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Three Directors to be Elected

REA Membership Meeting Friday

The annual membership meeting of the Coleman County Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. will be held Friday night, July 29, at the Rodeo Grounds in Coleman. Registration will begin at 7 p.m., with the business session to be held from 8 -

Ken Riley, a psychology pro-

fessor at Dundee College of Com-

merce in Scotland, was a recent

visitor in Santa Anna, stopping

here for lunch and to sightsee

Riley is an exchange professor

at Northern Virginia Community

College in Alexandria, Va. and

was spending vacation time tour-

ing the United States with his two

Touring Texas has been a

highlight for the family, with a

visit to the Dr. Pepper bottling

college-age daughters.

around the town.

Entertainment will be from 8:30 until 9:00, followed by a drawing for prizes.

Three directors will be elected at the meeting Friday night. Candidates from Area 1 are Garland Abbey, incumbent, and S. J. Brevard; Area 2, Tom Kingsbery,

company in Waco a main attrac-

tion, the familiar soft drink not

available in the Scotland or

Lunchtime included a ham-

burger at Windy B's Cafe, with a

notation by Riley that "the sand-

wich was unforgettable!" He also

thought the name of the town was

interesting, and enjoyed meeting

local folks and looking over the

Riley commented that Texans

are the friendliest people

anywhere, and that they were en-

joying their tour of the state.

Scottish Visitor Enjoys

Brief Visit in S-Anna

England.

incumbent, and P. H. (Mutt) Henderson; and Area 3, Wilma C. Davis, incumbent, and Hugh Don White Jr. of Winters.

E. E. Evans is president of the Cooperative that serves approximately 3.600 customers in Coleman, Runnels and Brown counties. Arnold Fuchs of Rowena is vice president, and Garland Abbey is secretary treasurer. Other directors are the incumbents mentioned and also Johnnie Henderson, C. B. Tounget, Foy

Tomlinson and Leon Frerich. James Barr is manager of the Cooperative. Formed in the early 1930's to provide electric power to the rural areas, the local Cooperative now serves customers in Coleman County and Runnels County, and parts of

Brown and other surrounding

counties. All members of the Cooperative are encouraged to attend the meeting Friday night and take an active part in the operation of the group.

Brown County Rodeo Opens Tonight in Brownwood

The annual Brown County Rodeo will be held Thursday through Saturday at the Earl Q. Wilson Arena in Brownwood. The event is sponsored by the Brown County Fair Association.

Producing the open rodeo is the Lester Meier Rodeo Company of Fredericksburg. Events include bareback and saddle bronc riding, steer wrestling, calf roping, team roping, bull riding and barrel

racing.

Howard Stevens of San Antonio will be rodeo clown, and Danny Bell of Austin is bullfighter.

The Thursday evening performance will start at 7:30 p.m., and Friday and Saturday performances will be at 8:00 p.m.

To open the Rodeo festivities, a parade will be held Thursday at 5 p.m. in downtown Brownwood. Riding clubs and sheriff's posses from the central Texas area will be featured, along with floats, marching groups and decorated vehicles.

Many area cowboys and cowgirls. will be competing in the rodeo this weekend, with capacity crowds expected to be on hand to watch the events.

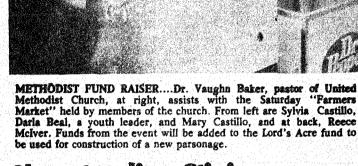
New Business is opening here

Jean Kellar is opening a beauty shop in Santa Anna next week. The Hair Hut will open Tuesday, August 2, in a building adjacent to the Kellar home on South Lee Street.

A Cross Plains native, Mrs. Kellar trained at Gary's Beauty College in Brownwood and worked five years at Sarah's Beauty Salon in Brownwood.

She and her family moved to Santa Anna last year where her husband, Danny Kellar, is manager of the Telephone Cooperative. Their two children attend the local school.

The new shop will be open for business Monday through Friday of each week.



Daria Beal, a youth leader, and Mary Castillo, and at back, Reece McIver. Funds from the event will be added to the Lord's Acre fund to be used for construction of a new parsonage.

Cheerleading Clinic Planned for Area Students

The Santa Anna High School cheerleaders are sponsoring a cheerleader clinic for students from kindergarten through eighth grade, to be held next week at the football field. The sessions will be held Monday and Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Cost will be \$7 per person.

Those wishing to take part are asked to pre-register so that plans may be made. Those interested may call Sharyl Fuller in Coleman at 625-2498, or the school office in Santa Anna, 348-3136. Pre-registration is requested by noon Monday, August

Registration will be at 5 p.m. Monday at the high school. All students must be accompanied by a parent and have a parental permission form signed.

Sessions and instructions will be given for stretches, jumps, cheers and chants, dance routines, pyramids and partner stunts. Each participant is asked to bring a water jug, towel and insect repellent. Comfortable clothing and tennis shoes are suggested.

Although no spectators will be allowed during the week, a parents' night is planned Friday, August 5, from 6 - 7:30 p.m.

SAHS cheerleaders conducting the clinic will be Janis Weathers, Robin Hartman, Jeanene Jones, Nola Hughes, Jackie Weathers and Malicea Ruca

Coleman County is Assigned An Additional District Judge

Coleman County is gaining a new district judge while keeping the former one, according to action of the Texas Legislature.

Effective January 1 Coleman County will be in Judicial District 42 as well as District 35. Gordon Griffin serves District 35.

Assigned to the new post is Judge Don Lane of Abilene. Due to the heavy case load, Judge Lane agreed to start holding court here immediately, and is scheduled to hold court in Coleman every second Thursday afternoon, except during the weeks that Judge Griffin is in

Judge Lane received his law degree from the University of Texas at Austin and was admitted to the



JUDGE DON LANE

ESA Community Calendars Ready for Distribution

The community calendars and are ready for distribution. The calendars, featuring the school

birthday and anniversary dates. club and organizational meetings and other information of interest to chapter or at Bradley Lumber Co.

to pick up the calendars that they are to distribute.



TOURNAMENT WINNERS.....Chris DeLeon, left, and Paul Vasquez were winners of the 18-year-old bracket of the Brownwood Open Tennis Tournament held last week. Paul and Tournay DeLeon, Chris' older brother, were State Class A doubles champions this spring, while Chris teamed with Johnny Vasquez for the runner-up and. The Brownwood tourney was sponsored by Holley Chevrolet and the Reservoord Tennis

S-Anna Student State FFA Delegate

Ramon Castillo represented the Santa Anna Future Farmers of America Chapter at the Texas FFA Convention in San Antonio July 13 -15. He was voting delegate during the business sessions and attended the programs and activities of the large organization. Ramon was accompanied to San Antonio by Scott Patterson, Santa Anna FFA Advisor

and Vocational Agriculture Teacher.

Grant Teaff, head coach at Baylor University, was main speaker at the meeting. State officers were elected at the closing session.

Ramon served as an officer in the Santa Anna FFA Chapter last year.

New Manager For S.A. Dairy Queen

Bret Youngblood of Ranger has moved to Santa Anna to assume management of the local Dairy Queen restaurant. He began work here last weekend.

Youngblood has been employed as a manager trainee at the Ranger Dairy Queen and in his new position plans to continue the good service

that has been provided here. The local restaurant is among those in the Richeson Restaurant chain.

Chris Haas, the former manager. resigned the position to take employment in New Orleans. He and his family had lived in Santa Anna several months, moving here from



RARLY OIL DISCOVERY in Column County was at the Robertson Ranch near Trickham. Identified in the photo are Lee Woodward, seated, and Henry

published annually by the Delta Omicron Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha have arrived from the printer calendar, are from August 1983 through July 1984.

