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Mountain Echoes



By
Barbara
Kingsbery

Several businesses have been making improvements or additions recently. A new air-conditioning system is being installed at Henderson Funeral Home, and Louis Miles Guthrie has built an office for Hale Trailer Sales at his lot on Wallis Avenue.

Major remodeling is progressing well at Phillips Drug, and a new business, Isehower Turkey Farm, has started operation in their location on the Rockwood highway (We have a story on the turkey operation elsewhere in the NEWS).

The AARP group is to sponsor a clean-up campaign next month. Everyone in the community is urged to make improvements to their property and clean up the town.

A small rattlesnake was found recently in the driveway at the Steak House. By-standers would no kill the reptile, but insisted that the snake belonged to some of the local snake hunters and it might be a winner of the smallest snake award.

The snake was captured and given to one of the hunters, we were told.

The Grady Banisters from Burnet have visited here this week and recounted stories of many unusual happenings during the recent tornado in their city.

One home in Burnet had only a bookcase left standing and one book remained on the shelves -- "Gone With the Wind"

In at least two other instances closed dresser drawers beneath the rubble of wrecked houses contained bricks and glass fragments.

The tornado's path was about one-half mile wide and one mile long through the Burnet business district and residential area.

New C of C Prexy For Coming Year Is Don Gaines

New officers were elected for the Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce at a meeting Tuesday at the Lions Club building.

Don Gaines, owner of Gaines Fine Foods, was elected president of the group; Robert Barkley was chosen vice-president; and O. L. Cheaney was re-elected treasurer. A secretary will be named at a later date.

Plans for additional members were discussed as well as other community projects.



TOP BRASS. Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce officers elected Tuesday included Don Gaines, left, president; and Robert Barkley, second from right, vice-president. Also pictured following the meeting are Billie Guthrie, secretary-manager, and Donnie Henderson, a new director. Also chosen was O. L. Cheaney, treasurer.

Cross Plains, Rising Star Win JHS Track Meet Titles

The Cross Plains Junior High boys and the Rising Star girls were team winners in the Santa Anna Junior High track meet last Friday. Cross Plains had a total of 121 points with the Bangs boys in second place with 82. Sanders of Cross Plains was high point boy in the meet with 44 points.

In the girls division, the Rising Star girls had a total of 128 with Santa Anna runner-up with 115. Hunt of Rising Star was high point girl with 32 points. Tammy Morris of Santa Anna was runner-up for the high point honor with 27 points.

The Santa Anna JHS boys had a total of 55 points in the meet.

Santa Anna girls with wins for their team included JoAnna Collins, tie for first in 60 yard low hurdles and first in shot put; Jana Shambeck first in broad jump and second in 440 yard dash; Tammy Morris first in triple jump, third in board jump, second in discus and fifth in shot put; Cindy Cozart third in triple jump and tie for first in 60 yard low hurdles; Gaye Harvey, second in 100 yard dash and tie for second in 60 yard dash; Cozart, Shambeck, Barton and Harvey, fourth in 440 yard relay; and Kim Bray, sixth in 60 yard dash.

In the boys division DeLeon won

Absentee Voting Now Underway In Local Elections

Santa Anna voters have an opportunity to cast absentee ballots if they are to be out of town on April 7, the day of the city and school district elections.

Absentee voting started Monday and will continue through April 3. City ballots may be cast at City Hall, and school district ballots may be cast at the school business office.

There are no contests on the city ballot with only the incumbents, Mayor Thomas Wristen and Councilmen Julian Kelley and Gale Allen, seeking election.

In the school election Edwin Hipsher, Felton Martin and Mrs. Carmen Rendon are vying for two vacancies on the school board.

first in the 880 yard run; Albert Salizar was tied for fourth in pull ups; Eubank, Allen, DeLeon and Weathers were third in the 440 yard relay and fifth in the 880 relay; Terry Day tied for second in the 60 yard high hurdles; Eubank was sixth in 440 yard dash; and Gay Allen was first in the 60 yard dash; Weathers was sixth in the 220 yard dash.

Girls and boys teams from eight area schools were entered in the meet which was sponsored by the Santa Anna Booster Club and directed by the J. A. Smelley and Larry Steele, SAHS athletic coaches.

Dog Ordinance To Be Enforced After April 9

The City of Santa Anna will begin enforcing a strict dog ordinance on Monday, April 9. All dogs running loose in the town are to be vaccinated for rabies and tagged by that date or they will be impounded and destroyed if unclaimed.

Due to the large number of dogs running loose in the community and several instances of dog poisoning, it was decided to enforce the ordinance as soon as possible.

Starting Monday, March 26, a special station will be set up for dog vaccination and registration. The special clinic will be at the rear entrance of the city warehouse building just west of the Post Office.

Someone will be on hand from 8 to 10 a.m. and 4 to 5 p.m. to vaccinate dogs and issue city tags. The special clinic will operate each Monday through Thursday for two weeks for the convenience of local dog owners.

All local dog owners are urged to have their pets properly tagged and vaccinated before April 9. Dogs impounded may be retrieved for a fee but will still have to be vaccinated and tagged. All unclaimed dogs will be destroyed within a few days of impoundment.

Two Teachers To Retire From Elementary School

The Santa Anna Independent School District board of trustees met in regular session at the high school business office on Tuesday night, March 13. All members were present for the meeting which was led by A. D. Pettit, president.

Vernon Parnell led the opening prayer, and minutes of February meeting were read and approved. Visitors at the meeting were recognized including Steven Nickel, band director, who requested the purchase of several new band instruments for the coming year. Max Eubank, Vernon Parnell and Floyd Smith were appointed to help with the selections and make recommendations to the board at a future meeting.

Bills and accounts for the past month were approved for payment totaling \$2,880. Largest items included roofing repair for the band hall, elementary building and gymnasium, \$947, and the monthly gas bill from Lone Star Gas Co., \$434.

The budget was reviewed and an amendment made for plant maintenance.

Letters of resignation from Mrs. Margaret Crews and Mrs. Lucille Dean were read and accepted. Both teachers are retiring at the end of this school year after a number of years in the local schools.

A report was given from the Citizens School Improvement Study Committee. A representative from the Texas Education Agency will be also requested to aid in making plans and recommendations for improvements of the school buildings.

Carlton Baker was hired as custodian of the elementary school. A salary increase was approved for Loyd Taylor, high school custodian.

Track Teams To Comanche, Goldthwaite

The Santa Anna High School boys and girls track teams have competition this weekend with the girls traveling to Comanche Friday and the boys to participate in the Goldthwaite meet on Saturday.

The boys have only one other invitational meet before the district competition on April 3, and that will be on March 31 at DeLeon. The girls will go to Stephenville and March 30 for their last meet before the district competition in Abilene the second week in April.

At Ranger last Saturday the SAHS boys had several winners.

David Huggins won fifth in the 100 yard dash; Marty Warnock won fifth in the 440 yard dash; and Jody Day won sixth in the mile run.

The sprint relay team composed of Huggins, Warnock, Lee Wristen and Scott Bowker won fourth place.

Information was given on several items including legislation, state funding, and title III application.

The next regular meeting will be on Tuesday, April 10, the first meeting following the trustee election.

March 30, 31 Dates Set For Senior Play

The Senior Class of Santa Anna High School will present the annual senior play on Friday and Saturday nights, March 30 and 31. The three act comedy is entitled "Boarding House Reach" and has a cast of sixteen.

Mrs. Cindy Maedgen and Bill Riley are directing the play which will be held at the high school auditorium. Curtain time is 7:30 p.m. for both the dress rehearsal on Friday night and the main performance on Saturday night.

Those in the play are Randy Long, David Horner, Rocky Dean, Janice Martin, Carol Kingsbery, Sandra Hosch, Leann Bryan, Bobby Cullins, Cynthia Rolfe, Jan Eubank, David Drake, Ricky Jones, Lucinda Smith, Donna Rasberry, Tony Allen and Terry Loyd.

Janice Armstrong, Judy Wright, and Susan Berry are assisting with the production.

Advanced tickets are on sale each Monday through Thursday afternoon from 4:30 to 5:30 at Phillips Drug and from 9 a. m. to 10 a. m. on Saturday, the 24. Reserved seats are \$2 and general admission will be \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend either performance of the play on March 30 or 31.

