enlisted in from grades five through eight.

In the group from grades one through four, contestants will be Amy Beaver, Shirley Taylor, Katrina Tomlinson, Catrina DeLeon, Jodi and Sandi Watson, Betsy McIver, Tai Musick, Candy Daniel, Laura Russell, Mis-

ty Bradley and Dodie Hernandez.

Competing from grades five through eight are Melissa Buse, Tonja Boiven, Glenda Taylor, Sandra Boiven and Rachel Phillips.

Girls in the high school division are Nola Hughes, Connie Culpepper and Patsy Boiven.

The beauty pageant is a feature of the Funtier Days activities, and will be held at the open-air stage at City Park Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. Suzan Daniel is chairman of the event and has secured cash donations

for prizes for the winners.

Girls in the contest will meet at 5 p.m. Friday afternoon for a brief rehearsal. Judges will score the girls on poise, personality and costume. Each contestant will be wearing pioneer or frontier costume for the contest.

Kevin Ballard will be master of ceremonies for the contest.

There will be no admission charge for the pageant, and everyone is invited to attend and see the parade of pretty girls in the event.



PATSY BOIVEN



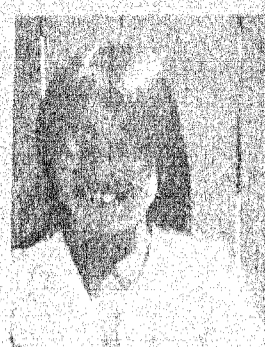
CONNIE CULPEPPER



NOLA HUGHES



SANDRA BOIVEN



TONJA BOIVEN



MELISSA BUSE



RACHEL PHILLIPS



GLENDIA TAYLOR



AMY BEAVER



MISTY BRADLEY



CANDY DANIEL



CATRINA DeLEON



DODIE HERNANDEZ



BETSY McIVER



TAI MUSICK



LAURA RUSSELL



SHIRLEY TAYLOR



KATRINA TOMLINSON



JODI WATSON



SANDI WATSON

Beauty Pageant Contestants

Scoliosis Screening Program Slated in S.A. Schools

A new health screening program is planned at the Santa Anna school during the next week for scoliosis - or curvature of the spine.

In recent years, many boys and girls are being treated for this ailment with exercises and neck braces, often all that is necessary. However, if no treatment is given during the early years, it can affect the health and appearance of a person in later years. In many cases, no treatment is necessary at all, but if untreated, it can become progressively worse as the child grows.

For that reason, the disease should be diagnosed as early as possible, and this is done quickly and

easily. Students in grades six, seven and eight will be screened April 28; those in grades nine through 12 will be screened on May 4.

Parents of children in grades six through 12 have been sent forms giving permission for the simple screening. If the findings are positive, parents are encouraged to take the child to their family physician for further examination. If your child did not bring a form to be filled out and signed, contact Debbie Dean, school nurse, for more information on the screening program.



By Barbara Kingsbery

Friday and Saturday will be busy and fun-filled days in our community. The first Funtier Days celebration will be held in Santa Anna, bringing many folks to enjoy the activities, entertainment and good food.

We encourage all local people to attend -- and to help -- with the event.

Hats off to Jim Laubhan for planning and promoting the community event. Let's help make it a success.

The new City Park will be the site of many of the activities this weekend, and folks will see firsthand the work done by the Lions Club, Campfire Girls, Boy Scouts and other groups and individuals.

It is unfortunate that vandals are already damaging the park, with the rock and cactus garden practically destroyed in recent weeks.

Surely no adult would destroy and damage the cactus garden, so parents are urged to encourage their children to take care of the public property and share it with everyone.

See you at Funtier Days!

Kindergarten Registration Planned Here Friday, May 6

Children who will be in the kindergarten next fall are scheduled to register for the new term on Friday, May 6, at 2:30 p.m.

Sue Newman, kindergarten teacher, will be in the classroom to register the children who

will be five years of age on or before September 1.

Parents or guardians of the children are to meet for instructions and information, and each child is to have their medical record and birth certificate for the registration.

Home Repair Business Opens Here

Mike Davies has opened a home repair business in Santa Anna recently. A former employee of the Swift & Co. plant in Brownwood, he chose to stay in Santa Anna when the plant closed and moved to San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Davies live on Banister Street and are parents of two daughters, one of whom is still living at home.

JHS Band Students Win Contest Awards

Santa Anna Junior High students returned home with a number of awards from the solo and ensemble contests in Comanche last Saturday.

Receiving division I ratings with solos were Rhonda Fleeman, clarinet; Rachel Phillips, trumpet; Sylvia Castillo, trumpet; and the clarinet quartet composed of Rhonda Fleeman, Tammi Morrow, Maria Garza and Marcie Puckett.

