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Mountainside Viewpoint

by Polly Warnock

Parable About a Poll Tax Receipt

Behold a voter went forth in January to pay his city tax and his school tax and his state tax and his county tax and his income tax and his inheritance tax and his dog tax, and when he had paid all he sat down in the shade of a tree and fanned himself (even if it was January), for behold he was hot under the collar, verily he was. Selah. And he said within himself, there remaineth but one tax yet unpaid, my poll tax. What shall I do? To pay or not to pay, that is the question. Whether it were better to face one's banker with a cold check staring one in the face--and pay, or let the matter go and in July see a politician named "Jim" or "Tom" 'threatening' to ascend to the governor's chair while one stands helplessly by. The thought is maddening. Nay, verily it should be so. Every good citizen should be armed with a poll tax receipt, quoth he. And so being placed thus betwixt the devil and the deep blue sea, the voter saw a great light, and he betook him to the 'voted' place where the tax gatherer sat and procured this last and greatest distinguishing equipment of a good citizen--a poll tax receipt, which he carefully tucked away in the secret recesses of his billfold against that day. Selah....

The preceding parable was taken from a 1930 issue of the Santa Anna News, author unknown.

Next week voters in Coleman County will be deciding the fate of Coleman County Medical Center....whether to support it with a tax district....or to let it close.

Its not an easy decision for any of us to make, but at least we can go to the polls and vote our conviction freely, without first having to pay a tax to vote. The poll tax was abolished in the mid 1960's. You now only need to present a "free" voter registration card. Only recently Russians were fighting for the opportunity to vote without oppression and the whole world cheered when they obtained that right. Yet still there are many in this country, and in this county, who will not take that privilege seriously. Some of us will not darken the door of the polling place but will freely complain at the outcome of an election.

The election coming up Tuesday is at the grassroot level of our local communities. You have heard many times over that "charity begins at home." Lets paraphrase that to say, "Obligation begins at home." No matter which side of the fence you are sitting on in the debate about a hospital district, you have an obligation to vote your convictions. Only if you go to the polls can we come to a clear picture of how citizens of the county feel about the issue.

In the parable above, the person in question wrestled with whether or not to pay a tax in order to vote, but in the end his sense of duty as a good citizen prevailed.

We at the Santa Anna News join in urging you to VOTE for, or VOTE against the hospital district, but please VOTE!



Looking For A Good Carpenter?

Jon Turney is one, but he's not available. Jon is too busy getting his tree house constructed. He wants to have his project finished before time to return to school in the fall and has been a very busy young man attempting to beat the deadline he has set for himself. However, Jon, like the rest of us when getting caught up in a project of

this magnitude, says he is running out of money to finance the construction and is going to have to budget himself more closely if he expects to finish. The industrious youngster, who has found a way to, while away his summer vacation from school without getting bored, is the son of Mark and Marsha Turney.



Jeremy Hartman Receives Degree from Texas Tech

More than 1,800 students at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, Texas received degrees during May commencement exercises. Among those graduating was Jeremy T. Hartman of Santa Anna. Jeremy graduated *summa cum laude*, receiving a Bachelor of Arts degree with a double major in Telecommunications and Political Science. Honor students must have a grade point average of 3.9 or above to be recognized as *summa cum laude* graduates.

While attending Texas Tech University Jeremy was a member of Kappa Theta Alpha National Journalism and Mass Communications Honor Society, Pi Sigma Alpha National Political Science Honor Society, Golden Key National Honor Society, Phi Kappa Phi Academic Honor Society, and the Pre-Law Society. He was also a student representative to the Political Science Department Council, which administers all business of that department in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Jeremy has been accepted to and plans to attend the University of Texas School of Law in Austin, Texas this fall.

Jeremy is a 1988 graduate of Santa Anna High School. He is the son of Leanna Hartman of Santa Anna and Ronnie Hartman of Lake Brownwood.

Vote Tues. At Telephone Cooperative

The local polling place for the hospital district election, Tuesday, June 30, will be the Telephone Cooperative. Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Early Voting Ends Friday

Early voting in the hospital tax district election will end Friday, June 26, at 5:00 p.m., announces County Clerk Glenn Thomas.

As of Monday morning there had been 725 votes cast by personal appearance and 37 ballots by mail. Early voting is taking place at the Miller Library Building on the northwest corner of the courthouse square. Voting hours are from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Court House Offices Closed Tuesday, 30th

County Tax Assessor/Collector Billie Baker reminds you that the court house offices will be closed Tuesday, June 30th, except for election business so those of you needing to pay auto registration should get it done by closing time on Monday, the 29th. You are also reminded that there is a five day grace period on paying auto registration, so you will have that much time following Tuesday to get the chore done.

Several Local Players Listed On County All-Star Teams

The Coleman Little, Junior and Senior League All-Star teams were released this past Saturday and here are the members of those respective squads who will be seeing post-season action very soon.

LITTLE LEAGUE STARS

Michael Autry, Jeremy Bruce, Joseph Coleman, Chris Craig, Brent Dawson, Kyle Dawson, Bill Grantz, Josh Hale, Stephen Loyd, Kelan Luker, Wayne Pyburn, Willie Stewart, Jason Thweatt, and Shane Watson. Coaches are Billy Jack Dawson and Steve Hale.

JUNIOR LEAGUE STARS

Keith Meador, Casey Connelly, Ryan Keeney, Kenny Hogan, Doug Salas Mares, Wes Powell, Chris Cheaney, Jeremy Barnett, Johnny Salazar, Clint Bigham, Joey Bishop, Chad Deeds, Gregorio Flores, and Steven Ferguson. Coaches are Sherman Smith and David Huff.

SENIOR LEAGUE STARS

Stephen Gonzales, Shane Farmer, Glen Donham, Keith Owens, Jason Walker, Lance Ransberger, Starsky Jauregui, Moises Alua, Miguel Flores, Chad Bolton, Clay Campbell, Mitch Todd, Lance Huff, and Britt Hart. Coaches are Bruce Ransberger and Johnny Todd.

Homecoming Set For October 9-10

The Santa Anna Ex-student Association Homecoming is set for October 9th and 10th. The Mountaineers will play Miles on that Friday night. The business meeting will be held on Saturday morning. Other activities will be announced as time goes by.

5th Annual Coleman Rodeo On Tap For July 2-4

Coleman's 55th Annual PRCA Rodeo will be held nightly at 8 p.m. beginning Thursday, July 2 and running through Saturday, July 4.

The Rodeo will be held at the 33 acres of land owned by the Coleman Rodeo Association that adjoins the city limits of Coleman on the south. This land and facilities are used for the rodeo, livestock show and other related events. This is one of the finest outdoor facilities in the Southwest. It seats 6,000 people and has free parking adjoining the dust-free arena.

The Coleman Rodeo is strictly professional and always has been. This means that it is approved by the Professional Cowboys Association and the Women's Professional Rodeo Association. This insures that some of the top Cowboys and Cowgirls in the nation will be competing in the

Coleman Rodeo for some \$5,600.00 added prize money.

The queen for the 1992 Rodeo is Lezlie Dodson, daughter of Henry and Margie Dodson.

