

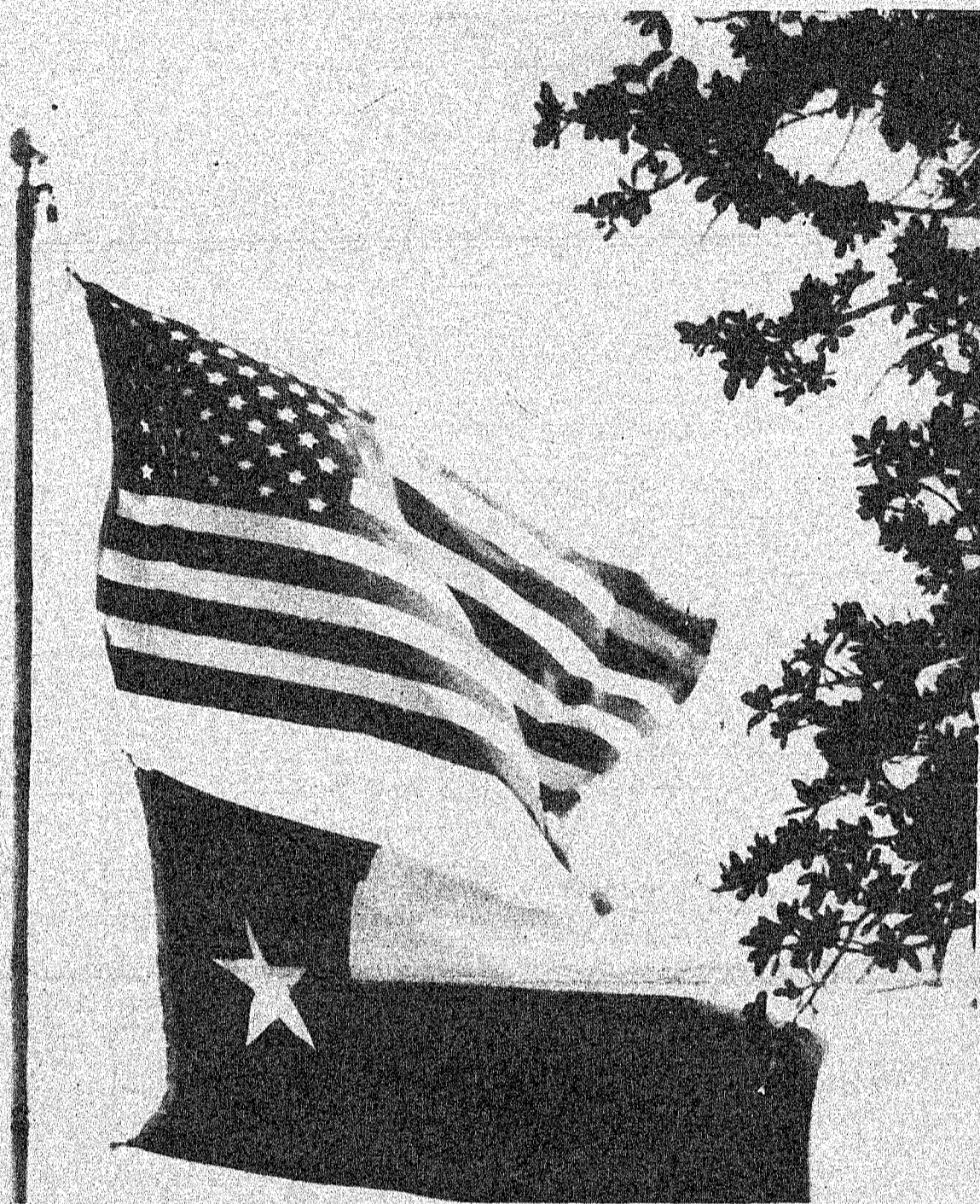
# Santa Anna News

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"WHAT SO PROUDLY WE HAIL" On Monday, Independence Day, the symbol of our freedom, the Stars and Stripes, was very evident around town. There are many in Santa Anna who regularly fly flags

and it never ceases to be a thrill to see them waving. This U.S. flag accompanied by the Lone Star flag is waving at the Derriel Warnock home.

## Methodist/Presbyterian & First Baptist

### VBS To Begin Monday

The joint vacation Bible School sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church and The First United Methodist Church and the VBS sponsored by the First Baptist Church will both take place next week, starting Monday morning and ending with special services on Sunday night.

#### Methodist/Presbyterian

Vacation Bible School sponsored jointly by the First Presbyterian Church and the First United Methodist Church will be held from 9 to 11:45 each morning of the week at the First United Methodist Church. Theme of the sessions will be "Jesus, Our Friend and Teacher". All children from 3 years of age thru the 6th grade are invited and welcome. Teens are welcome to assist. Those wishing to help may call Mrs. Jerry Ellis, VBS director. We are told the children can expect some special surprises as they travel "Along the road with Jesus" each morning during the worship services and also in the class sessions.

The attending children will bring small offerings which will be directed to the United Methodist Children's Fund. They will also bring canned goods and staples for the Presbyterian food pantry provided for those in need in our community. These offerings will be an outgrowth of learning to be a friend to those in need.

Orabeth McIver will be the pianist. Betsy McIver and Tammi Starr will lead the music. The director of crafts will be De Lisa Coyle, assisted by Alice Spillman,

Nita Beal, and Gale Brock and possibly others.

Teachers will include Betty Key, 3-4; Kathy Pearce, 5-6; Sharon Cheaney, 1 & 2nd grade; Kay Gray, 3 & 4th grade; Dee Dee Hudson 5th & 6th grade. Several others will be assisting at various times and with various activities.

A special closing celebration will be held Sunday night at 7:00 p.m. The children will have musical presentation and Bible study presentations. Their crafts will be on display in the church annex for everyone to enjoy. Refreshments of homemade ice cream and cookies will be served to all attending the closing service.

Jasper McClellan is the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church and Claude Davison of the First United Methodist Church.

#### First Baptist Church

VBS at the First Baptist Church will begin at 8:30 a.m. and dismiss at 11:00 each morning of the week. The theme for the Bible School is "Living for Jesus". Janet Neff is director. All children of Santa Anna from the age of 3 years thru the 6th grade are invited and welcome.

Michelle Morgan will lead the pre-schoolers as they learn "Jesus Loves Me". Imogene Power's, kindergarten class will be learning "Stories About Jesus". Dorothy Harris will instruct the 1 & 2nd grade as they learn "Jesus Helps Me".

Bible study for 3rd & 4th grade will be led by Betty Moore and will study "Jesus My Example". Fifth grade Bible study will dis-

cover "Who Jesus Is" and will be led by Sandy Hosch.

The remaining part of the morning will be spent doing crafts, singing and the favorite, refreshment time.

Mrs. Neff asks that you pray for all the Bible schools in the community to reach all the children of Santa Anna with God's message.

## Baseball All-Stars Include Local Youths

The 1988 Coleman County Senior League All-Star team has been selected by the coaches of the four teams participating this year. Manager of the squad is Ray Pritchard, who directed the Blue Jays to a league championship this season. He will be assisted by Jimmy Brown, who also coached the Blue Jays.

Santa Anna players named to the All-Star team are Orioles team members, Vicente Frausto, Alex Frausto, Tommy Williford and Don Rasmussen. Named as alternate from Santa Anna was Jason Dean.

The Senior League Stars will meet the winner of South Abilene-North Abilene on Tuesday, July 12, at 8:00 p.m. at the Abilene South field (located near the Abilene Mall).

The Major League, probably better known as the Little League, has also chosen its all-star roster. Name to the team from Santa Anna were Bobby Diaz from the Mets and Glen Donham from the Braves.

Manager of the all-star squad is

## County Approved For Emergency Program

Coleman County has been approved for haying and grazing on set-aside acres, according to Sammy Branch, County Executive Director of Coleman County ASCS.

This is an emergency program that allows farmers to graze or hay a crop set aside during June 1-October 31.

Farmers need to sign the register before they turn the cattle on the set-aside," Branch said.

There are four requirements a farmer must complete at the office in Coleman before implementing this program:

1. They must register the farm number to be grazed or hayed on.
2. They must say whether it is their livestock or some else's.
3. The farmer must say whether they intend to hay or graze the land.
4. At the end, they must sign the register to verify these three previous things.

The emergency feed program is a result of low rainfall this year. For the period of January to May the normal rainfall is 11.13. However this year the total is 4.5 for that period.

"Our native pastures are hurting

pretty bad", Branch said. He said a good rain this month might help the grazing.

Branch said that most of Coleman County has been planted. Some farmers have had to replant though, he said.

## Northside Cleanup Saturday

Saturday is the day for the northside cleanup of heavy trash. Anything that is too heavy or cumbersome to be collected with the regular garbage pick up may be set out Saturday near your regular garbage collection site.

For especially large or heavy items, call city hall before Saturday to make arrangements for the pickup.

The cleanup will include all areas north of Wallis Ave. Southside cleanup is scheduled for July 30.

## Rae-Echo Homecoming July 30th

The Rae-Echo, Crossroads, Lone Star, Union Hill, Camp Colorado, Watts Creek and Needmore schools will hold their annual homecoming July 30 at the National Guard Armory in Coleman. The gathering will start at 9:00 a.m. and will close about 3:00 p.m.

Free barbecue will be served along with beans, bread and drinks. Persons attending should bring a salad or sweet. Donations to help defray the expenses will be appreciated.

Officers of the association are James Hunter, president; H. O. Trent, vice president; Roy Gardner, secretary; and L.H. Johnson, treasurer.

There will be music, visiting, recognition of former teachers and students. Among those to be recognized will be the ones who traveled the greatest distance, the youngest and the oldest.

## Farm Bureau Offers CPR Course

The Coleman County Farm Bureau will be holding a CPR course, according to John Vance.

The course will be held at the county office 114 S. Concho in Coleman, Monday and Tuesday nights, July 11 and 12 beginning at 6:00 p.m.