Receiving division II ratings were Laurie Powers, flute; Belinda Deal, trumpet; Indi Moore, trumpet; Scooter Myers, snare drum; and George Siller, tuba. Lorrie Perry

received a III for her trumpet solo.

Osiel Hernandez is director for the local band.

HOME FROM TRIP

Mrs. Lee Boardman is back at home after visiting in San Antonio with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Newman Upton. She accompanied another daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Tinkle of Abilene, for the trip, returning home Friday.

VFD Membership Drive Is Continuing Here

The associate membership drive for the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department is continuing, with a number of people sending donations during the past week.

New members are the following:

K. M. Mosley

Hilburn Henderson
Wilburn and Mary Bible
Madie James
Mrs. E. E. McClintock
W. D. Aldridge
T. E. Jamison
G. K. Stearns
Mrs. Bobbie Guthrie
Tom Vinson
Mrs. M. C. Switzer

Santa Anna Schools
Glyn Downey
Marvin Smith
Bobby Cullins
Omer Cullins

Wilburn and A. G. Weaver
Richard Horner
Elmer Klemman
Mrs. Fred Haynes

Oma Lee Dockery
W. T. Gustavus
Gale Allen Brock
Mrs. Ed Jones, Killeen

Bobby Weathers Speaker For Valera Methodist Revival

Rev. Bobby Weathers, Brownwood District Superintendent, will be speaker for a revival starting Sunday, May 1, at the Valera United Methodist Church. Rev. Mike Alexander of Santa Anna is pastor of the church.

Services Sunday night will begin at 7 p.m. The remaining services, Monday through Wednesday, will begin at 7:30 p.m. Special music will be provided by members of the

Valera church at each service. All area residents are invited to attend the services May 1 - 4.

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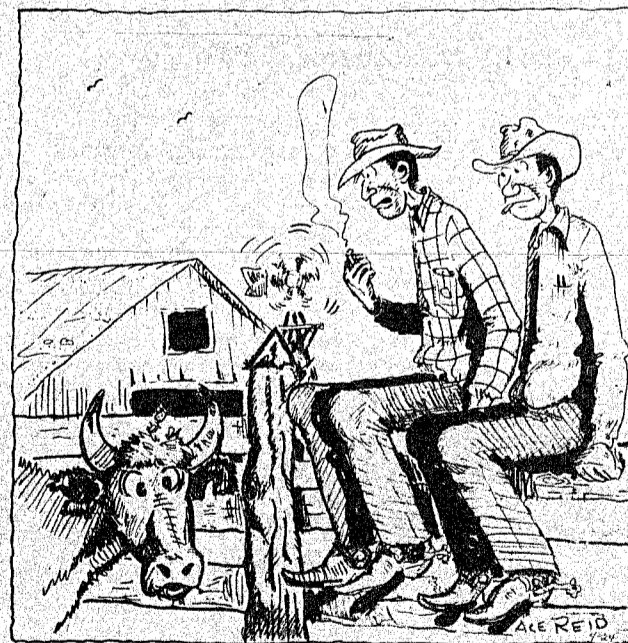
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Donham Memorial Relays Held Here April 15

The JHS boys team from Lometa and the girls team from Roscoe were first place winners in the A. D. Donham Memorial Relays held here April 15. The boys team amassed 146 1/2 points. Second were Bronte and Blanket, respectively. The Santa Anna boys were fourth with 67 1/2 points.

Other schools taking part were Eula, Blanket, Leuders-Avoca, Novice, Lohn and Brookesmith.

Winners from the local JHS team are the following:

Darrell Warrick, first in long jump.

Jerry Wells, third; Gred Vasquez and Fernando Castillo, fifth in pole vault.

Fernando Castillo, fifth in discus.

Michael McDowell, first,

and Fernando Castillo, fourth in shot put.

Michael McDowell and Reece McIver, tied for fourth in high jump.

Michael McDowell, first in 100 meter dash.

Reece McIver, sixth in 400 meter dash.

Derrell Warrick, first in 200 meter dash.

Reece McIver, Darrell Warrick, Michael McDowell and Ricky Hernandez, fourth in the 1600 meter relay.

Santa Anna girls who scored points in the Donha Relays included Jena Miller, fourth and Diana Castillo, sixth, in the 800 meter run; Leslie Martin, first in the 100 meter hurdles; Patricia Taylor, fourth in the 100 meter hurdles; and Cynthia Gar-

rett, third in the 1 1/4-mile race.

Other winners were Shanna Hensley, first in the high jump; Sylvia Castillo, first in the mile run; Jackie Weathers, third in the 200 meter race; and Melissa Buse, third in the 100 meter dash.

