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Mountain Echoes



By
Barbara
Kingsbery

It finally rained. The town of Santa Anna had an official 2.25 inches Wednesday night and Thursday, and areas surrounding town had up to 3.5. The welcome rain followed several days of high winds and blowing dust.

Several friends insist I must apologize to Ray Owen for not submitting any rain reports. Early Monday morning he reported the Thursday rain, thus ending a several-week dry spell. We should also acknowledge the local rain dancers who might have been influential in bringing the nice moisture.

The SAHS football team started the season with a victory Friday night over the Richland Springs team. The first home game of the season will be played Friday night at 8 p.m. with the team from Wall.

All local football fans are urged to attend the game and also to attend the afternoon pep rally. Our fine athletic team and coaches deserve our support.

The annual Santa Anna Ex-Student Homecoming is set for Friday and Saturday, October 26 and 27. Everything is well in hand with preparations almost complete.

An executive board meeting is slated this week to make final arrangements for the big homecoming, and all you former students out there are urged to attend. As we've said before, the success of the homecoming is measured by the number of former students attending.

PTO Will Meet September 20 For First Time

The Santa Anna Parent Teacher Organization has slated the first meeting of the school year for Thursday week, September 20, at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held at the elementary school cafeteria.

Supt. Cullen Perry will be speaker for the meeting to tell of the new complementary Education program which is starting in the local school this year. Mrs. Donald Strickland, president, will lead the business meeting. Mrs. Lloyd Halmon is vice-president.

Parents of all school children and all teachers are urged to be present for the first meeting and to become members of the organization.

The local PTO will meet regularly on the third Thursday night of each month.

Prices Upped For Football This Season

The District 10-A UIL Executive Committee voted last week to increase admission prices to district football games to \$1.75 for adults and 75 cents for students. Prices last year were \$1.50 and 50 cents.

Supt. Cullen Perry, chairman of the six-school organization, presided at the meeting. Rules and regulations concerning football and basketball were discussed and adopted. This included regulations on forfeiting games, officials, complimentary tickets, and other routine decisions.

The district basketball schedule was also approved and awards discussed.

Attending the meeting at Early were superintendents, coaches and principals from Santa Anna, Ranger, DeLeon, Cross Plains, Bangs and Early.

Immunizations Will Be Given Friday, Sept. 14

All children in the Santa Anna area may receive free immunizations on Friday, September 14, at the Day Care Center. The free immunizations have been given several times, and those not yet included are urged to take advantage of the free service.

A registered nurse will be on hand from 4 to 6 p.m. to give the immunizations.

Wrought Iron Trim Added To Local Church Building

The Santa Anna Assembly of God Church has an attractive new decoration added recently. A lighted cross and name were installed last week by the pastor, James Ford.

The script lettering with the church's name was designed by Slim McCrary, a Coleman sign painter. Ford, an expert welder and craftsman, made the lettering and the cross from metal which was then painted flat black.

The building was once used by

SA Drops R-Springs 26-6



SAM'S SPIRIT BOOSTERS...Santa Anna High School cheerleaders for the 1973 football season are pictured here among their megaphones and pom poms. Bottom row, left to right are Leslie McCreary, Serena Bryan, head cheerleader, and Nancy Perkins. Top row are Becky Allen, Sharon McCreary and Laurie Shambeck.

JHS GRIDDERS PLAY BLANKET NEXT TUESDAY

The Santa Anna Junior High football team will travel to Blanket next Tuesday night, September 18, for a game with the Blaket JHS team. Game time will be 7:30 p.m.

Coach Dwight Hudson has 18 boys from the seventh and eighth grades on the team this year.

Their season opener was Tuesday night at Cross Plains. A report of that game will be in the next issue of the NEWS.



W.A. ROWE
Named V-P of Kraft Foods

S-Anna Native Named V-Prexy Of Kraft Foods

Wendell (Nick) Rowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Rowe of Santa Anna, has been named Vice President and Director of Sales Operations of Kraft Foods, according to an announcement from C.R. LeMaster, Senior Vice President of the company.

Rowe, a graduate of Santa Anna High School, started in Kraft's Southern Division sales office in distribution assignment in 1946. He was appointed distribution manager of the Western Division in 1952, and Eastern Division Distribution manager in 1960.

The Santa Anna native joined Kraft National Headquarters in 1963 as manager of sales distribution, and in 1968 was named manager of Sales Operations. He was appointed Director of Sales Operations in 1972.

Rowe attended Daniel Baker College and is a graduate of Draughn's Business College. He and his family live at Mount Prospect, Illinois.

VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Oakes of Hobbs, New Mexico visited Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walters and at May with Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Oakes. They returned home by Robert Lee for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wajtek.

Home Game Friday Night

The Santa Anna Mountaineer football team won their first game Friday night defeating the Richland Springs team 26-6. The season's opener was played at Richland Springs.

Santa Anna got on the scoreboard early in the game, scoring two touchdowns in the first quarter. The Mountaineers racked up the third score in the second period of play and added two points on a pass from Scott Bowker and to David Huggins.

The Richland Springs team scored in the third period, and the fourth Mountaineer TD was scored when Robbie Drake fell on a fumble on the end zone, during the final quarter.

Danny Valdez scored the first three touchdowns on runs of three, 68, and 28 yards. He and Scott Bowker each tallied more than 100 yards rushing, with the SAHS total yards being 321.

Richland Springs had a total of 90 yards with 40 yards on passing. Santa Anna had 12 first downs to Richland Springs 4.

Coaches Gene Williams and Jerry Allen were very pleased with the Mountaineer game although they noted many mistakes which they hope to correct. Bowker and Valdez were noted as outstanding in offense, and Duane Aldridge and Marty Warnock were outstanding on defense.

The Mountaineers will meet the Wall High School team Friday night in the first home game. Wall will be seeking a repeat of last year's victory over the Mounties and revenge from last week's defeat by Rock Springs.

Duane Aldridge, Marty Warnock and Danny Valdez will be serving as co-captains for the Friday night game which will start at 8 p.m.

AARP MEETING SLATED MONDAY AT SANTA ANNA

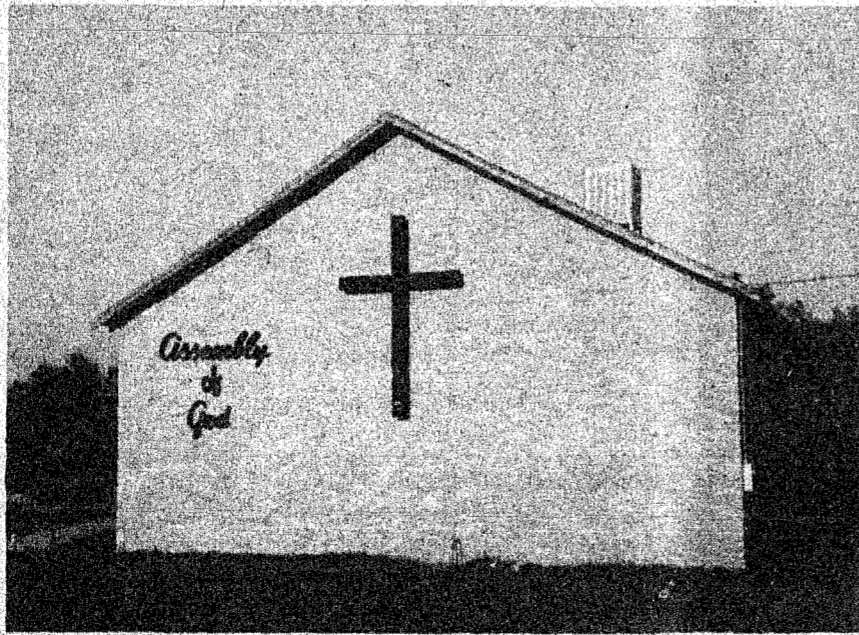
The Santa Anna-Bangs chapter of American Association of Retired People will meet Next Monday, September 17, at the Lions Club building. The meeting will open with a luncheon at 12 noon and include a program and business meeting.

