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## Dog Ordinance Passes

The City council met at 7:00 p.m. on July 10 to consider a new dog ordinance among other business on the agenda.

Mayor Guerrero called the meeting to order with all council members present. The Mayor thanked everyone for coming.

After the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, following minor changes, Mayor Guerrero introduced Scott Patterson with Patterson Insurance Agency who discussed the Official General Liability. Mr. Patterson stated he is seeking additional applications for the insurance. He has been having problems getting any quotes. A company named Penco said they would quote a bid in August. Last week he received a market for the Police Liability and filled out the application. He is still looking for the

General Liability for Public Officials and will keep on looking until he finds a market that will accept the city. Mr. Patterson hopes in 30 days he will have something for the council to consider. After a brief question and answer session, the Mayor thanked Mr. Patterson for being present.

The Mayor then introduced the dog ordinance that had been proposed for the council to consider adopting. The Mayor asked for questions from the public and then stated they would discuss the matter further in executive session.

Police Officer Craig Terry was introduced to present his report of duties he had performed since he was hired. Terry introduced Jerald Sheller as a new recruit for the reserve police.

Councilman Stanley Hartman suggested that the city look into getting

the support pole fixed and repairs done on the water storage tank. The Mayor said he would contact Ken Martin and ask for his assistance.

After an executive closed session, the council returned to open session and voted to give sanitation truck driver, Greg Lane, a 25 cent per hour raise in pay.

In further discussion on the dog ordinance, the council decided to approach one of the city employees about taking on the job as dog catcher. Councilman Joe Taylor made the motion to accept the dog ordinance on first and final reading. Councilman J. T. Avants seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

On a motion by Hartman and second by Voss, the accounts were accepted for payment in the normal manner.

## Look Out For Bogus Bills

City Policeman Craig Terry has informed us there is the possibility of counterfeit bills being passed in our community. According to Terry, the bills have shown up in Brownwood and Bangs and authorities are cautioning Santa Anna merchants to be on the look-out for the bogus bills.

To date, fake \$5 and \$10 bills have been found by both Bangs and Brownwood merchants.

Terry points out that both bills have markings to look for to determine if they are counterfeit. Both are series 1950 but look new. On both bills, the motto "In God We Trust" is missing. On the \$5 bill, the shadow on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial

is turned downward on the right, where it normally extends straight out and Lincoln's face shows a more defined gray area on the left side of the face than is normal. On the \$10 bill, Hamilton's face has more gray on the right side than is normal and on both bills the faces are turned back a degree or two further than should be.

The missing motto should appear above the Lincoln Memorial on the \$5 bill and above the U.S. Treasury building on the \$10 bill.

All the gray and green colors are more defined on the bogus bills, making them look like new bills.

Officer Terry says that the counterfeiters, like most he has ever

known of, have left their own special trademarks on the bills.

The person suspected of passing the bills in Bangs and Brownwood has been described as a white female in the mid-twenties and approximately 5 feet, 5 inches in height.

Anyone suspecting they have a counterfeit bill should contact Officer Terry. If one should come in contact with a person they suspect of passing the bills, do not try to apprehend them as they could be dangerous. Take down auto license plate numbers or write down any other description as complete as possible and report to Officer Terry.

## WTU Customers May Receive Refund

West Texas Utilities Company's retail customers will receive another fuel cost refund and a significant decrease in their future electric bills if a request filed Tuesday in Austin is approved by the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

WTU is asking permission to refund a total of \$5.7 million in retail revenues collected in excess of actual fuel costs, and to lower its fuel charge rate for the months of September, October and November. The total refund includes \$5,425,372 in actual fuel cost savings which have accumulated from March through June, plus \$306,52 in interest.

This would be the third time for WTU to make a refund and to lower its fuel cost factor since its last rate increase in November 1984. Over \$17.6 million was refunded in August 1985, and \$9.3 million was refunded in May 1986.

"This is not an actual rate case filing," WTU President Glen Churchill explained. "It is an adjustment possible because the price of our boiler fuel has been declining. Any savings we can make on fuel cost is passed on to our customer as soon as permitted."

The due amounts on customer bills include both fuel costs and base rates. Utility companies are not allowed to make money on fuel. WTU has had no change in its base rates since 1984.

If a reduction in fuel rates, technically known as the Interim Quarterly Fixed Fuel Factors, is approved, WTU officials estimate the fuel cost charges to its customers will drop by 24 percent, or \$7.9 million, during the three-month period beginning in September.

After the state's Public Utility Regulatory Act was amended in 1983 the PUC ordered the use of the fixed

fuel factors and their use was recently re-adopted in an emergency fuel rule. Previously, an automatic fuel adjustment matched fuel billings to fuel expense each month. These immediate adjustments prevented over-recoveries of fuel costs and made refunds unnecessary.

Under WTU's proposal, all existing retail customers would receive refunds through one-time credits to their bills in the billing month of September. A typical residential customer would receive about \$11.

Natural gas is the principal fuel for all of WTU's eight major power generating stations. In recent years, fuel costs have amounted to more than half of the Company's total operating costs, but have dropped from all-time high of \$3.18 per million BTU in 1983 to \$1.88 in June 1986.

## WTU Answers Refund Questions

Q-How much money is WTU planning to refund?

A-Fuel cost savings available for refunding amounts to \$5.4 million. With interest added, the total is \$5.7 million.

Q-How is the interest collected?

A-In accordance with rules of the Public Utility Commission, interest was calculated at a rate of 13.00 percent, the cost of capital approved in the Company's last general rate filing.

Q-How much refund can the typical residential customer expect?

A-\$11.

Q-How will refunds be calculated and made?

A-WTU will comply with the refund provisions of the Commission's new emergency fuel rule. The total refund will be allocated to each rate schedule based upon that schedule's kilowatt-hour usage for the period in which the over-recovery occurred. Once the refund is allocated to each rate schedule (class) the refund amount is divided by the projected kilowatt-hour usage for that class during the month of refund to develop a refund factor which will be applied to individual customers' usage billed in the refund month. There are twenty-three (23) rate schedule classes.

Q-When did the Commission adopt the new fuel rule?

A-The Commission's new fuel rule was adopted on an emergency basis on February 21, 1986. It has not yet been permanently adopted.

Q-When will the emergency rule become permanent?

A-The Commission extended this emergency rule until August 20, 1986, but has set a July 18 hearing to permanently adopt a rule. The process of permanent adoption of a rule involves accepting comments from interested parties and an open hearing at which comments may be orally presented. The Company has filed initial and supplemental comments on this emergency rule in an attempt to persuade the Commission to modify the rule upon permanent adoption.

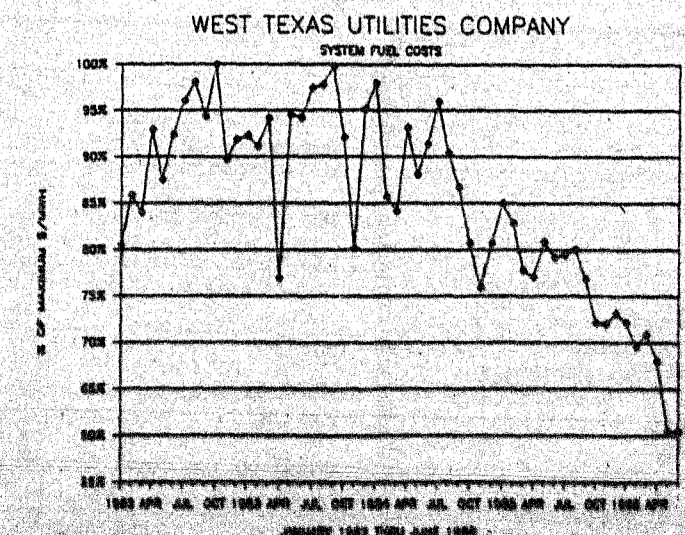
Q-Why did WTU over-recover its fuel costs?

A-The PUC requires utilities to use fixed fuel cost factors, which specify the amount to be charged for fuel per kilowatt-hour used by the customer. Because the factors are set, actual fuel costs probably will turn out to be more or less than the amount of revenue recovered

through the fixed fuel cost factors. In the last general rate case fixed fuel factors were set. These factors have been reduced twice since they were set. For the past several months, WTU has spent less on fuel than was anticipated with the result that another over-recovery has accumulated.

Q-Since WTU over-recovered its fuel costs during the past year, does this mean the fuel charges will be lower in the future?

A-Yes. We are seeking to lower the interim quarterly fixed fuel factor for the months of September, October and November effective with the first billing cycle in September, 1986. If further material savings are accumulated, or are anticipated, another refund and/or modification of the fixed fuel factors will be sought.



## Santa Anna Receives \$1,216.01 Tax Check

AUSTIN—State Comptroller Bob Bullock recently sent checks totaling \$56.6 million in local sales tax payments to the 1,015 cities that levy the one-percent city tax.

Santa Anna received a check totaling \$1,216.01, bringing total 1986 payments to \$15,721.32, down 1.80 percent from 1985 payments.

Houston received the largest check, \$8.8 million, bringing Houston's total 1986 payments to \$82.2 million, down four percent over last year. Dallas' check for \$6.7 million pushed its total to \$59.8 million this year, a six percent decrease over 1985.

San Antonio's payment of \$3.6 million increased its 1986 total to \$32.1 million, up three percent. Austin received \$2.8 million for a total of \$24 million, a three percent decrease over 1985 payments.

Fort Worth's check for \$2.1 million brought total payments to \$19.9

million, six percent over last year's payments. El Paso received \$1.4 million, increasing its total to \$12.6 million, up eight percent over 1985.

Bullock also sent checks totaling \$26.5 million to the state's six Metropolitan Transit Authorities. Dallas' DART check was \$10.3 million, bringing total payments this year to \$91.1 million. Houston's MTA payment was \$10.2 million for a 1986 total of \$95.4 million. Austin's Capital Metro received a \$2.8 million check for a yearly total of \$24 million. VIA in San Antonio received \$1.9 million, increasing payments this year to \$17.6 million. Fort Worth's MTA check was for \$529,527 for a total \$4.7 million this year. Corpus Christi's MTA received a check for \$499,804 bringing total payments for the year to \$2.6 million.

July checks represent taxes collected on sales made in May and reported to the Comptroller by June 20.

