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## Home Game Friday With Bangs

# Football Season Opens

The Santa Anna Mountaineer football team is ready for the 1983 season, with another fine practice scrimmage under their belts and improvement evident every day.

The Mountaineers will host the Bangs Dragons Friday, September 2, at 8:00 p.m. in a non-district contest. The Mountaineers will be seeking revenge for the 63-0 defeat by the Dragons last year.

In the Friday scrimmage with the Early Longhorns, Coach Odus Summers was enthusiastic about the Mountaineers and the great improvement from the previous week. He was especially pleased with the pass defense that had been the weakest point in the scrimmage with Baird on August 19.

The Longhorns took the ball for a series of 20 plays to open the Friday session, gaining only 29 yards and making two first downs. It took the team 12 plays to gain the first ten yards and a first down.

In the second series of plays, the Longhorns gained 57 yards and made four first downs. They threw the ball many times, but the Santa Anna pass defense held them scoreless.

The Mountaineers gained 78 yards

and made four first downs during their first series of 20 plays. The Early nine-man line was effective in holding the Mountaineers scoreless.

In the second series of 12 plays, Santa Anna gained 52 yards and made three first downs.

Although the local team didn't score, Coach Summers praised the good efforts of Chris DeLeon and James Bass. Defensively, Maurice Castillo and Rodney Guthrie did a super job on the line.

The secondary, Ramon Castillo, Bebe Vasquez, Chris DeLeon, Shelby Tuttle and Russell Williams, impressed Coach Summers with their improvement and fine performance on defense.

During the practice session Santa Anna gained 130 yards for seven first downs. Early had 86 yards and six first downs.

The second units scrimmaged eight plays, with the young Santa Anna squad doing a super job on defense, holding the larger and more experienced Longhorns to 46 yards and two first downs. The SAHS jayvee group were unable to move the ball but showed good effort and spirit against the junior and seniors on the opposing team.

### PROBABLE STARTING LINEUP

The probable starting lineup for the Friday game will be as follows:

**OFFENSE:**  
John Casey, center; Paulie Vasquez and Maurice Castillo, guards; James Culpepper and Rodney Guthrie, tackles; Russell Williams and Doug Warnock, ends; Ramon Vasquez, and Chris DeLeon, halfbacks; James Bass, fullback; and Ramon Castillo, quarterback.

**DEFENSE:**  
Paulie Vasquez, noseguard; Maurice Castillo and Rodney Guthrie, tackles; James Culpepper and Doug Warnock, ends; John Casey and James Bass, linebackers; Shelby Tuttle, monster; Ramon Castillo and Chris DeLeon, halfbacks; and Ramon Vasquez, safety.

Captains of the Mountaineer team will be rotated, with all the seniors serving during the season. Captains for the Bangs game will be Rodney Guthrie and Paulie Vasquez.

### PEP RALLY

The first pep rally of the season will be at 3:15 p.m. Friday at Perry Gymnasium. The cheerleaders will have skits and activities, and the Mountaineer Band will play.

Everyone is invited to attend the pep rally.

## Blood Pressure Clinic Underway Today

A Licensed Vocational Nurse will be at Mountain City Center Thursday (today) from 9-11 a.m. for blood pressure testing.

There is no charge for the service, and everyone is welcome to go by during that time.

A service of the Committee on Aging, the clinic is held on the first and third Thursday morning of each month.

## Examinations Are Postponed

Postmaster John C. Gregg announced early this week that the examination to establish a Civic Service Register for Rural Carriers in this area, has been cancelled for the present time.

The examination will be re-opened at a later date.

Those who have applications that have not been turned in are requested to destroy them, as new application forms will be needed when the announcement is made again, Mr. Gregg said.



FFA OFFICERS for the new year were elected Tuesday. Rodney Guthrie, front left, is president of the chapter. Other officers, from left, are Ramon Castillo, reporter, Shannon Harrod, sweetheart, and Paulie Vasquez, sentinel; and back row, Gayle McCrary, vice president; John Casey, secretary; and James Culpepper, treasurer. The SAHS FFA chapter has over 40 members enrolled this year.

## FFA Chapter Officers Elected Last Tuesday

The Santa Anna Future Farmers of America Chapter met Tuesday, August 30, to elect officers for the new year.

Rodney Guthrie, a senior and son of Mrs. John Dockery, was named president of the group. Other officers are Gayle McCrary, vice president; John Casey, secretary; James Culpepper, treasurer; Ramon Castillo, reporter; and Paulie Vasquez, sentinel.

Shannon Harrod, a freshman student, was chosen as FFA Sweetheart for 1983-84.

Forty-one members are enrolled in the Santa Anna chapter this year, the largest group in many years. Scott Patterson, Vocational Agriculture teacher, is adult sponsor of the group.

## Telephone Cooperative Meet Held

### Rate Increase Information Related

Four directors for Coleman County Telephone Cooperative were elected at the Saturday, August 27, membership meeting held in Santa Anna.

Elected for additional terms of office were Leroy Williams of Burkett, Jerry Allen of Mozelle, Glen Scarborough of Gouldbusk and Topy Beaver of Valera. Several hundred people were present for the annual meeting, with 194 membership votes cast.

Tom Kingsbery, CCTC president, presided at the meeting, with Danny Kellar giving the manager's report. The meeting marked the 30th anniversary of the telephone cooperative.

Of greatest interest to the group was a slide presentation prepared by the National Telephone Cooperative Association concerning the recent Federal Communication Commission's ruling on access charges for telephone patrons. The FCC regulates the charges for out-of-state calls for all systems, including cooperatives and small independent companies. Much has been published about increases in the larger systems, and an increase will also be necessary for local patrons.

The result of the ruling will be increased charges for the local telephone service, starting January 1984. The additional cost is now anticipated to be \$2 per month for residential customers and \$4 for businesses, with that amount in-

creased annually for three years. In addition to the federal access charge, the Texas Public Utilities Commission is expected to require an additional fee for intra-state service.

The Coleman County Telephone Cooperative has maintained some of the lowest rates of any company, and the new rulings are causing great concern by the leaders of the cooperative as well as the patrons.

Letters to be sent to legislators expressing objection of the increases were available at the meeting, and most of those attending added their

signatures. Letters to Congressman Charles Stenholm will be presented in person when he visits here next week.

Manager Danny Kellar is available to answer questions concerning the rate change for those who were unable to attend the meeting Saturday night and copies of the letters are available for those wishing to be heard on the matter.

Several pieces of legislation may alter the regulations before the proposed increase goes into effect, according to Kellar, but the telephone industry as a whole is in a state of change.

## Cong. Charles Stenholm To Visit Here Next Tuesday

Congressman Charles Stenholm will be in Santa Anna next Tuesday, September 6, for a public meeting at Mountain City Center at 3:00 p.m.

"I am anxious to get better acquainted in the Santa Anna area," Congressman Stenholm said. "The remainder of Coleman County, including Santa Anna, was added to the 17th Congressional District effective January 1, 1983, and I want to meet as many people as possible."

Congressman Stenholm was first elected to Congress in 1979 and serves on the Agriculture Committee and the Small Business Committee. Both of these are very important to the Santa Anna community, and everyone is urged to take advantage of the opportunity to visit with Charlie.



CHARLES STENHOLM

Coordinating the local visit is Max Eubank, who said that to have the Congressman visit in our small community is a privilege and a rare opportunity to get acquainted personally with our representative. Coffee will be served during the stop here.

Stenholm will also be visiting with friends in Coleman at noon, and later that day in Clyde. His four-day tour of the area will end with the annual FUNDay Saturday, September 10, at his home community of Ericksdahl, near Stamford.

## Grand Opening Underway By New Coleman Business

A new Coleman business is having their grand opening this week, and local people are invited to take part in the event.

Homestyle Laundry, located on Santa Anna Avenue, adjacent to the former ColeAnna Theatre, is welcoming visitors and patrons this week, with grand opening specials Thursday (today) and Friday.

Bill Delleney, a Coleman native, and his son, H. Casey Delleney, returned to Coleman to open the

business, including in the facility many extras for the convenience and comfort of their customers. Delleney was formerly with International Harvester Motor Truck Division, later owner of the IH truck dealership in Abilene.

The home-owned and operated business is open seven days a week, with attendants on duty at all times. The business features the newest and most modern laundry equipment available.

## Dove Hunting Season Opens Today in Central Texas Area

Coleman County is traditionally known as one of the best dove hunting areas in the state, but that designation may be misleading as the season opens.

With the 1983 season opening today, few areas have many birds, and hunters may outnumber the doves for the first day of hunting.