The program will cost \$10 per person and consists of eight hours of instruction in CPR. The class will be limited to 20 persons.

Upon satisfactory completion of the course, each person will be given a wallet card certifying completion.

Heart attacks are the number one killer in the United States. The CPR technique saves thousands of lives each year and is particularly important to people who live in rural areas, since emergency help can be delayed.

## City Council Meets Thurs.

The Santa Anna city council will meet Thursday evening at 7 p.m. at the Mountain City Community Center. Following is the agenda for that meeting.

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Reading of minutes.
3. Open bids on old maintainer.
4. Resolution to change meeting dates.
5. Reports - Max Eubank
6. Accounts payable
7. Adjournment

The Texas Farm Bureau Association is sponsoring the CPR courses to provide information to help members in the event of an emergency.

For more information, contact Margaret Roberts at the Farm Bureau office, 625-2361.

## No Reserve Seats At Coleman Rodeo This Year

All admission tickets for this year's annual Coleman Rodeo will be general admission only with no reserve seats being sold. Everyone is urged to come early in order to get good seating.

Ticket sales began July 5 at Campbell's Clothing. They may also be purchased at the gate on show nights.

Running from Thursday through

Saturday nights, showtime is 8 p.m. each night with a dance following each performance. Jody Nix of Big Springs will provide the music for the dance.

Wayne Wise of Fort Collins, Colorado will be rodeo announcer.

The rodeo parade is scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. Saturday in downtown Coleman.

## Pipeline Contract Signed At Stacy Dam

City officials from Midland and San Angelo gathered at the Stacy Dam site last Wednesday to sign the contract for construction of pipelines and pump stations to their areas.

This historic occasion is a joint venture for the two cities. They will share a pipeline and 15,000 acres of water from Stacy Lake.

The contract will govern conditions, timetables, etc. for the construction. The pipeline will go to San Angelo, a Big Spring junction and the Midland-Odessa area.

Representatives signing the contract were Thomas Carroll, Midland Mayor, Dick Funk, San Angelo Mayor, and John Taylor, Chairman of the Board of Directors for the Colorado River Municipal Water District.

"This is a West Texas project, done for the West Texans in a West Texas way", Thomas said. He added that the signing was historic because it would provide water for the future. It is an ongoing need to

find water for West Texas.

"We are meeting the needs of our citizens in West Texas", Taylor said. He thought it was a great accomplishment to see this group of people joining together for a common cause.

Other mayors attending were Troy Williamson of Snyder, Don Carter of Odessa and Cotton Mize of Big Spring.

After the contract was signed, everyone was invited to tour the construction area of Stacy Dam. It is now 30 percent complete and they are ahead of schedule, according to Ron Hayes, Project Manager for Brown & Root U.S.A.

Last month workers were very busy putting down concrete. They worked 24 hours a day and poured 62,000 yards in less than 30 days. Hayes said they still have 50,000 yards left to put down. They use Elem Creek limestone to make their own concrete.

During this busy time, 237 employees were working, Hayes said

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## City Employee On Call This Weekend

Rusty Wells, City Superintendent, may be reached at 348-3681. The city crew member on call this weekend is Thomas Davis, who may be reached by calling 348-3206. Watch the Santa Anna News watch week for the city employee on call in case of an emergency.

### FUNERALS

## T.E. Long, 76

Graveside services for Thomas Edward Long, 76, of Santa Anna were at 4 p.m. Saturday at the Santa Anna Cemetery with Henderson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

He was born in Santa Anna where he attended school and was a Methodist. He was a longtime resident of the Fort Worth area and was retired from Bell Helicopter.

Survivors include his wife Martha Long of Richland Hills; a son, Howard "Red" Long of Richland Hills; three sisters, Maudie Groove of Kerrville, Mary Irby of Seagoville, and Jaunita Benton of Dallas; and a granddaughter.

## Friendship Luncheon

The Friendship Luncheon was made up of salads last week when the group met at the Mountain City Center for their weekly get-together. The weather cooperated nicely for that kind of meal.

Twenty six people were present. Everyone was glad to see Rose Bass was back but missed the Frank McCarys and pianist Pat DeWitt. Xuma Jones suggested the next meal to be "pot luck". Everyone agreed, so "pot luck" it is for this week.

Wilmoth Russell offered grace, asking for the spiritual gifts, with the healing power of Christ's love.

Our Coleman friends did not show up last week but we are hoping to see them this week after the Fourth Of July holiday, with their usual fun and good will.

## Local Ladies Are CTCC Graduates

Susan Dowdy and Lola Marshall, both Santa Anna residents, participated in spring commencement exercises which were held Thursday, June 16, for Central Texas Commercial College at the Adams Street Community Center in Brownwood. Jim Spillman, CTCC Administrator, also of Santa Anna, officiated the ceremony before 350 friends and relatives. Ms. Marshall received the Valedictorian award and an "A" honor roll award. Both she and Ms. Dowdy received diplomas in computerized accounting.

## Nitia Daniell Circle Meets

A prayer for July was used to open the meeting of the Nitia Daniell Circle of the United Methodist Church on June 27th.

During the business meeting the minutes of the last meeting were read by Carmilla Baugh. Laura Carpenter reported fifteen cards sent during the month. Mac Watson presented a check from the Circle for Vacation Bible School. Then gave her report to the Circle.

The program topic was "Expanding Our Vision of a Just World". Martha Belle Thompson read scripture from Luke 6:20-26 and Matthew 25:31-46. Hettie Scarbrough helped her with the program. Attention was called to Africa, the largest continent, where there are many problems among the people due to lack of education, machinery and know how.

Hostesses Hettie Scarbrough and Martha Belle Thomson served home made ice cream and cookies to those mentioned and Mildred Galloway, Pauline Eubank, Annette Clark, Lucille Dean, Jackie Davison and Margaret Crews.

## Deal Family Reunion

The Deal family reunion was held at Rockwood on July 2. Johnnie and Dick Deal were celebrating their 63rd wedding anniversary. Those attending the celebration were: Dick and Johnnie Deal; Joe, Virginia and Belinda Deal; Dave, Linda Joy and Jennifer Deal of Levitt Town, Pa.; Lisa Caputo of Levitt Town, Pa.; Joann Gaines and Dasha Perkins of Redonda Beach, Ca.; Ralon Deal; Ronnie and Randy Deal of Homly Tx.; Jocy, Cindy, Brandon and Gidget Scott of Quinlin Lake Texas; Rob, Tonya and Jenna Robison of Bryan Tx.; John and Bobbie Deal of Brownwood; Terry, Elaine and Josh Thomason of Brownwood; Ken and Sherri Rogers of Killceen Tx.; Rick, Cindy and Brad Deal of Arlington Tx.; Dixie Perry of Baton Rouge, La.; Jim, RoeAnn and Jessica Gauley of Baton Rouge, La.; Billy Jack and Martha Deal of Coleman; Rev. Tom, Dianna and Tomara Williams of Carizo Springs Tx.; Patsy Rehm of Abilene; and Amanda Perry of Santa Anna.

## Little Family Gathers At Lake

Approximately fifty attended the reunion of the descendants of A.B. and Opal Little held Saturday and Sunday at Lakeside Park on Hordes Creek Lake.

Family members came from Louisiana, Lake Jackson, Houston, College Station, Midland, Odessa, Abilene, San Angelo, Albany, Coleman and Santa Anna.

## GED Test At HPU

The monthly General Education Development (GED) Test Administrated at Howard Payne University will be given Saturday, July 9 at 8 a.m. in Newman Hall, Room 115.

A \$25 testing fee, to be paid at the door, is required, along with a photo identification. Persons must be at least 18 years old, of 17 with parental permission and proof of withdrawal from school.

Those planning to take the GED should note the earlier administration time and new test fee, both to accommodate the new, lengthier test. An additional \$5 is required for those who pass the exam to receive certification of the results.

It is not mandatory to complete the new GED in one day. Those who wish may complete the writing skills test only at the July administration and the remainder of the test in August.

No preregistration is required for the GED test. For more information, contact the registrar's office at HPU, 646-2502.

## Santa Anna Funeral Home

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### Library Notes

#### Check It Out

The following children's books have been received by the Santa Anna Library on loan from the Big Country Library Extension Book Service. They will be available for the children taking part in the summer reading program.

MR. PICKLEPAW'S · POP-CORN by Ruth Adams  
ALWAYS ROOM FOR MORE by Leclair Alger

THE STUPIDS HAVE A BALL by Harry Allard  
BLAZE AND KTHE GRAY SPOTTED PONY by Clarence William Anderson

IN A PUMPKIN SHELL by Anglund  
TIM ALL ALONE by Edward Ardizzone

CHILDREN OF THE KNORTLIGHTS by Ingri Aullaire

THE FIRE CAT by Esther Averill  
SHENANDOAH NOAH by Jim Aylesworth

SMALL RAIN by Bible  
PADDINGTOWN AT THE CIRCUS by Michael Bond  
ONCE A MOUSE by Marcia Brown

TOMIE DEPAOLA'S FAVORITE by Tomie Depaola  
PETUNIA by Roger Duvoisin  
THE HAPPY LION IN AFRICA by Louise Fatio

LOOK! by Gay  
GREEN EGGS AND HAM by Theodor Seuss Geisel  
THE ADVENTURES OF PAD-DYPOD by John S. Goodall

NIKOS AND THE SEA GOD by Hardie Gramatdy  
WHAT IS IT FOR? by Humphrey

OLD MACDONALD HAD A FARM  
THE BEAR BOOK by Jan Pfloug

MAGIC GROWING POWDER by Janet Quin-Harkin  
NATE THE GREZT AND THE FISHY PRIZE by Marjorie W. Sharnat

BRIAN WILDSMITH'S 1,2,3'S by Brian Wildsmith.  
All children in Santa Anna are invited to come by the library and check out one of these new books.

## Enjoy Summer's Bounty

The following recipe from Campbell Microwave Institute's microwave kitchens will let you enjoy the foods you love, and still give you time to enjoy the longer days of summer. And using a microwave oven won't heat up your kitchen.

