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Donham Memorial Relays Friday

Teams From 15 Schools to Compete

UIL LITERARY CONTEST WINNERS who advanced to the Regional

UIL competition in Abilene are Monique Spillman and Steve Hughes.

Monique, a sophomore, will compete in the spelling contest and

computer contest. Steve, a senior, will be in the science contest.

Parents of the two are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spillman and Mr. and Mrs. J.

Two From SA to Region

two students at the Regional students who participated in the

Literary meet in Abilene this district events were Casey Ander-

weekend. Monique Spillman, a son, Robin Hartman and Charlotte

sophomore student, qualified for two Garrett, poetry interpretation; Mar-

events, and Steve Hughes, a senior sha Brown, prose reading; Karen

Monique, the daughter of Mr. and Spillman, number sense; Randy

Mrs. Jim Spillman, won first in the Hughes and Mike Hartman, science:

spelling and plain writing event in and Toni Yancy and Karen Smith,

Santa Anna Elementary School

District Winners in UIL Events

calculator.

Fleeman

Herrod

Robert Duus

ly Hoffman

Rutherford

Rhena Chesser

Connie Luera, Kim Jackson, Jodi • Number sense (Grades 7-8)-2. Tam-

Other Santa Anna High School

Smith, Toni Yancy and Monique

First and second place winners at

the regional contests will advance to

the State UIL meet in Austin in early

Spelling (Grades 5-6) - 1. Rhonda

Spelling (Grades 7-8) - 5. Shannon

Ready Writing (Grades 5-6)-2. Holly

Hoffman; 3. Rachel Phillips; 6.

Ready Writing (Grades 7-8) - 2.

Oral Reading (Grades 5-6) - 1. Scotty

Anderson; 2. Rachel Phillips; 3. Hol-

Oral reading (Grades 7-8) - 5. Jetta

Number sense (Grades 5-6)- 1.

James Hartman; 2. Reece McIver

Shannon Herrod; 3. Melissa Buse

UIL Winners Listed;

Santa Anna High School will have

district competition and placed se-

Steve, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D.

The Santa Anna Elementary

School swept the UIL Literary Con-

test to win the school championship

with a total of 152½ points. Talpa

scored 80 for second place, and

Mozelle had 37½ points. Other

schools taking part were Lohn,

Winners in the elementary divi-

sion advance no further than the

Local winners are the following:

Story telling - 1. Amy Beaver; 2. Lori

Picture memory (Grades 4-5) - 2.

Watson, Missy Cook, Taffy Ruther-

ford and Chris Simmons (alternate)

Novice and Brookesmith.

district events.

Hughes, placed third in the science

will compete in one event.

cond in calculator.

contest at district level.

The annual A. D. Donham Memorial Relays will be held in Santa Anna Friday, with teams from 15 area elementary schools to

The Athletic Department of the local school will host the meet in conjunction with the Booster Club. Jack Snipes, athletic director, is in charge

Field events will begin at 2:30 Friday afternoon, and preliminaries in the running events will start at 4:00.

Finals are to begin at 6:30 p.m. Boys and girls teams will come

from Blanket, Baird, Paint Creek, Mozelle, Zephyr, Brookesmith, New Castle, Lueders-Avoca, Lometa, Santo, Novice and Roscoe, and boys teams from Bronte, Eula and Lohn.

The concession stand will be open during the meet, and dozens of local

people will be assisting with the events and activities. Volunteers are being enlisted for the meet, and anyone who can help is asked to call 348-3136 or 348-3742 to be given an assignment.

The public is invited to attend the meet Friday and support the local

City Council Names Laubhan Mayor Pro-tem

Jim Laubhan was elected Mayor Pro-Tem for the year at the Thursday, April 7, meeting of Santa Anna City Council. Mayor Edd Hartman presided at the session at City Hall, with all Council members present.

Carmen Donham, retiring Mayor Pro-Tem, read the oath of office for the swearing-in ceremony of Mayor Hartman and Councilmen Dickie Horner and Joe Guerrero, elected this month for new terms of office.

The group accepted a bid from Taylor Motor Co. in Coleman for a new pickup truck for the City and heard plans for the April 29 - 30 Funtier Days events.

The Council discussed use of the landfill and voted to discontinue charges for dumping through the month of April to encourage local people to clean up their property this month. City residents or those using city utilities may use the facility free of charge by showing proof of residence.

The Council voted to proclaim

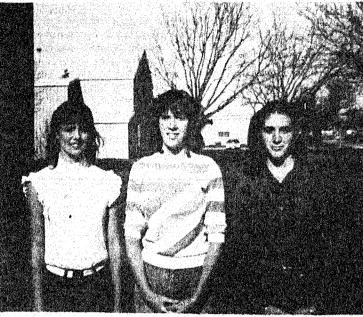
Wednesday, April 13, Literary Achievement Day. The special notation was requested by the Self Culture Club to honor local authors and writers.

The group voted to restrict rental of the covered parking area on Wallis Avenue to residents of the community and those who work in

After discussion of junk vehicles in the streets and the need for a citywide cleanup, the Council approved an ordinance that would fine property owners who have junk vehicles in the streets or trash and junk on their property within the City Limits. The ordinance combines three city laws that have been in effect but not enforced in recent years.

The ordinance is an effort to have the city cleaned up in time for the Funtier Days events.

The next session will be Thursday, May 5.



WIN DISTRICT HONORS.....Janis Weathers, left, won the girls singles championship at the district meet in San Angelo last week. Karen Smith, center, and Robin Hartman were runners-up for the doubles title. The three will be in the regional tennis competition in Abilene

Girls Tennis Entries Qualify **For Regional Tournament**

The Santa Anna High School girls tennis team came from the District Tennis Meet with two winners who will compete in the Regional meet this weekend.

Janis Weathers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Weathers, was first in the girls singles division at the San Angelo tournament, defeating the Irion County entry for the district title. Janis defeated the Mozelle and Eden singles entries, before advancing to the finals whhere she played

0-0, 3-2; 4-2 matches Karen Smith and Robin Hartman lost to Paint Rock in the final round of play to take the runner-up spot in the tourney. They defeated Irion County 6-0, 6-0 in the preliminaries, then won over Eden in the semifinals. Parents of the two are Mr.

and Mrs. Charles Wetsel and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hartman.

Others from Santa Anna taking part in the tournament were Jeanene Jones and Nola Hughes who placed third in girls doubles, and Sherry Gunter, an entry in the singles division.

The girls will be in Abilene Tuesday and Wednesday of next week for the Regional meet. First and second place winners will advance to the state meet in Austin in May.

Karen Smith competed in the state meet last year with Juliann Jones in the doubles event, and is seeking her second try for the state title.

The SAHS boys will be in San Angelo Saturday and Monday for their district tournament.

SAHS Senior Chosen For DAR Citizenship Award

Holly Smith, a senior at Santa Anna High School, has been selected by the faculty as Santa Anna's DAR Good Citizen of the Year. She and other honorees from the Coleman County high schools were honored at the meeting of the Captain William Buckner Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution in Coleman last Saturday.

Holly, the daughter of Mrs. Jane Smith and the late Floyd Smith, was chosen for her leadership, dependability, service and patriotism.

Others honored from Coleman County were Kevin Wood of Coleman High School; Sam Turner of Mozelle High School: Joe Lee Rose of Novice High School; and Zane Laws from Talpa-Centennial High School.

Holly has an outstanding record at SAHS where she was this year chosen as Miss SAHS and Most Beautiful Girl. She is on the Student Council, has been a member of Future Homemakers of America for four years, serving as vice president this year. She served four years as a cheerleader and head cheerleader this year, and is editor of the school yearbook.

She was Sophomore Class favorite my Radicke; 3. Jeremy Hartman; 4. and Homecoming Queen nominee for two years. She has been active in



HOLLY SMITH

sports, being selected to the All-District team in basketball for two consecutive years.

Holly has been a class officer for four years and is secretarytreasurer of the National Honor

She has been in the band and has also taken piano lessons six years. She is an active member of the Church of Christ.

Holly plans to attend Abilene Christian University this fall to prepare for a career in the medical

and meet physical The United States Postal

Service has announced an examination to establish a register of eligibles from which future Clerks and Carriers in the Santa Anna Post Office will be filled. A clerk sorts mail and distributes it by using a complicated scheme which must be memorized. Carriers have to collect and

Starting salary is \$10.21 per hour.

