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Rain.....Over Five Inches

Some had begun to think we "just weren't living right" here in Coleman County, but last week we were finally blessed with that much needed rainfall!

The rainfall as recorded by our official gauger, R.W. Balke was 5.60 inches for the five day total. The picture was pretty much the same over the whole county with very little variation from the different locales.

Farmers and ranchers are thinking

the rain will greatly benefit forage production for the spring range pastures in the county. It will also help the small grain crop. Some of the small grains were hurt by the freeze we experienced earlier in the month but the rains should benefit these crops.

Stock tanks were also well on the way to being replenished as a result of the rains. In many cases they had begun to be critically low. Home-owners with pecan and fruit trees will also benefit from the moisture.

Chamber Of Commerce Banquet Slated March 4, Citizen Of Year To Be Named

The annual Chamber of Commerce banquet is scheduled for Saturday, March 4 at the school cafeteria, 7:00 p.m.

The Citizen of the Year will be named. The 1988 honoree was Mrs. John (Gladys) Hunter, local writer. Others honored the past few years, include Thomas Wristen, R.C. Smith, and the last Mrs. C.D. (Leona) Bruce.

Michelle Morgan is general chairman of the banquet which will include a menu of barbecue brisket, beans, potato salad, trimmings, and a dessert.

Speaker for the occasion will be

Filing Opened Monday For City & School Elections

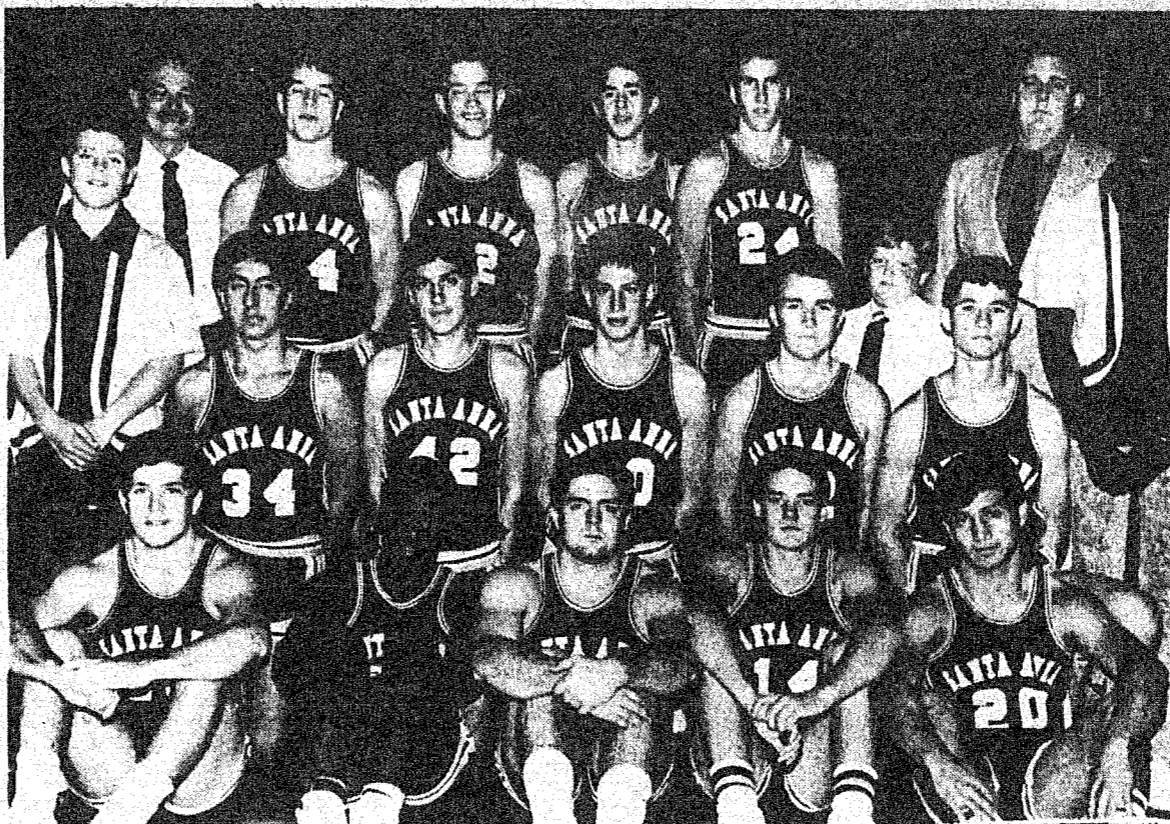
Filing places on the ballots for the May 6 city and school board elections opened Monday of this week and will close for both on March 22.