The JHS teams will complete the season with the District meet Friday, then some of the team members will take part in the Coleman County Little Olympics on May 6.

SAHS Boys Track Team Completes 1983 Season

The Santa Anna High School boys track team ended the 1983 season at the District meet in Merton last Friday, scoring well but failing to qualify anyone for the Regional meet.

In the 110 meter high hurdles, Randy Casey was sixth, with Johnny Casey in the finals but not among the winners. Randy also was third in the 300 meter intermediate hurdles.

Ramon Castillo and Wade Miller were fourth and fifth in pole vault, and Maurice Castillo was sixth in the 200 meter dash.

Bodie Stark placed third in both the 100 meter and 400 meter dashes.

The sprint relay team came in sixth. Those on the team were Rodney Guthrie, Maurice and Ramon Castillo and Randy Casey.

Brian Hunt was coach of the boys track team this year.

Local Ladies Enjoy Tour

Garland McSwain of Dallas took his mother, Dorothy McSwain of Rockwood, and her three sisters, Wilma Williams, Sammie McCrary and Oleta Mobley, on a bluebonnet tour of the Hill Country.

Leaving Wednesday morning, they visited places of interest in Fredericksburg, Llano, Buchanan and Inks Lakes, Burnet and New Braunfels, where they spent the night.

Mrs. Dan Wristen Feted On 83rd Birthday

Mrs. Dan Wristen was honored on her 83rd birthday Saturday, April 23. A Mexican supper was enjoyed by the family, followed by a birthday cake. She also received gifts and money from her family.

Present for the occasion were her children, Wayne Wristen, Diah and Marie Wristen of Santa Anna, Nell and James Hipp of Clyde, Mrs. Virginia Lee of Odessa, and grand-

Former Liberty Resident Buried in Monahans Rites

Funeral services were held in Monahans recently for Mary Merle (Polk) Childs, 69, who died in an Odessa hospital. Services were held at the Monahans Methodist Church with burial in Cottonwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Childs was born in Santa Anna February 28, 1913, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Polk of the Liberty Community. She attended Santa Anna High School, graduating with high honors. She was a former school teacher at the Liberty School.

She married Carl Lamont Childs in Brownwood November 5, 1932. He died in October 1950.

She was a retired County Clerk in Monahans where she had resided since 1954. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mary Ruth Turner of Odessa; four sons, James Childs of Odessa, David Childs of Austin, Gerald W. Childs of Granbury, and Don L. Childs of Odessa; one sister, Mrs. Elsie Wilhelm of Richmond, Va.; one brother, E. C. Polk of Conway, Ark.; seven grandchildren, four step-grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

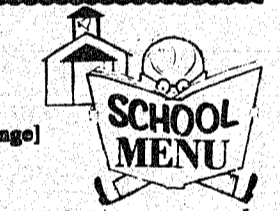
Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Prom Royalty

Ricky Anderson and JoAnn Collins, senior students, were chosen Prom King and Queen at the annual Junior-Senior Banquet Saturday night, April 23. The event was held at the school cafeteria, hosted by members of the Junior Class.

A spring theme was used in decorations for "We've Got Tonight." About 115 students, faculty members and guests attended.

A special thanks has been expressed to Judy Hartman, Roland Nicholas and others who helped with the banquet and prom by making donations.



Santa Anna

[Menu Subject to Change]

- May 2 - 6: MONDAY— Chicken patties with gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, peanut butter and syrup and milk
- TUESDAY— Fish with tartar sauce or catsup, macaroni and cheese, blackeyed peas, cornbread, cherry cobbler and milk
- WEDNESDAY— Green enchilada casserole, buttered corn, Spanish rice, crackers, brownies and milk
- THURSDAY— Sliced turkey with gravy, sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, cake with icing and milk
- FRIDAY— Barbecue on bun, pickle relish, sliced tomatoes, tator tots with catsup, fruit cup and milk

See You at the Frontier Days April 30

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 23, at First Baptist Church for Johnnie West, 52, who died Thursday, April 21, at his home of natural causes. Burial was in the Stewardson Cemetery under the direction of Henderson Funeral Home.

He was born December 16, 1930 in Shields, the son of the late Fred West and Lela Lynch (West) and married Sudie Woodard January 10, 1959. He was a custom hay baler and stock farmer, a veteran of the Korean War and a lifelong resident of Coleman County.

Survivors are his mother, Lela West Lake of Irving; two daughters, Nancy Ann Bullard of Pope, Miss. and Johnnie Kay Suter of Rosenberg; a son, Keith of Pope, Miss.; a half-brother, James Earl Pope of Irving; three stepdaughters, Beverly Boiles of Odessa, Wanda Bible of Whon and Shirley Taylor of Santa Anna; two step-sons, Stanley Pierce of Snyder and Jimmy Pierce of Santa Anna; and six grandchildren.