### Country Kitchen Ratatouille

2 tablespoons olive oil  
1 medium onion, sliced  
1 medium sweet red pepper, cut into 1-inch squares  
1 medium clove garlic, minced  
1 jar (15 1/2 oz.) Prego spaghetti sauce (1 3/4 cups)  
1 small eggplant, peeled and cut into 1-inch cubes (about 4 cups)  
1 cup zucchini cut in 1/4-inch slices  
In 3-quart microwave-safe casserole, combine oil, onion, red pepper and garlic. Cover with lid; microwave on HIGH 4 minutes or until vegetables are tender, stirring once during cooking.  
2. Add spaghetti sauce, eggplant and zucchini; stir to mix well. Cover; microwave on HIGH 15 minutes or until vegetables are tender, stirring twice during cooking. Let stand, covered, 5 minutes. Makes about 4 cups or 6 servings.

## Stacy Dam

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Stone and dirt are being used to build the dam. Two more feet will be added to the top of the dam to complete this portion.

The construction of the spillway and floodgates is going well. They have also begun to build the look-out tower.

The river will be diverted while the workers are completing the closure of the dam, Hayes said. The canal used for this purpose has been finished.

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## Thoughts From Our Pastors

By John Stanislaw  
First Baptist Church

### THE RIGHT PLACE AT THE RIGHT TIME

"But when the fullness of time was come, God sent forth His son..."

"Some people always seem to be in the right place at the right time. They get all the lucky breaks".

This statement is common sentiment in our society. But it isn't accurate. Life is not a series of circumstances with some getting the breaks and others being broken. In reality, life is a series of choices, not circumstances.

Your personal success or failure comes down to the decisions you make. Any good strategist will tell you the right decisions require right information. I call it true perspective. How do you get a true perspective? You must be in the places that God is.

Some of those places are in the place of prayer, place of study, a place of fellowship, a place where the church meets and any other place god is. Positionally, which is the most important place, is in the Lord Jesus Christ.

The way to get in that position is to receive... the gift of God which is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." (Romans 6:23) Notice it's not wages or reward it is a free gift through the work of Christ on the cross. Now a Christian will be rewarded on the basis of his stewardship of the Christian life. All Christians will suffer loss before the judgement seat of Christ but not lose his salvation. (1 Corinthians 3:12-15) so to be positionally in Christ is the beginning of being in the right place to get the right perspective in life.

One of the best ways to gain perspective on the daily challenges you face is to be in the meeting place of the church on Sunday morning. I believe it is the right place at the right time. Whether it be the church I pastor or some other group of believers, I want to encourage you to do this this Sunday.

### Birthdays and Anniversaries

#### THURSDAY, JULY 7

Tyrell Harding  
Ann Langford  
Becky Simmons  
Udell Copeland  
Laurie Powers  
Katie Harvey  
Casey Litton  
Doris Kelley

#### FRIDAY, JULY 8

W.D. (Doc) Scarbrough

#### SATURDAY, JULY 9

Becky Fenton  
Bryan Hosch  
Becky Lewis Moore  
Charles Pyburn  
Lela Hays

#### SUNDAY, JULY 10

Delma Johnson  
Mr. & Mrs. Billy Joe Jones  
Mr. & Mrs. Donnie Neff

#### MONDAY, JULY 11

R.W. Balke  
Raymond Cupps  
Delbert Strength  
Delores Fenton  
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hosch

#### TUESDAY, JULY 12

Rodney Henderson  
Curtis Puckett  
Sandra Guthrie  
Pam Anderson  
Mr. & Mrs. Bill Strength

#### WEDNESDAY, JULY 13

Alice Buzzard  
Sally McIver  
Bill Martin  
Danny Kellar  
Anna Puckett  
Taffy Rutherford  
Eden Shauntel Culpepper

## Community Calendar

THURSDAY, JULY 7  
Summer Reading Program

Free Blood Pressure Check  
2-3:30 Mountain City  
Community Center

Coleman Rodeo begins 3  
night run

MONDAY JULY 11  
Vacation Bible School Starts  
Methodist/Presbyterian at  
Methodist Church  
Baptist at First Baptist

THURSDAY, JULY 21  
Summer Reading Program

## Visitors In Warnock Home

Weekend and Fourth Of July visitors in the Derriell Warnock home were Mr. and Mrs. Ron Warnock and Tiffany, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Warnock, Don Warnock and son Brent, all of Lake Jackson, Dwayne Warnock of College Station, and Doug Warnock of San Angelo.

All attended the Little family reunion Saturday and Sunday at Hordes Creek Lake.

Grace Perez  
Ann Stiles

Birthdays and anniversaries are taken from the ESA Community Calendar. If you have an addition to make that does not appear on the current Community Calendar, please call the news office at least a week prior to the date the name is to appear in the paper.

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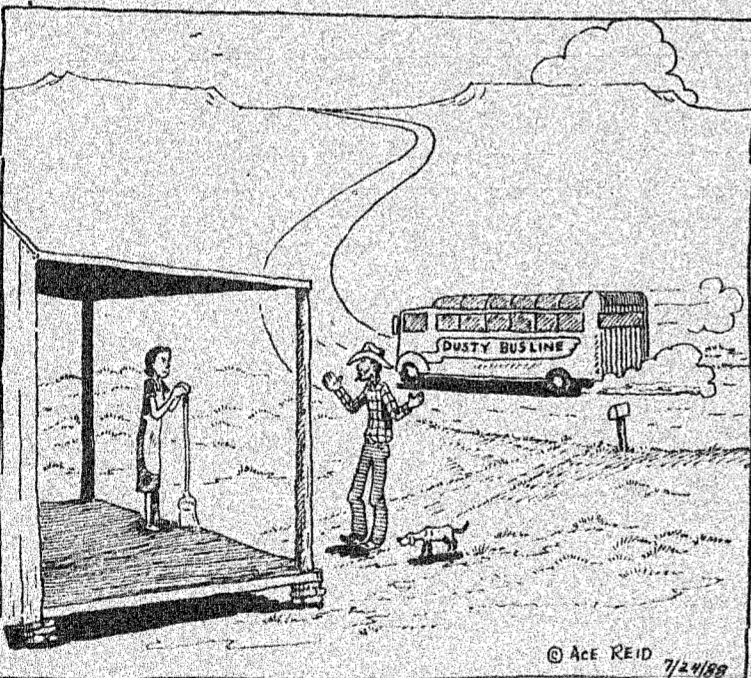
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## COWPOKES

### By Ace Reid



"Maw, things are lookin' up, I left here yesterday in a \$12,000.00 pickup to play poker. I come back this morning in a \$250,000.00 bus!!"

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Ms. Billie announced the Shana Denis Burchfield Marie Van H Jean Wilson is a 1988 graduate of Kholer Community College, Coleman, Missouri, employed by Simmons University at the Victoria Packer office.

## Alders

An area drive operation the Aldersgate kicked off last week.

The Brown County expected to have over 1,400 area residents is part of a statewide and state-wide project. The necessary construction will serve about 1,400 residents.

Leonard Brownwood drive. Efforts to project a statewide and state-wide project to see re

John Lee Blake heading the drive, with a charge of advancing the project.

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## Dr. M

Office Hours: Monday-Saturday



### Marriage Plans Announced

Ms. Billie Hill of Brownwood and Dennis Hill of Bangs have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Shana Denise, to James Arthur Burchfield Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Burchfield of Santa Anna. The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Ms. Marie Van Huss of Brownwood, the late Jack Van Huss, and Mrs. Bennie Jean Wilson of Early, the late O.H. Wilson and the late Lynn Hill. Shana is a 1988 graduate of Brownwood High School and is employed by the Kholer Company. Her fiance, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Starnes of Coleman, Mrs. Rosa Burchfield of Shaw, Miss., and the late Arthur Burchfield, is a 1988 graduate of Santa Anna High School. He is employed by the Kholer Company, also. He plans to attend Hardin Simmons University in the fall. The wedding is set for 2 p.m. on Aug. 20 at the Victory Baptist Church of Brownwood with the Rev. Ruben Packer officiating. The couple will reside in Santa Anna.

### Aldersgate Fund Drive Organized

An area drive to raise funds for the operation and construction of the Aldersgate Enrichment Center kicked off last week.

The Brown County drive is expected to involve about 250 volunteers who will call on more than 1,400 area residents. The drive is part of a statewide effort to raise the necessary funds to begin construction on the center, which will serve about 120 mildly-retarded adults.

Leonard Underwood of Brownwood will head the fund drive. Efforts to raise money for the project are already under way statewide and Aldersgate officials expect to see results by September.

John Lee Blagg of Brownwood is heading the general solicitation drive, with Stuart Coleman in charge of advance gifts and Harry

Miller and Clay Jones in charge of special gifts. The drive also involves several persons who serve either on the Brown County Campaign Cabinet or as division leaders.

According to Underwood, donations from residents throughout the area are needed to make the project successful.

Area residents may call the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce at 646-9535 if they have additional questions about the project.

The Aldersgate Enrichment Center is a project of the Methodist Men's Club of the United Methodist Church. The Santa Anna Methodist Men's Club is the oldest in men's club in the Brownwood District of the Methodist Church and will be involved in the project.

### "Historically Speaking"

## Gladys Hunter's Book Published Again

The book "Historically Speaking: Coleman County", by Gladys Hunter, has been reprinted and is available for people interested in local and Coleman County history. Published originally in 1977, it followed Mrs. Hunter's first book, "Discord, Texas on Camp Creek", within a few years the books were sold, and by request the second publication has been done.

"Historically Speaking, Coleman County", contains stories of people and places in Coleman County, including the Sealy Hospital and Nursing School, pioneer schools and families. Some of the articles are from stories she wrote for local newspapers.

A Coleman County resident since 1925, Mrs. Hunter has recently completed 40 years as Rockwood correspondent for the Santa Anna News and Coleman Democrat Voice. In addition she has written for the Abilene Reporter News and the San Angelo Standard Times.

