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VFD Fights Fire

Also Got a New Truck

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department went to fight a house fire just south of Rockwood. The house belonged to Fannie Bryan of San Angelo and formerly of Rockwood. The house and land is leased to Gary Black. The house was destroyed. The fire department stayed on hand to keep the fire from spreading to the grasses surrounding the house.

Monday afternoon the fire depart-

ment answered a call to Fern Hoke's home. The call was a grass fire, which was all around the house and barn.

The Fire Department had a work night Monday and Tuesday evening to work on a 1981 truck that the department is fixing up to use as an equipment truck.

People that burn trash and other items are asked to do so with caution, as the grounds are dry, and a flying ember could cause a fire very easily.



FIRE AT ROCKWOOD

School Starts Tuesday

The 1985-86 school year will begin Tuesday, September 3 with an enrollment of about 415 students. 105 of these will be High School students, an increase over last year's High School enrollment of 95. However, school officials explained that the increase was due to the fact that a small class graduated in the spring and the incoming Freshman class is a large class.

All elementary students will report to their classrooms or to the principal's office if they have not pre-registered.

Elementary classes will begin at 8:30 a.m. Kindergarten thru third grade will be out at 3:10 p.m. and all other grades will finish classes at 3:55 p.m.

High school students will gather for a general assembly at 8:30 and classes will be finished at 3:55.

ISD Receives \$2,209.99

City Receives \$1,671.34

AUSTIN—State Comptroller Bob Bullock has sent checks totaling \$61.6 million from the first collection of the state's new franchise tax on banks to 1,996 local taxing jurisdictions.

The City of Santa Anna received \$1,671.34, while the Santa Anna ISD received \$2,209.99.

In a special session last year, the Legislature brought banks under the franchise tax for the first time and allocated receipts from the tax to

cities, counties, school districts and other local taxing units where the banks are located.

Banks are taxed at the same rate as other Texas corporations. Previously, bank stocks were subject to local property taxes. The Legislature exempted the stocks from property taxes, substituting the new bank franchise tax. Collections are prorated among local taxing units based on their tax rates.

Taxing jurisdictions in Harris County received \$15.2 million. The

Houston Independent School District received \$5.6 million and the City of Houston got \$3.7 million. Payments to taxing units in Dallas County totaled \$12.1 million. Dallas ISD's payment was \$4.3 million and the City of Dallas received \$3.5 million.

Tarrant County checks totaled \$3.2 million and total collections in Bexar County were \$2.8 million. Travis County taxing districts received a total \$1.8 million. El Paso County payments totaled \$1 million.

Last Week's Game Good Scrimmage Friday

Last Friday's scrimmage against Lorraine went very well for the Santa Anna Mountaineers. The Mountaineers scored well above the Lorraine Team. The Mountaineers had 14 1st downs and Lorraine had four. The Mountaineers recovered 2 fumbles and intercepted a pass, which under normal game conditions would have meant touchdowns. Coach Privett said the team "looked real good at times and real bad at times."

There will be another scrimmage session, this Friday night, August 30, with the Early Longhorn team. Action will begin at 6:30 p.m. with the J. V. teams playing first, followed by the Varsity team play, beginning between 7:45 and 8:00 p.m. at the Early Longhorn Stadium.

Everyone is encouraged to be there to support our local team

The regular schedule of games will begin next week with the season opener against the Bangs Dragons on September 6 at Mountaineer Stadium.

Supply List

Other items to add to the Fifth Grade Supply list are a box of reinforcers, a school box or container and 3 manila folders with brads and pockets.

BOOSTER CLUB SIGN—BLACK MAGIC

Baptist Mission a Success

by BARBARA KINGSBERY

The annual mission emphasis program for the Coleman County Baptist Association had special meaning last week when the county-wide group met in Santa Anna.

Hosting the meeting was the Cordero Baptist Mission, a project of the Santa Anna First Baptist Church and the Coleman County Association. Those attending were able to see missions in action as they visited the new building and met members of the church.

Cordero Mission was organized in January 1982 with Salas Guzman as pastor. The group met at Santa Anna Civic Center, the Lions Club building, First Baptist Church Annex and other places during the first year.

With financial help from the local and county group and funds from Texas Baptist Convention, property

was purchased and ground broken for the building in 1983.

Work on the building was largely done by members of the congregation. During the construction period the mission was pastored by Pablo Serna Jr., a ministerial student at Howard Payne University.

The Rev. Moses Padilla of Goldthwaite became pastor of the mission in June 1984. Mr. Padilla is bi-vocational, also employed with 3M Company in Brownwood.

Although there is still some work to be done inside the building, services have been conducted there for over a year. This summer grass has been planted and curbing and sidewalks installed on the spacious lot.

Membership at the mission is now 40, with the average attendance 35 each Sunday. Traditionally Baptist missions become self-supporting and chartered as full-fledged churches within five years of their

Methodist Church History

(Editor's note: Methodist will celebrate 100 years of ministry on September 8, 1985 in recognition of this important milestone we dedicate this history of the First United Methodist Church in Santa Anna, to be done in three parts.)

The First United Methodist Church has chosen as their theme this year: "100 Years of the Life Worth Living."

The first Methodist Church building was erected following the appointment of a building committee and the corner stone was laid in September, 1888 by the Masonic Lodge. At the fourth Quarterly Conference in 1890, the Trustees

reported: "We now have a church building costing between eleven and twelve hundred dollars with a debt of about eighty dollars....It is unceiled and not comfortably seated." It was through the efforts of the Ladies Aid Society that 80 dollars was raised for two hundred chairs.

In 1906, the circuit was changed somewhat and instead of five churches being on it, it included but four, Santa Anna, Rockwood, Salem and Milligan.

During the early years of this century Brother J. Frank Turner mentions some important things about this period: "We found ourselves a flourishing church (over 300 members) worshipping in a dilapidated one room church with a large Sunday School overflowing into three or four nearby vacant houses, but we did nothing about it until three years later during the second year of Rev. Curry's pastorate when it was voted, over the protest of the older and wealthier members, to build a new church adequate to the needs of the congregation." A building committee composed of S. J. Pierat, T. Culverwell, J. F. Turner, H. W. Kingsbery, M. J. Norrell, Dr. M. M. Strozler, E. M. Raney, S. H. Phillips, Dr. T. R. Sealy and Grady Adams was quick to begin work and the cornerstone of the present church was laid on February 14, 1914.

It was during the year of 1914, during the month of May, that the first

service was held in the new Church building.

A large two story parsonage was bought by the church in 1920 and several parsonages have followed. During 1985 there has been some much needed renovation done upon the church. Twenty-eight new storm windows have been installed in the sanctuary. New mini-blinds have been added to the church annex. A parlor, complete with rug and furniture has been added to the annex. The Sanctuary and annex have been painted. New doors will be added to the Sanctuary. Yard work and a general clean-up has been a major part of the agenda. All done in preparation of the 100th birthday celebration of the First Methodist Church in Santa Anna.

Presently, the Methodist Church has an active and exciting ministry for their Centennial year. The Methodist Church is an active supporter of the Whirly Bird Program. Other Ministry programs include, an adult choir, an active youth program, a children's choir, children's church, five children's Sunday School classes, one youth class, five adult classes, two United Methodist Women's circles, a United Methodist Men's group, and Vacation Bible School with the Presbyterian Church.

The Circuit still includes four churches, Santa Anna, Trickham, Rockwood and Valera.

