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S-Annans Kin Buried Sunday

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Survivors include his wife; one son, David Corley of Richardson; one daughter, Patsy Enlow of Fort Worth; and a brother, Floyd Corley of Beaumont.

Mrs. Corley is a niece of Mrs. Lora Rollins of Santa Anna.

B-Wood Woman To Speak Here

Mrs. Lynn Nabers of Brownwood will be guest speaker at the Thursday, May 13, meeting of the Santa Anna Young Homemakers chapter. The meeting will be held at the Homemaking cottage at 7 p.m.

All members of the chapter are urged to attend the meeting, and special guests have also been invited to attend.

Fashion Program For R-Wood HDC

Mrs. Bessie Parker gave the program with slides on "Recycle Yesterday's Fashions for Today," when the Rockwood Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, April 28, at the community center.

Mrs. Bert Fowler, presided in the absence of president, Mrs. Roland Duus. Routine reports were heard.

Mrs. Blake Williams and Mrs. Bert Turney served cracker sandwiches, cake, cookies, candy and nuts to Mmes. Lon Gray, Fowler, Wimpy Watson, John Hunter, Odell Henderson, Mrs. Tom Stewardson, Joe Wise, W. B. McCutcheon and the guest, Mrs. Parker.



To keep scissors working sharply, a drop of oil should be applied to the joints occasionally.

CCTC Employees Attending Meet

Four employees of Coleman County Telephone Cooperative will be in South Texas this week for a training seminar for bookkeepers, managers and plant superintendents for telephone cooperatives. The meeting will be held Wednesday through Friday at South Padre Island.

Those from CCTC to attend are Thomas Wristen, Quinton Daniell, Fern Hoke and Velma Benton.

Granddaughter Of SA Couple Club S-Heart

Shelly Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray of Rising Star, has been named Rising Star Roping Club sweetheart for 1976. Shelly is 14 years of age and a student in Rising Star Junior High where she served as cheerleader.

Shelly is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kingsbery of Santa Anna.

Party to Fete Mrs. D. Neff

Mrs. Donnie Neff will be honored Saturday, May 8, with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Robert Smith. The party will be from 3 to 4 p.m., and all friends are invited to attend. Hostesses will be Mmes. W. V. Priddy, Elgean Harris, Richard Horner, Donnie Henderson, William Brown Tom Kingsbery and Smith.



New Subs

- W. T. Stewardson
- Mrs. Bob Smith, Abilene
- T & H Bike & Mower Shop
- W. C. Burden, Lubbock
- Bryan Shield, Albuquerque, N. M.
- Robert Robinett
- W. W. Sudduth, San Angelo
- J. F. Weathers
- Dickie Horner, Brownwood
- Sharon Guthrie
- Bessie Parish
- Freddie Dodson
- W. M. Price
- George Blount
- Thomas Brown
- Homer Luttrell
- J. L. Zachary, Lake Jackson
- J. W. Zachary, Morgan
- C. G. Mills
- Charles Hosch
- Ione Caton
- Mrs. A. D. Donham Jr., Erick, Ok.
- Ricky Abernathy
- Lee Abernathy
- Bert Fowler, Rockwood
- David Horner, San Marcos



FANTASY — This special design, an original by Jeanne's Fantasia for 1976 Maid of Cotton Victoria Laughlin, is reminiscent of the Bicentennial celebration. In cotton domestic, it features lace-cap sleeves. Lace also trims the bodice and yoke, and extends down the front panels which are embroidered and appliqued in bright orange, yellow, and purple. A grosgrain ribbon, edged in matching lace, ties at the waist.

Pam Wilson School of Dance Presents Recital

Students in the Pam Wilson School of Dance of Coleman will be presented in recital Saturday, May 8, at Coleman High School Auditorium. The recital will start at 8 p.m. and there is no admission charge.

About 45 students will take part in the recital including two from Santa Anna, Michelle Malone, daughter of Mrs. Frances Malone, and Nola Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hughes.

The public is invited to attend the recital Saturday night.



COLORFUL — A skillful combination of hot pink and contrasting print lends excitement to this 100% cotton design by El Buzon. Made especially for 1976 Maid of Cotton Victoria Laughlin, it features a print bodice with tie straps and matching capelet. The flower print is repeated in the skirt and accented with grosgrain ribbon.

MOVED TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gythrie Jr. have moved to their new home at the end of South Crockett Street. The home is located on the Guthrie farm that adjoins the city limits.

The two bedroom, two bath brick home was built by Gary Patterson and features a wood-burning fireplace in the large family room.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wooton have purchased the former home of the Guthries at the corner of South Houston and Avenue C and will move to the new location later this month.

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Dear friends,

Dr. Wm. Lamers, psychiatrist, says, "In my experience, in my research, I have found a funeral to be of great value over an extended time for those who participate in it, for those who make it a part of the way in which they respond to death. I was so impressed, that I have made speeches and appeared on radio and TV to discuss how I, a psychiatrist, felt about funerals."

Respectfully,
Donnie M. Henderson

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Baseball Season Underway; Games Planned During Week

The Little League ball season got underway this week with the two Santa Anna teams having games with Coleman teams.

The Mets hosted the Dodgers Monday night and lost 16-6 in the first outing; The Rams traveled to Coleman and defeated the Rangers by a close 14-13 score. The Santa Anna teams each won one practice game prior to the regular season.

Other games on the Little League schedule during the next week include on Friday the Rams hosting the Yankees and the Mets playing the Giants at Coleman, both at 6 p.m., and on Tuesday, May 11, the Senators will play the Mets in Santa Anna and the Rams will meet the Dodgers in Coleman.

All regular games are

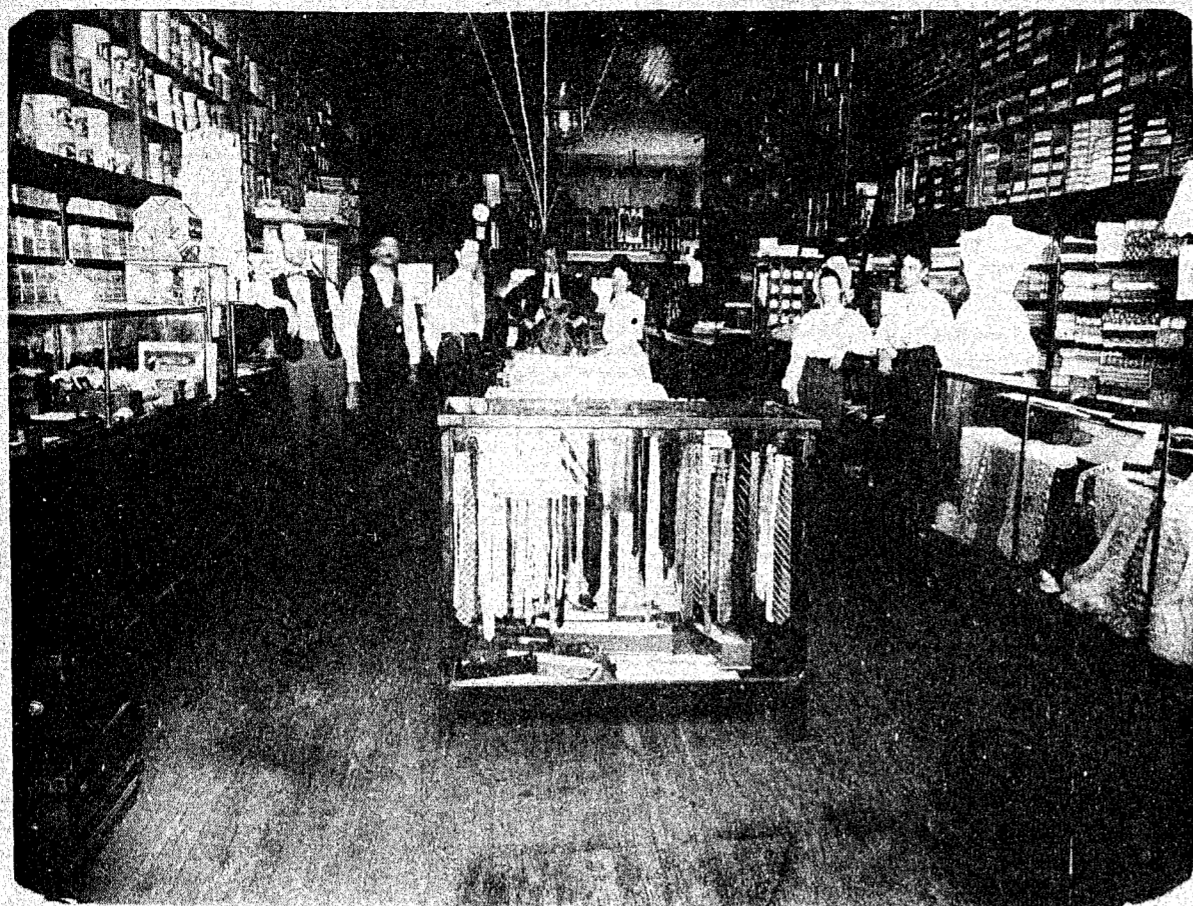
scheduled Tuesday and Friday nights after this week.

