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Mountaineers Beat Wildcats, 21-0

Pep Rally 4 p.m.

RISING STAR-The Mountaineers continued their winning ways Friday night as they whitewashed

Rising Star for their third consecutive shutout of the young season. The stopper brigade did their work well as the Mounties limited their opponents to just six first downs and 68 yards total offense for the night. The offense moved the ball almost at will but had a little trouble putting it into the endzone.

The first quarter was a scoreless affair. The Mountaineers were able to score in each of the remaining three stanzas, however. The Moun-

ties were their own worst enemies as they lost three fumbles, had two passes intercepted and were red-flagged 12 times for 138 yards. Two punts by the Mountain Men averaged 40 yards while Rising Star averaged 32 yards on six boots.

Santa Anna racked up 22 first downs on 371 rushing yards and 30 yards passing.

Quarterback Russell Williams enjoyed his best passing night so far as he completed three of five tosses for the game while suffering two interceptions. Rugged Bebe Vasquez carried the ball 25 times for

192 yards and two TDs.

Shelby Tuttle opened the scoring in the second quarter with an eight yard burst. Vasquez tacked on the PAT for a 7-0 lead. Workhorse Vasquez waited until the third

quarter to strike paydirt on a six yard jaunt. The PAT failed to leave the score at 13-0.

The fourth quarter saw Vasquez gouge out another TD on a two yard stab. Craig Duquette closed out the scoring with a two point conversion.

In addition to Tuttle's second quarter TD, he placed the Mountaineers on defense with 12 tackles and six assists.

This Friday the Mountaineers will have to ply their Black Magic for real as they open up District competition by hosting Sterling City with a 7:30 kickoff.

There will be a pep rally at 4 p.m. at the Perry Gym for everyone to cheer the Mountaineers on to victory.

Booster Club Meets

The Booster Club met Tuesday, September 24, for their weekly meeting. They will have a drawing at Homecoming Football game for a 12-gauge shotgun and for a Cabbage Patch Kid. Tickets will be available from any Booster Club member or athlete for a \$1 donation. Black Magic polo shirts have been reordered for the second time and will be available shortly. Also, there are some who are wanting the black satin jackets sold last spring. If there are as many as 15, then the Booster Club will reorder. Anyone interested in obtaining one of these jackets contact a booster.

This week's "Boosters of the Week" are Mary Ann and Eddie Hartman. They have a son, James, who is a freshman quarterback and safety.

The "Booster of the Week" last week was J. E. Williams whose son, Russell, is a Senior quarterback.

Everyone is invited to attend the meetings that are held each Tuesday evening in the meeting room at the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, Inc. at 8 p.m.

Welcome Subscribers

Mrs. C.W. Rasberry
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Whirlybirds to Begin 9th Year

The Whirlybirds will have their first session of the school year on Wednesday, October 2 at the Methodist Church Annex.

All children in the first, second and third grades of school are welcome and encouraged to be a part of the inter-denominational group.

Whirlybirds meet each Wednesday immediately following dismissal of school classes and are dismissed in time to return to the school in order to catch the school bus, or may be picked up by their parents.

This will be the ninth year for the Whirlybirds program in Santa Anna and many children look forward to participating each year in the fun and Christian fellowship. Past years attendance has averaged between 60 and 70 and those working with the program are expecting a good turn

out for this year also.

The group operates entirely on financial contributions from individuals and organizations and any help extended is deeply appreciated.

Refreshments are donated each week by various persons representing the Seventh Day Adventist Church, the First Baptist Church, the Presbyterian Church and the Methodist Church. Others wishing to help are certainly welcome.

In the months to come, the children will be visiting those churches as well as the Northside Baptist Church.

Working with the group this year are: Alice Anna Spillman, Cathy Ellis, Betty Key, Darla Beal, Roberta Tomlinson, Kathy Pearce, Patsy Starr, and Orabeth Mciver. Others wishing to work with the group or having other questions may contact any of those mentioned or Rev. Steve Ramsdell at the First United Methodist Church.

School Board Meets At New Facility

The Santa Anna school board met recently in the new activity center on the school campus. The meeting included reports by superintendent Gerald Brister on new school enrollment (which is slightly down) and

board member Roddy Dean on the proposed purchase of a gasoline tank and pump for use by school vehicles. An update was given on school board policies which have been reviewed by the board, and liability insurance for school staff members was discussed.

After-Game Fellowship Set

High school and Band students are invited to attend an after-game fellowship Friday night at the First United Methodist Church.

Young people of all denominations are invited to attend for visiting and refreshments.



Melissa Buse of Santa Anna is first runner-up for Miss Fiesta de la Paloma for 1985. Miss Fiesta de la Paloma is Renea Moore of Novice

and second runner up is Melinda Johnson of Mozelle. The pageant was held Saturday at the rodeo grounds with 28 girls entered.

Visitors' Day at Adventist Church

October 5 is special Visitors' Day at the Seventh-Day Adventist Church in Santa Anna.

Elder Cyril Miller, President of the Texas Conference of S.D.A. will be guest speaker for the 11:00 O'clock service.

Rudy Jaurez, district pastor and the members of the local church would like to welcome everyone in the community to come and join us and other guests on the special day. Sabbath School is at 9:00 am with its special program and different classes for all age groups—from the

newborn to adults.

There will be a fellowship dinner for all our members and visitors.

So please come and enjoy the day with us at the S.D.A. Church located north of Highway 67 behind the Ranger Park Nursing Home.

Social Security's New Location

A representative will be in Coleman every Thursday from 9:00-12:00 and 1:30-3:00 except national holidays. The new location is on the 5th floor of the Coleman Co. State Bank Building, at 118 W. Pecan in Coleman.

Cub Scout & Boy Scout Rally

Now is a great time to join Scouting! All boys ages 7 through 17 are invited to come to a sign-up rally on Tuesday, October 1, 1985. The place to sign-up is at the grade school cafeteria at 7:00 p.m. Parents need to attend with the boys.

Come, and let's explore some in Coleman County, beginning with Whon.

Whon, Texas, is located in Southeast Coleman County, nestled in a little valley on Camp Creek, six miles north of Colorado River and three miles south of Home Creek.

The Sam McCain family bought a half section of land from Mrs. Wagie Carter in 1903, located on Camp Creek, which never "went dry," in those days.

Mrs. McCain, needing to make some money, applied for a Post Office, naming it for a Mexican, who worked on the Ranch, named Juan. Not knowing how to spell it, she used the phonetic method, Whon. The post office was granted and Mrs. McCain was appointed postmaster.

Mrs. McCain kept the mail in a dresser drawer, said she made \$4.40 the first four months, according to Beatrice Grady Gay's book, "Into the Setting Sun."

Whon Post Office

by Mrs. John Hunter

The Post Office was in different building through the years, Mrs. Ida Cozart was postmaster September 1929, with 75 patrons to March 10, 1961, when the office was moved to a vacant Gas Station, the front window was removed and Lock Boxes were put in the opening, so patrons could drive by and get the mail any hour.