Pallbearers for the services were Garland Morgan, Lacy Culpepper, Lynn Taylor, Clarence Hipp, Norman Asher and J. H. Moody.

60th Wedding Anniversary Observed by C. D. Bruces

The 60th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce was observed on Saturday, April 23, when their daughters and sons-in-law were hosts at a family get-together at the Bruce home. Tom and Margaret Robin of Houston, Jack and Evelyn Kingsbery of Crystal City and Tom and Barbara Kingsbery of Santa Anna hosted the occasion.

A catered barbecue dinner was served at noon in the patio, picnic house and carport. Special guests were Rev. and Mrs. John Stanislaw, Tammy and Melissa and Mary Woodward Clifford of Santa Anna and Jimmy Ottmers of Fredericksburg.

During the afternoon, an anniversary cake, baked and decorated by Margaret Robin, was served with nuts, punch and coffee in the sun porch. The cake was decorated by the Bruce cattle brand and the numerals "60" surrounded by barbed wire of chocolate. A red cloth covered the table, and spineless cactus and flowers in an oak stump decorated the table, with a bandana handkerchief and spurs as center of interest. Punch was served from a large crock, and napkins were of bandana print. Granddaughters of the couple served the refreshments.

Flower arrangements decorated the living and sitting rooms and den. The register was inscribed in calligraphy with the names and wedding date of the couple.

Relatives present for the occasion were brothers of Mr. Bruce and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Bruce of Camp Wood, Mr. and Mrs. George Bruce of

Belton, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bruce of McAllen and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bruce of Canyon Lake; a sister and husband, W. W. and Dot Winkler of Belton; and a sister-in-law of Mrs. Bruce, Mrs. Grady Banister of Burnet.

Grandchildren present were Sandy and Joan (Robin) Hunter of Houston, Ann Kingsbery Womack of Phoenix, Arizona, Bob and Kerri Kingsbery, Amber and Michael Clay of San Antonio, John and Kay (Kingsbery) Bell, Barbara Ann and Sarah of Pearland, Bruce Kingsbery of Crystal City, John and Sue (Kingsbery) Porter and Diana of Round Rock and Carol Kingsbery of Austin.

Other relatives present were Bill and Peggy Banister, Sybil Banister Jones, Suzy Banister Rowley and Marge Banister Fowler, all of Austin; Ken and Paty

Tom and Barbara Kingsbery, Sue and John Porter were hosts for a hamburger cookout Saturday evening for relatives who remained overnight.

C. D. and Leona Banister Bruce were married in First Baptist Church in Junction April 22, 1923. They have ranches in Edwards, Brown and San Saba counties before buying properties near Santa Anna in 1933 and making their home here since that time.

More Rainfall In Community

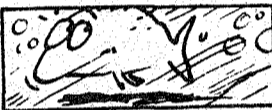
The Santa Anna area had more rain last week, with a trace reported Thursday, April 21, and on Friday morning, April 22. 45 inch was recorded at the official gauge in town.

HERE ON LEAVE

Chief Petty Officer John S. Hensley and Miss Peggy Leipfert recently returned to Brunswick, Maine after spending a month's vacation with his father, John Hensley.

Chief Hensley is stationed with the U. S. Navy there, and Miss Leipfert, a registered nurse, is employed at a local hospital.

The couple is planning a June wedding in Brunswick.



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See You at the Frontier Days April 30

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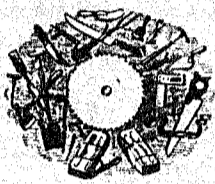


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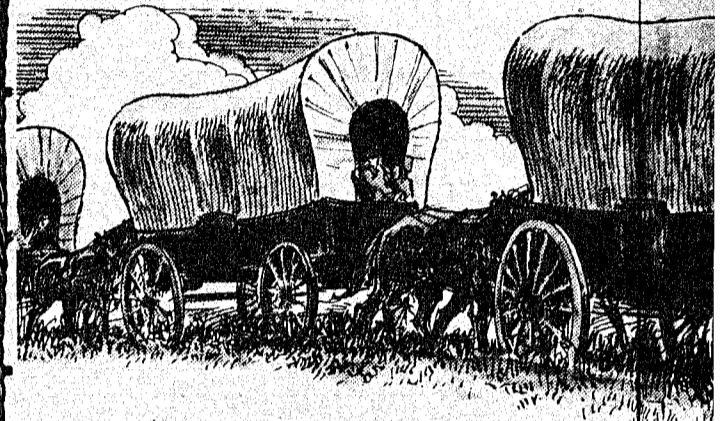