Stock will be furnished by Don Gay Allstar Rodeo of Mesquite, Texas, owned by Mr. Don Gay. Don Gay is an eight times World Champion Bull Rider and a member of the Pro Rodeo Hall of Champions. Several of Don's horses and bulls were selected to the 1990 National Finals in Las Vegas.

Charlie Throckmorton of Euless, Texas, will serve as the rodeo announcer this year. He was the 1990 National Finals Steer Roping Announcer.

The clowns for the 1992 Rodeo are Tommy Hair and Travis Hill. Dwain LeBouef will serve as barrelman and he will also perform specialty acts.

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Buffalo Reunion Meets Here This Saturday & Sunday

The annual Buffalo School and Community Reunion will be held in Santa Anna on Saturday and Sunday, June 27 and 28. The site has been changed to the downtown Lions Club Building.

Registration will begin at 9 a.m. on June 27, with a fee of \$1.00 per person. Former students and residents of the northeast Coleman County community will enjoy visitation during the day.

The Methodist Youth group will serve sandwiches and cold drinks during the day, and in the afternoon there will be an auction of donated items and crafted items with all proceeds going to the Buffalo Reunion Fund.

The Saturday evening and Sunday noon meals will be catered by the Bangs Downtown Cafe. Reservations are requested by Betty June (Pennington) Faries, committee member. She may be contacted at 216 N. Blanco, Coleman, Texas

76834, or by calling (915) 625-2448.

Sunday activities will begin at 9:30 p.m. with special music and a memorial service by Rev. Wallace Pierce. The afternoon will conclude with visitation.

Local people taking part in the reunion are asked to be at the Lions Club Building Friday, June 26 at 1:30 p.m. to help set up tables and arrange for the meeting. Local ladies are also asked to bring a dessert to be served during the reunion.

The annual event is a special time for former students of the school that closed in the early 1950's. Special exhibits are always displayed of pictures and other mementoes from the school and community.

All local and area people are invited to attend.

Adolph Kelley is president of the organization this year.

Summer Reading Program Hears Australian Visitors

By Betty Key

The Summer Reading Club held its first meeting of the summer on Thursday, June 18, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The group met in the meeting room at the Telephone Office. Early arrivals saw a video about Sea World.

The guest speakers were Mrs. Tom Sloan and her son Tom. They

are originally from Queensland, Australia. The Sloans have been in the country less than two years. The live in the Talpa area where Mr. Sloan's family owns land. Tom attends school at Panther Creek. Mrs. Sloan and Tom told the children about schools, ranches, sports and animals in Australia.

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Mrs. Tom Sloan and her son Tom are shown herewith some of their Australian display. With them are, seated, members of the summer reading club Jeremy and Tristan Tomme and Jimmy Bryce.

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City Employee On Call This Weekend

The City Crew member on call this weekend is Bobby Morgan, 348-3463.

Watch the Santa Anna News each week for the crew member to call in case of a city utility emergency.

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—Obituaries—

Ada Slayton

COLEMAN—Ada Slayton, 68, died Thursday, June 18, 1992 in a local hospital.

Burial was Friday morning at the Coleman Cemetery, directed by Stevens Funeral Home.

Mrs. Slayton was born in Grosvenor where she attended school. She completed training as a dietician at Weatherford College and was employed for 15 years at Leisure Lodge Nursing Home as a dietician.

She was a Baptist and was the widow of V. V. "Buddy" Slayton.

Survivors include a son, Vince Slayton of Brownwood; a daughter, Cherry Row of Santa Anna; three sisters, Lula Havner of Bangs, Marie Strawn of Grosvenor and Montie Jennings of Burkett; a brother, Raymond Moore of Brownwood; a sister, Floy Wyatt of Corpus Christi; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Adolene Newman

BROWNWOOD—Services for Adolene Newman, age 86, of Brownwood were held at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday at Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Gary Mauldin officiating. Burial was in Eastlawn Memorial Park.

She passed away in a Sugarland nursing home, Sunday, June 21, 1992.

Born June 29, 1905 at Ealgle Lake, Texas, Mrs. Newman had been a longtime resident of Brownwood until 1989. She and her late husband, A.O. (Oran) Newman, who was a graduate of Santa Anna High School, formerly lived in Santa Anna and Coleman. She married Mr. Newman in 1927 in Austin. He died in 1970.

Mrs. Newman was a retired public school teacher and a homemaker.

She was a member of Central Methodist Church.

Survivors include two daughters: Mrs. (Mark) Janet Smith of Clint, Texas and Mrs. Lou (Virginia) Hans of Meadows, Texas; five grandchildren; and 7 great-grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be made to Central Methodist Church, Brownwood.

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Felix M. Dela Rosa

Funeral services for Felix M. Dela Rosa, 64, of Lubbock, were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 23, 1992 in the Resthaven Chapel. Rev. Estevan Lara, pastor of the El Massiah United Methodist Church in Floresville, and Rev. Moises Graces, pastor of the LaTrinidad United Methodist Church in Lubbock, officiating. Burial was in the Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Resthaven Funeral Home. Mr. Dela Rosa died Saturday, June 20 at 4 p.m. following a sudden illness.

A native of Santa Anna, he was a retired plumber, working for the Joe Rushing Plumbing Co. for 33 years. He was a member of the LaTrinidad United Methodist Church and was a member of the United Methodist Men, serving as President and Treasurer. He married the former Martha Lara on December 15, 1951 in Lubbock. He moved in Lubbock in 1950 from Santa Anna.

Survivors include his wife, Martha; son, Felix M. Dela Rosa, Jr. of Lubbock; three daughters, Delia Richardson, Mary Veaneva and Sylvia Vela, all of Lubbock; two brothers, Alfredo of Corpus Christi and Julian of Brownwood; three sisters, Margarita Herrera of California, Herminia Cardenas of Brownwood and Ruth Salazar of Santa Anna; and eight grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Raymond Olvera, Henry Martinez, Noe Lara, Jr., Joe Dela Rosa, Salvador Salazar and Rudy Cardenas.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

JUNE 25
Mr. & Mrs. Bobby Pritchard*
Seth Aaron Beal
Casey Herring
Tommy Snipes
Daisy Buse
Mrs. & Mrs. Derriel Warnock*
Mr. & Mrs. Donald Strickland*

JUNE 26
Magon Rutherford
Kenneth Bowker
Melissa Stanislaw Duquette

JUNE 27
James Lee Wristin
Don Eubank
Eddie Hartman
Mr. & Mrs. Junior Vasquez*

JUNE 28
Clarence McDaniel, Jr.
Mr. & Mrs. E O Rider*
Mr. & Mrs. Phill Williams*
Mr. & Mrs. Elgean Harris*

JUNE 29
Freddie Dodson
Ruth Dodson
Mr. & Mrs. Roy Keeney*

JUNE 30
Heather Hicks
Lee Ann Musick
Jenny Benton Blizzard
Armando Mata Sr.