Mrs. Hunter moved from her ranch on the Colorado River to

Santa Anna in 1970, continuing her community and church activities and always seeking information for stories of historical nature. She admits she has stacks of notes and information for more stories, but will not admit that another book may be in her future plans.

Since publishing the book in 1977, Mrs. Hunter has spent a great deal of time traveling and sightseeing, but is ready to get back to writing and taking care of book sales.

There are only limited copies of the book available, either from Mrs. Hunter in Santa Anna or from Anchor Publishing Company in San Angelo. They will also be available at the Santa Anna News office in the next week or so.

### Ladies Have Visitor

Mr. Lester Freeman of Coleman visited old friends Ethelene Stewart and Imo Herring in Santa Anna Saturday.

## The Man Who Started Texas:

He was a Spaniard named Jose de Escandon, and he was one of the greatest colonizers of Texas. Today he is all but forgotten.

Escandon founded the first of his 23 colonies 240 years ago. Eventually he brought 6,384 Spaniards to settle the area along the Rio Grande.

Escandon was 15 when he left Spain to become a Spanish Army cadet at Merida, Yucatan. By 1740, he was a lieutenant general and was commissioned to explore the country between Tampico and the San Antonio River.

He sent seven expeditions of 765 men into the area before his plan to colonize both sides of the Rio Grande was approved on June 1, 1748. He was appointed governor.

To encourage potential settlers, Escandon offered free land, 200 pesos for supplies, a cash bonus and no taxes for ten years.

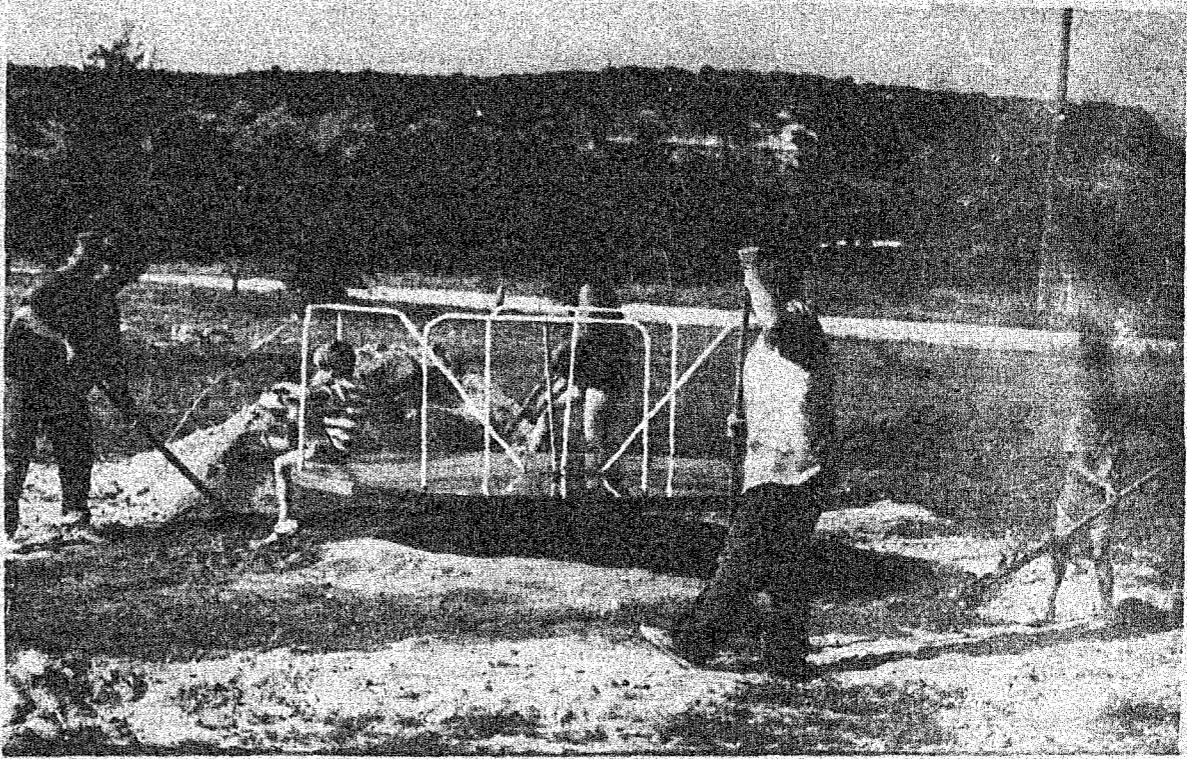
On March 5, 1749, he established Carmargo, just south of the river. Nine days later, he founded Reynosa. Revilla, Mier and many others owe their beginnings to Escandon and/or his associates.

Escandon was responsible for only two settlements north of the river - Nuestra Senora de Dolores, in the present Zapata County, and Laredo. The first was founded by Jose Vasquez Borrego on land Escandon granted him.

Laredo was founded the same year. It was started by Tomas Sanchez de la Barrera y Gallardo on 15 leagues of granted by Escandon. By 1800, the settlement had 1,000 residents. It remains the most important colonies for which Escandon was responsible.

Although Escandon is credited with starting Texas, the only memorial to him is at Rio Grande City - a community he didn't start. It was erected in 1936.

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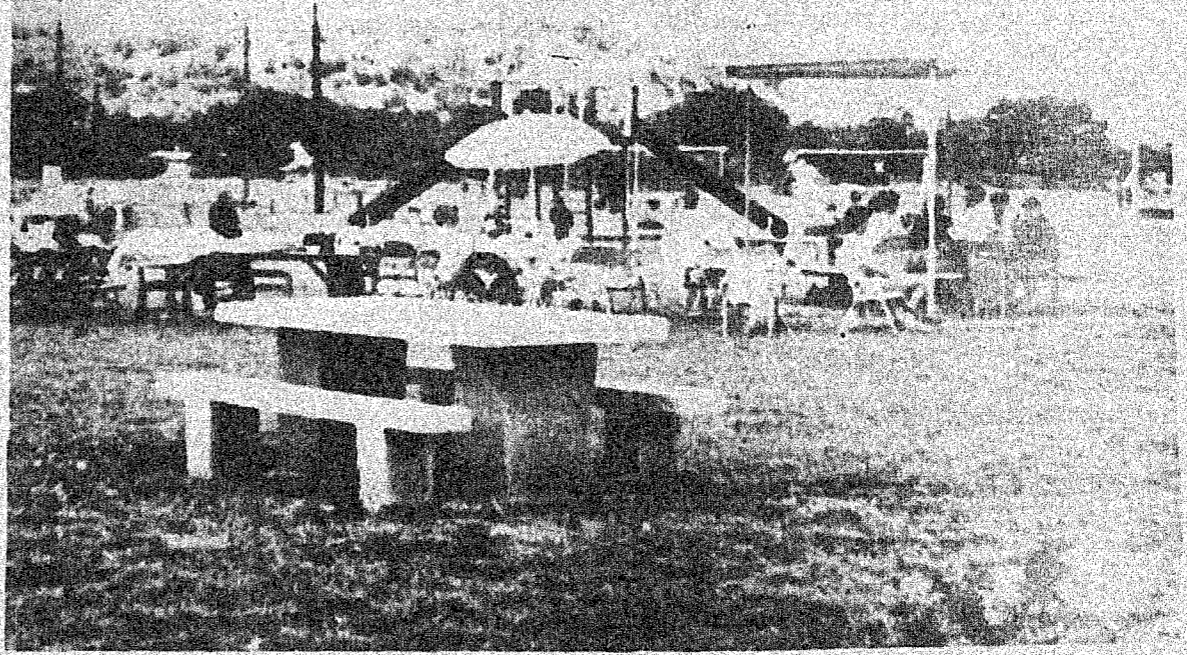
## Pride In Santa Anna

Mayor Thelma Brooker, front, assisted by daughter Thelma Bloat and her children Brandon and J.J. are helped by Charlotte Moses as they prepare a base around the merry-go-round at Gary James Memorial Park last week. John Naron has constructed several picnic tables and shades and last

week Derriel Warnock built the first of several garbage can holders for the park. Trees have been donated by several individuals. Mayor Brooker has painted the tables and playground equipment with little assistance. The park is a favorite project for her. Many have donated the materials and equipment for

construction and everyone involved deserves a grateful pat on the back from citizens of Santa Anna. In the picture below several families enjoyed the park during their Fourth of July picnics.

Thanks to all who have had a part in providing such a spot in our town and to Mayor Brooker for inspiring pride in keeping it up.



## Cleveland News

By Carol Herring

On Wednesday, Mrs. Wilmoth Russell returned from visiting in Tyler and Houston. While in Houston she attended the Alley Family Reunion last weekend. In Tyler she visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Carter. Larry, Diane and Vanessa Bunn of Missouri joined them for a visit while she was away.

Visiting over the fourth of July with C.E. and Vera Wise were Jimmy and Toni Lovelace of Pecos and Jerry Lovelace of Lubbock.

Camilla Baugh visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores on Wednesday at the Twilight Nursing Home in Bangs. Visitors over the fourth in the home of Dick and Camilla Baugh have been Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bible of Sonora, Debra Bible of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bible of Stephenville, Kayla and Will Lowry of Bangs and Mike Reed and three friends from College Station.

Visiting with the Emil Williams on Thursday was Ovella Williams. Coy Brooke visited Sidney Sackett on Monday. Wednesday

Brownie and Jeffery Brooke of Comanche visited Coy and Myra Brooke and on Saturday afternoon J. B. Brooke visited.

Kasha Don Cupps returned home Wednesday after a one month stay with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps, Ryan and Reed in Beaumont. Billy Don visited a few days before returning home on Saturday. Other visitors on Sunday were Ernie, Carolyn and Michael Covey of Georgetown. The George Teeters of Bangs visited at different times over the week.

Phyllis and Eddie Dillard visited with Margie Fleming one day this past week. On Sunday afternoon, Jason Mapson visited.