In the Santa Anna City election, the Mayor's position now held by Thelma Brooker will be up for grabs along with two places on the city council now held by Quinton Daniel and Jim Spillman.

Other members of the council are Susie Voss, Alex DeLeon and Derriel Warnock.

For the Santa Anna Independent School District Board of Trustees election, there will be four places to fill. The terms of Gary Absher, Roddy Dean and Dickie Horner expire as will that of Bill Martin, who was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Ronnie Hartman who moved from the school district.

Others currently serving on the school board are Terry McIver, Danny Kellar and Dickie Homer.



SAHS Boys In Bi-District Clash With Cherokee At Brady Friday Night, 7:00

Santa Anna's Mountaineers will travel to Brady Friday night for their Bi-District basketball game against Cherokee. The game is scheduled for 7:00 at the Brady High School gym.

Coach Jerry Magin's Mountaineers, ended district play with a 5-1 record and took the District 29-A title outright with their final win over Panther Creek. The Novice Hornets are runnersup in 29-A and will play Lohn in their Bi-District match-up Thursday

night at the Brownwood coliseum at 6:30.

In last Friday night's practice game against Early, the Mountaineers were victors with a 76-63 win. Reece McIver Santa Anna to that victory with 33 points for the game and James Hartman with an impressive 24 points. The Mountaineers had the lead at the end of the first period and never relinquished it.

Members of the 29-A District Champion basketball team are,

front row: James Hartman, Herbert Jackson, Reece McIver, Dan Benton, Bobby DeLeon. Middle row: Manager Chris Bryce, Buddy Hardin, Alex Frausto, Dennis Absher, Rusty Bryce, Charles Dixon and Lonnie Kirven, standing.

Back row: assistant coach Dean Bass, Scotty Anderson, Chris Simmons, Grady Clay McIver, Gary Keas, manager Mark Yancy, and Coach Jerry Magin.

(Photo, courtesy of Coleman Chronicle).

Construction At Stacy Dam Right On Schedule — Snake Habitats Still Being Monitored

A suggestion for a nice afternoon's outing would be to take a drive to the Stacy Dam site and visit the observation point to view the construction that continues. Once you get to Valera, the route is well marked. Work continues at a steady pace at the Stacy Dam site where approximately 240 workers are engaged in the construction project of the Colorado River Municipal water district.

Although several days have been lost in the pouring of concrete due

to weather conditions, placing of the earthen embankment south of the service spillway has been in progress.

It is now expected that the closure of the river will begin no later than October 1 and could commence two or three months earlier than that. Every indication is that construction is right on target, according to schedule. The project is about 50% complete at this point.

The center of construction activity is presently at the service spill-

way, which will have six gates. The six gates are each to be 50 feet wide and 30 feet high. A control room for the gates will be located on top of one of the concrete abutments which are located at each end of the spillway.

The bulk of the excavation is complete at the water intake site, with some work yet to be done on the channel down the draw to the lake. This work is about half complete and must be finished before closure of the dam starts.

When complete the dam will be 9,900 feet long and 148 feet at its highest point.

The spillway will be 300 feet wide and there will be six 50 foot wide gates. Over 200,00 yards of concrete will be used in the construction of the spillway.

It is estimated the storage capacity of the lake will be about 554,340 acres feet. The surface area at capacity is to be 19,200 acres.

