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Chamber of Commerce

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Funtier Day

The Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce met for a regular monthly meeting on Wednesday evening. March 11. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Plans for the Annual Funtier Day, scheduled for May 2, were discussed and decisions were made concerning the different events scheduled for the day. It was decided to NOT have the Miss Funtier Day Pageant. Some events planned for the day are a parade, the ice cream freeze-off, games, arts and crafts, a quilt show. a doll show, an art show, a softball tournament, the Lions Club Skit, and many other activities are still in the

planning stage and not yet finalized. Booths for the Funtier Day event are being sold and if you wish a booth call 348-3115 or 348-3101.

The Chamber of Commerce is also planning to make and give baskets at the Funtier Day as they did last year and are requesting donations of homemade goods, food, art, crafts, etc. to put in the baskets that will be given away at drawings during the

Other activities planned by the Chamber of Commerce is a Clean-Up Day scheduled for Saturday, April 25. Charles Wetsel is in charge of the clean up day.

On Friday, March 13, 1987, a Wilfred DeLeon Sanchez of San Angelo, Texas was arrested for Driving While Intoxicated on Highway 67 involving an incident where he had been running vehicles off the road between Bangs and Santa Anna, and this subject was placed in the Coleman County Jail on these

Also, on Friday, March 13, Mike Makuta reported his pickup as being stolen or missing from his residence on North Santa Fe Street here in Santa Anna. It was recovered by the Brown County Sheriff Office at approximately 1:45 p.m. the same day on Highway 84 approximately 6

The Santa Anna Mountaineer

Track Teams had a nice day at the

races this past Saturday, streaking

to team championships in both the

boys and girls divisions at the

Pioneer Relays hosted by Cross

Plains. The meet actually took place

in Rising Star because Cross Plains

is building a new track facility. This

was the first time in many years that

both the boys and girls won cham-

The Mountaineers ran away with

the boys title scoring 118 points to

runnerup Gorman, who scored 67.5

points. The Lady Mountaineers

outscored runnerup Cross Plains 103

The boys varsity team has grown

in recent years. Three years ago we

had only five boys; eighteen com-

peted in the Pioneer Relays Satur-

day. Four other boys were unable to

participate, but should be with the

team next week. Those competing

were: Joey Anderson, Scott Ander-

son, Fernando Castillo, Bobby

DeLeon, Robert Duus, David Garza,

Buddy Hardin, Rex Haprer, Alonzo

Hernandez, Johnny Kirven, Lonnie

Kirven, Clarence McDowell, Reece

McIver, Bobby Pritchard, Robby

Pritchard, Eddie Tomlinson, David

Tucker, and Jerry Wells.

Scoring is as follows:

pionships in the same meet.

On Sunday, March 15, Fred Miller of 903 Wallis Avenue reported that his daughter's Huffy 10-speed bicycle was missing and that the last time it had been seen was some four to six weeks as it had been on his front porch and that entry to the

School Board Acts On Teacher Contracts

In their regular monthly meeting held on Tuesday night, the Santa Anna school board acted on teacher contracts along with other items of

Teachers rehired for the 1987-88 school year upon the recomendation from the principals and superintendent were as follows.

Elementary-Coyita Bowker, Sharon Cheaney, Betty Coffey, Sharon Greenlee, Dorothy Harris, Lena Hendry, Beverly Houser, Dee Dee Hudson, Joan Jones, Gail Loyd, Russell McGough, Betty Moore, Janet Neff, Sue Newman, Betty Smith, R.C. Smith, Dianna Snipes.

Secondary-Dean Bass, Gale Brock, Sharyl Fuller, Sandra Guthrie, Lois Harper, William

Hightower, Dwight Hudson, Rebecca Martin, Kathy McGough, Roland Nicholas Diann Wetsel

Administrative Aides-Jean Brister, Debra Dean, Ann Langford. Instructional Aides-Marilyn Cullins, Sybil Dean, Kay Gray, Angie Hernandez, Barbara Patterson, Pat Smith, Mary Vasquez.

Nanette Newbourn, who has been a co-op counselor for Santa Anna, Novice and Lohn, was hired as a full time counselor in the Santa Anna schools for the coming year.

Employment of all personnel was subject to the conditions that funding was available for the position; removing of any certification deficiencies; possible reduction in the number of staff personnel; duties subject to assignment.

Band director, Lonnie Baker met with the board to request permission for the band to travel to Corpus Christi in May for a band festival. The request was granted. Most expenses for the trip are available through funds already raised by the band and Band Boosters and from funds budgeted for the band program and anticipated fund raising projects planned for the next few weeks by the band.

Other routine business matters were taken care of during the meeting which was the last regularly scheduled meeting before the school trustee election to be held in April after which the board will reorganize for the new board year.

National Bank. Other county entries

will be on display at the Coleman

County Courthouse and First Col-

eman National Bank and Coleman

The winner of a \$10 beef certificate

and a Circle C bandand, Jill is the

daughter of Joyce Weathers of Santa

Anna and Jay Weathers of

Brownwood.

County State Bank in Coleman.

FFA & FHA Bar-B-Que Tonight

The FFA and the FHA of Santa Anna High School will hold their annual bar-b-que and dance at the school cafeteria beginning at 7:00 p.m. tonight.

Faculty members and members of the Advisory Council for the group will be guests. The annual event is held for the students involved in FHA and FFA.

Sharyl Fuller is faculty sponsor for the FHA and William Hightower is faculty sponsor for the FFA.

ESA Collects \$559.40 For March of Dimes

Delta Omicron Chapter of ESA collected for the March of Dimes in February. Most of the city was canvassed. The group would like to express gratitude to all who gave and the total amount collected and sent to March of Dimes from Santa Anna was \$559.40

Those marching for Delta Omicron were: Geneva Garrett, Gail Loyd, Coyita Bowker, Sharon Greenlee, Gay Martin, Kathryn Pearce, Jan Brixey, Betty Martin, Patti Musick, Becky Martin, Gail Horner, Donna Bradley and Debbie Dean. Betty Moore was March of Dimes chairman this year.

Police Report

charges.

miles from Santa Anna. It had been vandalized and a stereo cassette player removed along with the speakers.

house was not used very much.

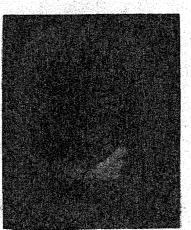
Chief of Police Craig Terry reports that this is all of importance that has happened in the last week and he just wanted to keep the public informed of what the police department is involved in.

Jill Weathers has been named a winner in an essay writing contest sponsored by the Coleman County

Fifth grade students of Coleman County participated in the contest with prizes awarded to a contestant from each of the four schools

Circle C Cowbelles.

The essays were entitled "How Agriculture Helps Me." Jill's entry will be on display at the Santa Anna



Jill Weathers

Santa Anna Teams Sweep Titles At CP

Jill Weathers Essay Contest Winner

Cirls DIVISION

103; 2. Cross Plains 96; E. Baird 74;

4. Jim Ned 66; 5. Gorman 62; 6. ACU

High 46; 7. Ranger 30; 8. Gustine 26;

9. May 18. 10. Rising Star 11; 11.

HIGH JUMP: 1.Rogers, Ranger

SHOT PUT: 1. McClellan, Jim

Ned, 291/2; 2. Tankersley, Jim Ned

28-11½; 3. White, May 28-1; Eva

Frausto and Rose Garza par-

DISCUS: 1. Whitehead, Baird

83-1; 2. Perez, Jim Ned 82-2; 3. Cor-

adall. Gorman 80-6: Eva Frausto

and Rose Garza participated in this

LONG JUMP: 1. Shannon Brown,

Santa Anna 15-101/2: 2. Howard, ACU

High 13-10; 3. Long, Goldthwaite

TRIPLE JUMP-1. Shannon

Brown, Santa Anna 32-8; 2. Tutt, Jim

Ned 32-5; 3. Montgomery, Cross

Plains 31.9; 4. Melissa Buse, 31-1%.

400 RELAY: 1. Jim Ned 54.77; 2.

Cross Plains 55.20; 3. Gorman 56.46;

4. Santa Anna (Lee Ann Musick,

Selina Cook, Maria Moreno, and

100 HURDLES: 1. Mitears, Gorman

18.13; 2. Coody, ACU High 18.55; 3.

160 DASH: 1. Shannon Brown,

Santa Anna 12.82; 2. Gibbs, Jim Ned

13.0; 3. Morgan, Cross Plains 19.08;

400 RELAY: 1. Santa Anna (Maldes Buss, Seline Cook, Shvin Castille, and Shannon Brown)

1:55.36; 2. Cross Plains 1:57.38; 3.

400 RUN: 1. Fixer, Gustine 64.54:

2. Welker, Riging Star 65.02; 3. Jag-

200 DASH: 1. Shanson Brown, teste Assa St.14; 2. Maliesa Buse.

Santa Anna 28.27; 3. Howard, ACU

Kirkham, Cross Plains 19.08.

6. Lee Ann Musick, 14.04.

Gorman 1:50.50.

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Silvia Castillo) 56.58.

ticipated in this event also.

4-11; 2. Windham, Baird, 4-6; 3. Dix-

Goldthwaite 10.

on, Gorman 4-4.

event also.

13-8.

nando Castillo. 400 RELAY: 1. Jim Ned, 46.19; 2.

Tucker), 46.47; Rising Star, 46.69.

2:13.49; 2. Prather, ACU High, 2:12.51; 3. Robert Duus, Santa Anna, 2:16.68; 5. Alonzo Hernandez.

Santa Anna, 17.01; 3. Bobby Pritchard, Santa Anna, 17.41; 5. Robby Pritchard, Santa Anna. 100 DASH: 1. Hicks, Gustine 11.30;

Tucker, Santa Anna, 11.82.

Robby Pritchard, Santa Anna.