Julian Kelley New President Of Lions Club

Julian Kelley was elected president of the Santa Anna Lions Club at the Tuesday meeting of the organization. Others elected to office are Bill Weeks, first vice-president; C. P. Wenzel, second vice-president; Robert Barkley, third vice-president; Floyd Marshall, tail twister; Blackie Brock, lion tamer; Norman Walters, secretary; and M. L. Guthrie-treasurer.

New directors elected for one year are Rob Cheaney and A. D. Pettit, and for two years Don Gaines and Ford Barnes.

New officers of the club will be installed in July. Bob Burton is retiring president of the group.

Robert Barkley presented the program which included slides of Jerusalem which he made on a recent trip to the Holy Land.

Band Boosters Have Meeting Last Thursday

The Santa Anna Band Booster Club met last Thursday night at the Band Hall with Mrs. Robert Smith presiding in the absence of the president and vice-president. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and a financial report given.

Mrs. W. K. Bradley and Mrs. Bob Burton were chosen for the nominating committee and will report at the next meeting.

It was decided to order 500 club cookbooks, and plans were made for the sale of the books when they arrive.

It was decided that the group will not serve the Lions Club ladies night banquet next month.

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'Humanitarianism at Its Best' Describes Work of Former Resident

The following story is from the February 1973 issue of Steth Scoop, Fort Worth Harris Hospital employee publication. Technician Bernie Davis is the former Bernie Vinson and a native of Santa Anna. Dr. Burgess Sealy, also former Santa Anna resident, submitted the article.

In Spanish, it's "Sonorisa Alegre." In English, it's "Happy Smile." In any language, it's humanitarianism at its best! That's the crux of the credo of the medical team, headed by Dr. Valentin Gracia and including Harris Surgical Technicians Bernie Davis and Barbara Murphy, which, already on two occasions, has put happy smiles on impoverished Mexicans who've been hare-lip victims since birth.

Dr. Gracia, plastic surgeon on Harris' Medical Staff, became aware of the vital need of repair to cleft lips when, in 1965, he went back to his native village in Mexico, some 25 miles away from Tampico. The trip came as a result of insistence from his brother and a childhood friend, and Dr. Gracia, at his own expense, did his first cleft repair



BERNIE VINSON DAVIS
"Nurse of Mercy"
For Mexican Children

surgery then on underprivileged natives.

Support of the physician's "Happy Smile's project later became international, with Rotary Club chapters in Tampico and Fort Worth joining forces to pay expenses for transportation, food and lodging of nurses and technicians agreeing to take part in the humanitarian project in Tampico.

The initial Rotary-sponsored venture took place last March, with Mrs. Davis of Surgery being one member of the physician's team journeying to the Mexico city. Using her vacation time to voluntarily assist for eight days, working up to 20 hours each day, the surgical technician says: "We arrived in Tampico and went to the Impala Hotel, where we were treated like royalty.

"After dinner, we went to Hospital Civil Carlos Canseco (Elefante Blanco Hospital, translated as "White Elephant")

to visit the patients. They were happy to see us, but ashamed of their faces. They would hide under the bed covers or turn their faces away from us. The doctor would turn them over so we could see their faces.

"But what a difference after surgery! They would smile and smile, just to show us they could. Indeed, they were 'happy smiles, beautiful smiles'!

"Always on duty, too, were the Rotarians," Mrs. Davis recalls, "constantly encouraging me to partake of food and beverages, always attentive to my possible needs, always ready to give a sight-seeing break when time permitted.

"As there was a huge pool of patients," she continues, "we worked as a team in two operating rooms, half of us readying the room for the forthcoming case, while another operation was going on in the other room. The hospital did not schedule any other operations during the eight days and, only twice did our procedures become interrupted by emergencies.

"Though our pace was rapid, but orderly, it was with a great deal of satisfaction that our team completed 69 cases, creating forever 69 'happy smiles' on human beings made whole to continue their lives unmarried."

The surgical technician sums up her personal feelings this way: "I would gladly sacrifice all the rest of my vacations to be a member of the 'Happy Smile' medical team again. It was an experience so humbling, but so rewarding, that I'll never forget that I was part of such an exhilarating endeavor.

"My most prized possessions are the letters of thanks that I received from the ladies of Rotary and our patients. Even my brief limelight as a celebrity when we filmed for television right in the operating room did not turn my head.

"What turned my heart, though, and the memory of it always will, is the deep satisfaction of helping my fellow beings under the inspiration of Dr. Gracia."

Mrs. Davis' concern for "Happy Smile" did not end upon arriving back in Fort Worth; rather, she continues furthering the cause. One action of hers has produced results for sure. She

spread the word about the need for an anesthesia machine at the Tampico hospital. Funds were raised by the Association of Operating Room Nurses (AORN) and the equipment was sent immediately.

On the medical team making a second journey only last November was Miss Murphy, another Harrisite from Surgery. She relates that the machine, gifted by AORN as a result of Mrs. Davis' inspiration, was in use during the four days she spent on the good will mission, one in which 30 cases were completed.

The adventure of being part of the project was one of deep gratification to Miss Murphy, too. "The people so much wanted to show their appreciation that one was treated and admired like a saint."

Dr. Gracia, who gives of his time and talents and pays all his own expenses for "Happy Smile," plans additional trips to Tampico. And, from all indications, a list of Harrisites willing to sacrifice vacations and volunteer to be a part of the medical team in Tampico grows and grows. Dr. Gracia's sincere appreciation for the nurses is exemplified in one statement the physician recently made: "The many women who've helped in this project make it truly a rewarding experience. Without their devotion and skills, the amount of cases done would have been practically impossible."

And, the "Happy Smile" project, one comprised of a physician's skilled hands and "nurses of mercy," is erasing an emotional turmoil of birth defects on faces of the impoverished young in a land short of plastic surgeons and without a program to assist penniless hare-lip victims needing, much less wanting, correction of such birth defects.

RCA WORLD CHAMPION
Phil Lyne, world champion all-around cowboy, visited in the Jame Allen home last week after the San Angelo rodeo closed.

The young champion is from George West, Texas and became the RCA champion after winning both the calf roping and bull riding events in the 1972 competition.

Phil and James spent the day roping steers with James giving instructions. Phil plans to give up the riding events in rodeos and add steer roping to his other events.

Allen had been among the top steer ropers in the professional rodeo circuit for the past two years.

TO HAVE SURGERY
Mrs. James Eubank is a patient in Hendricks Hospital in Abilene where she will have surgery this week. She was admitted Monday for tests.

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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter



The Family Night game is slated for Saturday, March 24th time: Dark - 30, hostesses are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Mrs. George Osburn, the former Linda McIntire, is in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene, where she had surgery last Thursday and will have further surgery this Thursday.

Ernest Brusenhan of Coleman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hodges of Fairview, Okla. visited last Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges. Mrs. Royce McIver and Britt of Midland spent Friday to Sunday with her parents, the J. P. Hodges; Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges of Clyde were other Saturday night and Sunday visitors.

Don Austin, Social Security Representative of Abilene will be guest speaker when the Home Demonstration Club meets at the Community Center, Wednesday, March 28, at 2:00 p. m. with Mrs. John Womack and Mrs. Wayne Bray serving as March hostesses.

Guests for a fish supper Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan and Serena were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenlee and children, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan, A. D. Pettit and Mike Marrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hosch of Stephenville spent Monday to Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and Jody, Mrs. Hosch and Mrs. Brusenhan were in Brownwood Tuesday for Mrs. R. W. Emerson, who visited to Monday; Mrs. Hosch visited her parents Saturday and again Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Brusenhan and Jody and Mrs. Emerson visited in Eden Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Mary Brusenhan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Maxey and Mark of Abilene visited briefly Saturday evening with Mrs. John Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes of Fort Worth spent Friday to Sunday in their home here; they

were accompanied by Mrs. Sam Alexander of San Angelo, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Alexander and in the Estes home. Enroute they visited at Ranger Park Hospital with Leonard Gipsom and at the Rest Home with Drury Estes.

Visiting with the Boss Estes family Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Estes and LeAnn; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Estes and Gordon of San Angelo spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes visited Saturday and Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. Matt Estes were Sunday dinner guests.