## Police Security Check

If you are planning to be away from your home and wish the police to keep a watch for you, Officer Craig Terry has forms you may pick up and fill out at his office on Wallis Ave.

The forms are Requests for Security Check and will help Officer Terry to know what to check for around your property while you are away.

Terry is also interested in receiving input from the citizens for the possibility of establishing a Neighborhood Watch Program.

Such programs have proved to be very beneficial in other communities and Terry would like to

know if the citizens of Santa Anna would be interested in such a program.

## Guidelines Released

AUSTIN—State Comptroller Bob Bullock recently released guidelines to county governments in Texas to simplify accounting for the state's new Indigent Health Care (IHC) Act.

"It is our responsibility to provide a system that will make the paperwork easier for the Texas counties while they give health care to the areas that need it most," Bullock said.

The IHC law, passed in 1985, requires county governments to provide medical assistance to the county's residents who cannot support themselves. The IHC act will affect 70,000 Texans who do not qualify for other federal or state health care programs.

Texas counties are likely to spend as much as \$20 million in the 1986-87 biennium on medical services as a result of the IHC act, Bullock estimates. The Indigent Health Care Accounting Systems Manual is a step-by-step approach to deal with these funds.

The over 200 page manual can be used independently or integrated into the Standard Financial Management System for Texas Counties, also produced by Bullock's office. The Comptroller's Financial Management System for counties and the system designed for cities are both highly praised for effectively helping local governments in Texas with their accounting functions.

The IHC manual includes sections

on budgeting for IHC, accounting procedures and financial management procedures. Also included in the manual is a section on internal auditing. In each of these sections comprehensive examples are given to show transactions that relate to the IHC program.

A copy of the Indigent Health Care Act is also included in the manual along with a glossary of accounting terms that are commonly used.

The IHC accounting manual was produced by employee Glenna Hastings during her internship with the Comptroller's office this past spring. Hastings was one of the first nine college students to participate in the Comptroller's Honors Internship Program.

## Plan Being Drafted To Broaden State's Sales Tax

AUSTIN—State Comptroller Bob Bullock recently said his staff is drafting a plan to broaden the state's sales tax base to make it fairer and at the same time raise additional revenue at lower rates.

"We are looking at taxing all goods and services, except food, medicine and medical services," Bullock said.

Bullock said that by removing exemptions and broadening the tax base, hopefully the present sales tax rate of 4.125 percent can be reduced.

"We are not only seeking ways to raise revenue for state government, but we are seeking to make the sales tax more equitable."

Bullock said that the service sector of the Texas economy accounts for nearly 20 percent of the state's non-farm employment and is virtually untaxed.

"We haven't put the final pencil to it, but I think we can lower the present rate, make it fairer and less regressive and still keep an income tax off the backs of Texans."

Bullock said his plan to broaden the sales tax would be ready for the Legislature, if they meet in August.

"I'm going to try to give the Legislature the broadest possible range of options we can possibly put together. It will be their prerogative to add to or take away from this blueprint."

He said the budget deficit isn't something that you can put under your pillow and hope the tooth fairy will take care of it.

"If the Legislature addresses only budget cuts in a special session, that's just fin. With our plan at least they will have something to study when and if they decide to bite the bullet."

## HPU Campus Open For Visitation

BROWNWOOD—Howard Payne University's Packer Administration Building is being kept open each Saturday through August 9 to accommodate the prospective students and their parents who are indicating they would like to visit the campus before the Fall Semester opens Sept. 1.

University representatives are on hand from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. each of the Saturdays to help with questions and planning for the Fall Semester.

"Of course, prospective and returning students are always welcome on weekdays," says Dr. Don Newbury, Howard Payne president, "but the university family wants to be available whenever we're needed, and whichever day students and

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## Deaths

Vena Williams, 73

Graveside services for Mrs. Vena Williams, 73, of Goldthwaite were held at 10:00 a.m. Friday, July 11, 1986 in the Santa Anna Cemetery. Santa Anna Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

She passed away Wednesday evening, July 9, 1986, at Brownwood Regional Hospital.

Mrs. Williams was a retired seamstress and member of the Methodist Church. In 1947, she married William Williams in Nevada. He passed away November 13, 1974.

Survivors include one daughter, Jane Brynner of Early; three grandchildren, Mike Thompson of Lake Brownwood, Donnie Thompson of Austin, and Willetta Piper of Early; seven great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

## Deaths

Charlie A. Burris, 80

Charlie A. Burris, 80, a former resident of Santa Anna and graduate of Santa Anna High School in 1926, passed away on July 5, 1986, in a Houston hospital. At the time of his death he was a resident of Killeen, Texas.

When he retired from the school system he had served 47 years at numerous schools.

Born in Luling, Texas on January 10, 1906, he was married to Jeanette Patterson on June 15, 1935.

Mr. Burris was the Honored Graduate and speaker for the 1976 Santa Anna High School Homecoming.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Dan D. Burris of Katy, and Bert Franklin Burris of Austin; three sisters, Mrs. Cleo Traweeck, Mrs. Lucille Halmes and Mrs. Lorena Monty; four brothers, Douglas P. Burris, Robert D. Burris, Vallon L. Burris and Norwood H. Burris; two granddaughters and two grandsons.

Services were held in the Methodist Church in Angleton, Texas at 2:30 p.m. July 7, 1986 with interment in the Angleton Cemetery.

## Bowkers Return From Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bowker have recently returned from a month long vacation touring Canada and the New England states.

Coyita reports they certainly enjoyed Canada, but had somewhat of a language problem while visiting in the Quebec province.

They visited Niagara Falls and Boston. They spent two weeks in New Hampshire, where they stayed in a condominium and were able to get out into the countryside and explore the small villages and enjoy the beautiful scenery.

On their return trip, they stopped over to see the sights of Nashville and also visited with their daughter, Debbie Forsythe, in Dallas.

## Blanche Harris Visitors

Sunday visitors with Blanche Harris were Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dahlberg of Austin. Mr. and Mrs. Glen McNeil of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Russell of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nixon, Kelly and Tyler of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Harris and Myrtle Chapman, who prepared the luncheon, complete with decorated birthday cake and homemade ice cream, marking her birthday anniversary.

## Free Certificates To Honor Outstanding Grandparents

The Texas Department on Aging is again offering free certificates to honor outstanding grandparents on National Grandparents Day.

These certificates, signed by Texas Governor Mark White and Department on Aging Executive Director Bob Bobbitt, will be special two-color editions commemorating both National Grandparents Day on September 7 and the Texas Sesquicentennial. They are printed on parchment paper and are suitable for framing.

Certificates can be obtained by writing to: Texas Department on Aging, P.O. Box 12786 Capitol Station, Austin, TX 78711. The agency's

telephone number is (512)444-2727. All organizations needing more than five copies are asked to order now. Individuals should order in early August.

Those who are ordering certificates are asked to give their own address, not that of the recipient or recipients. Due to the large number of orders received, the Department on Aging regrets that it cannot engrave names of grandparents on the certificates. An open space is provided where the presenter or a calligrapher can inscribe the outstanding grandparent's name.



## Letter To The Editor

Dear Friends,

I have just learned of the death of Charlie Burris, who was the Honored Graduate in 1976 when the Class of '26 had their 50th Anniversary. I would like you to publish his obituary. He died July 5th and his home was Killeen, Tx, 1208 Pine Drive, 76541.

I also have just learned of the death of Wilbur Nabours who was also a member of My class of '26. His home address at Rte. 2, Marlow, Okla. I have no zip code for that town but hope you will publish his obituary. I wrote his wife and asked her to send you a copy of what appeared in their paper, but you can probably get it sooner.

I want you to know how much we enjoy "Fannie's Funnies." They are one of the nicest parts of the paper and incidentally her sister-in-law is a friend of mine and a member of my Sunday School Class. Mrs. Blue writes of the serious illness of Leona Bannister Bruce, who is a precious friend. I'll wait for the obituaries. -Lila Belle White

Dear Mrs. White,

Thank you so much for your letter. We here at the News office are trying to please all who read our paper and we try to have something in it for everyone.

I am printing the obituary on Mr. Charlie Burris in this edition of the paper, and I will try to locate the obituary on Mr. Wilbur Nabours to publish. If you, or anyone else, has a copy of this obituary, it would be appreciated if you could send it to us at the News office.

-Thank you,  
Danna Turner, Editor

## Pritchard Reunion

The family of the late Bill Pritchard and Mrs. Ruby Box gathered on the creek for a family campout over the July 4th weekend. All the children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren were present. They were: Ruby Box, Henry and Gene Turner of Coleman; Don and Martha Pritchard, Robert and Margaret Pritchard, all of Santa Anna, and David and Sue Johnson of Midland; grandchildren and great-grandchildren present were: Walter and Pam Robbins, Misty and Dusty of Odessa; Martin and Christi Robbins of Coleman; Glen Reid and children, Casie and Steven of Pritchard and Jacob, Terry and Gayla Leiska, Amanda and Maegan, Robby and Bobby Pritchard, all of Santa Anna; Tina Pritchard of Dallas, and Brian Johnson of Midland. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Howell Martin, Mildred Cammack, Danny and Jean Kellar, Leanda and Lyn, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred McCrary and Charles Hosch, all of Santa Anna, and Jean Robbins of Blanket. Games of 42 and swimming was enjoyed. Saturday night Country and Western music was enjoyed played by the Country Kickers.

## Bridal Shower For Darla Barker

ROCKWOOD—A wedding shower honoring Darla Barker, the fiancée of Hank Wise, will be held Saturday, July 19, at 2:00 p.m. at the Rockwood Community Center.

Selections are at G & E in Santa Anna. Everyone invited.

## Sparkman Family Reunion

The annual reunion of the descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis (W. L.) Sparkman was held on Sunday, June 29, 1986, at the Santa Anna Housing Authority Community Center in Santa Anna. There were eight first cousins and eleven others present, making a total of nineteen in attendance. The dinner was of the covered dish type, and many very good dishes of food were brought.

The attendance was very much improved from that of the reunion last year. The feeling of the folks

was high, and a good time was enjoyed by all. Mention was made of the very recent departure from this life of Cousin T. L. Sparkman, who has been one of the main leaders of our past reunion. We miss him a lot.