Edd and Ruby Hartman visited in Bangs on Sunday afternoon with Sandra and Harry Walker, Scott, June and Raven Walker and Darrel, Cindy, Mathew and Shannon Boyle.

Mrs. Winnie Haynes visitor on Saturday afternoon was Clara Cupps.

Mrs. Byrdie Miller's niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Audrey

Wright of Hobbs, New Mexico have visited with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Moore's daughter, Pat Pollack returned home on Wednesday after spending a few days with her parents.

Calvin and Margaret Campbell received 4/10ths inch of rain this afternoon. They had as a guest today, Lance Rasch.

Spending Friday night with A.C. and Lou Pierce were Chrystal and Jennifer Pelton. Lou took the girls back home on Saturday and visited with Cindy and the baby. Troy Pierce and Deanna Rape visited Saturday afternoon and enjoyed supper with the Pierces.

Betty Joyce Cupps has had her grandson, Shane Cupps of Hawley spend a couple of weeks with her.

Cecil and Nona Bell Ellis visited Grace Ellis on Saturday, on Thursday, Jamie and Bryce Ellis spent the day. Sunday, Kathy, Jerry, and kids came for lunch. After lunch, Grace Ellis came over.

Charlie and Thelma Fleming had visitors on Friday, George and Goldie Haynes of Brownwood. On Saturday those visiting were Peggy and Kenneth Sikes and Randy, Ann and Sam Sikes of Bangs, Rodney and Diane Sikes and Margie, Kelly and Sandy Molden of Fort Worth and Chris Fleming.

On Monday, Mrs. Tavy Ford was visited by her daughter, Peggy Miller.

The Junior Hendersons had as guests Saturday night, their son and his family, Billy, Barbara, Sheila and Andy Henderson of Bangs.

Mrs. Velda Mills sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Penny of Robert Lee came on Saturday.

Ruby Hartman and Pete Moore were by this week.

John and Juanita Naron had Steve Pinson of Brownwood visited Wednesday through Sunday. He was picked up Sunday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Pinson.

Hardin Phillips was visited by Dick Baugh this week.

Mrs. Amanda Perry has had this past week as company, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gauley and Jessie and Mrs. Dixie Perry of Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Mr. and Mrs. James Perry and daughter also visited. On Saturday, she attended the Deal Reunion at Rockwood.

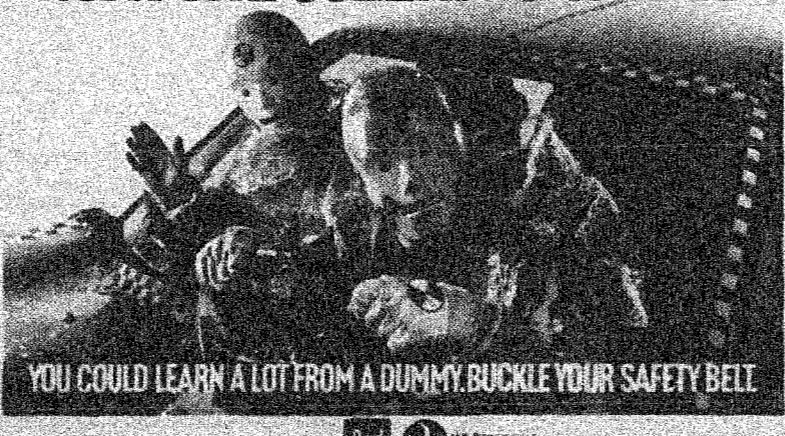
Mrs. Lora Russell's daughter Carmoleita Johnson came two weeks ago Sunday. Then on Friday they were joined by her daughter, Billie Hall of San Angelo. They all then went to Salido, Austin and San Antonio where they visited Sea World and returned home on Thursday night. Carmoleita's husband then picked her up to return home this weekend.

### Fannie Gilbert Has Eye Surgery

Mrs. C. C. (Fannie) Gilbert had eye surgery in Brownwood Tuesday of last week. Her sister Lorena Wells and daughter-in-law, Evelyn Copple accompanied her. Her husband, Clarence, is suffering with a broken ankle.

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### Don's Diary

By Don Rutherford

Thomas is one of the most misaligned men of the New Testament. It is true that he is the one who doubted but he was also one of the most loyal and steadfast of the disciples.

When someone insists on personal verification of facts we often call him "doubting Thomas". Thomas was absent when the Risen Lord first appeared to the disciples and he refused their testimony, but insisted "Unless I see in His hands the prints of the nails and put my finger into His side I will not believe." The doubt was there, but his doubts became reality as he did see the prints and he exclaimed "My Lord and My God."

The first record of Thomas is found in the story of Mary, Martha and Lazarus. This home in Bethany was a favorite stop for Jesus. When Jesus said He was going back into Judea, Thomas responded "Let us go with Him to die also." With these words Thomas stepped forward as a leader. Step by step with the Master he marched ready to share fully and completely any suffering that might come. So Thomas was not always a doubter.

The next words of Thomas are recorded in John Chapter 14. The time is the last night of Jesus's earthly life. Gathered with His disciples for the Last Supper, Jesus spoke of leaving them and then coming back to get them. Thomas interrupted these comforting words with the blunt question "Lord how can we know the way?" Jesus was talking about the way to heaven; Thomas asked for a road map. This is the realist in Thomas. It is the practical mind facing a mystical demand. It is the man who relied on the seen world trying to cope with the world of faith in the unseen. It is common knowledge confronted with uncommon knowledge. It is the man who carries attitudes of dust into a heavenly chamber.

Common sense says there are seven thousand stars that can be seen with the naked eye. The astronomer would tell us by faith

there are twenty million. Common sense sees a desk as solid wood but the physicist would tell us by faith there are neutron and protons in motion that make up that desk.

The realist sees the seven thousand stars. The man of faith believes the astronomer and sees twenty million by faith.

Eight days after the Resurrection the disciples are gathered again. Thomas was there with them this time. The doors were shut but Jesus came and stood among them and said "Peace be unto you". He then approached Thomas and said "Put your finger and see my hands, be not faithless but believe." Thomas answered with a most beautiful confession "My Lord and my God."

In Thomas I believe we can see three good things that could help us to live faithful and fruitful lives.

1. When he saw what he ought to do nothing kept him back. When Jesus expressed his intentions of going back into dangerous country, Thomas urged the disciples to accompany Him when it is meant death.

2. When he saw what he ought to do, he only wanted to know how to do it right. At the Last Supper he acknowledged his ignorance of the place where Jesus was going and asked how he could know the way.

3. When he saw what it was that he had to believe he only wanted to know if it were right and then there was no holding him back. When Jesus convinced him, his faith was made real.

Thomas went on to take the Gospel into India. Tradition tells us that he was killed for his faith there in that land.

"Sometimes I feel like Thomas, doubtful, mistrusting and weak;

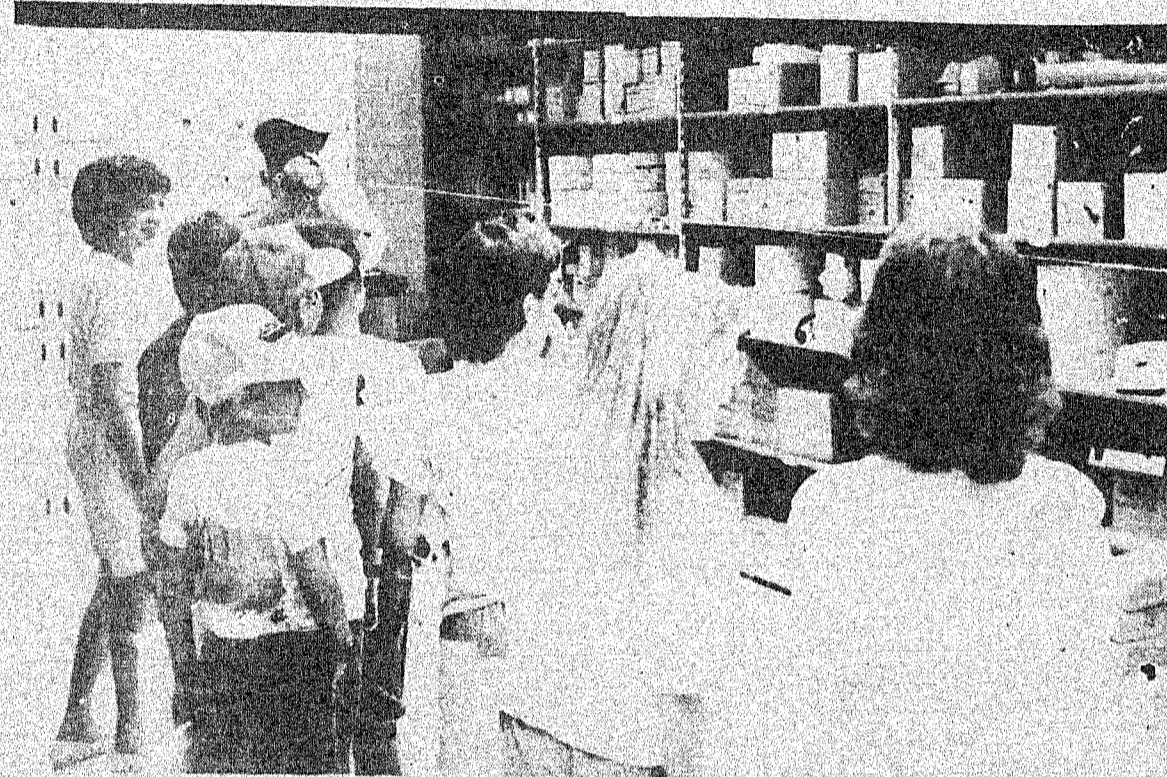
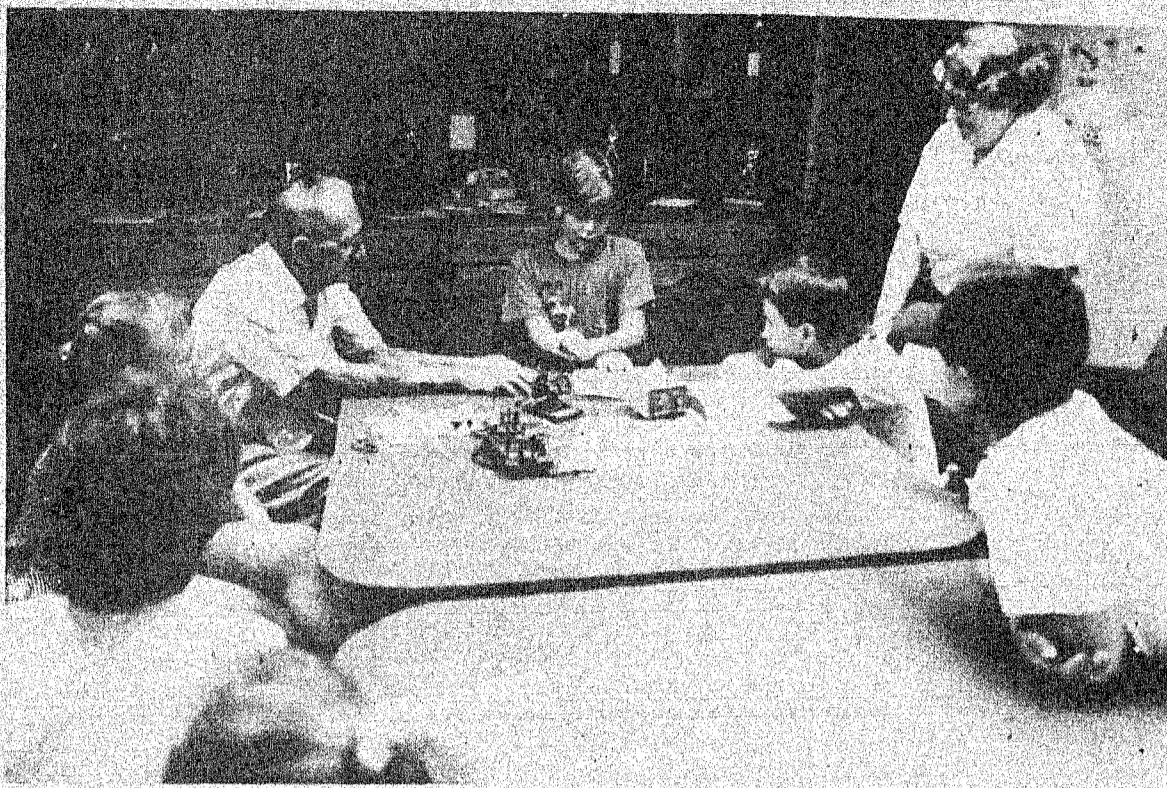
Sometimes I feel like Thomas trusting, my faith at its peak."