To qualify, applicants must pass a written test

deliver mail.

requirements. All qualified applicants will receive consideration

for employment without regard to race, religion, age, color, national origin, sex, handicap, political affiliations or any other nonmerit factors.

Application forms for the examinations may be obtained at the local Post Office between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Applications must be submitted by April 22, 1983.

Funtier Days Adds More Ac

Interest is picking up for the Funtier Days celebration to be held in Santa Anna Friday and Saturday, April 29 and 30.

Entertainment is planned during the two-day event, with the list of participants growing each day.

Activities added this week and planned in conjunction with the barbecue brisket cook-off will be armadillo races, games of bingo, a greased pig contest, car bash and can crushing contest.

Latest additions to the entertainment will be appearances by the Puppet People of First Baptist Church and programs by the Senior Citizens Gang from Goldthwaite. There will be a sheep shearing demonstration and tours of the Sante Anna Co-Op Gin during the day.

The big event is being planned and promoted by Jim Laubhan who has secured six teams of barbecuers for the brisket cook-off on Saturday. April 30. Clubs and organizations have been enlisted to provide games and activities, with the Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority, Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts among the first to oifer help. The booths and events will be a fund raising project for those taking part.

Displays and activity booths will surround the City. Park where tents platforms will be used for the entertainment and special activities. The Civic Center will be used for part of the events as well as the Friday night beauty contest.

Suzan Daniel is chairman of the

beauty contest that is for girls in the Santa Anna schools. Deadline for entering is Thursday (today), and those not enlisted are asked to contact her if they wish more information. Divisions include elementary, junior high and high school, with cash prizes to be awarded the winners.

Girls will be judged on appearance, poise and personality. with each to wear a frontier or pioneer costume for the contest.

Many out of town people are expected to attend the event, as well as hundreds of local people who will be taking part or assisting with the activities.

This is the first major event slated

and everyone is urged to support the project and help put Santa Anna "on the map."

Bumper Stickers For Funtier Days

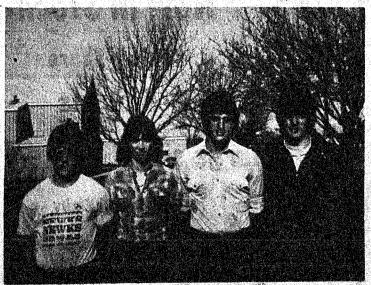
Funtier Days bumper stickers are available for those who wish to advertise the event. The bumper stickers are available to anyone, but donations to pay

for the cost are encouraged. Anyone wishing to have one should contact Jim Laubhan at Art Fabrics or Clint Day at Western Auto.

Microwave Cooking School Planned Here

West Texas Utilities Company will have a Microwave Cooking School in Santa Anna on Tuesday, April 19. The event will be conducted by the Electric Living Consultants from Abilene and held at the local WTU office at 7 p.m.

Recipes and techniques for use with a microwave oven will be presented, and all local people are invited to take part. Those interested are asked to call the WTU office at 348-3101 to make a reservation.



FFA JUDGING AWARDS have been given this group of Santa As young people. Mike Hartman, left, was high individual in the Area IV Poultry Judging contest; Jeannie Radicke, second from left, was teath high individual in the contest. Randy Casey, second from right, was high individual in the Poultry Judging contest in Sweetwater recently, and Johnny Cessy, right, was second high individual in the Poultry Judging contest in Abliene recently. Mike, Joannie and Randy won the Area IV Poultry Judging contest and will compete in the at



elevator brought information omitted from the

owned by Alderman-Cave Methodist Youth Group in Company of Winters, was appreciation of the many built by the late Lester times the Methodist Annex Guthrie about 1946. It was is used for the ESA operated by Guthrie and meetings. the late "Cotton" Wise un-Santa Anna Co-op Gin and the Funtier Days event, was operated by the and to sell lemonade and it was purchased by Central Texas Grain Co.

Elevator originally owned by a Mr. Gray, was the first Abilene Science Fair grain elevator in the com- Students in the Santa An- Michael Griffin, Rhett tracks.

The spring turkey hunting season opens Saturday, April 16, and will continue through Sunday, May

Many hunters are expected in our area during that time, and the turkeys should be in very good condition this year.

Hunters are urged to check with the Game Management Officers if they are not sure of regulations and rules.

The Junior High boys

rick who was first in broad

jump, the 100 and 200 meter

races. Warrick was also a

and fourth in high jump.

Are Given To

Cemetery Association has

Mrs. E. K. Jones and

Allene Jones of Killeen

have made donations as

memorials for the follow-

Mrs. Annie Morris,

Talmage Turner and Helen

during the past week.

ing people:

Memorials

Cemetery

JHS Boys Track Team

Wins Third at District

Pam Morgan Elected New ESA President

All proceeds from the Fun-Jo Ashworth was hostess tier Days projects will go to for the Monday, April 11, the Meals on Wheels promeeting of the Delta gram and the summer Omicron chapter, ESA swimming program for local children.

Gale Brock was guest speaker, talking on "Changing Careers." Sharon Greenlee and Donna Bradley were also on the program.

Bernidine Watson, the local "Outstanding Member" was recognized as having won the district The picture and story award, and Mrs. Ashworth about the local grain was recognized as the local "first year" nominee.

The chapter voted to donate \$50 to the Whirly The local elevator, now Birds group and \$50 to the

The group made plans to til about 1950 when it sold to have a dart toss booth at Cooperative. In later years have a face painting booth. and Dorothy Harris.

Members were reminded that the annual "Traffic Jam'' for St. Jude's Children's Hospital will be held in Santa Anna on Saturday, May 7. New officers for the year were elected, with Pam

Morgan named president. Other new officers are Debbie Dean, vice president; Becky Martin, secretary; Gail Horner, treasurer; Susie Voss, reporter; Darla Beal, historian; Jo Ashworth, parliamentarian; and Sharon Greenlee, educational director.

Other members attending the meeting were Patti Musick, Gayle Stewardson, Kathy Pearce, Kathy Alexander, Cindy Tuttle, Joan Day, Coyita Bowker

The Continental Grain QUEST Students Attend

munity and was here many na Elementary School Guthrie, Michael Powers, years before Mr. Guthrie QUEST program went to Webb Stark, Alex Frausto, built the facility on the Abilene on Tuesday, Mar- Zane Keeney, Jeffery Hartnorth side of the railroad chn 29, to attend the man, Scot Valdez, Troy Regional Science Fair.

While there each student and Amy Beaver. recorded observations about three science fair Castillo, Jason Dean, Lori the business session. projects and evaluated Diaz, Grady Clay McIver, how they would improve or change those projects if they were to do them for a science project next year.

Those attending the science fair were Rhonda Fleeman, James Hartman, Holly Hoffman, Reece McIver, Rachel Phillips, Scotty Anderson, Chad Davis, Robert Duus,

Abernathy, Dan Benton

Others were Lori those projects, describing Peter Martin, Deborah Michon, Carrie Myers, Tommy Williford and Tyrone Young. Adults with the group were Mrs. Nancy Gooch, the teacher, and Mrs. Sybil Dean, driver of

An Open Letter to The **Citizens of Santa Anna**

We, your elected city officials, wish to inform you of the action taken at a called meeting of the City council on Monday, April 11.

A lengthy discussion time was hold, views exchanged, priorities listed, and aims and objectives

A unanamous vote of confidence was given to Kevin Ballard, our local police officer, for his role in making Santa Anna a safer place in which to live. We urge each of you to support him, also, and if you do not know him -- get acquainted -- you will like him.

Mayor Edd Hartman Councilpersons -Carmen Donham Dickie Horner Joe Guerrero Donald Hosch Jim Laubhan

Janice Cozart is Elected Worthy Matron for 1983

Mrs. Eula McCary, worthy matron, and R. W. Balke, worthy patron, presided at the Monday, April 11, meeting of the Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter. The group met in the Masonic Hall at 7:30

Mrs. Millie Wheatley of Brownwood, a member of the Time and Talent Committee, presented the program of the Grand Chapter.

Officers for the 1983-84 vear were elected during Janice Cozart was chosen Worthy Matron for the new year. R. W. Balke was reelected Worthy Patron.

Other new officers are Carmen Donham, associate matron; Montie Guthrie, associate patron; Myrtle Burden, conductress; Ethel Williams, associate conductress: Lillian Herndon, Coleman Hearing Set secretary; and Rose Bass, treasurer.