Also included on the calendar are

the community. The calendars cost \$2 each and are available from members of the ESA sorority Sorority members are requested

This is the eighth year for the ESA group to publish the calendars, a major fund-raising project for the

New Ad Manager For S.A. News

Mountain

After a delightfully mild spring and early summer, hot weather has arrived. Our area finally had temperatures of over 100 degrees this week, and no rain has fallen in a week or so, making it really hot and

How easily we get spoiled to the good weather!

While preparing family history for the Coleman County history book, Sylvia Herring started writing events and facts of the Whon Community as she remembers it as a child.

The stories are very interesting and amusing, and we will be printing them in a series of articles in the coming weeks. Whether or not you have ever been to Whon or have known any of the folks there, you'll enjoy

The county history project is creating interest of so many people and getting on record people and happenings never before documented.

Two Fire Calls For Local VFD

Santa Anna Volunteer Firemen had two calls last week.

On Tuesday of last week, firemen and equipment went to Whon where they extinguished a grass fire at the Tom Rutherford place. About eight to ten acres was burned in the blaze.

On Wednesday, a frame garage at the Willie Thomas home on South Third Street was until the small building was engulfed in flames, but the firemen kept the blaze

from damaging the home. The family dog was killed in the fire, along with some items stored in the bulding.

Father of S-Annan **Buried in Arkansas**

Funeral services were held Monday, July 18, at First Baptist Church of Crossett, Arkansas for James McKinley Tarver, 84, the father of a Santa Anna woman.

Mr. Tarver died Saturday, July 16, after a brief illness and was buried in Pinewood Memorial Park at Crossett.

He was a retired woodyard operator for Georgia-Pacific Paper Company and a Baptist.

Survivors are two daughters, Jean Tarver of Crossett and Mrs. Richard (Joyce) Brannon of Santa Anna: a brother, Isaac Tarver of Jena, La.; and five grandchildren.

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The estimated cost of Oklaunion, Chalker West Texas Utilities Co.'s said. The cost had been Oklaunion Power Station. now under construction in year ago, but is now North Texas, has been estimated at \$398 million. reduced by \$127 million.

made Friday by Durwood ficer of Central and South West Corp., WTU's parent company, at a presentation before the Utility and Telecommunications Securities Club of Chicago.

The reduced cost estimate results primarily from being able to negotiate better contracts in today's market with manufacturers and suppliers for practically all of the equipment needed for

Ode Bilbrey Buried Here Last Friday

Graveside funeral rites were held at Santa Anna Cemetery Friday, July 22, for O. L. Bilbrey, 80, who died Wednesday, July 20, in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman. The Rev. Paul Hubbard, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist Church in Coleman, officiated at the services. directed by Stevens Funeral Home of Coleman.

Mr. Bilbrey was born January 7, 1903 in Stonewall County, the son of Lee Rasmus and Lula J. (Smith) Bilbrey. He married Beatrice Gilbert in Ozona July 20, 1964. A retired oilfield worker and a Baptist, he had lived in Coleman County since 1930.

Survivors include his wife; a step-daughter, Mrs. LaDell Morris of Santa Anna; a step-son, Orvel Hall of Santa Anna; two sisters, Zola Kuykendall of Santa Anna and Leota Shaw of San Saba; three grandchildren; three greatgrandchildren; three stepgrandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

estimated at \$525 million a The Oklaunion Power

The announcement was Station will have a net generating capalty of 640 Chalker of Dallas, chair- megawatts and will be the man and chief executive ofsystem to burn coal as a boiler fuel. The plant is

scheduled for completion in December 1986 and will be in full operation before the summer of 1987.,

It will be owned jointly by WTU and two other CSW subsidiaries, Public Service Co. of Oklahoma and Central Power and Light Co. WTU will own 55 percent of the plant and will be the operating partner.



DEBORAH BODINE

SAHS Twirler Attends Summer Camp

Deborah Jean Bodine, who will be a twirler with the Santa Anna Mountaineer Band this year, has recently attended two twirling camps in preparation for the coming year.

She took part in the University of Texas at Arlington twirling camp June 27 through July 1, and July 10 - 17 was at the Angelo

State University camp. Instructions included new routines, tricks and special effects of twirling.

The SAHS junior has been in band since the fourth grade and has had twirling lessons at band camps in recent years. She is the daughter of Mrs.

Local Nutrition Center Menu destroyed. The fire was not discovered and reported is Listed For Coming Week

Serving of the noon meal at Mountain City Center is held each Monday, Wednesday and Friday for senior citizens in Santa Anna and the surrounding area. Persons aged 60 or over and their spouses are

welcome to have lunch with

cost based on ability to pay. The menu for Friday, July 29, is as follows: Pimento cheese sandwich. bean soup, cabbage - apple

salad, jello, crackers, milk, tea or coffee. The Monday, August 1,

Coleman Tennis Tourney **Scheduled This Weekend**

The Coleman County Tennis Association is sponsoring a tennis tournament Friday night, July 29, and Saturday, July 30. Tournament play will continue Sunday afternoon if

There will be A and B divisions for mens singles and doubles, womens singles and doubles and mixed doubles. Entries may be high school age or adults, and all events will be held if there are four or more entries.

Persons interested may enter as many as three events. Each player is guaranteed a minimum of two rounds of play.

Entr fee will be \$6 per event for non-association members and \$4 per event for members. Deadline is July 27, calling 625-2333 in Coleman before 5 p.m. Each team must furnish one can of tennis balls.

Trophies will be awarded first, second and consolation winners in each event.

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meal will be as follows: Lasagne, buttered carrots. green beans, salad, bread pudding, coffee, tea or milk.

Eudell Copeland is coor-

Wednesday, August 3,

menu is this: Oven-fried chicken, golden potatoes, lettuce-tomato salad, apple cobbler, milk, tea or coffee.

dinator for the local program that is sponsored by the Committee on Aging. The menu is subject to change without notice, according to Mrs. Copeland.

He died in 1959.

and a housewife.

Survivors are one son. Albrus Little of Midland; three daughters, Mrs. Der-Santa Anna, Mrs. Ray-

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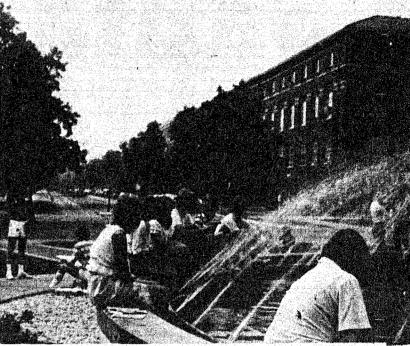
Santa Anna Student Takes Part In National Church Youth Event

was among the group of Presbyterian young people attending the recent 1983 Youth Triennium at Perdue University at West Layfayette, Indiana. Monique Spillman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spillman, is a member of the Santa Anna United Presbyterian Church and attended with the Palo Duro Union Presbytery delegation.

The Triennium is held every three years for Presbyterian youth aged 15 to 19. More than 3,800 young people representing every state in the union and 29 foreign countries gathered for the six-day event that featured worship, workshops, fellowship and fun.

Delegates chose from 84 different topics for their workshops and forums. Some of the topics included drug usage, peer pressure, peacemaking, bio-ethics, music, spiritual discipline, prayer and meditation and vouth leadership. The workshops were led by experts in the individual fields.

Outstanding speakers at the Triennium included Justice Mrs. Annie B. Jaigge, President of the World Countil of Churches: Dr. William Myers of the Chicago Theological Seminary; Reverand Stan Wood, General Secretary -Clerk of the General Assembly, and others.



YOUTH TRIENNIUM ... Years people from all over the world were present for the Presbyterian Youth Trieszalum hold at the Perdus University cas week. Young people attending the event are shown here seeking relief

from the extreme heat and hu cooling their feet in the fountain at Perdue Memorial Mall. Monique Spillman of Santa Anna was one of the area youth to attend.