Mrs. Claud Box visited with relatives by telephone this weekend; her father, Oran Harkey of Downey, Calif. called Friday night, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Reeves of Lubbock and their guests Mr. and Mrs. Willard Harkey of Rockwood called Saturday night and her daughter, Mrs. Marshall Cappel and Mr. Campell of Fort Worth called Sunday evening.

Mark Wise, a student in Tarleton College was home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise and Hank last week on Spring vacation; other Sunday visitors were Mrs. Louise Minton and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Minton of Santa Anna and Mrs. E. M. Tisdale of Abida.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Briscoe of Lohn visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Iru Bray.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shelton of Coleman were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mr. George Cobb; Mr. and Mrs. Otis Powers visited Sunday evening after church.

Mrs. Marcus Johnson spent a couple of days in San Angelo last week with her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Pederson who underwent surgery. Jerry Johnson and Micheal of Abilene spent Tuesday night with the Johnsons. Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson visited in Coleman last Thursday with Mrs. Fox Johnson and Bernice. Mr.

Pederson of San Angelo was a Sunday visitor.

Mrs. Lois Haines of Austin spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes, Mrs. Haines is driving a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper of Snyder were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper were bedtime visitors. Sunday dinner guests were Mr and Mrs. Gary Garrison, and Nathan Paul of San Antonio, Mr and Mrs. Lynden Kirsch and Robert of Commerce and Robert L. Estes of McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman, Dorinda and Byron of Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Pete Cooper and Cody of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Marrs, students in ACC in Abilene were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler; Mr. Marrs preached at the Shields Church of Christ.

Dwight Eppler, a student in University of Texas at Arlington was home last week Monday to Wednesday. Mrs. Homer Schulze of Bangs visited in the Eppler home Monday.

Mrs. Carl Buttry visited in San Angelo Monday with Mrs. Tillie Casey and Lana.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pritchard and children of Santa Anna and Eddie Lohn of Brady were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Box. Mike Pritchard and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Robbins and Martin of Odessa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Box and relatives in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Box of San Angelo and Bill Mueller, Stony and Lance of San Antonio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Evan Wise. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson of McKinney were Monday evening visitors.

Mr. and Mr. Olin Horton of Andrews spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward; other Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Steward and Jamie of Coleman and G. T. England of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes visited Sunday afternoon enroute to Fort Worth with Mrs. Matt Estes.

Cash donations made to the Cemetery fund since the 1st of January have been from C. F. Nevans, Miller Box, Bailey Hull, Junior Brusenhan, John McIlvain, Jr., Joe Box, Paul Riddle, Mrs. L. W. Murray, Mrs. Hop Ashmore.

DAVID EUBANKS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. David Eubank of San Antonio visited from Wednesday to Saturday of last week with relatives here. They visited Mrs. Ira Hudler in Coleman and with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Galloway and Miss Pauline Eubank here.

BACK AT HOME

Mrs. Bertha Simmons is back at home after spending the winter with relatives. She visited two months in Big Lake with a daughter, Mrs. Cherry Bryant and family, and in Fort Stockton with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peebles.

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In Our Opinion

By W. T. HAYS

WITH CRIME FORECAST to be on the increase this summer from minority groups because of cutbacks in welfare and other programs it is refreshing to see that there are those in minority groups who oppose it and are doing something about it.

A national organization known as the Black Silent Majority Committee has invited responsible grassroots Black leaders to join in a National Crusade for Law and Order in Black communities. A nationwide patriotic organization working for constructive, rather than destructive approaches to black-white problems, the Black Silent Majority group said recent incidents in several cities strongly indicate a renewed trend toward violence, including a possible conspiracy to kill policemen, that could accelerate into bloody upheavals in urban communities such as the country experienced in 1964, 1967 and 1968.

The group have invited Black leaders to join with them in the anti-crime crusade to the point of paying their expenses when they are accepted. The group was formed in Washington in 1970 to give a stronger national voice to the masses of Black citizens who are concerned about disorder and disagree with the "burn, baby, burn" philosophy, which is so popular with Black revolutionaries.

The aim of the Crusade is to assemble a coalition of lawabiding Blacks, working in localities to demonstrate that the Black community is neither apathetic toward nor tolerant of violent acts performed in the name of "race advancement."

An effective organization such as this could have a tremendous impact and give encouragement to minority groups of all races who do not sanction disorder and violence in trying to gain advantages.

Some of their program include speaking against destructive, radical militancy, urging citizens to report outbreaks of violence and to cooperate with police, firemen and officials attempting to maintain order, organizing local Black citizen's committees, mobilizing youth groups to curb crime and repudiate radical agitation, and publishing and circulating pamphlets nationwide, exposing the harmful activities of "revolutionaries" in Black communities.

The Black as well as the White have a great stake in the future of this country, and if it is to stand, they must learn to work together for its welfare. There are realistic ways of working together and together they may well stem the attempts of militant groups to stir up the trouble that we have seen in the past.

We applaud this group and wish them well.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



A large group attended the AARP meeting Monday at the Santa Anna Lions Club building. We had a good speaker, Logan Cummings of Brownwood, and Jimmy Benton and a singing group from Santa Anna with ten of them who sang. It was enjoyed by all. Also a very nice covered dish dinner was served by the Santa Anna ladies. There were three new members who joined at the meeting.

Those attending from Trickham were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy, Gertrude Martin and Oscar Boenicke.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Lobstein and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Flynn of Bangs visited the Joe Hammonds and Brenda Sunday evening. Also Del Ray Stacy visited Saturday.

Dave Kelling and Judy Hale of Lubbock visited Bill Martin Sunday. They are some of his college friends.

Visitors with the Walter Stacys during the weekend were O. T. Stacy who spent the day Saturday, and their daughter and her husband and son, the Bob Sullivans and Robert of San Angelo who spent a few hours with

them Saturday. Also Del Ray Stacy was here on business and spent Saturday night at his home and had breakfast with them Sunday morning.

The Northside Church of Christ minister and his wife, the W. F. Cawyers of Santa Anna, visited the Oscar Boenicks Thursday. Mrs. Carl Harris, Oscar's sister, spent Friday night with us. She lives in the Mount View community.

Russie James and Lyndall Moore attended a golden wedding anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper at Brady Saturday night and visited Mrs. Myrtle McShan while in Brady.

Russie James and Lyndall Moore visited at the Brownwood Community Hospital with Yette Cole, Buck Mitchell, Carl Sheffield, J. Y. Steward, Willie Wilson. They were all better Sunday evening. Buck and Carl were expected to go home Tuesday. Carl has been in that hospital 21 days last Friday.

Wendell and Sherry Rice and boys of Santa Anna visited his parents, the Delbert Rices, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver spent Friday at Waco with their daughter and family, Gayla and J. W. Sellers, Lori and Allen. Terry and Orabeth McIver and Reece spent Friday night and Saturday at the Grady McIver home. Also

Sherrie McIver and Mrs. Keetie Haynes visited Saturday. The R. C. Smith family of Santa Anna visited them Sunday night.

Michelle and Davy Haynes of Hobbs, N. M. spent last week with their grandparents, the Fred Haynes, Mattie Lineberry and Julia Haynes visited them Saturday evening and G. K. and Sug Sterns visited them Saturday

Clarissa Henderson, daughter of the Donnie Hendersons of Santa Anna, spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandparents, the Hilburn Hendersons. Mr. and Mrs. Talmage McClatchy visited them Sunday evening.

Sherrie McIver was at home over the weekend from Angelo State University. Mr. and Mrs. Rankin McIver, Chris and Sherrie, visited the Terry McIvers near Brady Sunday evening and Sherrie went from there back to San Angelo.

Mr. Oil Martin of Santa Anna visited his daughter and husband, the Jack Dockerys, Sunday and he and Oma Lee visited Ora and Joe Stacy Sunday afternoon.

Monday evening Leona Henderson visited Oma Lee Dockery.

Mrs. Bond Featherston is improving in the Santa Anna Hospital but may be there a few more days. She has been there over a week with pneumonia.

The Quilting Club meets again this Tuesday. We hope more will be there this time as there were not so many last week.