All members of the organization and any others interested are invited to be present.

F. Crums Move From Home Creek To Sweetwater

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crum have moved to Sweetwater where they are making their home at 1113 East 12th Street. The well-known couple sold their ranch south of Santa Anna to O.T. Haden of San Angelo.

The Crums are long-time residents of Santa Anna and former merchants. He owned and operated a mercantile business here for many years. They purchased the former Barton Ranch on Home Creek about 25 years ago and have lived on the place since that time.



ATTRACTIVE FACADE.....A lighted cross and name have been added to the front of the Assembly of God Church building. A covered walkway and porch at left lead to the main entrance at the south side of the building. The attractive brick building is located on the Rockwood Highway at the corner of Avenue C. The wrought-iron decoration completes the outside work on the structure which has been in use by the congregation for almost two years.

32 Years Ago ... in The News

The following stories are from the August 29, 1941 issue of the NEWS:

In spite of the heavy showers in the vicinity of Coleman, nearly 150 members, their wives and visitors attended the annual barbecue and program of the Coleman County Breeder-Feeder Association last Monday night in Coleman.

Ford Barnes, president, acted as chairman for the meeting. --32--

Herman Spencer, the Rexall druggist and Chamber of Commerce head, is home now after a sojourn of about a week in a Coleman hospital where he was taken after becoming ill with what developed into a near case of pneumonia. --32--

Howard Pearson, who succeeds Doug Motley a secretary of the Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce, is scheduled to assume his duties Monday morning.

Mr. Pearson was raised in the Lohn community and for the past seven years has been the

principal of the schools at Evant. --32--

Friday afternoon, August 22, the Wild Cowboys and Cowgirls between the ages of six and twelve, started the annual Santa Anna recreation Department Stick Horse Rodeo Parade.

Their horses were of the finest stock found in broom and mop handles. The official cart was made by the manager and announcer, Jerry Fulton, which horsepower was supplied by Donald Ray Howard.

E.J. Brand was the colorful flag bearer. The clowns, Novel Densman Jr, and Max Eskridge, gave their best to make the parade one that will be long remembered. Sixteen cowgirls and 40 cowboys participated. --32--

A.W. (Doc) Hill and Nowlin Myers have passed the examinations for State Highway Patrolman and will soon be able to tag your cars for traffic violations. --32--

128 soldiers at Camp Bowie

who never saw a ranch are to be entertained on the Duncan ranch near Novice next Sunday afternoon and evening with organizations of Coleman as hosts. Square dancing, cowboy songs, fiddle music, rodeo acts and a chuck wagon dinner are on the program. --32--

The Santa Anna Schools will begin work on Monday, September 8, with the following faculty in charge: D.D. Byrne, superintendent and history; A.D. Pettit, High School principal and agriculture; Charles Mathews, elementary principal and social science; Frank McCreary Jr., coach and math; Bill W. Davis, band and history; and James B. Hunter, math and science.

Also Miss Mattie Ella McCreary, English; Miss Francine Merritt, English and speech; Mrs. I. Williamson, history and commercial; Miss Agnes Hayes, homemaking.

Others are Mrs. J. Frank Turner, first grade; Mrs. J.L. Harris, second grade; Miss Corrine Wallace, third grade; Mrs. D.D. Bryne, fourth grade; Miss Mary Gladys Pope, third grade; Mrs. Charles Evans, math; Miss Ouida Casey, English; Miss Eunice Wheeler, fifth grade; Mrs. B.A. Parker, social science.

Mr. McCreary and Mr. Davis are the only new members on the faculty.

Musical Assn. Meets Tonight

Directors of the Santa Anna Civic Musical Association will meet Thursday night (tonight) at the Methodist Church annex at 7:30 p.m.

On the agenda will be a report of the recent community musical and discussion of other community entertainment later in the year.

All directors of the organization and any other community residents interested should attend the meeting tonight.



TONY OWEN
Completes training

Young SA Man Ends Boot Camp With US Navy

Tony Owen, son of Ray Owen, is spending two weeks at home on leave from the U.S. Navy. He completed Boot Camp at San Diego recently and will report to the Memphis, Tennessee Naval Air Station next week for further training.

Tony will be in welding school and upon completion of the training will be assigned sea duty. The former SAHS student is enjoying the Navy and looking forward to his tour of duty and training.

Homecoming Being Planned For Mozelle

It is time again in 1973 for the every three year homecoming of the Mozelle Schools.

The homecoming is also for former students in all the school districts which were combined to make the Mozelle district.

A meeting to make the preparations was held Wednesday night, and the date for the homecoming will be announced soon.

All former students and teachers of Mozelle are urged to plan to attend the activities this year.

STEPHENSON GUESTS

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson have been their children, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Pruitt of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scarborough and children of San Antonio.

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Former S-Annan Buried Sept. 6 In Comanche

Funeral services were held in Comanche on Wednesday, September 5, for Mrs. Faye Kemp, 79, who died on Tuesday, September 5, in the Comanche hospital after a lingering illness.

Born November 21, 1893 in Comanche, she was the former Faye Childers. She married Henry Kemp October 30, 1938, in Comanche. He died in 1957. She was a Baptist and had been a member of the Santa Anna Eastern Star Chapter since 1943. She had resided in a Comanche nursing home in recent years. She lived in Santa Anna at one time and was a former employee of a Santa Anna bank.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews.

George Johnson Moved Recently To Greenville

George Johnson, former Santa Anna businessman and mayor, left last week for Greenville where he will make his home. He will be residing in the Pythian retirement home. A son, Douglas Johnson, and family live in Greenville, and a daughter lives with her family in Denton.

Pastor and Mrs. John Loveridge of the Seventh-day Adventist Church have purchased the Johnson home on Avenue A and moved into the home this week.

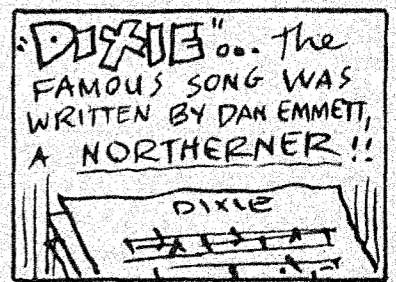
Jimmy Benton Is Chosen For HPC A Capella

Jimmy Benton son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benton, has been chosen as a member of the Howard Payne College A Capella Choir. Jimmy is a sophomore music major and was a member of the college chorus last year.

For the past nine months Benton has served as music director at the First Baptist Church. He has resigned the position effective October 1, in order to devote more time to his school and choir activities.

FELLOWSHIP PLANNED

The regular youth fellowship will be held Friday night at the First Baptist Church following the football game. Young people of all denominations are invited to be present for refreshments and entertainment.