Back in the 1920's Whon was a thriving Farm and Ranch community, having a school with four teachers and 150 students, three stores, a washateria, two churches, a parsonage, a gin, barber shop, twelve residences, a gas station, a large number of farm families surrounding the area. Due to economics, drouth in 1950's, and the close of the school by consolidation, the Town faded away.

Mrs. G. S. Fitzpatrick has been Postmaster since 1961, with a busy

little Post Office, surrounded by a large Farm and Ranch area; mail is brought from Santa Anna daily.

Mrs. Aline Rutherford is "Leave

Replacement," and the only resident, the postmaster lives a short distance up the hill.

Hence, Whon, Texas has the only Drive-In Post Office in the County, probably in the World, and a population of ONE.



The Whon Post Office, the only drive-thru post office in Coleman County. -photo by Mrs. John Hunter

DATES TO REMEMBER

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26
SA vs Cross Plains JV
There 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
Pep Rally, 4:00 p.m. Gym
SA vs Sterling City
Here 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29
Church
MYF, 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30
Camp Fire Girls

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1
Lions Club, noon
Scouting Rally, 7 p.m.
School cafeteria
Band Boosters, 7 p.m.
Booster Club, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2
Whirly Birds 2:45 p.m.

Porcelain Art Club Takes Tour

The Heart of Texas Porcelain Art Club of Brownwood took a bus tour on Friday, September 20 to Dallas, Texas. The Club visited the IPAT (International Porcelain Art Teachers) Museum and the Southern Region Center. The Club saw many things that they had never hoped to see. Those attending from Santa Anna were: Tincy Turney, Louise McCaughan, Oma Dean Horner, Russie James and Dorothea Wells.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
Christopher Boyet
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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28
Billie Guthrie
Toni Strength
Chanda Simmons

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29
Willie Mathews
Dickie Horner
Jeanette McCrary
Mr. and Mrs. Mac McElrath

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30
Shaine Myers

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1
Shala Guthrie
John C. Pearce
Sarah Beal
Mauricio Castillo
Ginger Strength
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas DeLeon

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2
Leanda Kellar
Ray Findley
Ruby Hosch

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 October 3 through October 9.



MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 30
Corndogs, Pinto Beans, Cheese Potatoes, Plain Cake, Milk

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1
Fish with Catsup or Tarter Sauce, Macaroni and Cheese, Blackeye Peas, Peaches, Cornbread, Milk

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2
Stew, Cheese and Carrot Sticks, Apples, Crackers or Cornbread, Milk

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3
Turkey Pot Pie, Sweet Potatoes, Cheese and Celery Sticks, Cherry Pudding, Hot Rolls, Milk

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4
Chili Dogs, Cheese Cup, Tator Tots with Catsup, Tossed Salad, Fruit Cup, Milk

Party to Honor Mrs. Mae Flores

The children of Mrs. Mae Flores are honoring their mother with a party in observance of her 90th birthday.

The party is to be held on Saturday, September 28 from 2-4 p.m. at the Christian Life Center of the First Baptist Church in Bangs.

Hosting the affair are: Mr. and Mrs. Carl Flores of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh of Santa Anna; Col. and Mrs. Joe B. Flores of Hampton, Virginia; and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Avants of San Angelo.

You are invited to share in this celebration and requests are for only the gift of your presence or a greeting card.

Presbyterian Women Meet

The women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church met in the church parlor Wednesday morning, September 18.

Mrs. J. W. McClellan, president, opened the meeting.

This year the study will be "The Apostles' Creed." The Rev. Steve Newton, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Coleman led

the introduction of the study. Rev. Newton has graciously agreed to lead the study this year.

The meeting was closed with prayer.

Those present were Mrs. J. W. McClellan, Mrs. Lewis M. Guthrie, Mrs. Jim Brown, Mrs. Norman Walters, Mrs. Mary Clifford, Mrs. Jim Spillman, Mrs. Nowlin Myers and Mrs. T. J. McCaughan.

Parson Reunion Held

The descendants of F. A. and Louisa Parson met Saturday and Sunday, September 21 and 22 for their annual Parson's Reunion.

There were 83 present at the two-day affair. Four generations of Parson descendants were represented by several attending the reunion.

This is the first time this event has been held in Santa Anna. Future plans are made to make this the permanent location for the annual reunion. Everyone seemed to enjoy the facilities at the Civic Center for this type of occasion.

There was a lot of reminiscing of times past as well as enjoyment of the activities planned, following the theme of an early 1900's County Fair. The theme was chosen in memory of the 1901 wedding date of Frank Affie Parson and Louisa Josephine Cupps.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce, local author, visited with the group and spoke of her experiences with the Parson family in her early teaching career in the Live Oak school. At that time the late F. A. Parson was School Trustee, and Nevy, Norris and Nolan Parson were students.

The old Live Oak school was located near the present day loca-

tion of the Carol Kingsbery home South of Santa Anna.

A special thanks to Mrs. Bruce from the Parson family for the unexpected gift of her presence and the First Edition copy of her book "Four Years in the Coleman Jail."

All the living immediated descendants of F. A. Parson attended the reunion. These are: Nevy and Myrtle Parson of Bangs; Nolan and Shirley Parson of San Antonio; Norrell and Doris Parson of Brownwood; N. K. Parson of Roscoe; Newell and Edith Parson of Brownwood; Alfred and Murial Parson Lappe of Brownwood; Harvey and Dorothy Parson Goodgion of Brownwood; and Audrey Parson Wright of Santa Anna. Others attending the reunion were from Weatherford, San Angelo, Brownwood, Ballinger, Mason, Sweetwater, Bangs, Early and from Santa Anna were Charlie and Thelma Fleming, Emil and Helen Williams, Danna and Stephanie Turner, James Pelton, Alys Pelton, Darell (Tex) and Pat Wright.

Next year the Parson Reunion will be held on the 20th and 21st of September and everyone is hoping for a larger attendance.

wmu circles meet

Members of the WMU day and night circles gathered Tuesday evening at 6:30 p.m. at the Christian Life Center of First Baptist Church for a fellowship meeting and a salad supper.

Ann Langford called the meeting to order and gave a short devotional.

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New officers for the year were introduced. They are: Oma Dean Horner--WMU Director; Ann Langford--Evening Circle President; Betty Henderson-Day Circle President; Leanna Hartman--Mission Study Chairman; Brenda Barnett--Mission Action Chairman; Danna Turner--Mission Support Chairman; Gail Horner--Secretary-Reporter; Nikki Donham--Treasurer.

Those attending were Oma Dean Horner, Ann Langford, Leanna Hartman, Brenda Barnett, Nikki Donham, Kathy McGough, Sandy Hosch, Marilyn Cullips, Laura Thornton, Dorothy Eisenhower, Edith Dodson, Jewel Hosch, Betty Henderson, Bessie McDonald, Susie Stanislaw, and Danna Turner.

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Mrs. Kenneth Ray Roberts

Editor's Note: Robin Smith Chaffin Roberts's wedding story was run last week in this paper; the picture could not be

located in time to run in last week's paper. Sorry for any inconvenience this may have caused for anyone.