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School Board Sets Tax Rate

The Santa Anna School board met on Tuesday, August 20 for a public hearing on the proposed budget for the 1985-86 fiscal year to begin September 1.

The budget was adopted with a total estimated revenue for the general operating fund of \$1,475,744 and estimated expenditures set at \$1,309,140.

The tax rate was set at .85 per \$100

valuation, a slight increase over the .8355 rate of last year.

In other matters, the board delayed any action to accept the new multi-purpose building until all work is completed. That action is expected in time to occupy the building for the new school year.

Preceding the board meeting, the faculty and staff and their families were guests of the board at an ice cream social in the school cafeteria. New members of the faculty were recognized.

Santa Anna Scout Attends Jamboree



SHAWN HARPER

A Santa Anna Boy Scout, Shawn Harper, was among the approximately 42,000 Scouts who attended the annual Boy Scout Jamboree at Fort A. P. Hill, Virginia this past month. The Jamboree is held every four years, and one of the highlights of a Scouting career.

Harper, son of Lois Ann Harper, was chosen as Assistant Patrol Leader for the group from the Chisholm Trail Council which covers the Abilene and surrounding areas. Forty boys, including four adults, from the Chisholm Trail Council attended the Jamboree.

The local group left from Abilene July 17 by bus and traveled to the Dallas-Ft. Worth Airport for the flight to Washington, D.C. They spent six days in Washington, with a

V.I.P. tour of the White House, Senate and House chambers, Mount Vernon, The Smithsonian Institute, Arlington National Cemetery, The Washington Monuments and other

monuments, Lincoln Memorial and other points of interest. A special point of interest was a tour of the Pentagon. Shawn stated that they only saw the Mall of the Pentagon, as the rest was closed.

The Jamboree, held near historic Fredricksburg, Va., was held from July 17 to July 22.

Scouts must qualify for the honor of attending the Jamboree. Activities included archery, orienteering, swimming, etc.

The Scouts saw the Beach Boys at the kickoff Arena Show of the Jamboree. Also attending one of the Arena Shows was First Lady Nancy Reagan, who congratulated the Boy Scout of America on its 75th Anniversary and praised the ideals and traditions of the organization. She pointed out that Boy Scouts can serve as an excellent example to the nation's youth, especially in the area of preventing drug abuse.

Mrs. Reagan said many of the values learned in Scouting are the same that Kids everywhere need in order to be strong and lead drug-free lives. She reminded Scouts to say "NO" to drugs and to encourage their friends to "Just say no" too.

The Oak Ridge Boys returned to their second Jamboree for the closing Arena Show.

Shawn stated that he had a great time and learned alot.

Police Report

The Coleman County Sheriff's Department assisted Santa Anna Police Bill Allen in arrests and a seizure of guns, at a shooting incident last week. No one was hurt in the incident.

Police Chief Allen stated that there had been no report of any accidents, and is hoping that things go smoothly this next weekend, being Labor Day weekend.

Dates to Remember

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29
Teacher work day

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30
Football Scrimmage, Early 6:30

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1
Church
MYF, 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2
Labor Day

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
School starts
Lions Club, noon
Booster Club, 8:00 p.m.

Birthdays Anniversaries

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29
Leslie Wilson
Gail Horner
Bradley Wise
Robert J. Pearce
Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30
Sylvia Herring

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31
Kathy Pearce
Travis Watts
Mitchell Guthrie
Chris Burfield
Kenneth Brixey

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1
Troy Abernathy
John Gregg
Mary Vasquez
Ronnie Burfield

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2
Carla Gregg
Jeannie Patterson

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
Jerry McAlister
Amon Otts

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
Peggy Ward
Mike Coleman
James Hartman
Jeff Moore
Christian Rambo

The Labor Day Holiday is upon us and that brings the start of school. School starts Tuesday, September 3. That means we ALL need to watch for children walking to and from school. Little children and even older children and teenagers forget to watch for cars, so car drivers need to watch for those children.

Speaking of the Labor Day Holiday, which is Monday, please be careful if you plan on making a trip. This is the last summer holiday, and there will be many people out on the streets going to the lake, picnicing, having a good time, etc. And as always, it seems the drunks are out on the roads more during a holiday weekend. So please be careful.

The News office will be open Monday, so if you have any news that you want in the paper, just call or bring it in.

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Would you like your name to be published on your birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know when it is. Next week, we will publish the names of those having birthdays between September 5 through September 11.

Small Business Administration

On Thursday, September 12, 1985, Grady Box, representative of the Small Business Administration will visit the Brownwood area. Mr. Box will headquarter at the Chamber of Commerce building in Brownwood and will be available to discuss programs of the Small Business Administration. Meetings will be by appointment only. Appointments may be made by calling area code 915-646-9535.

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Chamber of Commerce office in Brownwood.

School Dress Codes

The high school dress code this year is that all students are expected to dress in a reasonable and modest manner. Appearance must not attract undue attention or tend to interrupt the teaching process.

Students may not wear clothing with printed obscenities, advertisements for drugs, sex, alcohol or tobacco. Also prohibited are see through clothing, muscle shirts, bare midriff, bare back and tops



TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3
Corn dogs with Mustard, Pork and Beans, Potato Salad, Apples, Milk

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4
Meat and Spaghetti, Green Beans, Fruit Cup, Hot Rolls, Milk

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
Chicken Patties with Gravy, Cream Potatoes, English Peas, Oranges, Hot Rolls, Milk

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6
Hamburgers with Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions, and Pickles, Potato Chips, Fruit Bars, Milk

Tax Information for Small Business

Small business owners are being reminded by the Internal Revenue Service of two free publications that explain federal tax requirements and procedures.

Publication 334, "Tax Guide for Small Business," goes into detail on such subjects as setting up a tax records system, determining net income, and tax credits and business assets. Publication 583, "Information for Business Taxpayers," explains what a small business person needs to know to meet tax obligations, such as how to file forms and to compute the tax.

Taxpayers can obtain these free publications by calling the IRS number listed in their local phone directory.

DEATHS

J. S. Martin, 74, of Santa Anna, a retired oil-field worker, died at 6 a.m. Sunday at his residence. Services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Northside Baptist Church.

Dan Moffett, pastor, officiated. Burial was at Santa Anna Cemetery, under the direction of the Santa Anna Funeral Home.

Born January 14, 1911, in Trickham to O. J. and Dolly McClatchey Martin, he lived in Coleman County all his life. He attended school at Trickham and Love Hill community. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his father, O. J. Martin of Bangs; his wife, Letha Martin of Santa Anna; two sons, Joel Martin of Carlsbad, Calif., and Robert Martin of Chickasha, Okla.; one stepson, Hollis Bible of Santa Anna; one brother H. L. Martin of Athens; two sisters, Mrs. Joe (Ora) Stacy of Brooksmith and Mamie Stephens of Bangs; four grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Mountaineer Sought

The Booster Club is looking for a Mascot. Qualifications are (1) must be very enthusiastic, outgoing, and

with small straps. Questions about the appropriateness of attire will be handled by the principal.

For Elementary and Jr. High school students, girls in Kindergarten through third grade can wear shorts, and fourth grade girls can wear walking shorts. Bare Midriff shirts are prohibited, as are see-through clothing. Tank top shirts or muscle shirts or not allowed.

Program Given For OES

The annual Eastern Star Founder's Day program was presented by Billie Guthrie of the Santa Anna OES Chapter at the August meeting with Mrs. Viona West serving as hostess for the meeting in the Masonic Lodge Hall.