The hot and dry weather may cause some birds to seek water at farm and ranch stock tanks, but

generally they will be found only where there is maize, hybrid sudan or sunflowers.

Good hunting seldom is available throughout the county until cooler weather, officials from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department say.

Despite the scarcity of doves, hunters will be in the field en masse during the holiday weekend.

An additional winter hunting season is planned for this area.

## VFD Hamburger Day Scheduled on Saturday

Santa Anna Volunteer Firemen will be starting a fire, rather than extinguishing one on Saturday, September 3.

The VFD annual "Hamburger Day" will be held at the Fire Hall, with serving of their famous broiled hamburgers, homemade French fries and all the trimmings to be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

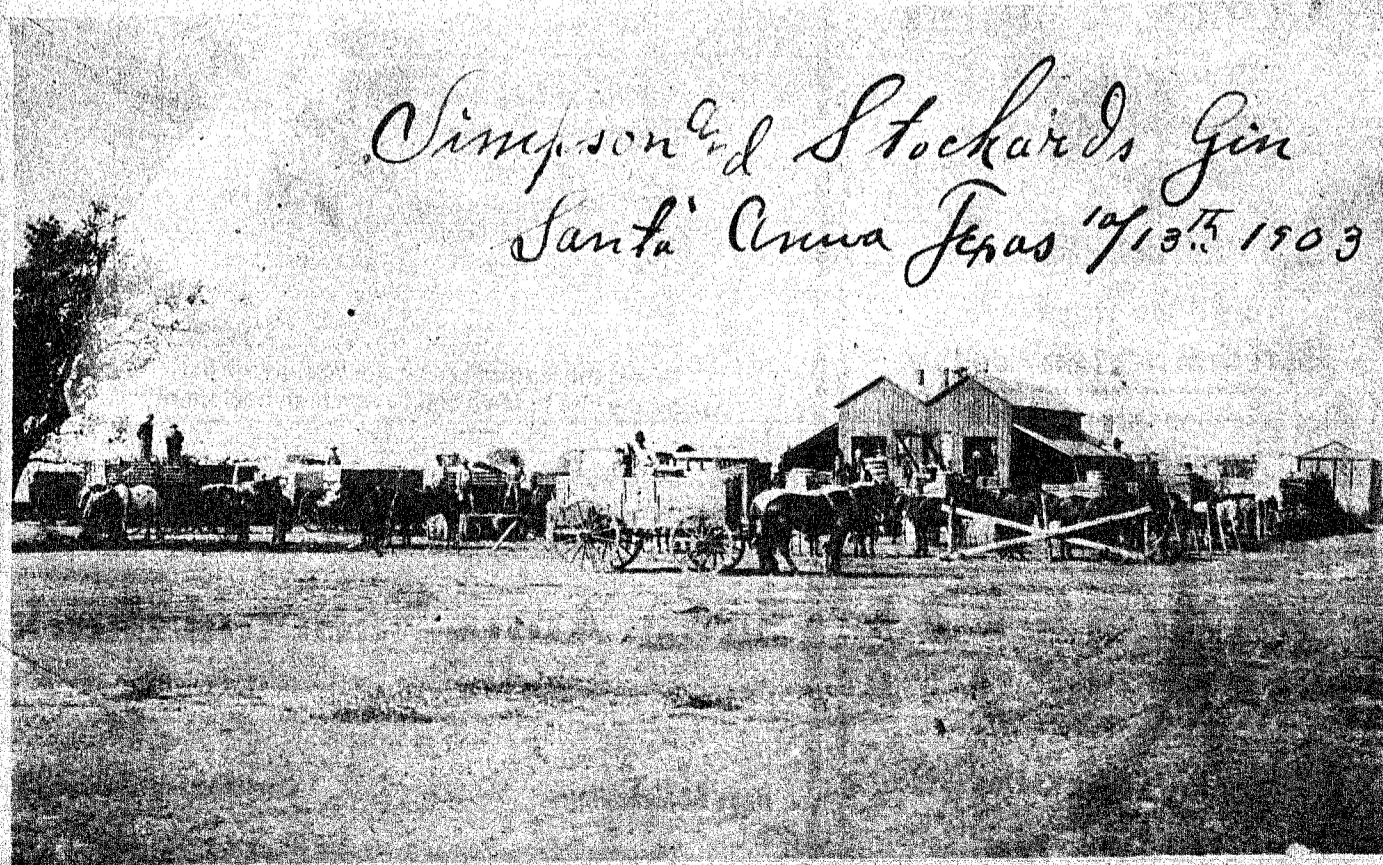
Tables will be set up under the pecan trees at the City Hall and inside the Fire Hall for those who wish to eat there. Take-out orders and even home deliveries for local

shut-ins are also available.

In conjunction with the meal, the VFD Auxiliary will have a rummage sale and bake sale during the day, starting at 8 a.m.

Homebaked pies and cakes may be purchased whole or by the slice during the day.

Proceeds from the event will be used to pay expenses of the group to the Hill Country Firemen's Association convention in Ozona in October. Everyone is invited to have lunch with the group on Saturday.



SEVENTY YEARS AGO...The Simpson and Stockard Gin is pictured here in 1903. The gin was located across the railroad from the old

school campus. The photo is from the Stockard family collection, courtesy of Beverly Stockard McFadden of San Angelo.



# Mountain Echoes



By Barbara Kingsbery

Another picture of early-day Santa Anna has been made available for us, and we appreciate the use of these valuable old photos.

In an earlier issue we published a picture of what was thought to be the Simpson Gin, but with the identification of the current one, it is known the recent photo is of another cotton gin and perhaps in another town.

Regardless of the place or error in identification, the early pictures are interesting and will continue to be a feature in the News.

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The Texas Department of Public Safety says as many as 51 persons may be killed in traffic accidents during the Labor Day holiday. This estimate is for traffic deaths which may occur on urban streets and rural highways.

Texas has had about 14 percent fewer fatal accidents now than at the same time in 1982, and it is hopeful the downward trend will continue.

The recent Fourth of July holiday was one of the most deadly ever recorded, with 55 persons losing their lives during the 78-hour holiday period.

With so many folks on the road during the long weekend, we urge everyone to drive with caution and stay alive. We don't want to lose any of our good patrons!

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Monday will be a holiday for most businesses in Santa Anna, and school will also be dismissed for the day.

The City Library will be closed Monday, September 5, in observance of Labor Day. Library patrons are asked to note the date and visit the library at another time.

Have a nice holiday!

## Booster Club Officers Elected

Junior Vasquez, the father of four football team members, will be "Booster of the Week" at the Friday night football game. He was chosen at the Booster Club meeting Tuesday night.

The Vasquez sons are Paulie, a senior; Johnnie, a junior; Ramon (Bebe), a sophomore; and Gregory, a freshman.

### Organization

#### To Meet Sept. 8

The Santa Anna Community Services, Inc. will meet Thursday, September 8, at the Vocational Agriculture Building at 7:30 p.m. Roddy Dean, president, is requesting all parents and interested persons to be present to review the recent summer baseball season report and financial report of the group.

### Special Film Slated

#### At FBC Sunday Evening

"Greater Than Gold," produced by Evangelical Films, will be shown at First Baptist Church Sunday evening, September 4, at the 6 p.m. service.

The powerful motion picture presents a family torn by the pressures of a busy father, the crisis of a troubled daughter and the lack of communication that threatens the life of the family.

The film speaks out boldly about standing firm for

our faith, about the consequences of permarital sex, and on the precious sanctity of life.

"Greater Than Gold" reveals how to face these problems and win in Christ. Because of the sensitive subject matter, the film is recommended for audiences age 11 and above.

There is no admission charge to the film, and people of all denominations are invited and encouraged to attend.

### SDA Health Week

#### Concluding on Friday

Activities for the Seventh-day Adventist Health Emphasis Week continue through Friday, with a number of people enjoying the varied and interesting events.

The "Computer Health Clinic" will be held at the

Lions Club Building Thursday (today) from 9 - 12 and from 1:30 - 3:30 p.m., and the first of the eight sessions of Weight Management Program will begin tonight at 7:30 at the Health Activities Center.

A physical fitness program will be held at 6 a.m. Friday, and a demonstration on sandwich fillings and a sandwich sale at 10 a.m. will end the week's events.

On Sunday, in conjunction with the Senior Citizens' breakfast at the Activities Center at the Ranger Park, plates of the tasty and attractive food were delivered to the people now taking the Meals on Wheels lunches.

Two traffic accidents occurred Thursday about six hours apart in downtown Santa Anna. Mr. Ellis reports there were no injuries.