Edd Hartman and Ronnie Hartman are coaches of the Orioles Senior League team, and the first game in that schedule is Monday night when they play the Orioles at 6 p.m.

The minor league and pee wee teams need adult sponsors and coaches, and anyone interested in helping with the summer baseball program is asked to contact Ronald Combs or John Gordon.



When you buy eggplants, pick ones that are dark purple and feel firm and heavy.



EARLY STORE..... The W. R. Kelley Dry Goods Store is pictured about 1907. Those in the photo from left are Otho Kelley, D. C. Neal, Charles Oakes, Dennis Kelley, Eron Boyd, Myrtle Moore

and Mrs. Laird. The Kelleys later owned and operated a large general mercantile store in Santa Anna, the site now occupied by Bailey Lumber and Supply Co.

Hours Changed By SS Office

The Brownwood Social Security office has changed office hours effective this week, reports Don Austin, office manager. The office will be open from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. instead of the former 5 p.m. closing hour.

Representatives from the Brownwood office are still coming to Santa Anna twice monthly, being at the Mountain City Center at 10 a.m. each second and fourth Wednesday.

HOME FROM TRIP

Mrs. J. W. McClelland is back at home after a visit with a daughter, Mrs. Ralph Brisben and family, in Kemblesville, Pa. She accompanied her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Simmons of Abilene, as he attended a meeting of Elementary principals in Atlantic City, N. J.

Mrs. Brisben returned to Texas with her relatives and will return home with her son, Davis, as he completes the spring term of school at Rice University where he is a sophomore student.



"What's going on up there!"
Checking your farm inventory? This is a good time to review your insurance on stored crops, livestock and farm machinery and buildings. We can offer low-cost, package farm insurance at Countywide Insurance Service.

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The highest recorded number of piglets in one litter is 34 by a sow owned by Aksel Egedee of Denmark.

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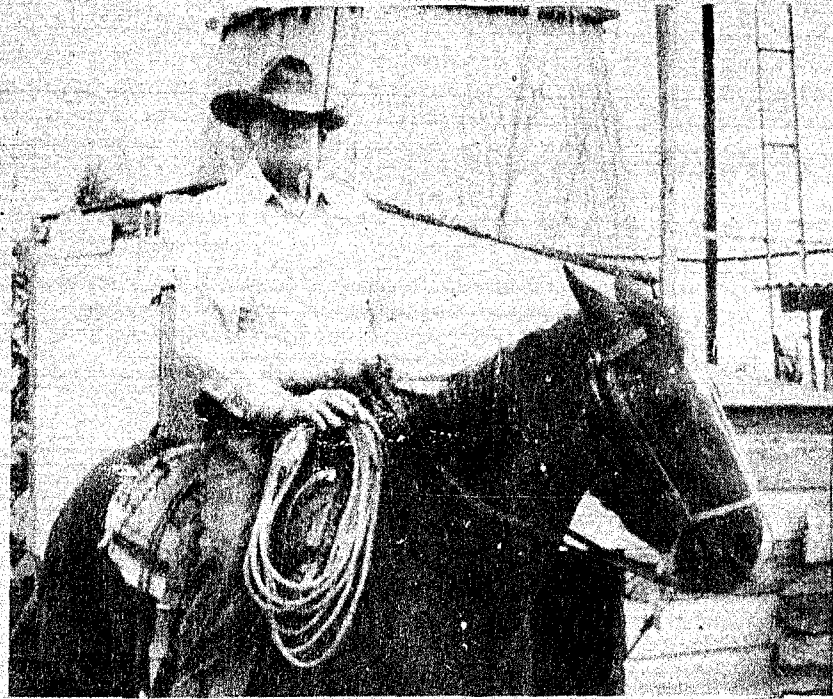
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The son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Baugh, he is still employed near Snyder as a tractor driver and still rides horseback around the farm.

He and his late wife, the former Alice Williams of Santa Anna, are parents of nine children, five of whom are still living.

Local relatives include three sisters, Mrs. Jennie Campbell, Mrs. Lela Hodges, Mrs. Ruth Hibbetts and a brother, Dick Baugh. Another sister, Eula Bigham, lives in California.

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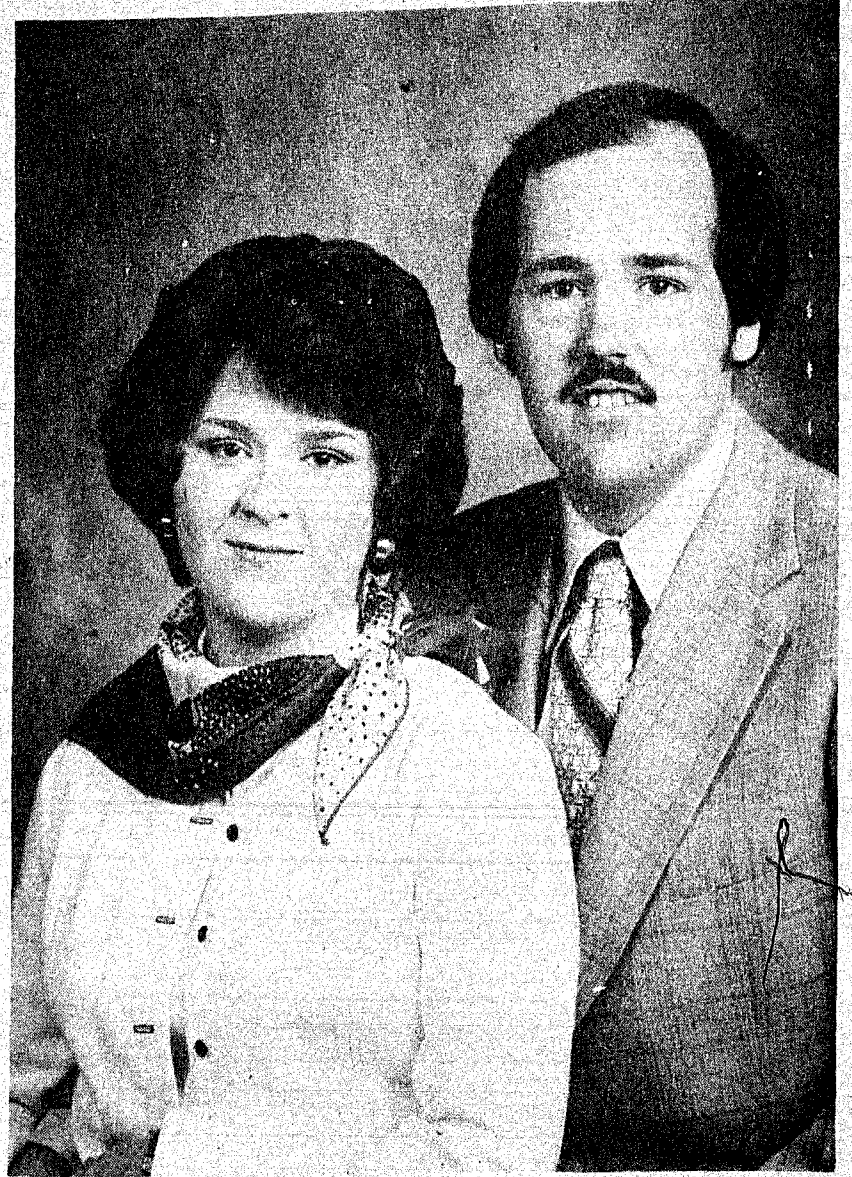
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Mrs. Hardy Blue was honored Friday, April 30, with a surprise birthday party. The event was hosted by members of the Hays-Blue Sunday School Class of United Methodist Church and held at the dining room at the Steak House restaurant.