Triamentez, Gutsine, 47.22.

200 DASH: 1. Walker, ACU High, 23.50; 2. King, Ranger, 23.57; 3. White, Rising Star, 24.38; 4. Johnny Kirven, Santa Anna; 6. Lonnie Kirven, Santa Anna.

330 RUN: 1. Pachece, German, 11:98.54; 2. Ramires, German, 11:34.39; 3. Wheeler, Jim Ned, 11:47.07.

3:05.85; 6. Gloria Frausto, 3:43.73. 3200 RUN: 1. Carie Keeney, Santa Anna 14:44.29; 2. B. King, Baird 15:13.14; 3. S. King, Baird 15:30.61.

1600 RUN: 1. Carie Keeney, Santa Anna 6:46.27; 2. Rouse, May 6:49.53; 3. S. King 6:49.75; 6. Amy Sauveur, Santa Anna 7:20.36.

1600 RELAY: 1. Cross Plains 4:55.29; 2. Baird 4:55.43; 3. ACU High 5:00.07.

ISD Updating **Facilities**

The Santa Anna ISD is in the process of upgrading many of its facilities. Paving of the school ground between the Elementary and Junior High buildings was completed last week. This adds play area and helps building maintenance during periods of wet weather. In February, a contract was awarded to the Master's Company of Greenville, Texas, to replace the exisiting roof on the Elementary building. Construction will begin as soon as weather permits. Gary Stark Electric has just completed lighting the Smith Tennis Courts, bringing the number of courts that can be utilized at night to four. Special thanks goes to Walter Pape for donating the poles, West Texas Utilities for digging the holes and helping set the poles, and to the Coleman County Telephone Co-op for the use of their bucket truck.

Lion's Mave Council Candidates For Lunch

The Santa Anna Lion's Club invited all the City Council candidates to lunch at the Toesday meeting this past Tuesday, Merch 17. Candidates ding the meeting were: Joe rero, Thelma Brooker, Joe Taylor, James Ford, Jim Keeney, ed Poerl Wilson.

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NEW SLOPED END ATTACHMENT to be used in the future on private access driveway entrances to state maintained highways is being shown by Gene Christian, roadway maintenance supervisor in Coleman County.

Sloped Gulvert Ends To **Provide Additional Safety**

A new culvert end treatment that will provide greater safety for Texas motorists will be required in the future on all access driveway entrances to state maintained high-

Consisting of a length of pipe cut diagonally on a 6-1 slope, this safety end treatment has proved effective in reducing the likelihood of injury or damage in case of an accident. An out-of-control vehicle will run right over the new sloped culvert end, rather than come to a jolting stop on

According to Roadway Maintenance Supervisor Gene Christian of the Coleman office of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, the innovative assety end treatments will be required on all access driveway rances constructed after March

In the past, the department has installed access driveways for landowners provided they furnish the materials. That policy will be continued in District 23 with the added requirement that the owner provides the safety end treatment.

Christian encourages landowners with existing driveways to install the safety and treatment. Since a permit is required for either new entrances or modifying an existing entrance, Christian says that his office will process the permits in the order they are requested and install the safety end treatments as the work load

Anyone wishing to have the new safety end treatments installed or needing an access determay may call Christian at the Mai Section of the Cole

ROYS DIVISION

TEAM TOTALS: 1. Santa Anna 118: 2. Gorman 67.5: 3. Jim Ned 59: 4. Abliene Christian High 58; 5. Rising Star 57.5: 6. Ranger 54: 7. Cross Plains 50; 8. Gustine 26; and 9. Baird

POLE VAULT: I. White, Rising Star, 11-6; 2. Sharpe, Ranger, 11-6; 3. Wheeler, Cress Plains, 11-0. DISCUS: 1. Gibbs, German, 125-6;

uk, Cross Plains, 115-3; 3. Baccs McIver, Santa Anna, 1145; 4. Fernando Castillo. LONG JUMP: 1. Walker, ACU b, 294; 2. Gray, Jim Ned, 194; 3. , Plaing Star, 18-10%; S. Rex

MT PUT: 1. Robinson, Baird

44-101/2; 2. Green, Rising Star, 43-9; 3. Gibson, Gorman, 42-31/4; 6. Fer-TEAM TOTALS: 1. Santa Anna

HIGH JUMP: 1. Walker, ACU High, 6-0; 2. Corn, Baird, 5-10; 3. Bond, Rising Star, 5-8; 4. Rex Harper.

Santa Anna (Johnny Kirven, Reece McIver, Bobby DeLeon and David

800 RUN: 1. Pacheco, Gorman.

110 HURDLES: 1. Westfall. Gustine, 16.92; 2. Eddie Tomlinson,

2. Apple, Cross Plains, 11.51; 3. Bond, Rising Star, 11.60; 5. David

400 RUN: 1. King, Ranger 52.65; 2. Lonnie Kirven, Santa Anna, 53.27; 3. Rex Harper, Santa Anna, 56.19; 6.

300 HURDLES: 1. Reece McIver, Santa Anna, 44.46; 2. Bobby Pritchard, Santa Anna, 44.65; 3.

1600 RUN: 1. Prather, ACU High, 5:10.39; 2. Ramirez, Gorman, 5:19.13; 3. Wheeler, Jim Ned, 5:24.71; 6. Alonzo Hernandez, Santa Anna; S. Buddy Hardin, Senta Anna.

1800 RELAY: 1. Santa Anna (Robert Dans, Johnny Kirven, Rez Harper, and Reece McIver) 3:48.13; 2. Ranger 3:30.20; 3. Jim Ned

> 900 MUN: 1. Piner, Gustine 2:67.44; 2. Cormack, Gorman 2:W.94; J. Welber, Cross Plains



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Come by as soon as possible and claim your gift...KNOWLEDGE.

Era Walters Returns Home

Era Walters has returned home after a two-week visit in Dallas. She was there to be with her brother, Fred Oakes, who had recently undergone surgery. She reports that Fred is doing quite well and is already resuming normal activities.

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Deaths

Rudolph McDonald. 78

BOWIE, TX-Services for Rudolph McDonald, age 78, of Bellevue, Texas, were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, March 8, 1987 at Bellevue First Baptist Church with the Rev. Darius McKay, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church in Wichita Falls, officiating. Burial was in the Bellevue Cemetery under the direction of Kreig-Owens-Brumley Funeral Home.

He passed away Friday, March 6 at a Wichita Falls hospital.

Born June 16, 1908 in Madisonville. Texas, he moved to Bellevue in 1946 from Lubbock. Texas. He was a veteran of World War II. He and Nancy Dixon were married July 28, 1945 in Tahoka, Texas.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jimmy of El Campo, Texas; a daughter, Mrs. Randy Smith of Nacogdoches, Texas; three brothers, Elton of Santa Anna, Texas, Quentin of Santa Maria. California, and Byron of Lovington, New Mexico: two sisters, Mrs. Fairy Williams and Mrs. Winford Ray, both of Santa Anna; and six grandchildren.

Henry A. Mooney

MIDLAND--Services for Mr. Henry A. Mooney of Midland were held Thursday, March 12, 1987 at 9:00 a.m. in the Ellis Chapel with Rev. Lawrence Barron of Grace Presbyterian Church officiating. Graveside services were held at 3:00 p.m. Thursday at the Whon Cemetery in Whon, Texas with military honors. Ellis Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Mooney passed away at Midland Memorial Hospital Monday, March 9, 1987.

He was born November 8, 1909 in Columbiana, Alabama and attended school in Alabama. Following graduation he worked at various jobs, including dairy farming and in the Merchant Marines on ships before enlisting in the Army in 1929. He became part of th Army Air Corps in the 1940's. He made every grad from private to Lt. Col. in the Air Force. His service included North African Compaign in World War II, India, China, and Burma Theater. Also the Korean Conflict where he was awarded two Bronze Stars, one with 4 Oak Leaf Clusters. He retired from the Air Force in 1957 with 28½ years service. He began his new career in US Weather Ser-

vice, retiring again after 13/years. He was married to the late Monte McCain. She passed away August 13. 1986 in Midland. He was also preceded in death by a son, Buck Mooney.

He was a member of the Grace Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include one son, John Mooney of Corpus Christi, Texas: two daughters, Monte Killebrew of Dothan, Alabama and Lenora Holt of Baton Rouge, Louisiana; one brother, E. B. Mooney of Jacksonville, Florida; four sisters, Gertrude Edwards of Germantow, Tennessee, Idalene Orr of Bradenton, Florida, Louise McNiel of Lillian, Alabama and Alice Anthony of Dallas, Texas; and 8 grandchildren.

Rutherford Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rutherford, Julie and Shanna visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rutherford on Friday night. The Joe Rutherford family also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Cullins.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rutherford visited in Anson with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford, Stacie and Jackie. The group celebrated Jackie's ninth birthday and then watched Jackie play soccer.

Group Attends **Presbyterian Spring Festival**

Era Walters reports that a group from the Presbyterian Church went to Abilene Monday night to the Spring Festival of Faith at First Central Presbyterian Church to hear Dr. James Forkes of Union Seminary, New York City and all received a blessing.

Baby Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Don Walker (nee Amelia Faye Gilmore) of Franklin, Tennessee are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Melanie Faye, born Thursday, March 12, 1987 at 12:15 a.m. at the Westside Hospital, Nashville, Tennessee. Melanie Faye weighed 8 lbs.. 15 ozs. and was 23 inches long at

Grandparents are Doretha and Pat Gilmore of Mobile, Alabama. formerly of Coleman County and Barbara and Jim Walker of Jacksonville, Florida. Greatgrandparents are Faye Casey of Coleman, Texas, Modora Gilmore of SantalAnna, Texas, Ella Walker of Birmingham, Alabama and Aveline Pate Puckett of Mobile, Alabama.