The fun activities included setting the North Amercian record for "lap sitting" with 1,876 people and setting the world's record for the bunny hop. Many of the young people also braved the heat and humidity to participate in the "Fun Run" which raised money for the world hungr

programs. Despite temperatures in

Funeral Held Tuesday For Mrs. Opal Little

Funeral services were held at United Methodist Church Tuesday, July 26, for Mrs. Opal Little, 79, who died Sunday, July 24, in St. John's Hospital in San Angelo after a short illness. Dr. Vaughn Baker, pastor of the church, officiated at the services, with interment in the Santa Anna Cemetery under direction of Henderson Funeral Home.

(Matthews) Pritchard. She had lived in Santa Anna since childhood. moving here from Bell County. She was a 1924 graduate of Santa Anna High School and married Albrus B. Little in Santa Anna September 14, 1929.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women, -Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary

riel (Pauline) Warnock of

mond (June) Hawkins of Albany and Mrs. Kenneth (Shirley) Minyard of Snyder; seven sisters, Mrs. Lola Blanton of Granbury, Mrs. Viola Harris of Lubbock, Mrs. Iva Ferguson of Hale Center, Mrs. Juanita Smith of Hobbs, N. M., Mrs. Loraine Hahn of Middletown, Va., Mrs. Betty Courage of San Angelo and Miss Rhoda Pritchard of Durango, Colo.; one Born December 7, 1903 in brother, Elmer Pritchard Johnson County, she was of Brownwood; 22 grandthe daughter of Marion and children and 19 greatgrandchildren. A hrother William (Bill) Pritchard preceded her in death in

> Grandsons served as pallbearers for the services

Fellowship Dinner Set the upper 90's and humidity of 60 percent, the Triennium was an exciting and inspiring experience for the local teenager. Many ideas were exchanged and following the morning worfriends made during the huge gathering.

The Youth Triennium was sponsored by the newly reunited Presbyterian Church (USA) and First and Second Cumberland Presbyterian Churches and the Presbyterian Church of Canada.

The 13-member delegation from Palo Duro Presbytery departed by bus from Wichita Falls.

stopping in Tulsa, Oklahoma and St. Louis, Missouri, and other places for sightseeing enroute to Indiana. The Palo Duro Presbytery covers the northwest quarter of Texas, from Wichita Falls to Brownwood, to Lubbock and Odessa.

ship service. Each family is invited to attend, taking food for the meal. SANTA ANNA NEWS

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United Methodist Church

will meet for a covered dish

dinner Sunday, July 31,

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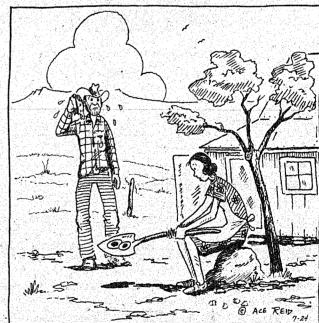
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By Ace Reid



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Trickham News

By Mrs. O. R. Boenicke

Next Sunday will be the Fifth Sunday with the singing to be held at the Trickham Union Church beginning at 1:30. Joe Stacy will be in charge. We hope to see the good singers back and others here to hear them.

Saturday night the game party was held at the Community Center with 18 present. All played 84 and had a big time.

Thursday night Mrs. Artie Fry gave an 84 party at her home with 22 present and one visitor, Frankie Wells mother was with them. Mrs. Fry served nice refreshments, also her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Shipp from Midland. came Tuesday and stayed until Friday afternoon and were there for the party.

Saturday my nephew and wife, Maurice and Mary Greene from San Antonio, their daughter Molly Cobern and son Michael Cobern Jr. from Newport News, Va. visited me and had lunch. Sunday Mrs. Artie Fry went to church with me and had dinner with me.

liene Haynes and Oma Lee Dockery and Reba Cozart and Justin Haynes went to Hermleigh Saturday and went with Billy and Carole Haynes ro Ruidoso. All Ilene's family were there, others being Lois and Frank Wallace, Jerry and Donna Haynes Britt, Dave and a friend. They went to the races and sightseeing. They had a good time, returning home on Wed-

nesday.

O. T. and Sue Stacy of Abilene visited the Walter Stacys Wednesday even-ing. Also Mr. and Mrs. Shipp and Mrs. Artie Fry visited that evening. Sunday O. T. came back to stay a day or two while his wife, Sue is at a church

Friday Betsy and Sally McIver spent the day with their grandparents, the Grady McIvers. Sunday they had a birthday dinner for Terry McIver at his his family were Grady and there. Mary Lea came Genia McIver, Mae Blue home Sunday, and Bettie Henderson. On Sunday visi Sunday evening Rankin Charles Brewsters were J. and Natalie McIver visited R. and Patricia Parruth

Sunday visitors with the

Dinner Planned

By Presbyteriens

Members of United

Presbyterian Church and

their families will meet for

a fellowship dinner Sun-

day, July 31, following the

Each family is asked to br-

ing food for the meal that

will be served in the

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen

Cullins and Amy have mov-

ed recently to Santa Anna

after making their home in

Brownwood since their

marriage in March. They

are living on Avenue B.

Cullins is employed at San-

Thompson is a daughter of

the late Mr. and Mrs. Ed

Spencer of Santa Anna.

ta Anna National Bank.

VISIT RELATIVES

Fellowship Hall at 12 noon.

MOVE TO S-ANNA

Saturday morning sev-Saturday morning several from our community and Mrs. Clive Brewster attended a coffee at the Methodist Church in Coleman for Rebecca Slate, the bride-to-be of Lesley McClatchy. The ones from Brad and Sherri Brewster
here attending were Lou
vaughn, Russie James, will stay until Wednesday Leona Henderson, Daisy with his parents. McClatchy and Oma Lee

Dockery. Visitors with Lou Vaughn were Mr. and Mrs. Shipp and Mrs. Fry who visited Wednesday, and Russie James visited

Sunday evening.
Oneta James visited Lillie and Bond Featherston Sunday evening.

llene Haynes and Leona Henderson visited Oma morning worship service. Lee Dockery Sunday evening, and Marvin and Ruth Smith visited on Monday morning.

Florence Stearns visited Winnie Haynes Sunday evening. Monday evening she visited Sug and G. K.

Visitors with Leona Henderson were Anna Laura York, Ilene Haynes, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henderson of Odessa spent Saturday night and Sunday with them.

Sunday Russie James and family ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Watson in Brownwood, and Russie visited Yetive Cole awhile. She also visited

Oma Lee Dockery.
Joe and Ora Stacy spent the weekend with their son and family, Martin Stacy, and also their daughter and family, Zonell Hultz, visited with them. They attended church at Cleburne and an afternoon singing at Dublin. Rankin and Natalie Mc-

meeting at Holiday Inn in Brownwood Saturday.

Mary Lea Mitchell went

Austin Thursday and visited Betty and Damon Miller and family. Also Lea and Loyd Mock, home. Those there besides Jennie and James were

Santa Anna Student Attends TFB Seminar

A Santa Anna senior was one of three Coleman County high school students who attended the Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar at Angelo State University last week.

Connie Culpepper, the and James and Linda and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Culpepper, took part spent the day with the in the seminar sponsored Charles Brewsters, and by Coleman County Farm Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roach Bureau. Others from the county attending were Emma Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Wilson of Novice, and Jimmy Gomez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gomez of Coleman.

To be eligible for the seminar, students must be in the 11th or 12th grade this fall and in the upper 30 percent of their classes scholastically, with good character and leadership ability.