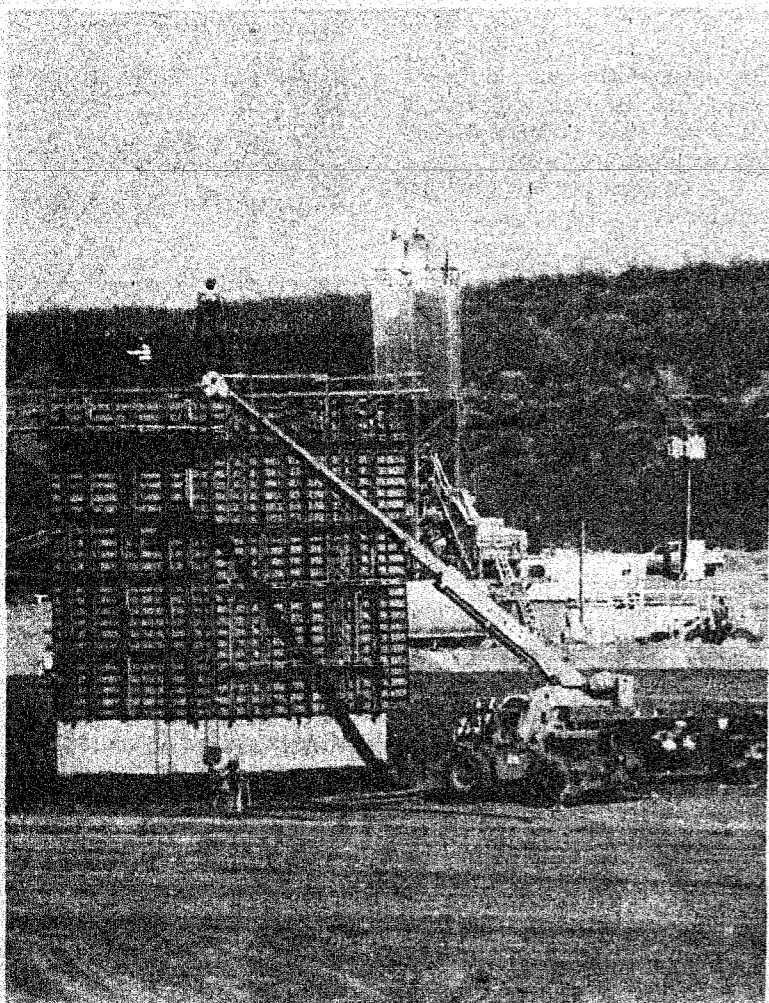
The total area with recreation sites is to be 21,000 acres. The drainage area will be 3,150 square miles with an annual yield of 113,000 acre feet.

The Colorado River Municipal Water District continues to monitor 15 sites which are habitats of the Concho Water Snake and may employ another expert to continue studies, habitat and habits. Following submission of a report in November of 1988, the district is awaiting word from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the U.S. Corps of Engineers.

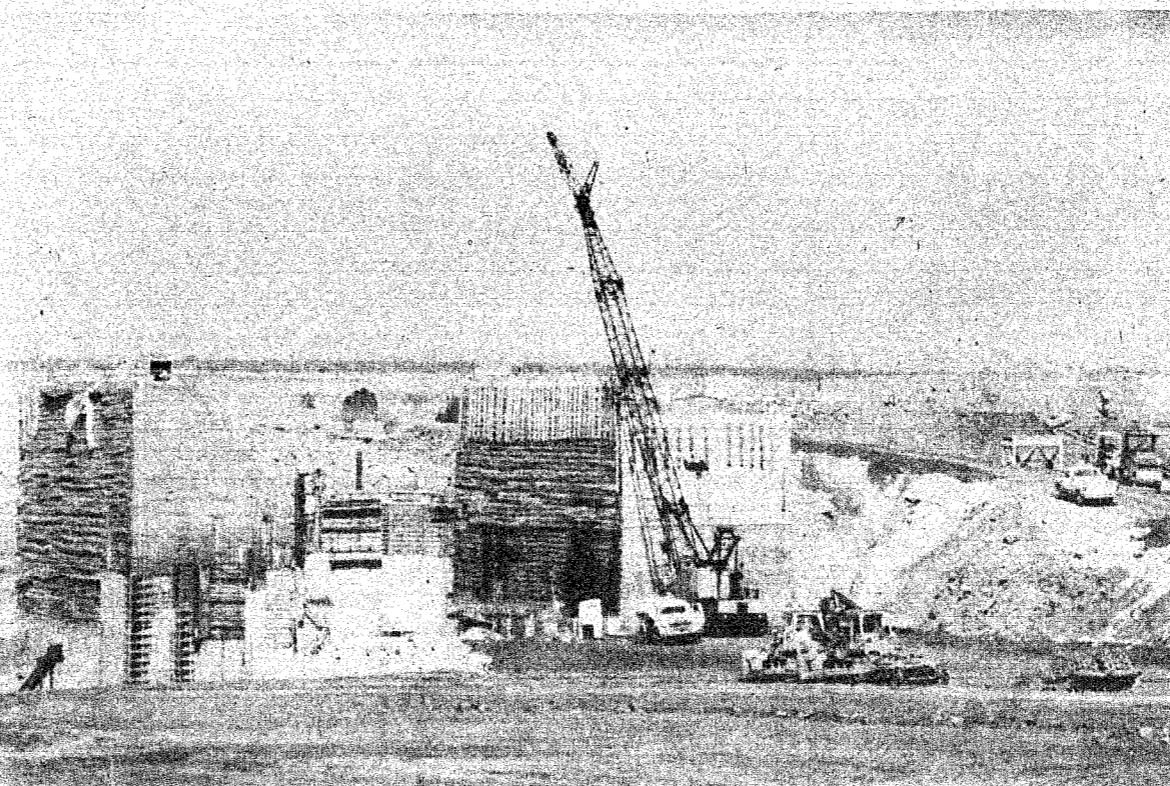
Archaeology crews are making extensive studies of two sites and other sites will be investigated, however nothing of real significance has been discovered to this time.