Baby Girl

Bill and Judy Radle of Cushing, Oklahoma are proud to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Kimberly Annette, who was born Sunday, March 8, 1987 at 12:35 a.m. in a Cushing hospital. Kimberly weighed 8 lbs. 3 ozs. and measured 22 inches long at birth. She has three brothers, Mike,

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Radle of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Terry of Cushing,

Relays This Week

The Santa Anna Athletic Booster Club will be hosting the Mountaineers Booster Club Relays this Friday and Saturday, March 20 and March 21. The Junior High meet will start at 4:00 p.m. Friday. Teams entered in the A. D. Donham Jr. High Track Meet are as follows: Santa Anna, Brookesmith, Eula, Zephyr, Blackwell, Olfen, Miles, Lometa, Carbon, Cherokee (Boys Only), Rising Star, Bangs 7th and 8th, Cross Plains, Baird, Panther Creek, Jim Ned, 7th and 8th, and San

Saba 7th and 8th. The Varsity Meet will begin at 8:30 a.m. Saturday morning with nine schools entered in that meet. They are Santa Anna, San Saba, Baird, Rising Star, Lometa, Cross Plains, Gorman, Eula and Blanket.

All parents and friends are encouraged to come and boost our local teams on to victory at this annual track meet hosted by the Booster Club.

R. C. Smith Guests

Weekend guests in the R. C. Smith home were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith. Dana and Ryne of Rotan and Hol Toles of Lubbock. Dick and Hol went to Austin to the Boys State Basketball Tournament.

Banquet Held At Full Gospel For Youth

On February 28 at the end of Youth Month for Full Gospel Fellowship Church, the church had a banquet for their young people. Fried chicken, potato salad, corn, green beans, tossed salad, decorated heart cakes and coke were served to the voith The Valentine theme was carried out in the decorations to show the church's love for their youth. White table cloths with red and white streamers covered the tables. Heart shaped decorations were hung from the fan and candy hearts were scattered on the tables. Each person in attendance was presented with a small gift.

The Full Gospel Fellowship Church would like to invite everyone to come out and hear their youth. Their services are Saturday evening at 7:00 p.m., Sunday School at 9:45 a.m., Church at 11:00 a.m. and Sunday evening at 6:00 p.m.

Jr. High Band To Play Solos At Gisco

BY DEBORAH MICHON 7th Grade

This Saturday, March 21, the Junior High Band is going to Cisco to play solos. The Junior High Band includes the sixth and seventh grades. First, the entire band plays, then we will go to the sight reading room. That is where we play a song that we have never heard or seen before. Finally, we will go where only the people who want to play a solo play it. We will probably go early in the morning or in the afternoon. The ones who make a one on their solo will get a little medal. Mr. Baker is hoping we get a big trophy.

Ann Owens Home

Ann Owens was home over the weekend but returned to Lackland Air Force Base Hospital in San Antonio on Sunday evening.

She will be there for a while undergoing tests.

Friendship Meal

The Friendship Meal was well attended on Thursday with many dishes of food being offered. Mustard greens from the Fran Mc-Cary garden and cooked to perfection was one of the outstanding dishes offered. No birthdays were noted. Mae Barnes of Kermit was a guest at the meal this week. Raymond Balke said the table grace. Fannie Gilbert gave a rendition of the Whale that Swallowed Jonah.

Presbyterian Ladies Circle Has Meeting

The Ladies Circle of the Presbyterian Church met on Wednesday, March 11, 1987 for their regular meeting. The study was "The Spirit Filled Christian" led by the pastor, Jasper McClellann.

Those attending were Veva Mc-Clellan, Nell Myers, Janet May, Claudine Brown, Louise McGoin, Mary Lela Clifford, Pat DeWitt, Lura Guthrie, Alice Anna Spillman and a visitor, Jewell Hosch.

Every third Wednesday in the month is the regular family night dinner and sing song at the Presbyterian Church, The Church would like to extend an invitation to those who would like to join them.

Baby Girl

Ellen Margaret Johnston was born March 10th in JOhn Sealy Hospital in Galveston to Dr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston. Grandparents of the baby girl are Mr. and Mrs. David Karthauser and Dr. and Mrs. Victor Johnston. Great-grandparents are Mrs. MIldred Karthauser of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania and Mrs. T. J. McCaughan of Santa Anna.

Jr. High Track & Tonnis Underway

BY RAY JONES 7th Grade

There are several people playing tennis and running track in Junior High this year. A couple of them are doing both tennis and track. Track and tennis competition starts this week. Tennis opened with a meet Tuesday at Pain Rock, Track will open with a meet here Friday.

To the votors and taxpayers of Santa Anna.

I feel that a councilperson should be prepared to give his or her time and be willing to work hard for the city and the people. We have a lot of things that need to be done. I think we need to STOP dragging our feet and get started.

Thoughts From Our Pastors

By James Ford

Pastor of Assembly of God Church

Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. Hebrews 11:1.

Faith is the greatest gift from God except Salvation. Without faith it is impossible to please God.

One of the great examples of faith in the Bible is the woman of Canaan, a woman who came to Jesus and would not take "No" for an answer. First she came and asked for mercy. We all depend on the mercy of God, not on ourselves for we can do nothing by ourselves. Second, she recognized that Jesus was able to help her and recognized who He was, the Son of God. Third, she knew her problem. Her daughter was vexed with a devil.

The andwer did not come immediately so the disciples gave up and said, "Let's send her away." It is easier sometime to say, "Let's just forget about our problem," than to hold onto our faith and beleive in God for our answer.

Jesus then said, "I am not sent but to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." Her faith still held on and she worshipped Him. The answer had not come but her faith was saying, "I know He will grant me this so I will just go ahead and worship." And then she asked for help. We must beleive He is able or it would not do any good to ask for help.

Again Jesus told her it was not her place to be asking by telling her, "It is not meet to take the childrens bread to cast to dogs." Her faith still held on as she said. "Truth Lord, yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from the Master's table." Jesus saw her faith and said unto her, "O woman, Great is they faith. Be it unto the, even as thou wilt." And her daughter was healed.

Would Jesus say, "Great is your faith" or not. We need to strive to increase our faith for we never know when we will be tried. I hope we can all find that our faith will hold on as hers did.

Self Gulture Glub Meets At McCary Home

The Self Culture Club met on Wednesday, March 18, in the home of Mrs. Frank McCary with Grace Short acting as co-hostess. A St. Patrick's Day theme was carried out in refreshments and table decorations.

Kathryn Duff of Abilene was guest speaker for the club meeting, and she gave a talk on "Growing Up In West Texas."

Growing up in her home town of Sylvester, Texas, she related how the children in her family were taught to work and think for themselves at an early age giving them the ability to cope with the changes of her generation. Graduating from High School in 1932, people her age were most fortunate to have lived during the times when the greatest changes of any 50-year period in history were experienced.

Ms. Duff has distinguished herself in the newspapers of West Texas and is the author of several books. At the present time she is working up personal data for a book of outstanding

In introducing Ms. Duff, Club President, Bettie Ruth Henderson,

Jr. High Cheerleader Tryouts March 26

BY JEANNIE PATTERSON 6th Grade

The Junior High Cheerleader tryouts will be held March 26. There are fourteen girls trying out this year. All girls must have been in pepsquad the previous year and have an 80 average last six weeks. We are looking forward to a great football season next September.

Birthdays Anniversaries

THURSDAY, MARCH 19 **Betty Tucker** Norman Anderson

FRIDAY, MARCH 20 Jody Patterson

Nap Watson SATURDAY, MARCH 21

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Pritchard Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Blanton

Sherry Rice

SUNDAY, MARCH 22

MONDAY, MARCH 23 Chance Horner Bill Tucker Laura and Glen Lawhon

TUESDAY, MARCH 24 **Dawna Snipes** Randy Long Joey Cheaney

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25 Jennnie Langford

stated that when she called her for some background notes to bring back to the club, Ms. Duff immediately said she would be honored and pleased to come give her own The club members were cap-

tivated by her stories of earlier days. She supposed they were poor, with little money, but they did not know they were poor because of the enjoyment of family life at home and with their neighbors.

After the program, a business meeting was held with roll call being answered with naming an outstanding Texas woman entertainer. Mary Martin, Bebr Didricksen and Cathy Crosby were a few named.

Committee members Alice Spillman and Barbara Simmons gave a progress report on the program which the club sponsors for outstanding students in the public and Adventist schools.

Jane Gustavus gave a short update on the summer library program for the youth of our city.

Plans for the April meeting will be a bus and boat trip. Twenty members and one guest. Mae Barnes of Kermit, were present.

CAI FUDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, MARCH 19 Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 20 A. D. Donham Track Meet Jr. High, Here

SATURDAY, MARCH 21 **High School Track Meet** Here

SUNDAY, MARCH 22 Church

MONDAY, MARCH 23 Campfire Girls, after school Boys Scouts, 7 p.m. Nitia Daniell Circle Masonic Chapter & Council

TUESDAY, MARCH 24 Lions Club, noon Cub Scouts, 4:00 p.m. 1st Baptist Church CLC

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25 Whirly Birds

New Lights At **Smith Tennis Court**

BY ZANE KEENEY 8th Grade

Last week the Smith Courts got new lights. It took the people who put them up about six days to get the lights put up. The much needed lights were appreciated by all the tennis players. Last year when the tennis players had a game that lasted into the night, they couldn't finish it, but now they can play all night, if they want to.