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April 29-30

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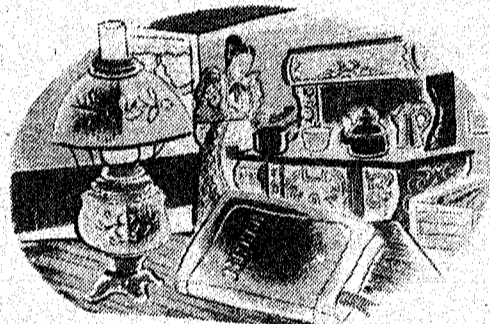
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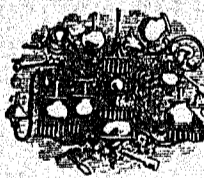
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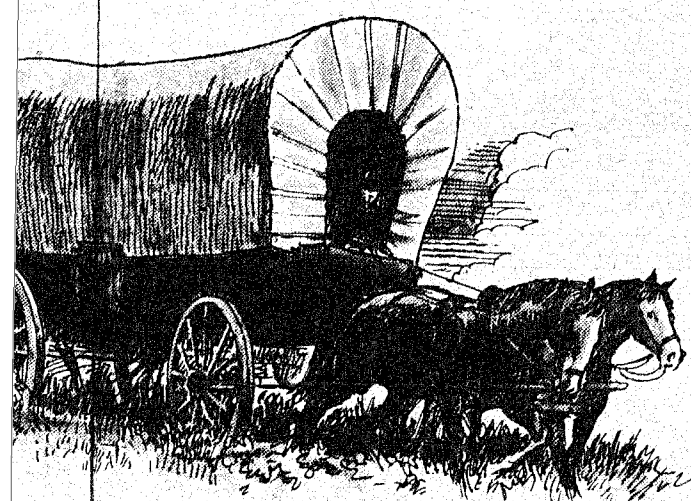
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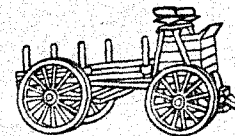
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The one night gala event will feature local and semi-professional entertainers from the central Texas

area and will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Bangs High School Cafeterium.

"The purpose of this Jamboree," stated Travis Priddy, "is to help raise money for the new baseball park currently under construction south of Bangs."

Serving as Master of Ceremonies for the evening

will be Bill Channey, the popular weatherman from KTAB-TV in Abilene.

Several entertainers have been scheduled to appear. "We plan to have square dancing, comedy, and other entertaining performances as well as good old country and gospel music," said Priddy.

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

I am sorry I failed to mention the following in the community news last week. On Monday, the 11th, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bingham of Brownwood came to the Whon Cemetery and mowed the cemetery. We want to say a big "Thanks" publicly to Mr. and Mrs. Bingham for this wonderful act of goodness they did to our cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Bingham visited briefly with the Tom Rutherford family and refused to take any pay for the work or for gas to come to our community. Mr. Walter Bingham has retired. He and his wife sold their home in Midland and have purchased a home in Brownwood where they plan to live permanently. Thanks so much for this work donated to our cemetery.

Douglas Avants of Brady was on the Avants farm here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Woodall of Dumas visited with Loyd Rutherford on Tuesday and Wednesday night.

Tuesday night of the past week some 15 ladies and several children met in the home of Mr. adu Mrs. Anon Ott for a Tupperware party, and also a get-acquainted social hour and touring of the lovely new home of Mr. and Mrs. Ott. They reported a wonderful time together.

Mrs. Mary Shields of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shields of Merkel and Mrs. Mell Strength of Cross Plains visited briefly in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ilene Haynes of Trickham, her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Cozart of Round Rock, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford Saturday night. Dwan Cozart from near Dallas spent the weekend

on the Cozart farm here. Dwan and Elvis visited briefly with the Rutherford family Saturday afternoon and it was good to see each one again.

On Friday afternoon the Tom Rutherfords enjoyed a visit from John Roebuck, owner and operator of Roebuck Grain & Cattle Co. and Mr. Travis Brown, the John Deere dealer and owner of Ennis. Mr. Roebuck lived in Waxahachie. The men were looking our community over, but sorry nothing looked too familiar. Mr. Roebuck said he spent some time with Mr. Earl Gill on the Gill Ranch when a young boy. Mr. Roebuck was related to the Gill family. Tom and I really enjoyed an hour of conversation with the men. We asked them to stay with us, but they were going to do more looking around and said they would spend the night in Coleman. Just out spending a quiet weekend away from business.

Miss Judy Morris of Coleman came out and spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, and father, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Lee Morris.

Mrs. Nicky Poldrack and daughter Denita of Coleman were dinner guests on Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle in Santa Anna. Leon Carter visited with his sister, Lorene Black, in Brownwood on Sunday.