JULY 1
Mr. & Mrs. Richard Horner*

JULY 2
Dorthea Johnson
Frank Tucher

Library Notes
Check It Out

Alice Anna Spillman

The Summer Reading Club for boys and girls made a lively trip to Australia. Thanks to Mrs. Trish Sloan and her son, Tom. Here are some of the questions that were answered:

1. What are two ways to travel from Australia to the U. S.—on one you arrive the same day you left!
2. Name the National Anthem of Australia.
3. Did you know that this song is the story of a man in trouble with the law?
4. When is it summer in Australia?
5. What do trees do in winter?
6. What do the native people paint upon? Their stories are about the dream time.
7. What is a platapus?
8. What is a lollie?

Your child can answer some of these questions and we will review the answers next meeting.

As we have often mentioned in this column, it takes many volunteers for the reading club. Sometimes at real sacrifice. Examples: Imogene Powers worked at night and came to us straight from work. Barbara Simmons, son Chris was on vacation and the store was shorthanded. Mrs. Letha Martin, our former librarian, had to go to the doctor the day before but knew how badly we needed her. Similar stories could probably be told of all seven adults and seven junior leaders who worked.

The children enjoyed the gifts provided by the generous merchants of Santa Anna. Not a single business refused or even hesitated when asked for contributions. When times are as bad as these, you should be proud of these citizens. Tell them so.

Boys and girls who missed the first week may come July 2. If they wish to receive a seal for their passport and the opportunity to receive a gift, they must have read at least an hour. Parents should bring the boys and girls to the library to check out books and to receive their bookbag, bookmark, instructions, passport and plastic holder. Help members keep the record and bring it to the next meeting.

Mr. C. D. Bruce has been remembered through memorials to the Library Building Fund.

Mr. Bruce have much to the library because he gave such support to Mrs. Bruce. Spouses of volunteers deserve much praise. Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Brock and a friend have honored Mr. Bruce through memorials.

Let me explain about the volunteer time for the library. There are six people who together work four days each week. The library is open five hours each of those days and it's been about six months. That's 450-480 hours. Seems there was some confusion over the total.

Will you and your family be traveling by car this summer, or perhaps someone will be in the hospital, etc. Consider buying a cassette tape. Some of the latest books have been recorded. Famous actors and actresses do the reading. There are titles for all ages. Why not share a classic with your children. Our library does not have cassettes, but some libraries do.

Thoughts From Our Pastors

Aaron Lemond Church of Christ

We'll be finally here, my family and I are trying to get settled so we can begin to work for the church. I would like to invite you to worship services. Sunday morning at 10:30 a.m.; Sunday evenings at 6:00 p.m. and mid-week services at 6:30 p.m.

Our aim is to reach out to those who need to know the love and compassion our Lord and Savior has for us.

The gospel is good tidings (Luke 2:8-11) Matt 28:1-8
The gospel originates in divine love (John 3:16)
Its simple, yet very profound. Facts (1 Corth 15:1ff) It Commands (Acts 2:38) It promises (Romans 6:23)
The gospel has power to save: (Romans 1:16)

The gospel is eternal in its scope (1 Peter 1:3-5)
The gospel will lead us to heaven: it is God's persuasive power (John 12:32)

Sin is the power of Satan unto damnation. The gospel is the power of God unto salvation. It is the only power that can break the grip of sin and set men free. The gospel is a blessing to all who believe it, accept it and follow its gentle light. It means the same to all men to the Jew First also the Greek. Today is the day of salvation!

Charles Stenholm Accepting Application for U.S. Service Academies

WASHINGTON, D.C.— Congressman Charles W. Stenholm is currently accepting applications for young men and women who are interested in attending one of the United States Service Academies.

Eligible applicants will be at least 17, but not past their 22nd birthday, by July 1, 1993, and must have graduated from high school by that date. Competitive applicants will be in the top 20 percent of their class and have SAT scores above 500 Verbal and 550 Math, or ACT scores of 24 English and 25 Math. Involvement in extra-curricular activities, including school and community organizations and sports, as well as full or part-time employment is also in the applicant's favor.

Individuals who wish to attend the Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Co., the Military Academy at West Point, N.Y., the Naval Academy at Annapolis, MD or the Merchant Marine Academy at Kings Point, N.Y. and who wish to serve as a commissioned officer are strongly encouraged to contact Jayne Schönmaker in Congressman Stenholm's Stamford office. Any individuals wishing additional information should call (915) 773-3623 or (915) 672-1322 or write to P. O. Box 1237, Stamford, Texas 79553.

Janet Bryan Named Collegiate Award Winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced recently that Janet E. Bryan has been named a United States National Collegiate Award winner in Social Sciences. This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than 10% of all American college students.

Janet E. Bryan who attends Howard Payne University was nominated for this National Award by Dr. Ian Jones, a professor at the school.

Janet will appear in the in the United States Achievement Academy Official Collegiate Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in American history. Certainly, winners of the United States Achievement Academy award should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy. The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a professor or director.

Janet E. Bryan is the daughter of Lester and Ludy J. Bryan of Santa Anna.



After flouring chicken, chill for an hour to help the coating stick.

Crime Stoppers Crime Of The Week

WANTED FOR JAIL ESCAPE

At approximately 9:00 p.m., Friday, July 12, 1992, EDGAR LEE CARRAWAY, escaped from the Coleman County Jail, where he was being held on Parole Revocation for Texas Department of Criminal Justice-Institutional Division.

Carraway is known to have several relatives in the Coleman County, Texas area.

Edgar Lee Carraway is described as follows: White Male; 24 years of age; 5'9"; 175 lbs; Light Brown Hair; Green Eyes.

Coleman County Crime Stoppers will pay a cash reward of up to \$1,000.00 for information leading to the arrest and indictment of Edgar Lee Carraway for this felony offense.

Remember--You can remain anonymous.
Call Crime Stoppers at 625-BITE or 348-BITE.



COWPOKES By Ace Reid

"Wouldn't it be cheaper to move the plant out here, then we can recycle right out the back door."

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Charles Hosch Granddaughter First in District Piano Competition

Steffany Fitzpatrick recently placed first in district and second in region in the "Reflections" contest. The P.T.A. sponsors the statewide contest which encourages creativity and originality in several areas of the arts. Steffany's entry was in piano composition and performance. She entitled her original composition "New Beginnings: Spring Song." Steffany was recently featured in the spring recital given by the students of her piano instructor Beth Ullman.

Steffany also recently received a Superior Plus rating on each of two selections she performed at a Texas Federation of Music Clubs Festival.

Steffany is the ten year old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Matthew Ferrara of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick of Abilene. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hosch of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick of Whon.

First Baptist Bible School Begins July 6

The First Baptist Church will be having their summer Vacation Bible School starting Monday, July 6-10. Children ages 3 years to 6th grade are encouraged to come and experience the Fantastic Journey starting each morning at 8:30 a.m. Children need to be picked up at 11:30 a.m.

Our journey will include activities such as: games, crafts, bible study, music, worship and refreshments. Each day will provide a new exciting journey, so join us every day.

Family night will be held at the church Sunday, July 12, at 6 p.m. At this time parents and family will be able to see first hand what their children have learned and accomplished throughout the week.