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By Ace Reid **COW POKES** STOP + SHOP

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Mountaineer **Booster Club Relays** Jr. High

3:30 p.m.-Scratch meeting-gym lobby

4:00 p.m.-FIELD EVENTS

Shot Put-Southeast of Stadium-Girls, Boys High Jump-North Curve of Stadium-Girls, Boys

Discus-North of Stadium-Boys, Girls Pole Vault-Southwet of Stadium-Boys

Long Jump-Northwest of Stadium-Girls, Boys

Triple Jump-Northwest of Stadium-Girls (To follow long jump)

5:15 p.m.-RUNNING PRELIMS-Events will run continously from starting time until their conclusion, according to the following order:

400m Relay-Girls, Boys

100m Hurdles-Girls

110m Hurdles-Boys

100m Dash-Girls, Boys 800m Relay-Girls (If needed)

400m Dash-Boys

300m Hurdles-Boys

200m Dash-Girls, Boys

Finals will begin ONE HOUR from the conclusion of the prelims. Events will run continuously from beginning to end, with approximately five minutes (or less) between each race, according to the following order:

400m Relay-Girls, Boys

800m Run-Girls, Boys

100m Hurdles-Girls

110m Hurdles-Boys 100m Dash-Girls, Boys

800m Relay-Girls 400m Dash-Boys, Girls

300m Hurdles-Boys

200m Dash-Girls, Boys

1600 Run-Girls, Boys 1600 Relay-Girls, Boys

Mountaineer **Booster Club Relays** March 21, 1987

8:00 a.m. Scratch meeting-gym lobby

8:30 a.m. Field Events:

Shot Put-Southeast of stadium-Girls, Boys

High Jump-North of Curve of Track-Girls, Boys

Discus-North of Stadium-Boys, Girls

Pole Vault-Southwest of Stadium-Boys

Long Jump-Northwest of Stadium-Girls, Boys Triple Jump-Northwest of Stadium-To follow conclusion of long jump

10:00 a.m. PRELIMS-RUNNING EVENTS-will run continously from starting time un til their conclusion, according to the following order.

3200m Run-Girls (Finals)

3200m Run-Boys (Finals)

400m Relay-Girls

400m Relay-Boys 100m Hurdles-Girls

110m Hurdles-Boys

100m Dash-Girls 100m Dash-Boys

800m Relay-Girls (If needed) 400m Dash-Boys

400m Dash-Girls

300m Hurdles-Boys 200m Dash-Girls

200m Dash-Boys From conclusion of prelims until 12:00 noon-Lunch.

2:00 pm FINALS BEGIN-races will be run continously from beginning to end, with ap proximately five minutes between the conclusion of each race and the beginning of the next, according to the following order.

400m Relay-Girls

400m Relay-Boys

800m Dash-Girls 800m Dash-Boys

100m Hurdles-Girls 100m Hurdles-Boys

800m Relay-Girls 400m Dash-Boys

400m Dash-Girls

300m Hurdles-Boys 200m Dash-Girls

200m Dash-Boys

1600m Run-Girls

1600m Run-Boys 1600m Relay-Girls

1600m Relay-Boys PRESENTATION OF AWARDS



this past Saturday. They are left to right Reece McIver, Rex Harper, Robert Duus and Johnny Kirven. (Photo Courtesy of Roy Buse)



The M Perty see held at Warren and Margaret Barton's Thursday light with 20 present; all had a good and Margaret served nice

Carrie Stacy and Lon

fish and other things to.

Visitors with Carrie Stacy and O. T. and Sue Stacy of Abilene came Friday and spent the day and Mars Sallivan and neighbor. Arno sen of San Antonio came with her; they spent the weekend, the Kirk family visited Carrie one night last week.

Joyce Kirk went with Lou Vaughn to Senta Anna and Coleman shoppng Priday; Saturday the Kirk fami-y ate seppor with the Cothren fami-



The Santa Anna Mountaineers Track Team took the Championship Trophy at the Cross Plains Track Meet this past Saturday, Pictured left to right, front row, Rex Harper, Reece McIver, Lonnie Kirven, Johnny Kirven, Clarence McDowell; middle row, Reggie Moffett, Sammie Rameriz, Bobby DeLeon, Joey Anderson, Bobby Pritchard, Buddy Hardin, Robby Pritchard; back row, Alonzo Hernandez, David Garza, Jerry Wells, Fernando Castillo, Scotty Anderson, David Tucker, Eddie Tomlinson, Robert Duus and Coach Dean Bass. (Photo Courtesy of Roy Buse)



The Santa Anna Girls Mountaineers Track Team took the Championship Trophy at the Cross Plains Track meet this past Saturday. Pictured left to right, front row, Rose Garza, Carrie eeney, and Eva Frausto; back row, Selina Cook, Laura

Frausto, Gloria Frausto, Amy Saueveur, Lee Ann Musick, Maria Moreno, Jody Watson, Shannon Brown, Melissa Buse, Holly Hoffman, Coach Privitt, Sylvia Castillo, and Shelly Smith. (Photo Courtesy of Roy Buse)



This Lady Mountianeer 1600m Relay team won first place at the Cross Plains Track meet this past Saturday. They are left to right Shannon Brown, Melissa Buse, Selina Cook and Sylvia Castiflo. (Photo Courtesy of Roy Buse)

David Long family of Thrifty came and had dinner with the Kirk family. Florence Stearns visited Lou

Vaughn Saturday morning and Sunday evening Genia McIver visited Lou. Sherrie and Jim Blake are moving a little at a time to their new home

where the Beal family lived before they moved to Santa Anna. Cindv and Kelly Hoffman and Libey of Eubbock spent the weekend in Brownwood with her parents, Pat and Roberta McShan and Russie James spent Saturday night with Yetive Cole in Brownwood.

Margaret and Warren Barton were in Waco and Marlin Monday visiting relatives. The Bartons attended a program at Richland Springs school presented by a group, the Sojourners, presented "A Toast To the Flag" program illustrating the history of Old Glory, their costumes depicted the American Revolutionary period of the Spirit of 1776.

Visitors this week with the Bartons were Mrs. Evelyn Mires of Marlin and Wilma and Jesse Criswell of Denver City.

Mrs. J. E. York received work her sister died Sunday morning with a heart attack, Mrs. Leona Davis of Baird. Her funeral will be Tuesday, March 17. Florence Stearns went to Coleman to her daughter's. Alice Well's and family: they were celebrating Gregory Wells birthday Saturday: Sunday evening Ann Robin and Wesley Haynes of Bangs visited Florence.

Tuesday Natalie's two sisters from Abilene came for lunch and brought two aunts and Natalie's mother; it was one of the aunta 90th birthday; they celebrated it Friday

Brent Beal spent the day with Natalie and Rankin. Sunday evening Mary Boencike visited with them; when I got there they were ready to go to Bangs and I went with them; Rankin and I visited Bernice McIver and I also visited Ethel Storm; Natalie and her mother went along for the ride. Genia McIver ate dinner Sunday

at Terry and Orabeth McIver's; they celebrated Orabeth's birthday with a bairthday dinner Sunday. We got one and half inches of rain

last Tuesday.



The Extension Homemakers Club is slated to meet Tuesday, March 24 at 2:00 p.m. at the Community Center, presenting a program on Leadership. Skeeta Cooper and Rose Cooper will host the meeting.

The Second Thursday of each month is Famiy Night Game Party and some 23 guests were present this past Thursday evening. Minnie Bray and Wilma Williams were hostesses. Dick and Johnie Deal and their

Coleman Monument

guests, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry

David Huff Night 625-2719 1369 Mh St.

M Years In Coleman

of Baton Rouge, La., visited Wilma and Blake Williams Friday afternoon; other callers were Minnie Bray, Ella Gray and Jane Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Cox of Weatherford visited Kenneth and Nora Brusenhan Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry of Baton Rouge, La., spent Tuwsday to Friday with the Deals and the John Perry family in Santa Anna. Dick and Johnie Deal visited in Coleman last Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Norene Winstead, at Holiday Hill. Morgan French and Aubrey of Bangs visited the Deals Friday

Sunday dinner guests in the Deal home were the Rev. Joey Wilbourn and Lillie Box. Mrs. Frankie Gregg, Carla and

Lucy of Coleman spent Saturday with her parents, Minnie and Wayne Mrs. Bray reports a cash donation to the Rockwood Cemetery fund

from Charlie McMillan in memory of Lee McMillan Mrs. Mary Emerson reports regular callers are neighbors.

Junior and LaNelle Brusenahn, Lillie Box and Ella Gray. The Junior Brusenhans spent Thursday to Saturday at Dawson visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hull;

guest. Wilma Williams visited Lillie Box

Mrs. Emerson was Sunday dinner

Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper spent

the weekend at Temple with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield and joined by Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen and Elizabeth and Gill Gregory, Mike

Band Contest

BY JULIE DEAN 6th Grade

This Saturday morning the Junior High will go to Cisco to compete in the Solo and Ensemble, Sightreading and contest competition. We will take the bus, and everyone in the band will go. We * have a choice whether or not we want to be in the solo and ensemble contest competition, but we are required to be in sightreading and contest. We will probably leave about 6:00 or 7:00 in the morning and come back at about 2:00 or 3:00 in the afternoon.

Jr. High Track Meet Friday

BY SCOT VALDEZ 8th Grade

The Santa Anna Junior High

Track team has its first track meet here March 20, starting after school. The track team is looking forward to having a great season. Everybody participating is expecting to win the district track meet which is being held at Rising Star on April 10th. The Junior High is encouraging anyone who is interested in supporting Junior High Track to be there

and Terry Sheffield of Edinburg, Troy Sheffield of Gatesville and Monte Sheffield of Austin.

Bettie Bryan and Mrs. Jack Boyd, Bonnie and Jackie Lee of Comanche were in Dallas Wednesday to Friday on business and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Stutzman; the Boyd family accompanied Bettie home, spending the weekend.

Jerry Johnson of Abilene spent Tuesday with his father, Marcus Johnson; Monday visitors were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Pederson of San

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Horton of Brady spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward; Denver and Pebble Ellis of Santa Anna were Saturday afternoon visitors.