Carmen Donham, worthy matron, and Montie Guthrie Jr., worthy patron, led the business session after opening the meeting.

Fifteen officers of the chapter were present as well as several guests including Jo Grant, Jewel Manning, Norma White and Verna Slate of Coleman and W. T. Powers of Bangs, a member of the Masonic Starts committee.

Missing Boy



Have you seen Shawn Bradley?

Have you seen this youngster? Shawn Bradley was last seen near Wellman July 20 with people who were driving a black or dark blue old style long wheel base Datsun pickup and a two tone blue blazer.

He is 13-years-old, five feet, four-and-one-half inches tall and weighs 115 pounds. He has brown hair and brown eyes.

When last seen, Shawn was wearing a western blue plaid shirt, faded blue jeans and white velour strapped tennis shoes.

If you have seen Shawn Bradley or have information on his whereabouts call the Terry County Sheriff's Department at 806-637-2212 or 806-637-2288.

Shawn is the nephew of Delia Mathis and the late Key Bradley of Santa Anna.

have lots of Mountaineer spirit. (2) Must have a 70 or above in all subjects, must be able to attend all local and out-of-town games, and (3) Can be either boy or girl in grades 9-12, must be in good physical condition.

The booster Club will provide transportation and will provide the buckskin outfit. The Mascot will carry the Black Magic Flag.

If interested, call a member of the Booster Club Spirit Committee, Robert Tomlinson, 348-9146, Mary Ann Hartman 348-3712 or Orabeth McIver 348-3808.

Fannie's Funnies By Fannie Gilbert

Over eating reduces the life span, a word to the wise should be sufficient.

"Getting money from my husband is like taking candy from a baby." "Really?" "Yes, he puts up a terrible yell."

The four year old was asked how she liked her Thanksgiving dinner. "I didn't like the turkey much but I sure loved the bread it ate."

Tall story: a man caught a 50 lb. fish off the coast of Florida and dislocated both shoulders describing the feat.

One way to be sure that crime won't pay would be to let the government run it.

Northern girl: "Men are all alike." Southern girl: "Men are all ah like, too."

Wise man say: "Playing hooky from school is like a credit card—fun now, pay later."

Women prefer the strong silent type. They think he is listening.

Just about the time a woman thinks her work is done she becomes a grandmother.

"Did you hear that the astronauts found some bones on the moon?" "Oh, dear! I guess the cow didn't make it after all."

A husband was at the fountain pen center making a purchase, "You see," he said, "I am buying this for my wife." "A surprise?" "I'll say so, she is expecting a fur coat."

Nothing helps you to keep a secret more than people that won't listen.

Grandparents' Day September 8

America's grandparents have contributed decades of hard work, brainpower and love to our society. Now, with the observation of National Grandparents Day, their contributions are being recognized.

The Texas Department on Aging, in conjunction with the national observation of this holiday on September 8, is providing free certificates of recognition to deserving grandparents all over the state.

These certificates, which are suitable for framing, are signed by Texas Governor Mark White and O. P. (Bob) Bobbitt, the Executive Director of the Texas Department on Aging.

Churches, schools, community organizations, and senior centers can all use the certificates, which are inscribed with the words "An Outstanding Grandparent," in ceremonies honoring senior citizens in local groups.

Outstanding Grandparent certificates can be ordered only through the Texas Department on Aging (write to P.O. Box 12786 Capitol Station, Austin, TX 78711 or call toll-free 1-800-252-9240). The Department on Aging can also provide additional information on the history of Grandparents Day and suggestions for special recognition activities.

Texas Department on Aging Certificate of Recognition

An Outstanding Grandparent
Presented on National Grandparents Day,
September 8, 1985



Gov. Mark White
Governor of Texas
O. P. Bobbitt
Executive Director
Texas Department on Aging

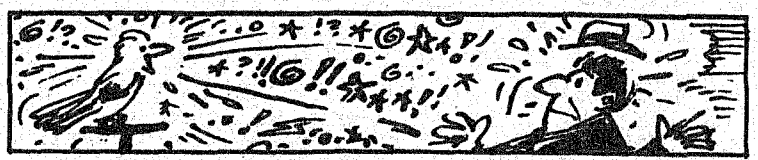
Hookworms--A Danger To Dogs and Cats

By KATHY PEARCE

Hookworms are intestinal parasites that can be a serious health hazard to your pet. Even healthy, well-cared for animals can become the victim of worm infestation under prolonged or severe attack. Worms are picked up as microscopic larvae from the ground and ingested as the pet licks its fur. Hookworm larvae may also migrate through the skin. The larvae migrate throughout the pet's body and develop into adults within the intestine. All body tissues may be damaged by the presence of the parasite, but the most serious problem will be caused by the worms sucking blood from the animal resulting in weakness and anemia. Young animals may die within a few days from the blood

loss. Older animals may become weak, thin, or have a bloody stool. Serious cases may require a blood transfusion to save the animal's life. Most cases however, can be treated with two or three injections spaced over a few weeks. Whole, adult worms are rarely seen in an infected animal. If your pet has not been tested within the last 6-12 months for worms, allow your veterinarian to examine a fresh stool sample under the microscope for the presence of worm eggs.

There are many new, safe worm medicines available that are very effective. Check with your veterinarian to determine which one would be best suited for your pet's needs.

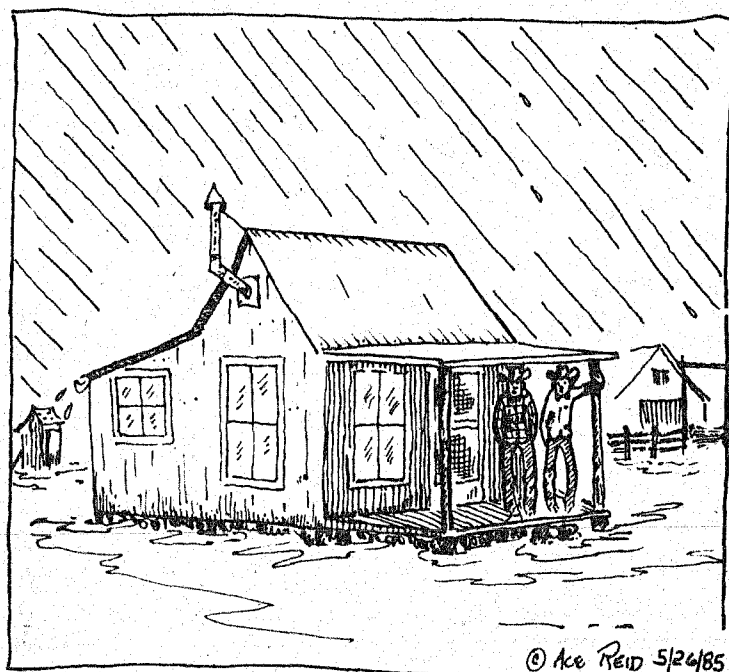


Well trained parrots have been known to accumulate vocabularies of

Alex—
Happy 27th
Birthday, Daddy!
Love,
CaTrina & Randy

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Wul, I guess the drought is broke. So is my bank and me"

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The Santa Anna Funeral Home's Emergency Medical Service would like to invite you to drop by and fill out an emergency medical form so that in an emergency they can serve you better.