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CALENDAR of COMMUNITY EVENTS

Thurs., Sept. 13:
Civic Musical Assn.,
Methodist annex, 7:30 p.m.
Fri., Sept. 14:
Pep Rally, SAHS Gymnasium,
3:40 p.m.
Football Game, Mountaineer
Stadium, 8 p.m.
Youth Fellowship, First
Baptist Church, after game.
Sun, Sept 16:
Attend church
Mon., Sept. 17:
AARP Meeting, Lions Club
building, 12 noon
Eastern Star meeting, Masonic
Hall, 7:30 p.m.
Booster Club meeting, Vo-Ag
building, 7:30 p.m.
Tues., Sept. 18:
Lions Club meeting, 12 noon
JHS football, at Blanket 7:30
p.m.
Wed., Sept. 19:
Mid-week church services



S. A. Firemen Help Contain Pasture Fire

About ten members of the Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department helped fight a grass fire west of Santa Anna late last Wednesday afternoon. The fire was on the Taylor Motor Co. Ranch near the Coleman Country Club and was contained to approximately 45 acres despite the extremely high winds at the time.

The local firemen took the rural fire truck to help the Coleman VFD and Talpa VFD with the blaze. Rain began to fall soon after the fire was extinguished.

At the same time a grass fire burned many acres of pasture land in Callahan County south of Baird.

J. Rutherford Buried Sept. 5 In Truscott

Funeral services were held Friday in Gilliland, Texas for Jesse N. Rutherford, 71, who died in a Crowell hospital on Wednesday, September 5. Burial was in the Truscott Cemetery.

Born January 1, 1902 in Santa Anna, he married Irene Traweek in Truscott on January 3, 1926. They lived in Gilliland until he retired to Crowell. He was a retired farmer and a Baptist.

Survivors include one son, five daughters and six sisters.

Members Listed On Committees For Band Club

Edwin Hipsher, president of the Band Booster Club, led the business meeting of the group on Thursday evening at the Band Hall.

Committees named for the year include Roy Buse, chairman of the finance committee; Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Bob Burton, Mrs. Hürshel Ballard, Mrs. Max Eubank, Mrs. Roy Buse, Mrs. Ewell Blair and Mrs. Billy Joe Harvey, uniform committee; Mrs. Steve Nickel, chairman of the uniform cleaning committee... Other chairman include Mrs. Jerome Shield social committee; Mrs. Janice Cozart, chaperone committee; and Mrs. R.C. Smith, publicity. A report was given on the sales of the club cookbooks.

Dues to the club are \$1 per year, and all band parents and hand boosters are urged to become members of the group.

Mrs. Floy Havner Buried Thursday

Mrs. Floy Havner, 67, of Bangs died suddenly on Wednesday, September 5, at the Brownwood Community Hospital after being stricken at her home by an apparent heart attack. Funeral services were held in Brownwood on Thursday, and burial was in the Coleman City Cemetery.

Mrs. Havner was born March 5, 1906 in Comanche County and married Otis Lee Havner December 22, 1922. He preceded her in death. She was a retired licensed vocational nurse and a member of the Nazarene Church. She had lived in Bangs since 1970.

Survivors include two sons, Ray Havner of Fort Worth and Frank Havner of Jal, NM; five daughters, Mrs. O Purcell

Survivors include two sons, Ray Havner of Fort Worth and Frank Havner of Jal, N. M. FIVE DAUGHTERS, Mrs. Dale Purcell of Bangs, Mrs. J. L. Johnson of Rankin, Mrs. W.D. Aldridge, Mrs. Charles Hosch and Mrs. Gerry Hill, all of Santa Anna; two brothers, Lane Dillard of Coleman and Frank Dillard of San Angelo; two sisters, Mrs. Lydia Green of Azle and Mrs. Jessie Coates of San Angelo; her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Havner of Coleman; and 16 grandchildren.

One son, Douglas Wayne Havner, died June 21.

VISITS IN DELEON

Mrs. Hardy Blue was in DeLeon Sunday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Elmon Kerby. They attended church at the DeLeon First Baptist Church and were present for a special presentation for Mrs. Kerby's grandson, Marc Wilson, who has resigned as music director at the church to return to Howard Payne College for his junior year.



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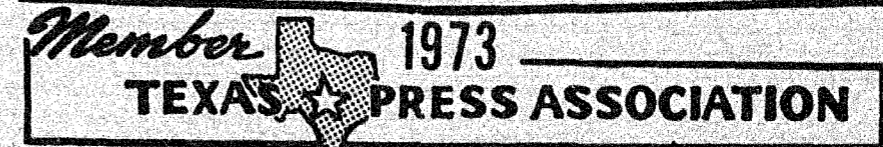
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In Our Opinion

By W. T. HAYS

SPENDING BILLIONS AND BILLIONS of dollars would be an awesome task for any group, but to most of us it is beyond all comprehension. Yet we expect our representatives in Washington to do a job in seeing that our tax money is spent wisely and conservatively.

There is no way a Congressman or Senator could go over the national budget and consider every expenditure that it contains, and if he did, there is no way he could know for sure that every department requesting funds actually needs what they ask for.

Consequently, there is no telling just how much of our tax money just goes down the drain every year for out-moded and useless bureaus that Congress and the administration don't ever realize still exist.

A good example of spending money with little or no results, is the peace corps. It is not a great expenditure, comparatively speaking, but it is still a sizeable amount.

A former peace corpsman who spent a year in Africa with a bush country tribe returned to see just what he had accomplished in his year's work.

While he lived with the tribe, in a barren, droughty area in the jungles of Africa, he helped them set up an irrigation system which would afford them the opportunity to grow their own vegetables, something they didn't have. He was given peace corps funds to buy pumps and did wells, and was helped by the tribesmen to do the work. They set up small tracts for vegetables and other crops and the irrigation system worked well.

When he returned to see the results of his work after a few years, he found the village was just like it was when he first found it. The irrigation system has just vanished. The villagers were living the same way they had lived for centuries. They were just not interested in "progress."

But a young man, just out of college, with ideals about helping backward people to have a better life, spent a year of his life and our government spent a lot of money, and for what? Just experience?

There is no telling just how many peace corps projects ended the same way and how much money we have spent in futile efforts to make the world like us. It just can't be done.

Another item that takes a large cut of our budget is the Department of Defense. Of course we need a modern military, and we want the best. But what Congressman, even those on the military affairs committee, could know what and how much the military needs to keep it first class.

Like all other departments and bureaus of the government, the defense department makes their requests, and Congress acts, and that is that.

It would take years of study to weed out all the bureaus and departments that are still funded by the government and are serving no useful purpose.

But it would be a wise step to make that study, and it would probably pay off in the long run.

Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Rev. Louis Shambeck, the Methodist minister from Santa Anna, filled his appointment here Sunday morning and night. There was a better attendance Sunday night than usual.

Mrs. Rickey Abernathy received a very nice shower for her baby, Troy Wayne, at the home of Mrs. Joe Stacy Saturday afternoon. There were 19 ladies present and five children. After two games were played the honoree opened gifts which were passed for all to see. The hostess served white cake squares trimmed in blue and yellow with cute yellow napkins, mixed nuts and yellow punch.

The hostesses were Laverne McClatchey, Inez Guthrie, Billie

Ford, Oma Lee Dockery, Earlene Dockery and Ora Stacy. Everyone seemed to enjoy the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cravens of Stonewall spent the weekend with the Bond Featherstons. Bond and Howard had good luck fishing and did some dove hunting also.