In the first accident, at First Street and Wallis Ave., a car driven by 69-year-old Mrs. LaRue Morgan of Santa Anna was struck broadside by one driven by 71-year-old Edward H. Watson of Coleman. Officers praised Mrs. Morgan's alert thinking that saved her from potentially serious injury.

Ellis said that when Mrs. Morgan saw the Watson car bearing down on her and that the accident was unavoidable, she immediately threw herself down across the car seat. Ellis said that quick action was correct as the left side of her car received major damage, but she was only shaken up.

Later Thursday afternoon, a two-car accident at Second Street and Wallis resulted in minor damage and no injuries. A car driven by 26-year-old Mrs. Lorlene Williford of Santa Anna struck a car driven

## City Police Report

by 18-year-old John Elkins of Coleman as Mrs. Williford attempted to turn onto Second Street from Wallis.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. Ellis received an emergency message from a family who moved to Santa Anna during the week from New Mexico. He was able to locate the family and deliver the message.

Mr. Ellis reports that overall, the town was pretty quiet this past week. He notes that the traffic signal at Second Street and Wallis is not working properly, with too many red cycles, some of which are for an extended length of time. He cautioned motorists to be patient and not attempt to drive on through the red light, as some have. Ellis said the State Highway Department has been notified and the light should be fixed soon.

Mr. Ellis reminds Santa Anna citizens that he can be contacted by phone at 348-3247. In emergencies, you can also call the Coleman Police Department at 112-625-4114.

## S-Annans' Granddaughter Wins Recent Race Trophy

Cyndie Owen Betz of Kemp, the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Owen, won first place and a trophy in the women's 20-29 age division in the Hamilton County Dove Festival run at Hamilton on Saturday, August 27. She was also seventh overall in the two-mile run, with 26 women competing.



CYNDIE BETZ

Her husband, Randy, was sixth overall in the 6.2 mile run and fourth in the 20 - 29 age division at the Hamilton event.

After the competition at Hamilton, Cindie and Randy came to Santa Anna for a weekend visit with their

grandparents. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Owen of Kemp.

### D. Bradleys Have Baby

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bradley are parents of a baby daughter, Heather Dawn, born Sunday, August 21, in Brownwood Regional Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds, one ounce and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Strickland of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bradley of Coleman. Mrs. Ruth Breeden of Moran and Mrs. Thelma

Strickland of Abilene are maternal great-grandmothers.

The Bradleys are parents of two other children, Ross, aged nine, and Misty, six.

#### WEEKEND VISITORS

Don Eubank of College Station was a weekend visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Eubank. Other visitors were Greg Eaks and Mary Kearshear of Fort Worth.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- THURSDAY—SEPTEMBER 1:** Blood Pressure Clinic, M-City Center, 9 - 11 a.m. Revival Service, 1st Baptist Church, 7 p.m.
- FRIDAY—SEPTEMBER 2:** Pop Rally, Perry Gym, 3:15 p.m. Football Game, SAHS Stadium, 8 p.m. Youth Fellowship, Methodist Church, after game
- SATURDAY—SEPTEMBER 3:** Hamburger Day, Fire Hall, 11 - 2 p.m. Half Century Dance, Civic Center, 7 - 11 p.m.
- SUNDAY—SEPTEMBER 4:** Attend Church
- MONDAY—SEPTEMBER 5:** Labor Day Holiday School Holiday
- TUESDAY—SEPTEMBER 6:** Lions Club, Lions building, 12 noon Booster Club, Vo-Ag building, 7:30 p.m. Charles Stenholm visit, M-City Center, 3 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY—SEPTEMBER 7:** Social Security Rep, M-City Center, 10 - 12 a.m.

### Half Century

#### Dance Slated

The monthly Half Century Club dance will be held Saturday night, September 3, at the Civic Center. Music will be provided by the Country Combination group from Dublin, with dancing from 7 - 11 p.m.

The dance is a family event, with seating available for those who wish to visit and enjoy the good music.

The Camp Fire Girls will have the concession stand, serving sandwiches and cold drinks during the evening.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend.

Admission is \$1.50 per person.

### Memorial Gifts Made To Santa Anna Cemetery

A number of donations have been made to the Santa Anna Cemetery Association during the past week.

Gifts made in memory of the late Calvin Fuller have been from the following persons:

- Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard
- Mr. and Mrs. Nap Watson
- Mrs. L. O. Garrett
- Iona and Pete Moore
- Dalton and Tim Sikes, Bangs
- Jeanette and Blackie Brock
- Mrs. L. A. Welch
- Mrs. J. C. Mathews
- Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lowe

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## New Lunchroom System

By Betty Tucker

How many parents are wondering just what the new system at the school lunchroom involves and is all about? The new system is called "Offer vs Serve."

Very simply, it is a system where the children CHOOSE what they put on their plates, rather than have the lunchroom workers put everything on their plates for them.

The government regulations call for five different food items or components on each daily menu.

In the new system, a child must take at least three of the five food items or components. They may take all five of the items if they choose to do so.

The menus are always well-balanced, and meals with food items or components from each of the basic food groups. The government also states how much of each item must be offered. The food groups and the requirements are as follows:

- Classes 3 - 12
- Meat or meat alternate - 2 Oz.; 2 vegetables or 1 vegetable and fruit - 1/4 cup; bread - 8 servings weekly (1 Oz. servings);

and milk - 1/2 pint.

This system was started to save you money by cutting down on the amount of food thrown away. Remember, just because the food is on the plate does not mean it goes into the mouth!

By not preparing as much food, we can keep down the cost of the meals. Without the program, the cost will continue to go up. Why spend \$6.00 for a can of green peas to have them thrown away? Your 75 cents or 85 cents is better spent on food your child will eat than thrown down the garbage disposal.

This program is not used in kindergarten through second grade because we don't feel that these children are quite old enough to choose yet.

However, the government states that it CAN be used in kindergarten through 12th grade. We have explained this program to the children but it would be a good idea for you to discuss and explain it to them yourself.

An example of one of our menus and what would be a complete lunch for this system follows:

- Charbroil burgers (counts as 2 units); tossed salad (counts as 1); French fries with catsup (counts as 1); plain cookies (counts nothing); and milk (counts as 1); a total of 5.

Please remember, this program was started by the government to save on waste. Please feel free to come in and see this system in action, and ask questions.

### Pearce Veterinary Clinic

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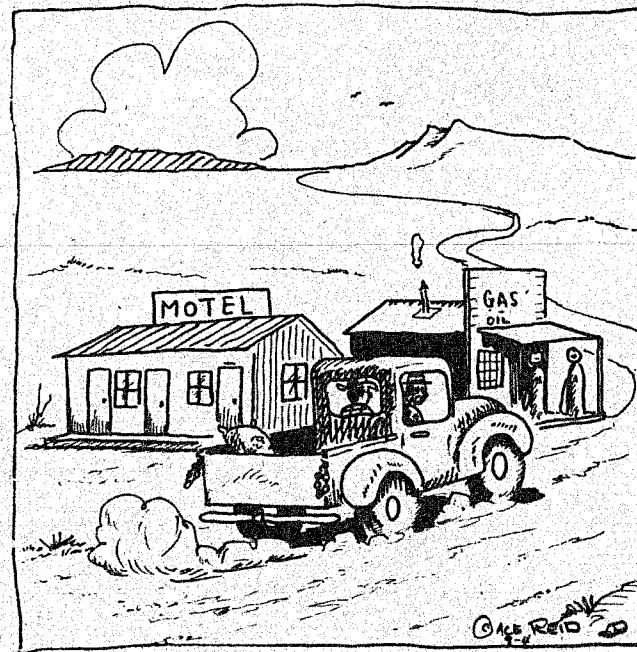
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### COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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Get Acquainted With Our Community

# McClellan Family are Area Pioneers

By Mrs. John Hunter

Today we are visiting with the J.W. (Jap) McClellan family. It is interesting to have so many generations put down roots in our County and continue for almost a hundred years.

The J. E. McClellan family, (parents of J. W.) came to Texas, settling in Coleman County in 1892; James Edward was from Franklin, Tennessee and his father came on horseback to Texas in 1840. His ancestors came from Ireland to America in early 1740's.

James grew to manhood and graduated from South Western College, in Clarksville, Tenn., where he studied to be a minister. He came to Texas to continue his education at the University of Texas in Austin. It was during this period he met Celeste Robinson, who became his wife on June 9, 1892.

Hearing that land was available in Coleman County he heeded the call, 'Go West, young man, Go West.' He came by train to Coleman and walked from the train station to the Santa Anna-Coleman Hill, looking over the mesquite valley he said, 'Surely this is God's Country.'