Northside Baptist W.M.A. Meets

The Northside Baptist W.M.A. met in the home of Fannie Gilbert on Monday, September 23 with 6 members present.

Amanda Perry, presided over the meeting and Peggy Moffett brought the devotional.

Minutes of the last meeting were read by Secretary of the group, Hazel McCrary.

Roll call was answered with a verse of scripture. Refreshments were served to those mentioned above and Viona West and Linda Moore.

The next monthly meeting will be on Monday, October 28, in the home of Mrs. Luther McCrary.

O. W. Cammack, 54

Funeral services for Orville W. Cammack, 54, were held Tuesday, September 17, 1985 at 2 p.m. in Stevens Memorial Chapel, with the

Rev. Tim Thomas of Trinity United Methodist Church officiating. Interment was at Santa Anna Cemetery under the direction of Stevens Funeral Home.

Mr. Cammack died in Coleman at 10:40 p.m. Sunday, September 15, 1985.

Born February 20, 1931, in Santa Anna, he was the son of Maurice C. and Elsie Evelyn Roach Cammack. He was reared in the Santa Anna area and attended school at

Mukewater. Mr. Cammack had lived in the Odessa and Hobbs, N.M. areas for several years before moving to Coleman in 1974. He was an oil field well service employee and an

Army veteran of the Korean War. Survivors are a son, Wayne (Dub) of Kermit; two sisters, Inez Hubbard of Odessa and Geraldine Thompson of Coahoma; three brothers, Dale of Long Beach, CA,

Elbert and Duane of Bertram; three step-children, Ronnie, Connie and Rusty Alexander of Kermit; and two grandchildren.

Nephews served as pallbearers.

Mrs. Barrington, 78

COLEMAN--Services for Mrs. Ed-die (Annie Mae) Barrington, 78, of Coleman were held at 2 p.m. Monday, September 23, 1985 at Stevens Funeral Home with burial in Coleman Cemetery.

She died at 6:25 p.m. Friday at Ranger Park Nursing Home in Santa Anna.

She was born July 22, 1907 in Coleman and was married February 13, 1927 to Eddie Barrington in Coleman. He died December 25, 1980. She attended schools in Talpa and Benoit. She was a Baptist and a homemaker. She returned to Coleman in 1969 from Big Lake.

Survivors include five daughters, Ophelia Proctor of Santa Anna, Frances Ayers of Del Rio, Nell Hunt of Big Lake, Lavada Hubbard of Coleman and Nadine Tenery of Coppas Cove; three sisters, Mrs. Ila Sorrels Todd of Coleman, Lizzie Williams of San Antonio and Lillie Knox of Santa Anna; 16 grandchildren; and 27 great-grandchildren.

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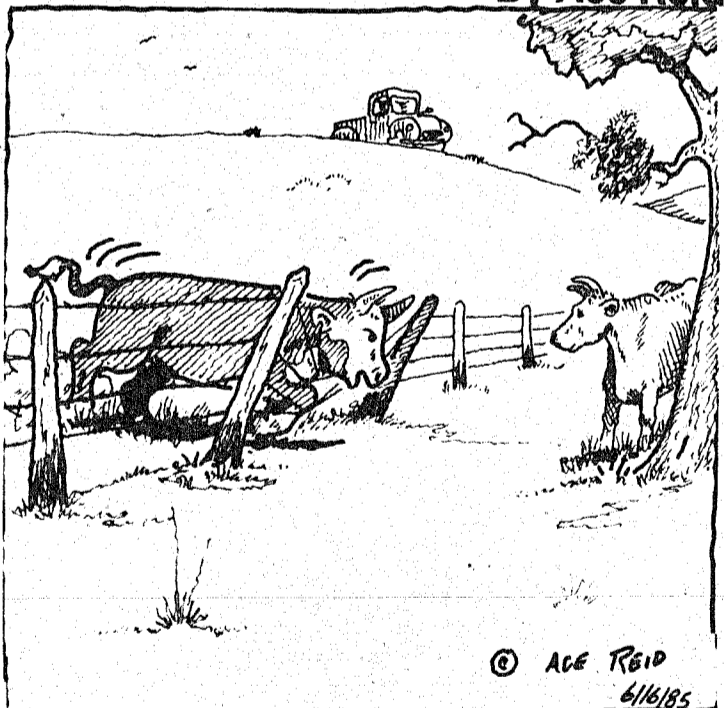
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They Came In Peace

by Leona Bruce

CHAPTER 16
FIRST LADY OF HOME CREEK

It was almost noon on October 28, 1876, when the wagon topped the hill at Clear Creek and Tye saw for the first time the Santa Anna Mountains. The wagon and team, a horse and a mule, had been bought in Waco, and it was not many miles now to the end of the long journey from Missouri to the ranch on Upper Home which her husband, Richard Overall had bought the year before.

He had come prospecting to Oklahoma and Texas after his huge flour mills at Macon, Missouri had burned to the ground; he had seen the country as far south as Fort Mason, but best of all he liked the valley of Home Creek, and he had paid \$200 for a 200 acre tract with a big spring some ten miles west of the Santa Anna Mountains. Back in Missouri for Christmas, he then went to the Rio Grande where he bought cattle and horses from a courteous Mexican ranchman; twelve Mexican Vaqueros came to help Overall and his nephew, Frank Sharp, with the cattle and the caballado, or, as they called it, the caveyard, the horse herd.

Of necessity the incoming American cowmen used Spanish names for the new industry, as there were no English names for lasso, remuda, caballado. Many of these words have been adopted and changed and we now consider them our own. La riata became lariat, Vaquero became buckaroo, a word which we never use in the southwest, and few are the cowboys who know that their use of the lasso to dally came from "da la vuelta!" (Give the turn).

Around the spring on Overall's land were a few pens and a picket cabin which had been put up by a man named Wilson, and these were bought for \$250. The fine grass was free for miles in every direction. To the east about 18 miles was Camp Colorado, and Richard rode there once a week to get his mail and send letters to Tye. By September of 1876, J.M. Callan, who was living in a tent on Hord's Creek on the site which was to be Coleman City, proposed to put in a little stock of supplies for

sale, and go to Camp Colorado twice a week bringing all their mail if they would trade with him. This they were glad to do. So when Tye and a young nephew, Ezra Overall, who was ten years old, arrived in Texas, the town of Coleman had been started with the tent store and two or three small huts on the creek bank.

Tye and Ezra had come by river boat and train to Bremond and Waco, where their household effects had been shipped some time before. Richard met them at Waco, and bought the wagon and team and a pony for Ezra to ride; some of their possessions were put into the wagon, but no furniture except her sewing machine. It would be months before they could get the rest, and with the trunks and bedding they packed wooden boxes of dried fruit—the boxes wood be their chairs—their clothing, a few pots and pans. And it was characteristic of Tye Overall that she included linen tablecloths and napkins.

They sat by a creek, probably the Mukewater, and ate their last camp meal; a dark cloud from the north brought mist, and icy-cold rain and they hurried on the last miles to their ranch, at Eagle Spring.