The Gann Cemetery has been moved to the Leaday Cemetery. The moving of the Coffey and Boothill cemeteries is on hold pending a ruling from the Texas Attorney General's office on what to do when there is no one to request removal permission.

It is expected that the bid will be let in April for the bridge to be See STACY DAM, PAGE 2



Construction taking place on the draw down tube at the Stacy Dam site. (Staff Photo)



Construction on the gates at the Stacy Dam site as seen from the visitor's observation point. (Staff photo)

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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 Greg who may be contacted by calling 348-3420. Watch the Santa Anna News each week for the city crew member on call in case of an emergency.

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FUNERALS

Delma Johnson Sam Estes, 90

COLEMAN--Services for Delma B. Johnson, 88, of Coleman, were held Thursday, February 16, at Stevens Funeral Home with the Rev. C.J. Ledet officiating. Burial was in the Coleman City Cemetery. He died Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1989 at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital.

Born in Bastrop County, July 10, 1900 to Robert W. and Ora Peacock Johnson, he was reared in McCouloch County. He married Tina Tre-witt December 25, 1920 in Pear Valley, moving to Coleman in 1940. Mr. Johnson established Johnson Implement C. and was a farmer and rancher. A former Coleman city councilman, he was active in the Rodeo Association, 4-H Club and the Junior Rodeo. He was voted the Citizen of the year in the 1960's and was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Tina, of Coleman; a daughter, Jean Clarke of Dallas; three sons, Pat of Bangs, Don and Cecil, both of Coleman; three sisters, Alma Coonrod of Odessa, Vida Blackwell of Coleman, and Itha Case of Seagoville; a brother, James Johnson of Fort Worth; 16 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons and grandsons-in-law, Joseph Johnson, Danny Johnson, Mike Johnson, Lance McClure, Phil Huggins, and Todd Etheridge.

Tandy Howard, advertising manager for the Santa Anna News and the Brown County Gazette, is a surviving granddaughter.

Wayne Adams

GUSTINE --- Services for Wayne K. Adams, 76, were Wednesday, Feb. 15, at Comanche Funeral Home in Comanche with the Rev. Calvin Gray officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery. He died Monday, Feb. 13, at an Austin medical center.

Born in Comanche County, he was a lifetime resident. A rancher and a livestock dealer, he was a buyer for several packing plants. He was a Baptist.

Area survivors include a daughter, Arlene Denning of Brownwood, who is counselor for the Santa Anna Schools.

It isn't so much what a person attempts, but what he finishes in the long run that really counts.

Services for Sam T. Estes, 90, of Rockwood were held Saturday, Feb. 18, at 11:00 a.m. at the Rockwood Methodist Church with the Rev. Claude Davison officiating. Burial was in the Rockwood Cemetery under the direction of Henderson Funeral Home. He died Thursday, Feb. 16, 1989 at Brownwood regional Hospital.