The purpose of the seminar is to convey to the students a better understanding of American



CONNIE CULPEPPER

Heritage and the capitalistic private enterprise system that has made ours the greatest of all nations. 1: were informed about some of the forces that are eroding our way of

The students will be encouraged to share the information they learned with

McClure Family Reunion Held at Lake Brownwood

The family of the late weekend. Vince and Mary (Newman) McClure met for their annual reunion July 22 - 24 at Sandy Beach Park at Lake Brownwood. Ruth and Charles Loeffler of Midland are chairmen of

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Reese the reunion group. and three children of All five sons of the late Tatum, N. M. spent last couple were present for the week camping at Hords reunion, including Mr. and Creek Lake, joined on Fri-Mrs. Tom McClure of day by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, also of Tatum. Glenn McClure of Santa The families also visited Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spencer McClure of Plainview, Mr. Jr. in Coleman and Mrs. and Mrs. Gene McClure of Nancy Bodine and family Abilene and Clinton Mcin Santa Anna. Mrs. Clure of Coleman.

> The group enjoyed swimming, boating, games and, visiting during the

Social Security Notes

Alice Newman of San Angelo, Walter McClure, Ruth and Charles Locklar and Michelle of Midland; Donald McClure, Crystal and Mitchell of Lamesa; Neta and Johnny Jones, Christie and Jody of Coleman; Gary McClure of Coleman; Shad and Lance McClure of Brady; Melissa and Jamie McClure of Fist; Bo and Shirley Bush

Abilene; Elaine and Ron Hargett of Fort Worth. Friends joining the group were Gary Dennis, Becky, Kelly, Kristi Marge and Betty Jones of Mid-

Others attending were T. England and Ora and Vickie, Jamie Jett, Jason and Rachelle of

land and Russell Johnston of San Antonio.

Lose Play-off Bid to Clyde Coleman County's Little

County L-League All Stars

League All Star team ended the season last Thursday night when they lost to the Clyde team 10.

8 in Breckenridge. The local boys out-hit Clyde, 13 - 3, but errors, walks and passed balls

Rites Held For Mrs. Beckham Last Sunday

Funeral services were held at Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman Sunday, July 24, for Margaret Beckham, 79, who died Friday, July 22, at Ranger Park Nursing Home in Santa Anna. The Rev. James Ford, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, officiated at the services, with interment in the

Brown Ranch Cemetery. Mrs. Beckham was born January 28, 1904 in Jack County, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald. She attended the Jermyn School there and married R. E. Wilson in Desdemona in 1923. He died in 1957.

She married Roy Y. Beckham in 1961. He died in 1971. She moved to Coleman County in 1924, then lived in Bangs from 1971 to 1977, moving to Santa Anna. She operated a cafe for many years, was a member of the Assembly of God Church and the Rebekah Lodge.

Survivors are one son, Leon V. Hughes of Santa Anna; two step-sons and two step-daughters; one grandson, Larry Hughes of Bangs; several stepgrandchildren and stepgreat-grandchildren.



hurt them late in the

contest. Coleman, the designated home team, had advanced to the play-offs by winning over Cisco last

Santa Anna Mets on the

two singles.
Eddie Hartman, Mets

coach, was manager of the All Star squad, ex-pressing his appreciation for the support and cooperation shown the team this season.

week. Representing the

All Star squad were James Hartman and Salvador Perez. Hartman played an outstanding game, accounting for a double and

IN ABILENE HOSPITAL Mrs. Arthur Casey is a patient in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene and has been very ill. Her daughter, Mrs. Doretha Gilmore of Mobile, Ala. has been with her several weeks

Visiting Sunday with Mrs. Casey were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Horner.

> Walker **Funeral Home**

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Ambulance Service

PUBLIC NOTICE

At the request of the Office of the General Counsel of the Public Utility Commission, the Commission has established Docket No. 5113 to inquire into pressing issues involving the entire telephone industry in Texas. Docket No. 5113 will deal with many issues resulting from the impending divestiture of American Telephone and Telegraph Company and Southwestern Bell Telephone

Some of those issues include establishing the service areas of Southwestern Bell after divestiture and assessing the impact on other telephone companies in Texas, including Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, Inc., of current settlement arrangements between Southwestern Bell and those

Additionally, Docket No. 5113 will deal with the issues arising from the Federal Communications Commission's Final Order in Docket 78-72 (the Access Charge Docket) as they impact all telephone companies, including Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, Inc. It is anticipated that Docket No. 5113 will be evidentiary in nature. RATES FOR COLEMAN COUNTY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC. MAY BE DETERMINED BY THE COMMISSION IN OR AS A RESULT OF THIS PROCEEDING. Interested parties seeking further information or desiring to participate in Docket No. 5113 are advised to write to Rhonda Colbert Ryan, Secretary and Director of Hearings, Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757 or telephone the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0221 TTY for the deaf.

Sparkman Family Meets For Annual Reunion

The annual reunion of the descendents of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis (W. L.) Sparkman was held Saturday and Sunday, July 16 and 17, 1983. On Saturday evening the group met for a picnic and watermelon supper at Coleman City Park.

Following the supper, a very special song service was led by Bob and Reba Mason, with guitar accompaniment by Bob Mason. Attending were seven first cousins and eleven

others, a total of 18. On Sunday, July 17, a dinner was held at the Mountain City Center in Santa Anna, catered by Windy B's Cafe. Barbecued brisket with all the trimmings was served to the 25

present. After the meal the group enjoyed an afternoon of fellowship and visiting, with pictures and other family historical data displayed. A religious song service was led by Doyle Hughes, with his wife. Roberta, playing the piano. Solos were sung by Edith Mason.

During a discussion

period, Wendell Sparkman

Mention was made of J. L. Sparkman and Winfred last reunion.

Attending the family reu-Henson and Sammy of

Stanton; Leta Parker of

Santa Anna and Wendell

told of his recent trip to England and Scotland, and pictures of places of interest on the trip were displayed.

Watson, deceased since the

nion were T. L. and Ivy Sparkman, Clyde and Eirys Larance and Ophelia Watson, all of Coleman; Wayne and Dollie Sparkman of Abilene; George and Lorena Sparkman of Stephenville; Bill and Pearl Sparkman of Hobbs, N. M.; Beatrice Mason, Bob and Reba Mason and John Paul of Springtown; Robert and Desiree' Sherman of Azle; Katie Bankhead of Wichita Falls; Lois and Bob Conner of Menard; Leta Holt of Marble Falls; Edith Fletcher, Tammy and Sandra of Lake Dallas; Gayle Jennings of Eastland; Doyle and Roberta Hughes of Clyde; Dale and Mollie

Each year, millions of Americans contact their local Social Security office. benefits, apply for Social Security numbers, ask questions, and report events that may effect their payments.

If you need to get in touch with Social Security, you should know 'how' and 'when' to do so. In this way, you can receive the best

SUNDAY GUESTS Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Owen had their children and neighbors as guests Sunday in their home. They were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Norwood of Weatherford, Tony Owen and Vicki Varner of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lawhon, Johnie and Jackie of Santa Anna.

The Owens visited with Hollis and Toni Watson Saturday night, enjoying games of forty-two and refreshments.

shortest time. Most Social Security

simple can be handled by telephone. For example, you may have a general question about requirements for benefits. Or it you are getting checks, you may want to report a change of address or earn-

ings from work. If your situation is more complex or if you have several things to discuss, however, it is better to visit an office in person. For instance, if you want to apply for monthly benefits or to appeal a decision made on your claim, it's best that you talk directly with a Social Security representative. There are over 1.300 full-time and 3,500 part-

time offices to serve you. Whether you decide to all or visit the Social Security office, you should be aware of the best time to make your contact. The Social

GETTING IN TOUCH WITH SOCIAL SECURITY possible service in the Security people are busiest early in the day, early in the week, and during the They apply for monthly matters that are relatively first week of the month. Therefore, it's best to call or visit at other times if possible.