Tye had tried to picture her little home in the west. Richard had told her that it was small and shabby, and not to expect to like it. But when they drove up to the big elm, and she saw the sorry little one room shed of pickets, with its sod roof with weeds growing there, with only an opening to go in and out, she held to the wagon, momentarily afraid she would faint. But then her love for Richard and her faith in his judgement made her determine to face the future with courage and optimism.

Richard and Ezra stretched up a new little tent not far from the cabin, and for a floor they laid wide boards which had been stored under the wagon bed. They placed a big pallet for themselves in one corner, a small pallet for Ezra in another, moved in her big trunk, and the furnishing was done.

From the door of the cabin a path led the steep bank to the spring; the little hut had a rock fireplace, and by it was a pile of dry misquite wood. They soon had a pleasant fire burn-

ing, warming them and starting coals for cooking supper.

Just before dark, the cowboys came riding in. There was no fence and of course no gate; they simply dismounted at the big elm, unsaddled and hobbled their horses and hung saddle and bridle to some limb of the tree. Besides Frank Sharp, whom we have mentioned, two hired cowboys were John Kelso and Charlie Burton, who was also camp cook. A man named Popnoe who broke horses for Overall was not present.

The supper consisted of all the foods which Charlie knew how to cook, beans, which had been simmering all night and all day on the hearth, fried bacon, fried bread and black coffee. There was talk and laughter as the fire died out, and later the Overalls were warm and cozy in the tent, while the bedrolls of the others were spread on the floor of the cabin.

Tye felt that she was really an inconvenience in the camp. She was a good cook when using a stove, but knew nothing of the heavy iron pots and kettles or the Dutch ovens which must have coals have coals on its lid. Besides on the trip from Missouri, she had had three carbuncles under her arm, and had great pain in movement.

"Just let Charlie do the cooking for a few days," said Richard. "You can learn by watching what how he does it."

They could not unload the wagon, as there was no space to put things, but the bedding and boxes of supplies were stacked so they could be reached; the sewing machine was left in the wagon where Tye could use it, and where it was kept dry by the big canvas sheet.

She soon learned to make a fire with mesquite wood, and to respect it as a valuable wood for fuel. The days began to be chilly, and Frank and Charlie and Kelso were glad to come home to a big warm fire and a hot supper.

It was a prairie country when the Overalls came in 1876 to the upper Home Creek. Along the creeks there were a few trees, and here and there on the prairie a few mesquites which

somehow lived through the sweeping fires which the Indians started every now and then.

There was not much fear of the Indians, though they still came in raids from time to time. Burl Brown had been killed on Elm Creek, not many miles to the south, the year before, by Comanches or Kiowas, and this same Christmas raid was made on Junction City on the Llano and two boys were killed. One day earlier in 1876 when Overall and 2 other men were prospecting on Home Creek, the horses had suddenly been terrified and their guide had felt sure that Indians were near.

Within a few days, Tye learned that a sod roof was good shelter in dry weather, but that after a few days of rain the dampness began to seep through and drip onto the dirt floor and any household effects that might be below.

Once a week, Overall would ride northeast to the site on Hord's Creek where the tent store stood, the future town of Coleman. For the convenience of the cow-camps the mail was brought here twice a week, the sacks opened and all the mail dumped on the floor, the settlers each picking out their own. One day when he could not go, he prevailed on Tye and Ezra to make the trip, though they had never been there.

"Just keep under the hill all the way, and when you get to the creek you'll see the tent. Then when you come back, keep under the hill and you'll see this big tree." They made the trip, facing a cold norther, and for a day or so could read and reread the welcome letters from Missouri and the weekly Galveston News which they all loved.

The first blizzard of fall struck in November, a rain and sleet that coated the backs of the cattle with ice and sent them scurrying south toward the Colorado River. This meant days of hard riding for Overall and the Cowboys, and Tye was afraid to let Ezra go out at all for fear he would lose his way in the storm. Up to this time there had been no shutter on the door, and now the freezing air chilled every corner

of the shack; so the men got a cowhide which had been stretched on the ground, and with two small ropes hung it over the opening. With a big fire in the chimney, they could now keep warm, but a good deal of strategy was needed to manipulate this shutter. The person going out could simply push his way through, but the one coming in had to pull and slip under at a run, before the heavy, stiff hide swung back and gave him a bang on the head which made him see stars.

One day Richard came to the cabin to ask Tye if she could make a pair of trousers for Sharp. He had torn his only ones beyond repair, and would have to stand bashfully against the wall until he could get a replacement. She was willing to try and had some lengths of cloth in her trunk for such an emergency; Sharp had another old pair which could be ripped apart for a pattern, and the sewing machine rattled merrily away in the wagon until the trousers were done, and a good fit, too.

All around the camp grew a tall weed which Tye called broom and a bundle of this tied tightly made a fair sweeper, especially for the dirt floor. She had stooped over the fire handling the pots and skillets and never liking it at all. But about December first, Overall made a trip to Brownwood, taking a day to go and one to return, and spending the night in the wagon yard. Among the things he brought back were a new Charter Oak cook stove and a new broom, both to be the treasures of her life, almost as if old friends had come to visit.

Some delicacies which she had bought in Waco were a tin bucket of lard and a bucket of white sugar. The lard she soon used, regretting to see each spoonful go, as she knew that the biscuits she must make of tallow would be hard and tough when cold, though good enough, in fact quite delicious when just baked and still hot and crisp. The bucket of white sugar also had been used, and all the sugar they had was the brown lumpy stuff which they bought from the barrels in the tent store at Coleman. This changed the taste of coffee and tea until they learned to

tolerate it. When Richard returned with the mail on December 23, among the packages from relatives was one of white sugar.

After several weeks of using a big wooden crate for the dining table, Sharp one day took the sewing machine crate and made a nice table which would seat four people. The new stove made the cabin much neater, as there was no mess of coals and ashes on the hearth at mealtime. About a mile up the creek was camping alone a man named Potter, and for a Christmas gift he brought the Overalls a fat possum, nicely dressed and hung out to freeze the night before.

Tye put the possum into a baking pan and made cornbread dressing as she had done in Missouri. A dried apple pie made with tallow dough, topped with brown sugar went into the oven with the possum and dressing and the cabin began to smell like Christmas.

The men came in to dinner, surprised at the delicious smells and at the linen cloth and napkins on the new table. The holiday foods added to the usual beans and coffee made quite a celebration.

Overall bought two sections of land New Years Day, beginning the growth of the properties which finally reached from the Coleman Junction to the town of Valera and many miles north and south. Through the years, Tye Overall faced their problems with courage and gentility. Whatever happened, she met the situation as a real lady should. The story of those years will be in a book by this writer of which the first draft has been written. Tye learned to trap for skunks, she was the only person ever known to rope a snake, she rode in a wagon to town and church for years, but all the same she was the first lady on Home Creek.

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Fannie's Funnies

By Fannie Gilbert

"Fourth floor, please," said the passenger to the elevator operator. "Here you are, son." "How dare you call me son?" "I brought you up didn't I?"

This is the age of bargain hunters. If it had been this way in Biblical times, we'd probably have been offered another commandment free if we accepted the first ten.