We missed our rain last week. The March winds are drying out the ground, but spring begins Tuesday and everything looks so pretty and green.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted to Ranger Park Hospital March 13-20:

Mrs. Ruby Alred, Brownwood
Wyma Davis, Paint Rock
Mrs. Annie Barrington, Coleman
Mrs. Lillie Knotts, Coleman
Ascencion Fernandez, Winters
Emory Robinson, Brownwood
Calvin Shields, city
Raymond Egbert, Bangs
Mrs. Teresa Swafford, city
Miss Teresa Juanese Swafford, city

Robert Fry, city
Aurora Diaz, Coleman
W. R. West, Bangs

Patients dismissed March 13-20:

Sebastian Pena, Brownwood
Janet Laird, Dallas
Joseph Tims, city
Domingas Pena, Brownwood
Dowd Mason, Coleman
Wallace Collins, city
Viola Warrick, Coleman
Olen Christi, Coleman
Alma Hechanova and baby, city
Major Robert Knowles, Coleman
J. R. Haynes, city
Herman Witte, Coleman
Pablo Diaz, Coleman
Ethel Mathews, Coleman
Adolph Rako, Coleman
Mary Williams, Ranger Park Inn
Carrie Spurlock, city
Oran Haney, Coleman
Wyma Davis, Paint Rock
Raymond Egbert, Bangs (deceased)



LOVE MATCH—Super-comfortable cotton knit takes to the courts in a sleeveless tennis dress with matching shorts. Banded in red and blue, the outfit's teamed with a long-sleeved cardigan in flag-colored window checks. By Hang Ten.

Patients still in the hospital:

Leonard Gipson, city
Abe Henley, Ranger Park Inn
George Seifert, city
Ima Wilson Coleman
Lola Frierson, Coleman
Delia Lopez, Ballinger
Mrs. Bond Featherston, Trickham
Conception Gonzales, Abilene
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Ella Armstrong, city

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Sherry McIver Is Given DKG Scholarship

The Delta Alpha Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met Monday night in the hospitality room of the First Coleman National Bank.

Mrs. Ruth Dodson was leader for the program "The Expressive Dimensions of a Culture." Others assisting were Mrs. Eoise Scott, Mrs. Juanita Blanton, and Mrs. Martha Lewis.

During the business meeting with Mrs. Bobbie McMinn presiding, Sherry McIver, student at Angelo State University, was named recipient of the Jessie Martin Grant-in-Aid scholarship for the second year.

Local members attending were Mmes. Mae Blue, Margaret Crews, Lucille Dean, Ruth Dodson, Maud Evans, Dorothy Harris, Winnie McQueen and Martha Perry.

Sloan Wells, 74, Buried Friday In Cross Plains

Funeral services were held in Cross Plains on Friday for David Sloan Wells, 74, a former Santa Anna resident. Mr. Wells died in Brownwood Community Hospital on Thursday, March 15, after a six-month illness.

Rev. Paul Smith, pastor of the Concho Baptist Church of Coleman, officiated at the services and burial was in the Cross Plains Cemetery.

Mr. Wells was born March 22, 1898 in Monticello, Arkansas. He had lived in Cross Plains for the past 20 years, moving from Santa Anna. He was a retired independent oil operator.

He was a member of the U. S. Cavalry in World War I and a member of the Concho Baptist Church in Coleman. He married Julia E. Hooker December 23, 1923 in El Dorado, Ark.

Survivors are his wife; one son; Rev. David Wells of Mineral Wells; one brother, Guy Wells of Pine Bluff, Ark.; one sister, Jessie Wells of Pine Bluff; and two grandchildren.

INJURED IN MISHAP

Mrs. Cliff Herndon received word Monday that her younger brother, Paul Wilborn, was seriously injured in an explosion at his welding shop in Big Lake. He received burns on his face and injuries to both eyes and ears. A son, Warren, was only slightly injured, but the roof was blown from the shop and windows broken in the explosion.

A report Tuesday listed Mr. Wilborn's condition as improved at St. John's Hospital in San Angelo.

FFA Sweetheart In Contest At Coleman Monday

Santa Anna FFA members will be in Coleman next Monday night, March 26, for the Coleman District FFA meeting and banquet. A highlight of the meeting will be the district FFA sweetheart contest in which Carol Kingsbery will represent the local chapter.

FFA chapters from several of the 12 schools in the district will also have entries in a talent contest.

Bill Riley, chapter advisor, will accompany the local group to the meeting Monday.

Ford Tractors To Be Sold By Area Resident

Rex Mahan Jr. of the Shields community has recently opened an implement dealership in Coleman. He has been a Ford Tractor dealer since 1956 and formerly operated the Mahan Tractor Company in Abilene and San Saba. He sold his Abilene business in 1972.

The Mahans purchased the Otis Bivins place at Shields in 1969. In 1971 he purchased the old Birdwell Drilling Company property in the south edge of Coleman and earlier this year purchased the Ford Tractor dealership from B. B. Nunley.

Mrs. Mahan (Betty) is serving as bookkeeper with the business and other employees are Roy Gardner, parts manager and shop foreman, Jay Lee Rankin and Danny Williams, mechanics, and Gary Williams, salesman.

The Mahans' children, Randy and D'Aun Long, are students in the Santa Anna schools.

Two Santa Anna Snake Hunters Given Awards

Two Santa Anna men took awards in the Coleman County Rattlesnake Roundup last weekend. Bill Day and J. S. Martin has second and third places in the most pounds category with 166 and 154 pounds of rattlesnakes, respectively.

Lewis Haas, a Mozelle High School student, took first place with a total of 247 pounds.

The largest rattler was brought in by Dewayne Saverance of Novice and measured 64 inches. The show's smallest snake was entered by Jim Tarpley of Midland and measured 14 inches.

Over 1500 rattlesnakes were captured and exhibited at the show last weekend.

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NEWS FROM

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Carrie Spurlock is a new guest at the Inn.

Mrs. Gary Hosch and Shannon of Abilene visited recently with her grandmother, Mrs. J. J. Horner.

Mrs. Watter Aldridge visited with her mother, Mrs. Dora Vanderful. Mrs. Rip Mayo of Coleman, another daughter, also visited her.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Griffith visited with Jess Griffith.

To see Mrs. Mary Taylor was Mrs. C. M. Williams.

Carl and Minnie Green visited at the Inn.

Mrs. Eula Childress visited with Mrs. Irene Triplett.

Jeanette Winstead and children were visitors of her mother, Mrs. Jim Lovelady.

George Stewardson visited friends at the Inn during the last week.