Guests were seated at a long table centered with a decorated birthday cake. A pink orchid corsage a gift of the honoree's daughter, Mrs. Oran Henderson of Gatesville, was presented Mrs. Blue. A book and book rack were presented from the class.

Those present for the dinner and party were class members Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. Milford Harris, Mrs. Kitty Adams, Misses E. Lee and Ruby Harper, Mrs. Jennie Ladd, Mrs. Ora Hunter, Mrs. Joe Baker, Mrs. Mae McDonald, Mrs. George Stewardson, Mrs. Blanche Grantham, Mrs. Lillian Herndon, Miss Ann Stiles, Mrs. Mary Morrow, Mrs. Lucille Smith and Mrs. E. F. Talley.



Winnie McQueen To Be Honored With Reception

Mrs. Winnie McQueen, homemaking teacher at Santa Anna High School for many years, will be honored Sunday, May 9, with a reception at the Homemaking Cottage from 2 to 4 p.m.

Mrs. McQueen is retiring from the teaching profession this spring after being in public schools the past 37 years, most spent in Santa Anna.

Members of the Young Homemakers chapter, Future Homemakers of America and the school staff will host the reception, and all former students and friends are urged to go by during the afternoon.

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WEDDING DATE SET.... Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Young of Kingsville have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lynda, to Jim Benton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benton of Santa Anna. The bride-elect is a 1973 graduate of H.M. King High School at Kingsville and attended A&I University. She is presently attending Howard Payne University as a speech and hearing therapy major. The prospective bridegroom is a 1972 graduate of Santa Anna High School and will receive his degree in music education at Howard Payne University in August. He is a member of Phi Mu Alpha fraternity. The August 13 wedding will be held at Calvary Baptist Church in Kingsville. Rev. Don E. Warden of Kirbyville and Rev. Charles D. Walton of Kingsville will officiate.

Local Artists Invited to Show

Santa Anna artists and craftsmen are invited to take part in the third annual Ballinger Antique, Art and Craft Show to be held Saturday and Sunday, May 15, and 16, at Ballinger Community Center.

Exhibits are invited with \$1 charged for each entry. Booth space is \$6 with dealers to furnish tables. All entries in the art and crafts divisions must be in place by 11 a.m. May 15.

The project is planned to benefit Bicentennial projects in Ballinger, and everyone is invited to participate or attend.

SA Stage Band Given Trophy

The Santa Anna Stage Band was in Bronte Tuesday, April 27, for a stage band contest and received a III division trophy in Class B.

Members of the local group selected for the all-star band in Class B were David Eubank, trumpet; Sandi Hipsher, baritone saxophone; Jody Day, trombone; Sam Allen, drums; and Larry Benton, alto saxophone.

The next band event will be a spring concert planned Tuesday, May 18 at the high school auditorium.

Baby Daughter For Donnie Neffs

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Neff are parents of a baby daughter born in an Abilene hospital Monday, May 3, at 10:40 p.m. The little girl weighed six pounds, six ounces at birth. Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Neff of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy of Midland are grandparents of the new arrival.

Local Student Honored at HPU

Jimmy Benton, son of Mrs. Carl Benton, has been named an outstanding student by the Howard Payne University Music Department. The award was for music service and academic achievement.

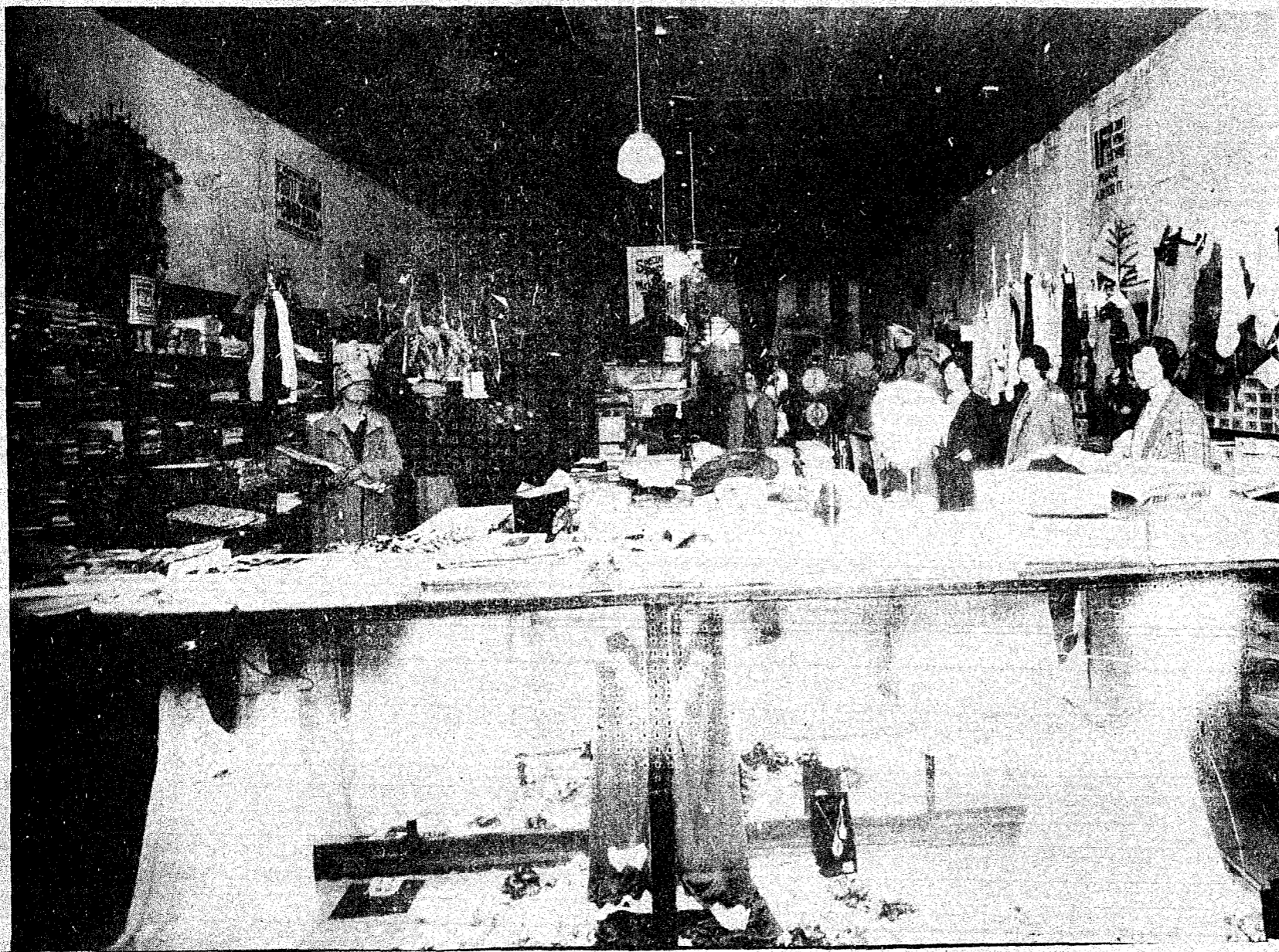
The awards were made last week by deans of the seven schools at HPU.