Norman Floyd Morris of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris during the weekend and

assisted with some tarm work.

Hilary Rutherford and son Rocky of Coleman and Loyd Rutherford were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford on Monday and helped with some work.

Don Fitzpatrick of Santa Anna was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick, on Saturday.

Joe Floyd Morris chatted with the Tom Rutherford family Saturday morning. Very interesting to listen to him tell of life in the Dominican Republic where he spent over four months.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleber Massey of Abilene spent Saturday night and Sunday on their ranch here. The Tom Rutherfords visited with Mr. and Mrs. Massey Sunday morning.

Mrs. Anon Ott tells me her husband killed a large rattlesnake at what we call the Gardner house on the Massey Ranch on Monday of last week. A reminder, please be on the look out for these snakes for they are likely to be everywhere. This one was the owner of 14 rattles.

Rex Turney of Santa Anna was on the Turney farm on Monday.

Loyd Rutherford and son Todd of Bangs and Patsy Lohn of Brady were dinner guests of the Tom Rutherfords on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicky Poldrack of Coleman were Sunday guests with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle.

Trickham News

By Mrs. O. R. Boenicke

Saturday night the 84 party was held at the Community Center with 20 attending. All seemed to have a good time.

The Quilting Club met last Tuesday afternoon and will meet again Tuesday at the Community Center.

Mrs. Margaret Garner and two friends of Dallas, Ora Lee Binkley and Velma Binkley spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Artie Fry. They went home Saturday morning.

Mrs. Fry and I went to Coleman shopping Tuesday. Visitors with me Wednesday were Laura Harris of Bangs, Lydia and Floyd Eoff of Blanket, two of my sisters and a brother-in-law. Later that evening our niece and husband, Lillie Bud and Bruce Garrett of Huntsville, Ala., visited me.

Thursday evening Mrs. Artie Fry, Mrs. Margaret Garner and two friends of Dallas, visited me.

Friday Rankin and Natalie McIver had dinner with me. We had a fish dinner with all the trimmings and enjoyed being together. Sunday Mrs. Fry went to church with me and I had dinner with her and visited in the afternoon awhile. After church we went and visited Ima Boenicke at Ranger Park Inn nursing home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Brewster of Blanket visited the Charles Brewsters Saturday.

Don Heidbrier and his girlfriend from Houston came Saturday to visit his grandparents, the Walter Stacys, and Thursday O. T. Stacy visited them and took them to Brownwood for his mother, Carrie, to get her new glasses and did other things for them while he was here.

Natalie McIver went on Saturday to the women's Aglow fellowship meeting at Holiday Inn in Brownwood. Marvin and Ruth Smith visited Rankin and Natalie Saturday evening.

Friday night Gayla Sellers and Ruby, Betsy and Sally McIver all spent the night with Grady and

Genia McIver. Gayla went home Saturday evening. Saturday Jorge Wert Sellers, Terry and Orabeth McIver and family all ate dinner with them, and Terry, Reece and Grady worked with his cows.

Royce and Wanda McIver from Katy spent Saturday night with his parents, Grady and Genia McIver. Sunday Terry and Orabeth McIver and family all ate dinner at Coleman at the Gallery and visited at the hospital with Genia-mother, Keettie Haynes, and later Grady and Genia visited Inez and Roy Miller.

Reba and Elvis Cozart spent the weekend with her mother, Ilene Haynes. Other visitors Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bowden of Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bowden of Brownwood, and Oma Lee Dockery, who had dinner with her that day.

Oma Lee Dockery went Saturday morning to the Porcelain Arts Guild meeting at Adams Street Community Center in Brownwood. Marvin and Ruth Smith and Ilene Haynes visited Oma Lee.

Visitors with Russie James Sunday were Pat and Roberta McShan, Pat Jr. and Shannon McShan and Erica and friends from Andrews, Cindy and Kelly Hoffman of Lubbock. Lyndal Moore is still with Russie. Also Buddy Harris visited them.

Wednesday evening Russie James and Lyndal Moore visited with Lou Vaughn. Sunday, H. B. and Ernestine Dockery and Joyce Wyatt of Brownwood, Earlene Dockery and Wesley and Todd Rutherford all visited Mrs. Vaughn. Sunday night Ilene Haynes and Oma Lee Dockery and Loyd and Wanelle Miller from Hartley visited, and the Hartleys are spending several days.

Myra Haynes visited the G. K. Stearns Wednesday evening. G. K. and Sug visited Doris Laughlin Sunday evening. She had

been in the hospital but is doing better now.

Sug Stearns visited with Florence one evening last week. Stanley Calcote came Friday and visited his grandmother, Florence Stearns, staying until Sunday and doing a lot of work for her while here.