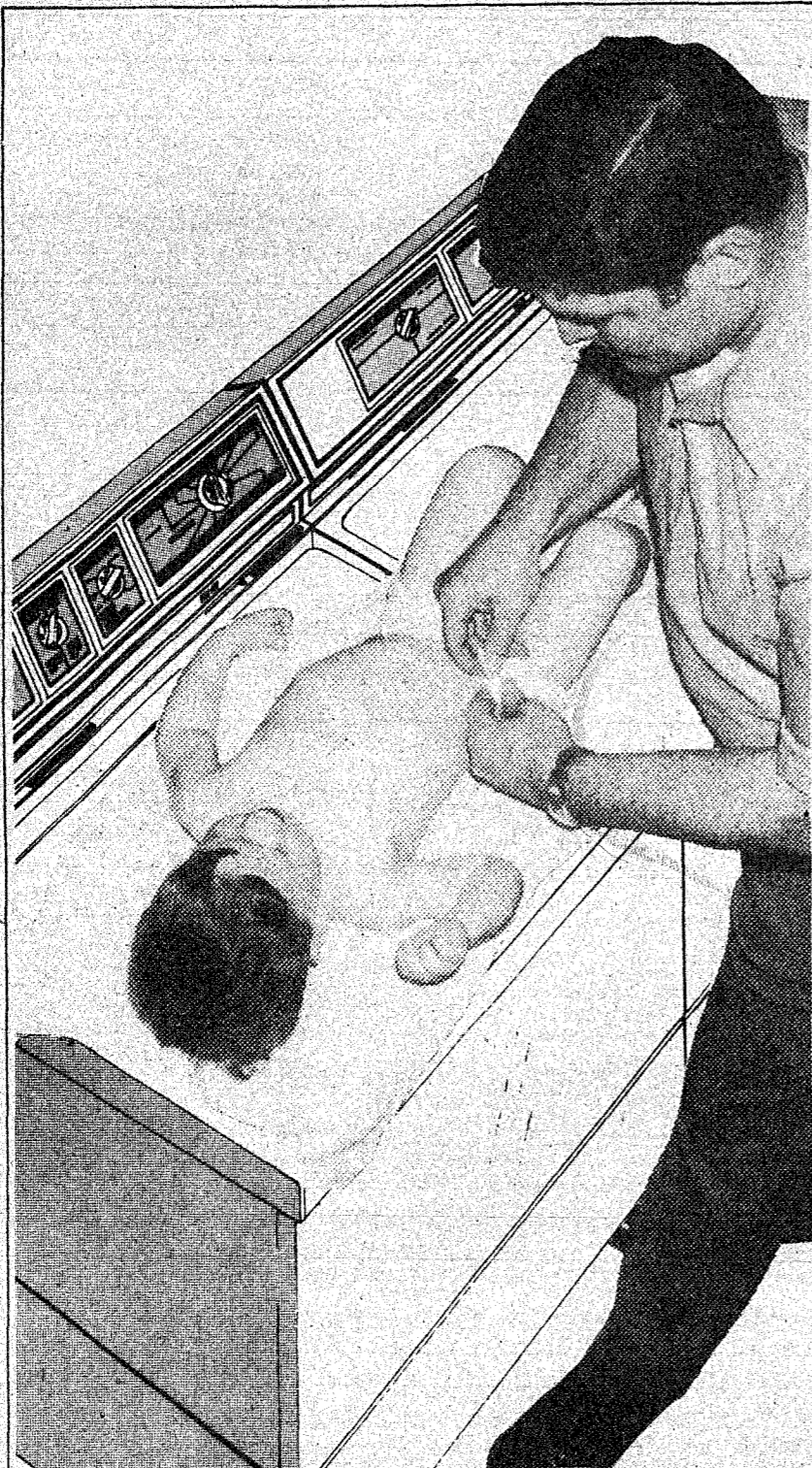
Mrs. J. C. Rider and Mrs. Claud Byrd visited with Mrs. Maud Burney.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wagner of Hobbs, New Mexico visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Wanger.

Misses E. Lee and Ruby Haprer and Mrs. Ora Hunter visited last week with their sister, Miss Florence Harper.

Mrs. Cliff Herndon visited on Saturday afternoon with the Bunk Wagners.

Other recent visits with the Wagners were Mrs. Linnie Bartlett, Frances and Michelle, Mrs. Faye Mobley and Margaret Ann Mobley.



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Mrs. Alma McNutt visited at the Inn with her sister, Mrs. J. J. Horner.

Jeanette Miller of Hobbs New Mexico visited Dr. Ophelia Weseley.

Lucinda Rodriguez of Amarillo visited recently at the Inn. Also Maria Ramirez of Reedly, Calif.

Visiting Mr. A. E. Switzer have been two of his daughters, Mrs. J. D. Kline and Mrs. Walter Yancy and daughter.

The Rev. Bill Weeks, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church, led devotions and visited with friends.

Mrs. M. T. Corneluis visited with Mrs. Jim Lovelady.

Mary Cummings of Pueblo, Colorado, and Grace C. Burney were visitors, of Mrs. Maud Burney.

Visiting Mrs. J. J. Horner have been Vera Byran, Emmett and Vada Smith of Lovington, N. M., Dennie and Nadine Smith of Hobbs, New Mexico.

Ruby Wenzel visited her mother, Mrs. Esther Davis, and Mrs. Stella Sandford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Watson of Irving visited Mrs. Dora Vanderford. Also Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Watson visited.

Visiting Mrs. Ruby Dean were Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Haynes of Kermit.

Lorene and Wayne Bennett of Abilene visited at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Estes of Clyde were visiting Mrs. Mary Taylor, her mother, last week.

Mrs. Verna Newman visited Mrs. Beluah Tierney, the B. Wagners, and Miss Ada Ferguson.

Mrs. John Carner visited Mary Hoffman.

Alma and Janet Laird of Dallas visited at the Inn.

Mrs. J. C. Matthews visited a number of friends at the Inn last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garey Horner visited Garey's grandmother, Mrs. J. J. Horner.

Visiting friends last week were Edna Henderson and Mamie Lancaster.

Mrs. Jim Byrd visited at the Inn.

Cancer Crusade To Be Planned

The Coleman County Unit of American Cancer Society will meet on Thursday night (tonight) at the High Rise clubroom in Coleman to complete plans for the 1973 Cancer Crusade drive.

Workers who will be assisting with the drive have a special invitation to be present and others are welcome to attend beginning at 7:30 p.m.

A film will be shown at the meeting tonight by Jim Kramer, field representative from San Angelo. Campaign supplies and materials will be distributed to workers.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Childers of Coleman are chairmen of the county crusade and Emzy Brown is chairman of the Santa Anna drive.

Workers who have been asked to help with the Santa Anna drive include Mmes. Chester Galloway, R. C. Smith, Jerome Shield, Mary Morrow, A. F. Early, W. V. Priddy, Robert Smith, R. W. Balke, Vernon Herring, Homer Vinson, C. D. Bruce, Preston Bailey, B. A. Parker and Charles Evans.

Others are Bob Burton, Jake McCreary, Don Gaines, Glen Copeland, G. A. Morgan, Ed Hartman, Norman Walters, Dr. Phil Cabansag, Rev. Louis Shambeck and Rev. Bill Weeks.

Others are Pierre Rowe, Jim Daniel, Rev. W. F. Cawyer, Julian Kelley, Louise Purdy, and Mmes. Glen Pope Jim Burchfield, J. C. Mathews, Buddy Bengel, Gladys Day, Jess Howard, Rex Turney, C. T. Moore, James Ford, Clark Miller, W. B. Lowry and Gale Allen.

FORMER RESIDENT VISITS

Mrs. Marion Gardner and two young sons from Tullia visited during the weekend in Santa Anna with relatives and friends. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Gardner will be remembered here as the former Patricia Davis.

B'Wood Pastor Guest Speaker At AARP Meet

The Santa Anna -Bangs chapter of American Association of Retired Persons met Monday, March 19, at the Lions Club building. Those attending enjoyed a covered dish dinner preceding the meeting.

The youth singing group from the First Baptist Church, "All God's Children," presented several musical selections. In the group were Lucinda and Robin Smith, Debbie and Sandra Harris, Tony Allen, Belinda Aldridge, David Horner, Richey Jones, Larry and Jimmy Benton. Also accompanying the group were Mrs. Elgean Harris and David Huggins.

Vernon Parnell, vice-president, was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. P. B. Snook reported on the telephone contact committee plans, and April 11 was set as a fix-up and clean-up day in Santa Anna and for an AARP boatification project.

Mrs. Faye Whitley of Bangs extended an invitation to the group for the next meeting which will be held at the Bangs United Methodist Church on April 16. The group was also invited to a game party and social in Bangs on Friday night, March 23.

Three new members were welcomed into the chapter, making a total of 111 members. The new members on the roll are Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy and Miss Alma McNutt.

Dr. Logan Cummings, pastor of the Brownwood First Baptist Church, talked to the group on the opportunities for service for senior citizens and retired people. He recommended reading the book "Future Shock" by Alvin Toffler.

Sammy Johnsons Have Baby Son Born March 15

Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Johnson of Weatherford are parents of a baby son, Jayson Duane, who was born March 15 in Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. The baby weighed seven pounds, four ounces at birth.

Grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Johnson of Kake Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cullins of Brownwood, formerly of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are the parents of a daughter, Lori, aged five. Mrs. Johnson will be remembered here as the former Velda Cullins.

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Program Given On Education At Self Culture

The Self Culture Club met Wednesday, March 14, at the clubroom of the City Library building. Mrs. J. W. Haynes was hostess for the meeting and served refreshments of coffee, punch and cookies as guests arrived.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce, president, led the business meeting. Mrs. Melvin Lamb read minutes of the previous meeting which were approved.

New officers elected for the next two years include the following: Mrs. Norman Walters, president; Mrs. J. C. Mathews, vice-president; Mrs. Lamb, secretary; Mrs. Preston Bailey, treasurer; Mrs. John Womack, timekeeper; and Mrs. Hardy Blue, parliamentarian.