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Cooper Reunion

Contributed
The annual Cooper Reunion was held Saturday, June 20 in the Rockwood Community Center. A large crowd attended. Has been several years since first started and for several years was held in a community center near Snyder and for sure was always enjoyed by those who attended. A very nice crowd and lots of good was served at the noon hour. Following the lunch hour a birthday celebration for Mr. Jack Cooper on his 80th birthday. Was really something to enjoy. His two daughters and their family hosted the birthday party and Jack seemed to really enjoy all the attention by family and friends so much and another thought it, not every one lives to have and able to really enjoy an 80th birthday.

There was more Cooper relatives attended this year than since I have been attending. Several children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Will Cooper were present. Also Richardson and Rutherford folk. We are all kin-folk.

The Jack Cooper birthday celebrating carried out the watermelon theme. Punch was served from a watermelon and the pretty part was the family ladies each had on white T-shirts with a watermelon on the front. These shirts were prepared or painted by Jack's daughter Mrs. Quincy Allen and were beautiful and attractive.

Those present for the dinner hour were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield, Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Gil Gregory and Justin, Monte Sheffield, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sheffield, Dan and Mart Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gregory and Christi, Mr. Donnie Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Davis, Colt Cooper, Pauline Cooper, Ethel (Cooper) Winslett, Regonal Cooper, Mr. Ronnie Pet Cooper and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson, Mrs. Veva (Tood) Balton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth and Fay Warshare, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Minnix, Mr. and Mrs. ReviTexa, Jerry Cooper, Harvey Cooper, Bernice Blackwell, Wesley Allen, Debra Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Larey, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densmon, Allene Rutherford, Patsy Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford, Mr. Loyd Rutherford and Denver Ellis.

Those who came after lunch and to wish Jack a happy birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Langston, Frosty Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny and Geneva Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Junior and Nell Brusenhan, Mr. Dick Deal, Mr. Gene Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Leon McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. John Fulbright, Mr. Curtis Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hambright, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. Al Rhinehart, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hendrix, Pat Greene and Judy Bryant.

All sang happy birthday to Jack. He received so many birthday cards and we must not close without mentioning the gift his in-law and probably other members of the family presented him with—a live pig. All enjoyed the day and the

Dear Editor

I would like to respond to several points on the one page article in the paper THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR HEALTH CARE"

1. First the public information was put out OMMH had to close because of medicare/medicaid reimbursement was so low. Now we want medicare/medicaid to save us, if we only train the employees and keep the dr. in touch with medicare/medicaid requirements.

2. We need just one more Dr. to go along with Dr. Oral (who is a fine and committed Dr.) Dr. Pope (a fine and committed Dr.) waited 10 years for one more Dr.

3. We need more private pay patients, but the article stated 90% of the patients in our county are medicare/medicaid patients.

4. No other organization or individual government or private has come forward to take responsibility for the hospital. Why would someone want a business that has changed hands two times in a year and publicized failure?

5. Developing a Home Health Program will help cut cost. We have four Home Health Agencies or more now, Girling, CMS and Concepts of Care and Visiting Nurse Assoc.

6. We need to build confidence in a wider range of people within Coleman County so they will come first to this facility. But people go to the hospital their dr. works out of. Many people already have established Dr.'s not in Coleman County.

7. We will find government grants to help the cost, anyone who deals with government knows they will give you \$5 if you spend \$10. We want the National Government to balance the Budget but we making Coleman a give me county.

In closing I am a church going morally stable person who will not be shamed or intimidated by the preacher or anyone for voting as I see fit. I respect commend and thank all the people for putting in so much effort and time to see that all the facts were put before us to the best of our ability. And truly may we each ask god to help us make the RIGHT decision.

Sincerely
Vicki Green
Box 663
Santa Anna, Texas 76878

laughter of the day and the nice friendship shown. All wishing Jack other happy birthdays and good health.

Following all the nice happenings of the day a fish fry was enjoyed Saturday night by all who could attend. The children and others who cared to enjoyed playing and swimming in the river. Some of the group spent the night on the river. Also breakfast was prepared and served Sunday morning on the Jack Cooper's river. All this for each occasion was prepared by the men of the family. See men do have values. Goodbys were said around noon. Mrs. Cooper said she did not even wash to frying pan.

Rodeo

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The rodeo events this year are Bareback and Saddle Bronc Riding, Calf Roping, Steer Wrestling, Girl's Barrel Race, Bull Riding, and Single Steer Roping. The Kid's Goat Scramble will be held each night also.

The Rodeo Dance will be held at the Rodeo Dance Pavilion each night starting at 9:00 p.m. Ty Herndon and Ride the West will provide the music this year.

The parade will be held Saturday, July 4, at 5:00 p.m. It will feature floats, out of town sheriff's posses and local riders.

Thursday night will be Family Night. Prices will be \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children.

There will be a barbecue supper on July 4, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the Breeder-Feeder Barn, sponsored by the Coleman High School Cheerleaders.

Slack will be Friday morning, July 3, 1992 at 8:00 a.m.

Dear Editor:

I'm in the process of researching my husband's family history (genealogy). My husband's great great grandparents lived in Coleman Co.

His great great grandmother was Mary Harding. She died Oct. 18, 1911. She lived on a farm near Santa Ana with her three children, Eva, Leslie and Frankie Harding. After her death her sister Sarah Farrell got custody of the children and farm.

Mary Harding's husband was Giles A. Harding, he died Aug. 31, 1905. Mary and Giles are both buried at Coleman City Cem. Mary and her sister were both born in Ireland. Giles was born in Mississippi. I would appreciate any help you can give me.

I would like to locate someone who might be related or who knew this family.

Sincerely,
Kathryn Tidwell
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The Way We Were

June 22, 1962

Roy Bible retired last week from the job he has held with the City of Santa Anna for the past 6 years, 5 months and 20 days. All during this time he operated the city trash truck.

Funeral services for Mrs. J. W. Wise, 84, were held at Rockwood Baptist Church, Sunday, June 17.

Miss Linda Homer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Homer won an all-expense paid vacation at the Holiday Inn in Dallas in the Holiday of Fabrics Contest.

Mrs. Lewis M. Guthrie, chairman of the local Wading Pool Committee announces the pool will be open Tuesday and Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Viola Morris and S. K. Moredock were involved in the collision of their autos Saturday at the intersection of North First and Avenue B.

Eddie Anderson announces the opening of Eddie's Cafe, located in the east part of town.

Joe Hawkins, 11-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hawkins was thrown from a horse near the Shields Grocery Monday morning.

Sharon McCreary and Bob Rutherford of Rockwood were honored with a birthday party when their mothers, Mrs. Jake McCreary and Mrs. Jim Rutherford entertained at the Coleman Skating Rink Tuesday.

June 27, 1952

C. E. Flint, who has served as Mayor Pro-Tem since the resignation of Jesse C. Barton about a year ago, was appointed Mayor at a meeting of the City Council.

Pouring of the concrete foundation for the new elementary school building was well underway. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bass report their son S/Sgt Benny Bass has

passed the examination to enter Aviation Cadet training. Major and Mrs. H. A. Mooney and their four children are glad to be back in American after a 2-1/2 year stay in Japan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Chennault announce this week they have taken over the operation of the Hotel Santa Anna and Coffee Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wayne Horton of San Saba are on a wedding trip to Colorado, Utah and Wyoming after their marriage June 15 in the First Methodist Church in Santa Anna.