I think we all have our moments of doubts but the secret is to take these doubts to the Lord, let Him secure our faith.

Faith lets Christ do for us and with us what we could never do alone.

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The number for Frank Cleveland, commander of the West Central Texas Crime Task Force, is 915-675-6964. You don't have to identify yourself to report suspected drug trafficking.



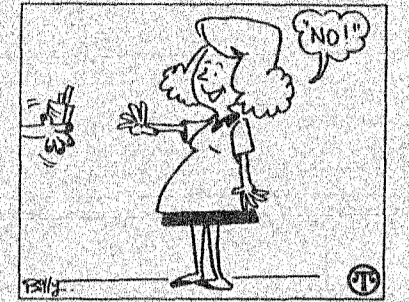
The children in the upper picture are learning to send messages by Morse code during last weeks Summer Reading Program session. R. W. Balke, who once worked as a telegraph operator for the railroad, showed the children how the apparatus worked. In the lower picture, Lane Guthrie, Telephone Co-op employee, shows the children principle of how a telephone works by using a "can and string" phone like we all played with as youngsters. The Summer Reading group will meet again this Thursday morning at the Telephone Co-op at 9:30 a.m. All children are encouraged to join the group.

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• Tobacco smoke affects not only the smoker but also nearby non-smokers who may inhale many elements of the smoke. People who care about the health of those around them, as well as their own, are kicking the smoking habit with the help of a prescription medication that releases small amounts of nicotine in the mouth which produce nicotine blood levels sufficient to reduce withdrawal symptoms. For more facts about the medication, ask your doctor.

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## Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

Elton and Katie Jones visited Gilbert and Katie Pluger Wednesday afternoon.

Rodney Daus of Muleshoe spent the weekend with home folks. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Daus and Robert were in Brownwood Monday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and other neighbors visited Mary Emerson. She also had a phone call from her granddaughter, Anita Brown, in Austin.

Myrtle Estes spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday at home returning to Ranger Park inn Monday morning. Joe Estes of Abilene spent the weekend with his parents. Other callers were Blake and Wilma Williams. Andy McCarrell and David Short of Lohn visited Monday afternoon.

Recent visitors with the Junior Brushenhans were Sam Estes, Elec Cooper, Wayne Bray, Joe C. Deal, Ronnie Deal, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Deal and Roland, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper and Ronnie Deal and family. Mrs. Emerson spent Sunday with the Brushenhans.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams announce their daughter, Carolyn McWherter, and Chris Williams were married Friday in Houston and are spending the weekend in Ixtapa, Mexico.

Weekend visitors with Bill and Sadie Bryan were Serena Bryan, Judy Surlis of Arlington, and Bill Hendrix of Dallas. All were in Brady Sunday afternoon. Later callers were Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hodges of Abilene and Mrs. Faye Hodges of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Cooper and family of Coryell City and Shauna Jones of Brownwood came Sunday for the Fourth with the Elec and Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boys, Bonnie and Jackie Lee of Comanche spent the weekend with Curtis and Betty

Bryan, spending some time at the cabin on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gauley and Jessica of Baton Rouge, La. and Mr. and Mrs. David Deal and Children of Levittown and Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Deal of Santa Anna have spent several days with Dick and Johnie Deal and all attended the family reunion.

Greg Mobley of Austin spent Friday ton Tuesday with his mother, Oleta Mobley of Santa Anna.

Garland McSwain of Dallas spent the weekend with his dad, Aubrey McSwain and their guest and guest Greg Mobley.

Faye Wise, Darla Wise and Hunter spent Tuesday visiting in Brownwood.

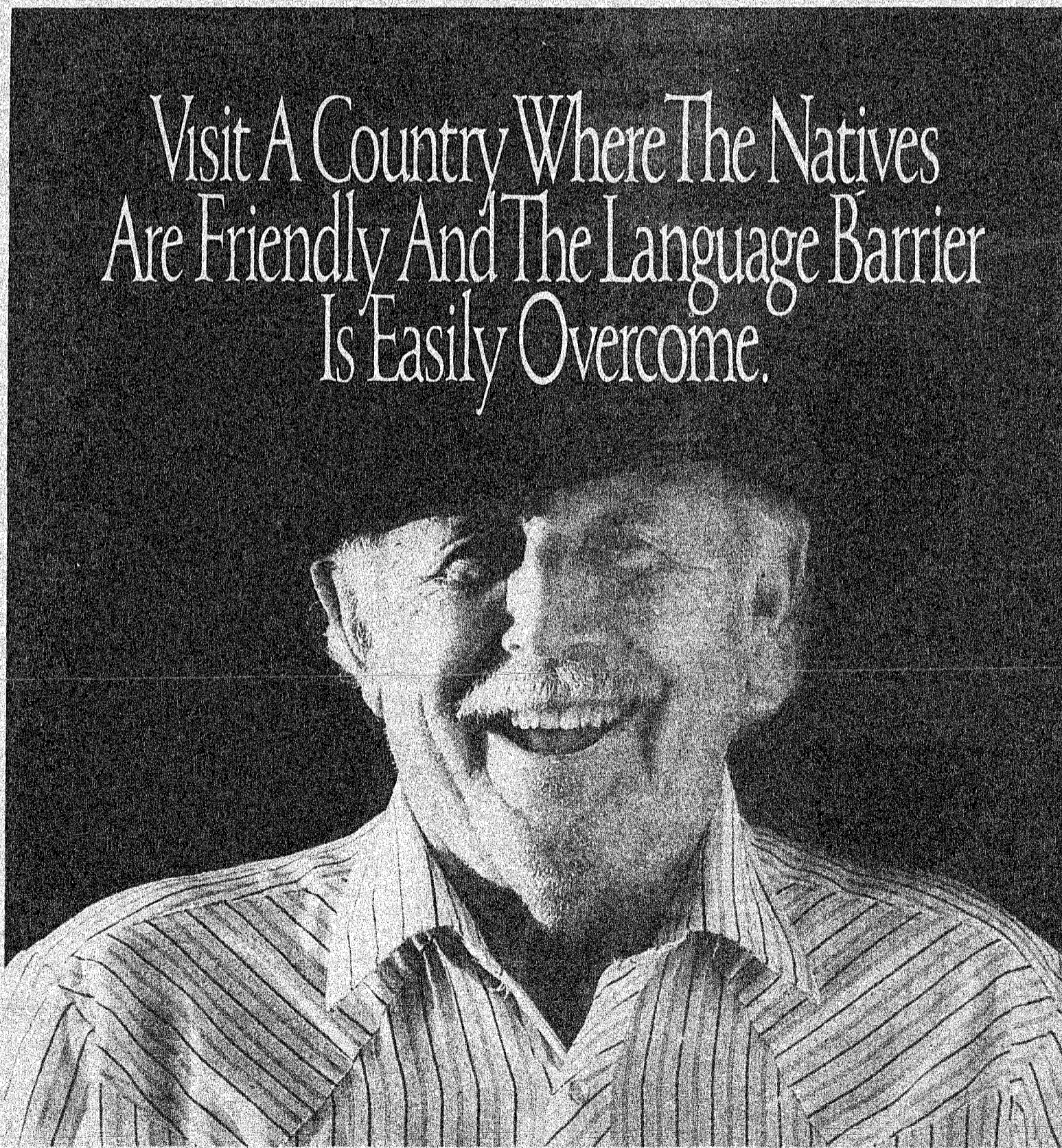
Saturday evening Darla and Hank Wise and Micheal Short of Lohn and Jennifer Jamison of Leaday went to Lowake for dinner.