Other officers will be appointed by the worthy matron.

A report was given by are planned for each of the system for older persons in Viona West on members five sub-regions of West this 19-county region as and friends who are ill.

A memorial program for Jettie Henton, Grand Secretary Emeritus, 1949 -79 was presented by Rose Bass, Viona West, Millie Wheatley, Lillian Herndon and Eula McCary.

At the close of the meeting, the group assembled in the fellowship hall where Lora Rollins and Mr. Balke served ice cream, cake and coffee.

The next meeting of the ment Hearing will begin at group will be May 9.





ANGIE DAY

Local Students Honored At Howard Payne University

University.

Angela Day and Russell Buzzard have been in-

ed by public hearings on

Services. These meetings

will be conducted by West

Central Texas Council of

Governments in its role as

the Area Agency on Aging.

Hearings for sub-region 5

(Runnels, Coleman and

Brown counties) will be

held in Coleman Friday,

April 22, at the Senior

Center. The Needs Assess-

The Area Plan reflects

West Central Texas Coun-

to support and expand a

For Needs of Elderly

Public hearings to asess comprehensive, coor-

the needs of older persons dinated service delivery

Central Texas during mandated by the Older

the Area Plan for Aging attend the hearings. Sum-

April. These will be follow- Americans Act.

Two Santa Anna High ducted into the Howard School graduates have Payne University chapter been selected recently for of Gamma Beta Phi, a nahonors at Howard Payne tional scholastic honor society.

The public is invited to

mary copies of the Aging

Services Plan will be

available. Opportunities

for questions will be pro-

vided and imput from the

Persons 60 years of age

and older who attend may

have lunch at the Center

and will have the oppor-

tunity to make a contribu-

public is welcomed.

Miss Day, a 1982 SAHS graduate, is the daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Day. She is a freshman at HPU where she was awarded a scholarship for band. Buzzard, the son of Mrs.

Patty Bass, now of Brownwood, graduated from SAHS in 1981 and is also a freshman, majoring in the Academy of Freedom program.

Instituted in 1964, Gamma Beta Phi recognizes and encourages scholarship, leadership and service in over 90 chapters nationwide.

MOVE TO ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee, J. J. and Jenna have moved to Abilene where he will be working for the Abilene Independent School District maintenance staff. Lee had owned and operated Lee Plumbing Co. here for several years, and they made their home at the McCrary place at Rockwood.

tion to the meal. Persons under 60 may have lunch by paying the cost of the meal (\$2.00). Everyone planning to have lunch at the Center must make reservations not later than Wednesday,

Coleman. Several from Santa Anna

Walker **Funeral Home** 625-4103

Center at 625-4779 in Coleman, Tex

Ambulance Service

Tax Board Meeting Held Monday West Central Texas Council of Governments' intent

David Garza was third in placed third in the district shot put; Fernando Castillo track meet in Blanket last placed fifth in discus. Friday. The Lometa boys Johnny Kirven was sixth in were winners of the meet, the 800 meter race; and

with Water Valley second. Ricky Hernandez was sixth Coach Jack Snipes' boys in the 100 meter hurdles. were led by Darrell War. Others on the 400 meter relay team were Corey Tuttle, Ricky Hernandez and Johnny Kirven. The Junior High track

member of the 400 meter winners advance no further relay team that placed than district competition. fifth. Reece McIver was second in the 400 meter dash,

Car Wash fifth in the 200 meter dash Set By MYF

Young people of United Methodist Church will have a car wash Friday, April 15, at the church building. The Santa Anna Flags by the MYF group. received several donations

Vehicles will be cleaned inside and out, with \$5 and vans for \$9. Pickup and delivery of the vehicles is available by calling Rick Beal, youth director, at 348-3986, or the church office, 348-3667.

Harold Pittard, chairday, April 11, meeting of the Coleman County Tax Appraisal District Board when the group met for the Board will be Monday, May monthly session at the Tax 9, at 5 p.m.

Office in Coleman. Minutes of the previous meeting Kingsbery, secretary.

Bills and accounts for the month of March were studied and approved for payment. The quarterly and yearly financial report was reviewed, with the status of the budget very

Henri Gilbreath, office staff member, reported on the work on the delinquent tax rolls that are being compiled for the taxing entities for which the District makes collections. The work on the tax rolls is almost completed and soon will be submitted to Russell Graham and Associates of Proceeds from the event Austin, the firm that will be will be used for a trip to Six collecting the delinquent taxes.

A seminar for members of the Appraisal Review pickups costing \$4; cars for Board will be held in Abilene this month, and some of the Coleman County group will be attending. It was also announced that two members of the staff attended a recent training

The group went into ex- session in Austin, and Mrs. personnel and employee insurance benefits.

The next meeting of the

man, presided at the Mon- ecutive session to discuss Gilbreath and Dickie training session for tax Cisco concerning mineral appraisals and taxation.

were read by Barbara Girls Track Team Wins wited to attend a party benefits at the solid strain on his 80th benefits to the solid strain of the

The Santa Anna High School girls track team placed third in the district meet at Mertzon last weekend, with the local girls scoring 105 points during the event. The Irion County (Mertzon) girls won the championship trophy with 169 points, and the Eden girls were second with 116 points.

The Santa Anna team, coached by Jack Snipes, qualified a number of girls for the regional meet in Abilene next week.

Local winners who plac-

ed first or second in the pete in the meet in Abilene Wednesday and Thursday of next week are the following:

Michelle Malone - 2nd in the mile run JoAnn Collins - shot put and

discus Jackson - broad Brenda jump

Yolanda Kirven - shot put Dilcy Kirven, Brenda Jackson, Devida Bible and JoAnn Collins - 400 meter relav

Tammi Bible - relay alternate

April 20, by calling the Horner will be attending a O. C. Barker district staff members at To Be Feted On 89th B-day are expected to attend the

Friends and neighbors of honoring him on his 89th birthday on Saturday,

The Barker family will host the party at the Mountain City Center from 2 - 4 district meet and will com- p.m., and everyone is invited to go by during that time to offer their good wishes and have refreshments.

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Rockwood News

THE STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

Homer C. Wright died Saturday, April 9, at 6 p.m. in a San Angelo hospital after an illness. Services were at Johnson Funeral Chapel in San Angelo with burial in Robert Lee and family. Cemetery. His wife is the former Elton Buttry. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry were in San Angelo Monday for the funeral service.

Mrs. Dora Crutcher of Bangs spent Sunday with the Buttrys.

Mrs. Bill Nevans and Mrs. Leona Stroup of Brady visited with Mrs. John Hunter Friday and they were in Coleman shopping.

The Quilting Club met Friday morning. Thursday for regular members Mrs. Bill Bryan, Mrs. Jack Cooper, Mrs. Howard Pearson, Mrs. Bill Steward, Mrs. Lon Gray and Mrs. Claud Box working on a quilt for Mrs. Box.

Mrs. Jack McSwane and her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McSwane of Arlington, were in Rockwood Wednesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain. Marcus Johnson visited the McSwains Thursday, and Joe F. Estes of Abilene visited Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Boss Estes has been spending nights with Mrs. Sam Estes, as Sam is a patient in Brady Hospital. Mrs. and Mrs. Boss Estes and Mrs. Box were Monday breakfast guests of Myrtle.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Estes and Shane of San Angelo spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes. Shane remained to Sunday when his dad, Weldon Estes, came for him and spent the day. Mrs. Claud Box joined the group for Sunday dinner at the Boss Estes home.

Mrs. Junior Brusenhan has been on the sick list this week. Visitors have been Mrs. Mary Emerson, Mrs. Lon Gray, who visited Wednesday afternoon and again Thursday, Mr. and

hospital with Sam Estes, a and Mrs. Leffel Estes. Mr. patient there, and the and Mrs. Joe F. Estes of Lake with Mrs. Freddie Polk. Mrs. Emerson spent Sunday with her daughter

> Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

John R. Deal of Brownwood stopped by to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal. Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Deal and Belinda of Santa Anna visited that evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal visited briefly

Mr. and Mrs. Collins quilting day, with Steward and family of Katy visited recently with his mother, Mrs. Bill Steward, Tuesday to Friday.

> Mrs. Jack Boyd and Bonnie Bea of Comanche spent Saturday to Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan.

> Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper visited Sunday afternoon in Brady with Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman and Byron.