A 1972 graduate of Santa Anna High School, Benton is a music education major slated to graduate in August. He has been active in musical groups at HPU and was chosen for the well-known Heritage Singers the past year. He also served as music director at Brownwood First United Methodist Church for the past year.

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for it." Those identified in the picture are Mrs. W. E. Vanderford, far left, Mrs. E. R. Purdy, center back, and Mrs. George Johnson, second from right. The Purdy store was where H & H Food Mart is now located and closed in May 1964.

Reception Held Sunday For Teacher

Mrs. B. A. (Leta) Parker was honored Sunday, May 2, with a reception at Novice in honor of her retirement from the Novice Public School system. The event was sponsored by members of the faculty and school patrons in the community.

Also honored was Ed Burnham who is also retiring after eight years as a teacher in the Novice schools.

Mrs. Parker, a Santa Anna resident and SAHS graduate, has been in the teaching profession 32 years. Her first school was at Turner Ranch, a one-teacher school in south Coleman County.

She also taught in the Cleveland School and at Santa Anna in elementary level for many years. She has been at Novice the past nine years.

Mrs. Parker plans to enjoy being a housewife upon her retirement.

Among those attending the reception Sunday were friends from San Angelo, Colorado City and Santa Anna.

County Meeting Set Saturday For Democrats

Jo Ann Allen was named to head the Santa Anna delegation to the Coleman County Democratic Convention next Saturday in Coleman. The Precinct Two meeting was held at 7:15 p.m. Saturday at the Telephone Cooperative office.

Other delegates to the County convention will be Willard Allen, Barbara and Tom Kingsbery, Bille and Montie Guthrie, Thomas Wristen, Glenda Barnett, Henrietta Gilbreath, Glen Copeland, Ruby Hosch, Omadean Horner, Shirley and Max Eubank, Montie Guthrie III, and Jake McCreary. Alternates are J. H. Martin, Russiè James, Roby Cheaney and Cullen Perry.

The county meeting will be held at the community room of Coleman Bank at 2 p.m. May 8.

Rockwood WMS Holds Meeting In Yancy Home

The Women of the Rockwood Baptist Church held their monthly social Monday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Yancy hostess in her home. Mrs. Lon Gray gave the devotional with scripture from Luke 2:8-20; Mrs. Junior Brusenhan voiced the prayer for missionaries having birthday anniversaries in May. Mrs. Bill Bryan, president, presided during the business session and Mrs. Yancy directed games.

Gifts of homemade pies, cakes or cookies were exchanged and names drawn for the next social with Mrs. Brusenhan as hostess.

Present were Mmes. Bill Bryan, Brusenhan, R. W. Emerson, Dell Henderson, Lon Gray, Miller Box, Wayne Bray, R. J. Deal and the hostess, Mrs. Yancy.

Traci Morgan Feted on B-Day

Traci Morgan was honored Saturday, May 1, with a party in honor of her tenth birthday April 28. The party was held at the home of the honoree.

Guests enjoyed games and visiting. Refreshments of cake and punch were served. The ballerina motif was carried out in decorations.

Those attending were Gayle McCrary, Robin Hartman, Connie Culpepper, Tom Hipsher and the honoree's mother, Mrs. Barbara Morgan, and sister, Lorraine Morgan.

Cemetery Assn. Receives Gifts

The Santa Anna Cemetery Association has acknowledged two donations to the organization as memorials. The gifts were in memory of the late Allen Hawkins and are from Mr. Calvin Fuller and Bobby and Doris and Bill Griffin.

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Twenty-seven Students Enrolled In 1976-77 Kindergarten Class

Twenty-seven children were on hand Monday, May 3, for the Kindergarten Round-up at the local school. It is the largest group to pre-enroll in several years, and a few more children are expected before school starts in August.

Mrs. Sue Newman, kindergarten teacher, met with the group of prospective students while parents were given instructions and information by the school nurse and administrator.

Children present Monday for their pre-enrollment session were the following: Richard Lucero, Becky Ubnoski, Rhanda Osburn, James Hartman, Jim Rice, Holly Hoffman, Kevin Blanton, Dan Dockery, Marcie Puckett, Kimberley Westerman, Gabriel

Enriquez, Silvia Castillo, Cindy Blair, Francis Weems, Joey Cupps, Shannon Stevens, Salvador Perez, Jr., Jorge Siller, Eva Frausto, Tonja Boivin, Chuck Brown, Thonda Fleeman, Laurie Powers, Shane Simmons, Rith Garza, Rose Garza and Teresa Frausto.

Any child not registered Monday should be included as soon as possible. Children who will be five years of age on or before September 1 are eligible to attend the kindergarten.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick of Denton were weekend visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hosch and Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick of Whon.

Annual Event Held By Lions

The annual Lions Club Ladies Night banquet and program was held Thursday, April 29, at the Lions Building. Robert Barkley, president, was master of ceremonies.

Rev. W. M. Price led the invocation; T. C. Livingston voiced the benediction.

Rev. Harry Sarles, pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Coleman, was guest speaker for the occasion. Lula Joe Harvey Holcomb of Coleman presented piano selections during the evening and accompanied group singing.

Special guests at the meeting included presidents of the freshman, sophomore and senior classes at SAHS, Mike Ballard, Sherry Scarborough and Scott Bowker. Junior president Jay Weathers was unable to attend.

Other officers of the club this year are R. C. Smith, first vice president; Rev. John Gordon, second vice president; Rob Cheaney, third vice president; Norman Walters, secretary-treasurer; Richard Compton, tail twister; and Caskey Livingston, Lion tamer.

The Band Booster Club served the roast beef dinner to about 50 Lions members, wives and guests.

UMW GROUP TO MEET

The Martha group of United Methodist Women will meet at the church annex Monday, May 10, for their monthly session. All ladies of the group are urged to attend the meeting.

Ranger Park Inn News



JOHN WATSON
Honored At Nursing Home

John Watson has been named "Resident of the Month" at Ranger Park Inn. He has been a resident at the Inn for two years.

The son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Watson, he was born at Grosvenor and has one sister and three brothers, all currently residing in Coleman. His father was a native of Burnet County, and his mother was from Erath County.