O. T. and Sue Stacy of Abilene spent the day Saturday with the Walter Stacys and Del Ray Stacy visited them awhile Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cole and baby visited them Sunday evening.

Mr. S. M. Fellers had all in the family with him Sunday. They had all come in to be here for his grandson's wedding Saturday night. Rocky Dean and Vickie Roberts of Brownwood were married in her parents' home last

Saturday night. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dean of Santa Anna. This is the last of the Deans' children to get married.

Russie James honored her brother, Howell Martin, with a turkey dinner for his birthday Sunday. Those present were Howell and Gertrude Martin, Yelive Cole, Lyndall Moore, and Pat and Roberta McShan and children of Brownwood.

Robbie Lee Haynes and daughter Carrie Lynn and a friend, Ruth Carpenter of California, are visiting a few days with Leston Cozart. Also Maud Lovelady visited Monday with them.

Bill Smith of Duncanville near Dallas visited the Bill Vaughns Saturday. He did some dove hunting while here.

Mr. Oll Martin of Santa Anna visited his daughter and family, the John Dockerys, Sunday evening. They all went to Rockwood to visit the Ray Dockery family, and the men went

dove hunting. The John Dockerys had supper with them Sunday night.

Rankin and Natalie Melver visited with Irene and Marcus Durham in Coleman Sunday evening. They said Irene seemed to be doing much better.

G. K. and Sug Stearns visited the Fred Haynes Sunday night. We had all better be on the lookout for rattlesnakes as the Fred Haynes killed a big one in their flower bed Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson's granddaughter, Clarissa Henderson of Santa Anna, spent several days last week with them.

J. S. Martin had a bad heart attack last Monday and was taken to the Brownwood Community Hospital and was in intensive care for several days, but last report was he is in a room and is doing better.

Buck Mitchell is doing better and will be brought home from the Santa Anna Hospital this Tuesday.

Mary Lou Storm and Betty and Ann of Brownwood visited the Bernice Melvers Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to report we did get a good rain since I wrote last. We got 1.7 inches last Thursday night. Other places around here got more but we are very thankful to even get the dust settled on this dusty road in front of our house.

Marie Haynes visited Florence Stearns last Friday afternoon.

County Agent's Column

This week three Coleman County 4-Hers will be exhibiting breeding sheep at the West Texas Fair. Charles Hemphill will be showing his Rambouillets, Rusty Ryan, Southdowns, and Cara Blackmon will show a Hampshire Ram.

C. E. Kingsbery of Santa Anna is conducting a small grain fertilization trial in cooperation with our Field Crop Subcommittee. We plan to fertilize one plot according to the generally recommended usage, another plot will be heavily fertilized and another left complete unfertilized. We plan to evaluate the amount of grazing provided, cattle preference and yield of grain. There are many cooperative, helpful stockmen and farmers in Coleman County who cooperate with us in demonstrations like this. Without their help tests such as this would be impossible. I personally am grateful for the many public spirited people such as Mr. Kingsbery who work with us in these types of programs.

Today's Hogwash:

TROUBLES OF A COUNTY AGENT

If he talks on a subject-- he is trying to run things.
 If he is silent-- he is dumb and has lost interest.
 If he is usually at the office-- he should get out more.
 If he is out when you call-- he isn't on the job.
 If he is at home at night-- he is neglecting business.
 If he is not at home at night-- he must be out carousing at the club.
 If he agrees with you-- he lacks originality.
 If he does not agree with you-- he is ignorant.
 If he seems too busy for casual talk-- his job has gone to his head.
 If he engages in casual talk-- that's all he has to do.
 If he can't give you an immediate answer-- he's incompetent.
 If he can give you an immediate answer-- that's what he's being paid for.
 If he appears cordial-- he's playing politics.
 If he appears aloof-- he should be trimmed down to size.
 If he has an opinion-- he is bullheaded.
 If he explains both pros and cons-- he's pussyfooting.
 If he is on the job a short time-- he lacks new ideas.
 If he is well dressed-- he thinks he's a big shot.
 If he isn't well dressed-- he's not a proper representative.
 If he takes a vacation-- he has been on one all year.

VISITS MESQUITE

Mrs. Vernon Herring, Lisa and Lori, and Mrs. Addie West spent the weekend in Mesquite visiting Mrs. Pat Chilton and family, they attended the Ice Capades on Friday night.



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By Mrs. John Hunter



Mrs. Lois Haines of Austin spent Thursday to Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes. Mrs. Alex Conner, Bill Conner and Mrs. Bodine of Santa Anna were Sunday afternoon visitors.

Mrs. H.L. Zachery visited Mrs. M.D. Bryan Sunday.

Mrs. A.L. King visited last Wednesday and Thursday in Coleman with her sisters, Sammie Stewardson and Mrs. C.A. Crump, and was a Saturday business visitor in Santa Anna. The Rev. and Mrs. Burdett Hitt and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. King. Mrs. Lon Gray and Mrs. King visited in afternoon with Mrs. Bill Bryan. Mrs. Claud Box visited Mrs. King Sunday afternoon and Mrs. John X. Steward visited one afternoon.

Debbie Kendrick, a student in Tarleton College, spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Frankie McCarthy.

Mr. and Mrs. Welton Holt of Coleman and Mrs. Claude Bevell of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan Wednesday evening.

Jack Cooper is in the Brady Hospital for a medical checkup. Mr. and Mrs. Jack McSwane visited Friday in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. B.A. McSwane.

Lowell Maxey of Abilene visited Monday afternoon with his aunt, Mrs. John Hunter.

Mrs. Boss Estes is in the Harris Hospital in Fort Worth. Mrs. Estes recently had surgery and was at home a few days before returning to the hospital.

Mrs. Mae Rutherford of Lewisville and Anita Chaffin of Bangs visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Caldwell and Don of Austin spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell; Mrs. Frankie McCarthy and her guest, Debbie Kendrick, were Saturday supper guests. Frank Bryan visited Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Deal spent

Wednesday in Coleman with Mrs. W.F. Deal, and were Saturday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Deal and family in Brownwood. Mr. Deal visited in Abilene Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Deal and family and Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Deal and family. Mrs. Deal reports Hank Cannon, 16, a stepson of Joe Deal of Eastland, is a patient in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene. He was struck by a hit-and-run driver while riding a motor cycle, suffering serious injuries.

Mrs. Bill Bryan came home Friday from Houston where she had surgery recently. Mrs. Pat McAlister and Dee Dee and Judy Bryan of Dallas spent the weekend with the Bryans. Mrs. Arlue Davis of Brady is spending a few days. Callers have been Mrs. Hilton Wise and Colleen, Mrs. Lon Gray, Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Deal, Mrs. A.L. King, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy and Toni; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowry of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray; Mike Marrs and Mack Hambricht and Mark of Coleman. Mrs. Bill Steward, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Hodges, the Rev. and Mrs. Burdett Hitt.

Mrs. Carl Buttry visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Dora Crutcher at Bangs and with her mother, Mrs. Lee McMillan at Ranger Park Inn. The Buttrys talked to grandson, Jerry Carl Halmon, via Telephone Sunday. He is stationed at Quantico, Va.