Members of the Extension Homemakers Club are reminded of the Birthday Party sponsored for Birthday folks at Leisure Lodge in Coleman Thursday, April 21, at 7 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver of Katy spent Wednesday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges. Mrs. McIver and Mr. and Mrs. Hodges went to Abilene Thursday and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodges. They went to Clyde Friday and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges, returning home Saturday. Mr. McIver came Saturday night and they returned to Katy Sunday. Mrs. Lon Gray visited in the Hodges home Sunday

afternoon: Sam Estes, a patient in Brady Hospital, is doing Mrs. Brusenhan and Mrs. nicely and hopes to be Emerson were business home soon. Visitors in the visitors in Brady Saturday, home have been Mr. and and Junior visited at the Mrs. Herman Estes, Mr.

Art Competition Slated For Area Young People

Congressman Charles curtailed. Stenholm has announced plans for an art competition for high school students, grades nine through 12, in the 17th Congressional District. The Arwork must be no larger winning entry will be displayed later this year in a national exhibition in the corridor leading to the United States Capitol.

According to Congressman Stenholm, the art competition is part of ANARTISTIC DISCOVERY, a nationwide activity initiated by members of the United States House of Representatives to recognize the creative talents of young people.

The competition enables the congressmen to encourage and recognize the rich and diverse artistic talents of young people at a time when local arts or any of Congressman smallest pound test that are needed for the table, budgets are being Stenhholm's offices.

The contest, to be conducted at no expense to the Federal government, is open to any high school student in the 17th District. than 30" x 30" (unframed), and two-dimentional. Eligible categories are paintings, drawings, collages and prints.

The district show will be held in Abilene on Saturday, May 14. Entries must be in place by 10 a.m. in the Cooper High School Cafeteria. The ten top finalists from all over the 17th Congressional District will be notified and invited to an awards dinner sponsored by Congressman Stenholm.

Students interested in participating in the District Show in Abilene should con-

women visited at Simpson Abilene spent the weekend with Mrs. Estes. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ep-

pler came home Tuesday of last week after being in 358-acre lease. Arlington for a medical checkup and visiting in the Survey 496. home of their daughter and family, the A. G. Coppingers.

Jetta and Taffy Rutherford of Santa Anna spent miles southwest of Santa one day last week with Anna. their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford. in Section 75, Block 1, The Rutherfords spent the GH&H Survey. The lease is weekend in San Angelo composed of 160 acres. visiting her mother, Mrs. Gussie Wise, Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford.

at a Brady Rest Home last slated for 2,990 feet, three Wednesday with his wife, miles southeast of Santa Jewel, who has suffered a Anna. light stroke but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Margerito Hernandez, Ricky, Alonzo and Phillip spent Sunday in Brownwood with her County. parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. It will be drilled three D. Aguirre.

granddaughter of Ann Fisk Survey, A-195. Brownwood were by to see Lihnie Box Sunday.

with Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Energy Inc. of Wichita Ulstad and Mrs. Arlue Falls No. 13 S. R. Davis. Saturday Mr. and Stanberry. Mrs. Phil Surles of Arl- The planned 1,500-foot ington came for the venture is on a 115-acre in Cisco Sunday with Mr. Young Survey 494. and Mrs. Marston Surles.

of Brownwood No. 1 B. L.

Slated for 1,990 feet, it is

Location is five miles

B. Banister Survey 626.

Anderson.

Survey 365.

Survey 13.

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January 1982.

Chairman Mack Wallace.

James D. Rice, Santa Anna will drill No. 3 E. A. Schrader in the regular field four miles south of Santa Anna.

The planned 2.500-foot venture is located on a It is in Wharton CSL

Beal Operating Co. of Coleman staked No. 1 C. E. Copeland as a wildcat six

Slated for 2,400 feet, it is

Precision Drilling Co. Jesse Echols and Jennifer Inc. has staked eight regular field locations in Marcus Johnson visited the area, with each venture

> Shield Energy Inc. of Austin No. 1 Shield Ranch Inc. is a planned 1,950-foot wildcat for Coleman

miles east of Santa Anna on Mrs. Elmer Raiston and a 15-acre lease in the Mary

Staked in the regular Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan field four miles northwest visited in Brady Thursday of Trickham was Pautsky

weekend. They all visited lease in the Pleasant

Cane Pole Fishing Has Good Results

Although most of the high technology anglers of today wouldn't be caught dead using a cane pole, many the fish are to detect it and simplest of fishing rigs, says Jim Davis, fisheries specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The cane pole is especially efficient for catching croppie, bluegill and redear sunfish during terminal end of the pole nesting activity. Using a cane pole, positioning a minnow, cricket or earthworm into small openings in brush areas becomes easy with a little experience.

Flipping, a bass fishing technique using a long rod and fairly short line, copfishing method.

Fishing with a cane pole other methods. This also account for more fish characteristic surely ac- and prolong bait life. counts for its immense popularity, Daivs says. There are, however, certain methodds that can enhence fishing success with a cane pole.

The length of a cane pole should be two to three times as long as the anglers height. More length makes the pole too cumbersome and less length may not provide the desired reach.

Several types of line are available for cane pole fishing, with monafilament will hold the biggest fish Davis concludes.

the line used, the less likely fish are caught with this the more life-like the bait will appear.

The end of the line should be tied securely about twothirds of the way up the pole, then additional knots tied at one foot intervals to the end of the pole. If a Randy Betz. may be broken but the additional knots may assist in

Perhaps the most important item for cane pole fishing is the hook. Although hooks come in a variety of shapes and sizes, pied a time tested cane pole a good rule of thumb is to match the hook size to the mouth size of the fish. Prois not as complicated as per hook style selection can

landing an otherwise lost

Floats and sinkers are optional equipment utilized by cane pole enthusiasts. Floats assist in aignalling a bite and also in suspending the bait at the desired depth. Sinkers are used to carry the bait down and hold it in the fishing area.

Cane pole fishing is easy to learn and a good way to master the basics of a great pasttime. Under many conditions, the cane pole can catch more fish than more sophisticated the most popular. When tackle. Don't look past this tact Martha Kiel in Abilene selecting a line, buy the technique when fresh fish

January summary intion was 22.94 percent you expect to catch, Davis under the allowable for the advises. Also, the lighter month.

> VISIT CHILDREN Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owen were at Kemp last weekend to visit their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owen and Bill, and granddaughter and husband, Cindy and

While there the Owens watched the Mini-thon at Corsicana in which Randy 55,012,683 barrels, up over won third in the nine-mile two million from the yearrace and Bill was a partici- earlier month, and about pant. On Sunday Mr. Owen and his son enjoyed boating on Cedar Creek, going manufactured 13,766,135 across the lake to Malakoff barrels of home heating oil for a visit with former San- in October, an increase ta Annan, Coy Casey Rice from the year-earlier and her husband.

WEEKEND VISITORS Visiting last weekend

with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown were Mrs. Sue Brown and Kyle of Fredericksburg, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Loggin and Julie of Waxahachie, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Brown of Abilene, Lecia and Angie Brown, Terry Hagler and David Hughes of Angelo State College.

Spotted in the regular AUSTIN, Feb. 8 - Railroad field eight miles northeast Commission Chairman of Santa Anna was Webb Mack Wallace has an-Johnson and John Carleton hounced that Texas perators reported 93 gas and 60 oil discoveries in January 1983. One year ago, 121 gas and

on a 141-acre lease in the C. 43 oil discoveries were filed with the state's energy A wildcat will be drilled regulatory agency. four miles southeast of

Gas discoveries in Rockwood as Eagle January included 38 in Hydrocarbons Inc. of deep South Texas, 15 in Hawley No. 4 B. B. Bryan. Southeast Texas, 12 in West The planned 1,000-foot Central Texas, six in East venture is on a 400-acre Texas, five each in North lease in the John Smith Texas and Midland area. four in East Texas, two in East Central Texas and one **DSK Producers of Bangs** each in the Panhandle and will re-enter to 1,100 feet the Lubbock and Refugio No. 7 Clyde Haynes, abanareas.

doned regular field project. In January, operators reported 620 exploratory southeast of Trickham on a and field tests wound up as 325-acre lease in the dry holes. New applica-William Willingham tions for permits to drill oil and gas tests totaled 2,385 in January compared to 2,862 in January of 1982.