He purchased land below the brow of the hill and built a small house where he brought his bride in June 1892.



The J.W. McClellan Home

In 1898 he purchased some farm land a few hundred yards from the original house, and this became known as the McClellan Farm, and remains in the family to this day. (J. E. remained in his beloved valley until his death in June, 1953.)

Ten Children were born to this couple; Jasper Williamson was born in 1898. All of the children except Jasper (known as 'Jap') left home after

adulthood. Jap loved the Valley as much as his father did, and purchased the interest of his father, brothers and sisters and is still there.

The family of J.T. Oakes lived on a farm near by and Jap fell in love with Veva Oakes, who was ten years younger than he, so he waited patiently until she was eighteen years old and they married June 10, 1926, observing their fifty-

seventh wedding anniversary June 10, 1983.

The family built the present home in the same location as the old. When they began building the 'New' house in October of 1936 Jap says it rained every day that month. It was completed in December and they moved into the spacious, story-and-a-half home in December 1936.

Through good times and bad times, drought and depressions, they have prevailed.

Jap and Veva are both graduates of Santa Anna High School, and their five children, each growing up on the family farm, are graduates of the Santa Anna High School.

They are Veva Novelle, who married Bartow Boylston of South Carolina, May 16, 1952; Frances, who married Allen J. Pierce of Sandia, Texas, June 7, 1958; Joan who married Ralph M. Brisbin of Pennsylvania, June 4, 1956; Jasper William (Bill), the only son of Jap and Veva, married his high school sweetheart, Clara, Jean Stewardson, September 27, 1959; while he was on duty with the Air Force in France; and Carol married Don Simmons in Santa Anna, November 25, 1959.

Jap McClellan developed different skills supporting his large family. He had a county wide reputation as a skilled carpenter and painter. He built a large number of the beautiful older homes in Santa Anna. It is said of him, 'He was

a laborer by day and a farmer by night', as he provided for his big family; there was no luxury, but surely no un-met need, as he built homes over some thirty years in Coleman County.

In 1922 he began to grow broom corn on his farm, to a height of six or seven feet. He harvested it by hand and threshed it to become broom straw. Only buying broom handles, paper labels, wire and thread, 'Japs brooms,' the finished product, were sold throughout the County. This remarkable man added to his income in a very unique way, and continued making brooms in a limited number until 1982-on the same foot-powered machine.

The McClellan and Oakes families are very devout Presbyterians; Jap was ordained as an Elder in 1932 and served in an active capacity until 1975, when he was named 'Senior Elder.'

Veva was elected church treasurer in 1927 at the age of nineteen and continues

her home, that was a wedding gift from her husband to her. She is now seriously studying music.

Jap's thirteen years on the Santa Anna School

Board and all of the church interests reveal the fact, they love their fellow-man.

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## Off To College

**MIKE SIMMONS**

Mike Simmons is back at school at Tarleton State University, returning for his second year.

The 1982 graduate of Santa Anna High School is majoring in engineering at TSU.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simmons

**CELESTE SIMMONS**

A senior at Texas A&M University is Celeste Simmons, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simmons.

Celeste is a 1979 graduate of Santa Anna High School and is an engineering technology major at A&M.

**MIKE HARTMAN**

Entering East Texas State University as a freshman is Michael Hartman, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Hartman.

A 1983 graduate of Santa Anna High School, Mike will be majoring in business at ETSU.

**BODIE STARK**

Bodie Stark, the valedictorian of the spring graduating class at SAHS, has enrolled at East Texas State University for the fall semester. He will major in business computers.

Bodie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mance Stark, now of Pattison, Texas.

**LORI HERRING**

Lori Herring, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Herring, is a senior at the University of Texas at Austin.

Lori is majoring in geology.

**RANDY CASEY**

Randy Casey, a 1983 graduate of SAHS, is attending Angelo State University this year.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bo Wilson of Rockwood and will be studying physics and computer science.

**DON EUBANK**

A graduate student at Texas A&M University is Don Eubank, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Eubank.

Don received his BS degree in engineering geology from Abilene Christian University last spring and will be studying Petroleum Engineering at A&M.

He is a 1979 graduate of Santa Anna High School.

**HOLLY SMITH**

Holly Smith, the daughter of Mrs. Jane Smith, has entered Abilene Christian University as a freshman.

The 1983 SAHS graduate will be studying medical technology at ACU

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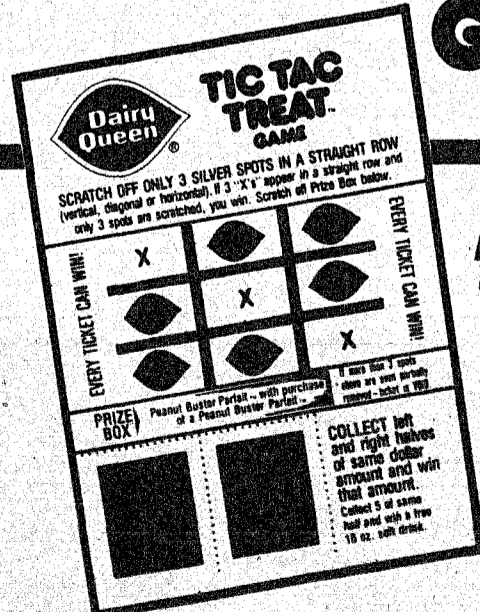
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This is the Way I Recall it.....

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# Growing Up at Whon, Texas

By Sylvia Herring

Every Saturday morning our family dressed up in our good clothes and "Sunday" shoes (never called "dress" shoes) and drove to Santa Anna to spend the day. This was the custom of most of the families in the community, with hundreds of people in town from early until late.

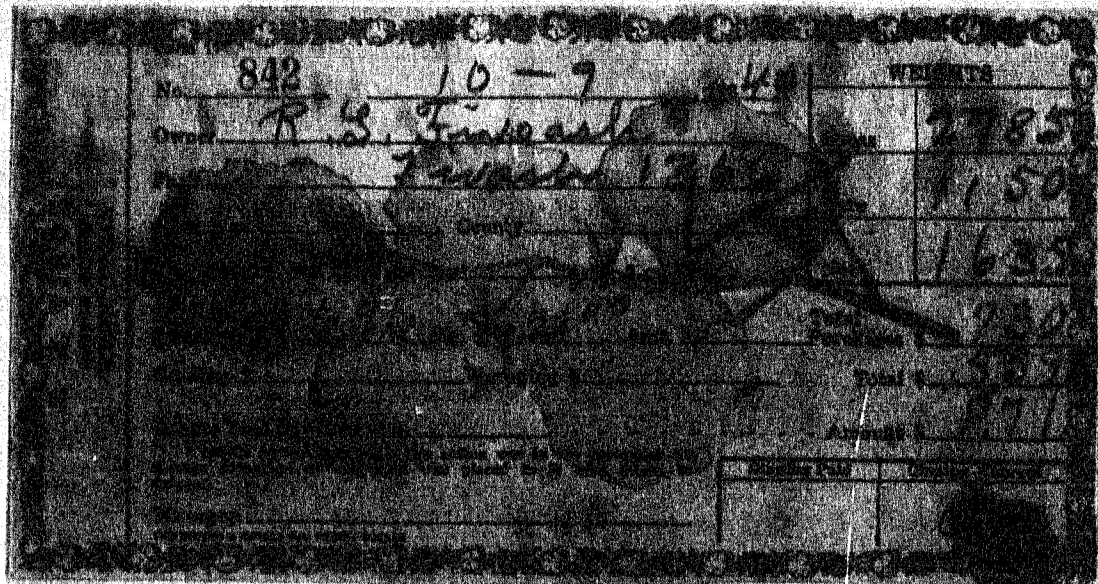
We always saw the Saturday special movies at the Queen Theatre where Gwendolyn Oakes (Walker) sold tickets. Gene Autry, Tom Mix and Johnnie Mack Brown were stars in some of the movies I remember.

I sure hated to get to be twelve years old, because the price of the ticket went up to 25 cents.

Mrs. Oakes, Gwendolyn's mother, taught art, and Corine Bengel and I took lessons from her, as well as Mrs. Curry and Mrs. J. W. Taylor. These I remember because I thought their paintings were so good.

Saturday was called "butter and egg" day, with produce brought to town to be sold or traded. We sold produce to the Monroes, Doris and Bill Griffin, and in the fall we sold turkeys to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones.

Neal Oakes worked for Mr. Bill Thate at Piggy Wiggly grocery store. I remember when Kraft



RECEIPT FROM TISEL GIN AT WHON

came out with the new cheese, Velveta, and we bought a two-pound package of it. When we got home to Whon, the cheese was soft and tasted different, and Mama thought it wasn't good. The next Saturday we took the cheese back to Mr. Thate, and I remember he frowned, then grinned and handed it to Neal and told him to refund the money.