Father to neighbor: "My son is at the awkward age. He doesn't know whether to give a girl his seat on the bus or race her for it."

Teacher to boy: I admire you reasoning Daird but "It takes money to make money" is not the Golden Rule.

Mother to friend: "I don't want to say anything against my kids—but when I go to P.T.A. meetings, I go under an assumed name."

"why do they call them wonder drugs?" "Because you can't help but wonder how one little pill can cost \$1.78!"

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Have Visitors

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary have been Mrs. Micky Davidson and Trent of Big Lake; Ray Ann Skelton of Big Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lee, J. J. and Jenna of Clyde; Mrs. Jeanne Lee, Caddy and Nikki of Cisco; Mrs. Gussie Wise of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Audrey McSwain of Rockwood; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford of Rockwood; Jennifer Rutherford of San Angelo; Jimmy Gall Slate of Brownwood; Jim Everett of Burnet; Joe Bell of Euless and Carl Howard of Houston.

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Jr. Mounties Lose, 16-14

The Santa Anna Junior High Mountaineers opened their 1985 football season against Rising Star last Thursday. The visiting Wildcats won the contest by the score of 16-14.

Santa Anna scored first on a 29-yard run by Luis Padillo. Padillo also ran the 2 point conversion. The score came with 3 minutes left in the first half. The Jr. Mounties had 70-yards total offense in the first half and they limited the visitors to 29-yards.

The third quarter proved to be exciting. Rising Star recovered a Santa Anna fumble on the 20-yard line. Five plays later they tied the score.

With a minute and 30 seconds left, Herbert Jackson ran 51 yards to put the Mounties in the lead. The PAT failed.

In the fourth quarter, the Wildcats scored a second touchdown and a successful 2 point conversion to end the scoring.

Luis Padillo, Herbert Jackson and Ken Brixey were the leading ground gainers for the Jr. Mountaineers. Scotty Anderson led the defense with 13 tackles. Other defensive stand-outs were Alonzo Hernandez, Scott Valdez, Doug Taylor, Luis Padillo, Ken Brixey and Bradley Wise.

Another Disease Caused by Ticks

by Kathy Pearce

Lyme disease is rapidly becoming a problem for humans and their pets. According to the Texas Department of Health a bacteria transmitted by ticks has caused 171 suspected human cases of Lyme

disease during the first six months of 1985. Investigators reported that 20 percent of the dogs and 36 percent of the cats associated with these human cases showed evidence of exposure to the bacteria.

The disease is characterized by sudden onset of lameness associated with pain, warmth, and 1/2 or swelling in one or more joints. In humans, the arthritis is preceded by a circular, red skin lesion and body aches and malaise. The arthritis may develop weeks to months later. Anti-inflammatory drugs commonly used to treat arthritis will not cure Lyme disease, although some symptoms

may diminish temporarily. However, antibiotics will cure the disease in both man and animal.

The ticks responsible for spreading the disease are so tiny in the immature form, a little larger than a pin head, that they are easily

unnoticed. Only about one-third of the human victims of Lyme disease are aware of the bite. These ticks

live on white footed mice and deer primarily, but feed on a wide range of wild and domestic animals as well as on man. All stages of the tick-larva, nymph, and adult--can transmit the disease.

The most important way of preventing the disease is by avoiding the ticks. Dogs should be dipped regularly. Humans should

wear insect repellants when spending time outdoors especially in wooded areas.

Enter 4-H Now!

As you know, the 1985-86 year has begun. If you are interested in being in 4-H or if you would like to come to a meeting to see what 4-H is, we encourage you to do so. If you need to know when your 4-H club meets and where, you can call the County Extension Office and we can tell you.

If you were a 4-H member last year, you will still need to enroll in 4-H again this year. Every year the enrollment forms must be filled out. If you do not enroll we cannot count you as a 4-H member. With the new County Livestock Show rules, it is very important that you get signed up, because this new rule says that if you are not enrolled in a 4-H club by October 15 you will not be allowed to show or sale your animal at the County Show.

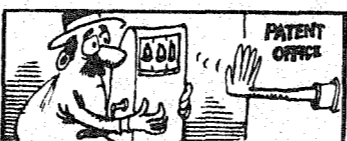
Again, come to a club meeting or by the County Extension Office to sign up--that's anyone from Grade 3 thru 12.

The Santa Anna 4-H leader is Montie Guthrie.

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RANGER PARK INN

By Annie Mae Brimer

LIVING CENTER

Edna Wells received visits from Jackie Jennings and Jo Ann Hale.

O. C. Barker visitors were Inez Lowe, R. W. Balke, Jeanette and Wayne Barker.

Vista Cox received visits from Lillian Bourland, Claudine Brown, and Sarah Stewart.

Minnie Greer was visited by Alma Webb.

Dale Wisener visited in Coleman with his mother this weekend.

Cody Mathews sent word that she would like to hear from her friends. She is living at Jeffery Place Nursing Center, 820 Jeffery St., Waco, Texas 76706.

NURSING HOME

The residents were treated to another watermelon party Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Rejino of Muleshoe brought the watermelon and treated everyone to all they could eat. Herman and Edna Estes helped serve the melon to the residents.

The residents heard the singing of the Melody Makers Tuesday afternoon for an hour. Those singing were Doris Aderholt, Wanda Wallace, Jim Boyles, Tina Whittington, Allene Needham, Virgie Wood, Lorene Wynn and Dell Funderburg.

Bro. P. A. and Mrs. Lindley and Mrs. Keeney sang to the residents for half an hour Tuesday evening.

Lorene Pepper and Myrtle May are now making their home with us.

It was birthday party time again Thursday, September 19. Helen Jo Beaver and Beulah Helms brought cakes. Pat DeWitt played the piano selections, Aunt Samantha (Fannie Gilbert) read poems about the honorees: Nora Jones, Dois Wagnon, Jim Daniell, Lucas

Whitehead, and Edna Wells from the Living Center.

Herman and Edna Estes, Charles and Jean Caldwell and Jeannette Brock served the refreshments to the honorees and a large number of residents.

The residents watched the movie 'Eruption of Kilauea' Friday afternoon while snacking on popcorn popped by Jay McCooy and Herman Estes.

Jessie Lewis and Frances Tucker are in the hospital.

Bro. Mike Weigand, Bro. Dan Moffett, Bro. Rudy Juarez and Bro. Steve Ramsdell visited the home and conducted devotions for the residents this week.

The fourth Sunday service was conducted by Bro. James Ford and Mildred Ford. Ludy Jane Bryan played the piano. A large number of residents attended the service; others attending were Vicki Green and Jaack Hughes.

The 42 party was enjoyed by all that played Monday afternoon. Bessie McDonald, Lora Russell, Wilmoth Russell, Eula McCary and Herman Estes helped get the games going.

Mabel Burrage received visits from a host of friends and relatives. She also received telegram from Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona.

Dois Wagnon received visits from Wanda Daniel, Fawn Wagnon, Atha Jones, Charlotte and Glynn Gardner.

Jim Daniel visitors were Rev. Steve Ramsdell, Bobby Benton, Lotie Farris, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Scarbrough.