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They Came In Peace

by Leona Bruce

CHAPTER 13 CLAY MANN

Up the Jim Ned a few miles from Camp Colorado, and just above the junction of that creek with Indian Creek, was the headquarters of the herds of Clay Mann. He came there in the 1860's, a handsome and friendly young bachelor who enjoyed the opportunities and rode out the difficulties of the frontier. Camp Colorado was not far to the southeast, and the settlement there provided riders for the Indian chases and home for the holiday parties. He rode his range constantly, guarded his cattle, and joined with his cowboys in all the Indian chases.

He probably could have had his choice of the young frontier belles. A party or dance in those days meant an all-night fete, with someone posted out to guard the horses, enough food for a community, music by a fiddle and perhaps a banjo or guitar, and the children staying up as long as they could stay awake. The homes of John Elkins, who commanded a company of minute men during the Civil War, and his brother, Kin Elkins, a ranchman on the Jim Ned, were among the largest in the area and the scenes of much merrymaking, with Clay Mann always there.

Kin Elkins had two daughters, much sought after by the many young men who were either former soldiers who wished to remain on the frontier or minute men in their uncle's company, and by the unmarried ranchmen nearby. Martha was married to Jim Jackson, a cowboy on a ranch on the Ned, and Mary accepted the proposal of Clay and they were married in the Elkins home.

They preempted land where his pens were, and built a small house. The ideal pioneer type, their hospitality exceeded the usual courteous way of the frontier, expecting the men in the employ to be of the same high character and integrity as themselves.

One of the times when this was shown was in 1873, when a scout of Texas Rangers had followed a raiding band of Indians who had attacked the Williams family on Clear Creek in Brown County, killing the mother and baby, and riding off with a nine-year-old girl.

The Rangers chased them, and after several days found the body of the child, who had been scalped alive and left hanging in a mesquite tree to die, far to the north on the Brazos. Hastily burying the body, they pressed on and engaged the Indians in a fight in which one Ranger was badly wounded. They were out of food by this time, and deep snow and bitter cold made them decide to start back to Camp Colorado.

Not able to find game for food, and the horses having no grass, their situation became serious. The wounded Ranger delayed their travel, and Captain Elkin saw that to survive they must have help. They camped in a creek bottom, where they could find pecans to eat, and he sent two men, William Lawrence and Ben Cooper, on the best horses toward the settlements.

Arriving at the Clay Mann ranch, they told their story. They were fed and warmed, and while a flour-sackful of biscuits were hurriedly baked, some of Mann's cowboys saddled and dressed to ride and rescue the others. The trail was easy to follow in the snow, and after many hours of riding the Mann cowboys met the Rangers, who had started on after resting on the creek, straggling along with the last strength of their horses. The cowboys took biscuits from the sack, handing them to the exhausted Rangers as they met. Mann had a beef killed and cooked at the ranch, and when the almost-frozen men reached there they enjoyed the food and rest and their

horses were fed from the Mann corn bin for several days. The wounded Ranger was taken to their quarters at the post, where he recovered.

Mann was among the provident pioneers who built strongly and well. The barn at the headquarters place was an example of this; it is not known when it was put there, but he had used it for some time before he sold the ranch to J. P. Morris, in 1884. The rawhide lumber was sawn at the mill on the creek below the post, but much of the barn is of logs from the creek below the barn, with the bark still on and hard as iron today. There were several bins on each side, with an open hall between, good doors and strong rafters, a place for riding gear, hooks for the lariats, pens adjoining for horses or for working the cattle.

As the area settled up, Mann began looking to the west where land was cheaper and the open country more to his liking. After selling the ranch, he took his family and herds to Mitchell County, preempting what he could and buying many sections more. Clay and Mary Mann were the parents of several children, who lived to see their new property the center of a great oil discovery making them a fortune.

As we have said, Clay Mann required that his employees be men of integrity and dependability. One of these was the noted Negro, John Wallace, a former slave, though the identity of his owner is not clear. Wallace was as true as steel, he hated idleness and would work many hours with no thought of return, and his devotion to Mann and the cattle branded 80 led the other cowboys to call him 80 John, a name which he good-naturedly accepted. Wallace's life was so unusual and so exemplary that he well deserves one of this series of stories all to himself later in this book.

CHAPTER 14 THE GRAVES IN THE TRICKHAM STREET

You drive into the little town of Trickham, looking for the graves; you have heard that there are several graves in the street, probably the only street with graves in the United States, and you see some long stacks of fieldstones, all longer east and west than north and south, and you ask the names of the ones buried there.

But that is one thing which will never be known. The unknown soldiers in the Arlington cemetery are anonymous, but these were well

known for years, and their identity is simply erased by the years. Most of their contemporaries are up the hill in the Trickham cemetery or two miles southwest with the Fiveashes.

Tradition has it that they were men who were killed by Indians, and it is true that they were laid to rest in a flat open space near the Chisum store. Who was the first? No one will ever know, although there are stories in the memoirs of several pioneers telling of the deaths.

W. W. Hunter, who was brought as a boy of ten with his father's family to live near Camp Colorado, in 1860, wrote that he had seen all the people killed by Indians in Coleman County. The first of these at Trickham was Jake Dofflemeyer, the next Charlie McCain, and then Dave Upton. His description of the killing of Dofflemeyer is not like that of E. W. Boles, but as both told their stories many years later we may overlook the variance.

Dofflemeyer was a bachelor, and after his ambush, the Indians got his horse, a well-known race animal, and with others they had stolen rode near enough to the Trickham settlement that the people recognized the horse and thus knew of the murder.

Charlie McCain was a boy of twelve or fifteen, and was with his father hauling wood when they were attacked. The boy was killed, but the father, Brunson McCain, either outran the Indians or hid from them, and lived.

Then there was Dave Upton, who lived on Camp Creek, and was said to have been riding to alert neighbors that Indians were in the country when he was attacked and killed.

It is unfortunate that there was no one keeping a record or diary at the time, as there are questions that cannot now be answered. Hunter says that Burl Brown was living on Camp Creek when Indians killed him, but Fogg Coffee said that he lived on the head of Elm, many miles to the west, and was killed there.

Mrs. Collie Green always believed that her grandfather, L. J. Tankersley, and a man named Carmean, were killed by Indians at Trickham and buried there. But in his book, Early Days In Central Texas, F. M. Cross tells of this event. He says that the two men were residents of Comanche County, and brought a wagon load of pork to sell to the Rangers who were camped on Clear Creek in Brown County. They were followed and attacked by sixteen or eighteen Indians, the gunfire being out of ear-

shot of the Rangers, but the two men were barely dead when two of the Rangers found them while hunting their horses. They were buried in one grave at the Ranger camp, and it is there today, several miles east of Trickham, marked by a nice monument which their relatives put up some years later.

As to the graves in the Trickham street, E. W. Gill says that one of them is of a boy named Buddy Wright, killed when his horse fell with him as a posse was hurriedly preparing to follow a band of Indians. Buddy was the nephew of Texas Wright, who was later married to Jim Gill, a ranchman on the Colorado south of Trickham, and thus was the grandmother of E. W. Gill.

Those killed by Indians and laid to rest in the flat south of the Chisum store were buried deep, as a pioneer woman told this writer, because there were prairie wolves which would dig into the mounds if they were shallow. Then the graves were walled with squared stones and covered by big slabs; if there were ever names, they are lost to memory now, though the smallest one is supposed to be that of Charlie McCain, the boy, and also it has been told through the years that the one to the north, a little apart, was that of Dave Upton.