Thursday night a friend, Jim Laubhan of Santa Anna, visited the J. E. Yorks.

We did get one-half inch of rain last week but the wind soon dried it off. We have had more wind in April than we did in March.

VISITS BROTHER

Mrs. Lillian Herndon was in San Angelo Monday to visit her brother, Paul Wilburn, a patient in St. John's Hospital, and with Mrs. Wilburn, who was at his bedside.

ALLISON VISITORS

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Allison during the weekend were their daughter and family, George and Joy Gehring of San Angelo and Bennie Jean Kiesling and girls, Leslee Kay and Lyndee Kay of Eden. Others were Mrs. Allison's sisters, Goldie Haynes of Brownwood and Maurine Blair of Coleman.

Nitia Daniel Group Has Meeting Monday

The Nitia Daniel Group of United Methodist Women met Monday, April 25, at the church annex. Mrs. Lillian Herndon presided at the meeting and led the opening prayer.

Mrs. Harry Crews was pianist for group singing, and Mrs. Dick Baugh read minutes of the last meeting. Dorothy Watson gave the treasurer's report.

Thank you notes were read, and 17 cards were sent by Mrs. Laura Carpenter. Reports were given on Mrs. Gus Morgan and others who are ill.

The program, "Symbols of Unity," was led by Mrs. Thelma Upchurch. Assisting with the program were Mrs. Herndon, Mrs. Crews and Mrs. Mike Alexander.

The worship center was laid with a white face and linen cloth. A globe was held in hands, and a poster represented "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands."

As Mrs. Herndon finished, she placed lighted candles at each end. Mrs. Crews placed the Bible in the center of the table. Mrs. Alexander placed the cross at one side, and Mrs. Upchurch placed the basin and towel at the other end.

The group closed the program by singing "Blest Be The Tie."

Mrs. Glenn Pope, hostess, served sandwiches, tarts, chips, tea and coffee to the ones mentioned and also Mmes. Leland Thompson, Doris Kelley, Lucille Dean, W. D. Scarbrough and Miss Pauline Eubank.

The next meeting of the group will be May 23.

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BASEBALL FUND PROJECT....Sandra Crisp, right, distributes brochures to members of the Hawks T-Ball team for the fund-raising sale of snack-filled canisters. Lori Willford, at back, is a coach of the team, and members shown here, from left, are Rodney Nelson, Cherree Halmon and Julie Dean. The Santa Anna ball teams will making the sales from door to door this week, with proceeds to be used for new equipment and other expenses during the season. Mrs. Ann Kleman is chairman of the project, assisted by team mothers. Mrs. Crisp represents the Hawks team.

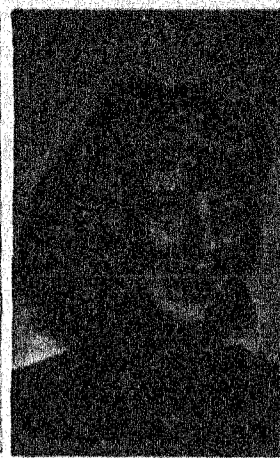
Fund-raising Project For Baseball Program

Children in the summer baseball program will be going from house to house in Santa Anna this week selling decorative and useful canisters filled with snacks. The group is repeating the very successful fund raising project held last year, with proceeds to be used to purchase baseball equipment. The reusable canisters can be purchased filled

with 20 ounces of popcorn, 12 ounces of assorted hard candy, 9.5 ounces of California trail mix, or 12.5 ounces of snack mix. Mrs. Ann Kleman is chairman of the fund-raising project, assisted by several of the other baseball mothers. Local people are invited to purchase the items from the team members when they call.



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organizations as well as band. Deborah plays French Horn and Charlotte plays trumpet. They have both participated in band events for six years. Deborah is the granddaughter of Mrs. Nancy Menges of Santa Anna and Mrs. Bernie Jo Milligan of Coleman. Charlotte's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCowan, all of Santa Anna. In addition to being selected for the honor, the nominees have a chance to receive a scholarship.

Calendar Listings Wanted

The 1983-84 community calendar is being compiled by the Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority chapter, and listings of birthdays, anniversaries and community events are needed for the publication. The calendar is very popular here, corresponding with the school term

from September to September. There is no charge for listing birthdays and anniversaries, and those wishing to be included should contact Debbie Dean at 348-3362, or Ruth Ann Wise at 348-3695.

SAHS Band Students In National Listing

Two Santa Anna High School students have been chosen for the United States Achievement Academy Award for their participation in band. The two, Deborah Bodine and Charlotte Garrett, were nominated by their band director, Osiel Hernandez.