Roger Gilpin, Chad and Judd of Laredo spent several days with Tony and Wade Rehm.

Joyce Mueller and family of San Antonio are spending several days at their home here. Joyce visited Coleta Pearson Monday morning. Coleta Pearson and Vivian Steward were Sunday dinner guests for a barbecue dinner with the Billy Pearsons.

Saturday to Monday guests with Jack and Skeeta Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sheffield, Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Allen of Temple, Dr. Mike Sheffield of Wylie, Tracy Lorenzo of Mission. Joining them for a fish fry Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper and Mrs. and Mrs. Denver Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and their guests all went to Brady Sunday. The Ronnie Cooper family of Coryell City visited them Monday.

Mary Frances Townsend of Abilene visited Gladys Hunter Friday morning, enroute to San Antonio.



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### Ranger Park Inn

By Annie May Brimer

The residents listened to the singing of the Melody Makers Tuesday afternoon.

Joe Green and Billie Wheatley popped corn Friday afternoon.

Bro. Charles and Stena Mitchell conducted the 1st Sunday service for the residents Sunday afternoon. Bro. Charles preached. Cleo Cude played the piano while Stena land the residents sang hymns.

The 42 games were enjoyed by four tables of players Monday afternoon. Wilmoth Russell, Lora Russell and Herman Estes came to help.

The residents enjoyed a 4th of July party hosted by the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary of Coleman Monday afternoon. every

one had all the ice cream they could eat and enjoyed cookies Helen and Curley wright baked.

We are so happy for Polly Cox and Delma Johnson to be able to go home. We sure miss them but hope the best for their return to their homes.

#### LIVING CENTER

Preston Cude visitors were Lea and Doris Aderholt and Cleo Cude.

Red Cupps was visited by Raymond Cupps, Robert and Maggie Robinett.

Thelma Whitehead is spending a few days with relatives in Oklahoma.

#### NURSING HOME

Dona Estes visitors were Betty Day, Louise McClellan, Bruce Estes.

Henry Goodwin visitors were Henry Jr and Merle Goodwin.

Annie Mac Hintner visitors were Banard and Shirley Hintner. Al and Maude Hintner.

Corrine Storey was visited by K.G.Storey.

Mattie Gray visitors were Mr and Mrs Dash McCrary, Annelle Clark.

Cleo Canady visitors were Rev. Charles and Stena Mitchell.

Francis Tucker visitors were Archie Tucker, Annelle Clark, Marjorie and Jack Griffith, Gladys Day and Amanda Perry.

May Tyson visitors were Ben and Myra Taylor, Annelle Clark.

Marie Hill visitors were Ruby Parker, Julian Whitley, Annelle Clark.

Jimmie McGregor visitors were Donna Cummings, Ruby Parker.

Lillie Knotts visitors were Ila and Jack Todd, Annelle Clark.

Winnie Dias visited all the residents and played piano selections.

Ward Lentz and John Hunter was visited by Annelle Clark.

Ora Caldwell visitors were Jeanette Brock, Mrs H.A. Hagler, Amanda Perry, Net Reis, Kay Joffrion, Sue Whitley, Annelle Clark.

Christine Sanders visitors were Amanda Perry, Annelle Clark, Mary and Jay W.Briggs. Karen and Micah Deansman, Lynna, Kenney, Mandy and Michial McClung, Tri-

cia and Chris Hawkins, Laci Goolsby, Martha Black, Joe Ward, Berniece and Horace Snedegar, Peggy Johnson, Maggie Robinett, Dan and Barbara Johnson.

Lillie Box and Jessie Thatc were visited by Annelle Clark.

Opal Maples visitors were Raymond Stephens, Gary Sellers, Billie Simons, Sadie Simons, Annelle Clark, Eddie and Phillis Dillard, Ben and Myra Taylor.

H.A.Hagler visitors were Bill Hagler, Ginger Davis, Grace and Dennis Gaines, Alynne Gober, Jimmie Baker, Andi Davis, Bonnie Tatum, Myrtle Parker, Net Reis, Kay Joffrion, Sue Whitley.

Faye Casey visitors were Ollie Flynn, Imo Herring, Ethelene Stewart.

C.D.Bruce visitors were Diana Porter, Barbara Kingsbery, John, Sue and Mollie Porter, Chanda Simmons, Martaret Simmons, Henry Jr. Goodwin, Louis and Jo.

Pauline Connell visitors were Nancy Connell, Ray Connell, Anne Melton.

Nestor Diaz visitors were Gloria and Benito Diaz, Juanita and Victor Diaz, Johnny and Benny Diaz.

Pearl Arnold visitors were Bill and Louise Smedley, Imo Herring.

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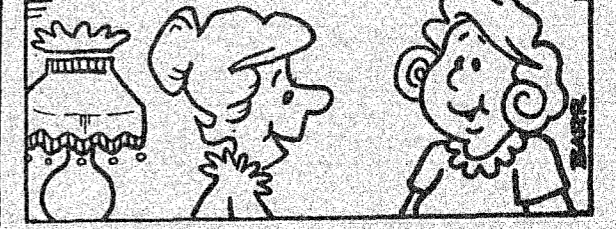
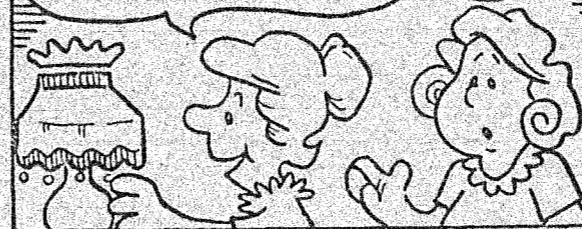
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WARREN NEWBERRY (right), executive director of the Texas Farm Bureau, explains video tape equipment to leaders of the Coleman County Farm Bureau and Bob Turner (left), Voss, state director

from this district. Left to right are, front row: V.J. Horn, Michell Rutherford, Charlotte Wilson, Greg Wilson, John Vance, Doodie Knox, Jack Knox. Back row: Cliff Horn, Virginia Jamison, Curtis Jamison, Barry Wilson.

### County F B Leaders Tour State Office

Coleman County Farm Bureau leaders toured the Texas Farm Bureau headquarters in Waco June 22 and were briefed on TFB programs and activities.

Accompanying the 11 local leaders on the trip to Waco were officers and board members from Farm Bureaus in Brown, Callahan, Shackelford, Comanche, Eastland, Erath, Jones, Runnels and Taylor Counties.

Bob Turner, of Voss, state director from this district, also accom-

panied the group. Warren, Newberry, TFB Executive director, welcomed the county leaders and explained the structure of the Farm Bureau from the county to the national level.

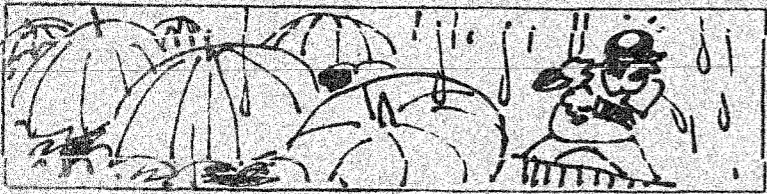
Various department heads in the TFB briefed the visitors on current programs. Topics included a computer demonstration, commodity activities, information and public relations, the TFB Young Farmers and Ranchers and youth programs, citizenship seminar for high school

students, county auditing and bookkeeping service, and insurance and group purchasing services.

The Texas Farm Bureau, headquartered in Waco since 1938 when

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Myrtle Estes visitors were Alta Benge, Joe Estes, Sam Estes.

Aaron Wall visitors were Johnny Jones, Candy Wall, Perley May Wall.

Ernest Goodwin visitors were Lola Kennev, Mavis Goodwin,

Rosanna Copland.

Boyd McClure visitors were Les and Doris Aderholt, Charles Benge, Bill Hicks, Lola Kenney, Wayne and Betty McClure, Annelle Clark, Wilmoth Russell, Lora Russell.

Donna Porter visitors were Misty Meinen, Betty Meinen, Gertrude Duke.

Bula Fleming visitors were Lynn McDaniel, J.L. and Mary Mc-

Daniel, Donna and Jason Mapson, Lora Russell, Charles Fleming, J.A.Fleming, Eddy and Phyllis Dillard, Marvie Fleming, Amanda Perry, Chris Fleming, Sandra Molden, Kellie Molden, Margie Molden.

Lena Ingram visitors were Michael Powers, Imogene Powers, Era Lee Hanke, J.C. (Teen) Ingram, Joe Hanke, Annelle Clark, Donna Cummings, Maggie Robinett.