Chisum sold his store to Lee Shield and moved to Concho County and then to New Mexico. New settlers came by the dozens, stores and blacksmith shops and hotels were built, doctors' offices and a gin and a big schoolhouse with a Masonic Hall on the second floor. And when the town was laid off, it was found that the stonework graves were in a street. Houses were built nearby, one woman telling this writer that out her bedroom window all her girlhood she could see close at hand the grave farthest west. A new cemetery was begun up on the slope to the west, the first burial marker there being dated 1874, the body of a young girl.

And the graves in the street? They are, like those at Arlington, and also many others on the frontier, known only to God.

TOWN TALK

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Burns of Cookeville, Tennessee were visitors of our city this week in the homes of Mrs. (Mary John) Burns aunts, Mrs. L. G. Jones and Mrs. Buna Baucom.

Mrs. Foy Gorden of Coleman and grandson, Paul Phillips Lee of A&M visited in the Fred Williams home on Sunday. Paul Phillip was on his way back to A&M for his fourth year of enrollment.

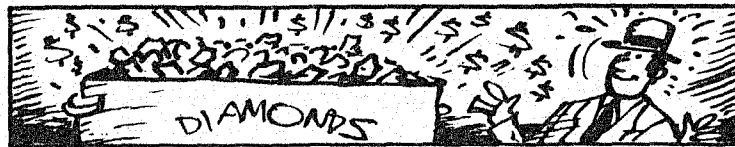
Ina Williams has returned from a vacation and visit with her daughter and family, Diane and Billy Lowry of Plano.

Highlight of her trip was the graduation of her granddaughter, Donna Lowry, from the University of Texas at Dallas. Donna received a degree in business management and information systems.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary were Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Davidson and Trent of Big Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Land and Star of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee, Jenna and J.J. of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. George Winn of Waco; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weaver of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Greg Mobley of Austin and Roberta Herron of Odessa.

Oleta Mobley, Sammie McCreary and Roberta Herron of Odessa spent last week vacationing in Fredricksburg, Kerrville, Hunt, Marble Falls, Burnet and Lake Whitney. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Gill of San Marcus and Pam McClure of Euless in Marble Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Everett in Burnet and then spent several days at Lake Whitney in the home of their nephew, Garland McSwain.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith and Lori met Robbie and Vicki Drake at Inks Lake State Park to celebrate Vicki's birthday. While there they toured the Longhorn Caverns.



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Thelma and Lucas Whitehead visitors were Joe and Eleanor Holley, and Helen Jo Beaver.

O. C. Barker received visits from Inez Lowe, R. W. Balke, Louis and Jaunita Griffin and Wayne Barker.

Dale Wisener spent the weekend in Coleman. Essie Wisener brought him home.

John and Myrtle May visitors were Milford May, Isla Faye and C. J. Thompson, Mrs. John Sprinkles and Jim, Dennis Gaines and Ermin Miller.

Edna Wells is spending some time

in Coleman with her family.

We are sorry Mrs. Cody Mathews is in the hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery. We miss you Cody.

NURSING HOME

The Melody Makers sang for an hour Tuesday afternoon to a large number of residents. Doris Aderholt, Wanda Wallace, Jim Boyles, Lorene Wynn, Dell Funderburg, Allene Needham, Virgie Wood, Frank and Ruth Baxter were the singers this week.

Bro. and Mrs. P. A. Lindley, Mrs. Nolen, Mrs. Keeney, Geneva Mor-

ton, Neal and Viola Smith sang hymns and gospel songs for half an hour Tuesday evening.

The ministers visiting the nursing home and conducting devotions were Bro. Mike Weigand, Bro. Dan Moffett, Bro. Steve Ramsdell and Bro. John Stanislaw. It's such a blessing for you to share this time with us.

The movie "Echos" was enjoyed Friday afternoon as the residents ate popped corn Jay McCoy and Herman Estes served to them.

The western music was enjoyed by a large number of residents Friday evening. There was a lot of toe tapping and hand-clapping while Bill Laws, Carl Bloodworth, Leonard Ray and Jim Boyles played music. This is a program given each fourth Friday at 6:00 p.m. each month. Florence Ray, Allene Needham, Frank and Ruth Baxter, Herman and Edna Estes and Pauline Eubank came to hear this program with us.

We are happy Cecil Drake is back home from a stay in the hospital.

The Sunday afternoon service was conducted by the Full Gospel Church. Bro. Frank Taylor delivered a very inspiring message. The singing of Belinda Deal, Randy Fogle, Glenda, Shirley and Shane Taylor, Karen and Patricia Taylor, Marie Wristen, Florence Snodgrass, Maymie Taylor, and Bob Ingram made it a beautiful service.

It is such a joy to have Marie Hill make her home with us. Welcome to our family Marie.

The 42 games were enjoyed by the residents Monday afternoon. There

were four tables of players. Wilmoth Russell and Ollie Pembroke helped with this program.

Dona Estes visitors were Rev. Tim Thomas, Betty Day, Louise McClellan, James and Cindy Estes, Bruce Estes.

Annie Barrington visitors were Brenda, Lisa, Joseph, Krista and Linda Rambo, and Aphelia Proctor.

Lou Lyn Dunn received visits from Chester and Ora Belle McDonald, Grace Kemp and Erma McCarrell.

Essie Wisener visited Opal Maples.

Mabel Burrage visitors were R. W. Balke, Angie Hernandez, Dorothy Harris, James Harvey and Blanche Harris.

Joe Childers visitors were Holley Hartley and Audrey, G. W. Childers and J. C. Childers.

Mildred Strothers visitors were R. W. Balke, Erin Day, Grace Kemp and Erma McCarrell.

Jonnie Rae visitors were Omie Slate, Leah Luschen, Becky Rendon and Margaret Williams.

Sarah Bomar and Linda Childress visitors were Marie Britton, Dessie Dickinson, Vista Cox, Walter Bedell, Louise Gordon, Charlie and Thresa Fletcher.

Ruby Parker visited her sister, Marie Hill.

Archie Tucker and Margie Webb visited Frances Tucker.

Paula Rider and Roberta Rider visited Sudie Wilkins.

Nora Jones visitors were Charles Hodd, Carrie Sue Hood, Wanda Hood, Gene and Floretta Jones and Carol Weaver.

Nell Mulanax and Beulah Hyden visitors were Martha Nell Watson, Kevin Huffstutler, Charlie Fletcher, Marie Britton, Dessie Dickinson, Johnnie Vanpelt, Karen and Nadine Shearer, J. D. Green, S. D. Conner, John Cross, Christene and Fred Watson and Kenneth Mulanax.

Dols Wagon visitors were Grace Kemp, Erma McCarrell, Wanda Daniel, Angie Gardner, Kaci and Joel Bell, Glynn and Charlotte Gardner and Fawn Wagon.

Vista Cox visitors were Claudine Brown, Sarah Stewart, Pauline Thompson, Sarah Bomar, Adela, Niguel, Gregorio and Mariana Flores.

Bessie Thomas received visits from Stoney Taylor, Connie White, April Compton, Tina Compton, Larry White, Blanche Harris, LaVerne Simmons, Bobbie Guthrie, Sylvia and Lori Herring.

Marie Barrington visited her mother-in-law, Etta Barrington.

Jane Hawkins visitors were Ruth Rogers, Barbara Moore, Marie Britton, Dessie Dickinson, Charlie and Theresa Fletcher.