Jesse Lee Sparkman brought a report of a month-long trip that he and Emitta, with three of their grandchildren, made to several countries in Europe earlier this year.

It was agreed that the next reunion will be held on June 28, 1987.

Those present during the reunion

## Thoughts From Our Pastors

By Jasper W. McClellan

Pastor of First Presbyterian Church

WHY WERE YOU APPREHENDED?

When I was in the Air Force we frequently had mobilization exercises and security alerts. During these "war games" security was tightened and no one went into any area without proper authorization and clearance.

During one such exercise, a buddy and I, acting upon explicit verbal orders of the commander, sought to enter a certain area and were apprehended by security police and subsequently "jailed". Someone of higher rank was summoned to escort us back to our duty section. However, upon arrival, that person was also apprehended and we were all three lock up. None of us really minded the lock up, (after all, we missed the work involved with the exercise) but it was never clear in our minds why we had been apprehended since we had acted on verbal orders of higher authorities. That bothered us a great deal.

What bothers me today is that Christians don't seem to care enough to find out why they were apprehended. Apprehended? Yes, apprehended. The apostle Paul made it clear that when we were saved it was because Jesus Christ apprehended us. Paul devoted his entire Christian life "...apprehending that for which also I am apprehending of Christ Jesus." Phil. 3:12

Just as each person was physical-

ly born for a purpose, each Christian has been born again for a purpose. You and I have been apprehended in order to fulfill a purpose. Trying to comprehend this apprehension, I recently discovered that the Christian life is much simpler than I at first thought.

There are many things the Christian should do: witness for Christ, fast, pray, study the Bible, worship, fellowship, feed the hungry, and so forth. But can it all be summed up in one clear concise statement? I believe our Lord did just that.

When asked what was the greatest commandment, Jesus knew the heart of those asking and that they were hypocritical. They didn't really want to know. However, He chose to teach an eternal truth answering their question. Essentially, Jesus taught that believers have been apprehended to carry out the great commandment which is in two parts: "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with ALL thy heart, and with ALL thy soul, and with ALL thy strength and thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." MK. 12:30-31

There is no commandment greater than this. It is therefore folly to assume that we have been apprehended for any greater task—or any lesser one.

May God grand us comprehension of the apprehension and so fulfill the love of Christ.

## An Ordinary Man

BY DON RUTHERFORD

In the heat of an auction, the auctioneer holds up an old beat up violin. He shouts to the buyers "Who will give me one dollar." As he precedes with the bidding, an old man walks out of the audience up to the platform. He gingerly takes the old violin, lovingly he tightens the strings and with grace he takes the bow and begins to play. And what music it was!

The auctioneer, visibly shaken shouts "Who will give me one thousand or two thousand. That would be a good price."

The difference, the old violin was touched by a master. It was the same old beat up violin, but the music was beautiful for it was used by a master.

Andrew was an ordinary man. But he was touched by the Master. His life became useful, loving and beautiful. His ordinary life became one with purpose and destiny. Andrew the ordinary man became Andrew the ordinary man with an extraordinary task to perform.

Tradition tells us Andrew was a large physical man. Bringing in the boats off the Sea of Galilee was no easy task. He and his brother Simon operated a small fishing business at Bethsaida on the Sea of Galilee.

When we contrast Andrew with the other Apostles, we learn he never preached like his blood brother Simon Peter. He never recorded a gospel like Matthew or John. He never traveled widely over the known world as did Paul. He was never recognized by the church as was James. There is really nothing to compare with the lives of some of the others. But he had the talent to "Light his candle in the corner, where he was." He became not so much well known for himself, but he brought men to Jesus who did become well known.

If Andrew would not have brought Simon to Jesus, the 5,000 might not have been fed. If Andrew would not

were as follows: Eirys Larence, Ophelia Watson, and Arthur and Gussie Jennings of Coleman; Beatrice Mason of Springtown; Leta Holt of Marble Falls; Jesse Lee and Emitta Sparkman of Lubbock; Ottist and Vada Pridemore of Ozona; Wendell Sparkman of Houston; Jerry Jennings of Alice; Rodney, Nancy and Coley Jennings of Clyde; and Roy and Alexa, Ryan Lee, and Travis Sparkman of Austin.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, JULY 17  
Masonic Lodge

SUNDAY, JULY 20  
Church

MONDAY, JULY 21  
Fire Drill

TUESDAY, JULY 22  
Lions Club, near  
Masonic Church and Council

have spoken to total strangers, then the seeking Greeks would not have found Jesus.

You see, Andrew was a person who took his relationship to Jesus seriously. He wanted to share with others what Jesus had done for him. And that he did with great gusto. In fact it was his telling others that got him into trouble and eventually led to his death.

What made this ordinary man, a man of distinction? First he was humble. Andrew was one of the first Jesus called to be His Apostles. But Andrew never lorded this over anyone. In fact Andrew occupied a most difficult place in the lists. He never makes the inner circle (Peter, James and John). He is always mentioned fourth. But his humility and grace makes him well remembered. He lives in the limelight, but he is successful.

Second, he is consistent. He is not full of faith one day and full of despair the next. Andrew is a consistent disciple who shared a special place with Jesus (Mark 13:3).

And third, he lived his life where he was. Andrew didn't plan to use his life in the future but he lived it where he was. It is so easy to say we will do something, tomorrow when in fact we need to live today, where we are.

Andrew, an ordinary man, with an extraordinary mission.

THINK ABOUT IT:  
Not, how did he die? But how did he live?  
Not, what did he gain? But what did he give?

Not what was his station? But had he a heart?  
And how did he play His God given part?

Was he ever ready with word of good cheer  
To bring a smile, To banish a tear?

These are the merits To measure the worth  
Of a man as a man, regardless of birth.

## Birthdays Anniversaries

THURSDAY, JULY 17

Ricky Abernathy  
Marilyn Bryce  
Dorothy Harris

FRIDAY, JULY 18  
Clarissa Henderson

SATURDAY, JULY 19  
Elton McDonald  
Alicia Beal

SUNDAY, JULY 20  
Janis Salazar  
Ama Pearce  
Mandy Findley  
Jesse Herrera

MONDAY, JULY 21  
Marty Denham

WEDNESDAY, JULY 23  
Terry McFar  
Vicki Green

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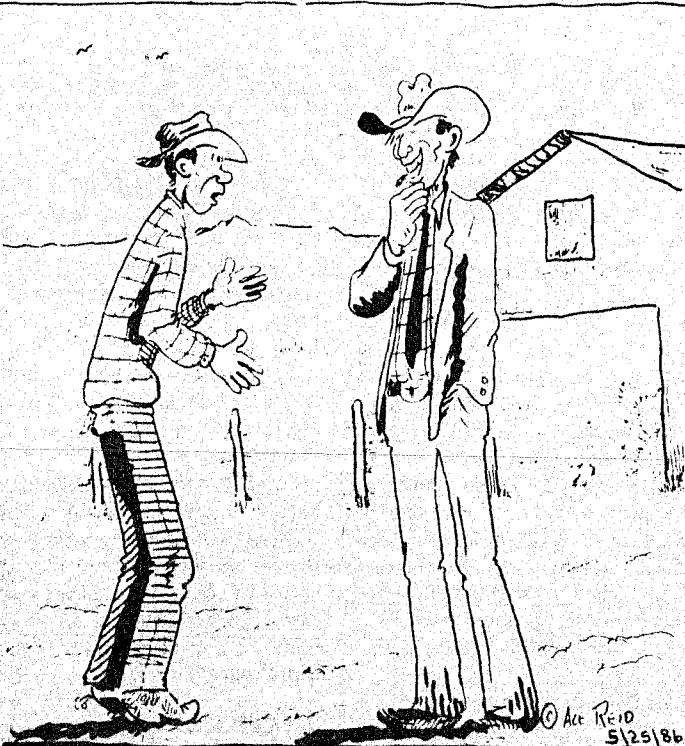
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## COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"My gosh, Jake, you look great. New suit, new hat, new boots and new teeth!"

## Santa Anna National Bank

Deposits Insured By  
FDIC Up To \$100,000  
Ask About Our Interest-bearing  
Checking Accounts  
\$1,000 Minimum  
Pass Book Savings  
Certificates of Deposit  
Substantial Interest Penalty Is Required  
For Early Withdrawal

We are quite sure  
That He will give them back -  
bright, pure, and beautiful -  
We know He will but keep  
Our own and His until we fall asleep.

Santa Anna Funeral Home  
348-3153  
Walls at N. Lee

## R. W. Balke Celebrates Birthday

R. W. Balke's birthday was celebrated on July 12th, 1986 by his family and friends. A party, hosted by two of his grandchildren, Misty Haji-Sheikh and Layne Balke, was held at the Mountain City Community Center.

Members of his family attending were his children: Bonnie Kuykendall of San Antonio; Rodney Balke of Arlington; and Linda Davidson and husband, Bob, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and their mother, Lucille Balke. Grandchildren attending were Misty Haji-Sheikh and her husband, Mike; Layne Balke and Lance Balke, all of Arlington. Three sisters, Anita Schumann of Bellville, Leola Ellis and Ruth Mullins of Galveston were also present.

Out-of-town friends attending were Lorene Monty of San Antonio; Janet Belt, Richland Springs; Sylvia Monzon, Arlington; Joe Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Don Howard, all of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. John Farley, Proctor Lake; and Robert Pearson, Niceville, Florida.

Local friends attending include: Ollie Pembroke, Era Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Isenhower, Clyde Pittard, Nathan and Stephanie Starr, Rose Bass, Doris Griffin, Viola Morris, Jessie Benton, Ruby Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Camp-

bell, Jewell Manning, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bengel, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Myers, Mrs. Hardy Blue, Mary Lela Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Guthrie, Inez Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper McClellan, Curtis and Marcie Puckett, Modora Gilmore, Lucille Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Barker, Weldon Priest, David Barkley, Mike Barkley, Mark Barkley, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Russell, Ruby McFarlin, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spillman and Monique, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Guthrie, Ethel J. Williams, Frances J. Strauss, Carmen Donham, C. R. Owens and Jasper and Jean McClellan.

### Gilmore Visitors

Visitors with Modora Gilmore over the July 4th weekend were Pat and Doretha Gilmore of Mobile, Alabama, and their daughter, Amelia Walker of Nashville, Tennessee.