Deborah, the daughter of Mrs. Nancy Bodine, and Charlotte, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Garrett, are both sophomores at Santa Anna High School, and active in other

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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

The Rev. Ricky McClatchy conducted services at the Baptist Church Sunday morning. The theme of the service was Hymology -- the study of old familiar hymns, their history and classification -- with congregation singing each hymn after a study, with Mrs. Lon Gray at the piano.

Hymns included in the study were Amazing Grace, There is a Fountain, On Jordan's Stormy Banks, I Am Thine, O Lord, Breathe on Me, and I Love to Tell the Story. Mrs. Claud Box was dismissed Thursday after eight days in the Brownwood hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell, who had been at her bedside, brought her home and are still with her.

Visitors while in the hospital were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell, Linda Rasch, Mrs. Doris Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise, Mrs. Wayne Bray, Rev. Ricky McClatchy, Mrs. Jane Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Ronnie, Kelly-Smith, Bobby Fuller, Mrs. Mary Emerson and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan.

Callers since returning home have been Mrs. Howard Pearson, Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. Emerson, Mrs. Brusenhan and Mrs. Angie Hernandez. Phone calls with good dishes were from Oran Harkey, Mrs. Garland Harkey, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harkey, Mrs. Boss Estes, Douglas Estes, Mrs. Garnet Reeves and Garnet Jr., Ann Cathey and Myrtle Estes. Joe F. Estes of Abilene visited Friday morning with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes. Raymond and Jeff Estes of Odessa visited Friday to Sunday evening. Other callers

were Andy Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise, Mrs. Bill Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford, Aubrey McSwain, Blake Williams and Joe Nuncio.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Sturgill, Christy, Jennifer and Jessica of San Angelo spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

Garland McSwain of Dallas is spending some vacation days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain. Last Wednesday he and his mother, Mrs. McSwain and aunts, Mrs. Jake McCreary, Mrs. Bob Mobley and Mrs. Blake Williams, drove around on the Bluebonnet Trail sightseeing in Fredericksburg, Wednesday night at New Braunfels, spending Thursday sightseeing and Thursday night at the lake home of Garland at Lake Whitney, returning home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Williams of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Richardson of Coleman visited the Williamses on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and Mrs. Mary Emerson were in Brownwood last Tuesday and visited at the hospital with Mrs. Claud Box and in the home of Ray Gleaton. Mr. Brusenhan visited Sam Estes one afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal were in Abilene last Tuesday for a medical checkup, when he received a good report. They also visited with a grandson, Randy Deal, a patient in Hendrick Hospital. The Deals visited during the week with her sister, Mrs. Norine Winstead, at Holiday Hill and with his brother, Leo Deal at Rangoon Park Inn. Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Deal and Belinda of Santa Anna were Thursday supper

guests of his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray spent Saturday in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hambricht.

Sunday visitors with Linnie Box were Mrs. Danny Sturgill, Christy, Jennifer and Jessica of San Angelo and Mrs. Carl Buttry, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bogart and sister and husband.

Jennifer Rutherford of San Angelo was with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford, for the weekend. Other visitors Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rutherford and Margot of Santa Anna, Mrs. Gay Abernathy and boys and Larry Rutherford and boys of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Aguirre of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Hernandez, Ricky, Alonzo and Phillip.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Thompson of Brownwood visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal.

Bonnie Bea Boyd of Comanche spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan, while her parents were on a business trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Eppler and two grandchildren of Fort Worth visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler. Bo Sherro and Johna McGilvery of Abilene visited Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Minnie Jackson of Archer City and Mrs. Edgar Bates of Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Greaves of Coleman visited Saturday with Mrs. Goldie Milburger and her brother, Harold McCarrell.

John Warren of Seminole and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Baileys of Abilene were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan. Other weekend visitors were Serena Bryan and Stan Walters of Arlington and Mrs. Nancy Walters of Durham, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan visited in Coleman Monday with his brother, Ernest Brusenhan.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Burklow of San Antonio visited Marcus Johnson Sunday. He visited on Monday at Brady Nursing Home with wife, Jewel.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Melver of Katy visited Sunday morning with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges, before going to Coleman Hospital to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Keetie Haynes.

Garland McSwain of Dallas is spending vacation days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain. Monday they went to Lamesa to visit Mrs. Mildred Trotter, who is with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Goolsby.

Bo Sherro and Johna McGilvery conducted the Sunday services at Shields Church of Christ and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duus, Rodney and Robert.

The Mail Box

Dear Barbara, Just a line to say "hello" and hope all is well with you. Am enclosing a check for my subscription. I really do enjoy reading the "Home Town" paper.

I misplaced my issue that had the death of the Pye gentleman. I think it was about six weeks ago. He has several sisters living here and I meant to give the clipping to them. Would greatly appreciate it if there was some way you might send me one. Thanks.

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