Ora Caldwell received visits from Charles and Jean Caldwell, Dorothea Wells, Bobby Benton, Lotie Farris, Boss and Blanche Estes. June Bryan, Bruce Estes, Frankie McCarthy.

Myrtle Bruton visitors were Ralleg and Sandra Bruton, Tessa Clawson and Michael Gray.

Ollie Estes was visited by Ken and Ophalia Estes, Herman and Edna Estes.

Orvie Jenkins visitors have been Maudie and Richard Kelly, Kris and Sonja Preslar, Bro. Tim Thomas, Claris Billings and Wilma White.

Bessie Thomas visitors were Kevin and Joanie Morgan and two children.

Opal Maples visitors were Essie Wisener, Jack Akins, Betty Akins, Daniel Akins, Jeannette Brock,

Billie and DeWitt Simons.

Dona Estes visitors were Boss and Blanche Estes, Rev. Tim Thomas, Betty Day, Louise McClellan and Bruce Estes.

Christine Sanders visitors were Horace and Berniece Snedegar.

Marie Hill visitors were Ruby Parker, Blanche Harris, Jeannette Brock, Faye Whitley, Lydia Fielder, and Glenda Keeney.

Pearl White visitors were Wanda Steffey, Junior and Wilma White. Mrs. White attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Christi Crosby to Marty Robbins in Coleman Sunday.

Mary Hoffman was visited by Harold and Lucille Paschal, Brenda, Micheal and Jason Barrigan.

Jane Hawkins visitors were Barbara and Walter Moore.

Mildred Absher visitors were Gary, Teresa, Dennis and Toby Absher.

Lou Lyn Dunn visitors were Chester and Ora Belle McDaniel, Charlotte and Glynn Gardner.

Lillie Knits visitors were Ila and Jack Todd.

Frances Tucker visitors were Jeannette Brock, Margie Webb and Archie Tucker.

Millard Thomason visitors were Lucille Smith and Louise Kemnitz.

Jay McCoy was visited by Dick Deal, Jeannette Brock and R. W. Balke.

Beulah Hyden visitors were Floyd and Ruth Donica, John Cross, S. D. and Lulal Belle Conner.

Nell and Major Mulanax visitors were Karen Shearer, Wally Shearer, Doris Aderholt, Kenneth Mulanax, Christine and Fred Watson.

Clara Traylor visitors were Bobby Benton and Lottie Farris.

Pearl Etheridge visitors were Ver-na and Wilmoth Russell, Lora Russell, Bessie McDonald, Eula McCary and Ruby Howard.

Nancy Menges visitors were Bill and Nancy Conner and Ann Spencer.

Nyla Simmons and Ursulla Shelley visitors were Jeannette Brock, Dorothea Wells, Oscar Williams, Eva Mae Halloway, Pearl Wilson, Mae Baker, Edmond McCarrell, Avalene Bowers, Robert Barton, David Jackson, Vicki Green, Lucille Thomas and Rev. L. B. (Sis) Walker.

Sarah Bomar and Linda Childress visitors were Walter Bedell, Louise Gordon and Bob Gordon.

Cora Mikeska visitors were Charlie J. and Dell Mikeska.

Sudie Wilkins was visited by Paula and Roberta Rider and Mary Anderson.

Nora Jones visitors were Wanda Hood, Carmon Hood, Floretta and Gene Jones, Bob and Carol Weaver.

FOOTBALL

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MOUNTAINERS

DATE	TEAM	TIME	PLACE
Aug. 30	Early	5:00	T
Sep. 6	Bangs		H
Sep. 13	Blanket	8:00	T
Sep. 20	Rising Star	8:00	T
Sep. 27	Str'l'g Cty—	7:30	H
Oct. 4	Miles —	7:30	T
Oct. 11	Edon —	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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These ladies from Ranger Park Inn all won first place ribbons and were featured in the Care Center Booth at the Coleman County Fair held Saturday, September 21. Pictured left to right, they are Vista Cox, Minnie Greer, Nell Mulanax, Sarah Bomar, and seated, Christine Sanders. Sarah Bomar also was sweepstakes winner. -photo by Mrs. John Hunter

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<p>NOTICE OF INTENT</p> <p>The Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, Inc. in accordance with the provisions of the Public Utility Regulatory Act, hereby give notice of its intent to implement Private Coin Service. The Public Utility Commission has scheduled a hearing on the merits of this offering on October 7, 1985 at 10:00 a.m. at the Commission offices located at 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Austin, Texas.</p> <p>The proposed new tariff offering establishes access line rates and regulations which permit customers to install and maintain their own pay telephones. The proposed tariffs and access line rates are on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Austin, Texas and are available for inspection at the office of Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, Inc., at 215 North Second Street, Santa Anna, Texas.</p> <p>Persons who wish to intervene in the proceeding or comment upon action sought, should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or call the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223, or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 for teletypewriter for the deaf within 15 days of this notice. C-26310-38-39</p>	<p>NOTICE is hereby given that the City of Santa Anna will receive sealed bids for one 1977 Chevrolet pick-up used by the Maintenance Department. Specifications are available at City Hall. Bids must be sealed and in the office of the City Secretary no later than October 4.</p> <p>S-26317-38-40</p>	<p>Plant Sale-Yard Sale-Wood burning stove, roomair conditioner, dishwasher, set of Worldbooks, Misc. items. All day Thursday and Friday 8-2, 704 Ave. A, 348-9282. L-26322-39-39</p>	<p>Thanks to everyone for the prayers, cards, visits, food and every expression of sympathy and concern at the loss of our beloved Tommy Dale Harris.</p> <p>-Wife, Susan -Elgean and Dorothy Harris -Debbie Nixon and family -Sandra Walker and family -Blanche Harris -Mabel Burrage H-26321-39-39</p>	<p>FOR SALE: 1976 Mercury Marquis--good condition. \$1795.00. Call 643-3339 after 5:00 p.m. H-25983-07-1f</p> <p>1973 Olds Cutlass, \$300. See at Pelton's Mobil or call 348-3670 after 6. T-26142-29-1f</p> <p>To place a classified ad, call 348-3545.</p>	<p>SANTA ANNA--Owner wants to horse-trade. Will take small down and finance balance or trade for pick-up, car, or boat as down-payment and finance balance on this remodeled frame 2 bdr-1 bath, home on double corner lot. Call K & H Real Estate--Patta Blake 625-3513 days, 382-4415 evenings. K-26447-27-1f</p>	<p>HOUSES FOR SALE--Low down payments and low monthly payments. Owner financed. Call 348-3122. C-25951-03-1f</p> <p>We now carry the Brown-County Gazette at the News office.</p> <p>Have something to sell or give away, just call 348-3545 and place an ad.</p>	<p>HOUSES FOR RENT--Pay 1st and last month's rent and \$25.00 deposit. 306 S. 2nd St--\$85.00 1003 Santa Fe--\$95.00 104 S. 8th St.--\$95.00 348-3122 or 348-3226. C-26116-28-1f</p> <p>HOUSE TO RENT: 2 bedroom, 2 bath, a-c on Ave. B \$225 per month. Contact Jim Laubhar at 348-3166. L-26444-36-1f</p>
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Sept. 30 Deadline to Insure Small Grains

Coleman County farmers have until September 30 to insure small grain crops. Producers who insured wheat, oats and barley last year will have their contracts renewed automatically unless they cancel them. However, those desiring to

make changes in the level of coverage or price election must do so by September 30.