AUSTIN- Texas crude oil Applications to drill, production totaled deepen, plug back and for 72,004,734 barrels in service wells in January January, according to amounted to 2,697 against Railroad Commission 3,099 a year earlier.

Operators filed 782 The figure compares amended applications to with reported December drill. A year earlier they 1982 production totaling submitted 791 amended 72,835,507 barrels and requests. January 1982 production of

AUSTIN- Railroad Com-Texas oil production mission Chairman Mack averaged 2,322,733 barrels Wallace has announced daily in January, down that 61 refineries in Texas from 2,349,532 barrels daily processed 133,804,257 barin December and down rels of crude oil and from 2,384,032 barrels in hydrocarbon blends during October 1982. Through the The January production first ten months of 1982, allowable totaled 93,434,282 Texas refineries ran barrels. The preliminary 1,297,413,471 barrels.

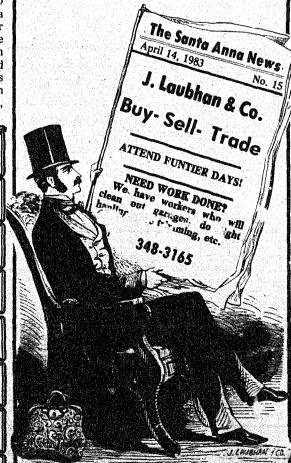
October's volume comdicated Texas oil produc- pares with nearly 122 million barrels in the same month a year ago, reported by the Commission's Oil and Gas Division in its monthly recapitulation of

Texas refinery operations. Products manufactured in October 1982 totaled 134,969,944 barrels, up from 122 534 263 harrels in the same month the previous year, and up from the previous month.

October manufacture of Me." motor appoling tota the same as in September. Texas refineries parrels of home heating oil volume, and over the previous month's total.



Portland, Oregon was named by the flip of a coin. The losing name was Boston.



Retired Stock Farmer Buried Here April 7

Funeral services were held at First Baptist Church Thursday, April 7, for W. S. Trull, 87, who died Tuesday, April 5, in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman. The Rev. Paul Hubbard, pastor

of Emmanuel Baptist Church in Coleman, officiated at the services, and interment was in the Santa Anna Cemetery directed by Henderson Funeral Home. Born December 2, 1895 in

Italy, Texas, Mr. Trull was the son of Theodore and Virginia Gaylor Trull. He married Nettie Irene Ramsey at Rockwood December 8, 1914. He was a resident of Coleman County 82 years, a stock farmer and a Baptist.

Survivors are his wife; ATTEND MEETING three daughters, Mrs. na Tucker of Dallas; 18 and Mrs. Tom Kingsbery.

grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren. A son Jesse Lee Trull died in 1916.

Pallbearers for the services were Ronnie McCarrell, David Dobbins, Billy Jack Dobbins, Mark Dobbins, James Smith, and Jerry Smith.

BACK AT SCHOOL

Cindy Cozart is back at school at Angelo State University after spending the past week in Brownwood Regional Hospital. She was dismissed from the hospital Friday and was with her mother, Janice Cozart, for the weekend.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce was in Juanita Dobbins and Mrs. Abilene Friday and Satur-Myrtle Jo Smith, both of day to attend the annual Coleman, and Mrs. Eva meeting of West Texas McCarrell of Santa Anna; Historical Association, of two sons, Odis R. Trull of which Mrs. Bruce is retir-Coleman and Donald Trull ing president. Accompanyof Brady; a sister, Mrs. Ed- ing her to Abilene were Mr.

Mrs. Blue is Hostess For Martha UMW Group

met Monday, April 11, in the home of Mrs. Hardy Blue, Mrs. Grace Short was co-hostess.

Mrs. Blue led the program of the Easter theme, "A Few Women."

The worship center using a picture of Christ, a candle and an Easter basket was arranged by Martha Thompson, who led the devotion. The story from Luke was the scripture used.

Mrs. Opal Little led the business session, Mrs. Lester Jones read minutes

of the last meeting, and Mrs. Doris Griffin gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Short, a member of

the Martha Group, Mrs. Maurice Rendon, a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, and Mrs. Seventh-day Adventist Church, each spoke on "What Easter Means to

At the close of the meeting the hostesses serv-

The Martha Group of ed cake and punch and United Methodist Women cheese balls to the ones mentioned and also Mmes. Bettie Ruth Henderson. Lucile Smith, Lillian Herndon, Fred Williamd and Nancy Cheaney.

After refreshments were served, Mrs. Henderson, a member of First Baptist Church, told of her Home-Bound ministry at Ranger Park Nursing Home of which she is the teacher. The program is sponsored by First Baptist Church.

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MRS. KELLY NEAL DICKENS

Miss Isenhower, Mr. Dickens **Wed in Church Ceremony April 9**

A candlelight ceremony deep scalloped ruffle which at Santa Anna United outlined the sheer V-Presbyterian Church on Saturday, April 9, united in lar that were embellished marriage Miss Carla Lois Isenhower and Kelly Neal Dickens. The Rev. Hugh Walter Sanders of matching lace. The A-line Kingsland, a former pastor skirt fell softly into a of the church, officiated at shapel sweep train, the double ring ceremony at 6:30 in the evening.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Isenhower of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Dickens of Baytown. DECORATIONS

An arrangement of white gladioli, stock, snapdragons and spider mums centered the altar, with 15-branch candelabra entwined with smilax, potted palms and Boston fern flanking the area. Matching spiral candelabra were placed at the base of the steps leading to the chancel area.

Douglas Hamil was organist and accompanied Lorna Johnson, sister of the groom, as she sang "Til the End of Time", "More," and "The Lord's Prayer."

BRIDE'S ENSEMBLE Given in marriage by her parents, the bride was escorted to the altar by her father. She was attired in a designer gown of imported candlelight Brussels lace on English net. The fitted bodice featured a Victorian neckline accented with a

Morris, were transacting

business in Brownwood on

Thursday, and also visited with Mrs. Barbara Morgan

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitz-patrick and children of

Santa Anna were Sunday

dinner guests with his

Graham Fitzpatrick. Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick

and children have moved

into their new home in

Lovelady were supper

guests Monday with her sister. Mrs. Juanita Min

Loyd Rutherford accom-

panied Mr. and Mrs. John

Dockery and son Wesley

of Trickham to San Saba

on Sunday where they visited in the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Boyd Stewardson and toured the Hardy

Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn

Massey flew down from Abilene Sunday to their ranch and enjoyed the day

on the Massey Ranch

Coleman were guests with her parents, the Bean Radles, on Saturday.
Floyd Morris visited on

Monday morning with Norman Floyd Morris in Brownwood. Mrs. Janie Morris visited Monday

morning with Imogene

Fitzpatrick at the Post

Leon Carter visited Sun-

day with his sister, Lorene

Black, in Brownwood. He

visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris during the

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna-were in Brownwood Sun-

day where they with Mr. and Mrs. Randel Lovelady

and girls went to the

Coggin Park and enjoyed a

picnic dinner and birthday

dinner to celebrate Randel's birthday and his daughter Melanie's third

birthday. I will let you ask

Randel about his birth-

past week.

and Mrs. Nicky Poldrack and Denita of

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin

Mr. and Mrs.

and girls.

parents

Santa Anna.

ica in Santa Anna.

Stewardson Ranch.

shaped voke and high colwith Schiffli embroidery. The long fitted sleeves, with petal point, were of bordered with heavy em- reception was held at the broidery matching the

bodice ruffle. To complete her bridal ensemble, the bride chose a matching Camelot headplece of imported candlelight Brussels lace attached to a one-tier waltz length veil trimmed in matching scalloped lace embroidery.

Her bouquet was of tradi-

tional design of gardenias, ivory sensation roses and Ming fern, framed by ivory lace. She wore an antique sapphire ring that belonged to her paternal grandmother, and earrings worn by her mother at her wedding, a gift from her father before their marriage. She wore a necklace of pearls, a gift from the groom, and the traditional sixpence in her shoe

ATTENDANTS Kathleen Dugan of Houston was maid of the groom, distributed rice honor. Bridesmaids were bags Beverlee Nix of College Station, Pat Vela of San An-

tonio and Susan Laird of Tyler. They wore ivory col- the newlyweds will reside ored blouses and full circle skirts of navy moire tafnecklines were accented by a deep ruffle trimmed as were the long sleeves, bridal pink roses and star- Houston. burst poms surrounding a

and Reggie Johnson of eman. The brides colors

single gardenia.