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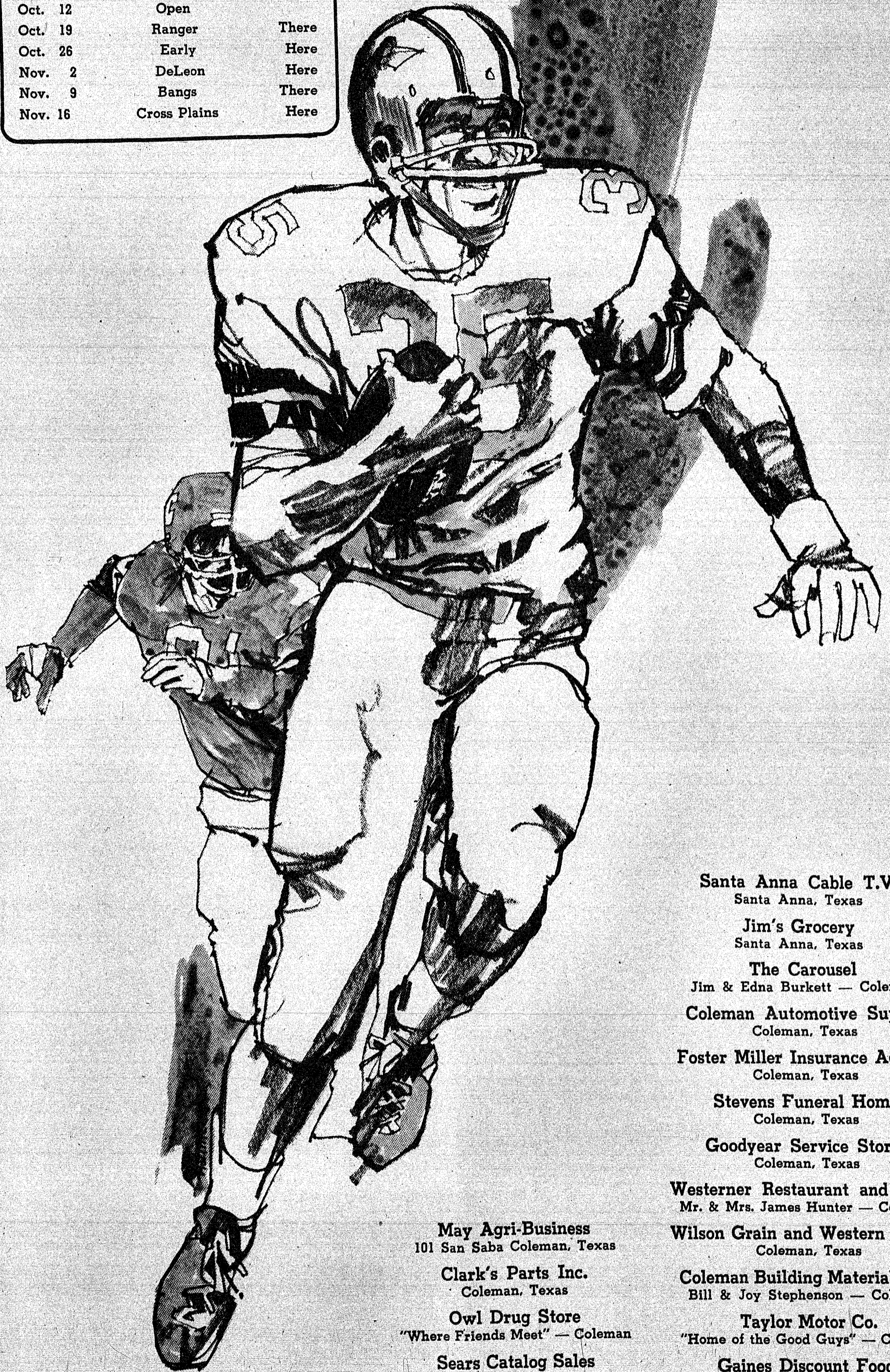
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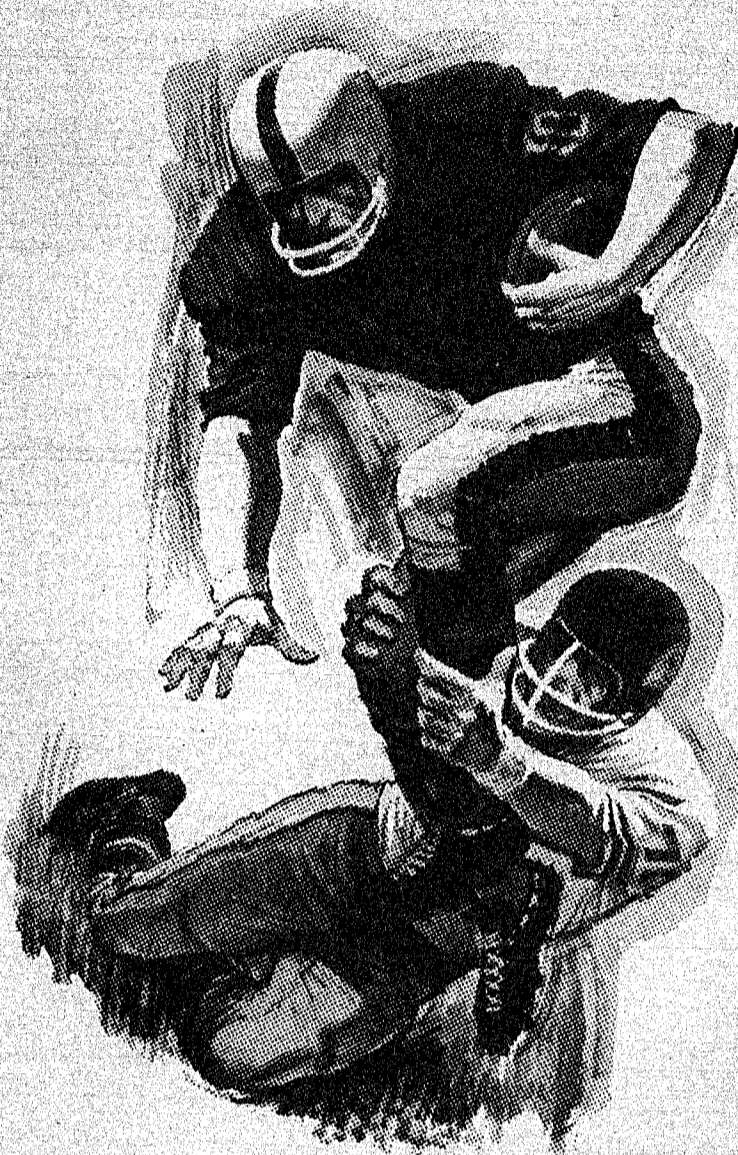
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MISS ROBERTS, ROCKY DEAN MARRIED IN HOME CEREMONY

Vickey Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.E. Roberts of Lake Brownwood, and Rocky Dean, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Dean of Santa Anna, exchanged marriage vows Saturday, Sept. 8 at 7:30 p.m.

Home of the bride's parents was the scene of the wedding. Rev. Porter Simmons of Lometa officiated for the ceremony before an altar flanked by candelabra entwined with carnations and greenery.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a white gown of polyester crepe. The empire bodice was fashioned with scooped neckline and short puffed sleeves. Venice lace encircled the neckline, empire waistline and front panel of the skirt. Her chapel-length veil of illusion, edged in lace, was attached to a Camelot headpiece of Venice lace and seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of miniature mums and carnations centered with a white orchid.

Mrs. Sherry Byars attended her sister as matron of honor. She wore a light blue dress identical to the bride's gown. She carried a bouquet of miniature mums and carnations in white and blue.

Roddy Dean was his brother's best man.