Crop insurance protects a farmer from large, unpredictable yield losses, says Kirby C. Vanover, County Agent with the Texas Agricultural

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ROCKWOOD NEWS

By Mrs. John Hunter

Odin and Steve Fowler of Fort Worth were Sunday dinner guests of Bert and Berna Fowler; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brinson of Liberty Hill, who had attended the Shields Church of Christ morning service, visited in the afternoon.

Weir Routh of Alvin and David and Beverly of Killen visited briefly Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ella Gray; they had been to Odessa for David's Permian school reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Varrell McClain of Arlington and their guest, Mrs. Laura Davidson of Olney, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Skelton; all attended the Shields Church of Christ Sunday service.

Last Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Skelton visited in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McClain; Tuesday they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kinch McClain and Mrs. Moshelle Swearingin.

Mrs. Mary Emerson reports regular calls from her neighbors, the Junior Brusenhans, Lillie Box, and Linnie Box for this week.

Thursday callers in the Brusenhan home were Sam Estes, and Wayne Bray Saturday; Junior and LaNell visited the Dick Deals Friday afternoon; Saturday they were at Menard visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown and Meca; Mary Emerson was a Sunday visitor.

Visiting during the weekend with Jack and Skeeta Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen, Elizabeth and Wes of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper and children of Gatesville, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Dusty Vinson.

Denny and Louise Densman of Brady visited the Elec Coopers Saturday; Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper, Cody, Cari, Cory and Colt of Gatesville visited Saturday and Sunday; the Alton Davis' called during the weekend.

Mrs. Curtis Bryan spent Thursday night at Comanche with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, Bonnie and Jackie Lee; Bettie and Bonnie went to Anson Friday, visiting in the C. W. Hunter home; Curtis went to Anson

Saturday and Jack Boyd went Saturday because Mr. and Mrs. Hunter were having a big day, marking their 60th wedding anniversary, with their children and all relatives present.

Last weekend Dorothy McSwain, Oleta Mobley and Sammie McCreary spent Saturday to Tuesday at Lake Whitney with Garland McSwain at his lake home.

Skeeta Cooper and Sadie Bryan were in Coleman helping with the Judging at the Fair Saturday morning.

Saturday afternoon visitors with the Bryans were Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ustard and Arlue Davis of Brady; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ustard and Mrs. Doris Crouch of Lake Buchanan Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan were in Ballinger Sunday, visiting with her sister, Edna Burns, and on to Bronte to visit her sister, Zola Burns.

Judy and L. C. Harrison of Fort Worth spent Sunday with Gladys Hunter.

Stopping to say "Hello" to Linnie were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hancock of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis of Snyder, Stacy and Tracy Forrester of Roanoke and Gene McSwane.

Gene and Carneleta Johnson of Irving spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Lora Russell. Gene went over to Cross Plains to the Homecoming; another daughter, Lois and Willie Hagner of Bangs were dinner guests Thursday; still another daughter, Billie Haught of San Angelo came Thursday and spent the night returning home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kelly went to Grand Prairie to their granddaughter's wedding, Dee Dee Wright. Doris said the wedding was real pretty. They went home with the Chic Vaughn and boys and spent the week at Porter with their daughter, Deloris and family. They returned home Sunday evening. Casey and Eveline Herring visited the Kellys Sunday night.

Pam Morgan, Josh, and John had Sunday dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring; John spent the weekend.

Bill and Joyce McDonald of View visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mills; also Susan Daniel and children visited a while. Buck Mills had been in Brownwood hospital a few days and came home Friday.

Carmilla Baugh went to Bangs Friday and visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores. Kayla spent day Friday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh. The Baughs visited Mrs. Ruth Hibbits Sunday evening.

Tuesday night Chrystal Pelton spent the night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierce. Lou visited Cindy and girls several times the past week. Mr. and Mrs. D. Christy of Coleman visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pierce Sunday home to spent the night.

Pat Stearns and Harley Stearns and son, Shawn and Claburn James of Fort Worth visited the G. K. Stearns and Jack Overtree of Bangs and James Ford from Santa Anna all visited Sunday evening.

Anna Laura York and Nikki came Friday morning to help Florence Stearns and Winnie Haynes dig up sweet potatoes.

Gay Nell Martin and Subrina visited the Felton Martins Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brown and children visited Ricky and Darla Beal and children Saturday night. Grady Clay McIver and Shelby Tuttle ate dinner with Genia McIver Saturday.

The Kirk Family visited Mr. Homer Kirk at Bangs Saturday night. We are having some cool weather; it feels like fall.

WHON NEWS

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

I am sorry for the mistake I made last week. I mentioned the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Louise Davis of Snyder on October 12, I failed to give you the Davis address. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis, 3757 Avondale St., Snyder, Texas 79549. Some may want to remember them with a card or some type of remembrance.

Mr. Floyd Morris sister, Mrs. Al Michellatte of Brady did undergo surgery in the Brady Hospital Monday, and reports she stood surgery well, and was doing

evening.

Lucille Blanton spent last weekend until Tuesday with Aunt Mamie Martin and Josephine Dietz at Palo Pinto.

Billie Joyce Perry, Leshia and Lorris visited Mr. and Mrs. John Perry Thursday afternoon.

We will have our get together Saturday night at the community center at Cleveland. So all of you come and bring dominoes to play 42. Mrs. Amanda Perry is hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ford visited in Brownwood with their son, Joe and Frances Ford Saturday night.

Visitors during the week with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wise were Sharon Taylor and Tallion of Abilene, Alton and Ima Brewer, Howard Worsham, Billy William, Margaret Simmons and Ruby Stephenson.

Ovella William visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Emil William. Eppie Lowry visited Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Emil William went to the Parson Reunion Sunday evening.

J. B. Brooke of Abilene visited Mr.

My daughter, Mrs. Bob (Patsy) Smith of Abilene came Sunday afternoon and was with me until Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berry of Abilene were here with her mother, Mrs. Tom (Nettie) Vinson Saturday. Mr. S. D. Fellers of Early visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. Loyd Rutherford and son, Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris were in Brownwood last Tuesday afternoon late, and attended a fish fry in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman

and Mrs. Coy Brooke Friday; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Perkins of Abilene came Sunday evening. They all went to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Densman of Coleman Sunday evening.

Peggy Lancaster and baby, Micheal visited her mother, Mrs. Tavy Ford. Baby Micheal is Tavy's great-grandbaby.

All of you don't forget the get-together Saturday night at the Cleveland Community Center at 7 p.m. Bring dominoes and play 42. Amanda Perry is hostess.

Always speak the truth and you'll never be concerned with your memory.

Floyd Morris.