Nola Hopper was visited by Carol Weaver.

Jack and Ila Todd visited Lillie Knotts.

Clara Traylor visitors were Bobby Benton and Gladys Day.

Pearl Etheridge visitors were Lora Russell, Wilmoth and Verna Russell and Ruby Howard.

Ora Caldwell visitors were Jewell Bowden, Elon Cheatham, Mattie Lou Floyd, Lillie Box, Bruce Estes, Charles and Jean Caldwell, Edna and Herman Estes.

Jim Daniel visitors were R. W. Balke, Gladys Day, Bobby Benton, Virgil Priddy, and W. D. Scarborough.

Pearl White visitors were Junior and Wilma White, Thelma Barkemeyer, Sue and Roger White and Dawn; Michelle Campbell and Essie Wisener.

Nyla Simmons and Ursula Shelley were visited by Robert Barton, Dick Deal, Marie Britton, Dessie Dickinson and Ollie Pembroke.

Jay McCoy visitors were R. W. Balke, Virgil Priddy, Bobbie Guthrie, Shirley Taylor and children, Clarence Hipp and Marie Wristen.

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Sep. 20	Rising Star	8:00	T
Sep. 27	Str'g Cty—	7:30	H
Oct. 4	Miles —	7:30	T
Oct. 11	Eden —	7:30	H
Oct. 18	Irion Cty—	7:30	T
Oct. 25	Robert Lee—	7:30	H
Nov. 1	Bronte—	7:30	H
Nov. 8	Water Val.—	7:30	T



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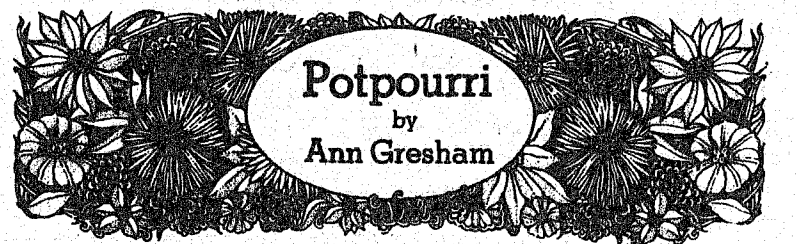
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Labor Day, a day originally set aside to honor the working class, has long since ceased to be a day of leisure for the laborers.

It seems now days that it merely signals another day of high-pitched bargains in almost all stores. Most workers find that instead of relaxing and enjoying a day-off-with-pay, they are taxed to the hilt with bargain hunters jamming their store aisles, creating havoc, which only leads to more work.

Whatever happened to that day of rest? After all, didn't the Lord, Himself, know how vital a rest period is. And while we're on the subject, whatever happened to that particular day of rest? Remember Sunday? The first day of the week. The day when each person could stop with their daily grind and rest, and thank their God for His care and blessings.

The almighty dollar is the guilty culprit, trying to replace the Almighty. Do you suppose the value of a dollar has come to outweigh the value of a day's worth of rest and relaxation? Is it possible that the value of a person's mental and physical health and the roll both play in the worker's ability to function on the job could be of less importance than the value of a dollar?

When do you think we will once again get our priorities straight? Surely it's not too late. Is it?

Household Hints:

- (1) When you need ground nuts, it's faster to crush them between sheets of waxed paper with a rolling pin. (This method is also great for making cracker crumbs.)
- (2) Cellophane-tape a paper pattern to material instead of using pins. It lies flatter, and you can cut right through the tape.
- (3) Even very sound sleepers, who customarily sleep through the ring of an alarm clock, will wake up if you set the clock on a tin plate.

Scents from the kitchen: If you happen to be entertaining over the Labor Day weekend, here are some scrumptious appetizers to serve your guests—

Delicious Dill Dip

- 1 cup sour cream
- 13-oz. pkg cream cheese
- 1 T. chopped parsley
- 1/2 t. curry powder
- 1 cup mayonnaise
- 1 T. minced onion
- 1 1/2 t. seasoned salt
- 1 1/2 t. dill weed

Blend all ingredients together. Refrigerate. Serve cold

Long Johns

- 23-oz. pkg. cream cheese
- 1/4 cup heavy cream
- 4 T. horseradish
- 1/2 lb. dried beef, chopped

Beat first 3 ingredients. Shape into an oblong roll and roll in chopped dried beef. Refrigerate until firm. Slice and serve on crackers.

Beauty Buds: If you are in the process of shopping for a new fall wardrobe, here are a few pointers that just might come in handy:

- Whenever possible, shop only when you feel cheerful.
- To make sure you feel cheerful long enough to accomplish anything, wear comfortable shoes. But take a big handbag along that will hold the shoes you plan to wear with whatever you buy.
- Also, wear whatever underwear you'll be wearing with it.

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S-26414-33-35

The City of Santa Anna is now accepting sealed bids on two lots for sale. All of lot No. 4 in block 22 of the Mahoney addition to the town of Santa Anna, TX as shown by plat of said addition. The second lot is all of lot 3 in block 21 in Mahoney addition to the City of Santa Anna, TX located on the southwest part of the city of Santa Anna. Bids will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on September 12, 1985.

S-26432-35-37

Card of Thanks

Each and everyone goes by love and sincere appreciation for your love and kindness during my recent surgery.

-Alma Webb
W-26427-35-36

We want to thank all the people of our community for all the cards and phone calls while Joe Jr. stayed in the hospital, to all that gave funds and to those who prayed for us, the local churches, the ladies who prepared the benefit dinner, we feel indebted to you all. Words cannot express our gratitude to all, we may forget, but God will never forget your kindness. May God Love and Bless all. Again Thanks.

-The Guerrero family
G-26428-35-35

Thanks to our children, neighbors and friends for the help, visits, cards and letters during my stay in the hospital and convalescence at home.

-Jim Rutherford
R-26431-35-35

Card of Thanks

I want to thank all the people that were praying for me while I was in the hospital, and to all who sent me flowers and who wrote to me, who visited me and sent food.

I want to thank all the people who gave money and to the wonderful ladies who worked so hard preparing the benefit meal to raise money to help me and my parents with expenses.

-Thank you Everybody
-Joe Guerrero Jr.
G-26434-35-35

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TRICKHAM NEWS

By Mrs. O. R. Boenicke

Next Sunday Rev. F. E. Suttle, the Baptist minister will preach at 11 a.m.

Saturday night was a big crowd at the Annual Telephone meeting; it had rained at Santa Anna so the meeting was held in the gym instead of on the football field, and it was rather hard to hear the speakers. There was a number from our community who won prizes at the drawing. They were Russie James, Florence Stearns and Betty Martin and Mrs. J. E. York. All got nice gifts. Russie, Florence and myself went with Lou Vaughn to the meeting.

O. T. Stacy spent the day Friday with his mother, Carrie Stacy. Saturday Timmy and Tona Kirk spent the day with Carrie.

I visited at the Twilight Nursing Home at Bangs Sunday evening with Bernice McIver, he seems to be better, also visited friends there. Came back by my sister-in-law, Laura Harris and visited her on my way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Davis and Mrs. Dwayne Davis of Abilene spent the weekend with Mrs. J. E. York and Nikki, Donnie and Sherry York of Ozona spent Wednesday night with his mother and Nikki and Irene and Billy Haynes of Hermleigh had dinner with them Monday.

The 84 party was held at the Clyde Davenport's with 20 present and Mattie Beth served nice refreshments.