Born October 20, 1989 in Rockwood to J.A. and Fannie Dunaway Estes, he was a stock farmer. He married his wife, Myrtle, April 30, 1920 in Rockwood and was a lifetime resident of Coleman County.

He was preceded in death by one son, S.H. Estes in 1975.

Survivors include his wife of Rockwood; two sons, Joe F. Estes of Abilene, and Raymond Estes of Odessa; two brothers, Boss Estes of Fort Worth and Woodrow Estes of Granbury; four grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jeff Estes, Steve Estes, Kelly Estes, Frank Beaman, Herman Estes and Weldon Estes.

Friendship Luncheon

(Contributed)

Twenty-two people were present for the Friendship Luncheon last Thursday at the Mountain City Community Center. New faces in the crowd were Mr. and Mrs. Willard Allen who are making their home north of town.

Fish for the meal was furnished by several and was cooked by Pat DeWitt. The tartar sauce furnished by Carmen Donham helped to round out quite a feast.

All present signed a card to be sent to Jim and Maudie Fields who are making their home at a Bangs nursing home.

Rip Keeney gave the invocation and Doris Griffin announced that the next meal on February 23, will be pot-luck.

Everyone is welcome. Bring a dish and come join in the fellowship!

Bake Sale Friday

The confirmation class of Sacred Heart Catholic Church will sponsor a bake sale in front of H & H Food Market Friday.

Proceeds from the sale will be used to help finance a retreat for the class.

Buy your baked good for the weekend and help the class at the same time.

Porcelain Art Club Will Meet In B'wood Saturday

Mrs. Alma Graves will be demonstrating for the Heart Of Texas Porcelain Art Club on Saturday, February 25, at 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 in the Adams Street community center. She will be painting "Roses". Then the members will all try their hand at painting roses with the help of Mrs. Graves.

She is a local artist and teacher of china painting and oils. She has been teaching china painting for 28 years. Because of her love for detail work this has been enabled her to be most successful in this art form. She has been a member of several art clubs in Texas including Lubbock, Austin, Beaumont, and Brownwood, winning ribbons in fairs for china painting.

Her formal training has been in oils, having studied the Windberg method while living in Austin. She has held various offices in the club and this year is the corresponding secretary.

Let it snow: Mount Rainier in Washington state may take the prize for the snowiest place on earth. Ranger Rick magazine reports that over 48 feet of snow fall there in a normal year.

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Thoughts From Our Pastors

John Stanislaw
First Baptist Church

GOD'S ROAD TO ETERNAL LIFE

The road to eternal life with God is clearly taught in the Bible. It is so simple that many people miss it. I would like for you to go with me down what I call the Roman road because it is found in the Book of Romans. It is as follows:

Romans 3:23 "For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;" The word "all" makes it extremely clear that sin is universal. This means that every person on the face of the earth is a sinner. Earlier in this chapter (verses 10-12), Paul declares that there is not one righteous person anywhere. Sin is a root problem. It is in our blood. We are born with a sinful nature. Not all persons are equally sinful, but all are equally sinners. The good moral humanitarian is just as much a sinner as the thief, prostitute or drunk. They both stand guilty before God. Read Isaiah 64:6. It is just as natural for a sinner to sin as it is for an apple tree to bear apples. Sin is also a fruit problem. The fruit from a sin nature is "sins". All human beings are sinners by nature and by choice. We must first see our lostness before God.

Romans 6:23 "For the wages of sin is death; but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." Sin has a penalty. The wages of sin is physical and spiritual death. For that's what happened to Adam. Penalty is the consequence of sin that the sinner must experience. Sin pays off in broken homes, alcoholism, drug addiction, AIDS, ruined lives, wasted minds, emptiness, rejection and a thousand more ways. But the full and final penalty of sin is death; spiritual and physically. He will forever be separated from heaven for he will be in hell. The paycheck for sin is eternal death. The rest of this verse says that eternal life is GIFT not a reward as a result of good works.