Mr. Watson married Jo Ann Beal in Coleman in 1941 the ceremony performed at the Courthouse by a Justice of the Peace. They are parents of two sons, both living in Coleman.

Mr. Watson was a driller in the oil fields in Texas and Louisiana. He is a member of the

Baptist Church.

Congratulations to John Watson for being chosen "Resident of the Month."

Susie Snider of Coleman is a new resident at the Inn.

The Beginners Department of First Baptist Church was at the Inn Sunday for the morning service. Mrs. C. D. Bruce is director of the department; workers are Mmes. Frances Malone, Lee R. Huggins and Sammie Powers.

Cleo Beeson of Austin visited during the weekend with her uncle, Bunk Wagner. Also visiting was another niece, Pauline Leeper of Denver, Colorado, and Linnie Bowden of Brownwood, a sister-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Christenson of Big Spring visited her mother, Mrs. Faye Murphey, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elder of Coleman visited her brother, Orvel Croft.

Albert and Dorothy Taylor of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bennett of Seminole and Alice Holly of Coleman visited their mother, Mrs. Annie Taylor, last week. Others visiting were her grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Taylor and Stephanie of Sweetwater and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Coleman, and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. L. Taylor, also of Coleman.

Mrs. Keetie Haynes, Mrs. Jim Dunn, Mrs. Bessie Parish, Mrs. Bessie Pallett and Melvin Lamb visited with Miss Mary McCorkle at the Inn. Several of the ladies also visited Mrs. Dovie Chapman and other residents.

Ursula Shelley of Coleman visited at the Inn one day. Oscar Williams was a visitor of his mother, Callie Watkins.

Visitors with Mrs. Nola Hopper were her son-in-law, daughter and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hughes, Nola and Steve, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Hughes of Cottonwood.

Many visitors are expected at the Inn during Mothers Day weekend. All are urged to register so that a record may be kept of their visits.

Hospital News

The following patients were admitted to Ranger Park Hospital April 26-May 3:

D. L. Foster, Coleman
Maggie Medcalf, Bangs
Nancy Menges, city
Fay Scott, Coleman
Virginia Foster, Coleman
Fern Woody, Ranger Park Inn
Lydia Smith, city
Norton McCullough, Brownwood
Patients dismissed April 26-May 3:

Berena McNeeley, Ranger Park Inn

James Pate, Coleman
Susie Snider, Coleman
Denver Sparks, Coleman
Pedro Ramirez, Coleman
Pete Diaz, city
Jesusa Tarin, Mereta
Jewel Owen, city
Elmer Cupps, city

Other patients still in the hospital May 3:

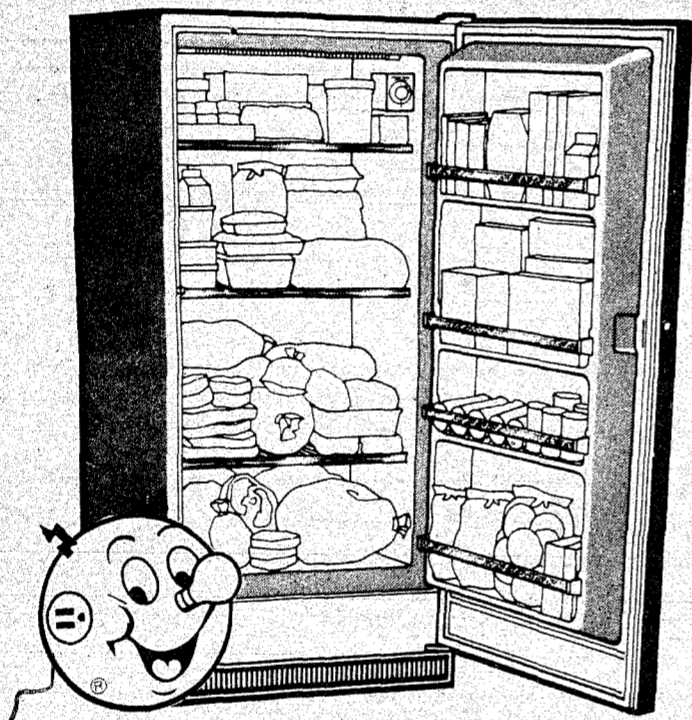
Pearl Swartz, city
Ben Martinez, city
Hardon Phillips, city
Clara Brown, city
Odessa Burch, Brady

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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

AROUND TOWN CALENDAR of Community Events

Thurs., May 6:
City Library Open 3-5 p.m.
Rams Vs Yankees, SA Ball Park, 6 p.m.
Mets vs Giants at Coleman 6 p.m.
Council on Ministries, Methodist Annex, 7 p.m.
Fr., May 7:
Little Olympics Coleman Hufford Field, 5 p.m.
Sat., May 8:
Sun., May 9:
ATTEND CHURCH
Mon., May 10:
Martha UMW Group, Methodist Annex, 3 p.m.
Methodist Choir Rehearsal, 7 p.m.
Orioles vs Pirates, in Coleman, 6 p.m.
Tues., May 11:
Men's Prayer Breakfast, UMC Annex, 6 a.m.
Lions Club, Lions Building 12 noon
Mets vs Senators, SA Ball Park 6 p.m.
Rams vs Dodgers, in Coleman, 6 p.m.
Wed., May 12:
Jet Cadets, UMC Youth Center, 4 p.m.
Fellowship of Christian Athletes, UMC, 8 p.m.
Administrative Board Meeting, UMC Annex, 7 p.m.



VICKI SMITH
Receives Award

Senior Student Given Award

Vicki Lynn Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith, has been chosen recipient of the annual Crisco Award at Santa Anna High School. The award is given to the outstanding homemaking student in the school and was presented at the annual FHA awards ceremony May 3.

Ken Bowker, high school principal, made the presentation of the silver plaque and congratulated Vicki on the excellence she has shown in her work.

Miss Smith, a senior student, is enrolled in the Home and Family Living class and has completed the class in Consumer Education. The two courses are for students of junior and senior level and are in the area of special courses in homemaking.

Rites Held For Mrs. Yarborough Tuesday, May 4

Funeral services were held in the Coleman First United Methodist Church Tuesday, May 4, for Mrs. Ben (Mabel) Yarborough who died Saturday night in the Coleman Hospital where she had been a patient several weeks. Burial was in the Coleman City Cemetery under the direction of Stevens Funeral Home of Coleman.

Rev. E. Richard Chaffin, pastor of the Santa Anna United Methodist Church, and Rev. Bobby Weathers of Killeen, officiated at the services.

Born in Hunt County, Mrs. Yarborough had lived in Coleman County since 1900. She was a graduate of Coleman High School, and housewife and ranchwoman. She was a member of Breeder-Feeder Auxiliary for many years and a member of the Santa Anna United Methodist Church. She married Ben W. Yarborough in Brady in 1932.

Survivors are her husband; and three cousins, Mrs. Jennie Mabel Hall of Santa Anna, George Owens of Greenville and Gussie Sumrow of Farmersville.

Pallbearers were Weldon Davis, Rob Cheaney, S. A. Boardman, Neal Oakes, Owen Hall, Henderson Lindsey, Fran Yarborough, W. B. Yarborough and Hugh Yarborough.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal were in Woodson Wednesday through Friday because of the illness and death of her brother, Guy Ellis; we extend our deepest sympathy to the family.

Neighbors attending the funeral from Rockwood were Mrs. Lon Gray Mrs. Bill Bryan, Mrs. Claud Box, Mrs. Blake Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Ellis, Mrs. Johnnie Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hallford, Mr. and Mrs. Erzell Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry of Dallas. Nephews, Joe Deal, Roland Deal, Gene Deal, Johnny Deal, Guy Siler and David Siler were pallbearers.