The Kirk family had visitors Sunday from Thrifty, Mr. and Mrs.

and Mrs. David Long and two boys, David Jr. and John.

Mrs. J. E. York visited Florence Stearns this Monday evening.

Birthday celebrations were at the Beal home Saturday, with Brent Beal being 4 years old, also Lois Ann Harper celebrated her birthday with her two sons, others there were Terry and Orabeth McIver and children, Mac and Debbie Boyet and children, and Rankin and Natalie McIver. Last week the Beal family and the Boyet family went on vacation to Fort Worth and Six Flags for a few days.

I am sorry to report J. S. Mar. was found dead in his apartment Sunday about noon; his funeral was held at the Northside Baptist Church at Santa Anna at 11 a.m. Tuesday morning, with burial in the Santa Anna Cemetery.

Visitors with Lou Vaughn last week were Nan and Clem Wilcox of Houston and Gwen Vaughn of San Antonio came Monday and went home Friday. Genia McIver and Lou Vaughn visited Rankin and Natalie McIver Sunday night; Sunday evening Rankin, Natalie and Genia went to Bangs to the Twilight Nursing Home to visit Bernice McIver, they thought he was better.

Paul and gay Martin and baby had dinner with his parents, Felton and Betty Martin Sunday; also Bill and Becky Martin and girls ate supper there.

We are still looking for a good rain, we need it so bad.

was guest of her son, Mr. and Mrs. James Avant in Coleman on Sunday. Mrs. James Avant son and family were also present. They were celebrating birthday and anniversaries.

K. K. Valdez of San Angelo was guest last week with her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson. Her mother, Susan Berry, a friend from Arizona and another friend of San Angelo were weekend guests with the Vinsons, returning home Sunday.

Hilary Rutherford and son, Rocky and Bobby Boatright of Coleman were with me Saturday when we worked cattle. Hilary was with me Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Morris of Brady visited with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford and boys of Brownwood visited with Mrs. Rutherford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abernathy during the weekend.

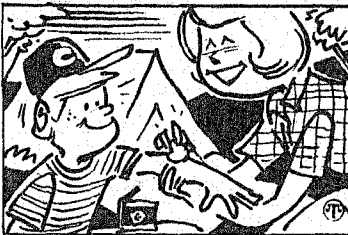
Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Fellers of Early and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps of Santa Anna visited Saturday with Mr. Loyd Rutherford and son Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwayne Perkins and daughter, Christi of Grand Prairie and Mr. Norman Floyd Morris and grandson, Rusty Garner of Brownwood were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

Mr. Travis Brown and Travis Brown Jr. and Mr. Brown Brothers from Kilgore visited with Mr. Loyd Rutherford and Todd on Thursday.

I had a nice telephone visit with my sister-in-law, Mrs. Jack (Alpha) Honey of Temple Sunday afternoon. All was well with the family there.

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The following rules were adopted by the State Board of Education in March, 1985. All school districts in the State of Texas must operate within these rules.

School districts shall not schedule, nor permit students to participate in any school related or sanctioned activities on or off campus that would require, permit, or allow a student to be absent from any class in any course more than ten times during the 175-day school year. Noninstructional school activities must be held outside of 55-minute scheduled academic class periods in grades 9-12, 45-minute scheduled academic class periods in grades 7-8, and six hours of academic class periods in grades 4-6, or be included in one of the six allowable shortened schedules.

A student in grades 7-12 may participate in extracurricular activities on or off campus at the beginning of the school year only if the student has earned the cumulative number of credits in state-approved courses indicated in this subsection:

- (1) beginning at the seventh grade year—have been promoted from the sixth grade to the seventh;
- (2) beginning at the eighth grade year—have been promoted from the seventh grade to the eighth;
- (3) beginning at the ninth grade year—have been promoted from the eighth grade to the ninth;
- (4) beginning of the 10th grade year—at least five credits toward graduation;
- (5) beginning of the 11th grade year—at least nine credits toward graduation for the 1985-86 school schedules.

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CLEVELAND NEWS

By Mrs. Clara Cupps

The Dick Baughs went to Bangs Monday and Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores. They also dropped by Nancy Lee and Kayla's both times.

Amanda Perry visited Burnice Battles Saturday evening.

The Adolph Kellys visited Juanita Naron at Brownwood Hospital Monday evening. Dorothy Isenhower visited Wednesday evening. The Emil Williams visited Thursday morning. The Adolph Kellys went to Bronte to the Baugh Reunion. There were 44 there. They also attended the Telephone Coop meeting Saturday night.

Donna Mapson and Jason, Phyllis and Eddie Dillard visited Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. Beulah Fleming and Margie.

Kenneth and Peggy Sikes of Bangs and Ann and Randy Sikes of Lubbock were dinner guests of the Charlie Flemings. Emmitt Terry dropped by Sunday evening. Mrs. I. E. Hartman and Ruby Hartman visited Thelma and Charlie Tues-

day. Annie Lou Vaughn and her guest visited Friday. Thursday, Charlie and Thelma visited Darrel Cupps.

We will have our get-together this Saturday night at the Cleveland Community Center. All are invited, bring dominoes and tables. Carmilla and Clara will be hostesses.

Dena and Lance Rasch of Brownwood spent Sunday with their grandparents, the Cavin Campbells.

The C. T. Moores attended the Moore Reunion at Brownwood Lake over the weekend. Als attending were Mel and Patsy Pollock and family of Hurst. They also visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore. Carl and Bobbie Benton visited the Moores Thursday night.

Dale Herring and Casey of Jamestown, Tennessee visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring Sunday. Also Pam Morgan, Josh and John.

Eppie Lowry came be to visit the Emil Williams one day last week. Ovella William visited Friday

evening.

Linda Ropp, Mike Gilbert and friend, Denise English, all of Houston spent the weekend with Mrs. Louise Moore. Also D. H. Moore and daughter of San Antonio visited. They all attended the Moore Reunion at the Brownwood Lake.

Chrystal Pelton spent Friday night with her grandparents, the A. C. Pierces. Lou visited Cindy and girls several times the past week.

Howard spent the week visiting her daughter, Inez Morrow and family. Inez brought her home Sunday morning.

Regina Walker and Tonya of Abilene spent the weekend with her mother, Betty Joyce Cupps. Also Shane Cupps of Abilene. Mike and Linda Cupps of Brownwood came up. They all visited the Curtis Fellers. Tonya celebrated her third birthday while here.

Annie Laura York and her sister, Gladys, Winnie Haynes, and Grace Ellis went to the Telephone Coop meeting Saturday night.

Nita Jarvis came Thursday to pick up girls, Cheryl and Gail. They visited their grandparents, the Cecil Ellis several days. Bryce and Jamie Ellis visited the girls some while they were here. Cecil and Nona Bell and girls ate supper with the Jerry Ellis Wednesday night. Grace Ellis had dinner with the Cecil Ellis Thursday and visited with Anita a while. Cecil, Nona Bell and girls visited Grace Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjy Allison visited briefly with the George Haynes near Brownwood Thursday. Benjy and Roxie visited briefly with Iona and Peta Wednesday. Mrs. Wilmoth Russell visited the Benjy Allisons Thursday and Saturday.

Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins, David and Amber took a weekend trip to Six Flags.

Tuesday to Friday Mr. and Mrs. James Ford had their three granddaughters, Vicki, Barbi and Tonya of Brownwood.