Weekend visitors with Mrs. Blanche Harris were family members: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dahlberg of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Russell of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Glen McNeil of Dallas and their son and a friend; Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Harris of Santa Anna, Mrs. Sandra Walker and children of Big Lake and Mrs. Debbie Nixon and children of

Frank McCreary Jr. of Palestine visited Linnie Box Sunday, Mrs. Dan Slate and children of Valera visited Saturday afternoon.

Greg Mobley of Pflugerville and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pena of Austin spent the weekend with his mother. Oleta Mobley and visiting the Aubrey McSwains and Jake Mc-Creary family and getting in some camping and fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Wise, and Nathan of Santa Anna and Mr. and Mrs. Hank Wise of Pear Valley spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe and Fave Wise.

Angie and Phillip Hernandez were at Rising Star Saturday for the track meet. Mrs. Hernandez visited Sunday afternoon with Vivian Steward and Coleta Pearson. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Greenlee of

Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenlee and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper were Monday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan. The Bryans were business visitors in Brownwood Thursday; Ella Gray visited Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper went to Hico Friday visiting the David Cooper family; Brandi accompanied them home for the night, returning her home they met the David Cooper family in Brownwood Saturday; Sunday Rose and Elec went to Brownwood meeting Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper, Cody, Cari, Casi and Colt of Gatesville, bringing the children home with them for the spring break in school.



Nation Salutes America's far

Farmers and their families are consumers And taxpayers as well as best producers

Like everyone else, the American farmer is a consumer and a taxpayer, as well as a producer.

Farmers pay about \$4,4 billion in farm real estate taxes annually, and \$500 million in personal property taxes.

In 1984, farm operators spent about \$139 billion for goods and services to produce crops and livestock. They had available \$34.6 billion in personal income from farm sources and \$40.0 billion from nonfarm sources to spend for personal taxes, investments, and for the same things that city people buy.

Farmers' 1984 purchases included: *9.5 billion for farm tractors and other motor vehicles, machinery and equipment. About 150,000 employees are required to produce this farm equipment.

*\$13.6 billion for fuel, lubricants and maintenance for machinery and motor vehicles used in the farm business. Farming uses more petroleum than any

supermarket.

products per farm.

of \$1.6 billion.



other single industry.

Agriculture nation's biggest

Industry, largest employer

fiber system accounted for 18 percent of total GNP in 1984.

\$500,000; and 24,000 had sales of \$500,000 and over.

people and has a payroll of \$1.6 billion.

IN PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

ocess and merchandise the output of the nation's farms.

Here are a few examples of where these people work:

*272,000 (11.5 percent) sold farm products worth \$20,000 to \$40,000

*381,000 (16.1 percent) sold farm products worth \$40,000 to \$100,000.

dressing plants, employs about 367,000 people and has a payroll of \$4.5 billion.

*284,000 (12.0 percent) sold farm products worth more than \$100,000. Of these farms, 177,000 had sales totaling \$100,000 to \$200,000; 83,000 had sales of \$200,000 to

Agriculture requires the services of about 18,3 million people to store, transport,

*Meat and poultry industry, including meatpacking, prepared meats and poultry

*Dairy industry, including manufacturers of such products as fluid milk,

Canned, cured, and frozen food plants employ nearly 271,000 people and have

*Cotton mills and finishing plants employ nearly 143,000 people and have payrolls

THAT ADDS UP TO APPROXIMATELY ONE OUT OF EVERY FIVE JOBS

concentrated and dried milk, cheese, butter, and ice cream, employs nearly 162,000

Agriculture is the nation's biggest industry - farm assets totaled \$956 billion on

*\$24.0 billion for feed and seed. *\$8.9 billion for fertilizer and lime.

*Products containing 360 million bounds of rubber - about 5 percent of the total used in the United States, or enough to put tires on nearly 7 million automobiles.

*33 billion kilowatt-hours of electricity

about 2 percent of the nation's total That's more than the annual residential use in all New England States plus Maryland, Kentucky and Washington,

*615 million tons of steel in the form of farm machinery, trucks, cars, fencing and building materials. Farm use of steel accounts for 40,000 jobs in the steel industry.

Like everyone else, farmers feel the pinch of inflation. In the last 10 years, wage rates for farmworkers have gone up 90 percent, tractors and self-propelled machinery cost 166 percent more, taxes are up 63 percent and feeder livestock prices are up 66 percent.

Overall, the average cost of commodities, services, interest, taxes and farm wage rates has climbed 102 percent in the last 10 years. These sharp increases in the average include the much lower rates of inflation experienced in the past

The 1982 Census of Agriculture reported that of the 2,240,976 farm operators, 1,982,022 owned 603.3 million acres of the 986.8 million acres of land in farms. Of the 383.5 million acres of rented land in farms, 13 percent was owned by farm operators and 87 percent. was owned by nonoperator owners. Thus nonfarmers hold about 34 percent of all land in farms.

Agriculture is also the nation's largest employer; Around 21.0 million people work in some phase of agriculture, from growing food and fiber to selling it at the Farming itself uses 2.7 million workers — as many as the combined work forces of Marketers transportation, the steel industry, and the automobile industry. The nation's food and Agricultural production is conducted by 2.28 million farms. Recent tabulations **Get food** *1,433,000 (60.5 percent of all farms) sold less than \$20,000 worth of farm

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Last year consumers spent \$332 billion for U.S. farm-produced foods. About \$243 billion of that was to get the food from the farm to your table.

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The foods that poured into your upermarket came in 10,000 to 15,000 different products - many of which did not even exist 5 years ago and may very well not exist 5 years from now. That's because Americans are attracted to newer foods with more built-in conveniences as well as food in attractive packages that preserve the quality.

Packaging and transportation cost \$43 billion last year - and might well have been considerably more except for vigorous competition among truckers and railroads, and recent innovations in packaging and handling methods.

The food marketing system has developed a computerized checkout, and is working on an inventory and ordering system that might further streamline food (USDA Statistical Information) retailing and help to simplify shopping.

America's Heartbeat Vital to Us All

Americans get more food For their money today

Not only have food prices risen comparatively little in the past few years, family income buys considerably more food today partly because agriculture has become much more efficient and partly because consumer incomes have risen faster than food prices. For example, here's what the average U.S. worker could buy with an hour's pay in 1950

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Frying chickens		2.5	lbs.				10	.3 lb	S. 1	Č.
Milk		8.0	qts.				14	.8 qt	s.	i
Potatoes, fresh		 32.7	lbs.				34	4 10	S .	ì
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Pork		2.7	lbs.		is []		5	1 ib	s .	
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Our diets are more varied. The American consumer is eating 35 percent more poultry but eight percent less beef per person than 10 years ago. And eating more fresh egetables (18 percent) and more fresh fruits (13 percent).

Agriculture Day • March 20 U.S. production Up 21/2 times Levels of 30's

Total agricultural production is more Than 214 times the levels of 1930, even though the agricultural resource base has not substantially changed.

The growth in farm output has come from the higher productivity of agricultural resources rather than from greater input use.

The aggregate number of breeding animals and the total inputs to agriculture in 1930 differ by less than 5 percent from the amounts used in 1984. Yet, crop production is nearly 2.5 times the 1930 level, livestock production 2.1 times the 930 level and total farm output about 2.6 times the 1930 level.

This implies that the productivity of land is 212 times the productivity in 1930, that breeding animals are twice as productive as in 1930 and that overall, the farm sector is 2.5 times as productive as in

1930.
The new technology which made these gains possible changed the mix of other inputs used. Fertilizer consumption is 15 times 1930 levels, feed concentrates 2.3 times 1930 levels, tractor horsepower 12 times 1930 levels and tractor numbers five times the 1930 numbers.

On balance, purchased inputs in 1983 are 2.3 times those of 1930, while the farm labor input is only 18 percent of farm employment in 1930. As a result, farms have expanded in size and become more dependent on capital and purchases from the nonfarm economy.

If the trends of the last 14 or so years continue; total farm output per unit of Input should grow at about 2 percent per year. Crop production per acre should increase about 2 percent per year and the production per breeding unit should increase about I percent per year.

Significant changes in the prices of farm inputs relative to farm commodity prices, or changes in the mix of commodities produced, will affect the actual trends that occur.

federal funds reaching nonmetro counties averaged \$2,139 per person in 1980, up 68 percent from 1976. Funding to metro counties averaged \$2,529, up 63 percent since 1976.

What the farmer receives...

As gross payment from retail food prices the farmer receives (4984 annual

- *34 cents per \$1 spent in grocery stores for U.S. farm-grown food. *58 cents per \$1 spent for choice beef.
- *43 cents for eggs selling for 80 cents per dozen at retail.
- *4.3 cents for the wheat in a 54-cent loaf of white bread.
- FOR THEIR LABOR, CAPITAL AND MANAGEMENT TO THE FARM: ion in gross sales of crops and livestock. Their net return for fam
- resources was \$34.6 billion.

ON AN ACRE OF LAND. . . . Farmers produce 80 percent more crop

American farmers today produce over (retail weight) of beef, yeal, pork, lamb went overseas. 80 percent more crop output on an acre of land than did their fathers. Today, one hour of farm labor produces 16 times as much food and other crops as it did in the 1919-21 period

One farmworker now supplies enough food and fiber for 79 people. Only 10 years ago, the farmworker was producing enough for 59. Because of the farmer's efficient output, we can enjoy a satisfying

quantity and variety of food. consumed an average of 144 pounds (111 million acres) of America's gropland

and mutton; 68 pounds of chicken and turkey; 88 pounds of fresh fruits; 75 pounds of fresh vegetables; 308 pounds of dairy products and 73 pounds of

us, but also enough to make + large quantities of farm products available for international trade.

anyone else in the world,

Until recently, farm exports had set successive records, reaching a peak of \$43.8 billion in fiscal year 1981. Because of lower prices and reduced foreign demand, however, exports in fiscal year Farmers produce not only enough for 1984 totaled \$38 billion and were declining further in 1985.