Announcement was made of the Heart O' Texas District convention to be held in Brady April 6 and 7. Several members of the local club will attend.

Fifth and sixth grade entries in the UIL oral reading contest were on the program. They were Dollie DeLeon, Joy Smith, Robert Batron and Tommy Harris. The students were accompanied by Mrs. J. A. Harris, fifth grade teacher.

Mrs. Norval Wylie presented program topic "When Does Education Stop?" and read excerpts from an article written by the late J. C. Scarborough, superintendent of the Santa Anna schools. Mrs. Walters read from the book "The Art of Living."

Mrs. Tom Stewardson and Mrs. Jerome Shield were voted into membership of the club.

Others present for the meeting were Mmes. Bert Turney, H. D. Speck, Opal Stockard, J. F. Goen, Tom Kingsbery, W. F. Cawyer and W. B. Sparkman.

The next meeting of the club will be on Wednesday, April 11, with Mrs. Stockward as hostess. Program topic for the meeting will be Texas.

Recipes Needed For S.A. Cookbook

The Santa Anna Band Booster Club is requesting more recipes for the cook book which the group will have published soon. It has been decided that the book needs additional recipes for meats, casseroles, vegetables and snacks and dips. The collection contains all the desert recipes needed.

Anyone with an old family recipe or a favorite is urged to help with the project by submitting the recipe to Mrs. Robert Smith or Mrs. Max Eubank.

All recipes are requested by April 1 so that publication can be done in a few months.

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'Scooter' Tucker Born March 16 In Fort Worth

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Tucker of Fort Worth are the parents of a baby boy who was born Friday, March 16, in Fort Worth. The baby has been named Archie Doyle Eugene Tucker and weighed eight pounds, nine ounces at birth. The baby has already been nicknamed "Scooter" by his parents and older sister, Jeannie. Aged four.

Grandparents of the baby are Archie Tucker and Mrs. Blackie Brock of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle McAfee of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock were in Fort Worth last weekend to see their new baby and his family, and Jeannie returned to Santa Anna to spend a week with them and the Archie Tuckers.

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Pollock Twins Now In Greece

Leta and Clea Pollock, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pollock, have arrived in Greece after a two-month voyage from Houston. The two young women are in Salmis, Greece where they have an apartment and will soon start sightseeing and traveling.

The trip included 16 days in Castanza, Romania, where they felt uncomfortable under the watchful eyes of the Communist military.

The Greek freighter Livorno on which the girls traveled picked up a load of Turkish tobacco for the return trip to North Carolina.

The five-room apartment rented by the girls is considered high price at \$53 a month, but has the luxury of hot water. The city of Salmis is located on an island east of Piraeus and Athens. Transportation is cheap in Greece and the young women plan to do extensive traveling and sightseeing while in Europe.

Bill Brewers To Be Honored Sunday Noon

Members of the First Baptist Church and their families and other friends in the community are invited to attend a covered dish dinner next Sunday, March 25, in honor of Rev. Bill Brewer and family.

The event is being planned in honor of the family as they leave Santa Anna after over six years as pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Friends of all demonations are invited to be present at 12 noon next Sunday, the Brewers last Sunday with the local church.

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Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Brown, Miss Virgie Brown, Mrs. Ed Schrader and Mrs. John Brown were in Stamford last Sunday to attend a celebration for a sister, Mrs. Addie Childress, on her 81st birthday.

Joining the family for the get-together were the honoree's two sons and their families and other relatives from the Stamford area.

Eastern Star Meeting Held Monday Night

Mrs. Montie Guthrie, worthy matron and H. A. Burden, associate worthy patron, led the Monday night meeting of the Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter.

Decorations of greenery were used throughout the hall with the emblem of praying hands. Friendship is the theme of the year as selected by Mrs. Guthrie.

Mrs. Roy West and Mrs. H. A. Burden gave reports from their committee.

Following the business meeting the group assembled in the fellowship hall for refreshments served by Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie.

The next meeting of the group will be April 23 when officers for the coming year will be elected.

XYZ Luncheon Slated Tuesday

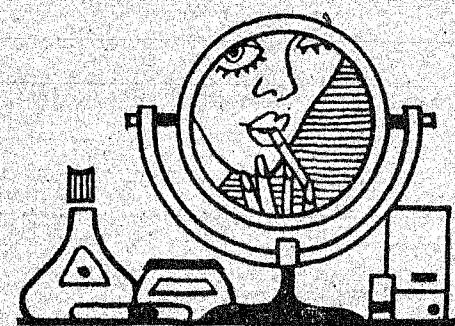
The XYZ Club for senior citizens will meet next Tuesday, March 27, for a covered dish dinner and meeting. The group will meet at the Mountain City Center and everyone is invited to be present.

The meal will be served at 12 noon followed by games and conversation.

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Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



Mrs. Steve Valdez Jr. lost her baby's diaper bag enroute to Brownwood Friday afternoon on the Trickham route. Should you have found the diaper bag she would really appreciate having it returned.

Don't forget the annual picnic meeting at Whon Friday night, March 23. This is the meeting where the men make necessary plans for the Whon Picnic which is this year on April 7. We are trusting for a beautiful day and hope to see you around.

Mr. Floyd Morris attended the rattlesnake show in Coleman Saturday and Sunday and he was also instrumental in helping catch snakes for the show. Floyd helped capture 93 pounds of snakes.

Very often I have someone ask me the question when they learn I live at Whon and don't know me so well, "Has anyone ever heard from Mr. Joe Lovelady who very mysteriously disappeared from the Whon Community?". Can you hardly feature it has been 11 years Monday, March 20, since his disappearance. To my

knowledge no one has heard anything.

Mr. Wimpy Watson of Lubbock came to his farm Sunday afternoon. He visited the Tom Rutherfords Sunday night and returned to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. Jacky Bullion of Lampasas spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick and her brothers, Don and Neil. The little daughter, Michelle, accompanied her mother home Saturday following a week here with her grandparents.

Mr. Leon Carter visited in the Floyd Morris home Monday night awhile.

Mr. Graham Fitzpatrick's sister, Mrs. Bruce Holoman, has had major surgery in a Garland hospital. They have visited with her briefly by telephone several times and she has been awfully ill. But last reports she was feeling better.

Mrs. Barbara Morgan and girls of Santa Anna visited in the Floyd Morris home Sunday afternoon.

Don't forget the picnic meeting Friday night, March 23, at Whon.

Mr. Douglas Avants of Brady visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris were guests Wednesday night with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Lee Morris and girls in Uvalde County.

We had a nice telephone visit with our son, Thomas Ray, and family who live in Concord, New Hampshire on Sunday. We could

hear so good -- almost like sitting face to face and talking. They were fine, and they had snow on the ground, but so far this has been a mild winter for that part of the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Easterland and Barbara from Arlington were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris. The Easterlands were enroute home following spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Lee Morris and girls in Uvalde County.

Don and Neil Fitzpatrick, who were home last week for spring vacation, returned to Tarleton State College Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shields are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Sunday, March 18, at 2:30 a. m. in the Brownwood Community Hospital. The little guy has been named Jimmy Leon. He has two brothers and a sister, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shields of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Keeney of Snyder.

Mrs. Stewart, formally of Houston, spent the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Valdez Jr. and boys.

Coleman Co. 4-H To Participate In Clean-Up

Lake Coleman Community, competing for state awards in the Texas Community Improvement Program, will host a backyard barbeque for Coleman County 4-h'ers on Saturday March 24, at Lake Coleman.

Residents of the lake community have planned to include the 4-Hers in a clean-up campaign to beautify the road from Coleman to Lake Coleman. Seven trucks from Lake Coleman will be at the County Courthouse at 2:00 p. m. on Saturday to pick up the 4-H'ers, and they'll travel down Highway 283, with each team of 4-H'ers responsible for only one-half mile stretch at a time.

All 4-H'ers are urged to participate.

HERE FROM DALLAS

Mrs. John Sawyer of Dallas, the former Frankie Adams, spent several days here with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Kitty Adams. On Thursday the two ladies were accompanied by Mrs. J. W. McClellan on a trip to Comanche where Mrs. Sawyer visited friends and at the former family home. She returned to Dallas Tuesday.