Diane Lowry and Stan of Plano are visiting the Bill Lowry and others Sunday and Monday.

Christy Petty of Zephyr spent Sunday night with the Randy Brown family. Chic and Linda Eoff were supper guests of the Randy Browns Sunday night.

Mildred Cammack visited Amanda Perry Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Russell came Thursday after a visit with their children Jim and Sharon Carter of Tyler. They also visited the J. B. Boyds at Kilgore.

Loraine Beeler visited the Coy Brookes Tuesday evening. J. B. Brooke visited Thursday evening. They visited the E. A. Densman of Coleman Friday evening. Coy visited Charles Nolen and Sidney Sackett several times the past week.

Anger is a wind which blows out the lamp of mind.

Mission

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organization, and with the success of the local group there should be no exception to be independent by 1987 or earlier.

A special treat to those attending the Tuesday meeting was a Mexican supper prepared and served by members of Cordero Mission at First Baptist Church Family Life Center. also held in conjunction with the monthly session were meetings of the Coleman County executive board, of which Rev. John Stanislaw is chairman, and a meeting of the Women's Missionary Union.

Guest speaker for the evening was Dr. Don Williford, pastor of Brownwood First Baptist Church, who recently spent time in Australia with eight members of the Brownwood church with a mission project. Theme for his talk was "Mission Texas," a project by the Texas Baptist Convention through the year 1990.

Others on the program were Dr. Ferris Akins of Ballinger, area missionary; Rev. Billy Roberts of North Coleman Baptist Church, and Miss Letha Sanders of Coleman, a retired missionary to Brazil.

Rules

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year and 10 credits each year thereafter; and

(6) beginning of the 12th grade year—at least 13 credits toward graduation for the 1985-86 school year, at least 14 credits for the 1986-87 school year, and 15 credits each year thereafter.

In order to be eligible to participate in an extracurricular activity event for a six weeks period following the initial six weeks period of a school year, a student must not have a recorded grade average lower than 70 on a scale of 0 to 100 in any course for that preceding six weeks period.

A student whose recorded six weeks grade average in any course is lower than 70 at the end of a six weeks period shall be suspended from participation in any extracurricular activity event during succeeding six weeks periods until the end of a six weeks period during

which such student achieves a course average for that six weeks of at least 70 in each course.

A student who has been suspended from extracurricular activity events shall also be suspended from out-of-school practice in such extracurricular activities until such suspension from participation has been lifted.

At the end of any six weeks period in which a student has attained a course grade average for that six weeks of 70 or more in each course taken, any suspension from participating in extracurricular activities and/or suspension of out-of-school practice of extracurricular activities shall be removed.

Limitations on practice and performance shall be as follows:

(1) School districts shall adopt

BROWNWOOD NEWS

By Mrs. John Hunter

Enjoying a fish fry Wednesday evening with Jack and Skeeta Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson and great-granddaughter, K. K., Bill and Sadie Bryan, Bert and Berna Fowler, Elizabeth Allen of Temple, who visited Tuesday to Thursday.

Elec and Rose Cooper visited at Gatesville with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper and children, Wednesday to Saturday.

Dick and Johnnie Deal visited in Coleman at Holiday Hill Tuesday with her sister, Norene Winstead; they visited in Santa Anna Thursday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Joe. C. Deal and Belinda; their guests Thursday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Jphnie Deal of Brownwood; Sunday guests of the Deals were Rolan and Sandy Deal of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Thomason of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesses Eckles visited one afternoon with the Jim Rutherford; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rutherford and girls of Santa Anna were Sunday visitors.

In reporting the "Cousins Reunion," Claudia Rutherford went to Brady Wednesday, joining Billie Eckles and Clydene Russ of San Angelo, on to Llano where they joined Joyce Mueller and Bobbie Valicek of San Antonio, on to Buchanan lake taking the "Vanishing Texas River Cruise," back to Llano for more fun and visiting.

Regret to report the home on the Tom Bryan (Fannie) Farm; south of Rockwood burned Friday morning; the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire boys answered the call. No other information.

Bill and Sadie Bryan were in Brady Thursday afternoon, visiting at the hospital with Mrs. Carroll Hemphill of Pear Valley.

The Bryans and Jack and Skeeta Cooper attended the Coleman Rodeo Friday evening; Sunday visitors with the Bryans were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray and Ella Gray.

The Women of the Baptist Church met Monday morning at the home of Mrs. Mary Emerson in a Royal Service program, titled, "Lasers at

Work Reaching Ethnics," taking part were Sadie Bryan, LaNelle Brusenhan, Minnie Bray, Ella Gray, and Mary Emerson. Next meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 9.

Mrs. Bob Floyd of Dallas and Mrs. Jewell Bowden of San Angelo visited Wednesday to Sunday with Lillie Box; Elton Cheatham of San Marcos joined the group Thursday visiting to Sunday; Elton was host for the group at Saturday luncheon at the Grand Old Opera House Restaurant in Santa Anna. Other callers were Angie Hernandez, Wilma Williams and Sybil Huggins.

Mrs. Box and her guests, Mrs. Floyd and Mrs. Bowden visited in Brownwood Thursday morning with Mrs. Faye Hodges.

Robertta Herron of Odessa visited Oleta Mobley last week, accompanied by Sammie McCreary took a five-day trip to points of interest in the Hill Country.

Spending the weekend with Oleta Mobley were Greg and Janet Mobley of Pflugerville; the three were Sunday dinner guests of Sammie and Jake McCreary; the occasion was celebrating Oleta's birthday anniversary.

Regular callers with Mrs. Emerson have been Lillie Box, Ella Gray and the Junior Brusenhans. The Brusenhans visited Saturday at Brady with Mrs. Freddie Polk and Candy Moore; Mrs. Emerson was a Sunday guest.

Visiting with Linnie box were Scott andvermon Valdez of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Valdez of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Davis of Abilene, Mrs. J. E. York and Nikkie of Trickham and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hancock of Midland.

Recent visitors with Marcus Johnson were Mrs. Jerry Johnson and Pam of Abilene and Margarite Carter of Conroe.

Mrs. Isabella McCutcheon and her brother-in-law, Thurman McCutcheon, were in San Antonio Saturday to Monday, visiting Lt. Col. Bill McCutcheon and family; the occasion was Scott McCutcheon's 16th birthday anniversary; enroute home they visited at Buchanan Lake in the recreational home of Pudge Gate.

Off To College

Deborah Bodine, a spring graduate of Santa Anna High School will be attending Western Texas College in Snyder. She will be majoring in Advertising. Deborah is the daughter of Nancy Conner and Johnny Bodine.

Toni Yancy, a spring graduate of Santa Anna High School is attending Angelo State University and is a business major. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy.

Leshia Eubank will be attending Abilene Christian University. A spring graduate of Santa Anna High School, Leshia is planning to major in Nursing. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Eubank.

Paul Vasquez will be attending Tarrant County Jr. College in Dallas. A 1984 graduate of Santa Anna High School, Paul will be majoring in History. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Venino (Junior) Vasquez.

Danny Siller, a spring graduate of Santa Anna High School will be attending Cisco Junior College. Danny is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Siller.

Jeannie Radicke is a junior student at Tarleton State University majoring in Agriculture. Jeannie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tucker and a Santa Anna High School graduate.

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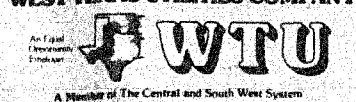
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