Even so, farm exports still contributed a net of \$19.1 billion to our balance of We export more farm products than trade in 1984, which is another way of saying we got over twice as much for our food and fiber imports.

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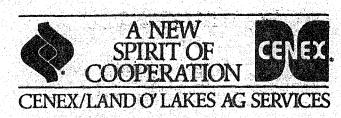
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Graham Fitzpatrick Stock Farmer

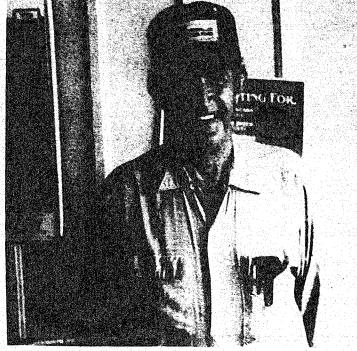
By Polly Warnock

Graham Fitznatrick and hiw wife, Imogene, ar ingaged in stock farming near the community of Whon. He is a man with a love of the land and a sense of humor as was evident when answering questions posed to him. When asked how long he had been farming, he stated that he: began working for another farmer in 1935 and has been engaged in farming ever since except for the four years he took off for a "vacation in the Navy during World War II."

He says he is a stock farmer. He pulls very little from the land. He raises feed for his stock. He is an oilfield pumper and says he has done that work since 1960 to support his habit of farming.

When asked about the outlook for farmers, he said it was probably pretty good for the sheep farmers. On a more serious note he says this has been the nicest winter and spring that he can remember since he has been farming and "it certainly improves my outlook."

The Fitzpatrick's raised three children on the farm, none of which are involved in farming, but all like



to return to the farm for a visit and a good farm meal, and for the deer

His comments to anyone interested in getting into farming is that it certainly is not easy, but it is a good life and a happy life. "I wouldn't live anywhere else or do anything else. Just wouldn't trade with anyone," he says. "After all, the farmer feeds and clothes the world," he adds.

Earl Simmons Owner Of Simmons Feed & Seed

BY Polly Warnock

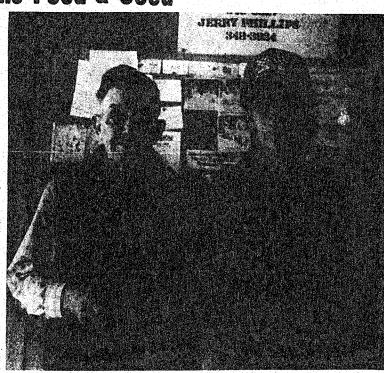
Earl Simmons is owner of Simmons Feed and Seed, a Santa Anna agri-business. A local native, Simmons was away from Santa Anna many years while in construction work around the world.

He returned to Santa Anna in 1971 after discovering he had a heart murmur. The discovery was made during a required medical check-up for his job. He bought some farm land and made a home for his family, near Santa Anna.

Simmons got into the feed and seed business years later when the phone rang one morning. The caller, Joe Riley, asked if he would be interested in running a Longhorn Feed Stare in Santa Anna for Dr. Wesley Wise. He told him about his health problem and they agreed to furnish him with some help for lifting and carrying.

After a couple of years, he received another call asking him if he would consider buying the business. When the patrons of the feed and seed store encouraged him to buy it and assured him of their continued support, he decided to make the purchase.

In 1978 he moved the business to its present location at 1st and Wallis Avenue, a better place for trucks to get in and out.



Earl Simmons, owner, and Rick Reece, employee of Simmons Feed and Seed.

When asked about the outlook for Agriculture, Simmons replied, "You know how farmers are. They just keep going and keep going." He said the slump in the oil business had hurt the farming community just as it has in other walks of life. "However," he said, "we all came back after 1930. If we could come

back from that, we can come back from the problems that face us

Earl Simmons and wife, Barbara. certainly appreciate the farming and ranching community that has supported him through the years and he intends to be of service to them any way he can.

Bill Gustavus Rancher And Cattle Broker

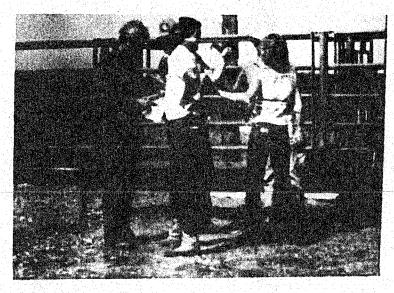
By Polly Warnock

Bill Gustavus is a rancher and cattle broker. He and his wife, Jane, and their three children, Mika, Sarah and Daniel make their home several miles south of Santa Anna just off the Rockwood Highway.

Bill's father and mother owned ranches in several locations in Texas and New Mexico. His father died in 1971 and in 1973 Gustavus peturned to the ranch to help his mother. He holds a PHD and was a professor of sociology at Howard Payne University from 1973 until 1980, when he became involved full time in ranching. He also does consulting-advising when and what to buy and sell herds.

He beleives the key to success in ranching is efficiency and the outlook for agri-business will be better as "we continue to become more and more efficient." He beleives that breeds are becoming less important. He says that a good cow and calf, no matter what the breed, can yield a better return on investment. He adheres to the policy of having the right equipment for the job. Not having bigger equipment-just the equipment you need to fit your needs had using only the help you can af-

ford to use, to do the job properly. Gustavus places emphasis on leasing land and equipment rather than



Bill Gustavus, far right, in discussion about herd development of Dr. Bill

buying. Leasing land by head per month is a protection for the landowner and for the leaseholder. If the grass is there, put more cattle on it, if the grass is not available, cut down on the number of heads and not overgraze, cutting down on costs and protecting the land.

He says that ranching at this time is certainly not easy, but he expects it is probably easier than straight farming. There are good oppor-

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Santa Anna, Texas: (A lost votantes registrados del Santa Anna, Texas:)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on April 4, 1987, for voting in a General election, to Mayor and two Councilmen.

presente, que las casillas elecdesde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las de tres anos 7:00 p.m. el did 4 de abril de DIRRECCION(ES) DE LAS Elizabeth, NJ 07207 1987 para votar en la Eleccion CASILLAS ELECTORALES para un Alcalde y dos concejals.) LOCATION(S) OF POLLING

PLACES DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES) Center, 702 Wallis, Santa Anna.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at

(La votacion en ausencia en Santa Anna, Texas 76878. persona se llevara a cabo de lunes a viernes en) City Hall (Location) (sitio)

5 p.m. beginning on 3-16-87 and ending on 3-31-87. (entre las 8 a.m. de la manana

y las de la tarde empezando el 3-16-87 y terminando el 3-31-87.) Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por

correo deberan enviarse a:) Vikki Wristen, P. O. Box 188, 301 N. 2nd, Santa Anna, Texas Applications for ballots by

mail must be received no later than the close of business on (Las solicitudes para boletas

que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el

Issued this the 5th day of March, 1987. (Emitada este dia 5 de mar-

co, 1987.) S-15234-11-12

NOTICE OF SCHOOL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION SCHOOL)

Santa Anna, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on April 4, 1987, for voting in a school election, to elect two trustees for 3-year

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES

(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES) Absentee voting by personal

appearance will be enducted each weekday at the school district business office. Administration Building, 701 Bowie, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. beginning on March 16, 1987 and ending on March 31, 1987.

Legal Notice

Applications for ballot by Green Thumb, Inc., a Senior Hartman, P. O. Box 99, Santa Anna, Texas 76878.

Applications for ballots by

March 27, 1987. (A los votantes registrados

del Santa Anna, Texas:

Notifiquese, por las presente. sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 (Notifiquese, por las p.m. el 4 de Abril de 1987 para votar en la Eleccion para dos torales sitados abajo se abiran representantes para termino

La votatcion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo de ministration Building, 701 Bowie, entre las 8 de la manana y las de la tarde Mountain City Community empezando el 16 de marzo, 1987 Ohio 44114. y terminando el 31 de Marzo.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correro deberan enviarse a: Judy Hartman, P. O. Box 99.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correro deberan recibirse para between the hours of 8 a.m. and el fin de las horas de negocio el Marzo 27, 1987.) S-15980-11-12

> The City of Santa Anna is accepting sealed bids on a 1971 Ford LTD Sedan. Sealed bids will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 9, 1987. Bids will be opened during the Coun- To Give Away: 3 year old Pit cil meeting that night. The City Reserves the right to reject any and-or all bids. C-15001-12-14

The City of Santa Anna is accepting sealed bids on a 1972 Dodge Pick-Up. Sealed bids will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 9, 1987, Bids will be opened during the Council meeting that night. The City reserves the right to reject any and-or all bids C-15002-12-14

The City of Santa Anna is accepting sealed bids on a 1974 Chevy Van. Sealed bids will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 9, 1987. Bids will be opened during the Council meeting that night. The City To the Registered Voters of reserves the right to reject any and-or all bids

Card of Thanks

Thank you for the various expressions of sympahty that brought comfort to us at the passing of our loved one. Mae Etta Martiner Watts. We appreciate your prayers that were lifted in our behalf for they gave us peace in the midst of sorrow.

-Raymond and Lodema Jones Grandchildren Great-grandchildren J-15974-12-12p

Help Wanted

mail shall be mailed to: Judy Community Service Employment Program, is taking applications for men and women 55 years of age and older who mail must be received no later meet Department of Labor inthan the close of business on come eligibility requirements to work locally with community non-profit organizatios. Interested persons may apply at the Santa Anna Public Library que las casillas electorales en Friday. March 27 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Equal

> TYPISTS-\$500 weekly at home! Write: P. O. Box 975. W-15900-08-15p

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By Annie Mae Brimer

Rev. and Mrs. P. A. Lindley, Mrs. Nolen, Mrs. Keeney and Neal Smith sang for 30 mintues Tuesday evening to a large number of residents.