Single ring vows united Miss Barbara Ann Nalley and Bobby Jo Zirkle Thursday afternoon, June 5 at the Church of Christ, Coleman.

Mrs. Randy Brooks was honored with a layette shower on Tuesday, June 17.

Mr. W. J. McClure, Wamon Upchurch and Anna Kay McClure were honored on their birthdays with a picnic supper at the Santa Anna lake last Friday evening.

Miss Lillian Herrin of Coleman, became the bride of Temple Fishach of Santa Anna in a ceremony performed in Mexico on June 15.

A double ring candlelight ceremony united Miss Kelley Wise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise of Rockwood and Mr. John Roy Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Smith, Sr., Fort Worth in marriage Saturday evening, June 14.

It takes ordinary men to set off great ones.

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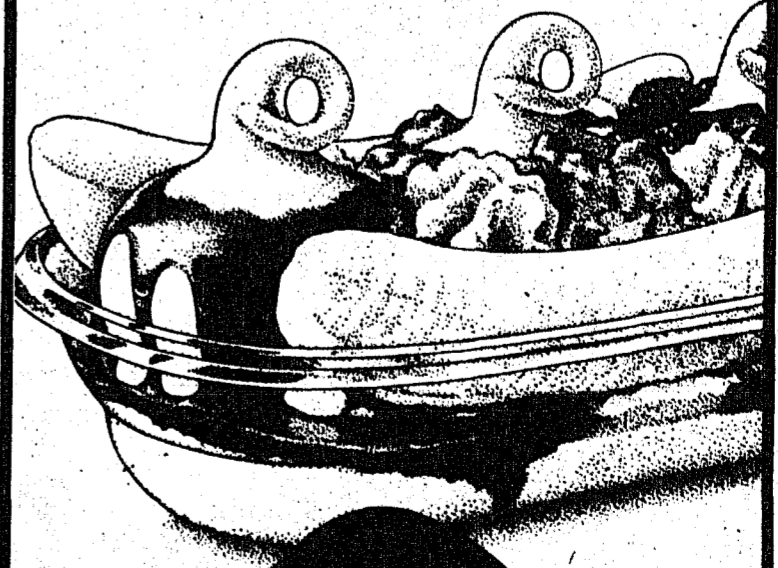
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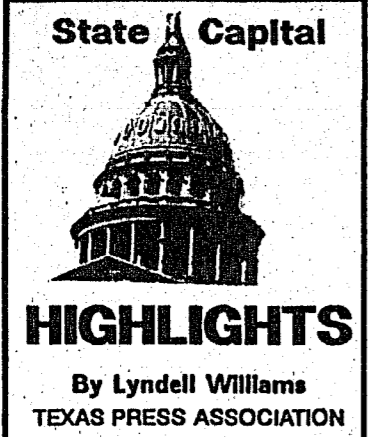
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geographic-balanced one.

Since no Democrat has ever won the White House without carrying Texas, Richards — who has led waves of women into power roles in state government — would be expected to beat Bush and Perot in Texas.

If it's true that the Texas Democratic Party in the 1990s will become dominated by women and Hispanics, as many think it will, waiting in the wings is Texas Railroad Commissioner Lena Guerrero.

Guerrero will probably be a spotlighted speaker at the Democratic national convention. Strategists believe that a firebrand oration from her will spark Hispanics into electoral action, particularly in her home state.

Our Next Governor?

If the trend in the party is feminist and Hispanic, who is best positioned to become governor after Richards?

Didn't Richards, then state treasurer, ride to the Governor's Mansion on a wave of party faithful approval of her fiery keynote speech attacking George Bush at the 1988 national convention?

Guerrero is one of Richards top supporters and her appointment was Richards' first major award.

There, she has proven adept at raising political funds; that skill, coupled with lifetime dues she paid as a youth in the Texas feminist movement and president of the Young Democrats, gives her a good deal of clout.

Perot Leads in Lubbock

President Bush once said he would judge his performance by how he played in Lubbock, not Peoria.

The news in West Texas is not good: The latest Pulse of America poll, funded by Bush's supporters, shows Ross Perot ahead in the presidential race.

The June 8-9 poll of 400 Lubbock residents shows Perot with 35 percent, Bush with 34 percent, Democrat Bill Clinton with 16 percent and 15 percent undecided. In the April 21-22 poll, Bush had 43 percent, Perot 26 percent, Clinton 19 percent and 12 percent were undecided.

Other Highlights

State Comptroller John Sharp, who performed a review of Texas government operations and recommended billions of dollars in cuts

New Brides Should Remember To Notify Social Security Of Name Change

All new brides should notify Social Security if they are changing their name, according to Eric Johnagin, Branch Manager of the Brownwood Social Security Office. Failure to report a name change to Social Security is one of the most frequent causes of errors in earnings records. Generally, earnings are not posted to a worker's Social Security record when the number and name do not "match." And it's the earnings posted to those records that determine if a person can get Social Security, and how much he or she will receive in monthly benefits, Mr. Johnagin said.

Notifying Social Security of a name change is equally important for women who divorce and resume

their maiden name.

To change the surname on a Social Security record and to receive a Social Security card showing the new name, women should call the Social Security toll-free number: 1-800-772-1213, any business day between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. They will need to provide proof of their name change, such as a marriage or divorce certificate. The entire process can be handled by mail.

"Or they can simply call our local office or come by with the needed documentation and we'll handle it in that one visit," said Mr. Johnagin. "Our phone number is 915-646-6060."

He added that this service is free. "Brides should be especially alert to solicitations from companies that charge a fee for 'taking care of the paperwork' for them. Such companies do not provide better service than we do. And they can actually delay the process.

"Social Security cannot offer any guarantee to the public that these firms will even forward the information they receive to us after the fee is paid."

1993 Beef Checkoff Budget Approved

The Beef Promotion Operating Committee has approved a \$44 million budget for fiscal year 1993 beef check off operations and plans to submit the plans and budget to the full Beef Board for approval June 26-29 in Oak Brook, Illinois, says a Beef Board news release.

The proposed budget allocated \$23.49 million for promotion, \$3.5 million for research, \$4.5 million for industry information, \$5 million for foreign marketing, \$510,000 for producer communications, \$300,000 for evaluation, \$500,000 for development and \$2.2 million for administration.

In other action, the Operating Committee approved a proposal giving the Beef Board authority to develop a more intensive, results-oriented evaluation process.

The Producer Communication Committee cut its own budget from \$1.2 million to \$510,000 in order to direct more dollars to consumer programs rather than producer feed back.

The Beef Board is 111 beef producers and importers (including dairy and veal operators) appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture to administer the Beef Promotion and Research Act and the \$1-per-head checkoff program.

60-Day Amnesty Period Offered To Defaulted Borrowers; First Wage Withholding Notice To Be Sent July 1

AUSTIN—The Texas Guaranteed Student Loan Corporation announced a 60-day Amnesty Program for student loan borrowers who have defaulted on their loans. A new federal law gives the non-profit corporation authority to withhold wages of defaulters. The first wage withholding 30-day notices will be sent in July.