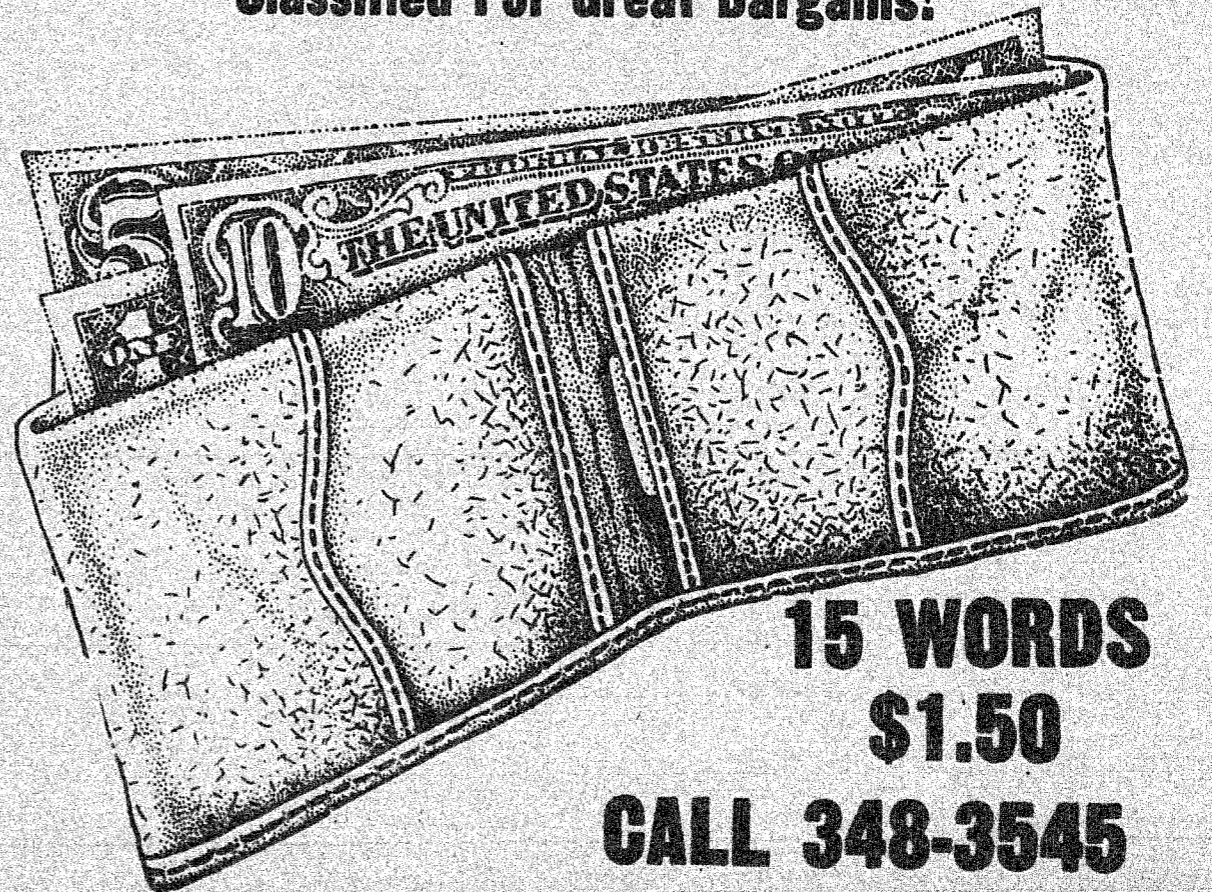
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## Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Seems the topic of discussion in our little community is the nice rain we received in our community on Saturday and Sunday which meant around 1 1/2 inch of moisture for the two afternoons. Not too often rain damages us when we need it so badly. So for the moisture, we give thanks.

Mr. Douglas Avant of Brady visited his mother Mrs. Pearl Avant in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon.

We are very glad to report Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick is home after being a patient in the Hendrix Hospital in Abilene from Monday to Friday. She was there for tests for which she will receive a report this week. She reports she is feeling very well.

My daughter Mrs. Bob Smith of Abilene spent her past Thursday with me. On Saturday Patsy joined her husband at their home in Tyler, following being at the home in Abilene since their daughter Deborah was employed in Breckenridge for a week.

Mr. Leon Carter was with his sister Lorene Black in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Elkins in Brownwood this Monday afternoon and brought their granddaughters Stephanie and M. Janie home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Maye McFarlin was a guest of her daughter Mr. and Mrs. George Daniel Wheatly and son Danny from Friday to Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Bullion of Glen Rose was with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick on Monday of last week and accompanied her mother and father to

the Hendrix Hospital where her mother was a patient for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris visited with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Lee Morris and daughter of Deleon on Saturday. Enroute home they came by Brownwood and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Floyd Morris.

My son Hilary Rutherford of Coleman was with me on Saturday and again today, Monday, assisting me with some work. Mr. James

Hargett of Coleman was a dinner guest with Hilary and myself Saturday. We enjoyed his being with us very much.

Darwin Lovelady reports their little 5-year old granddaughter Alicia and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randel Lovelady of Brownwood is a patient in the Cooks Children's Hospital in Fort Worth, since Saturday having some tests run. The report today from her parents was that she was feeling well but would have more tests on Tuesday. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frizby Bible and Children of Sonora were weekend visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bible.

My grandson Todd Rutherford visited with my daughter Patsy and myself Thursday and told us he was going to Bangs Friday and He was going to Brownwood Lake where he would be during the Fourth of July.

Mrs. Floyd Morris reports her grandchildren Jeffrey and Jennifer Morris and their mother Jackie called today. They had reached Oxford, Mass. where they will probably be living for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited with Doris Ruth Stearns in Brownwood on Sunday.



Park Route 13 winds almost 50 miles through Big Bend National Park, from spectacular Bogillas Canyon on the eastern edge to the colorful Maverick Mountain area or the west. The drive reveals some beautiful views of the Chisos Mountains as well as some classic Chihuahuan Desert scenery. March through May are particularly good months to see the park, with the Big Bend Bluebonnets, Desert Marigolds, and thousands of cacti in full bloom. Tourism Division, Texas Department of Commerce photo.

## Trickham News

By Mrs. O.R. Boenicke

Rev. F.E. Suttle the Baptist minister did not preach Sunday at 11 a.m. He has quit preaching at Trickham. Next Sunday Rev. Claude Davison, the Methodist minister will preach at 9:30 Sunday morning.

Last Thursday night the 84 party was held at the community center at 6 p.m. There were 24 present and all had a good time. Mrs. J.W. Williams was hostess at Trickham that night.

Recently, Lea Mock and Jennie and Lenzeley Curb and Betty Miller, Angela and Christopher Cadyia make a Amtrack trip to Los Angeles. While there they toured Studio Knotes Berry Farm and spent two days in Disney Land. Last week end Mary Lea Mitchell and Betty

Miller and Lea Mock flew to Phoenix Arizona and visited with Myrtle and Lent Harison and other relatives.

This week Bobby Jack James and Jimmie Thompson and friend from Fort Worth and Mew Mexico, James Mock and Edwin Gossett from Post and J. Miller from Austin visited this week.

Saturday Annette Clark and Pauline Eubanks visited Tona Kirk and Me.

Visitors with Genia McIver were Gayla and J.W. Sellers and Jorge Wert and Ruby from Belton and Orabeth and Grady Clay, Betsy, Sally and Paul Anderson. Sunday

afternoon Genia visited Royce and Wanda McIver and their family at Rockwood.

Allen Hornell is working at Scott and White this summer and he is going to college to make a doctor.

J.W. Sellers and Galya were at Sunday School on Sunday. He taught the class and after Sunday School they went to church at Santa Anna. Genia went with them.

Tona Kirk and Mary Boenicke had dinner with the Kirk family and Lou Vaughn came and visited in the afternoon of Monday July 4th. The Don Cothran family visited with the Kirk family last Wednesday night.

Nan and Clem Wilcox from Houston visited Lou Vaughn over the week end. Frank and Lois Wallace from Palmer visited and ate lunch Thursday. Other visitors during the week were Reba and Elvis Cozart from Round Rock and



Dear  
Belly  
Crocker

Q. How can I prevent my custard pie crust from softening? M. W., Upper Sandusky, OH

A. Most custard pies have a moist crust. However, the most effective method to prevent a soft crust is to bake crust and filling in separate pie plates. Loosen edges of cooled custard with a knife and gently shake pie plate. Slide filling into a cooled crust.

Q. Please suggest desserts for children that are sweet but still nutritious. P. S., Bettendorf, IA

A. Milk and egg desserts as well as fruit and custard-style yogurt are rich in nutrients. Fresh or canned fruit also is a good choice. Dessert suggestions include: pudding, custard, tapioca, Angel food cake, baked apples and fruit compote.

Q. What is the best way to melt chocolate? C. B., Brillion, WI

A. To microwave place chocolate in a microwave-proof dish and melt two to three ounces of chocolate at 50 percent (medium) power for 2 to 4 minutes. Stir after half the time.

For range-top melting, use either a heavy saucepan or a double-boiler. Heat chocolate until it's of stirring consistency.

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George and Goldie Haynes from Brownwood. Ray and Joyce Kirk and Greg came by Saturday. John Dockry visited Sunday evening.

Margret and Warren Bartons guest for the 4th of July week end were Cynthia and Kris Bondesen and Barton Bollfrass of San Antonio and Ribeca Bollfrass of College Station.

Rankin and Natalie McIver left Thursday and came home Sunday. They went to visit Natalie's son and family at Las Vegas. They had a nice trip.

I did not get any rain last week.

## Pointers For Parents

At least ten million Americans, including three million children, have asthma. There is no cure but effective treatment can control the disease. To DETECT asthma, see your doctor promptly if your child shows any of these symptoms:

- A wheezing or whistling sound from the chest when inhaling and even greater wheezing when exhaling.
- Gasps for air or a feeling of tightness in the chest during an attack.
- A hacking cough or shortness of breath that becomes more intense as the attack goes on.

To TREAT asthma, it's time for a trip back to the doctor if the child is taking a medication containing theophylline. New studies have shown that this substance can cause many serious side effects, including learning disabilities in children.

Theophylline has been an important agent in the treatment of both chronic and acute asthma in chil-



If your child is taking theophylline as an asthma medication, you should visit your doctor to discuss the new findings on the drug.

dren. However, there is great variability in children's response to the drug. Doctors and parents must be alert to the variables and monitor the child's actions and progress in school the entire time the child is taking the drug.

Be sure to discuss the best way to prevent attacks with your doctor and ask about the potential side effects of theophylline.

■ New York City, not Texas, was the site of America's first range war. In the early 1600s, Manhattan Island's Dutch settlers had a running battle with the local Indians. The red men had developed an appetite for the Dutchmen's fine Flemish cattle. The Dutch retaliated by building a wall to protect their property. The barrier disappeared long ago, but millions still visit the site. Now it's known simply as Wall Street.



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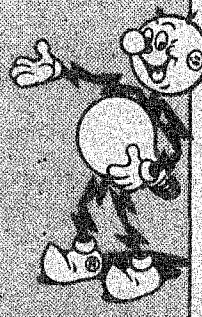
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