> Almost all Social Security matters can be handled by phone. Medicare questions or filing of medicare claims can be taken care of by calling toll free 800-442-2620. You may file an application to establish your eligibility by calling 915-646-7533 in Brownwood.

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Allen - Dillard Wedding Slated

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Allen announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Becky, to Billy Dale Dillard Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dale Dillard Sr. of Cross Plains. Vows will be exchanged in a gården wedding at the Dillard home in Cross Plains on September 24,

The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of

Santa Anna High School and received a degree from Tarleton State University. She is presently employed as a teacher with Crockett County Consolidated Common School District at Ozona.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1973 graduate of Cross Plains High School and employed with Blue Ridge Oil &

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

guests with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle,

in Santa Anna from Friday morning until late Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Pearl Avants of

Santa Anna and son James

of Coleman were on the

Avants farm Monday

morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Nicky
Poldrack of Coleman and
daughter Denita of San

Angelo were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Amon Otts stopped and chatted with the Tom

Rutherfords Monday

morning. She was enroute

to her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Doc Scarbrough

Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn

Stanley of Rising Star have recently visited with Mr.

and Mrs. Bean Radie.

They reported the hail

ruined their fruit crop and

canteloupes and other gar-

in Santa Anna.

den vegetables.

afternoon.

As I start my weekly report this Monday night, I really don't feel that I know one thing more than most already know. Espicially when I say we are really having hot weather, and everyone knows that, and from reports it isn't hot only in our little community. Hopefully we will be blessed with rain before all vegetation dries for the lack of water.

We are sorry to report Mr. and Mrs. Franke Wells have moved from our community. I understand they have been moved over a week, which I did not know. I have not talked with Dorthea, but they have been living on what we call the Ben Yarborough place at Home Creek for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Wells have moved to the home of the late Miss Virgie Brown, a few miles out of Santa Anna on the Brady High-The place was recently vacated by the

VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Horner, Brandi and Briana are at home after a vacation. They took their nephews, James and Jeff Simmons, to their home at Howe, then were at Austin for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. David Horner and daughter. In San Antonio they enjoyed the River Walk, zoo and the Alamo, and spent severa days at Corpus Christi, Padre Island and Port Aransas.

The Horners visited at Waco with her sister, Linda White and family, enroute home.

BACK AT HOME

Mrs. Grace Short is back at home after spending about two months in Abilene with her sister. Mrs. A. O. Richardson. Mrs. Richardson has been very ill and in the hospital but is now at home and improving.

family of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Switzer who have moved to Wichita, Kansas. Mrs. Wells' mother,

Mrs. Florence Longnecker from Baltimore, Md. is here with her daughter husband. We wish Franke and Dorthea well in their new location.

Marlinda Otts and Denea Otts of Throckmorton and Dawn White of Gouldbusk were with Mr. and Mrs. Amon Otts the past week. The girls were enjoying a vacation on the ranch tere.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwayne Perkins and family who live in the Owens Community were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Friday afternoon.

Rocky Rutherford and Loy Vaughn of Coleman visited Rocky's grandparents, the Tom Rutherfords, Sunday afternoon and later Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Boatright and daughter Denea of Coleman came out and brought a freezer and other ingredients to make ice

Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Bullion of O'Donnell came Saturday afternoon and were with her parents, Graham Fitzthe

cream with us.

patricks, until Sunday afternoon. Their daughter, Michelle, went with them on a few days vacation. Michelle has been here with her grandparents, the

Fitzpatricks.
Mrs. Amon Otts' grandmother, Mrs. Eddie Mae Barker, and her brother, Jim Bob Barker of Coleman, were guests with their granddaughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Otts, Tuesday

night. Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick and children of Santa Anna visited with his parents, the Graham Fitzpatricks, briefly Satur-

Mrs. Tom Rutherford visited briefly with Mrs. Gladys Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Vinson in

Santa Anna Tuesday. Bill Radie and son Phil from Oklahoma were

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Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

Granad and Connie spent the weekend with Ruby Howard. The Clarence Gil-

berts and Ruby Howard went to Hords Creek Lake

over the weekend to cele-

brate Rainey Howard's 80th birthday. Ruby said they sure had a nice time,

with 49 people there. They had a church service also.

They ate dinner there Sunday and returned

play ball.

day afternoon.

Pinson and boys of Brown-

James and Billie Perry

Mrs. Carmilla Baugh

visited her mother, Mrs.

Mae Flores, Friday in Bangs, and also dropped

by to see Nancy Lee and

Kayla.
The R. W. Cupps visited
Carolyn and Ernie Covey

and family in Georgetown over the weekend. Kasha

Donn also visited the past

week in Beaumont and

Galla Pickering, Randy, Laura and J. J. visited the

A. C. Pierces last week.

Sue McCarroll also came

out last week. Lou and Sue

visited Monday with Mrs. Maud McCarrell. They

also visited Cindy and

Brookes visited the E. A.

The R. W. Cupps were

supper guests of the Brown Brookes and Jeffery

of Comanche Wednesday

Lucille Blanton of Bangs

Densmans in Coleman.

Chrystal Monday.

visited his parents, the John Perrys, Sunday af-

Those visiting with the Dick Baughs over the weekend were their child-ren, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Reid and Mike of Teague, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Turner and Jason, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reid and Rachel, all of Teague, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reid from Mexia, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bible and Deb of Sonora and Jamie Joe of San Angelo, Mrs. Lonnie Lowry and Kayla and Mrs. Mae Flores of Bangs. They all celebrated Dick's

birthday a week early. Bob and Sydney Burleson, Arcel and Justin had Sunday dinner with her

dad, Darrel Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie
Fleming visited the Kenneth Sikes Sunday Evening. Charile visited his mother, Mrs. Beulah mother, Mrs. Beulah Fleming and Margie Saturday. Miller D. Fleming visited Thelma one evening, and Emmett Terry dropped by Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman went to Bangs Sunday afternoon to help Matthew Boyle celebrate his eight highday. Ha le

his sixth birthday. He is the son of the Daryl Boyles. Sandra Walker and Scotty also were there. Sandra Walker and Cindy Boyle and children visited the Edd Hartmans and Ronnie Hartman Tues-

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis ate Sunday dinner with Mrs. Grace Ellis. Jerry and Cathy Ellis and child-ren ate Saturday dinner with the Cecil Ellises. They also visited the Ellises again Sunday afternoon.

Visitors in the home of the W. L. Campbells over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pinegar of Winters, Mary Ann Hartman visited briefly, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell and Mavis Campbell of Fort Worth dropped by. Dens and Lance Rasch Friday with Maurine and Willie Blair in Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. D. T.

MARANA MA

are visiting their grand-parents, the Calvin Campbells the past week, and Mavis Campbell visited Saturday.
The Casey Herrings and

Imo Herring and Sis Stew-art went to Abilene to visit Mrs. Jean Bryan Sunday afternoon. Peter and Jeffery Herring visited their grandparents during the week, and John Morgan spent the weekend.

Frances Ford and girls of Brownwood came Saturday for a visit with the James Fords.

During the week visitors in the home of Mrs. Betty Joyce Cupps were Harrel Michael and Linda Cupps of Brownwood and Regins and Danny Walker and Tonya of Wichita Falls, and Janice and Curtis Fellers were in and out.

Friday afternoon Mrs. Byrdie Miller visited Mrs. Beulah Fleming and Mar-gie. Sunday Phyllis and Eddie Dillard visited the family

Sammie dropped in Friday afternoon to visit Mrs.
Tavy Ford awhile. Also
James and Mildred Ford stopped by Bernice John-son's in Coleman and also visited Tavy awhile Sunday afternoon.