Defaulted borrowers who enter into voluntary repayment with TGSCLC will not be subjected to wage withholding.

"If you don't want your employer to know you defaulted on a federal student loan and you don't want part of your wages deducted from your paycheck, you need to call us at 1-800-222-6297," encouraged Cathy Flaunt, Director of Public Affairs for the corporation. "Adherence to a voluntary repayment agreement will prevent any wage withholding action."

The federal law requires that the withholding be done administratively—which means that no court action is needed. It allows up to 10% of a borrower's disposable income to be withheld and to be applied to their defaulted loan balance.

Withholding will affect defaulted borrowers only. Defaulters are borrowers who made no payments for at least six months and the lender has already been reimbursed by claim. Borrower contact has been attempted at least once a month of the debt they owe and collection activity has been ongoing, in some cases, for a number of years.

Borrowers will be notified 30 days in advance of the withholding start date. Borrowers have an opportunity for a hearing under certain conditions.

Wage withholding is an effective collection tool in many states where it was previously allowed under state law. The federal law, which was included as part of the November 1991 Emergency Unemployment Benefit Compensation Act, overrides any Texas law to the contrary.

Corporate officials anticipate that wage withholding will become a powerful addition to their arsenal of collection tools. TGSCLC has collected \$173 million (cumulative dollar amount) from defaulted borrowers through aggressive collection activity including: court judgments, intercepting Internal Revenue Service refunds, automated telephone collection systems, attorney contacts with borrowers, reporting of credit information to major credit bureaus, notifying licensing agents of defaulters for possible non-renewal of professional licenses and even state lottery winners will find their winnings going to TGSCLC if they have defaulted on a loan.

"Our interest is getting borrowers into repayment," Flaunt said. "We encourage borrowers to call us. We will work with them on establishing repayment. We understand that many of our borrowers are in difficult financial situations and we want to work with them to avoid more credit problems."

Another incentive for borrowers to enter into voluntary repayment is the Loan Rehabilitation Program. It allows certain defaulted borrowers who have made 12 consecutive monthly payments to restore their credit and renew their eligibility for student financial aid. About \$8.7 million in previously defaulted loans has been rehabilitated through the program.

The federal guaranteed student loan program utilized money from participating lenders, and in Texas, the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, to make low-interest loans to students, and their parents, attending private and public college and trade and technical schools. The loans offer long term repayment periods, deferments, forbearance options and grace periods to assist borrowers in repaying their obligation. The program is subsidized by the federal government. TGSCLC is a non-profit public corporation which administers the federal program for the State of Texas.

A DISPATCH FROM THE UNIVERSITY WORLD
The University of Texas System
NEWS
By Jack Maguire

THE LAST WORD
Graduates at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos last month heard two commencement addresses.

The speaker was Comptroller John Sharp, who had a few words of his own. Then he closed by quoting the entire text of Winston Churchill's commencement speech delivered to graduates of Oxford University. After being given a flowery introduction, the former Prime Minister rose and said: "Set your goals. Never, never, never give up. And don't you ever, ever, ever give in."

He sat down to thunderous applause.

RETORT CARD
Looking for bargains in higher education? Come to Texas. Among the 50 states and the District of Columbia, Texas ranks 50th in what it spends in state appropriations and tuition to send a student through college. Only Mississippi trails Texas.

The state annually spends about \$4,200 per year per student—more than \$1,500 less than the national average. Resident tuition and fees at Texas public colleges and universities are lowest among all the 50 states!

IN THE SPOTLIGHT
Two Texas institutions of higher education were national leaders this year in granting degrees to Hispanics.

The University of Texas-Pan American at Brownsville graduated 524 Hispanics and another 481 got their diplomas at UT-Austin.

The only school to top these was Florida International University with 795.

NO AGGIE JOKE, EITHER
Two undergraduate students at Texas A&M University are the

school's 1992 Parents of the Year. They are Thelma and Woody Isenhart and their honor is not an Aggie joke.

Thelma is majoring in political science; Woody in speech communications. And yes, they are bona fide Aggie parents.

Two of their sons already are Aggie graduates and a daughter will get her degree in 1994. In fact, it was the children who nominated their folks as the first students ever to also be chosen Parents of the Year.

The Isenharts started college in the early '60s at Sam Houston State where they met, married and dropped out of school to raise a family. Now with the children safely into—or out-of—Texas A&M, Mom and Pop decided to complete their own degree.

Parents of the Year is a title the university confers annually the father and mother of an A&M student. They are chosen because they are excellent examples of Aggie spirit through their involvement in campus, community and family activities.

LABOR PAINS
Twenty-seven babies born in Levelland during April, 1992, are assured of a college education.

South Plains College there has guaranteed them a \$1,000 scholarship if they graduate from high school and enroll at the Hockley County institution.

College officials said they decided on the unique gift because they wanted to make a profound statement about higher education and community colleges.

"Higher education should be a birthright, just as public education is," Stephen John, the school's director of college relations and originator of the project, said.

THE WILD, BLUE YONDER
The world's first generation of "Top Gun" pilots has joined the History of Aviation Collection at The University of Texas at Dallas.

Photographs of World War I "Aces" and their planes, plus diaries, combat logs and microfilms amassed by the late James L. Kerr III of Dallas, have been added to what already is considered to be one of the nation's leading centers for the study of early aviation.

This article was written by Jack Maguire, retired Executive Director Of The University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures at San Antonio.

Family Night:
Thursday, July 2
\$4 adults; \$3 children

Parade:
Saturday, July 4
5:00 p.m.

55th Annual Coleman Rodeo

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Girl's Barrel Racing, Bull Riding, Single Steer Roping & Kids
Goat Scramble

Rodeo Dance
Each night, starting at 9:00 at the Rodeo Dance Pavilion
Dance to the Music of Ty Herndon & Ride The West

Barbecue Supper
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Last week we received the result of the TV Cable survey taken several weeks ago. Brownwood Cable TV reports that the results are as follows in the order of selection: The Nashville Network, Discovery, "TNT" Turner Network Television, Country Music Television, USA, CNN, WGN-TV, HBO, Arts and Entertainment, KLST-TV and Headline News.

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Ranger Park Inn
By Dorothy York

Residents having birthdays in June are Imo Herring, Lillie Knotts, Lorene Wynn and Mattie Hicks. Our birthday party was the 18th. Mr. Dalton Thomas of Brownwood entertained the residents with his very special music. Mrs. Delores Thomas assisted with the serving of the refreshments to the residents.

Thanks to the Ladies Auxiliary of the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department for the birthday presents brought by Mrs. Syble Huggins.

Ms. Christine Sanders is still in ICU at Brownwood Regional Hospital. We all hope and wish her the very best and our thoughts are with her and her family daily.

Thanks to Mrs. Pat Cox for the donation of clothing for our residents.

Preston Davis was visited by Mary Davis and Tom Davis.

Jimmie Sue Hulett was visited by Evla Henderson, Imogene Daniel and Mildred Compton.

Mary Jo Lovell was visited by Mrs. Willard Allen, Mrs. Brewer, Sharon Watson and Joe Watson.

Frances Bartek was visited by June Bowen and Frank Bartek.

Lois Haines and Myrtle Estes were visited by Joe Estes and Raymond Estes.