Sunday guests in the Deal home were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Deal and Belinda of Bangs, Johnny Deal and children of Brownwood, Rolan Deal of Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Don Taylor and Kevin of Gouldbusk and Mrs. Claud Box.

Joe Estes of Abilene was Wednesday luncheon guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hull of Dawson visited Monday afternoon.

Bill Porter and Roger Sediack, students in ACU, in Abilene were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler. Mr. Porter filled the pulpit at the Shields Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Sturgill and Christy and Mrs. Tillie Casey of San Angelo spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry; the occasion was Mrs. Sturgill's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Carl Buttry reports grandson, Jerry Halmon, a student in Angelo State University, will be leaving on a student tour May 30, from San Angelo by plane to Medellin, Colombia, where they will spend three weeks, then the tour will proceed to Guatamala, San Juan, Costa Rico, Panama City and will spend July 4th in Mexico City, returning to San Angelo July 5.

Mrs. Claud Box and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle visited in Abilene Saturday with Mrs. Joe Box, who is in a rest home, but returns to her home each day.

Memorials to the Rockwood Cemetery Fund for Guy Ellis were made by Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan and Mrs. Claude Box. A donation to the regular fund was made by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Box.



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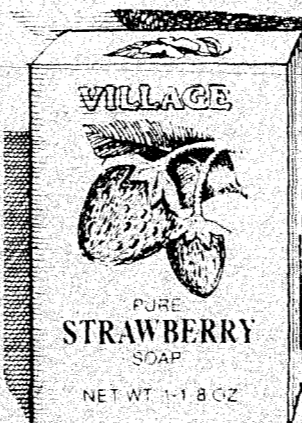
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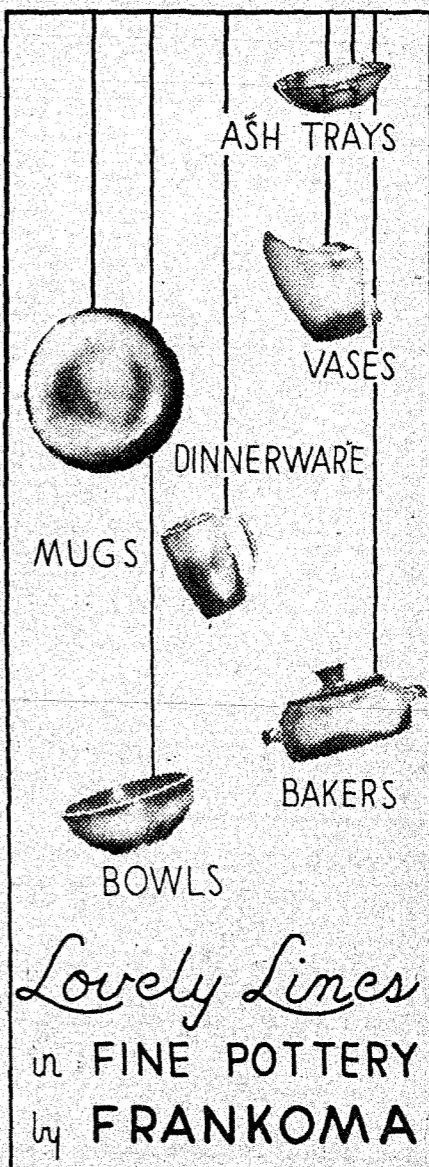
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By Billie Wheatley

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I should have suspected something when we took a trip to East Texas. Would you believe a mesquite tree a hundred miles into Post Oak country? It was no puny thing either and it was growing right in some man's fence row. Now, if those women were being treated equal like us, that man would have had his wife pour some kerosene on that mesquite.

Talk about counting your blessings, we West Texas farm wives have been blessed all this time and didn't know it. This has worried me so much I've jotted down a couple of ways these women might improve their lot in life.

Ladies, run, don't walk, to the nearest farm supply store and buy your man a fence charger and a battery. Better pick up a big roll of wire, some insulators, and a bundle of steel fence posts too. It

wouldn't be a bad idea to buy yourself a good hoe while you're there. You can hide it in the hen house, and when the time comes for the equal rights you'll be ready and won't have to waste time going to town for one. The reason this trick works so well is because there's not a man alive who can resist a gadget. If it has knobs and makes a racket he's going to keep it running. These things won't work if weeds grow up and touch the wire, so when the calves begin to get in the grain field you have to clean out under it.

It won't be long now until you will get all the equal rights you can handle. Just be sure your hoe is sharp, and better wear gloves too. One man I know made about a quarter-mile of fence out of his, and the first time his wife got to help, the Johnson grass was waist high and it was 104 degrees in the shade. She's leaning on her hoe with her tongue hanging down to her belt buckle when he hollers over, "this is some of that equal rights you've been hearing about." Real cute!

Another "must" is a tiller for

his tractor. These things plow deep and tear up the soil. They're also a sure-fire way to bring rocks to the top of the ground, and that's where you will get some equal rights you've never seen the likes of. If you wore your gloves out on the hoe, better get some more. He will probably hook a trailer behind the tractor for this job, so be sure you put the sledge hammer in because some of the rocks will have to be broken up before they can be loaded.

Also, he may try to get you to drive the tractor, but if you do this you won't get as much equalitt as he does, so just ask him real sweet, how fast you should be going when you shift into second gear. This is guaranteed to keep you off the tractor.

I know where there's a good tiller, but if you call and a man answers, just hang up. These two suggestions should keep you happy the year round, but in case you still feel put down, come on over to my house. My husband doesn't care who hauls his rocks.

VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rutherford are back at home following a vacation trip. They visited in Nashville, Tennessee and attended the Grand Ole Opry, and enjoyed sightseeing through six states. In Jackson, Miss. the Rutherfords visited with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rowzee, whom they had not seen since World War II Army days.

The couple visited with their son and family, Rev. and Mrs. Don Rutherford and children, in Fort Worth enroute home. Weekend guests in the Rutherford home were their other sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rutherford and daughter of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford and daughter of Abilene.

The Joe Rutherfords also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Cullins and family.



Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and family. Mrs. Deal's brother, Mr. Guy Ellis, was buried at Woodson last Friday afternoon following a long illness. Our sympathy to each of the bereaved loved ones.

Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick reports her daughter, Mrs. Jacky Bullion, improving following major surgery in a Fort Worth hospital. Mrs. Fitzpatrick came home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson spent the weekend visiting their son and family, and other relatives and friends in Fort Worth, returning home Sunday afternoon.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. Ben Yarborough of Santa Anna, in the Coleman Hospital Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Yarborough have a home and land holdings in our community. Mrs. Yarborough will be buried in Coleman Cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

Fannie Alsop of Santa Anna spent Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Wimpy Watson visited with Mrs. Floyd Morris Monday afternoon.

Please accept this as my thanks for your donations to the muscular dystrophy fund Monday. I called in most of the homes in our community. Thanks so much for a good response.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford were in Brownwood Saturday morning and came by Bangs and visited our son, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rutherford and children, Tonna and Todd, for a time.

Mrs. Wimpy Watson received the message Monday afternoon her niece, Melissa Davis, is very seriously ill in a Fort Worth hospital. Mrs. Watson talked with her brother, Mr. Bill Davis (Melissa's father) in Hamburg, Germany Monday afternoon. We trust the report from Melissa will soon be real good.

Mr. Leon Carter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick of Denton visited during the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick.