After the wedding, a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The three-tiered heart-shaped cake was white decorated with blue roses. Punch was served from a crystal bowl.

Serving in the house party were Mrs. Wandolories Raspberry, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Patty Hall.

A graduate of Early High School, the bride is employed at D&B Western Store. Her husband, a graduate of Santa Anna High School, is employed at the Pecan Valley Dairy.

After a wedding trip to Mexico, the newlyweds will reside on Route 1, Zephyr.



MRS. ROCKY DEAN
The former Vickey Roberts

S-Anna Ladies Attend Meeting Of County DAR

Several Santa Anna ladies were in Coleman Saturday to attend the luncheon and program of the Coleman County Daughters of the American Revolution chapter which was held at the Tradewinds Restaurant.

The program was on the American constitution, and plans for the new club year were discussed during the business meeting.

Those from Santa Anna attending were Mrs. Hardy Blue, Mrs. J. C. Mathews, Mrs. Kitty Adams, Mrs. Claude Alvey, Mrs. Oran Henderson of Gatesville, Mrs. Terry Melver of Brady, and Sandra Sparkman of Texas Tech University.

Mrs. Mathes is vice-regent of the Coleman County chapter.

Ceremony Unites Abilene Couple On August 31

Miss Ruth Kathleen McCorcle and Larry Frank Rutherford, both of Abilene, were united in marriage on Friday, August 31. The ceremony was read in the home of Rev. R. L. Kirk in Abilene.

Attending the couple were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Mullin of Abilene.

Following a wedding trip to Lake Brownwood, the couple is at home in Abilene.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCorcle of Sweetwater is graduate of Sweetwater High School and Draughn's Commercial College and is employed at Abilene State School. The groom is the son Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Rutherford and a graduate of Santa Anna High School and Draughn's. He is employed with a motor freight company.

The newlyweds spent Saturday in Santa Anna with his parents.



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Members of the church and their families and visitors met for a fellowship dinner following the Sunday morning service on September 9.

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'73 Comm. Chest Drive Planned By Lions Club

A discussion of the Community Chest drive and plans for the October fund raising campaign was main item on the agenda of the Santa Anna Lions Club Tuesday. Julian Kelly presided at the business meeting.

Two visitors were present for the meeting and were Cleve Walkup of College Station, a guest of Billy Riley, and Houston Jolley of Grosvenor, the school counselor.

FETED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Lige Lancaster honored her daughter, Mrs. John (Lucille) Carter of Brownwood, with a dinner Sunday night on her birthday. Those present were the honoree and her husband, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lancaster, Phil and Len Johnson of the Flying X Ranch.



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Nitia Daniel Meeting Held September 6

The Nitia Daniel Circle of the United Methodist Church met on Wednesday evening, September 5, at the church annex.

Mrs. Dick Baugh and Mrs. Dwight Hudson led the program on "Personal Missions". Mrs. Baugh used an article from the Texas Methodist for her presentation, and Mrs. Hudson related to her work as a school teacher.

Mrs. Louis Shambek read minutes of the previous meeting, and Mrs. Ken Bowker gave the treasurer's report.

During the social hour Mrs. Opal Little and Mrs. Deyriell Warnock served cake, coffee, nuts and tea to the ones mentioned and also Mes. Chester Galloway, Walter Scarborough, Verna Newman, V. I. Dean, Seteve Nickel, Rob Cheaney, Jesse Upchurch, Harry Crews and Norval Wylie.

The next meeting of the group will be on October 3.

Work Planned For Club Year By Garden Club

The Mountain City Garden Club met for the first meeting of the club year on Friday, September 7, at the clubroom of the City Library building. Mrs. C.M. Moseley and Mrs. Arthur Casey were hostesses for the meeting.

As guests arrived they were served coffee, sweet rolls, sausage and dips.

Yearbooks were distributed and plans for the year were discussed including the care of the Kate Mathews Memorial Park. It was decided the hostess each month will serve as chairman and preside at the business meetings.

The November luncheon was discussed as a fund-raising project, and plans also made for a Christmas Bazaar.

Those present for the meeting included Mes. Jess Howard, Alma McNutt, Mattie Turney, Hardy Blue, W.B. Sparkman, J.C. Mathews, John Womack, W.F. Cawyer, and the hostesses.

Mr. & Mrs. Diaz Have Baby Girl Born on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Diaz of San Angelo are the parents of a baby daughter, Gloria Jeanette, who was born Sunday, September 9, in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. The baby weighed six pounds, 13 and one-half ounces at birth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Victor Diaz of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Conrado Bastardo of San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Diaz and Venino Vasquez of Santa Anna are great-grandparents of the new arrival.

ESA Rush Party Held Saturday

The Delta Omicron Chapter, Epsilon Sigma Alpha, opened the club year with a coffee on Saturday morning, September 8. The party was honoring prospective members of the group and was held at the clubroom of the City Library building.

Mrs. Jerome Shield and Mrs. Tommy Burns were hostesses using the theme Winnie the Pooh in carrying out the rush season theme of storybook characters. Decorations included a floral arrangement surrounding the character Winnie.

Rushes present were Mes. Bob Cheaney, Don Gaines, Gene Williams, Jerry Allen and Miss Rebecca Pauley. Members attending were the hostesses and Mes. Steve Nickel, Burgess Stewardson, Gale Allen, Ken Bowker and James Maedgen.

KERRVILLE VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Max Reinbach of Kerrville were visitors during the weekend with her uncle, Curtis Collins. They arrived Friday and returned home Saturday.

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Program Given On Education At UMW Meeting

A program on Public Education was given at the meeting of the United Methodist Women when the group met Monday, September 10, at the Methodist Church annex. Mrs. Hardy Blue was program leader and was assisted by Mes. Mae Mc Donald, O.A. Etheridge and Melvin Lab.

Mrs. Dale Smith led the business session during which plans were made for the combined pledge service with the Nitia Daniel Circle. It was announced that the District pledge service would be held at the Brownwood Central Methodist Church on October 14.

Following the social hour members of the group met at the church personage to see the new drapes that have been installed.

Those present included the ones mentioned and Mrs. Lura Wihger and Mrs. Annie Mae Wall, hostesses, and Mes. Derriel Warnock, Bill Griffin, Sally Snook, Mary Morrow, and Misses E. Lee and Ruby Harper and Xuma Myers.

The next meeting of the group will be on Monday, October 8.

VISIT DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Bruce were in Crystal City Friday and Saturday visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kingsbery, Kay and Bruce. Bob Kingsbery, a freshman student at A&M University, was also there for the weekend.

Local Chapter Sets Monday For Meeting Date

The Santa Anna Eastern Star chapter will meet next Monday night, September 17, at the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Mrs. H. A. Burden, worthy matron, and Raymond Balke, worthy patron, will lead the business meeting.

Hostesses for the social hour will be Mrs. J.T. Avants and Mrs. Lora Rollins.

All members of the organization are urged to attend the meeting.

SDA Missionary Guest Speaker On September 15

Elder B.L. Roberts, who has spent many years as a missionary for the Adventist church in Latin American areas, will be guest speaker Saturday September 15, in the local Adventist church. He has visited this church and will be welcomed by the membership. Everyone is invited to be present at the service starting at 11 a.m.

Stearns Family Has Reunion September 1

The family of the late Robert and Alice Stearns of the Trickham Community met for a reunion at Coggin Park in Brownwood on Saturday, September 1.