I don't know how many years it was before Mama and I realized the cheese we bought was good - just a different taste and texture from what we were accustomed to!

We usually had dinner (not lunch!) at Mrs.

Routh's Cafe. Not only was her food delicious, but she sold birds and had cages of them and many plants in the cafe, much like the city shops now with plants in the atriums.

Sometimes we ate at the Hamburger Palace run by D. O. Lane, or at Donham's Service Cafe. Occasionally we packed a picnic lunch and ate under the big oak tree at Mr. Gay's Lumber Yard (the tree still stands in the abandoned yard on Wallis Avenue).

Lola Stephens operated a beauty shop, and the Shirley Temple permanent was in vogue. The electric permanent machines were in use, connecting the

patron by wires to the numerous curlers (looking somewhat like something from outer space!). I remember what a great step was taken when the cold wave permanent came in.

Margaret (Pinkie) Shultz was another beauty operator in town, and she and Martha Harvey worked for Mrs. Hale over the drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Blue sold hardware, and Jodie Mathews sold Chevrolet cars in 1936.

In the bank I remember Mr. Oscar Cheaney, Mrs. B. Weaver and Hubert Turner. J. W. Kelley & Co. grocery and hardware on the corner was very big. Seems like they had everything from harness to clothes.

The Hosch Funeral Home was on the south of their grocery and furniture store, in the old tin building that is still standing.

Ragsdale Bakery, located where the Sewing Basket is now located, fill-

ed the town with the aroma of fresh-baked bread.

Phillips Drug was owned and operated by Elsie Lee and Ruby Harper, with Jim Riley as pharmacist. Mrs. Shockley and Mr. Purdy operated dry goods stores.

The town didn't have a public rest room, so we used the facilities at any of the above mentioned stores, usually rotating to avoid becoming a bother at any one place.

The rodeo was a big occasion and busy time in Santa Anna, with a parade through town. I remember the parade was routed by the home of Dr. T. R. Sealy

## Haynes - Wadsworth Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Haynes of Fairfield, Texas have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of

their daughter, Lorri, to Tom Wadsworth, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wadsworth of Abilene. The couple will exchange vows at 3:00 P.M. on September 3 at Elmwood West Methodist Church in Abilene.

## Rose Wardlow Feted on B-Day

Mrs. Rose Wardlow was honored with a party August 26, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wardlow of Menard. Mrs. Wardlow was observing her 80th birthday.

Attending the party her children and their families. They included Mr. and Mrs. David Chambers of Dallad, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wardlow of Irving, five grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren, including several from Santa Anna.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Coleman High School and McMurry College and is employed at Abilene Data Systems in Abilene. Her fiancé is a graduate of Cooper High School and McMurry College. He is employed at Abilene Automotive. They will reside in Abilene.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Haynes of Santa Anna.

## John Pearces Have Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. John Pearce are parents of a baby son, Robert Arthur, born Monday, August 29, in Brownwood Regional Hospital.

The baby weighed seven pounds, three ounces at birth.

Grandparents of the new baby are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pearce of Santa Anna and Mrs. Maybelle Foshee of Houston.

Also greeting the new arrival are two sisters, Anna and Erica.

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## Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lovelady of Lake Travis, near Austin, visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford. We were so very glad to see this couple. They were both former residents of our community. L. J. Lovelady lived the younger part of his life in our community and attended school at Whon. He was the son of the late Mrs. Tommy (Kate) Holmes.

His wife, Jane, is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Switzer, and when living on the Terry Floyd place between Whon and Rockwood attended church at Whon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovelady are parents of four daughters, and they had been with their daughter to Abilene where she is a junior at Hardin-Simmons University this school term. L. J. said they were looking our community over for something that looked familiar, but sure not much around that looked natural to him. Mr. and Mrs. Lovelady spent Thursday night with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil King of Brownwood and were guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy and Toni Friday night at Rockwood. We were so very very glad to see these folks, and do hope they will surprise us again soon.

Floyd Morris had an appointment at the Audie Murphy V.A. Hospital in San Antonio on Monday. He and son Joe Floyd are in San Antonio having his knee checked. Mr. Morris will probably find out if he will have to have knee surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle were Sunday dinner guests with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nicky Poldrack in Coleman, and their daughter, Denita of San Angelo.

Douglas Avants of Brady was on the Avants farm here Friday afternoon and talked with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Avants, by phone in Santa Anna.

On Friday, August 19, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna toured a few states on a few days vacation. They had a wonderful time sightseeing and saw some beautiful country. They were in Arkansas, Missouri and through Oklahoma. They returned the following Tuesday and visited with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Randal Lovelady and girls in Brownwood.

Maxe Morris of Coleman was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and son Joe Floyd, on Friday. They celebrated Maxey's birthday on Friday, with her birthday on Sunday. They enjoyed birthday cake and all the trimmings together.

Mrs. Nicky Poldrack of Coleman and daughter Denita of San Angelo were shopping and transacting business in Brownwood Saturday. Enroute home they stopped and visited Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper of Rockwood have recently visited with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. James Avants of Coleman were on the Avants farm here

Sunday morning and visited with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Avants in Santa Anna enroute home in Coleman. James Avants and Mrs. Helen Rider were married on Thursday, August 25.

Leon Carter visited his sister, Lorene Black, Sunday, and that afternoon visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick were supper guests with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick and children in Santa Anna on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna have recently visited with Mrs. Doris Stearns in Brownwood.

Mrs. Tom Rutherford visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Morris visited Monday morning with Mrs. Imogene Fitzpatrick.

Floyd Morris visited on Sunday afternoon with Loyd Rutherford and assisted him with a water line.

Mr. Cleburn Stanley of Rising Star chatted and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Radle of Eldorado visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon, and with other relatives in Coleman.

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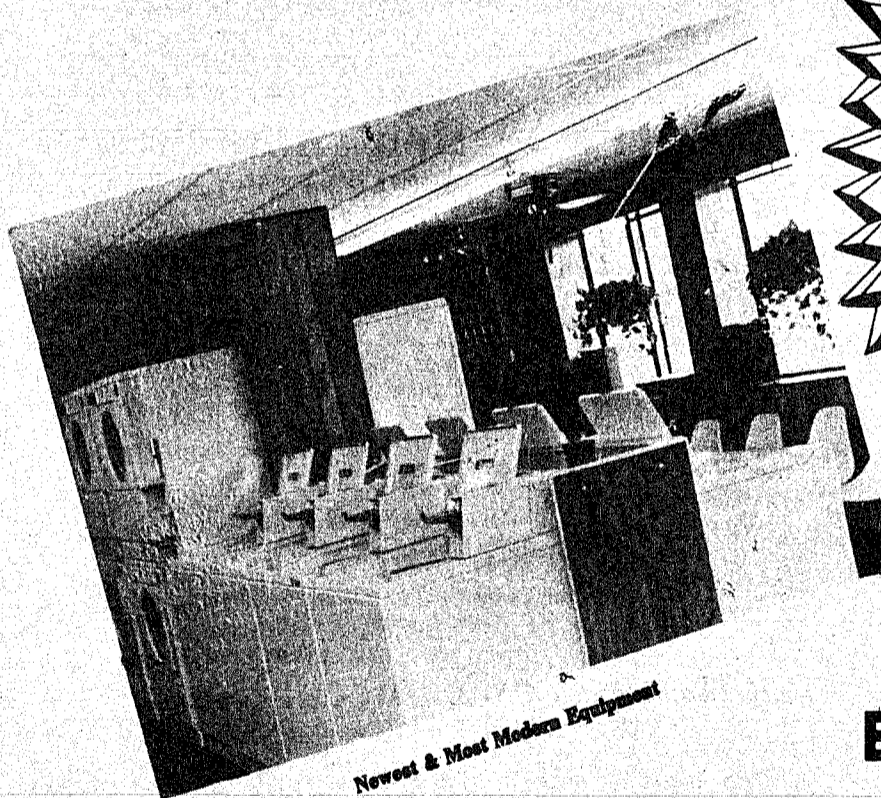
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**1983 Mountaineer Schedule**

Sept. 2	Bangs	Here	8:00
Sept. 9	Throckmorton	There	8:00
Sept. 16	Rising Star+	There	7:30
Sept. 23	Lometa+	Here	7:30
Sept. 30	Goldthwaite+	Here	7:30
Oct. 7	Rochelle+	There	7:30
Oct. 14	Cross Plains++	Here	7:30
Oct. 21	Gorman+	There	7:30
Oct. 28	Open		
Nov. 4	Evant+	Here	7:30
Nov. 11	Blanket+	There	7:30
	+District Games	++Homecoming	