Serving as ushers and candlelighters were brothers of the bride, Saturday firemen's con-Daniel Isenhower of Abilene, Bradley Isenhower of San Angelo and Mike Isenhower of

RECEPTION Following the wedding, a annex of United Methodist Church. The bride's table was laid with an ivory cutwork cloth and centered candelabra holding navy tapers, circled at the base by the bouquets of the attendants. Raspberry punch was served from a crystal punch bowl with handmade

used, and the navy napkins were inscribed in silver. In the houseparty were Mrs. Geneva Fetterly, Mrs. Louise Isenhower, and Mrs. Jo Tabor, aunts of the bride, and Mrs. Dorothy Watson, Mrs. Hannah Richter and Mrs. Alice and Jean Boyd, Cherie

mints in pastel colors, nuts

and cake. Silver and

crystal appointments were

Snillman Regina Johnson, niece of

Green and Monique

WEDDING TRIP After a wedding trip to the Grand Cayman Islands, in Houston.

A 1978 graduate of feta. The Victorian Brownwood High School, the bride is a 1982 graduate of Texas A&M University and employed with Gulf Oil with ivory satin ribbon and Corporation in Houston. lace. The skirts were band- The groom, a graduate of ed by ivory satin and ac- Ross S. Sterling High cented by a five-button School in Baytown, receivcumberbunds. They wore ed B.S. and M. S. degrees circlets of baby's breath in from Texas A&M Universitheir hair and carried ty and is employed by cluster bouquets of pastel Fluor Engineering, Inc., in

REHEARSAL DINNER Parents of the groom Scott Laird of Baytown were hosts for a dinner was best man. Groomsmen following the wedding were Jess Laird of Tyler, rehearsal and held at the Gary Wallace of Houston Gallery Restaurant in Col-

were used in decorations.

VFD Race Team a Winner In Hill Country Event

Volunteer Fire Depart- Donald Strickland and principles will help provide ment returned from the Dale Bradley. vention with one tall members in the contests plants and animals. These trophy, the third place award in the three-man numper race.

Members of the team

with floral arrangements of Dutch iris and stock. Champagne toasts were offered to the bridal couple and to the two families with a five-branch silver united by the marriage. Thirty-two from the bridal party and families attended the four-course dinner.

LUNCHEON

Mrs. Willian Nix of Fort Worth and her daughter. Beverlee Nix of College Station, hosted the bridesmaids' luncheon at noon Saturday at the Gallery Restaurant.

centered the ivory cloth that covered the table, and a basket of ivory and navy silk flowers centered the Those attending were the

A navy blue runner

Spillman, assisted by Jane bride and her mother, the groom's mother and sister; bridal attendants and friends of the bride in the wedding party.

were Marty Donham, principles include proper Gerald Brister, Roddy forage use, proper season Dean, David Strickland, of use, proper grazing David Drake and David distribution, and proper Huggins, six-man pumper class and kind of livestock, race; David Drake and says a range specialist with Roddy Dean, water polo; the Texas Agricultural Exand David Huggins, one-tension Service. man pumper race.

woman race.

Firemen's Association held and a rancher's objectives. in Brady. The group enjoyed the day's activities that included the contests, a dinner, business meeting and visiting.

The next meeting of the group will be held in Ozona in October.

BACK AT HOME

Mrs. Susie Moredock is back at home after spending the winter in Houston with her son, Kenneth.

The Santa Anna were Freddie Dodson, incorporates some basic

A grazing system which for the needs and growth Other local VFD requirements of both

The two basic grazing Ladies in the six-women systems, deferred rotation race were Edith Dodson, and short duration, have Nikki Donham, Janette both positive and negative Strickland, Syble Huggins, sides and should be plann-Jean Brister and Debbie ed according to individual Dean. Syble, Debbie and considerations, such as the Edith were in the three-number of pastures, carrying capacity of pastures, About 30 Santa Anna peo-livestock management ple attended the spring practices, type and condimeeting of the Hill Country tion of range vegetation.

fou



Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

in my report to you and ner guests with her par-mentioning the visitors in ents, Mr. and Mrs. Bean mentioning the visitors in our home over the week-end and during the weekend, I failed to give the name of a granddaughter who was Tonna Rutherford of Bangs. I am sorry, but when it comes to mistakes, I am at the top.

Loyd Rutherford accompanied John Dockery of Trickham to a special cattle sale in Brady on

Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Lee parents home Thursday afternoon from the Dominican Republic where they have been for the last four months or longer. They are with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, and other relatives. The Jamie Lee Morrises have a

new home there.
Mrs. Imogene Fitzpatrick visited on Thursday afternoon with Ione Caton

Mrs. Nicky Poldrack and daughter Denita of Cole-

I am sorry last week man were Wednesday din-Radle in Santa Anna.

Cooper of Rockwood visited one afternoon the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady in Santa Anna. Jeffery and Jennifer

Morris of Santa Anna were weekend visitors with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, and their father, Joe Floyd Morris.

guest with the Tom Rutherfords and son Loyd Monday and on Tuesday he was assisting Loyd with cattle on the Taylor ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Al Michollotti and John D. Morris of Brady and Mrs. Rena Garner and son Rusty and a lady friend of Mrs. Garner of Brownwood were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Floyd Morris. Joe Floyd Morris and his mother, Mrs. Floyd

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Agriculture Receipts Down From 1981

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last year are estimated at from \$581 million in 1981 to almost \$9.6 billion based on \$724 million last year. figures compiled by Dr. with the Texa Agricultural Extinsion Service.

The decline was due mainly to poor farm prices total cash recipts, that resulted from huge stockpiles of agricultural commodities.

livestock products con- surplus commodities.

Total cash receipts from tributed more than \$5.1

based timber, horses, fish farming, hunting leases, Cash receipts from farm pond leases and agricultural production recreation jumped sharply Despite the economic

Carl Anderson, economist woes in agriculture in 1982, Texas continues to rank third in the union, behind California and Iowa, in Looking to the future, the

economist sees some encouraging signs for Also, weather losses farmers and ranchers. were heavy in some areas. 'Farm prices and incomes Cotton led the decline in will improve as supplies cash receipts - from \$1.4 decrease and damand inbillion in 1981 to \$875 creases.' says Anderson. million last year. All crop 'Hopefully, the PIK proreceipts totaled almost \$3.8 gram will be successful in billion in 1982 while sales of reducing the level of

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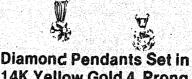
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Flower Show Slated **By Coleman Group**

The Town and Country color events Garden Club of Coleman will present their annual will have a real live litterflower show Saturday, bug for the public to view. the fellowship hall of First relating to Texas Coleman. The show is open birds. Youth exhibits will admission charge.

four divisions: Hor- botanical winners. ticulture, Design, Educaand decoration and local displays.

The educational division April 16, from 3 - 5 p.m. at as well as a display United Methodist Church in wildflowers, rocks and to the public and there is no be for young people in horticulture or design groups.

Posters by Coleman Theme for the show is students will be on display "Days of Our Lives," with as well as science fair and

Wednesday.

went to visit Mr. Battles at

the nursing home Sunday.

Smith of San Angelo visited

Kelley Sunday, and Mrs.

Ruby Stephenson visited

them. Vera Wise visited

awhile Friday night.

Adolph and Doris attended

a wedding Saturday in

Abilene, and visited the

Travis Smiths in Coleman

that evening. Delores and

Chick Vaughn, Eddy and

Steve left Tuesday for their

home after visiting in the

Garth and J. R. Battles

visited Thursday and Fri-

day with Charlie and

Thelma Fleming, Darrel

Cupps ate dinner with them

Sunday. Miller Dee Flem-

ing and Leona Henderson

visited Saturday evening.

Kelly home.