Also visiting were Tom and Linda Gilmore of Rosewell, New Mexico. Grandsons visiting for the Holiday were Wally Gilmore and wife, Linda, of Irwin; Doug and Tammy Gilmore and baby daughter of Mesquite.

The following Tuesday, Steven Gilmore of Florida arrived for a visit with his grandmother.

# Christian Speaks At Story Hour

Approximately a third of the boys and girls enrolled in the Library Story Hour have read 7-10 books this summer. Everyone has read 2 or more books. Congratulations to every boy and girl and to parent. **Keep on reading!!!**

Our guest speaker for July 9th was Mr. Gene Christian, who is with the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. He grew up in San Saba where he worked in ranching. His hobbies are outdoor cook-offs and music. Mr. Christian was a winner at the Coleman Festival cook-off. You may have seen him playing the fiddle with the group who played for Frontier Days in May here in Santa Anna.

Mr. Christian is especially interested in highway landscape using

native Texas plants and flowers. He received a special award for the Cactus Garden at Coleman Hill Park. Lady Bird Johnson presented the award at her home on the Pedernales.

Mr. Christian showed slides made in Coleman County. Featured were all season colors and plants. Credit for the beauty goes to God and we can help by taking care of nature around us. We can all keep the roads clean and Mr. Christian gave everyone a litter bag and "Don't Mess With Texas" sign.

A display of dried flowers, seeds, weeds and grasses was shown. Boys and girls were urged to try something similar.

Mrs. Sharon Greenlee taught the oldest members how to press dry

flowers. They made book marks using these flowers. Mrs. Jane Gustavus assisted the group.

Mrs. Sharon Cheaney read "The Legend of the Blue Bonnet" for Read-to-Me members. Mrs. Janet Neff assisted when the boys and girls made paper petunias with seeds.

Mrs. Dorothy Eisenhower read for the K-4th grade. Mrs. Imogene Powers guided them in making tulips from egg cartons.

Mrs. Gladys Barnes, Mrs. Carmen Donham and Mrs. Barbara Simmons assisted Mrs. Letha Martin at the Library Check-out desk.

Thanks to Mr. Christian and all the women who helped. They gave much time and effort because they really care about our children.

Mrs. C. E. Wise, Mrs. Pearl Arnold and Mrs. Bobby Guthrie gave egg cartons to make flowers. Thanks to them and Chanda Simms for helping.

Boys and girls made a giant get-well, birthday card for Mrs. C. D. Bruce. She was one of our first speakers and organized the program. We all hope she will be back soon.

The next Story Hour will be Wednesday, July 23. Our guest speakers will be Mr. Jerry Ellis and Mr. Mike Bodencheck. They will talk about Indians and wild animals. Don't miss the arrowheads and animal prints.

Parents bring all children to the Telephone Coop Building and pick-up there.

## Alford Families Meet For Reunion

Descendants of William Lovell and Willella (Sanders) Alford, numbering approximately 70, gathered June 7, 1986 in Maybank, Texas for an all day agenda of food, fun and fellowship.

The reunion, the fourth in as many years, was held at the 49ers Senior Citizen Center in Maybank. Attending were descendants of the William Lovell Alford family which originated near Santa Anna, Texas and which included twelve children with boys and girls divided equally.

Families present represented the following Alford children. In order of their birth, these were descendants of Fannie (Alford) Crump, Eura (Alford) Copeland, Tom Alford, Gordon Alford, Velma (Alford) Armistead, and Bessie (Alford) Lewellen.

The only surviving members are Truett Alford of Coleman and Velma Alford Armistead of Phoenix, Arizona. Truett was unable to attend this year.

The descendants of Jessie Alford, brother of William Lovell were not able to attend this year and were missed by everyone.

New officers were elected to represent the Alford Family Association: Hazel Copeland Johnson, President; Faye Alford Williams, Vice-President; Ray Copeland, Treasurer; Sandy

Chandler, Secretary; Geraldine Lewellen Graves, Historian; and Lane Shanks, Computer Expert. Retiring officers were Oran Lewellen, President; Ann Shanks, Secretary; and Lane Shanks, Treasurer.

Everyone departed with a stronger determination to gather next year to visit and become better acquainted with our cousins.



MRS. WARD BURGESS STEWARDSON

## Miss Blackmon Is Bride Of Ward Burgess Stewardson

In a twilight ceremony read at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, June 7, 1986 in the sanctuary of First Baptist Church, Coleman, Miss Janis Lynn Blackmon became the bride of Ward Burgess Stewardson. The Rev. Roger Hammonds officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Roger Blackmon of Del Rio, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Stewardson of Santa Anna.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a Belle Epoque gown of satin with lace-edged melon sleeves, scoop neckline and dropped waist, appliqued with beaded silk Venice lace. The full satin skirt was edged and appliqued with Schiffli lace. She wore a large picture hat with an overlay of silk organza, trimmed with rosettes, seed pearls and iridescent sequins. The veiling of French imported tulle was walks length with a cage blusher. Her bridal bouquet was a cascade of pink roses and white baby's breath.

Cara Blackmon of Denton, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Kim Hubbard, sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Nancy Burroughs of Coleman, Nannette Hannah of Corpus Christi, and Celia Martin of Johnson City. They wore dresses of pink taffeta with off-the-shoulder ruffles, basque waist, and a full sweeping skirt. They carried silk bouquets of pink and purple flowers.

The flower girl was Lisa Montesi of San Antonio. Ring bearer was Joshua Rhoads of Coleman.

Judd Stewardson, brother of the groom, was best man. Groomsmen were Gary Hubbard and Randy Scarborough of Santa Anna, Ron Stewart of Conroe and Jeff Greenlee of Rockwood.

Wedding music was presented by Flora Dee Daughtry, organist; Joan Hammonds, pianist; and Ann Hargett, soloist.

A reception followed the ceremony in the fellowship hall. Assisting with hospitalities were Mmes. Joyce Copeland and Toni Stewardson; Misses Jennifer Jamison, Amy Scarborough, Jill May, Rhonda Rhone, Maria Moreno, Tish Taylor, Jennifer Johnson and Kathy Oliver.

After a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico the couple will reside on the Stewardson Ranch near Santa Anna, Texas.

## Fannies Funnies

BY FANNIE GILBERT

### BUSS STOP

I ran up the door,  
Opened the stairs  
Said my pajamas,  
And put on my prayers  
Turned off my bed,  
Tumbled into my light  
And all because  
You kissed me goodnight!

Some one has said that those who are mentally and emotionally healthy are those who have learned when to say YES, when to say NO, and when to say "WHOOPEE!!!"

Sally: "How is your cousin? Is he still in the hospital?" Hal: "Oh, yes, He's still in expensive care."

Doctor to man in his fifties, who had his annual physical exam: "There's no reason you can't live a completely normal life as long as you don't try to enjoy it."

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Men are like eggs--They're fresh, rotten or hard-boiled.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

Coleman County Telephone Cooperative hereby gives notice it has filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas for authority to change certain rates. The changes are proposed to become effective on May 25, 1986 and will affect most of the approximately 1700 customers of the company.

Most of the changes proposed are to delete services no longer provided, to unbundle service connection charges and to eliminate monthly charges for extension wiring. Within this filing the Cooperative is also proposing to detariff all leased telephones and related equipment. Customers will not be immediately affected by this change except that the Commission will no longer set lease rates or other regulations for this equipment.

The proposed rates will not cause any change in revenues. Persons with questions or who desire more information about the requested rate changes are encouraged to contact the company at (915) 348-3124 or at 215 N. Second Street, Santa Anna, Texas 76878. A complete copy of the filing is available at the offices of the Cooperative.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 (512) 458-0237, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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THE 1986 COLEMAN ALL-STAR TEAM. Members of the year's squad include, sitting, left to right: Matt Markland, Arthur DeLeon, Geoffrey Huff, Monte Brown, Curt Garrett, and Brian Shults; kneeling: Tommy Williford, Reave Scott, Chris

Nunez, Vicnete Frausto, Dan Benton, and Jason Dean; back row: manager David Brown, Ahmad Bell, Nasario Estrada, Benny Wright, Heath Hemphill, and assistant manager Roddy Dean.

# Twentieth Annual Cowboy Camp Meeting

June 20-29th, 1986

By CARRIE HOWARD

A big "milestone" was reached at the end of the Cowboy Camp Meeting the summer of 1986 when Evangelist George Havens, owner and director of the Cowboy Camp Meeting, Inc., completed 20 years at his Flying H Acres just off Highway 84 mid-way between Coleman and Santa Anna.

The Aquila and Priscilla Ten Company of Waco, owned and operated by Charlie Rogers had the tent up several days before the meeting and came for it a few days after close of the meeting.

Bro. George and wife, Lucy, were here the first week of June to begin getting things organized and in place around the camp-site; then they left in early part of second week to go by their home in Dallas to fly to Atlanta, Georgia where the Southern Baptist Convention was in session and on June 11th, Bro. George was presented a plaque of recognition of 35 years in the ministry of evangelism by the President Dr. Charles Stanley.

During the time the Havens were gone, some of the Campers were there, getting the grass mowed, the wagons out and the many things that one finds to do in a situation of an out-door type of meeting. The Havens returned the last part of the second week.

This year as in past years there were a number of campers (twenty in all). Some stayed for most of the time, others there for a shorter time. A few got a Motel in Coleman or Santa Anna.

Dr. Joe Price from Dallas was the song director. Mr. Thurman Justus and wife, Cleo, of Dallas furnished the music. There were many specials, mostly solos by friends and visitors that were coming by at times during the meeting, both in morning and evening services. A soloist in one of the morning services was a guest of Dr. Joe Price, Mr. Keith Wells from Dallas who is with the "TANE" (Texas Alcoholic, Narcotic Education) who sang "He Touched Me." Also Dr. Price sang a solo one morning, "The Old Rugged Cross." Bro. George sang the song "He Lives On High," the words and arrangements by Mr. B. B. McKinney from Hawaiian Folk Song. Many of Mr. McKinney's songs are in our hymn books today and people love to sing them. After the rendition, Mrs. Samuel Hays told of knowing Mr. McKinney and his sons in Dallas and told some interesting things about him. On last Saturday night, Mary Jo Deaver, of Birmingham, Alabama, sang the special. She is the daughter of Dan and Edna Earl

Tindol of Brownwood, and is the great-granddaughter of Bro. J. R., McCorkle, who preached and organized Baptist Churches in Coleman County in the 1920's. On last Sunday night of the meeting Mrs. Helen Alvey of Coleman, sang "The King and I." There were other specials that I do not have an account of. The Campers enjoyed hearing Bro. George with his guitar singing "Blue Galilee," and many of his songs that he sings.