Thirty-one third grade students and their teachers. Janet Neff and Sharen Greenlee, presented a St. Patrick program Friday morning. The residents enjoyed the variety of songs, poems, skits and jokes. The students made Shamrokc dolls and gave to each of the residents after the program.

The Northisde Baptist Church conducted an inspiring song service Sunday afternoon. Luther and Hazel McCrary, Robert and Maggie Robinett, Elroy and Wanda Dietzel, FannielGilbert, and Rev. J. D. and Mrs. Furgeson did the service. The church comes each third Sunday.

The 42 games were enjoyed Monday afternoon with Wilmoth Russell and Bessie McDonald helping and playing with the residents.

Betty Henderson shared a nice box of clothes with the residents. Nell Myers brought some mens pants for the men.

We are happy to have Edgar Bush make his home with us.

Johnnie Thompson is in the Coleman Hospital.

LIVING CENTER Vista Cox visitors were Claudine Brown, Johnnie Thompson, Sarah Stewart, Ethel Stubblefield and Jack

and Maudie Jones. Edna Wells visitors were JoAnn Hale and Susan Andis.

Thelma Whitehead visitors were Arris and Pat Whitehead, Cleo Canady, Ivy Sparkman, and Phebie Jo Lewis.

Minnie Greer was visited by Leonora Hays. NURSING HOME

Iva Leist visitors were Woodrow Baxter, Frank and Ruth Baxter.

Nyla Simmons visitors were Dorothy Alsobrook, Vera Wise, Myr-



Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooke visited the E. A. Densman several times the past week. The J. B. Brooke of Abilene were down Tuesday; Coy visited the Sidney Sackett's several times the past week.

Lois Havner and grandson of Bangs visited her mother, Mrs. Lora Russell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henderson and children of Bangs visited his parents, the Junior Henderson's, one day the past week.

Jerry Ellis visited the Adolph Kellys the past week. The Buffalo planning committee for the Buffalo School Reunion met at Underwood's in Brownwood Friday evening. Those attending were Wiley Clarey, The Leland Thompson's, the Randy Brown's, Marion Smith, Roland Curry, Thelbert Elkins, Pete Curry, Harvey Curry and the Adolph Kellys. C. E. Wise dropped by the Kellys Saturday morning.

Friday the J. L. McDaniel's and the Charlie Fleming's visited his mother, Mrs. Bula Fleming and Margie; others visiting were Eddie and Phillis Dillard of Santa Anna and Max and Donna Mapson and Jason of Brownwood.

The Edd Hartman's were in Dublin Saturday for the St. Patrick's Day parade and activities.

J. D. Howard of Lampasas came Saturday and visited his mother, Mrs. Ruby Howard.

Those helping Amber Huggins celebrate her birthday at her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins, were her grandparents, her dad, David Huggins, and Mr. and Mrs. Phill Huggins, Dana and Adam.

Dena and Lance Rasch and Kris spent Sunday at their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cambpell.

Ruby Hartman and Louise Moore visited Iona Moore one day last week. Pete Moore visited Buck Mills one day last week.

Pam Morgan and boys of Stephenville will be spending this week with her parents, the Casey Herrings' for spring break. Carrol Herring and boya visited Sunday evening.

The J. E. Williams visited the Emil Williams Thursday.

Those visiting the John Perrys Wednesday and Priday were Robert and Disle Perry of Raton Renge, La. The James Perry's and girls were over Pridey night. Carmille Baugh and Mildred Ford visited one day

tle Chapman and Anna Puckett. Mildred Absher visitors were Gary, Teresa, Dennis and Toby Absher.

Mary A. Phillips visitors were Alice Davis and Angell Hamm. Cleo Canady visitors were Stena

Mitchell and Doris Rogers. Earl Chapman visitors were David Chaffin, Dick Chaffin, Myrtle Chapman, Mae Blue. Lucile Smith. Dick Longbrake, Garland Powell, Gladys Hunter, Lonella Raesch, Dorothy Alsobrook, Vera Wise and

Pauline Eubank. Marie Hill visitors were Ruby Parker and Glenda Keeney.

Lillie Knotts visitors were Ila and Jack Todd.

Melvin Lamb visitors were Bobby Jean Benton, Gladys Day, Dick Longbrake, R. W. Balke, Ed Pittard, J. E. and Ovella Williams, Jewell Lee, Bruce Estes, Pat Smith, Ruth and Earl Irick, Robert and Maggie Robinett, Luther and Hazel Mc-Crary, Elroy and Wanda Dietzel, Fannie Gilbert, Artie Mae Crump, Vera Wise, Rev. Dick Chaffin and David Chaffin.

Norval Wylie visitors were Pat Smith, W. D. Scarbrough, Dick Longbrake, Dick and David Chaffin, J. D. and Tina Green, and Myrtle Chapman.

Opal Maples visitors were Billie Simons, Disa and Kenneth Chrane and Saterine Akin.

Christine Sanders visitor was Ethel Stubblefield.

R. V. (Red) Cupps visitors were J. E. and Ovella Williams, Luther Mc-Crary, Robert Robinett, Raymond, Doris, Jerry and Joey Cupps.

Frances Eckert was visited by Alma Marrs.

Millard Thomason was visited by Lucile Smith

Ora Caldwell visitors were Clinton Reis, Herman and Edna Estes, Jewell Lee, Dorothy Hodges, Frankie McCarthy, Charles and Jean Caldwell, Dorothea Crisel, Myrtle Chapman and Gladys Hunter. Ovie Jenkins visitors were Clovis

and Claris Billings and Wilma

Jim Daniell visitors were Gladys

with Kasha Donn Cupps and the R. W. Cupps. They also visited friends; Earlene Dockery visited with Diane late Saturday evening. The George Teeters also visited with us. Kasha had a friend out, Ranee Merryman of Coleman.

Randy and Ann Sikes and Samuel came Tuesday night to visit their grandparents, the Charlie Fleming's. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Cupps from Davis. California visited the Charlie Fleming's and the Nevy Parson's and Norrel Parson of Brownwood last week. Ronnie and Iris Seaton of Brownwood visited Sunday evening. Thelma visited Virgil Tuesday.

Carmilla Baugh went to Bangs to visit her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores, Tuesday afternoon. Mike Reid and Tommy Tope of Teague spent the day at the Dick Baugh's Sunday. The Dick Baugh's went to Bangs Sunday evening to visit her mother; they also visited the Lonnie Lowry's and children.

Thursday night the Bill Lowry's had supper with the Lonnie Lowry family.

Those visiting the Buck Mill's over the past two weeks have been their children, Carlene Templin of Hamshire, who spent two weeks with her parents, Karen Lassater of Santa Fe, Texas and Joyce and Bill McDonald, Pam and Terry of View, Ruby and Edd and others dropped

Leon Phillip of San Angelo visited Hardon Phillip Saturday. Dick Baugh also visited. Hardon visited the Bruce Alsobrooks. Syble Huggins dropped by Thursday.

Regina and Tonya Walker of Abilene and Shane, Chad and Sherry Taggert and Markers of Brownwood, Janice and Curtis Fellers and Betty Joyce Cupps all met at the farm at Cleveland for a picnic this weekend.

Standley Russell of Brownwood came by for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Russell; others visiting were Ruth Walking and Cathy Cullins of Dallas; Lora and Ruby were dinner guests Friday.

Byrdie Miller went to San Angelo Saturday with friends to visit Mr.

Fred Wagner. Florence Starnes visited one day last week with Winnie Haynes. Dana Evans came and spent Friday night with Winnie Haynes. They went back to Kempner and spent the

weekend with the Dana Evans. The Doyle Evens also visited with their son and family. Livila Erros visited with the group. She if from

The Cecil Eilis's visited his uster finaley evening. Last B y Mar. pend Mars. Coroli Elitis Di

Hunter, Myrtle Chapman, W. D. Scarbrough, Mrs. C. W. Wise, Dorothy Alsobrook, and Rubye stay in the Brownwood hospital.

Dona Estes visitors were Bruce and Don Estes, Louise McClellan. Betty Day, Jewell Lee and Dorothy Hodges.

Lorena Pepper visitors were Betty Allen, Sharon Rider, Maxine Crenshaw, Iona Navarro, and Gladys

Karen Lemond was visited by Irene Balen.

Johnnie Thompson visitors were Jack and Maudie Jones, James Thompson and J. T. Thompson.

Dicy Dowe visitors were Garland Powell, Dorothy Eichelberger, Ben and Barbara Wave.

Mildred Strother visitors were Bob and Helen Slusher. Mitche Slusher and Erin Day. Jim Dixon visitors were Myrtle

Dixon, Prebble Lawrence, Robin Ruddell, and Cissie Keller. Clarinda Menges and Nancy Menges visitors were Dorothy

Alsobrook, Vera Wise, Ann Spencer and Nancy Conner. Lucy Billings visitors were Clovis and Claris Billings, and Clinton

Estelle Todd visitors were Jerry Todd and Clinton Reis.

Benny Jarvis family of Johnson

Russell Williams spent the Mrs. J. E. Williams.

Ted and Diane Ford and Scotty of Lingleville came and brought Scotty for a few days for spring break. He will be spending spring break with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ford.

Those visiting Mrs. Tavy Ford over the weekend were Mrs. Sammie LaDouceur of Brownwood, Mrs. Frankie Davis and Gerald, also of Brownwood.

We will have preaching at the Church of Christ at Cleveland with Bro. Dalton Moss of Brownwood doing the preaching. Everyone invited.

There is no sense in advertising your troubles. There's no market for

Hope all of you have a nice weekend. It looks like rain again with thunder storm clouds Monday evening.