Nan Markland is presitional and Youth. Design dent of the club and serving divisions include Happy as flower show chairman. Holidays, for functional Local people are invited to tables of holiday design attend and view the varied

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

THURSDAY -- APRIL 14: Tennis matches, Santa Anna School Campus FRIDAY -- APRIL 15: School Holiday

Tennis Tournament, at Junction JHS Track Meet, SAHS Stadium, 2:30 p.m. SATURDAY - APRIL 16: Boys District Tennis Meet, at San Angelo SUNDAY - APRIL 17: Attend Church

MONDAY- APRIL 18: AARP meeting, Methodist Annex, 12 noon Campfire Girls, Civic Center TUESDAY -- APRIL 19: Lions Club, Lions building, 12 noon Girls Regional Tennis, in Abilene

WEDNESDAY - APRIL 20: Whirly Birds, UMC Basement, 2:30 p.m. o como como como co

Ranger Park Inn News

We were so happy to have Bro. and Mrs. P. A. Lindley, Ruth and Wayne granddaughter. Twight, Mrs. Keeney, Juanita and Lou Griffin and Bro. John Wiles of Albany sing for us Tuesday afternoon. We enjoy the singing each week. Thank you so much.

The film, "Family of Japan" was enjoyed by the grandmother, Mary residents Friday afternoon. It was so colorful and

brought an inspiring of Coleman visited Mary Brooker, Annie Barrington noon. Mrs. Keeney, Mr. and Lillie Knotts. and Mrs. Lou Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Parrish of Cross Plains and Mrs. Lindley helped him with the singing. Mrs. Parrish picked the guitar and sang a special. Thank you for helping us have a wonderful Sunday afternoon.

We are so sorry Mr. Edgar Tims is in the Coleman Hospital. We miss you; Mr. Tims.

It is good to have Jay Mc-Coy, Hilliard Thornton and Bunk Wagner back home from a stay in the hospital. Laverne Simmons, Doris

Morgan, Roland Deal. Delbert Teague, Wayne and Donna Morgan were visitors with Bessie Thomas.

J. B. and Joann Lewis of Bangs visited their mother, Pearl Lewis.

Mabel Plachy visited Louis Melton.

Jack Hughes visited his mother, Margaret Beckham.

Mrs. Claude Box of Rockwood, Mrs. Boss Estes of Fort Worth, Voncille Estes of Weatherford, Herman and Edna Estes visited with Ollie Estes.

We extend sympathy to the family of Mr. W. F. Trull.

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Hannelore Silva, Hellene Outlaw, May Jones, Gladys Everage, visited with Jay McCoy.

were Lelah and Judson. JoAnn and Amy Sauveur of Llano visited their Cruger.

Lizzie Williams, Ruth and Daniel Fisher of San Bro. P. A. Lindley Antonio, Ila and Jack Todd

Traylor were Laverne Simmons, Blanche Harris and

Bobby Fuller. Lucille Smith and Lillian Herndon visited Mrs. Traylor and with Dimp Baker. Visiting with Mabel Bur-

rage during the week were Bettie Henderson, Scott Patterson, Dimple Looney, Lou Harvey, Martha Thompson, Doris Harvey, Dorothy Harris and Blanche Harris.

Visiting with Ima Boenicke have been Sarah Barnetzke, Anna Puckett and JoAnn Lewis.

Bob and Billie Bible visited his dad, Roy Bible. Others visiting were Mrs. Clayton Kuykendall and Kristen Nichole and Mrs. Roy Bible, all of Brownwood. Others helpbirthday last week were Starkey.

had as visitors Murrel and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Bi-Betty Menges of Snyder, a ble, Doris Harvey and week with the Russells Santa Anna.

thews have included her San Angelo. Visiting with Ima Wilson daughter, Mavis Satter-

Blount of San Angelo. Ronnie McCarrell of Brownwood visited his the Coy Brookes were J. B. grandmother, Maude and Hazel Brooke of McCarrell.

Beth Walker of Jonesboro. his birthday. Elmer Woodard and

visited Allie Woodard. nathy have been Mrs. Saturday morning. Tracy Vicki Green, Mrs. Bernice Moores Saturday night. Battles, Herman Estes, Bettie Henderson and Byr-

die Miller. visited a friend, Donald Yount.

Lawson Battles.

mother-in-law, Johnnie Brownwood hospital Simpson.

her mother, Mrs. Mae Doris and Raymond Don who were there Sunday. Flores, in Bangs Cupps, Joey and Jerry Sunday evening.

Cleveland News

Mrs. Patsy Traweek and Brookesmith visited Mrs. were Timmy Benge who Lawson Battles Friday visited Saturday, and Joe night. Mr. Battles' brothers Wallace, a Sunday visitor. from California are still Sue McCarroll of Colvisiting here. Mrs. Battles eman spent several days

and Garth and J. R. Battles with A. C. and Lou Pierce. Dickie Williams of Lake Jackson visited with J. E. Mr. and Mrs. Travis and Ovella Williams on Wednesday. Garth and J. with Adolph and Doris Sunday, as well as Mrs.

Stacy. Visitors last weekend Pete and J. R. Battles who visited Saturday night, and Mary Ann Hellman and ing the week.

Casey and Eveline Herring drive through the country LEGAL AUTHORITY: Louene and Mark Sheffield Campbell at Brownwood day Eveline visited Lawson Fleming. Battles, Bernice and Garth and J. R. Battles. She also were omitted from the list visited Margaret Herring

and Pearl Arnold. Dena and Lance Rasch their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell. Russell returned Monday and Louise Vaughn.

from Gravitt, Ark. where children, Mr. and Mrs. have a nice weekend. Larry Bunn. Visitors this granddaughter, Dimnple were Betty and Stanley Looney and Bill Bible, all of Russell and Sarah Crawford of Brownwood Visitors with Ethel Mat- and Mrs. Billie Haught of

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray field of Thrifty, a nepher, Huggins visited Hardon H. W. Clowdis of Mansfield, Phillips Saturday. Hardon and a sister-in-law, Jessie visited Bruce Alsobrook Saturday.

Visiting last week with Abilene, Brown and Jeffery Brooke, Susan Wilson, Visitors with Eddie West Jason and Melanie of Comwere a sister-in-law and anche, who visited Sunday. aunt, Gladys Ramsey and They helped Coy celebrate

Iona and Pete Moore Adrian Price of Coleman visited with Florida and Florence Phillips in Visitors with Susie Abilene Saturday. She Snider and Pearl Aber- visited the Doug Moores Claud Box, Mrs. Boss Pollock and Gloria Thomp-Estes, Voncille Estes, son of Waco visited the

Byrdie Miller visited with her brother, Bunk Wagner, at the nursing Voncille Estes also home several times the past week.

Harold and Patsy Mills of Bernice Battles visits Olton visited Buck and often with her husband, Velda Mills on Saturday. Velda visited with Ruth Meta Pierce of Campbell and Leta Parker Brownwood visited her on Monday, both patients in

Visiting last weekend Mae Starkey of Coleman with Joyce Cupps were and Gloria Anderson of Shane Cupps, who was a ing Mr. Bible celebrate his Bangs visited James weekend visitor, and

Carmilla Baugh visited Charlie and Thelma visited Janice and Curtis Fellers WASTE DISPOSAL WELL

> Visiting with Mrs. Tavy Brazos Enterprises, Inc., Association meeting.

Ercell Ellis Saturday ductive of oil or gas. afternoon.

San Antonio visited Monwith the Cecil Ellises.

Edd and Ruby Hartman, Velda and Buck Mills drove Visiting this week with Box, and they went for a

were Joy Sheffield and on the "Bluebonnet Trail." Visiting with Mrs. J. F. and Ruth Maynor of Fleming, Margie and Ver-Brownwood. Casey and die last week were Mr. and Resources Code, as amend-Eveline Herring visited Mrs. Terry Fleming and with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Natasha, Mr. and Mrs. Ed- of the Oil and Gas Division die Dillard, Max and Jason of the Railroad Commis-Hospital Friday. On Sun- Mapson, and J. A.

The following names of people who attended the Cupps Family Picnic April 2 and 3: Kenneth Sikes, spent the weekend with Renee Covey, Emmett and Eunice Terry, Rodney Sikes, Mary Ann Hellman, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Iris and Glen Cook, Jimmy

I hope everyone is enjoythey had visited their ing the spring weather, and

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The applicant proposes Grace Ellis and Mr. and to dispose of oil and gas Mrs. Cecil Ellis visited and waste into the Fry Sand R. Battles visited them had dinner with the Jerry Martin Jersey Farm "B", Ellis family Sunday. Mr. Well Number 3. The proand Mrs. H. G. Welch of posed disposal well is located 15 mile west of with the R. W. Cupps were day and spent the night Trickham in the Coleman County Regular Field, in Coleman County. The waste water will be in-Lucille Blanton visited dur- to Brady Sunday and pick- jected into strata in the ed up Mr. and Mrs. Odell subsurface depth interval from 980 to 984 feet.