Robert and Judy Lutes, Angle and Sally of Odessa came and spent the week-end with her daddy, Virgil

Cupps.
Visitors with Benjy and
Roxie Allison on Thursday were a niece and husband, Dick and Wanda Titchen of Lovington, N. M. and a friend, Claude Teague of Conroe. Also the George Haynes from near Brownwood. Benjy and Roxie visited the George Haynes Monday and also visited

Henderson Reunion Held at Christoval

The family of the late Markham and Rosa Henderson met at the Christoval Park July 15 - 17 for their 21st annual reunion. Sixty-three family members and one visitor attended. All eight of the children of the late couple were present for the occasion.

Todd visited with his Those attending were parents, the Tom Ruther-Hilburn and Leona Henderfords, during the past week. Loyd's daughter, son of Santa Anna and their children, Naoma and Brent Tonna of Bangs, visited with him Sunday after-noon. Todd returned to Nichols, Wesley and Ted of Plano, Donnie and Chris Bangs with his sister that Henderson, Clarissa, Rodney and Candice of Col-A big thanks to the Santa Anna Fire Department for rushing to our eman; Ruth and Wayne Whitley, Sharon and Don community Tuesday after-Childs and Daren of Big noon to help put out a grass fire. Not a lot of Lake; Clay and Jerie Henderson and William damage was done, but the fire spread from the fence Clay of Midland; Ray and Jodie Henderson, their rows into the fields and children, Nikki and Jimmy pastures. Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney and Wilburn Bible called the Fire De-Dunn, Sabrina, Amy Rayanna, Chris and Bryon, partment, also thanks to Forest and Jan Henderson Bill Martin for his help. A and Rachel, all of Ozona, special thanks to the Santa Anna Fire Department

Others were Wanda and Tom Johnson and their children. Denice and Gordon and Crystal Rose of Odessa, Tommy and Karen Johnson and Stacy of Oklahoma City; Fred and Ruby Henderson and their children, Chryl Zeigenbein of Odessa, Candace and Konnie Greenroad, Carin and Joey of Seminole, Dale and Vickie Henderson, Marissa and Cody of Dallas: Roy and Betty Henderson of Houston and their children, Dana and Richard Mattox of Albuquerque, N. M. and Sharlet Henderson of Midland; Kenneth and Jean Henderson and their children, Mike and Shawna, Jeff and

Joyce of Odessa. Each year one family member is in charge of planning and preparing for the reunion. This year Fred and Ruby Henderson were hosts for the occasion. Everyone enjoyed visiting, swimming, paddle boating, cards and forty-two.

WMA Meeting Held Monday

Mrs. Selma Hasserodt was hostess for the Monday, July 25, meeting of the Women's Missionary Association of Northside Baptist Church. Louise Hix led the invocation, followed by group singing of "Amazing Grace."

Minutes and reports

attended a party at the Herman Bennett home in Brownwood Friday. She and church ladles toured the beautiful home and also Mr. Bennett's mus-Mrs. Lucille Bianton

attended the wedding Saturday night in Bangs of Odessa Rippetoe and J. O. Strother of San Angelo.

To handle yourself, use your head; to handle others, use your heart.

vere read by Hazel Mc-Crary, and Mrs. Viona West 'ed the business meeting.

Amanda Perry led the program entitled "Pleasing God or Self." The program was closed with Bible questions from the Book of Genesia

Mrs. Hasserodt served refreshments at the close of the meeting to the ones mentioned and also Mrs. Fannie Gilbert.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. C. E. Kingsbery is a patient in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman. Her daughers, Mrs. Frank Gray of Rising Star and Mrs. J. T. Garrett of Lake Jackson have been



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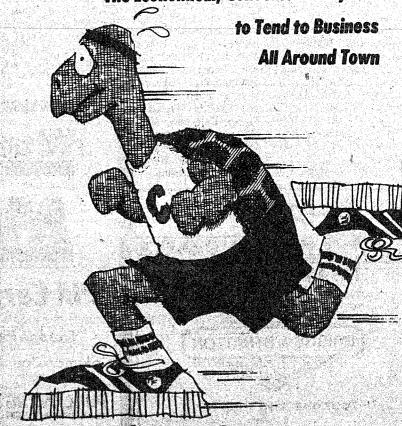
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troduced the Rev. Sidney

Bunn, pastor of the First

United Methodist Church in

Bangs. He spoke on

S.A.L.T. as the most impor-

tant factor and how we

should always celebrate

our freedom. Everyone en-

joyed his wonderful talk so

Faye Whitley read the

Lucile Wylie read a poem

minutes of the last meeting

and Madora Gilmore gave

the treasurer's report.

on "I Remember When".

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chapter of the American

Association of Retired Per-

sons met at Bangs at the

community center Monday

July 18, 1983 for their mon-

There were 30 in atten-

dance as President Tom

Williams called the

Reverend Sidney Bunn

For the first time the

chapter didn't have any

birthdays in July. Virgie

Prince baked the delicious

birthday cake and served it

Virgie had also

decorated the tables in

patriotic colors of red,

white and blue with ar-

rangements of beautiful

to the group anyway.

thly luncheon.

meeting to order.

voiced the invocation.

Ranger Park Inn News

The birthday party was enjoyed by a large number of residents Thursday afternoon. Thank you, Eunice Longbrake, for making Annie Barrington, Effic Smith and Ora Caldwell's birthdays such a delight.

Birthday cake, ice cream and punch were served to the honorees and other guests from a table covered with a lace table cloth and a centerpiece of pink ceramic roses. Gifts were opened by the honorees. Thank you again, Eunice.

The McCowen family from Cross Plains will be here Sunday afternoon, July 31, at 2:30 for a program of gospel music and songs. The public is welcome to attend.

John Writht of Jasper and Joyce and Linda Eaves of Texas City, Susie Snider's brother and nieces, visited her Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. Another visitor is Mary Alice Phillips of

Coleman.

The movie was enjoyed by the residents Friday afternoon.

Control of Mesquites Always a Problem

COLLEGE STATION-Aerial application of liquid 18-inch depth at spraying in battling mesquite and associated brush species in late spring and early

control," says Dr. Tommy in color Welch, range brush and weed control specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M

University System. "Thus it's necessary to take a look at weather conditions beginning last fall. Mesquite growth appears to be closely related to climatic conditions which precede the spraying date. Herbicides used to control mesquite and associated brush are growthregulating chemicals that must be translocated from the leaves to the stems and roots to be most effective.

Soil temperature is also a key to good mesquite con-

Echo Area Homecomina

The Rae - Eche -Crossroads homecoming will be held Saturday, July 30, at the National Guard Armory in Coleman. The annual event has been moved to the new location due to the storm damage at the Jim Ned Creek picnic area last spring. Most of the shade trees at the area were destroyed or damaged.

Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. A barbecue lunch will be served at 12 noon. with visitors asked to bring a salad or dessert for the meal. Donations toward expenses will be appreciated.

Musical entertainment is planned during the afternoon, and all ex-students and teachers of the community schools, as well as those who attended Kemp, Colorado, Lone Star, Watts Creek, Union Hill and

The annual reunion is well attended and enjoyed by former students and residents of the area.



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Hunter, Myrtle Chapman, Bettie Henderson, Dorothy Brown, Don and Mildred Estes and Vicki Green visited Susie Snider and Pearl Abernathy.

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Thank you, Bro. and Mrs. P. A. Lindley, Mrs. Nolen, Mrs. Keeney and Sandra Steffey for singing the beautiful gospel songs for the residents Tuesday evening. It is a joy to have you visit us each week.