Preachers include: Bro. Buck Hatfield of Snyder; Dr. Marvin Sheffield of Brownwood; Bro. Jack Pediford of Dallas and Bro. George. These dedicated men preached and also got out and around town and the countryside witnessing to people and inviting them to the services. There were several decisions made during the meeting.

Some of the Campers for the first time include: Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Tyler of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Don Stender, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Sarah Graham, Medina, Texas and her two great-nephews, Sam and Jason King from Phoenix, Arizona; Rafael and Carmen Guzman from Ava Solo, Tamaulipas, Mexico, who had come on the bus (Lucy had known Carmen all of her life when she was a missionary in Mexico); Wyatt and Inez Russell from Henrietta, Texas; and Al and Betty Bailey and son, Ray, from Wilmer, Texas.

Among campers who have been coming through the years include: Leroy and Linda Beinhorn and daughter, Billie Stone and her son, James Evan from Moscow, Texas; L. C. and Hazel Doty of Homer, Louisiana. The Doty's always come early and bring fish and the campers enjoy a fish-fry several evenings before the meeting begins. Samuel Hays and wife, Clara Jane, from Lohn came and this year as in past years Mr. Hays cooks the meet for the Barbecue supper. He uses only mesquite wood and cooks on an open fire. Lucy's sour dough biscuits and whole wheat muffins along with other things brought in "makes for good eating." Other campers present were Jim and Agnes Hinchliffe of Odessa; Joe and Dina Justice and their six children, Danette, Andy, Dana, Mary-Dina, Jonathan and Daisia Lee, from Harlingen, (Dina had known Lucy since she was a small girl when Lucy was a missionary); Joe's father, Mr. W. H. Justice from Dallas was there the last Saturday night and brought two of his grandchildren, Melisa and Melody McDow from Arlington; Jack Pediford and wife from Dallas;

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lane of Odom, Texas; and Loranza Franklin of Holdenville, Okla. It had been several years since Loranza had been here, but in the meantime had moved to Oklahoma. In past years he had helped in getting the rocks on the museum building, but this time he spent his time with his pencil and writing pad sketching things on the grounds: the museum, chuck wagon, monument at the entrance, tent, buildings, landscape, etc.

Some coming by for a short time included: Mr. J. D. Havens, a cousin of Bro. George from Spring, Texas; also a niece, Kathryn Collian and her two children, Chad and Kirk, from Beaumont who were passing through on the highway and come in for a brief time; another friend to come by one afternoon was Charlie Campbell of Keller, Texas. In 1971 and 1972 he had come to the Camp Meeting with Bobby McMeens, who was director of the Christian Corral Ranch in New Braunfels. Bobby always brought several of the boys with him. At that time Bobby and wife, Margaie, were in charge of the music. Charlie is now a Federal Fighter in the Fort Worth area.

A few nights after the service the campers and visitors gathered around a bon fire and would sing and pick the guitar and sing the old hymns of faith, cowboy ballads and patriotic songs. I believe some of the time they would have watermelon.

Lucy's brother, Bill Lee and wife from Gustine, came by for the day and brought a nice variety of vegetables. Also many friends in the Coleman and Santa Anna area supplied vegetables from their gardens.

There were several states represented, some being: Oklahoma, Arizona, Louisiana, Alabama, Minnesota, and possibly others. On the two Saturday nights friends from adjoining counties came in.

The above are some of the "happenings" at the 20th Anniversary of the Cowboy Camp Meeting Inc. The names and places are too numerous to name.

The Havens lead a busy life. They travel over the United States, Canada and Mexico with their Gospel Message in preaching and singing; but they enjoy the Month of June at their Flying H Acres getting ready for the meeting and seeing their old-time friends. Anyone who would like to write them a note of appreciation or encouragement could reach them at their home address: 1243 South Waverly Drive, Dallas, Texas 75208.

## The Scientists Tell Me... Spiders Help In Man's Battle Against Fire Ant

By Marilyn Brown  
TAES Science Writer

Black widow spiders are the most poisonous and perhaps the most feared spider in the United States. They are found widely in the South, in dark, unswept corners, and in cotton fields.

Another creature found widely in the South and equally as despised is the imported red fire ant, whose aggressiveness and sting is at best annoying and at worst deadly. Fire ants, too, are common in cotton fields, and can number over 1 million per hectare.

Three Texas Agricultural Experiment Station entomologists recently spent time studying the two arthropods in an East Texas cotton field, and they found the relationship between the two to be most interesting.

Despite the commonly felt loathing for both the spiders and the ants, they are beneficial predators in cotton fields, and the spiders also do a notable job of trapping a large number of the fire ants.

Allen Dean, Martin Nyffeler, and Winfield Sterling carried out their investigation during the summer of 1985 in unsprayed cotton fields near Crockett, Texas. They examined spider webs for their remains and directly observed

the spiders preying upon the ants. "In cotton fields, black widow spiders build their irregular mesh type webs in holes in the ground, in large depressions between dirt clods or in the lowest branches of the plants," the entomologists write.

"With these webs, the spiders are able to overcome diverse types of prey up to the size of large Cicadas," they say.

During the 2-month study, fire ants constituted about 75 percent of the diet of black widows. The remains of the ants themselves were 77 percent workers, 22 percent queens, and 1 percent males.

An additional 16 spider species from eight families were discovered to be predators of fire ants, and the ants themselves comprised 99 percent of the cotton field ant population, the entomologists found.

Fire ants were 22 percent of the diet of even the vagrant spiders, those species that build no webs but live under foliage. They were nearly 100 percent of the diet of two barn-dwelling spider species that build irregular webs similar to the widows'.

"The predator-prey relationship between *L. mactans* (the black widow) and *S. invicta* (the fire ant) described... is of special interest, since the true cost-benefit status of

both arthropods is largely unknown," the researchers say.

"Black widow spiders are on the one hand of medical importance and at the same time of ecological interest as predators of insect pests."

Fire ants are considered to be nuisance pests, as well as important predators of harmful insects, the scientists say.

Little is known about the fire ants' natural predators in the United States. However, based on the high density of fire ants in the cotton fields, it is obvious that black widows are not likely to have a major impact on the abundance of the ants, the researchers say.

The fire ants themselves, though, do prey upon tobacco budworms and boll weevils, so their complete eradication from cotton fields may not be desirable.

"The here reported case of a 'chief enemy of man' destroying another 'chief enemy of man' shows how complex interrelationships between species in an ecosystem can be and how careful we have to be in addressing animals as harmful or beneficial," Dean, Nyffeler, and Sterling say.

"In any study of the abundance of fire ants, mortality contributed by spiders and other predators will be needed in order to understand and predict any ant dynamics," they say.

*Editor's Note: Any question regarding this column should be addressed to Science Writer, Department of Agricultural Communications, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843.*

## Tips For Traveling With Tots

Summer vacation trips can present an extra challenge to families with babies and toddlers. The Texas Medical Association suggests tips that can make air and automobile travel more comfortable for children and families.

Airplanes are probably the most stressful vehicle for the family with an infant. Changes in cabin pressure can help start an ear infection that shows up a couple of days after the flight. A drop in cabin pressure tends to push mucus from the back of the baby's nose into the tube leading to the middle ear, and this blockage can become infected.

Nursing an infant during takeoff and landing is one precaution that can help prevent ear infections. The sucking movement helps keep the middle ear open, much the way chewing gum does for an adult.

Check with your physician who may suggest protecting the child by

giving a combination antihistamine and decongestant, which will reduce the amount of nasal secretions and help keep air passages open.

Infants should not be buckled inside a seat belt on an airplane, but held in an adult's lap for takeoff and landing; the child can rest in a portable crib during the flight.

Automobile traveling with young children need not be difficult, but it can be hazardous. Children of all ages risk injury if they're not properly restrained. They should ride in the back seat. The type of harness designed for children is safer than a lap belt and allows more freedom of movement.

According to Texas law, young children and infants must be strapped into a car seat that is securely belted to the seat of the automobile. This safety measure also may make the ride more pleasant, because children react to car travel better if

they can see outside.

Ventilation is another problem during car travel. Babies are likely to react unfavorably to the stuffy air that can result from automobile air conditioning systems that recirculate air. Try to keep at least some fresh air coming in at all times.

If you are traveling with children who are on medication, remember to pack an adequate supply. And if you children are likely to need medical attention while traveling, ask your physician to suggest where you can find a physician.

### A QUILT FOR NEW YORK

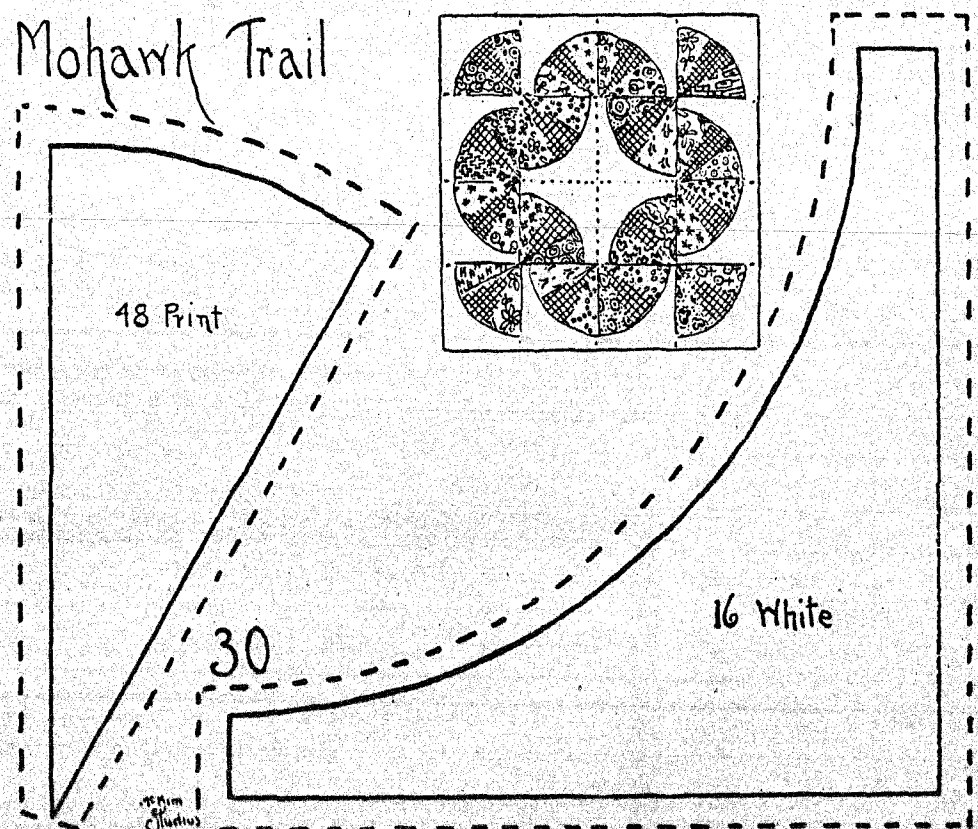
The Mohawk Trail Here is a beautiful specimen of old colonial patchwork that winds its graceful patterning around about over the coverlet like the curving river traces its pattern through the New York State countryside.