**1983 Mountaineer Roster**

7 Kyle Summers	Fr.	QB	134
10 Ramon Castillo	Sr.	QB	136
11 Russell Williams	So.	E	132
22 Chris DeLeon	Jr.	B	119
24 Ramon Vasquez	So.	B	172
27 Johnny Kirven	Fr.	B	100
28 Shelby Tuttle	So.	B	145
31 Richard Hensley	Jr.	B	151
32 Rex Harper	Fr.	B	106
33 Sonny Guthrie	Fr.	B	100
36 Doug Warnock	Jr.	E	156
41 James Bass	Sr.	B	172
45 Joey Anderson	Fr.	B	106
55 Fernando Castillo	Fr.	C	167
56 David Garza	Fr.	T	207
60 James Frausto	Jr.	G	137
61 Shawn Harper	So.	G	153
63 Robert Siller	Fr.	T	204
66 John Casey	Sr.	G	163
71 Maurice Castillo	Sr.	G	184
72 Paulie Vasquez	Sr.	C	207
73 Danny Siller	Jr.	T	216
77 James Culpepper	Sr.	T	171
78 Rodney Guthrie	Sr.	T	182
80 Wade Miller	So.	E	112
81 Johnny Vasquez	Jr.	E	131
84 Curtis Puckett	So.	T	151
89 Greg Vasquez	Fr.	E	104
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# Trickham News

By Mrs. O. R. Boenicke

The Baptists hope to have a minister here next Sunday to fill the pulpit at the 11 a.m. service.

The Quilting Club will meet again this Tuesday to finish a quilt for Edna Laughlin. Also Lou Vaughn has one in.

Janice and Mark Thompson and two children of Abilene spent the weekend with the Rankin McIvers, and also visited Rickey and Darla Beal and children. We are glad Rickey is doing some better now since his car wreck.

O. T. Stacy of Abilene spent the day Saturday with his parents, the Walter Stacys. He helped them with some work around the place while there.

Sunday Paul and Gay Nell Martin ate dinner with his grandparents, the Howell Martins. They live in Santa Anna.

Saturday night six of us ladies from Trickham went to the Annual Telephone meeting in Santa Anna. They were Lou Vaughn, Oma Lee Dockery, Russie James, Florence Stearns, Leona Henderson and Mary Boenicke. Oma Lee's name was the only one drawn for a gift, and it was a garden tool set. But we all got nice door gifts.

We stopped by the Hendersons and ate watermelon on the way home, and it was good and we enjoyed it. Several others from Trickham went to the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cravens from Stonewall

came Wednesday morning and spent the night with Bond and Lillie Featherston. They went Thursday morning to Brownwood to visit Blanche Sparks and a cousin of Howard enroute home. I visited Bond and Lillie Sunday evening.

I am sorry to report G. K. Stearns got worse and was taken by ambulance to a hospital in Waco last week. He was real sick when he got there, and the last report Sunday he was some better. Their son and family live at McGregor, not so far from Waco. They can help out with him more.

A report from Brad and Sherri Brewster's baby, he is doing good now and weighs four pounds and may get to leave the hospital in another week.

Royce and Wanda McIver from Katy, near Houston, came Sunday evening and spent the night with his parents, the Grady McIvers. They all had supper with the Terry McIver family Sunday night.

Russie James went on Tuesday by bus to Lubbock to visit Cindy and Kelly Huffman. While there Cindy was in a style show and she did real good. Russie came home with them Friday. Russie helped with a brunch at Roberta McShan's in Brownwood Sunday morning. Thirty of Cindy's high school class were there.

Byrdie Miller visited Lou Vaughn Wednesday evening, and Mary Ola

Woods visited Saturday. Genia McIver and Rodney and Tammy Guthrie visited Sunday evening, and Russie James visited on Sunday night.

Last Thursday night the 84 party was held at Coleman at the home of Inez and Roy Miller with 21 present. Inez had nice refreshments and all had a big time.

Visitors with Oma Lee Dockery were Marvin and Ruth Smith, Ilene Haynes who visited last week. Sunday afternoon Dee Dee Stewardson and her daughter-in-law, Jeanie Stewardson and daughter Jacqueline, and Earline Dockery visited her.

Jerry Haynes of Odessa came Friday and stayed until Sunday evening with his mother, Ilene Haynes. He helped her with work while here.

Mary Lea Mitchell went to Austin Wednesday and on to Corpus Christi on Thursday to visit kinfolks. Sunday evening her sister, Janie Eldridge and niece, Sherry Cabral, brought her home and will spend this week with her.

Paul and Gay Nell Martin visited his parents, the Felton Martins, Saturday.

Winnie Haynes visited the J. E. Yorks Sunday evening. We are still hoping we will get a good rain. I might cool things off and settle the dust on this dusty road in front of my house.

# Ranger Park Inn News

The gospel singing was enjoyed by a large number of residents Tuesday evening. We sure appreciated Bro. and Mrs. P. A. Lindley, Mrs. Keeney, Sandra Steffey, O. C. Barker, Juanita and Lou Griffin, for singing.

The residents had a delightful time eating watermelon Thursday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes brought fine big melons, so everyone ate their fill. Thank you, Herman and Edna, for a wonderful party. You made a lot of people happy. Thanks again.

Thank you, Ollie Pembroke, for sharing your beautiful pots of caladiums with us. It makes the dining room so pretty.

It is so wonderful for the news office to send copies of the Santa Anna News out by Gladys Hunter to the residents to enjoy. They are so happy to get the news. Some of the residents meet Mrs. Hunter at the front door to be sure to get a paper. Thank you.

We had a double treat Friday afternoon watching the movie, "Aquarium" and "Arrow to the Sun." It is such a pleasant way to pass the time. We appreciate the privilege.

The western music was enjoyed by a large number of residents Friday night. It's such a delight to have Alfred and Dessie Guley, Carl Bloodworth, Vernon Allen, Dorothy Johnson, Jack and Ruth Banta and grandson Stoney Strength, Raymond and Flossie and Ricky French, play the music. Aunt Samantha (Fannie Gilbert) and Clarence entertain with her readings. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Culpepper of Houston, Arnold W. Moyers Jr. and Kim Moyers of Houston were visitors with Claudia Davis.

Six residents attended the Sunday School class Sunday morning. Thank you, Bettie Henderson, for the blessing they receive from your teaching and sharing with them.

Ora Caldwell was visited years while the appellate process grinds on leaving the offender in perpetual anticipation of impending death. Additionally, if the death penalty is to have any deterrent effect, the punishment must be carried out swiftly and surely.

Having practiced criminal law for some eight years now, I may be a little hardened and callous on the issue; but I have personally known individual offenders for whom execution presented the only safe, compassionate and humane alternative.

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by Dan Caldwell, Gladys Hunter, Frankie McCarthy and Blanche Harris.

Herman and Edna Estes visited his mother, Ollie Estes.

Lula Jo and Chet Holcombe, James Harvey, Sandra and Raina Ann Walker, Blanche Harris, Dorothy Harris and Bettie Henderson have visited with Mabel Burrage.

Herman and Edna Estes, Florence Davis, Flossie and Sheila French and Leta Parker visited with Susie Snider and Pearl Abernathy.

Rodney McCarty of Coleman visited his father, Hubert McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal and Rolan Deal visited with Leo Deal.

Elmer Woodard of Coleman visited with her sister, Allie Woodard.

Ethel Rose Matthews was visited by her son-in-law, C. D. Leach of Azle, and a daughter, Jeanette Brock of Santa Anna.

Roylene Wilson of Cross Plains visited Mac McCarty.

Visiting with Clara Traylor was Earl Irick of Brownwood.

Jane and L. J. Lovelady of Spicewood visited Bessie Morgan Thomas. Lavonne Simmons was another visitor with Mrs. Thomas.

Ila and Jack Todd visited Annie Barrington.

Clarence Hipp visited his father-in-law, Jay McCoy.

Bernice Battles is at the Inn often to visit her husband, Lawson Battles.

Lavada Hubbard and Donna Eoff visited her mother, Annie Barrington.