This Monday night we have received rain. Mr. Graham Fitzpatrick reported around 9 p.m. we had received 5-tenths. Now later it is raining again. We had very little

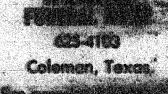
Mrs. Barbara Morgan of Brownwood and her granddaughter, Lorecia Kitchen of Eastland were guests of Mrs. Morgan's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Friday.

My daughter, Mrs. Eric (Lynda) Wheeler and her daughters, Chrisi and Erica and a friend, Robert Gartman of La Grange came Friday night and were with me Friday and Saturday nights. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith came Sunday morning and had breakfast with us. Lynda and girls and friend returned home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Zob and Patsy Smith had been at their home in Abilene for a week and they returned to Laredo Sunday, where they are now making their home and employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Bullion and daughter, Michelle, of Granbury, visited with her parents, Mr. and w Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick Saturday afternoon. The Bullions were attending and participating in a track meet in Brownwood. They returned home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna went on a vacation leaving the past Wednesday of last week. They visited in the valley, and also drove to Woodsboro, near Corpus Christi and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Wiggington and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Earp. These are children of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lovelady, uncle of Darwin Lovelady. They then viewed other territory on Sunday as they draw to Lockhart and visited the Cent there. Then went back Monday morning and found Darwin Lovelady's

great-grandparents graves, retaing home Menday put.
Visiting with collect home gunuts on Seturday with Mt. no Mrs. Fillery Rutherford of Cole



Dena and Paige of Brownwood, Mr. Loyd Rutherford and son, Todd. Todd Rutherford was out of school

Wenzel. Jim is back home after a sat Banga Thursday and Friday, he was with his dad, Loyd Rutherford over the weekend. Guests with Loyd and Todd Rutherford over the weekend were Mr. Bob Emmerson and a friend from Amarillo. They returned to Amarillo Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Don Bible and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Guthrie visited in Loyd's home on Sunday.

Burial services were conducted in the Whon Cemetery Thursday afternoon for Mr. Mooney of Midland. Mr. Mooney was the husband of Mrs. Montie (McCain) Mooney, who was buried in the Whon Cemetery in August of 1986. Full Military Services were conducted with service personnel from San Angelo. Mr. Mooney had undergone surgery and the doctor and family thought he was doing great, but death came suddenly. A nice group followed the nodecition from Midland and our sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr. Floyd Morris visited with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Morris in Brady Friday.

Joshlan and Ashley Fitzpatrick of Odessa came to be with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick during spring break. Their mother and the baby girl are with her mother in Coleman.

Mrs. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman and Mrs. Bobbie Boatright and girls of Brownwood visited with weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Ott Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ott assisted my grandson, Rocky Rutherford with some work on our place Monday morning.

> Mr. Douglas Avant of Brady was on the Avant Farm here Sunday afternoon and drove to Santa Anna and was suppor guest with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Avant, before returning to Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Floyd Morris and grandson, Rusty Garner, of Brownwood were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

We are in hopes the weather will cooperate with us for our annual When Picnic, the first Saturday in April, this

day, March 28, the men will meet and clean the ground and make necessary plans. We wish for a nice crowd of friends and others to at-

tend. Will be looking for you!!! We received 1/2 inch of rain Mon-

Rountain Beat

By Danna Turner We have several contributions from the junior high English Students throughout the paper this week. We would like to thank Mrs. Joan Jones and Mr. Frank Gray for encouraging the students to contribute their news to the paper.

We had a little(?) cold front blow in late Monday afternoon and early evening with thunderstorms and heavy winds blowing. We received approximately 9-tenths of an inch of rain. The sun was shining Tuesday morning and the wind was still blowing slightly, but felt like it would warm up considerably. Temperatures have been up in the high 60's and 70's the past week, real nice enjoyable weather, good kite flying weather if you like to fly kites, with all the wind we have had.

I attended the Lion's Club meeting this past Tuesday, as they had invited all the city council candidates for a meal, and myself to cover the event. It was most enjoyable and I thought it was a nice gesture towards the candidates. The School Board candidated will be invited to next week's Tuesday meal and

School Menu MONDAY, MARCH 23

Breakfast: Cereal, Juice, Milk Lunch: Meat and Spaghetti, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Mixed Fruit, Milk TUESDAY, MARCH 24

Breakfast: Toast & Jelly, Juice, Milk Lunch: Nachos with Peppers, Refried Beans, Spanish Rice, Cornbread, Apples, Milk

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 25

Breakfast: Cereal, Juice, Milk Lunch: Fried Chicken with Gravy. Cream Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls, Ice Cream, Milk

THURSDAY, MARCH 26

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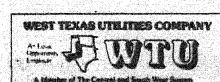
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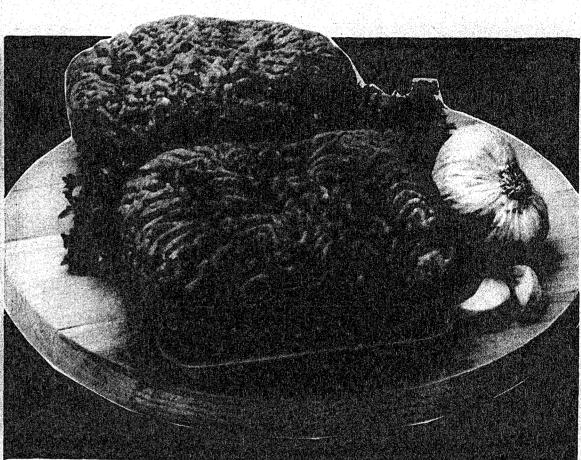
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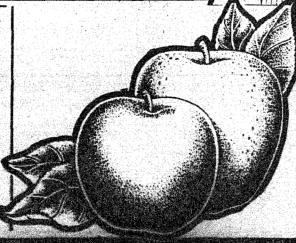
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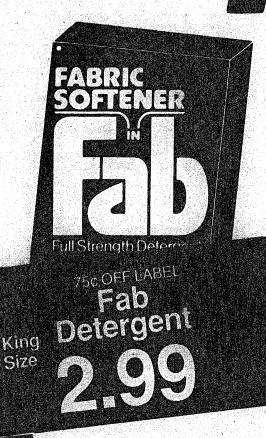
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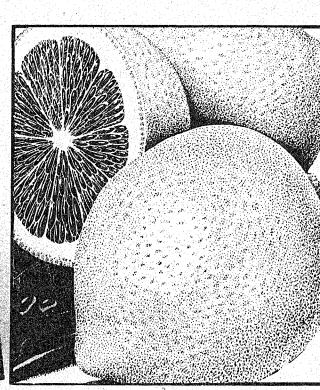


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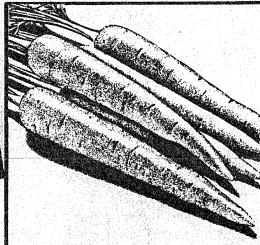
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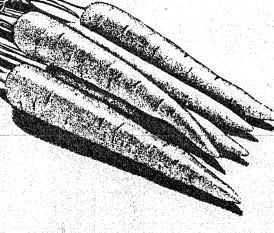




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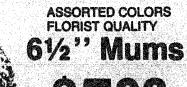
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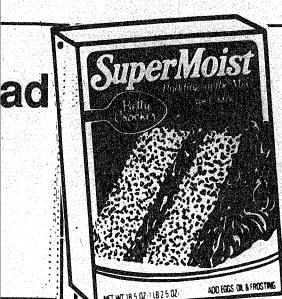
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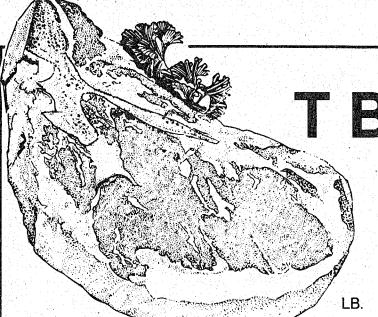
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U.S.D.A. HEAVY BEEF T Bone Steak

HOLLY FARMS FRYER DRUMSTICKS OR Thighs



LEAN MEATY PORK **Spare Ribs**

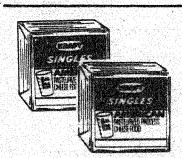
LB. **99¢**



U.S.D.A. HEAVY BEEF Finger Ribs

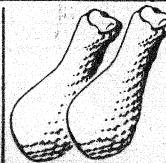
Great For The Grill

Longhorn Cheese LB



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GULF Trout **Fillets** LA RANCHERITA Pork Tamales

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BEEF TRIPE Menudo

Turkey



ALL GRINDS MAXWELL HOUSE 13 OZ 2.79 Master Blend Coffee



Wax Paper 100 SQ FT



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Vaseline Intensive Care Lotion

15 OZ

Tempra Drops Tempra Syrup 4 OZ



Q-Tip Swabs





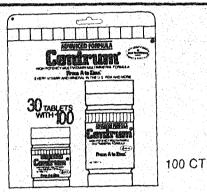
HANDLED DRINKING JAR OT 88



Beverage Insulator



EXTRA STRENGTH Alka Seltzer



Multi **Vitamins**

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REG, SHEER TO WAIST OR KNEE HIGH

No Nonsense **Panty Hose**



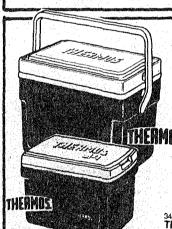
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75 CT EXTRA STRENGTH TUMS 48 CT \$1.43



PUMP Ultra Brite Toothpaste



16 QT RED OR BLUE Thermos Ice Chest

34 OT RED OR BLUE Thermos Ice Chest

\$1699

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PANCAKE & SAUSAGE, EGGS & HASHBROWNS & SAUSAGE FRENCH TOAST & SAUSAGE

Downyflake Breakfast

Classics



PILGRIM PRIDE Chicken

Tenders Or Nuggets 1882



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10 1/2 \$ 109 OZ PKG 14 OZ \$169

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