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Historical Notes

By Ralph Terry

The book on the history of Coleman County seems to be picking up speed and interest as the book has been placed on sale. It will be sold by pre-publication, so if you want a copy it would be a good idea to place your order touay before you forget about it.

The cost again is \$40 plus \$2 tax. An additional \$3 is needed if you wish to have the book mailed to you. Orders may be sent to the **Coleman County Historical** Commission, P.O. Box 958, Coleman, Texas 76834.

Talks have been given at several meetings over the county about this history. and writing your own family history to be included in the book. The more people learn of the project, the more interest there seems

I also feel that now would be a good time to mention those who are working on the Commission's project ... other then myself, the main workers are Judia Gaines (Judia is a moving force in this project, and without her the history project would not be going as well as it is), Nan Markland, LaJuan Sneed, Maurine Burroughs, Sarah

Mrs. John Hunter, Anita Tomlinson, Steve Autry, Ann Watson, Clara Cupps, Thelma Fleming, Lucile Wylie, Vena Bob Gates, Lucille Blanton, Moya Cole, Alta Benge, B. B. Nunley Jr., Ann See, Doris Miller, Hope Golson and Doris Williams. If you need help on the project, call any of these... if they do not know the answer, they can find out. Get busy on your family history today! We are asking that you have your family history to us by June 15, or let us know you are working on it if you

cannot meet the deadline. New guides to help you are available at Ralph Terry Studio, the newspaper offices in Coleman and Santa Anna, and the library in Coleman, or I will mail one if you send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to me.

In future weeks I will be running articles on school. church and community writing projects. If you would like to write a history of any of these, let me know. Some are accounted for, but we need writers on others.

Also, if you know a Lou Gardner, Glynn Mit-covered in the book, let us chell, Mrs. Leona Bruce, know. We may not have

thought of it. Any help or Texas Agricultural Extenadvice will be appreciated.

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By Jim Parker

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to work!

they don't eat enough ironrich foods. Also, other foods they eat may interfere with their body's absorption of iron.

To improve deficient diets, Cooksey recommends eating more meat, fish and poultry in meals, and including cereals, fruits and vegetables in the diet. Eating vitamin C-rich foods, like citrus fruit, with

ten down to the current generations, everyone included... with at least one or two photographs per story, if possible.

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The Coleman County Baptist Association will have their monthly session Tuesday, April 19, at the Immanuel Baptist Church at Talpa. The evening meal will be served at 6 p.m. followed by the executive board meeting at 6:30.

The program, which is a Vacation Bible School clinic, will begin at 7 p.m. county will be taking part in the meeting, and the public is invited to attend.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. O. R. Boenicke

The Annual Trickham Cemetery Association meeting was held Sunday, April 10, and was a big success. About 300 people attended from so many places. It is an annual homecoming to so many people and we look for

ward to it each year.
Grady McIver was in charge of the meeting. There was so much nice food brought and served.

Bro. James Gilbert of Denton brought a good memorial sermon, and Joe Stacy led the opening song and closing song. Clara James and her daughter Sherril sang two special pastor, Gary Spraggins, sang a special song and gave the opening prayer. Bro. Gilbert led the benediction and thanks for the

food. A short business meeting followed, and Grady McIver and Lou Vaughn were re-elected as directors. Grady McIver is president and Lou Vaughn is secretary, and she gave last year's report, followed by a basket lunch at the Community Center. There was a singing at the church in the afternoon.

Ralph Terry of Coleman was there and gave a talk on the historical book and

wanting each family to write their history. Visitors with Lou Vaughn over the weekend were Marvin and Ruth Smith and Oma Lee Dockery and Ilene Haynes.

My brother, Bryan Shield, came Friday and

this week. He and Rankin McIver are doing some fishing. Also my nephew, Bill and Dorris Shield of Bonham, came Sunday for the meeting and spent the night with us and left at 10 a.m. Monday . Sunday night Rankin and Natalie McIver visited us all.

Visitors with the Walter Stacys were Marjorie Sullivan and son Robert and his girlfriend, Vickie Magnon of San Antonio, came and brought food for the cemetery meeting. Also Carolyn Sells and Stephen and husband Dr. Steve Sells of Bandera were and Carrie to Abilene to spend the day Monday with O. T. and Sue Stacy.

Donnie and Chris Henderson and children and and Sug Stearns visited the Hilburn Hendersons Sunday evening.

Russie James is some better and at home. Visitors with her during the weekend were Roberta and Pat McShan and their families, Pat Jr. and Shannon McShan and Er-ica, Cindy and Kelley Hoffman, Lyndall Moore and Yetive Cole, and

maybe others, Visitors with Ilene Haynes were Reba and Elvis Cozart and Philip, Haynes, and Lois Wallace, who is visiting her mother. Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wallace and Oma Lee Dockery visited them.

Sherman and Dortha Stearns, Clint and Sabrina Shield, came Friday and spent the weekend with his parents, G. K. and Sug

SCHOOL

MENU

Stearns. Other visitors on Sunday were Stearns, Verdie Haynes, Nancy Jo Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stearns, Sandra and James. Grady and Scottie James, Bill Stearns and Tony, Miss Maricela and Craig Roarigne of Brownwood, Donnie and Chris Henderson and Rodney, who visited in the

Sunday Doyne and Wanda McIver and family, Terry and Orabeth McIver and family all had supper and visited the Grady McIvers after the Cemetery meeting.

Saturday evening Roy man visited the Rankin McIvers, and Saturday night Bryan and I visited them and we played 42.

My niece and husband came this Monday evening to visit Bryan and I. Leota and Pete Walkoviak of Navasota will be here until

Wednesday morning.
Verna Bolton of Rockwall arrived Friday night and visited to Sunday evening with her mother, Florence Stearns. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Stearns and three grandsons of Snyder came Saturday to his mother's, and all attended the Cemetery meeting. G. and Novella Stearns visited with the group Sunday afternoon, and all

attended the meeting. Alice Wells and Gregory, Barbara Kirkpatrick and girls of Coleman visited with Mrs. Stearns and the guests Sunday afternoon after the meet-

While here, Verna and Ann and Novella painted Florence's bedroom and R. C. worked on the fence and other chores about the

We are having some pretty weather, but need a good rain.

The homestead aspect that no person should be placed in a position to 'Be turned out of their home.'

Traditionally, the two types of homesteads in Texas have been the Urban Homestead, consisting of a lot, exclusive of improvements, with a value of \$10,000; and a Rural Homestead consisting up to two-hundred acres of land. There are provisions for business homesteads but they are seldom seen in this day and age.

Three means are available to obtain a valid lien against a person's homestead so that the valid heir could, for reasons of nonpayment, be foreclosed and the person could lose his or her homestead. The

three ways are: 1. A lien created as a result of a third person lending money as purchase money for the homestead property. This is usually evidenced by a Deed of Trust and Note.

A lien created as results of third party making valuable improvements to the homestead property. This is usually evidenced by a Mechanics and Materialism Lien Contract and Note.

3. A lien created by the non-payment of ad valorum taxes on homestead property.

Additionally, the IRS can do some nasty things to a homestead but it has been my experience that they are usually above the law in all cases.

Effectively, the homestead is protected from all other types of debt and a spend-thrift is, in essence. protected from himself, to the extent of his home. Neither can a person borrow money against a

homestead for any reason than those stated.

Currently, legislation is pending in Austin that would virtually eliminate this homestead protection. Proponents of the legislation point out that Texas is one of only two states that still have this restrictive law and that a person should have the right to encumber his or her homestead with second, third. fourth of fifth liens if they so desire. They state this would free up to three hundred million dollars in home equities that could be actively placed in the

economy. Of course, on the oppositions side, it is pointed out, and rightfully so, that person could, in weak moment, purchase an item like a television, give a lien on their home as additional security for the debt, and wind up losing their home if unable to pay for the television.

Often I can tell a good deal about legislation by the persons supporting it. The supporters of this measure are not the Savings and Loan Companies and banks, but the small consumer loan companies. All my life I have had

"if it ain't broke, don't fix While there is a tremendous equity tied up in homestead property, and while the benefits to the nificant, can we be sure economy would be sig-

we are not creating a

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monster if this protection was eliminated? Unfortunately, some of our brothers and sisters are "Dummies" on financial matters and it just boils down to whether or not we really are "our brother's keeper."

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