## Santa Anna School Lunchroom Menu

September 6 - 9:

- MONDAY - School Holiday
- TUESDAY - Tostado pizza, corn, tossed salad, peach cobbler and milk
- WEDNESDAY - Meat balls with mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, blackeyed peas, hot rolls with peanut butter and syrup, and milk
- THURSDAY - Frito pie with cheese, refried beans, salad, cornbread, apple and milk
- FRIDAY - Cheeseburgers, lettuce and tomato salad, French fries with catsup, plain cookies and milk

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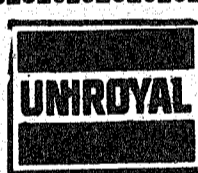
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### Personal Notice

NOTICE- Before calling Santa Anna National Bank, please check directory for correct number. I'm tired of being waked from my sleep after working all night! Dorothea Wells. 34-2tp

### Garage Sales

YARD SALE- Children's clothes, household items. Saturday, Sept. 3, 8-3 p.m. 302 South 6th St. at Ave. C. 35-tfc

### Cards of Thanks

We are indeed humble and grateful to our host of friends who so graciously gave their love and sympathy in so many ways in the loss of our husband, father and granddad. We shall always cherish fondest memories of you. The family of Jack Dillingham 35-1p

I would like to thank all our friends, neighbors and relatives for flowers, food, and cards received during the illness and death of my dad. May God bless everyone. Bobby Fuller 35-1c

For a pretty party hint, freeze fresh flowers in a block of ice to be used in the punch bowl.

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## CAPITOL UPDATE

by Jim Parker



The past few weeks I have been presenting alternatives to incarceration in my weekly articles. We have discussed probation, restitution centers and alcohol treatment programs. All of these are new or expanded possibilities for keeping offenders out of our state prisons while at the same time protecting the public, keeping the offender closer to his family and, when possible, allowing him to keep his job and pay back the victim of his crime. It goes without saying that rehabilitation of the offender is also a hoped for result of these programs.

Some people feel we have yet another alternative in the use of the death penalty.

Anytime we hear talk of lowering the number of inmates in TDC, we will hear someone in the group say, "One way to do that is to stop the endless number of appeals allowed death row inmates. It is ridiculous to find someone guilty of capital murder, have a jury sentence him to death

and then allow appeal after appeal which takes years and costs state dollars both in court costs and housing the prisoner. There is a law allowing the death penalty and we ought to use it."

Since this is an emotional subject which everyone seems to have strong feelings on, I thought I would mention it even though this is one subject which may stimulate some hostile mail. Few people are neutral on the issue.

Every session we seem to have a bill introduced to abolish the death penalty. Rarely, however, does the bill come before the committee for a public hearing.

The last real change in our death penalty law as four sessions ago when we changed from used of the electric chair to use of a lethal injection as a means to accomplish the execution. In those eight years only one execution by injection has taken place in Texas. This was the first time Texas has actually executed a prisoner since 1964.

The fact is that while

Texas has the second highest death row population in the country at approximately 140, that number is a minute percentage of TDC's population which is over 35,000. Those who are opposed to the use of the death penalty, would oppose it even if it would solve TDC's population problem. Even most of the proponents of the death penalty admit it would have little effect on the overcrowding in our prisons. For this reason solving the problem of prison overcrowding cannot be used as justification for the use of the death penalty.

In my opinion the death penalty is a practical solution to those certain cases where a criminal has no redeeming characteristics that could ever conceivably benefit himself or society. To me it is much crueler punishment to incarcerate an individual for years and

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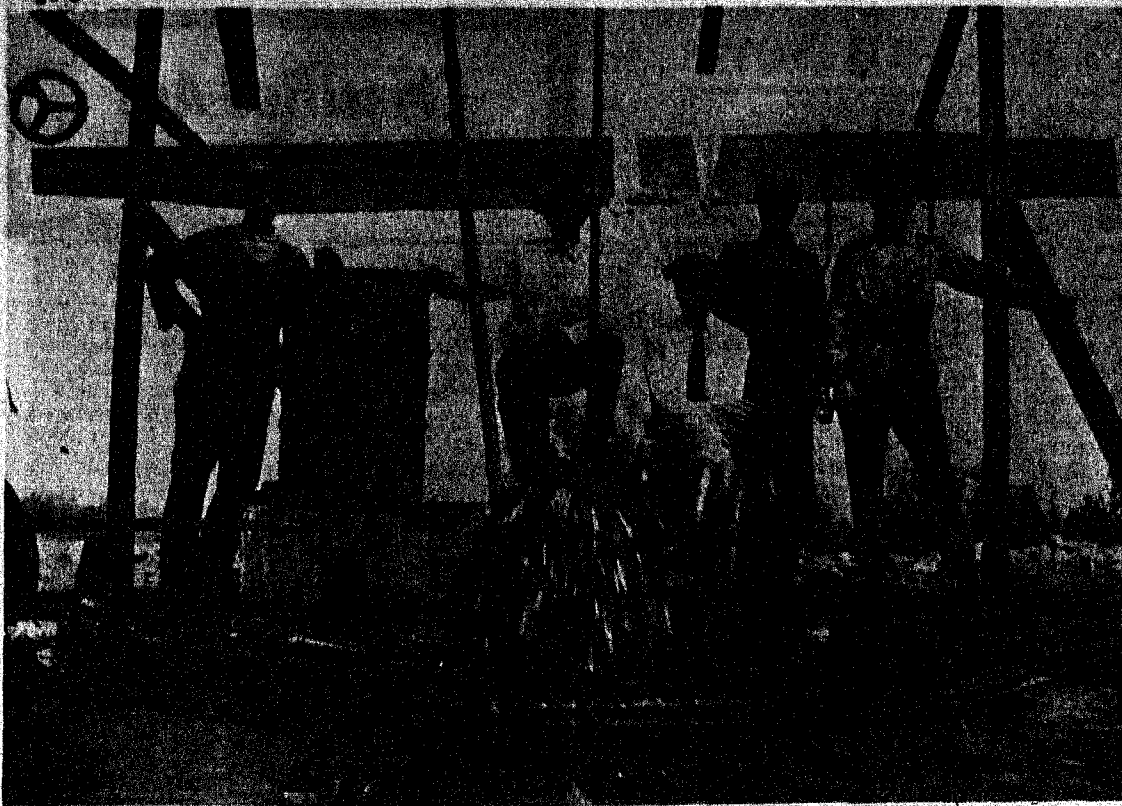
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PEOPLE IDENTIFIED...Identification of the men in this photo have been identified by Joe Haynes of Roanoke, second from right in the picture. Others from left are Dade Ledford, Henry Newman, Lee Woodward, Haynes and Emil Williams. The picture

was made in 1921 at the Robertson Ranch near Trickham. Several wells on the property, now the Taylor Ranch, are still in production after 60 or more years. [Photo from the collection of Mrs. Lee Woodward, Mineral Wells, Texas]

## Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh and Mrs. Eula Bigham went to Bangs Thursday to visit her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores. On Wednesday they took Eula down to visit the Frank Gareys at Buckholts and on Saturday the Baughs, Nancy Lee and Kayla of Bangs and Naomi Reid of Teague went to Bronte to the Baugh reunion.

Juanita Naron visited the Adolph Kelleys Thursday awhile. The Kelleys attended the Baugh reunion at Bronte, going with Casey and Eveline Herring. C. E. Wise Dropped Adolph and C. E. Wise attended the Telephone meeting on Saturday.

Friday Mrs. J. L. McDaniel of Carbon, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Webb and Danny of Crawley, Phillis and Eddie Dillard, Donna Mapson and Jason of Brownwood visited Mrs. Beulah Fleming and Margie over the week.

Tuesday night a birthday supper was fixed by the Lee Ray Huggins for Phil and Gwen Huggins, and Dana and Adam. David also attended. It was Phil's birthday. The Lee Ray Huggins and Hardon Phillips attended

the Baugh reunion at Bronte Saturday.

Carolee Monroe of Fort Stockton spent Wednesday night with her parents, the W. L. Campbells. Carolee had brought the girls clothing and other household things for school. The C. F. Campbells visited the W. L. Campbells and they attended the Baugh reunion in Bronte.

Dena and Lance Rasch of Brownwood visited their grandparents, the C. F. Campbells, Sunday. The W. L. Campbells visited on Sunday night.

Iona Moore visited Linnie Bartlett Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Petty of Zephyr were supper guests of the Randy Brown family on Sunday night. Lane and Sharon Guthrie, Tom and Aaron of Santa Anna were supper guests of the Browns Wednesday night.

Jerry and Cathy Ellis Jamie and Brice went to Lipan to visit her mother, Mrs. Martha Slimp.

During the week Betty Joyce Cupps children all visited. Janice and Curtis Fellers, Dana and Regina Walker and Tanya, Sherry and Shane, Michael and Linda Cupps, Hardon Phillips visited

Loyd Halmon Friday. He dropped by Bruce Albrook

Brook's, and on Saturday went to the Baugh reunion.