Thank you, Mary Clifford, for the yarn and crochet thread you gave the Inn. It is so greatly appreciated and will keep the ladies busy for a while.

herbicides can be effective time is 75 degrees F. or above. Mesquite plants with a large quantity of "Most ranchers want to leaves are ripe for spray-

apply herbicides during a ing once the leaves are fulyear they can expect good ly extended and dark green Studies have shown that aerial spraying of her-

soil temperature at the

bicides gives average mesquitec ontrol when monthly rainfall is average of slightly above average for at least three months before treatment. Highest plant kills occurred when monthly rainfall exceeded the average for six months prior to spraying, while poorest results occurred following conditions when

Usually mesquite plants that have fully developed dark green foliage and are past full trol. Best mesquite kill is bloom with small pods usually obtained when the developing are in the best

average prior to spraying.

condition for spraying. Three registered and effective herbicides for mesquite control on Texas rangeland by aerial broadcast spray are recommend-

Edna McDaniel of Kenedy, Judy Allen of Austin and Melrose Brown of Bangs visited Pearl Lewis.

Visitors with Roy Bible were G. R. Bible of Lockhart, Dale Bible Sumering of Lockhart and Sis Bible Williams of San

Marie Coursey of Coleman and Mary Alice Phillips visited with Bessie Thomas

Elmer Woodard of Coleman visited her sister, Allie Woodard.

Visiting with Ethel Matthews was her daughter, Marie Lancaster of La Vista Ranch.

Mary Cruger's visitors have included her granddaughters, JoAnn Sauveur and Jeff of Llano and Pat Turnbow and DeAnna of McKinney.

Brenda and George Barrigan of Ballinger visited their grandmother, Mary Hoffman.

Gus Morgan visited his grandmother, Maud Mc-Carrell. Others were Mrs. Sue McCarrell and Louella Pierce.

Annie Barrington's visitors have been her daughter, Lavada Hubbard and a friend, Johnny

Walter Stacy visited with several residents at the

Hubert McCarty's wife Kate and daughter, JoAnn Norris and Mark of Cross Plains, visited him last

Murrel Menges and wife Betty, Eric and Carl Menges of Snyder visited Clarinda and Nancy

Lillie Box of Rockwood visited Ora Caldwell.

Leo Deal's visitors have been nephews, Johnny and Barbara Deal of Brownwood, Rolan Deal of Santa Anna and a brother, R. J. Deal of Rockwood.

Kevin Morgan and Jonie Morgan and son, Nolan and Carolyn Selby and Kim, Jewell Fussell of Corsicana have visited with Bessie only two or fewer months Thomas.

exceeded the long-term Lou Harvey, Bessie Parish, Ethel Bobo, Bettie Henderson, Blanche Harris, Dorothy and Elgean Harris and Tommy have visited Mabel Burrage.

Eleanor Harper of San Diego, Calif. and Laytha Havgood of Austin nave visited their mother. Cleo Moon. Also grandsons. Larry Harris and Joe and Judy Graves, Nell Harris and some friends from Waco and Dallas visited

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

THURSDAY— JULY 28: FRIDAY— JULY 29: REA meeting, Coler man Rodeo Grounds, 8 p.m. SATURDAY — JULY 30: SUNDAY- JULY 31:

Attend Church 5th Sunday dinner, Prosbyterian Church, 12 noon 5th Sunday dinner, Methodist Church, 12 noon MONDAY- AUGUST 1:

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The next meeting will be the 15th of August in Santa Anna in the Methodist Church at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is to bring sandwhiches, cookies and chips for a picnic meal. Come dressed for a "tacky party" and be ready to play

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UPDATE

by Jim Parker

need. I want to first to encourage any of you who have a question or problem or simply don't know who to contact about a problem to call or write my Austin office at (512) 475-5941. My staff is very willing to either assist you directly or to put you in touch with the

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Rockwood News

THE STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE P

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

The Rev. Vaughn Baker, daughter and her two pastor, preached at the children of Mason visited Methodist Church Sunday Saturday with Linnie Box. morning. The attendance He is visiting his mother, of the Baptist people was Mrs. Ray Caldwell, a pagreatly appreciated. The tient in Ranger Park Inn in text for the service was Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. "The Meaning of Churchmanship: Witness."

Mrs. John McClelland Linnie. and Susan of San Antonio came Sunday to visit with grandson visited Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler. Mrs. Sam Estes Saturday. Mrs. McClelland is in Aubrey McSwain also Abilene this week for a visited Saturday. Andy Lee teacher's workshop at ACU of Santa Anna and his son, and Susan is visiting her Larry Lee of California, grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Monday. Smith of Austin spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Bonnie Bea and Mr.

visited with Ray Gleaton.

day with Mr. and Mrs. Jack them. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cooper were Mrs. Alfred Hunter of Anson were Cooper and Mrs. Sandra Cooper, Jim and a friend, Mark of Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper joined a phone visit with her them Sunday.

Estes of McGregor and last Saturday afternoon. grandchildren, Noel and Monday callers were Mr. Lynden Kirsch of Houston and Mrs. Junior visited the Elec Coopers Brusenhan, Mrs. Lon Gray Saturday. Friday dinner and Mrs. Mavis Campbell. guests were Mrs. Denny Densman, Dorinda and Byron of Brady. Mr. and Claud Box, who was admit-Mrs. Jack Cooper and their guests, Mrs. Alfred Cooper, hospital on Saturday, and Sandra Gorman, Jimmie is reported doing nicely. and Mark visited the Elec Coopers Saturday evening. Santa Anna visited Sunday Rex Cooper and Mr. and morning after church ser-Mrs. Jerry Cooper of Anton visited Sunday.

Byron Harkey of California, who is visiting Mrs. Abilene visited Sunday Claud Box, visited the Elec afternoon. Coopers last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Williams of Littlefield spent last Wednesday with their boys, Ricky Alonzo Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal. and Phillip, who had spent The Deals visited Wednes- a couple of weeks with their day evening with Mrs. Box grandparents, Mr. and and her guests, Byron Mrs. Monico Hernandez, Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal of Santa Anna visited Sunday with his

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell and their Doyle Stamford of Fort Worth also visited with

Robert Lee Estes and visited Mr. adn Mrs. Estes

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd

and Mrs. Wayne Bray. and Mrs. Curly Boyd of Mrs. Bray, the Rockwood Comanche, Mr. and Mrs. Cemetery treasurer, Rusty Chandler and boys of reports cash donations Stephenville and Mrs. received for the Cemetery Debra Clemmens and fund have been from the J. children of Spearman, W. Wise family and Mr. Larry Bonner of Albany and Mrs. Doyle Stamford. and Dr. and Mrs. Larry Mr. and Mrs. Junior Boyd and Shannon of Brusenhan were in Abilene spent the weekend Brownwood Saturday and at their cabin on the Colorado River and Mr. and Visiting Friday to Mon- Mrs. Curtis Bryan joined Tuesday dinner guests of the Bryans.

Mrs. Mary Emerson had granddaughter, Mrs. Stan Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Martin in Denver, Colo.

Mrs. Campbell is here with her mother, Mrs. ted to the Brownwood

Mrs. Jack McSwane of vices with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee and J. J. of

Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Hernandez went to Obayes, Coah., Mexico Friday for wno accompanied them home for a few days.

Robert Duus is spending the week with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Maedgen and Dustin in Glen Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Korky

Daniel Group Meeting Held Monday Night

The Nitia Daniell Group of United Methodist Women met Monday, July 25. at the church annex. Mrs. Lillian Herndon presided at the business meeting.

Wise, Lyndie Jo and Shawn

of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs.