TURKEY FARM OPENED HERE BY BROWNWOOD COUPLE

The poultry population of Santa Anna took a considerable jump last week as 28,000 baby turkeys were brought to their new home at the Isenhower Turkey Farm in the south edge of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Isenhower of Brownwood are starting their poultry venture on property purchased from W. B. Griffin and the C. L. Eeds estate.

The first shipment of the tiny turkeys arrived on Wednesday, March 14, and the remainder arrived the following Saturday. Another 15,000 are expected in a few days.

The Cisco natives have been in the turkey business before but on a less extensive basis. Mr. Isenhower has also worked in the turkey industry with Swift & Co. with whom he was formerly employed.

Two large buildings at the Griffin Turkey Farm were remodeled and equipped for the new arrivals. About 400 poults are placed in each of the gas-heated brooders for the first two weeks, then large groups be moved to wire pens within the building. The temperature is a constant 90 degrees.

After the turkeys reach ten weeks of age they will be put on open range at the Eeds place. They will reach market size in about a five-month period. The hens require a few weeks longer to reach market size.

Petite Mrs. Isenhower is helping with the new venture as are their four children, Mike, a sophomore at A&M University, Dan and Brad, Brownwood High School students, and Carla, a junior high student. Also employed full-time at the farm are Salvador and Armando Garcia who with their families live in

Men Represent Presbyterians At Area Meet

Rev. Bill Weeks, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church, Norman Walters and Julian Kelley will be in Stamford Saturday to attend a meeting area churches in the Presbytery.

The discussion meeting will be on stewardship and Rev. Weeks will be on the program.

An optimist puts his shoes on when a speaker says, "Now, in conclusion..."

mobile homes at the turkey farm.

Employees of Swift and Co. have helped "put in" the poults and John Loyd is working part-time for the Isenhowers. Bill Griffin has served as unofficial advisor for the couple, and expressed appreciation at having assistance from an expert in the industry.

Although there have been a number of problems as the business started, they have had an extremely low mortality rate in the turkeys. They claim good sanitation and care and constant attention have prevented the usual problems. For the first several days the turkeys are watched day and night.

A new shipment of poults is expected every 12 weeks which will give two weeks to completely clean the barns and get ready for the new arrivals. As many as 100,000 turkeys are expected to be on hand when the operation reaches its capacity.

Band To B'Wood UIL Contests Next Saturday

The Santa Anna Mountaineer Band will be in Brownwood Saturday for the annual University Interscholastic League concert playing and sight reading contests. The local musicians will perform at 2:15 p. m. at Brownwood High School auditorium in competition with other class A bands.

The Santa Anna group has approximately 60 members this year with about half being seventh and eighth grade students.

Several out-of town directors have assisted the local band during the past week as they prepared their contest music.

Those who have worked with the band included Richard Haddock of Goldthwaite, Dr. Douglas Fry of Robert Lee, Dr. Curtis Owen, chairman of the Tarleton State College music department, James King of King Music Co. in Brownwood, and Billy King of King Music Company in San Angelo.

Steve Nickel is Santa Anna band director.

Members of the senior band have voted to use the money they have made this year to help remodel the band hall. Band members usually take a trip at the end of school with funds from magazine sales, candy sales and other fund raising projects but have chosen to use the money more constructively this year.

NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker and Jody of Albuquerque, New Mexico spent several days in Santa Anna with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Joe Baker. They arrived Friday and returned home Monday.

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Expense paid trips to the nation's capitol city will be awarded winners of a Rural Electric Quiz to be conducted by the Coleman County Electric Cooperative later this month.

This contest is open to any boy or girl at least 16 years of age but not 18 years of age prior to September 1, 1973. Winners will join other contest winners from all over the state in the annual Texas Electric Cooperatives Government in Action Youth Tour to Washington, D. C. All expenses of the 12 day trip in early June, will be paid by the Coleman County Electric Cooperative.

Each entrant will be required to take a quiz on Rural Electrification made up of questions on local, state, and national Cooperative information.

Interested young people may obtain an official entry blank from their school office, or at the Coleman County Electric Cooperative.

Deadline for submitting entries will be March 31, 1973.

As participants in the Texas Electric Cooperatives Youth Tour, local contest winners will travel by chartered bus to Washington, D. C., where they will spend four days visiting places of historical interest and seeing the nation's government in action.

The Texas group will meet more than 1,000 students from other states for a program sponsored by the National Rural Electrification Association and the Rural Electrification Administration. The program will feature presentation by officials of these organizations and other Washington personalities and possibly the Presidential staff.

The eventful day will end with a chartered cruise down the Potomac River which will include entertainment and refreshments.

Also included on the 12 day agenda will be visits to many historical sites.

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Brownwood Cattle Auction

DATE: March 14, 1973

MARKET: Buyer attendance good. Slaughter and stocker bulls steady. Slaughter cows steady to \$2.00 higher. Stocker and feeder calves and yearlings fully \$2.00 higher. Cows and calves steady. No choice pairs offered. Stocker cows fully steady Market very active.

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS: 1064

Stocker Steer Calves wts 250-425	60.00-94.50
Stocker Heifer Calves wts 250-425	65.00-73.00
Steer Yearlings wts 500-700	56.00-65.00
Bull Yearlings	46.50-57.00
Heifer Yearlings	49.50-56.00
Plain Feeder Steers	48.50-58.50
Plain Feeder Heifers	42-52.50
Cows & Calves - pr.	
Good	365.00-550.00
Plain	300.00-440.00
Stocker Cows	34-48 per lb.
	270.00-350.00 per hd.
Slaughter Cattle	
Fat calves	44.00-48.50
Fat cows	37.00-38.50
Utility & cutter cows	34.50-38
Canners	27.50-35.00
Shells	27.00 downward
Stocker bulls	36.50-47.50
Slaughter bulls	35.90-40.25

REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Leroy Livingston, Rising Star 825 lb. Blk. Hfr. at 395.00; Jackie Peterson, Mercury, 225 lb. Wf. Str. at 94.00; B. A. Jones, Moran, 1170 lb. Yel. Cow at 38.75; H. N. Tipton, Bwd., 305 lb. Blk. Wf. Str. at 91.00 also 235 lb. Blk. Wf. Str. at 96.00; Jerry Pierce, Bwd. 7 Blk. Wf. Hfr. Avg. wt at 396 lb. at 60.25; Fannie Plowman Cross Plains, 915 lb. Blk. Wf. Pair at 510.00; M. H. Vestal, Odessa, 280 lb. Blk. Wf. Str. at 93.00; W. O. Mc-Innis, May, 265 lb. Wf. Str. at 91.00; Williford Schuster, Comanche, 315 lb. Wf. Str. at 93.00; Jim Tongate, Bwd. 1120 lb. Wf. Cow at 38.80; Dallas Miller Brady, 640 lb. Wf. Hfr. at 46.00; A. D. Newton, Hamilton, 1320 lb. Blk. Wf. Str. at 57.75.



"Inflation is when you look at the nest egg and it is chicken feed." (Anonymous)

Wanted, Old, YOUR BEST MARKET

For Sale

FOR SALE
1971 Pontiac Grandville. One owner, 21,000 actual miles. Power and air. Green with dark green vinyl top, all vinyl upholstery. See at Shirley's Upholstery, 1504 N. Nueches, Coleman, Texas.
10-4tc

NEW & USED TRUCKS—TRAILERS—36 New I. H. Scouts, Travelalls, 1/2 & 3/4 ton pickups, 1, 2, 2 1/2 & Heavy Duty Diesel Trucks, 4 Bobtail Vans, 4 steep Vans, Fuel Truck, Cable Dump 68 Travelall, 67-71 1/2 ton I. H., 2 LWB 2 1/2 ton Ford Diesel trucks, V. W. Car & Truck, 68 Opel Kadet Station Wagon, 70 Lincoln Cont, 72 1310 I.H. 1 ton, 4 single axle Diesels, 16 Tandem Diesels, Several other gas & Diesel Trucks, 2 30 ton Heavy Duty Winch Trucks with 50,000 lb bogies Autocar & 68 F230D Int. Used 26-28-34-36 40 ft trailers. New 40 ft Fontaine Floats & Loboy. Large stock of new & used truck parts of all kinds. Johnston Truck & Supply, 817-725-2181, Cross Plains, Tex.
10-3tc

FOR SALE—Rubber Stamps ink pads staples and other office supplies. NEWS Office.