Place this in gay barbaric prints; we suggest two figures with the center "cone" some plain hue, but the whole a bit and miss placing of all brilliant colors.

The three print cones may be run together on the machine, and the finished squares set together this way, but the curved seam that joins the pieced fan into the curved white block is most easily done by hand.

Blocks finish 18 inches square, so 26 blocks would make a quilt center

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## Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that the 281 acres immediately south of the Town of Santa Anna, from the Brady Hwy. 283 to the Trickham F-M Hwy. 1176, is POSTED: No Swimming in the stock tanks allowed.  
-M. J. Guthrie, Jr.  
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**ORDINANCE NO. PROHIBITING DOGS RUNNING AT-LARGE; LICENSE FEE; ISSUANCE OF DOG TAGS; CERTIFICATION OF RABIES VACCINATION; REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED DOGS; RECORDS OF IMPOUNDED DOGS; REPORTS BY ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER; IMPOUNDMENT FOR OBSERVATION; CONFINEMENT OF RABID DOGS; PAYMENT OF POUND FEES.**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ANNA THAT:

**ARTICLE I: CONTROL OF DOMESTIC ANIMALS:**

**Section 1: DEFINITION OF TERMS:** For the purpose of this Ordinance, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings respectively ascribed to them:

a. "At-Large":  
1) not under the control of the owner either by a leash, chain, cord, or other suitable material attached to a collar or harness on the dog;

2) not restrained securely within an enclosure or fenced premises.  
b. Dog: The male and female of the canine species of animals.

c. Owner: Any person owning, keeping, harboring, or having control or custody of a dog.

**Section 2: PROHIBITING DOGS RUNNING AT-LARGE:** No dogs shall be permitted to run at-large within the City. All dogs shall be confined on the premises owned or under the control of their owners at all times. Dogs on a leash, however, shall not be construed as running at-large, provided such leash is either attached to an immovable object or firmly grasped and at all times within the control of a person physically able to maintain control of such dog.

**Section 3: LICENSE FEE:**  
a. Vaccination Required: It shall be unlawful for any owner of any dog over the age of three (3) months to harbor or permit said dog to remain within the City without having obtained a certificate of vaccination for such dog and having paid to the City, an annual license fee of Two Dollars (\$2.00).

b. AKC Registered Kennels will be charged \$10.00 for up to ten dogs and over ten dogs the fee will be \$20.00 annual fee.

c. Term of License: The license fee required by this Ordinance shall be due and payable in conjunction with the Rabies Vaccination, and when paid, shall be good for one year.

d. License fees shall not be required for seeing eye dogs or governmental police dogs.

**Section 4: ISSUANCE OF DOG TAGS:**  
a. Issuance: Upon payment of the license fee required in Section 3 of this Ordinance, it shall be the duty of a licensed veterinarian to furnish the owner of such animal a durable, numbered tag of distinctive design stamped with the year for which the same is issued and a serial number; which tag shall at all times be securely attached to a collar around the neck of the animal, or to a harness around the neck and body of the dog upon which said fee has been paid.

**Section 5: CERTIFICATION OF RABIES VACCINATION:**

a. Age of Dog: All dogs over three (3) months of age within the City shall be immunized annually against rabies by means of an approved anti-rabies vaccine administered by a duly licensed veterinarian.

b. Issuance of Certificate: Every veterinarian who vaccinates any such dog within the City shall issue a Certificate of Vaccination to the owner stating the name and address of the owner, description of the dog, the date of vaccination, the number of the rabies vaccination tag, and the kind of vaccine used—where certificate the owner shall give to the authorized person of the City.

c. Issuance of Vaccination Tag: Upon vaccination of each dog, the veterinarian shall furnish the owner thereof a durable tag, on one side of which are stamped the words, "Rabies Vaccine Administered" (or a similar phrase), and the date of the vaccination. Such tag at all times shall be securely attached to a collar around the neck of the animal or on a harness around the neck and body of the dog vaccinated. The City may, if they deem it appropriate, furnish the veterinarian with numbered license tags, and the veterinarian can inscribe the date of the rabies vaccination on the back of the tag and collect the above mentioned license fee and remit it to the City.

**Section 6: DUTY OF OFFICER TO IMPOUND:** It shall be the duty of any authorized officer of the City to cause to be taken up or impounded, all dogs found in the City is hereby authorized to enter upon any unenclosed lot, tract, or parcel of land for the purpose of seizing and impounding any such dog.

**Section 7: IMPOUNDMENT FEE:**  
a. Impoundment Fee: An impoundment fee of Five Dollars (\$5.00) shall be charged for the impoundment of any such dog under the provisions of this Ordinance.

b. General Care Fee: A fee of \$2.00 per day shall be charged for the feeding, care and handling of each dog impounded under the provisions of this Ordinance.

**Section 8: REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED DOG:** The owner of any dog which has been impounded under the provisions of this Ordinance shall have the right to redeem the same upon payment of any and all fees which may be due and payable for the impoundment of such dog.

The Owner of any impounded dog may, within thirty (30) days after such dog is sold, redeem the same from such purchaser by paying to purchaser the amount of the purchase price paid to the Animal Control Officer; and in addition thereto, the license fee and vaccination charges, if any were incurred; and in addition thereto, a charge of \$1.00 per day for the number of days from the date of sale to the date of redemption. At the end of thirty (30) days from the date the dog is sold, the right to redeem shall expire.

**Section 9: LENGTH OF TIME FOR REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED DOGS:** All impounded dogs shall be redeemed within the length of time set forth below. Any such dog not redeemed within such time may be sold or destroyed.

**Section 10: VACCINATION REQUIREMENT FOR REDEEMED DOG:** All unlicensed dogs redeemed at City Dog Pound must be immediately vaccinated against rabies.

**Section 11: RECORDS OF IMPOUNDMENT:** The Animal Control Officer shall, upon receiving any dog, make a complete registry of it, entering the breed, color, and sex of said dog—together with a statement of whether said dog is licensed or not—and the time and place of taking into custody. If such dog be licensed, the Animal Control Officer or his deputies shall enter the name and

address of the owner and the number of the license tag upon such registry. A responsible effort will be made to notify the owner of the impounded licensed dog. Licensed dogs shall be kept separated from unlicensed dogs at all times.

In addition to such records, the Animal Control Officer shall also keep necessary records as are required to show in detail the disposition of all dogs impounded, the monies collected, and any other records as may be required by the City. All monies collected shall be placed in the General Fund of the City.

**Section 12: SALE OF IMPOUNDED DOGS:** At any time after the expiration of the period of time for the redemption of impounded dogs, the Animal Control Officer may, without further notice and without advertising in any manner, sell at private sale to the highest bidder, any dog not redeemed or reclaimed. All dogs impounded and not redeemed, reclaimed or sold after the period of time for redemption has expired shall forthwith be humanely destroyed by the Animal Control Officer.

**Section 14: IMPOUNDMENT FOR OBSERVATION:**  
a. If any dog has bitten any person, or is suspected of having or being infected with rabies, then said dog shall be apprehended and retained in the City Pound, securely penned and separated from other dogs and animals, for such period as may be necessary to ascertain whether or not the dog is infected with rabies. If, after sufficient observation, the dog, in the opinion of the Chief of Police, is not infected, if claimed, shall be returned to the owner. If, in the opinion of the Chief of Police, after consultation with a licensed veterinarian or County Health Officer, symptoms develop justifying a microscopic examination, then the dog shall be killed and the head sent to the State Board of Health in Austin for further examination.

b. In lieu of the provisions of Subsection a., the owner of any such dog may, at his own expense, take such dog to any duly qualified and licensed veterinarian in the City for observation. Such veterinarian shall report his findings in writing to the Chief of Police. If, in the opinion of such veterinarian, a microscopic examination is justified, then the dog shall be turned over to the City Police Department and shall be killed and examination shall be made by the State Board of Health in Austin as described in Subsection (a) above.

c. Any dog desired for observation by the Chief of Police under this section shall be delivered to the Police Department upon demand and shall not be withheld, hidden, or harbored. Persons violating this provision shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor. Upon refusal of any person to so deliver such dog, any officer of the Police Department shall cause a warrant to be issued for the arrest of such person, which warrant shall also provide for the surrender of the dog and shall be lawful authority for the apprehending and forcible taking of such dog.

**Section 15: CONFINEMENT OF RABID DOGS:**  
a. Any dog that has rabies, or any symptoms thereof, that is suspected of having rabies, or that has been exposed to rabies shall at once be released by its possessor for disposal or for confinement in a veterinarian hospital.

b. Every dog that has rabies symptoms thereof, or any animal that bites, scratches, or otherwise attacks any person shall be immediately and securely confined by the owner, or one having custody, by lying with a chain of good quality for a period of ten (10) days in such a place where no person or animal may be bitten by it. The dog shall be held there subject to inspection from

time to time so as to be able to determine whether said dog is infected by rabies, or said dog shall be quarantined and held for a like time in any veterinarian hospital approved by the City, or said dog shall be held at the City Pound for ten (10) days. After which time, the dog may be killed if not reclaimed and left in quarantine at the City Pound.