On Easter Sunday, Mr. Bruce Estes of Rockwood and his little daughter, Lea Ann, spent Easter Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick and their granddaughter, Michelle

Bullion. The little girls enjoyed the afternoon hunting Easter eggs.

Mrs. Snowden of Brady spent the weekend with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick. On Sunday they visited with Mrs. Tim Snowden in the Veterans Hospital at Kerrville. Mrs. Fitzpatrick report her father seemed more alert, but still not feeling so well.

Mrs. Paul Avants of Santa Anna, and her son, James Avants, and his son Jimmy of Coleman, were on the Avants farm Saturday.

Rocky Rutherford and James Hale of Coleman visited briefly Saturday afternoon with Rocky's grandparents, the Tom Rutherfords.

Funeral Held For Mr. Hawkins Tuesday, Apr. 27

Allen L. Hawkins, 70, died Tuesday, April 27, in Brownwood Community Hospital following a short illness. Funeral services were held Thursday, April 29, in First Baptist Church with Rev. W. M. Price, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Santa Anna Cemetery under direction of Henderson Funeral Home.

Born in Haskell February 13, 1906 to the late D. O. and Lula Bell Hawkins, he had lived in Coleman County since his marriage in 1936 to Norma Bawmann. She died in 1972. Mr. Hawkins was a veteran of World War II and a retired oil field worker, retiring in 1968.

Survivors are two sons, Kenneth R. Hawkins of Brownwood and Allen L. (Joe) Hawkins of Fort Meade, Maryland; two daughters, Mrs. Peggy Attaway of Garland and Miss Lula Ann Hawkins of Santa Anna; one sister, Mrs. Gertrude Maulden of California; six brothers, Roy Lucian, O. D. D., Worth and L. P., all of California; seven grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers at the services were Red Brandon, Vernon Herring, Boots Morris, Donnie Clifton, Noble Carpenter, and A. D. Pettit.

VISITING SON

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Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

Just a reminder that the Cleveland Cemetery meeting is Saturday morning, May 8. Don't forget it.

Ernie and Carolyn Covey and children, Michael, Patricia and Jolinda were home over the weekend visiting his and her parents, the Fred Coveys of Bangs and the R. W. Cupps of Cross Roads. Winnie Haynes also visited late Saturday evening, and the C. E. Wises visited Saturday night.

Dale and Jeannie Herring, Peter Lance and Jeffery of Coleman were dinner guests of the Casey Herrings Friday.

Granddaddy Cupps came home from the Ranger Park Hospital Sunday morning. His children all visited him off and on during the week. He is doing well now.

Lucy Cupps came home from the Ranger Park Hospital Sunday morning.

Lucy Cupps and Sydney visited Saturday in Coleman with the Edward Leonards, Sydney was in Bronte with the band one day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould, Jr., and Clayton of Brownwood visited his parents, the C. C. Goulds Sr., of the Cleveland Community. Also Johnny Henson and children visited Sunday afternoon as did Jewel Beeler and Mattie Cason of Coleman. The Goulds and Edna Hunter went to town Friday. Billy Hunter of Brownwood brought the Goulds a load of wood Saturday afternoon.

Visitors during the week with Aunt Tinnie Campbell were the Dick Baughs, Bessie Pallett, Novie Switzer, Maggie Herring, Louise Moore, Mrs. J. B. Sims of Early, Mrs. Claude Box, Lela Hodges, the Calvin Campbells and the Dutch Campbells.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh visited Hardin Phillips Sunday afternoon. She visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores, Wednesday, J. C. Bible of San Angelo brought Jamie Joe and three of his friends and they had a camp-out on his granddaddy Baugh's place Saturday night.

Wilmoth Russell and Ruby

Howard visited in Bangs Friday with Mrs. Artie Magill. On their way back they went by Ranger Park Hospital and visited Pearl Swartz.

Buddy Bengé, Tammy, Traci, and La Donnie Jones, all of Brownwood, visited the Bruce Hibbetts Sunday afternoon. The girls went swimming.

Grace Ellis visited the Cecil Ellises and Tammy Sunday afternoon.

Linda Cullins and Aunt Illa Donica visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Beulah Fleming and girls.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wise the past week were Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lewis of Eastland, Alton Brewer of Santa Anna and Leroy Stockard of Abilene. Other visitors were Gladys Haynes, Ethel Casey, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stephenson.

About 8 o'clock Monday morning I visited for awhile with Peggy Sikes on the CB radio in Bangs. I have had my CB radio for 14 years. They are nice to have, and all but one of our children has one.

Jacky and Linda Pierce and children of Lake Brownwood came Friday night and Cindy and Troy spent the weekend with their grandparents, the A. C. Pierces. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce visited the F. A. Sanders Sunday evening.

Winnie Haynes and Grace Ellis visited the Paul Jennings one day last week in Bangs.

Darrel and Cindy Boyle have moved to Bangs from Corsicana. They visited Ruby Hartman Monday morning. Jeffery and Jeremy Hartman spent Friday and Saturday with the Edd Hartmans while their parents, the Ronnie Hartmans, were in Austin. We are happy to have the Boyles back now.

Visitors with Hardin Phillips out at Ranger Park Hospital were Dick Baugh, the Pete Moores, John Gordon, Leon Phillips, the Lee Ray Huggins and David, the Joe Wallaces, the R. W. Cupps, Thelma, Evaline and Mr. Anderson.

It will be awhile longer before Hardin will be going home.

Warren Bruce Wallace of Seagraves was at home over the weekend visiting the Joe Wallaces. Aunt Lela Hodges visited last Wednesday.

Leon Phillips of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins and David of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Hopson of Llano visited the Dutch Campbells Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. George Teeters of Bangs visited Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagner of San Angelo visited Bunk Wagner at Ranger Park Inn. They visited Myrtle Wagner and Byrdie Miller Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Walker of Abilene visited homefolks on the weekend, the Harrel Cupps and Janice and Violet Walker.

Myrtle Wagner was a dinner guest of the James Fords Sunday. Also their children, the Ted Fords and sons and the Joe Ford family were there.

Aunt Lela Hodges visitors during the week were Mary Cruger, and Ilene Ellis. Brenda Chambers and little son John visited and had lunch with her Wednesday. Mary and Willie Rice visited also on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry visited Mrs. Roy Bledsoe in Coleman Monday.

For our weather Monday, May 3: Partly cloudy, a pretty day. Everything is getting pretty and green. For our newspaper, a big hello to everyone.

SATURDAY GUESTS

Mrs. Bessie Pallett and Mrs. Lucille Smith ere Saturday night guests in the home of Mrs. Bessie Parish.

The Santa Anna News, Thurs., May 6, 1976

RECENT VISITORS

Maxine Flynn of San Antonio visited recently with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Summers. Other recent visitors in the Summers home were nephews, Wilburn Summers of Visalia, California, Eldon Summers and his wife of Marysville, Calif., and Wayne Summers of Phoenix, Ariz., who were enroute to Meridian for a family reunion.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Rev. Travis Gibson, the Baptist minister, preached here Sunday morning. Next Sunday morning Rev. Richard Chaffin, the Methodist minister will preach at 9:30 a.m. and the second Sunday night singing will be held at 7 p.m. We hope to have a good singing and a lot of good singers here.

We are sorry to report Mr. Carl Looney, our neighbor, is a very sick man in the Brady Hospital. The Oscar Boenickes visited him and his wife Sunday afternoon. Vera Wise and Ethel Casey of Santa Anna went to see him Monday evening and he was a little better. He is in Room 42-B in Heart of Texas Hospital at Brady if his friends would like to send a card.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming visited the Hilburn Hendersons Sunday night.