FOR SALE: Napko Paints, inside and outside latex and enamels to match. Will mix any colors desired. Winsteads Paint & Paper Store, 107 East Pecan, Coleman, Texas.
51-tfc

FOR SALE: Used TVs Refrigerators, Stoves, Washers and Freezers. BUY ON TERMS TOSUIT YOU. Geo. D. Rhone Co., Coleman, Texas.
31-tfc

FOR SALE: Three bedroom house at 303 South Houston St. Contact owner Dan Tindol, phone 646-5140, Brownwood or contact Ford Barnes.
4-tfc

A Want Ad Will Sell It!

Two Martians landed on earth. They walked into a hardware store and purchased a can of lye, some steel wool, a gallon of carbon tetrachloride, and a dozen crowbars.

"Will that be all?" asked the clerk.
"Yes," they answered. "We're just picking up a few treats for the kids back home."

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34-tfc

HOUSE FOR SALE: 3 bedroom home, furnished or unfurnished, 1704 Ave. B. Contact John W. Taylor. Phone 348-3637 after 5 p.m.
5-tfc

FOR SALE: 5 piece Dinette only \$48.80, 5 piece living room suite only \$174.40. Good selection of Recliners. Bargain House, 715 Concho in Coleman.
2-tfc

FOR SALE—Typewriter, adding machine and calculator ribbons. Complete selection for all kinds of machines. NEWS Office.

3 wheel ex post office scooters. You fixum \$195. We fixum & safety inspection sticker & in good running condition \$225. New paint extra. Johnston Truck & Supply, Cross Plains, Texas 725-2181.
10-3tc

Legal Notice

Be it ordered by the Board of Education of the Santa Anna Independent School District that an election be held in said School District on April 7, 1973, for the purpose of electing to the Board of Trustees two members. The election shall be held at the Lions Club Building in Santa Anna, Santa Anna, Texas. Voting polls will open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 7:00 p.m. Cullen Perry, superintendent, Santa Anna Independent School District.
12-tfc

Miscellaneous

Puppies to give away. Six weeks old, and really playful. Call 348-3318 or come by 1305 Wallis Ave.
12-2tp

LOST—Sears transistor radio in brown leather case. Reward offered. Call 348-3651.
12-2tc

Baby Sitting: Day or night, Hot meals. 348-3584.
11-2tp

COTTON SEED: Certified Northern Star 105; Pedigree grown Lankard 57. May Agri-Business, 101 San Saba, Coleman, Texas.
11-tfc

Plumbing, Electrical and Carpentry. All kinds of repair: You break it, we fix it. John Loyd, Phone 348-3798.
11-5tp

JANITORIAL SERVICE—Office cleaning, floors and window service. Call 348-3197. Simmons Janitorial Service, Santa Anna, Texas.
9-tfc

Warnock's Machine Shop—for welding and general machine shop work. Second and North Santa Fe. Santa Anna, Texas.
2-tfc

Now is the time to put Di-Syston on pecan trees to prevent honey dew. All types of tomato, pepper and bedding plants—all still 10 cents each. Bulk garden seed. Mett's Garden Center, 410 Commercial Ave., Coleman, Texas.
11-2tc

Card of Thanks

Our sincerest thanks for the numerous ways our friends helped us during our recent loss. The kindness and genuine neighborliness meant so much to us.

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District Tennis Meet March 28

Santa Anna tennis entries will be in Brownwood next Wednesday, March 28, for the district tennis tournament.

Floyd Marshall, team sponsor, has listed the following entries in the meet:

Senior boys doubles: Rocky Dean and David Horner; Tony Beal and Randy Long

Senior boys singles: Terry Loyd

Senior girls doubles: Suzan Mills and Bobbie Strickland

Senior girls singles: Jana Eubank

Junior boys doubles: David Robinett and Jody Day

Junior boys singles: Larry Benton

Junior girls doubles: Belinda Aldridge and Sandra Harris

The senior entries had a practice meet with the tennis team from Cross Plains on Monday. The senior boys doubles team of Dean and Horner won their match and Bobbie Strickland won in a girls singles match. All other entries were defeated by the Cross Plains entries.

Humpty Dumpty sat on a wall. Humpty Dumpty had a great fall. His winter business wasn't bad, either



ELDER CHARLES DART
SDA State Head

ATTEND STOCK SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kingsbery were in Eastland Saturday to attend the Eastland County Junior Livestock Show. Their granddaughter, Shelly Gray of Rising Star, was an exhibitor in the show and won first place with her Hereford heifer in its class. Shelly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray, of Rising Star and Member of the 4-H Club.

BURNET VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Banister of Burnet arrived Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bruce. They were all supper guests of the Tom Kingsbery family on Monday.

State Leader To Be Present At SDA Events

Next Sunday, March 25th, from 2:00 to 4:00 in the afternoon, the community Service Center on Fae Street will officially open its doors to the public, according to Mr. D. W. Danielson, chairman.

The Disaster Van, owned and operated by the Texas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, will be on the grounds and opened for inspection-- provided it is not working in troubled area.

The Santa Anna Mayor, Thomas Wriston, Jr., will address the audience. Also Elder G. Charles Dart, President of the Texas Conference of Seventh-day Adventist, will speak. Mr. Fred Murray, well known in the Santa Anna area, plans to be present.

The Community Service Center is stocked with good used clothing which has been donated by people in Santa Anna and Coleman. Anyone in need, regardless of race, church affiliation or whatever, will be given help in the way of clothing.

Everyone is invited to see the new Service Center. Its doors will be open from 2:00 to 4:00 every Wednesday afternoon to distribute clothing.

County Agent's Column

Over forty Coleman County 4-H youth and parents attended the 4-H Horse Clinic at San Angelo Saturday, March 17. It is getting to be horse riding time and the interest in running high.

The following people from Coleman county attended the Clinic. Jody and Leslie Barr, Ann and Jim Hargett, Charlie and Jamie Hemphill, Camille Craddock, Tresa Johnson, Janet Wilkerson, Peggy, Randy, and Rose Burdick, Mrs. Loyd Hopper and Jackie, Mrs. Lewis Burns and boys, Suzanne Jamison, Berva and Babette Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford, Rocky and Dena; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Blackmon, Cara and Janis; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McClure, Travis and Dee; Bill Sneed and Shelia, Sue Ellen n Sharon; Hazel Rusty, and Kay Ryan; Leann and Janie Gassiot, Melissa Kirby; Randy McKee, Mak Hambright, Freddie Burton, Rusty Rhone, Mike Edington, Eric Straaten, and Ruth, Max, and Cathy Row.

Any youngster desiring to be in the 4-H Horse Club that is not on the roll should come by the office and register.

Today's hogwash: "When an evangelist stated that there are

ASCS NEWS

The sign-up program for cotton, wheat and feed grains ended last Friday March 16. Coleman producers signed eight hundred thirty farms under these programs for 1973. This compares with eight hundred sixty-three signed last year.

Quite a bit more cotton is being transferred this year than last year. This transfer program continues through April 2 of this year. There are 41 farms on which the cotton has not been signed under the program, neither has this cotton been released to the County Committee or leased or transferred to another farms.

Producers failing to plan and report, release to the County Committee, or transfer will lose twenty percent of their allotment and a third of their cotton yield.

Operators of farms in this category will receive a letter in regards to handling of their cotton and allotment.

We will be making a special effort in a few days to receive certification on wheat and barley. These include farms which are substituting wheat and-or barley for milo. These crops must be certified on or before May 1.

726 kinds of sins, he was besieged with requests for lists form folks who were afraid they'd missed something."

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Steaks For Chicken Fry **50¢**

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Gooch's
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5-lb. Bag
Grapefruit **59c**

Texas 5-lb. Bag
Oranges **49c**

Golden Ripe
Bananas **lb. 9c**

Large
Lettuce **Head 19c**

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Cantaloupe **lb. 19c**

Fresh
Tomatoes **lb. 25c**

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