Romans 5:8 "But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us." Thus far we have shown form the Word of God that man is a sinner by nature and by choice and that his human righteousness is as filthy rags compared to the righteousness God requires. We have also discovered that God is just and holy and must punish sin. His divine justice demands eternal death for the sinner. It appears that the sinner is helpless and hopeless, and he would be, if God dealt with him only out of his attributes of righteousness, holiness and justice. However, God is also a God of love and mercy and wants to deal with the sinner out of these attributes.

Before God can deal with the sinner out of love, mercy and grace, His righteousness, holiness and justice must be satisfied with the full payment of sin. How can such a payment be made: God paid the penalty Himself through Jesus Christ. Jesus Christ resurrection from the grave proves that His payment is acceptable to God and that God is now free to deal with the sinner out of His love, mercy and grace.

Romans 10: 9,10,13 "That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation. For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." In order for you to receive the gift of eternal life with God these verses say you must "confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord." Of course, you cannot confess until it happens. To "confess Jesus as Lord" not only means turning from an old life of sin and separation (repentance), it also means turning to Jesus. It is through repentance and faith that you allow Jesus to be your Lord. Repentance and faith is something you so. Repentance and faith is a deliberate and conscience act of your will. All of this comes from the heart. The four steps are confess, believe, pray and receive. Then and only then does baptism enter the picture. Baptism is for believers only. Baptism follows conversion only. It has no saving power, it is a symbol. It is an act of identification. What you have just read is the Biblical road to life.

Around & About

Barbara Kingsbery was in Austin last weekend to visit her daughters, Carol Ottmers and Sue and John Porter and girls. She visited enroute in Burnet with her aunt, Mrs. Grady Bannister.

Charles Wetzel has been visiting regularly with his father who is a patient in St. John's hospital in San Angelo recuperating from surgery resulting from a broken hip. The elder Mr. Wetzel fell at his home in Wingate.

Madie James has recently been a patient at Brownwood Regional Hospital for treatment. She is back in her home now, feeling much better.

NanDell Stile's daughter, Mary Floyd Dawson of Tuscola, visited her mother over the weekend and attended church with her at the First United Methodist Church Sunday Morning.

Also visiting at the Methodist Church Sunday were Judy Straughn and children of Conroe. The former Judy Ford was in Santa Anna for a family get-together honoring the 85th birthday of her mother, Mrs. Tavy Ford. Others visiting over the weekend with Mrs. Ford, were her other children, James Ford of Santa Anna, Mary Jackson of Childress, and Peggy Miller of Eden.

Eunice and Dick Longbrake celebrated their 47th wedding anniversary on the 13th of February. They were married in Santa Anna during February of 1942, in fact on Friday

the 13th! That date certainly hasn't proved to be unlucky for them.

Visiting with Jasper and Jean McClellan last weekend was their daughter Jene' McClellan from Abilene. Also visiting was a niece and nephew, Jerry and Mitxie Watson and Children, Kara, Amy and baby Brian from Grapevine.

Ann Owen Moved To Brownwood

Mrs. Ray (Ann) Owen was to have been moved Wednesday to Brownwood Care Center in Brownwood. She has been a patient in Hendricks Medical Center of Abilene for the past six weeks.

Ray says that you love and concern is very much appreciated.

Stacy Dam Continued

constructed on the Concho River crossing on FM 1929. Contracts have been executed with the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation for the relocation of FM 2134, with the new route to skirt the south side of the lake and join FM 504 to the east.

The water district must acquire 300 to 400 more acres to meet th wildlife preserve requirements.

Library Notes

The following are books currently on loan to the Santa Anna City Library from the Big Country Library Extension system. Those marked with * are available in large print.

- I DRANK THE WATER EVERYWHERE - Charles Barnard.
- *HAPPY JACK - Max Brand.
- THE DOOR TO DOOM - John Carr.
- *STARS IN MY HEART - Barbara Cartland.
- *A BULLET FOR BRODY - Matt Chisholm.
- BARBARA STANWYCK - Al Dorio.
- *OUT OF WEDLOCK - Sandra Field.
- *KING SOLOMON'S MINES - H. Rider Haggard.
- THE QUEEN'S CONFESSION - Eleanor Hibbert.
- I WAS JUST THINKING - Parker.
- NANCY - Nancy Reagan.
- *BRAND OF THE BULLET - Orlando Rigoni.
- *A CLUTCH OF VIPERS - Jack Scott.
- LOCK AND KEY - Aaron Marc Stein.
- DESERT SHADOWS - Marion Wentzien.