**Section 16: PAYMENT OF POUND FEES:** Every owner of any dog impounded by the City or voluntarily impounded by the owner, shall be liable for all costs and fees incurred by such impoundment.

**Section 17: ANIMAL CARE:**  
a. No owner shall fail to provide his animals with sufficient food and wholesome food and water, proper shelter and protection from the weather, veterinary care when needed to prevent suffering, and with humane care and treatment.

b. No person shall beat, cruelly ill treat, torment, or otherwise abuse an animal, or cause, instigate, or permit any dogfight, cockfight, or other combat between animals or between animals and humans.

c. No owner of an animal shall abandon such animal.

d. Any person who, as the operator of a motor vehicle, strikes a domestic animal shall stop at once and render such assistance as may be possible and shall immediately report such injury or death to the animal's owner; in the event the owner cannot be ascertained and located such operator shall at once report the accident to the appropriate law enforcement agency or to the local humane society.

e. No person shall expose any known poisonous substance whether mixed with food or not, so that the same shall be liable to be eaten by any animal, provided that it shall not be unlawful for a person to expose on his own property common rat poison mixed only with vegetable substances.

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## Card of Thanks

Thanks to all who have shown concern for me during my hospitalization following my accident.

Thanks for calls, cards, visits and all expressions of concern and friendship.  
-J. Y. Brannon  
B-73003-29-29

The family of Ada Ashmore wishes to express their thanks and appreciation to all who showed their love with cards, flowers and words of comfort in the loss of our loved one. A special thanks to Rev. Claude Davison and the ladies of the Methodist Church.  
-Mr. and Mrs. Tom Norton and Family  
M and Mrs. Sam Ashmore and Family  
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Mrs. Floyd Morris reports their grandchildren, Jeffery and Jennifer Morris of Santa Anna flew to Wooster Massachusetts Sunday. They will be visiting an aunt and other relatives there and also plan to visit relatives in Maine. They reached their destination with no problems and started from Dallas Air Base.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick have their granddaughters, Josylin and Ashley Fitzpatrick of Odessa, visiting them this week.

Mrs. Nettie Vinson went to Ft. Worth area last Wednesday and visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vinson, and also visited a sister, Beerta Keener of Azle, returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Floyd Morris and their grandchildren, Jeffery and Jennifer, attended the Coleman Rodeo Thursday night, and also had a nice visit at the Rodeo with two granddaughters, Judy and Janet Morris of Coleman.

Mr. Jimmy Heifner visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. Loyd Rutherford and Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Ray Cozart of Round Rock were on the Cozart Farm during the weekend. Mrs. Cozart paid me a visit Saturday afternoon. We were awfully sorry to hear death claimed a 15-year-old granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Cozart in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, the middle of May. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick took their grandchildren, Brandon and Stephanie Fitzpatrick, and Michelle Bullion to the Rodeo Wednesday night.

Mr. Leon Carter visited his sister, Lorene Black in Brownwood on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Bullion of Glen Rose were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick, on Sunday. The daughter, Michelle, returned home following a week with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick attended funeral services for Dad Brisco Saturday afternoon in Brady. This was a dear friend and was buried in the Marion Cemetery.

My son, Hilary Rutherford, of Coleman and myself were in Goldthwaite Sunday attending the funeral for my cousin, Ida Rowlett's husband, Mr. "Butch" Rowlett. Services were held in the Wilkerson Funeral Chapel at 2:30 p.m. Burial followed in the Regency Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowlett's farm and home is at Regency.

Mr. Rowlett had a tragic accident with the tractor even though his wife was watching him prepare to go to the field to plow it is not known whether he slipped and fell into the

plow on the tractor or just what as the tractor started moving. He was dug some 60 feet. His body was bruised a lot. He was 78 years of age. Survived by his wife, 2 daughters, 6 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, a sister, and a brother, a host of relatives and friends. Our deepest sympathy to those in sorrow.

We also visited in the home of my aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Egger in Goldthwaite and their daughter who was there from Big Springs. And also stopped in Brownwood enroute home and had a nice visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson. They were doing great.

Rev. Claude Davison, the Methodist minister, preached at 9:30 a.m. Sunday; his wife was with him.

Saturday night there were only 8 present at the game party at the community center. Thursday night the 84 party was held at Warren and Margaret Bartons with 22 present. Margaret served drinks and knickknacks; all had a good time.

I went to Sunday School and Church Sunday and had dinner with Annelie Clark and Vera Shield; they came to see me and ate watermelon Friday evening.

Natalie Mvler's mother went back to Abilene last Thursday; she will be with two other daughters the next two months. Genia McIver visited Rankin and Natalie Sunday evening.

Visitors with Genia McIver last week were Doane and Wanda McIver and girls, Mindy and Tamie of San Angelo; Terry McIver, Reece, Grady Clay and Betsy, Royce and Wanda McIver and Artie and Sabrina Smith and sons Phillip, Kyle and Bryan, Eddie Tomlinson and Charlie Morgan.

Lou Vaughn and Carrie Stacy ate dinner with Genia Sunday.

Lou Vaughn went by Bangs and got Mary Ola Woods; they visited at Brownwood with H. B. and Earnestine Dockery Sunday evening.

Betty and Damon Miller and J of

Austin and Lea and Loyd Mock of Post spent this last week with Mary Lea Mitchell.

O. T. and Stacy of Abilene spent the day Saturday with his mother, Carrie Stacy; he did a lot of work for her.

Naomi and Brent Nichols and boys came Wednesday night to visit her parents, the Hilburn Hendersons; they all went to the Henderson Reunion at the Holiday in San Angelo.

Leona's mother, Mrs. Daisy McClatchy ate dinner with them Thursday.

Visitors last Friday with Margaret and Warren Barton were Margaret's son, Ben Kendall and his wife, Rodene and their nine-month daughter, Elizabeth, all of Goldsmith, Texas. I also visited the Bartons Sunday evening late.

Minola and Ray McSwain of Hico came Sunday morning and they and Howell and Gertrude Martin had dinner Sunday with Betty and Felton Martin.

Florence Stearns and grandson, Chris Fleming, went to Coleman Friday and visited Barbara Kirkpatrick and girls, Amber and Jennifer and the girls spent Friday night with them. Barbara came after them Saturday afternoon; Florence got some grapes from Alice Wells at Coleman to make juice.

We hope we get some rain this week, it is hot and dry.

## RANGER PARK INN

By Annie Mae Brimer

### LIVING CENTER

Thelma Whitehead visitors were John and Mike Channler.

Edna Wells visitors were Carrie Hale and Jo Anna Hale.

Vista Cox visitors were Sarah and Carl Stewart, Clifford and Ruth Bouldin, Claudine Brown, Sarah Bomar, James Thompson, Mildred Shaffer, Mrs. Bourland and Pauline Thompson.

### NURSING HOME

The residents enjoyed the hour of singing by the Melody Makers Tuesday afternoon. Making the program possible were Doris and Les Aderholt, Wanda Wallace, Jim Boyles, Allene Needham, Virginia Wood and Neal Smith.

The movie, "Finding Time" was interesting to watch Friday afternoon by a large number of residents as they enjoyed popcorn Herman Estes popped. This is a fun time for everyone.

Due to illness in the family Bro. P. A. Lindley did not conduct the 2nd Sunday service Sunday afternoon. We sure miss this service. We hope Mrs. Nolan is better soon.

There were four tables of 42 Monday afternoon. This is such a fun time. We express our thanks to Wilmoth Russell, Beattie McDonald, Ollie Pembroke, and Herman Estes for helping with this program.

The five and six year old pupils of the First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School and their teacher, Mrs. Sandra Hosch, made tray favors of silk flowers for the residents of Ranger Park Inn. They are just beautiful and we love you for remembering the residents. Thank you so much.

The residents sure enjoyed the visits to the G.A. Girls of Northside Baptist Church. Thanks to Amy Ellerbe, Frances Weems, Chanda Simmons, Jennifer Brown, Stephanie Smith, and Peggy Moffett.

Ovie Jenkins was honored with a birthday party Sunday afternoon

with strawberry cake, punch and ice cream. It was all in pink, Mrs. Jenkins favorite color. Those attending were Carla, Clovis, Claris Billings, Floyd Jr. and Randall Jenkins, Wayne, Anna Mae, Lisa, Elizabeth, Dawn, David, Amber, Shuwna Jenkins, Maudie and Richard Kelley. Others visiting Mrs. Jenkins were Wilma White.

Jessie Thate visitors were Red and Nell Thate. Alma and Chester Laird.

Iva Liest was visited by her brother, Frank Baxter.

Lucy Billings visitors were Richard and Maude Kelly, C.Q. and LaNell Billings, Clovis, Carla, Claris billings.

Clara Traylor visitors were Gladys Day, Bessie Parish.

Lillie Knotts was visited by Richard and Maude Kelley.

Opal Maples visitors were Disa Chrane, Billie Simons, Sadierene Atkins, Cindy, Cynthia, C.J., Amber Squires, Shayron Thompson, Jeanie Guerrero, Nell Hart and Mammie Pricer.

Mae Tyson was visited by Ila and Jack Todd.

Pearl Etheridgs visitors were Bessie Parish, Elgean and Lenora Gilliam, Wilmoth Russell, Ruby Howard.

Jane Hawkins visitors were Barbara Moore and Glenn Moore.

Bessie Thomas visitors were Laverne Simmons, Blanch Harris, Bessie Parish, Ivera Byrd.

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

Francis Tucker visitors were Gladys Day, Bessie Parish, Rev. James Ford, Ann Puckett, Pat Stanbridge, Archie Tucker.

Cora Skipper visitors were Elvira Brady, Jimmie Bibbs.

Faye Jewell visitors were DeeDee Hudson and Allan Jewell.

Rena Conger visitors were Glenn and Barbara Moore, James and Eunice Conger, Nell Hart, Mammie

Tuesday visitors with Kenneth and Nora Brusenhan were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cox of Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brusenhan and Ernest Brusenhan of Victoria, who came celebrating Kenneth's birthday anniversary.