Guests with Mrs. Tom Vinson from Friday through Sunday were Mrs. Kay Hanley and children, Angie, Adrena and Scooter of Fort Stockton, and K. K. Valdez of San Angelo, and Mrs. Josie Vinson and grandson, Lance Vinson of Fort Worth and Mr. Dusty Vinson of Waco. Another grandson, Mr. Dale Vinson of Fort Worth, who is with his grandmother here a few days.

Mrs. Pearl Avant of Santa Anna and her son, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avant of Brady were on the Avant farm here Sunday.

Mr. Loyd Rutherford and son, Todd were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Don Bible.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elwayne Perkins family and their guest in Seven Community Sunday.

Mr. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman was with me during the weekend after working hours, doing some plowing and sowing grain. Loyd Rutherford, Don Bible and son were assisting with some farm duties. Hilary was with me also on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Betty Zable of near Brownwood. They each seem to be recovering well from a car wreck a few weeks back, even though Mr. Zable is not feeling so well.

Our community has not been blessed with rain since our last visit with you. Rain is something we feel we are really in need of. Looking forward to being with you this time next week.

CLEVELAND NEWS

By Mrs. Clara Cupps

Mrs. Nona Bell Ellis visited Mrs. Grace Ellis several times the past week.

Charlie Fleming visited his mother, Mrs. Beulah Fleming and Margie.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming went to the Parson Reunion Sunday afternoon. Virgil Cupps visited Thelma Friday evening a while.

Ruby Howard and Mildred Davis went to Lampasas on Tuesday to visit her son and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howard. They came back on Thursday. Ruby went out to see Pearl Saturday evening. Tom and Bobby Howard of Zephyr came up Saturday for a visit with his mother, Ruby Howard, and her mother, Bessie Parish.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hancock of Denison had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins Monday.

Dena and Lance Rasch and a girl friend, Nina, who is from Iceland and is an exchange student, came to visit Mr. and Mrs. Cavin Campbell Sunday.

Lisa Gay Monroe of San Angelo came Friday to visit her granddad, Mr. Dutch Campbell.

Annie Laura York visited Winnie Haynes Friday. Winnie visited Florence Stearns Saturday evening. Joe and Shirley Phillip and Jo Ann

visited Hardon Phillip Tuesday. Hardon visited the Joe Phillips Tuesday evening; also the Lee Ray Huggins visited Hardon Tuesday. Leon Phillip of San Angelo dropped by Friday evening.

Kasha Donn Cupps of Coleman spent the weekend with her daddy, Billy Cupps. She also visited the R. W. Cupps Sunday.

J. T. and Debbie Naron, Sterling and Trey ate Sunday dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Naron.

Those on vacation the past week were Regina and Toyna Walker of Abilene, Curtis and Janice Fellers, and Betty Joyce Cupps. They all went to San Antonio, then on to Port Aransas Pass, then to Galveston and Houston. They came home Saturday evening. Betty said all had a good time.

Benjy and Roxie Allison visited George and Goldie Haynes a short time Thursday afternoon. Frances and Kenneth Cox visited the Allisons Wednesday.

Mrs. E. K. Jones of Killen visited Mrs. Louise Moore Wednesday.

Bill and Carol Henderson are proud parents of a baby boy, William Payne III, born September 18. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Junior Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henderson of Bangs.

TRICKHAM NEWS

By Mrs. O. R. Boenicke

Sunday School will be at 10 next Sunday.

Saturday night will be the fourth Saturday night supper at the community center at 6 p.m. and 84 will be played after supper.

Rankin and Natalie McIver left September 11 for a New York tour and the New England States; two other couples went with them, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Reeves and Mr. and Mrs. Lynel Guthrie of Brownwood. They went by plane to New York and went on the tour with 34 other people. All came back September 18. Natalie's mother, Mrs. I.N. Anderson is with them now to visit a month and Genia McIver and myself visited Sunday evening.

Linda Dunn and baby Sara and Debra Boyet and two boys with visited me Thursday morning and Thursday afternoon was a Bible Study at Linda's home; there were 6 people there, with pastor Ted Kell from the Austin Ave. Church of Christ of Brownwood. They come each Thursday afternoon for Bible Study, and will meet again at Linda's this week.

Carrie Stacy returned home Monday morning; she spent a week

with her daughter and family at Fort Worth at Tavy Marie and Bill Heibrier. They took her to Abilene to O.T. and Sue Stacy Saturday and O. T. brought her home this Monday.

Lou Vaughn went to Brownwood Sunday after Sunday School Sunday and had dinner with Bip and Fayf Barnett; she went by and visited H. B. and Earnestine Dockery Sunday evening.

Russie James went Friday to the Porcelain Art Museum at North Park Dallas in the afternoon they attended the International Art Teachers meeting. She said it was all very good. Russie attended the Fair at Coleman Saturday and a few others from our community were there. Saturday night Russie and her family went to Turkey Peak at Kelly and Cindy Hoffman's lake

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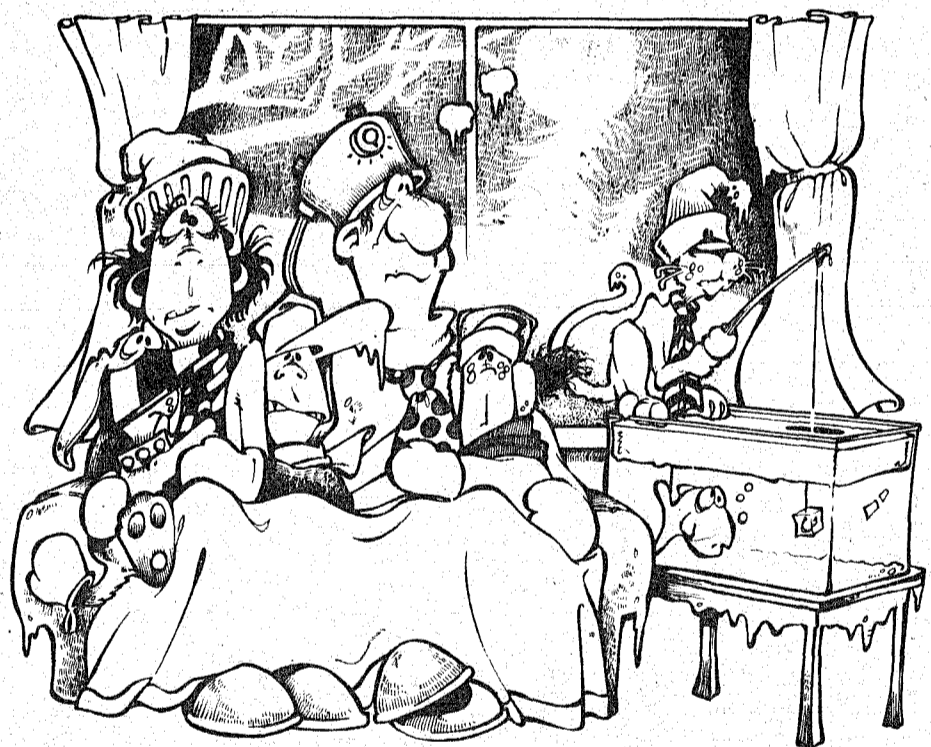
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