Russie James spent Friday night and Saturday with her daughter and family, Roberta and Pat McShan, Cindy and Pat Jr., Sunday Russie attended the Bangs Cemetery Memorial meeting Sunday morning. She and Fay Whitley and Ruth and J. Y. Seward ate out at the Kenneth Wise Cafe. Sunday night Lou Vaughn visited Russie.

Last Wednesday the Oscar Boenickes had dinner at Pauline Boenickes in Brownwood. Others there were Lydia and Floyd Eoff and Laura Harris, Bertha Deere, Ethel Boenicke and Pauline. Anton and Lee Boenicke did not get to be there.

Mary Kathrine and Jean Watts, Travis, Terry and Debera Watts all from Fort Worth visited the S. M. Fellers during the weekend, also Sybil Dean of Santa Anna visited Sunday with them all.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatfield of Snyder came with Billy Don Haynes and spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes and Sunday afternoon Mattie and Jim Linebery of Bangs visited them all.

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Barbara Dockery and children spent the day with Oma Lee Dockery Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Casey visited in the afternoon.

Grady and Genia McIver and Terry McIver and boys went to

Comanche and had dinner with Gayla and J. W. Sellers and children Saturday. Orabeth McIver and her baby girl visited her grandmother, Mrs. Blue in Santa Anna on her birthday. Saturday night the Terry McIver family had supper with the Grady McIvers.

Lou Vaughn visited the Walter Stacys Sunday afternoon.

Sunday Mrs. May Sharp and Wilburn and Helen Sharp had dinner and visited the G. K. Stearns.

Pamela and Angela and J. J. Miller of Austin visited over the weekend with their grandmother and uncle, Mary Lee Mitchell and her brother, J. B. Griffin.

Bernice and May McIver visited Ed and Gladis Featherston Sunday afternoon at Brownwood, also they visited Mary Lou and Melvin Storm family.

Sunday evening after they got home Grady and Genia McIver and Rankin visited Bernice and May.

Wiley and Carrie McClatchy attended church at the Central Methodist in Brownwood Sunday morning and had dinner with the Pat McClatchy family, also they went after Myrtle Beaird and she had dinner with them all and had a nice time together.

We are thankful for the good rain we received last Wednesday night. We got .9 of one inch, sure fine on everything.

Class of 1926 Plans Reunion

Several members of the Class of 1926 met recently to make plans for the 50th reunion of the group to be held at the annual Ex-student Homecoming in October.

The group met at the Steak House restaurant. Those present were Leta Ragsdale Parker, Lucille Lowe Balke, and Jim Lovelady, all of Santa Anna, and Fay Atkinson Hill of Comanche, Cora and Ray Green of Stephenville and Charlie Burris of Killeen. Also present was Mrs. Mae Blue, a class sponsor.

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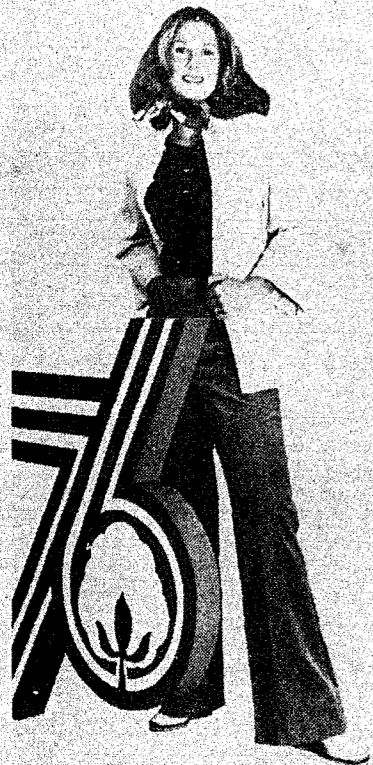
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The following stories are from the April 7, 1939 issue of the NEWS:

In the school trustee election Saturday, Leroy V. Stockard and Jim Robin were re-elected to serve another term without opposition.

In the city election Tuesday Mayor Leman Brown was returned to office with George M. Johnson and A. D. Donham as Commissioners. Mr. Johnson and Mr. Donham, new men in official capacity, are honorable and trustworthy citizens.

H. B. James, Bill Vaughn and Otis Calcote of Trickham returned from a fishing trip to the Colorado River Saturday displaying four yellow cats whose weight totaled seventy pounds, besides some smaller ones. The fish were caught on a trot line. Earl Cozart and Jessie Earl York also brought in one weighing near twenty pounds. Ask those Trickham boys if you want to know how to get the yellow cat.

WHON NEWS

The annual school picnic was held Friday, March 31, at Jim Carter's pasture. Soft ball, volleyball and foot races furnished entertainment during the day. Mr. Bert Turney and Aaron Avants barbecued the goats. Everyone cooperated in a fine way to make the picnic a success.

Misses Doris Lovelady, Sylvia Fiveash and Joyce Gill visited in the Doss Smith home at Coleman Friday night and Saturday.

The Shallow Oils, Inc. have moved their rigs and have contracted to drill two wells on the Davidson and Yarborough farms. The old well was shot with nitroglycerine and shows indication of being a commercial producer.

BUFFALO NEWS

Eleven agriculture boys of Buffalo went to Stephenville Friday to compete in area judging contests. There were three teams entered, dairy judging, field crop

judging and poultry judging.

The Buffalo boys have started their spring training in football. They are going to have a six-man football team this year.

The Santa Anna FFA boys presented a one-act play in the High School Auditorium Monday night. The title of the play was "FFA Foils the Villian."

The cast was made up of Ray Hartman, Floyd Shelton, Billie McCormick, playing the part of the girl. G. T. England, George Wheatley, W. D. Sheffield, Haskell Richardson, Wallie Garey, Edd Hartman and Jack Everett.

Saturday, April 1, a group of Home Making Club girls attended an area convention in San Angelo.

Three of the members participated in an amateur contest. Eudora Farris, Margaret Griffin and Glenda Williamson did tap dances.

Others enjoying the trip were Kathryn Williamson, Ruth Vanderford, Roxie Lane, Carolyn Kingsbery, Rachel Parker, Clea Mae Wristen, Helen Oakes, Wilma Mills, Mary K. Brown, Dorothy Douglas, club sponsor, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Kingsbery.

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Parts of Coleman County have been blessed with fine rains this week, other parts have reported from light sprinkles to fair showers. A good rain is generally needed.

Great preparations are being made for the evening dinner and dedication service at the Texas Ex-Ranger Memorial Building on Tuesday evening. The principal aim of the meeting is to raise money to finish paying off the debt incurred for the building and for a general good time.



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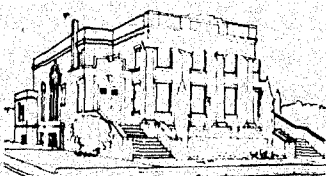
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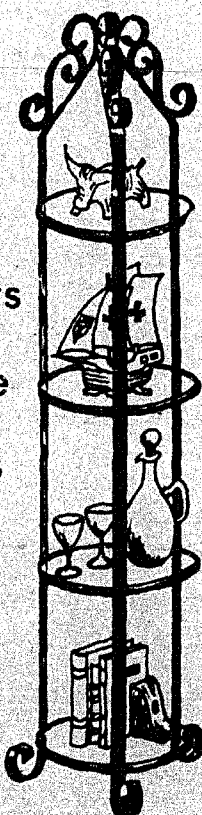
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