Junior and LaNelle Brusenhan left last Wednesday morning on a vacation trip, stopping overnight at a Motel in Raton, N.M. where LaNelle slipped, falling and suffered a broken hip; she was brought to Brownwood Regional Hospital by plane, where she had surgery Friday and is doing nicely.

Mrs. Ella Gray reports a call from a nephew, Jim Routh, in California, reporting no damage from the recent quake.

Lois Haines, Oneta James and Herman Estes visited Sunday afternoon with Jewell Lee, who was Monday luncheon guest of Herman and Edna Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Horton of Brady came Sunday to spend several days with her parents, Johnnie and Geneva Steward. Pebble and Denver Ellis came for Sunday, bringing a chicken luncheon and all the fixin's.

Mrs. Mary Emerson reports phone visits with Caroline Smith of College Station and Dennis Ray Gleaton of Early. Recent visitors were Jane Wise, Rose Cooper, Ella Gray, and Lillie Box. Visiting Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Hamilton, Joetta and Shelia of Early, Ray Gleaton of Brownwood; Wilma Williams and Linnie Box visited Sunday afternoon.

Granddaughter, Mrs. Bob Brown, of Menard visited Monday afternoon with Mary Emerson and they went to the Brownwood Regional Hospital visiting LaNelle.

Bettie Bryan spent Friday at Comanche with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, Bonnie and Jackie Lee.

Sam Estes was dismissed from the Brady Hospital Saturday; Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Estes of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Estes and Jeff of Odessa and Kelly Estes of Sweetwater spent Saturday night with Sam. They visited at the Ranger Park Inn with Myrtle Estes before Sam accompanied Raymond and Jeff to Odessa for a few days.

Marcus Johnson visited Aubrey and Dorothy McSwain last Thursday.

Erin Day visits with her sister Mildred Strother often.

Margaret Hill visitors were Fae Day, Irene Williams, Sylvia Cheeseman, Gladys Day.

Mary Phillips and Clara Brown visitors were Dorothy, Laura, Rivkey, little Preston Angell, Kathy Walker, Tiffany Walker, C.W. and Angell Hamm. Nell Hart, Mammie Pricer, Gladys Hunter, Lucille Morgan.

Donna Estes visitors were James Estes, Bruce Estes, Betty Day, Louise McClellan.

Earl Chapman visitors were Gladys Hunter, Dorothy Watson, Dick Longbrake, Bill and Sue Chapman and grandson.

Ora Caldwell visitors were Charles and Jean Caldwell, Bob and Donita Grace and children, Ann and Willie, Gladys Day, Herman and Edna Estes.

Christine Sanders visitors were Martha Black, Tesha Hawkins, Jay W. and Mary Briggs, Elsie Velo, Jay Briggs, Berniece Snedegar, and Bessie McDonald.

Frances Eckert visitors were Alma Marrs and Virginia Turney. Nancy Menges visitors were Ann

day; Sunday visitors were Joe F., Raymond and Jeff, Kelly and Sam Estes.

Sadie Bryan accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ulstad of Buchanan Lake to Victoria, visiting Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hill. The Rev. Joey Wilbourn, Baptist pastor, visited the Bryans Wednesday; Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver of Katy were Sunday luncheon guests.

Carolyn McWherter and Blake of Houston came Thursday visiting to Sunday with her parents, Blake and Wilma Williams; they attended the Lions Fish Fry in Santa Anna Friday evening. Wilma, Carolyn and Angie Hernandez spent Saturday at Fredricksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pearson and David Jr. and friend Kathy of San Antonio visited Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson; other Saturday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pearson of Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patterson of Odessa.

Gladys Snodgrass of Brady visited Friday afternoon with Lois Haines; they visited at Ranger Park Inn with Myrtle Estes.

Visiting with Linnie Box during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter and Mrs. Mae Hunter of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hedges of San Angelo, Stoney Mueller and friends of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hancock of Roland.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duus and Robert spent Wednesday and Thursday at Arlington visiting Six Flags.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal visited Norene Winstead in Coleman Wednesday, back by Santa Anna, visiting the Joe C. Deals; visiting Friday with Mary Emerson; visited Norene again Saturday. The Rev. Joey Wilbourn visited the Deals Wednesday; Sunday Dick and Johnnie visited the Joe C. Deals in Santa Anna and accompanied them to Brownwood, where they visited LaNelle Brusenhan, a patient in the hospital and her husband, Junior, who is at her bedside. Enroute home they visited in Bangs with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. French and Aubrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams and their guests, Carolyn and Blake McWherter visited Friday evening with Oleta Moley.

Spencer and Nancy Conner. Cleo Canady went to church Sunday night in Glen Cove and spent the night with Stena and Charles Mitchell.

Linda Childress visitors were Sarah Bomar, Walter Bedell, J. C., Quannah and Louise Gordon.

Elva Cope visitors were Maggie Robinett, Jigs and Allene Cope.

Nyla Simmons visitors were Ruth Shelton, Mary Jane Valdez, Myrtle Chapman, Vickie Green, Angell Hamm, Ann Puckett, James and Eunice Conger.

Otis Hale visitors were Ninnie Boatright and Earlene Barkley.

Myrtle Estes visitors were Lois Haines, Joe and Katherine Estes, Gladys Sondgrass, Raymond and Carolyn Estes, Jeff Estes, Gladys Hunter, Jewel Hosch, Herman and Edna Estes, Bruce Estes and James Estes.

Jim Daniell visitors were Dorothy Watson, Gladys Hunter, D. W. Scarborough, Dick Longbrake, and Rev. Claude Davison.

Johnnie Thompson visitors were J. T. Thompson, James Thompson, and Sherrie and Cole Lone.

Nell Mulanax and Beulah Hyden visitors were Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Conner, Kenneth Mulanax, and Doris and Les Aderholt.

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Box of Brady, Clara visited Thursday afternoon a while.

Adam Huggins spent three days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins.

Gloria Harrison and Patrick of Midland is visiting her parents, the Junior Hendersons of Cleveland Community.

Charlie Fleming visited his mother, Mrs. Beulah Fleming and Margie; Phillis and Eddie Dillard visited during the week; Sunday visitors were Max and Donna Mapson and Jason of Brownwood.

James and Billie Perry and Mildred Cammack visited Mr. and Mrs. John Perry Sunday afternoon. F. A. Sanders of Hermit, Calif. visited the A. C. Pierces Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore went to Hurst to pick up Allene Sozeza from Bakerfield, Calif. They visited with Mel and Patsy Pollock and family and Terry Moore of Ft. Worth. Odell and Re Box of Brady visited Saturday afternoon with the C. T. Moores and Allene. Pete and Iona and Allene went to Brownwood Lake to visit her cousins, Walt, Jane, Sorenson, Nora William and Cody Hounshell.

Cecil and Nona Bell Ellis and Jerry Ellis spent the day Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells of Lorraine. Cecil and Nona Bell had supper with the Jerry Ellis family Tuesday night. Jamie, Bryce, and Alicia spent Monday with their grandma, Nona Bell; Cecil and Nona Bell, Cathy, Bryce and Jamie all had Sunday dinner with Grace Ellis.

Lora Russell went to San Angelo last week; Billie Haught and her grandson came for her. She helped keep her great-grandchildren while their parents went to New York. Lora came home last Wednesday. She spent the week there. Lora Russell went to Bangs Saturday to visit a daughter, Lois Havner; they had a fish fry for her.

Clay and Peggy Miller of Eden came Sunday afternoon to visit her mother, Mrs. Tavy Ford.

Ted and Diane Ford came July 4th and Scotty stayed a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ford; Joe and Frances and girls also came July 4th and spent the day; they have been in and out. Ted came last Tuesday to pick up Scotty.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh were at Bangs Wednesday visiting her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores and Nancy Lee and babies. The Lonnie Lowry's and babies ate Sunday dinner with the Dick Baughs; Kayla spent Saturday night with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps, Kasha and Carolyn Coney of Georgetown spent Monday until Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps and Ryan getting acquainted with the new baby boy, Reed Anthony, of Beaumont.

Brownie Brooke and Jeffrey of Comanche and Susan Wilson, Melanie Jason of Stephenville spent the day Friday with the Coy Brookes. Saturday the Coy Brookes visited the E. A. Densmans and Beny of Brady. Mrs. Loraine Beeler visited Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCormick of Ft. Worth came Tuesday and spent the day with Mrs. Winnie Haynes; Mrs. J. E. York visited Saturday night a while; I visited a while Saturday evening.

Casey and Eveline Herring visited Sunday night with the Adolph Kellys. L. V. Cupps visited Monday morning; Juanita Naron dropped by Wednesday morning; C. E. Wise visited Saturday evening.

The R. W. Cupps visited with Mary Laminack and Maryland Galbreath of Beaumont; these are my sisters girls, Hazel Jean (Genz) Galbreath.

Weekend visitors and Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming were Kenneth and Peggy Sikes and Roger of Bangs, Irish and Ronnie Seaton of Brownwood, Randy and Ann Sikes of Lubbock, Margie Molden and Kelli, Sandi of Ft. Worth, Sandra, Pam and Josh Morgan, Chris Fleming. Others visiting were Darrel Cupps, Justin Ricky Cupps, Rachel Cupps and Virgil Cupps.

Mrs. Marie Hellman returned Saturday evening after two weeks vacation in Albuquerque, New Mexico visiting her daughter, Shirley Hellman.

Tom and Bobbie Howard of Zephyr visited their mother, Mrs. Ruby Howard, Saturday afternoon; also Mrs. Bessie Parish visited.

Mrs. Lucille Blanton was in St. Louis, Missouri; she spent the week with her son, Tammy Blanton was there for July 4th. She also visited the Jerry Blanton and Brandi of Dallas.

Odell and Re Box of Brady visited Saturday evening with the Buck Mills; Bill and Joyce McDonald of View visited Sunday afternoon.

David and Pam Morgan, John and Leah were dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring; also Virgil Cupps visited several times the past week.

Cindy Boyls, Malbow and Shannon of Bangs visited briefly with Ed and Ruby Hartman Wednesday; Charles and Molly Sears and Wanda Harris of Brownwood were late visitors with the Ed Hartmans; Sandra Walker of Bangs spent the day Friday with her parents; visiting Saturday afternoon with Ed and Ruby were Odell and Re