Robert Anderson was visited by Stanley and Rowena Anderson, Jewell Anderson and Norman Anderson.

Vauda Hill was visited by the Rev. Don Elrod.

Lela Hays was visited by the Rev. Don Elrod, Ruth Ann and Nathan Wise.

Marie Hill was visited by Ruby Parker.

Allen Barnett was visited by Lynn and Vicki Risten, Sam and Ruth Bolton, Andy and Mary Bolton, Aaron Guthrie and Tom

Guthrie.

Mae McFarlin was visited by Sam Bolton and Ruth Bolton and Andy and Mary Bolton.

Thelma Whitehead was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Arris Whitehead and Mrs. Mrs. Maxie Whitehead.

Vera Dorris was visited by the Rev. John Collins.

Lucille Diamond was visited by the Rev. John Collins.

Lorene Wynn was visited by Bessie Clark and Ernest Clark.

Louis McCaughan was visited by David and Margaret Karthaus and Gwen Walker.

Gladys Hunter was visited by Dave and Margaret Karthaus and the Rev. Don and Joyce Elrod.

Martin Wallace was visited by Joe Wallace and Bessie Parish.

Frances Horton was visited by the Rev. Don and Joyce Elrod, June Bowen, Dave and Margaret Karthaus, Ernest and Bonnie Yeilding and Lera Guthrie.

Tavy Ford was visited by Rev. James and Mildred Ford.

Onnie Edens was visited by June Bowen, Dave and Margaret Karthaus and Lera Guthrie.

Margaret Wilson was visited by Carolyn Wilson, Deann Wilson, June Bowen, Ernest and Bonnie Yeilding, Lera Guthrie, Veta Wilson, Myrtle Pepper, Maureen and Russell Wilson and Mitchell Wilson.

Sybil Summers was visited by Vernon Frances Rowe, Bessie Parish and Julia Wells.

Pat DeWitt was visited by Lera Guthrie.

Doris Mathis was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Lucky Graham.

LIVING CENTER RESIDENTS
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Preston Cude was visited by Ernest Clark, Cleo Cude and the Rev. John Collins.

Red Cupps was visited by Joe Wallace.

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Political Calendar
The following candidates have asked this newspaper to announce his or her candidacy for the office specified and they ask for your consideration in the March Primary. This is a paid advertisement by the candidates listed.

Charles Stenholm
Re-election—Congressman
17th Congressional Dist.

Reading Program

Continued from page 1

The next meeting will be Thursday, July 2 at 9:30 a.m. All children ages 4 and over are invited to attend. New members of the reading club can pick up their "Passport to Reading" and check out books at any time.

Library hours are 9:30 to 12 noon and 1:30 to 4:30 on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Closed Tuesday, Saturday and Sunday. In recent weeks it has been necessary to close early some Friday afternoon because of a shortage of volunteers.

Baseball Schedule

- JUNE 25
Tigers-Eagles at Santa Anna
- JUNE 26
Rockets at Bangs
- JUNE 29
Rockets at Santa Anna
Eagles at Santa Anna
Tigers at Bangs
- JULY 3
Eagles at Bangs
Tigers at Santa Anna
- JULY 6
Rockets at Santa Anna
Tigers at Santa Anna
Eagles at Bangs
- JULY 10
Rockets at Santa Anna
Tigers at Bangs
Eagles at Santa Anna

They showed some Australian Aborigine Art and answered the children's questions.

All the children had an opportunity to sign up for a drawing. The following children won prizes at this meeting: Colt Martin, Chris Cheaney, Ashley Rieger, Jacob Pritchard, Clay Hubbard, Micah Pritchard, Aaron Guthrie, Jessica Lilley, Jamie Ellerbee and Heather Bradley. Prizes were furnished by Simmons, Feed and Seed, H & H Food Mart, Holt's General Store, Dairy Queen, Phillips Drug, the library board and Arby's in Abilene. There will be another drawing at the July 2 meeting. To participate in the next drawing children must check out books and keep a record of the time they spend reading. On

July 30 a grand prize drawing will be held. The grand prize will be tickets to Fiesta Texas.

Twenty three children took part in the program. Helping with the program were seven teens, eight adults plus the regular Thursday morning library volunteer. The children checked out 64 books.

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Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Our community received a nice rain Sunday afternoon and believe it or not we needed rain. The fields are really hard. We had one inch in my area. It fell good with no high wind at my house. Mr. Fitzpatrick reported he was rushing around following a busy Sunday making preparations to water his black-eye peas when the rain started falling. Our community is thankful for no storm.

Mr. Joe Alvin Wynn of Fort Worth his mother Mrs. Lorene Wynn of Ranger Park visiting only very briefly with Mrs. Pearl Avant on Saturday in Santa Anna. Sorry Mrs. Wynn is not doing so well. Her visit on Saturday was cut short on her not feeling well. Joe Alvin came by Mrs. Avant's Sunday before returning home to let her know his mother was not feeling so well.

My son, Hilary Rutherford of Coleman was with me on Thursday doing some plowing.

We did get our small amount of wheat harvested during the past week and seems most others did here also. Mr. Tommy Stansbery still has grain to harvest yet.

Mr. Graham Fitzpatrick attended the Frost Family Reunion at Lohn on Saturday and reported a wonderful day with friends. Then on Sunday he attended the Kennedy Reunion at Brady Lake on Sunday. He felt especially blessed by seeing a friend he had not seen in years ago.

My daughter Mrs. Patsy (Bob)

Smith was with me Friday night. We are so thankful she is doing real good following eye surgery and all seems to be going well with her. We attended the Cooper Reunion at Rockwood Saturday. Others of my family to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and Loyd Rutherford.

Mr. James Avant of Coleman and Mr. Douglas Avant of Brady were dinner guests of their mother Mrs. Pearl Avant in Santa Anna on Tuesday.

I enjoyed a nice telephone visit with my son Thomas Ray in New Hampshire on Saturday night and also with my daughter Lynda from La Grange on Sunday afternoon.

I enjoyed a nice telephone visit with my neighbor Gayle Stansbery Sunday afternoon. She has been away from her home here a lot the past few weeks but has been coming home more. Her uncle who lives in Brownwood has been hospitalized in Brownwood Hospital for several weeks following a stroke. She has been staying at the hospital with him. The past few days he was able to go home. She

will continue for a while anyway or as long as needed to help care for him in his home. Her aunt needs help with him. Gayle has not been feeling so well for some time but reports she is feeling much better. She hopes to be to where she can come home oftener soon. We are all wishing for her uncle a recovery to better health. Was good to talk

with her

Rockwood News

By Billie Gay Abernathy

Claudia Rutherford was in Abilene over the weekend visiting her daughter and granddaughter Jennifer Rutherford and Majetta Rutherford and helping the girls move to a new apartment.

On Saturday night after the birthday celebration for Jack Cooper, Jack and Skeeta Cooper were host for approximately 42 people on the river. The group enjoyed fish and all the trimmings and tubing and swimming in the river. Sunday morning Charles and Mike Sheffield and Arlan Allen served breakfast on the river to the family members.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal were in Abilene on Monday where Johnnie had a doctor's appointment to determine if she will need back surgery. Joe Deal visited with them on Tuesday and again on Sunday Mrs. Terry Thomason, Josh and Emilee of Brownwood visited from Thursday to Sunday with Johnnie and Dick. Alene Rutherford dropped by on Friday.