Three of the four surviving children were present for the gathering including G.K. Stearns of Trickham, Mrs. Glen Haynes of Brownwood, and Mrs. Clyde Haynes of Brookesmith.

Others present were Mrs. G.K. Stearns and Mrs. Robert Stearns of Trickham; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stearns and family, Grady James and family of Fort Worth; Bill Stearns and family, Douglas Lykins and family and Vickie Redwine, all of Hurst; Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Bolton of Rockwall; Mrs. Nancy Dudley and girls of Comanche; Mrs. Rena Stearns, Glenn Haynes, Mrs. Doris Stearns, Doris Laughlin, Mrs. Jackie Laughlin and children, all of Brownwood; and Bob Stearns and family of Graham.

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Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leonard and family Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cupps and Sydney on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sikes and children of Killen on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps of Brownwood were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps Saturday night. Billy Don also killed one bird.

J. C. Bible and Jamie Joe and some friends from San Angelo were out bird hunting Saturday afternoon at the Dick Baugh place. Carmilla visited her mother, Mrs. May Flores, at Bangs last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell took Aunt Tennie Campbell down to Early to visit Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sims. Those who visited her during the week were Bea Cupps, Mrs. A. C. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell and grandchildren, and Aunt Lela Hodges.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Ellis visited her mother awhile Saturday evening, Aunt Lela Hodges. They had been to San Angelo to visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ellis and daughter.

Mrs. May Pearl Gould and little son of Brownwood took Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould Sr. to town Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould Jr. and little son of Brownwood visited the C. C. Goulds Sr. Sunday evening.

M. T. and Glenn Traylor of

Corpus Christi visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Battles. Mrs. Opal Battles Hogan of Marro Bay, California passed away last Friday and was buried Tuesday, September 11 out there.

Winnie Haynes visited Mrs. Ethel Mathews Sunday afternoon at Brookesmith. Billy Don Haynes also visited Winnie awhile Sunday on his way back home where he teaches school.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and family of Zephyr visited Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Brown visited the John Howards Sunday night. Last Friday Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Brown and Ruby and John went to Brownwood and got Mrs. Pearl Etheridge and they all went out for dinner. It was Ruby Howard's birthday, but I won't tell her age.

Amanda Perry visited Jane Wagner Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Cupps and Judy and Royce visited Mr. and

Mrs. J. E. Williams Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox of London, Texas and Rohnda also visited in the Williams home. Russell will have a birthday Tuesday, so they were all there to celebrate his birthday. Happy Birthday Russell. Others attending were Charlie and Thelma, Grandad Cupps and Etta Mae, and Mrs. Williams.

We got a nice rain last week which measured one and one-half inches.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis ate dinner with Grace Ellis last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and Tammy visited Mr. and Mrs. Benny Jarvis and Gail at Johnson City Sunday.

Mrs. Doris Cupps and Jerry and Joey visited the R. V. Cupps family Thursday evening.

People suffering from aleurophobia have an unreasoning fear of cats.

News From

Ranger Park Inn

Tuesday morning Rev. Lewis Shambeck was at the Inn visiting guests and holding devotions.

Mr. and Mrs. Warnock Simmons visited the George Simmons. Also visiting was Joe Simmons.

Mrs. J. W. Haynes visited with Mrs. Mary Lykins at the Inn.

Mrs. John A. Lockett of Junction visited recently with her mother, Mrs. M. L. England.

Misses E. Lee and Ruby Harper and Mrs. Ora Hunter visited with their sister, Miss Florence Harper. Mrs. Lura Winger also visited on Monday with Miss Harper.

Mrs. Linnie Bartlett, Linnie Frances Malone, Michelle Malone, Mrs. Faye Mobley and Margaret Ann Mobley visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith of Lovington, New Mexico visited her mother, Mrs. J. J. Horner, also visiting Mrs. Horner were Nadine Smith of Hobbs New Mexico and Vera Byram of Abilene, her daughters.

George Stewardson visited recently at the Inn. Rev. John Gordon, pastor of the United Presbyterian church, was at the Inn Tuesday visiting.

Ophelia Haynes of Brownwood visited Maud Martin.

Juanita Mobley visited recently at the Inn.

Mrs. Blanche Grantham and Mrs. Cliff Herndon visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Wagner.

Smiley and Jewel Sudduth visited with Mrs. Sudduths mother, Mrs. Amos Taylor.

Mrs. Joe C. Mathews visited the Bunk Wagners and other friends.

Mrs. Pearl L. Wilson visited Miss Florence Harper.

Mrs. Carrie Spirlock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barton last week and has returned to the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCloud from Albuquerque, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Hollaway of Coleman visited with Carrie Surlock.

Woodrow and Voncille Estes visited her mother, Mrs. May Taylor.

Al and Patsy England of Dallas visited at the Inn recently.

Debbie and Valory, Aldridge visited with Mrs. England.

Sudie E. Wilkins also visited Mrs. England.

Gladys Haynes visited Mrs. May Taylor and Mrs. Dora Vanderford.

Mrs. Robert Allcorn visited at the Inn recently.

Mrs. Cora Evans visited at the Ranger Park Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle W. Graves from Dallas visited at the Inn.

Recently Kitty Adams and Mrs. Joe C. Mathews visited with friends at the Inn.

PUBLIC NOTICE

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1973

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 8)

Article III, Sections 5, 24 and 49a and Article VIII, Section 6 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Provide for regular annual sessions of the Legislature. The regular session in each odd-numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 180 days. The regular session in each even numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 60 days and would be limited to consideration of fiscal matters and any emergency matters submitted by the Governor. The 60 day session could be extended by the Governor for a period not to exceed 30 days;

Provide an annual salary for members of the Legislature not exceeding \$15,000 per year and a per diem not exceeding \$18 per day for each day of each regular session or special session;

Provide that no appropriation of money shall be made for a longer term than one year and direct the Comptroller to make annual estimates of anticipated revenue rather than biennial estimates.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for annual regular sessions of the legislature; and to provide an annual salary of \$15,000 and per diem for the members of the legislature, effective in January, 1975."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 7)

Article XVI, Sections 50 and 51 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses.

Presently a single adult person is not entitled to claim a homestead exemption and a married man can abandon a family homestead without the consent of his wife.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses."

NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 13)

Article VIII, Sections 1-a and 1-b of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the residential homesteads of unmarried adults.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the homesteads of unmarried adults."

NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 1)

Article XVI, Section 59, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Subsection (e) which:

Provides that no law creating a conservation and reclamation district shall be passed unless a copy of the proposed law is delivered to the commissioners court of each county and to the governing body of each incorporated city or town in whose jurisdiction said district or any part thereof is or will be located. Each such commissioners court and governing body may file its written consent or opposition to the proposed law with the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives. Each special law creating such a district must comply with general laws then in effect relating to consent by political subdivisions to the creation of such districts.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws creating certain conservation and reclamation districts."

NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 12)

Article XI, Section 7 of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide that all counties and cities bordering on the coast of the Gulf of Mexico are authorized to levy a tax to pay for bonds issued for the construction of sea walls and breakwaters upon a majority vote of the resident property tax-payers.

Counties and cities are presently authorized to levy such taxes and this amendment only changes the required vote from a two-thirds majority to a simple majority.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing counties and cities bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to issue bonds

for the construction of sea walls and breakwaters upon a vote of the resident property tax-payers."

NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 26)

Article V, Section 8 of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new paragraph which:

Provides that the district court, concurrently with the county court, shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court and in a probate proceeding shall also have the jurisdiction otherwise conferred on it by law. It also provides that the legislature may increase, diminish, or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, may adopt rules governing the filing, distribution, or transfer of cases and proceedings as between the courts having jurisdiction of probate matters, and may provide that all appeals in probate matters shall be to the courts of civil appeals.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment stating that the district court concurrently with the county court shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court, and providing the jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that in any probate proceeding the district court shall also have jurisdiction otherwise conferred upon it by law, and further providing that the legislature may increase, diminish or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, and further providing that the legislature shall have power to adopt rules governing the filing, distribution and transfer of all such cases and proceedings as between district courts, county courts, and other courts having jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that the legislature may provide that all appeals in such matters shall be to the courts of (civil) appeals."

NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 6)

Article III, Section 49-b of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide for an additional \$100 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund. This amendment increases the present \$400 million authorization to \$500 million;

Remove the present provision which permits buying of land only by those veterans who served between September 16, 1940 and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the armed conflict in Viet Nam. This amendment would allow all veterans who serve after September 16, 1940 to buy land from the Veterans' Land Fund, provided they are otherwise qualified;

Provide that, in the event of the death of an eligible

Texas veteran after the veteran has filed with the Board an application and contract of sale to purchase through the Board the tract selected by him or her and before the purchase has been completed, then the surviving spouse may complete the transaction.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for an additional \$100 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund."

NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 29)

Article XI, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 5(a) which:

Authorizes and requires incorporated cities, towns, and villages, regardless of population and notwithstanding the constitutional limitations on total tax rates, to levy such annual ad valorem taxes on the taxable property in the city, town or village as are necessary to pay the principal of and interest on, when due, the general obligations hereinafter issued by the city, town, or village. The legislature is empowered to limit by general or special law the total principal amount of general obligations which may be issued, but unless and until the legislature acts to do so, the limitations established by statute with respect to the total principal amount of bonds which may be issued by independent school districts shall apply as the rate limitation on cities, towns, and villages.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it appears on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize cities, towns, and villages to levy such ad valorem taxes as are sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on their general obligations hereafter issued subject to the restrictions provided by law."

NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 25)

Article VIII of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 2C which:

Allows the Legislature, by general law, to exempt all real and personal property used by non-profit water supply corporations or cooperatives from all property taxes. The exemption would apply only to such property as is reasonably necessary to conduct the business of a non-profit water supply corporation or cooperative.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from property taxes certain property used by a non-profit water supply corporation or a non-profit water supply cooperative."

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Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



Burial services were held in the Whon Cemetery Wednesday afternoon of last week for Mr. Aaron Avants, a long time resident of the Whon Community. Riley McFarlin conducted the service. Stevens Funeral Home of Coleman was in charge of the arrangements. Mr. Avants had been in failing health for several years. He was a farmer by trade.

Survivors are his wife, Pearl, of Whon; two sons, James of Coleman and Douglas of Brady; three grandchildren. Pallbearers were Dick Deal, Graham Fitzpatrick, Darwin Lovelady, Doug Moore, Ed Smith, and Rex Turney. Our sympathy goes out to the family of Mr. Avants.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Snowden of Brady visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick and with Neil who was at home with his parents from Tarleton State University over the weekend.

We are glad to report Mrs. Darwin Lovelady has been dismissed from the Brownwood Community Hospital following a week's stay there. She reports that she is feeling very well and hopes to be back at her job soon.

Mrs. Aaron Avants was with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants and son in Brady, from Thursday to Saturday. Her son James went for her Saturday. Sunday those visiting Mrs. Avants were James Avants and Faye Marcee of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants and Dougy of Brady, and Mr. and Mrs. Beans Radle of Santa Anna. Mrs. Radle is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Avants.

Those enjoying Sunday night supper with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady in Santa Anna were their son, Randel who was home from Tarleton over the weekend, and Randel's roommate at TSU, Michael Ray and Donna James.

Mr. and Mrs. Delburn Rice of Trickham visited with Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd Morris and Jeffrey of Fort Worth were weekend guests with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick visited with Mrs. Aaron Avants and Mrs. Radle Monday morning, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford visited with the two ladies Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris and son of San Saba were supper guests with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, Thursday night. John David was in Big Spring Veteran Clinic Thursday for a checkup. His wife was in Coleman with her parents while he was in Big Spring.

Hilary Rutherford and son Rocky and James Hale of Coleman and Loyd Rutherford and children, Tonna and Todd, of Bangs were with the boys' parents, the Tom Rutherfords, Saturday afternoon helping Tom with the cows.

Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick was transacting business in Abilene Thursday morning. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick attended funeral services for Mrs. Havner in Brownwood with burial in Coleman. Mrs. Havner was the grandmother of Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack O. Neil and

Mrs. Clara Doyle of Mason were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris last Wednesday.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris visited with Mrs. Barbara Morgan and children in Santa Anna. Mrs. Morgan's son, Melvin, was quite ill.

Curtis Collins was visiting in our community Saturday afternoon. He was mostly sightseeing but he visited with Tom and the boys at the cow lots. We welcome Mr. Collins any time.

We must not forget to tell about the wonderful rain we received last Wednesday night and Thursday. Wednesday night we received one-half inch which was most all night falling. Then Thursday morning near noon the rains came and by four o'clock we had received 3.8 inches. Our tanks are all filled with water. Camp Creek ran through and a good drink of water to make grazing. For all this we are thankful.

Mr. Wimpy Watson called us Sunday night. He and his wife returned to their home in Lubbock Sunday morning following over three weeks vacation in Germany. They reported a wonderful time, but were glad to be home. But the really good news to them was that Whon had received a good rain. The Watsons' farm is located here.

We are always thankful for your news.

Man Known Here Coaches Team To Championship

A Santa Anna native, Ray Dean, and his son, Kit, have the distinction of coaching the Oak Cliff (Dallas) Lions teenage baseball team to the National American Baseball Congress championship. The team, composed of 13 and 14-year old boys, tallied an impressive 45-4-1 record for the season.

The Oak Cliff team won the Dallas City Championship, State championship, South Plains Regional championship and the National championship.

In the state tournament at Sherman, the Lions won their four games, and in the South Plains tourney at Los Alamos the Lions won five and lost one.

In the National tournament for the Sandy Koufax World Series Championship title, the Dallas boys had six games. The weekend tourney was held at Knoxville, Tennessee.

Dean, the son of Mrs. Ruby Dean, is a Santa Anna High School graduate. He began his baseball coaching career while his three sons were playing in the youth leagues and has continued taking part in the baseball program. Dean and his son were assisted by Bill Rickett with the coaching duties.

Shaving was originally a protective measure since long beards were easy for opponents in combat to seize.

Elaine Newman New President For Freshmen

Elaine Newman was elected president of the freshman class of Santa Anna High School at a business meeting held recently.

Other officers are Gaye Harvey, vice-president; Kim Stewardson, secretary-treasurer; and Jimmie Gail Rutherford, reporter.

Kim Stewardson and David Eubank will be class representatives on the Student Council. Class sponsors for the year are Gene Williams and Jerry Allen.

Students Off To College

Benny Diaz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Diaz, has enrolled for the third year at Angelo State University. He is studying for certification as a registered nurse and his BS degree in nursing.

Benny has been employed at a San Angelo hospital while attending school.



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