James and Cindy Pelton and Chrystal visited the A. C. Pierces Sunday evening. Sue McCarrell also came out.

Those visiting Virgil Cupps over the weekend were Judy and Robert Lutes, Sally and Angie of Odessa. Royce and Virgil attended the Baugh reunion at Bronte for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Moore of San Antonio spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore, and they took D. H. to Abilene Monday to take the airplane to Luxemburg.

Mrs. Ovella Williams and Russell went to Bronte Saturday to the Baugh reunion.

Bill and Joyce McDonald of View, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patton of Coleman visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mills Sunday afternoon. The Milles visited the Bruce Hibbetts and Mrs. Eula Bigham on Monday.

Those visiting the Benji Allisons Tuesday were Maurine Blair, Goldie and George Haynes from near Brownwood, and Doug and Louise Moore. Ione Moore visited Wednesday afternoon, and Bettie Henderson visited Sunday.

Morris and Beverly McFadden of San Angelo were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wise. (Hi, Beverly, tell your mother 'hello'.) During the week visitors in the Wise home were Charles Taylor and Tallon and Larry Cline of Brownwood.

Clara visited Winnie Haynes one evening.

Kasha Donn Cupps visited the Billy Don Cupps Sunday evening, and also the R. W. Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming went to Coleman Sunday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Johnson. Sunday night the Flemings visited the Kenneth Sikes and family in Bangs. Rodney and Bo Sikes were there from Breckenridge. Thelma and Miller D. visited the Mack

Boyetts and children at Whon one day last week.

James and Mildred Ford went to Midland Monday to be with Viola Baker while she had surgery. She is doing well and might get to go home Monday.

Mrs. Byrdie Miller visited the Howard Sikes Sunday.

Mrs. Sammie LaDoucer of Brownwood visited Mrs. Tavy Ford Friday. Mary Jackson of San Angelo visited her mother, Tavy, Saturday. They went to Brownwood and had dinner with Peggy Lancaster and family. Sunday Frankie Davis and Gerald came for a visit.

Sunday evening Casey and Eveline Herring went to Santa Anna to visit Sis Herring and Imo Stewart. Pam and John came by Sunday afternoon, and on Saturday the Harrings, Pam and John attended the Baugh reunion at Bronte.

Darrel Cupps, Sidney Burleson, Arcel and Justin went to Bronte to the Baugh reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooke visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Densman of Coleman Sunday afternoon. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Perkins in Abilene Sunday, and with the Mike Haney's and baby.

Tuesday Ruby Howard visited Lora Russell. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Russell of San Angelo and Billie Haught visited one day last week.

The V. H. Russells and Ruby Howard went to Bangs to visit Mrs. Pearl Etheridge.

The only safe way and sure way to destroy an enemy is to make him your friend.

## Rockwood News

By Mrs. John C. Hunter

Callers visiting Mrs. Claud Box were Mmes. Blake Williams, Jane Wise, Rose Cooper, Junior Brusenhan, Mary Emerson and Lon Gray. Telephone visits were with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harkey of California, Mrs. Carmen Givens of Abilene, Mrs. Mattie Lou Floyd of Dallas and Mrs. Marshall Campbell of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ann Ellis reports cash donations to the Rockwood Methodist Church have been made in memory of Mrs. Mildred Trotter by Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain, Garland McSwain and Mrs. Oleta Mobley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gregg, Carla and Lucy in Coleman. Mrs. Bray, the treasurer of the Rockwood Cemetery Association, reports cash donations to the Cemetery Fund in memory of Mrs. Mildred Trotter were from Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes, Mrs. Lois Haines, Mrs. Gene McSwaine and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McSwaine. Mrs. Robert McClellan gave a check for the general fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Dosh T. McCreary of Austin visited with Mrs. Lon Gray last Tuesday, enroute home from vacation dayd in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCutcheon were in Austin Tuesday, August 23, for funeral services for her brother, Roy. Burial was in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan were in Brady Saturday and visited at Brady Lake with Mrs. Freddie Polk. Mrs. Mary Emerson and Mrs. Claud Box were Sunday dinner guests.

John Richard Deal of Brownwood visited Thursday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Lovelady of Spicewood visited Friday afternoon. Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Deal visited at the Ranger Park Inn with his brother, Leo Deal, later attending the wedding of Jim Barker and Brenda Cuipepper, at 6 p.m. at the Rolan Deal home. Joe Deal of Santa Anna was a Sunday dinner guest of his parents.

Mrs. Bill Nevans of Brady and her son, Kenneth Herring of Bryan, visited Mrs. John Hunter Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hodges of Brownwood vis-

ited with Linnie Box Sunday. Others stopping by were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes of Bovina and Santa Anna, Mrs. Oleta Mobley of Santa Anna and Mrs. Bobby Lee and Jenna of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd and Bonnie Bea of Comanche spent Friday night and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan. All of them went to Anson Saturday, spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hunter, when all of the five children of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter were there, also twelve grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren, who all came together to celebrate Mr. Hunter's 79th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Box visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Emerson, who had a phone visit with a granddaughter, Mrs. Joey Wall of Fort Sam Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hodges visited Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges of Clyde spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges. Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver of Katy spent Saturday and Sunday with the Hodges. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore of Santa Anna visited one afternoon. Mrs. Jane Wise and Mrs. Wilma Williams visited Sunday afternoon, and the Walter Hodges visited Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bo Shero of Abilene, who conducted the Sunday services at the Shields Church of Christ, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler. Larry Fowler of Arlington was here Tuesday for the memorial services for Jack Dillingham and visited his parents.

Alonso Hernandez and Bradley Wise went to Brownwood Saturday visiting the miniature golf course and Pizza Inn, celebrating Bradley's birthday anniversary.

Attending the party were Danny and Regina Walker of Wichita Falls, Michael and Linda Cupps,

Gregory Vasquez of Santa Anna spent the weekend with Ricky Hernandez. Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Hernandez were in Brownwood Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Aguirre.

Jennifer Rutherford and Jill Hambright of San Angelo spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rutherford and Margot of Santa Anna visited Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Blake Williams, Mrs. Hilton Wise and Mrs. Bill Stewart visited Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson Monday afternoon.

Marcus Johnson visited Wednesday with the Aubrey McSwains. Mrs. Bobby Lee and Jenna and Mrs. Oleta Mobley visited Sunday, and Sam Estes visits often with Aubrey.

James Wright of San Angelo, son of Mrs. Tillie Wright, and his room mate visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry one day last week. James is enrolled in Texas A&M University.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman of Brady visited Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan were in Brady Monday and were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ulstad and visited with Mrs. Arlie Davis.

Definition of the word philosophical: a cheerful attitude assumed by everybody not directly involved in the problem.  
-Bits & Pieces

## County Historical Notes

By Ralph Terry

Work on the Coleman County History Book is coming along, slowly...but it is coming along. Most of the initial proofing work has been completed and we are now in the process of cutting down histories where necessary, due to excessive pre or post Coleman County history or overwordiness. Also, in some cases, more than one person has written the same that another has, and that information has to be left out of one, due to space limitations in the book. Each story has to be checked with duplication and overlaps in over stories, and this is taking

time, as we received about 900 stories. We are trying to get these 900 histories into about 600 book pages.

The other 200 pages will be devoted to a general history of the county, town and community histories, schools, churches, organizations, business, memorials, and a complete index. We hope to squeeze everything in, even though much of it will be in a shorter version than it was given to us. The original

notes, etc., will be on file in a special section at the Coleman Library, the archive section. The Coleman County Archives will contain information to help people find out more about their ancestors and about Coleman County in general. It will contain any material that we can obtain that is relevant to the county and its people. The archives will have a separate index or card catalog to help you find what we have there.

We will be able to sell books until December 31, 1983. If you would like a copy, please send your money as soon as possible to Coleman County Historical Commission, P.O. Box 958, Coleman, Texas 76834. The cost is \$42 for those that live in the county, and can pick the book up, when ready. It will be \$45 for those that the book will have to be mailed to. We will have a limited number of books for sale after January 1, 1983, but the cost after that date will be higher. We have had an adequate book sale thus far, but have just now reached the break even point, and we do hope to make some money, a materials are needed to set up a county archives. So, buy a book...or buy several!!!

### Tonya Walker Feted On Birthday

Sherry and Shane, Curtis and Janice Fellers and Birdie Miller.

VISIT PARENTS  
Tommy and Jan Cuipepper of Houston were weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Cuipepper and family. There were here to attend the wedding of Brenda Cuipepper and Jim Barker, held on Saturday.

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