Mrs. Coleta Pearson and Mrs. Vivian Steward were luncheon guests of Margarito and Angie Hernandez on Sunday joining them and their guest for a big Father's Day celebration.

Vaughn, Mrs. Byrdie Miller of Santa Anna visited on Tuesday and Mrs. Joyce Kirk and Tona Holland and little son Jonathon visited on Saturday. Other recent visitors were Mary Ola Woods of Bangs and JoAnna Smith of Duncanville.

The 84 party was held on Thursday night at the community center with eighteen present. Mr. Albert Ruggles hosted.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson were Sunday dinner guests of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Henderson and children in Coleman. I received a call from my son Donnie Sunday. He and Shery are spending part of their vacation in Ruidoso, N. Mex. He said the weather was real nice and it had been raining quite a bit. Don and Carol Haynes are also there so the four of them are enjoying themselves. On Saturday they had attended a Cherry Festival at the town of Hi-Roll, and that there are lots of cherries grown this year. I wonder why the price is so high here?

We received a good little rain Sunday (yesterday) most folks, under an inch but it will be good on most things, however some are still cutting grain and I would like to see them save it if possible. I'm sure they are anxious.

Neighbors, call me your news. If you forget or can't remember what you did we both lose out. Right?

Minnie Bray was in Coleman on Saturday night for supper and visiting with Mac and Patsy Hambricht and their family.

Joe Deal visited in the home of Jr. and Nell Brusenan during the week. On Saturday Jr. and Nell attended the birthday celebration for Jack Cooper at the community center. Mr. and Mrs. Baily Hull of Simpson Lake were Monday visitors.

Weekend visitors of Jake and Sammie McCreary have been Mickey and Leslie Davidson, Trent and Tyler of Big Lake.

Mrs. Vita Gilper and sons Judd and Chadd of Laredo arrived on Friday to spend the weekend with her dad, Tony Rehm.

Monday visitors with Johnnie and Geneva Steward were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maness of Brownwood.

Bill and Sadie Bryan enjoyed spending Saturday and Sunday of last week at Buchanan Lake for the Hall Reunion. They traveled to Brownwood on Wednesday and visited with Mrs. Eva Wise at Oakridge Manor. On Friday, Pat Greener, Judy Bryan, Frosty Robinson and Bill and Serena Hendryx all of Dallas came for a weekend of fun and visiting. The group attended the birthday celebration of Jack Cooper on Saturday afternoon and on to the river for a large fish fry with the Cooper family. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brooks visited with Bill and Sadie on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams returned from a week's stay in Houston. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGill for a few days and with their daughter Carolyn Williams the rest of the week. Carolyn brought her parents home on Friday and visited until Sunday.

Visiting on Saturday afternoon with Bo and Sandra Wilson were Francis McAlister, Frankie Mathews, Ricki Saylor all of

The first requisite of a good citizen in this Republic of ours is that he shall be able and willing to pull his weight.

—Theodore Roosevelt

Coleman and Charlie Smith of Houston. Randy and Holley Casey of Austin visited a while on Sunday afternoon enroute to Montana, where Randy will be attending school for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Minnix of Holiday visited in the home of Elec and Rose Cooper on Friday. Coming on Saturday to visit and join in on the birthday celebration for Jack Cooper were Ronnie Cooper, Cari, Cory, Colt and Cade. Stopping by for a visit before attending the Cooper reunion and

birthday party were Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman of Brady and Dorinda Densman of San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Cooper, Jerry Cooper, Jake Cooper, Mrs. Rex Cooper and Mrs. Ethel Winsley. Sunday visitors were Mrs. N. V. Bolton, and Mr. and Mrs. Revi Pexia. Elec and Monte Sheffield were fishing on Monday but no luck—just too muddy.

Visitors on Thursday with Mrs. Vivian Steward were Lester and Vanita Synder Brooks.

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Notice Of Public Hearing

Texas Department Of Transportation

The Texas Department of Transportation will conduct a public meeting from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on July 21, 1992 at the Voss Community Building for the purpose of discussing the need for and suggested alternatives for the improvement to Farm to Market Road 503 from Valera south to five (5) miles south of Voss in Coleman County. All interested citizens are encouraged to attend this meeting. The Department needs public input to determine the social, environmental and historic effects this project will have on the area.

Maps and exhibits will be displayed for public viewing from 7:00 p.m. to 7:45 p.m. At 7:45 p.m. the Department of Transportation will explain project criteria such as alignment, right of way needs and utility relocations.

Trickham News

By Anna York

Sherril and Tommy McIlvain of Bangs were Friday morning visitors with Mrs. Novella Stearns and her son, Sherman, wife and daughter, Dortha and Sabrina Stearns of McGregor spent Friday night and Saturday with her and Sherman helped with some of the work around the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin McIver were Father's Day dinner guests of Sherril, Jim and Megan Blake.

We would like to welcome Arvil and Verna Bolton to our community. These folks moved from Rockwall and bought the Barton house in Trickham. Verna is the daughter of Mrs. Florence Stearns. It is nice to have new people come our way. O. T. and Sue Stacy of Abilene visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Florence Stearns.

Mrs. Daisey McClatchy visited Sunday afternoon with her son Mr. and Mrs. Talmage McClatchy.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Barton visited in Fort Worth on Friday with friends Lina and Radford Allen.

Lea Mock of Post, Lindsey Curb of Colorado Springs, Colorado and Josh and Cris Cabiya of Austin are visiting a few days with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Mary Lea Mitchell.

James McSwain and Phillip of Colorado City were Sunday evening supper guests of his grandmother Mrs. Gertrude Martin. Afternoon visitors were Delbert and Leroy McSmith of Cherokee, Laverne and Talmage McClatchy and Felton and Betty Martin.

Robin Jones of Canyon is spending a few days with the John Dockery's and Dan Dockery, and Rodney Guthrie and Gary visited Saturday afternoon.

Wesley Dockery and Dan Dockery visited on Monday with their aunt, Mrs. Annie Lou

As A Practical Matter...

There Is No Alternative

to the hospital tax district question

It is suggested that should the tax district election fail, that the County Commissioners Court could take over the hospital and set a higher tax rate to finance the hospital.

Now, think on this:

First, if the County set the higher tax rate, that would most likely bring on a rollback election as is happening all over the country.

Secondly, would the County Commissioners take action that was contrary to two recent votes by the people of Coleman County. The answer to that is a definite NO.

Thus, the answer is: there is no alternative. If the election fails, the hospital will close.

VOTE "FOR" AND SAVE THE HOSPITAL.

Pub. adv. pd. by the Hospital Task Force, Janet Johnson, Chairman, Coleman, 1992

Plug into safety this Summer.

Warm weather means more work outdoors. So when your work requires electric power tools and lawn equipment be sure that they are properly grounded and replace all worn or damaged cords. Keep cords clear of your work area, and never use your electric equipment in the rain or on wet surfaces.

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