Joe Ed Wise, Bradley and

attending the Wise reunion

Sunday and visited their

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe

Mr. and Mrs. Collins

Steward and daughters of

Katy, Mr. and Mrs. Pat

Patterson and Pat Artis of

Shreveport, La. and Paige

Patterson of Houston were

attending the Wise family

reunion and visited their

mother, Mrs. Bill Steward

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy

Pearson and Siri of Spr-

ingfield, Va. and Mr. and

Mrs. David Pearson and

David Junior of San An-

tonio have visited their

parents this week, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson, and

all attended the Wise reu-

nion. Mrs. Sammy Pearson

and Siri will visit to

Wednesday and Mrs. Pear-

son will take her to San

Visiting with Mrs. Hilton

Wise this week were her

family who were attending

were Dr. and Mrs. Wes

Wise and family, Colleen

Fort Worth and Mr. and

Mrs. Joe Riley of Santa

Mrs. Ruth McGill and

Bill of Pasadena visited

Tuesday to Thursday with

Mr. and Mrs. Blake

Williams. Sunday visitors

were Mr. and Mrs. Donald

Williams of Brownwood

and Mr. and Mrs. S. E.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams

were business visitors in

Brownwood Monday and

visited at the hospital with

Mrs. Box, who expects to

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan

visited Sunday evening

with Mr. and Mrs. J. P.

Jessica Gustavus of New

Stephanie Martin and Jef-

frey Dalton, and Mika re-

mained in Abilene for the

Day Camp this week, when

the family returned home

Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Caldwell of Mason and

children of California

visited Mrs. Mary Emer-

be home soon.

Hodges.

Sunday.

Richardson of Coleman.

Wise reunion. They

Antonio.

and other relatives.

Dr. Vaughn Baker, pastor, gave the invoca-Nathan of Santa Anna were tion, followed by group singing. Minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Dick Baugh, and Mrs. N. C. Watson gave the treasurer's report.

Mrs. Laura Carpenter reported on cards sent, and a memorial gift was made in memory of Mrs. Opal Little to the youth and to the centennial project.

Mrs. Chester Galloway and Mrs. Watson were program leaders using the theme "Sharing the Burden." Mrs. Herndon

gave a report on "UMW Ministering to Florida Regugee Woman and Children."

reported on laws concerning Mexican workers, mentioning some immigration

Group singing closed the program.

and Mrs. Leland Thompson were hostesses for the meeting and served lemonade, cake, chips, pickles and sandwiches to the ones mentioned and also Mmes. J. T. Avants, Walter Scarbrough, Doris Kelley, Thelma Upchurch, Modora Gilmore and Lucile Wylie.

group will be August 22.

Time is about up for the family histories to be in, if you want your family to be Mrs. Harry Crews included in the history book of Coleman County. August 1 is the FINAL DEADLINE, but since that

day falls on a Monday, and my studio is closed on Mondays, your history will be Miss Pauline Eubank included if it is brought to Ralph Terry Studio or postmarked by the 2nd of August. If you have waited until the last minute to do this project, that time is here. If you send a family history after that date. it

The next meeting of the

Area Oil News

Operating Co. of Graham will drill three regular field projects five miles north of Trickham on the C. N. Davenport 118-acre lease. Each venture is slated for 1.100 feet.

Wise and Kelly Smith of Sites for the No. 2, No. 3 Brownwood, Mr. adn Mrs. and No. 4 Davenport are in Fred Chandler of Ozona, A. S. Lipscomb Survey 94, Birch Smith of Austin, Mrs. W. F. Black and Kelly of

> Spotted in Coleman County Regular Field was Pautsky Energy Inc. of Wichita Falls No. 18 S. R. The planned 1,500-foot

> venture is located three miles northwest of Trickham on a 115-ace

It is in the Pleasant Young Survey 494.

Acorn Oil Co. of Big Lake will drill No. 1 Lester Terrell as a proposed 900-foot wildcat located .07 mile southwest of Gouldbusk.

It is in the John Donaho Survey 254 on a 150-acre

T. Frank White of York is here visiting her Abilene has filed applicafamily, Dr. and Mrs. Bill tion to drill N. 2-A C. L. Gustavus, Mika and Sarah. They went to Abilene Fri-3,000-foot Coleman County day visiting Mrs. Virginia Regular Field venture two Gustavus. Jane and Mrs. miles southeast of Santa Gustavus went to Midland Anna. for the wedding of

It is in the west lines of Section 59, HT&B Survey.

Cub Producing Inc. of Big Spring has filed application to drill two Coleman County Regular their daughter and her two Field projects in Subdivision 9, John Sanders Survey 162.

Each venture is located on the J. W. Harris Caldwell is her niece, their 1,500-acre lease and slated daughter is a great-niece, for 450 feet.

> 17.1 Cubic

Heartland Oil & Gas MINING REGULATIONS AMONG FIVE BEST

AUSTIN- An annual evaluation conducted by the federal Office of Surface Mining ranks Texas among five states with the best coal mining regulatory programs. Other states included in the top group are Montana, Missouri, Louisiana and Colorado.

The Railroad Commission is the state agency in Texas responsible for regulating surface mining for coal under federal standards. The Commission's Surface Mining and Reclamation Division developed the first surface mining regulatroy program in the nation to be certified by OSM.

Noting an exceptionally high degree of compliane with regulations by Texas surface coal mine operators, OSM said the

results could be attributed

Through its Surface Min-

In Coleman County, surnear Rockwood.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Austin and Jimmy Ottmers of Fredericksburg were weekend visitors in the Tom Kingsbery home. Joining them for Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce and Mrs. Mary Clifford.

County Historical Notes

By Ralph Terry

cooperative and helpfull on

this project. Even so, we

can't please everyone all

the time. We have tolerated

complaints from those that

feel that one's family

history is his own business

and no one elses and some

folks just lack interest. To

these folks. I say that is

your business, but why

discourage those of us who

are working long and hard

well as the unedited ones) will be retained in the county archives for those doing future research. We regret this step, but it is necessary in order to include all of the histories in one volume. At the onset of this project, we stated that we would edit, if necessary. I hope everyone will understand our position on this matter, but we would like to see everyone represented to some degree. Some stories will be longer than others, but this is due in part to the method of writing, as well will be placed in the county as size of the family and archives and if a second length of time in Coleman volume is produced some-County. day on Coleman County, For the most part, these histories could be useveryone has been very

ed in it. The contents of the family histories has grown to over 600 stories. Because of the large number of histories received, lengthy stories, especially those containing non-Coleman County history are being edited to smaller size. These edited histories (as

to the proficiency and good management practices of the Railroad Commission.

ing and Reclamation Division, the Railroad Commission also regulates uranium mining and will begin regulating iron ore gravel mining in September under new authority granted by the Legislature in the recent

face mining for coal is done

Carol Kingsbery of

to put down a bit of time past lived by our loved ones... information that may never be written down anywhere else. This book will be a treasure for future generations. Now off my soapbox. We are still, lacking histories of many churches, schools, and organizations. Even though we are cutting down some family histories and also

> tion, etc. histories in the next edition of the paper. Buy a copy of the Coleman County History Book!!! We have not yet established a cut off date for buying a book, so get your order in as soon as possible. We would appreciate this very much. Send \$42 in the county, \$45 out of the county (these will be mailed) to P.O. Box 958, Coleman, Texas, 76834. Make your check to the Coleman County Historical

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histories, we would like to

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James Markey Of Coleman **Buried At Mukewater** Graveside funeral rites

were held Friday, July 22, at Mukewater Cemetery near Bangs for James Starkey, 85, of Coleman, formerly of Bangs. He died at Ranger Park Inn nursing home in Santa Anna early July 22.

Dr. Vaughn Baker, pastor of Santa Anna United Methodist Church, officiated at the service. with Henderson Funeral Home of Santa Anna in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Starkey was born December 7, 1897 in Bangs. He married Mae Harmon in Tazell, Va. in 1962.

WEEKEND VISITORS Don and Gloria Rutherford, Kevin and Holly of Arlington were weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rutherford. Saturday visitors were Don and Ann Rutherford, Julie and Shanna of San Angelo, who also visited her family, the Omer Cullins.

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