Standing Room Only For Baptist Music Festival

The First Baptist Church of Santa Anna hosted the annual Coleman County Baptist Association Music Festival with standing room only. It was a two hour program with about 30 entries. The program featured solos, duets, trios, quartets, children's choirs, and adult choirs from several Southern Baptist Churches in Coleman County.

Mike Coffey was the chairman of the festival with congregational singing being led by Mark Taylor, Patrick Hosch and Ron Hardin.

First Baptist Church Santa Anna entries included solos by Betty Coffey, Brandi Horner, Eddie Jones, Patrick Hosch, and Leanna Hartman. The local choir entries were the children's graded choirs and adult choir.

This Week In History

- February 23, W.E.B. DuBois born 1868.
- February 24, first broadcast of The Voice of America, 1942.
- February 25, Sixteenth Amendment to the U.S. Constitution passed, 1913.
- February 26, Grand Canyon National Park established, 1919.
- February 27, Ralph Nader, American consumer advocate, born 1934.
- February 28, first televised basketball game, 1940, (NYC).
- March 1, Begins Mental Retardation Awareness Month.

March planting days according to moon signs:
ABOVE GROUND CROPS: 7, 8, 11, 12, 16, 17.
ROOT CROPS: 3, 4, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27.
SEED BEDS: 3, 4, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27.
KILL PLANT PESTS: 5, 6, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22.

March fishing days
BEST: 16 & 17
GOOD: 3, 4, 7, 8, 20, 21, 22, 25, 27.
FAIR: 5, 6, 11, 12, 18, 19, 23.
POOR: 1, 2, 4, 9, 10, 13, 14, 15, 24, 28.

100th Birthdays
More than 200 Americans celebrate their 100th birthdays every week. Over half of Americans 85 and older report no physical disability whatsoever.

Due to economic and family health reasons: GARY STARK ELECTRIC & PLUMBING Will be closing as of February 23, 1989

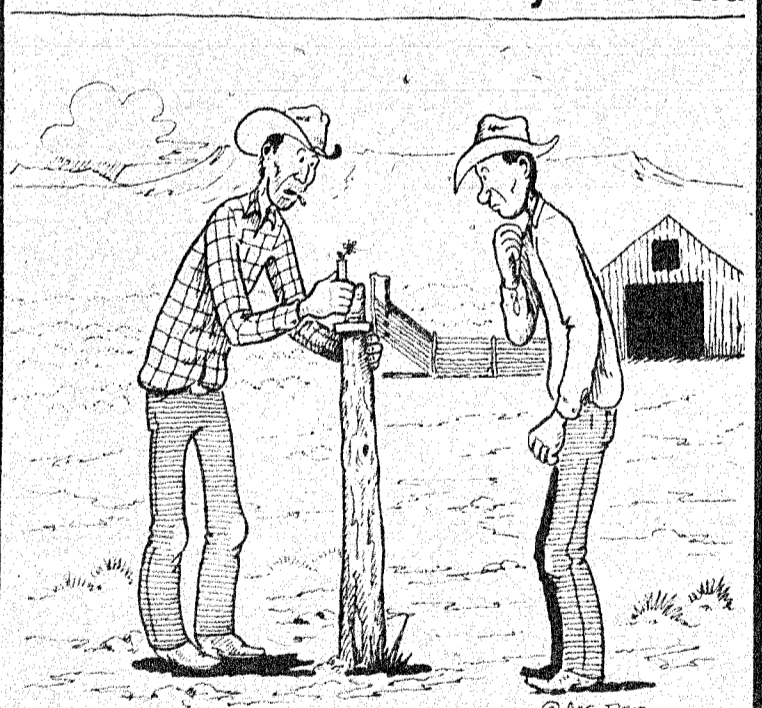
I would like to thank all those who have supported my business the past four and a half years and wish them and theirs the best in the future.

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Rev. And Mrs. Stanislaw To Be Feted

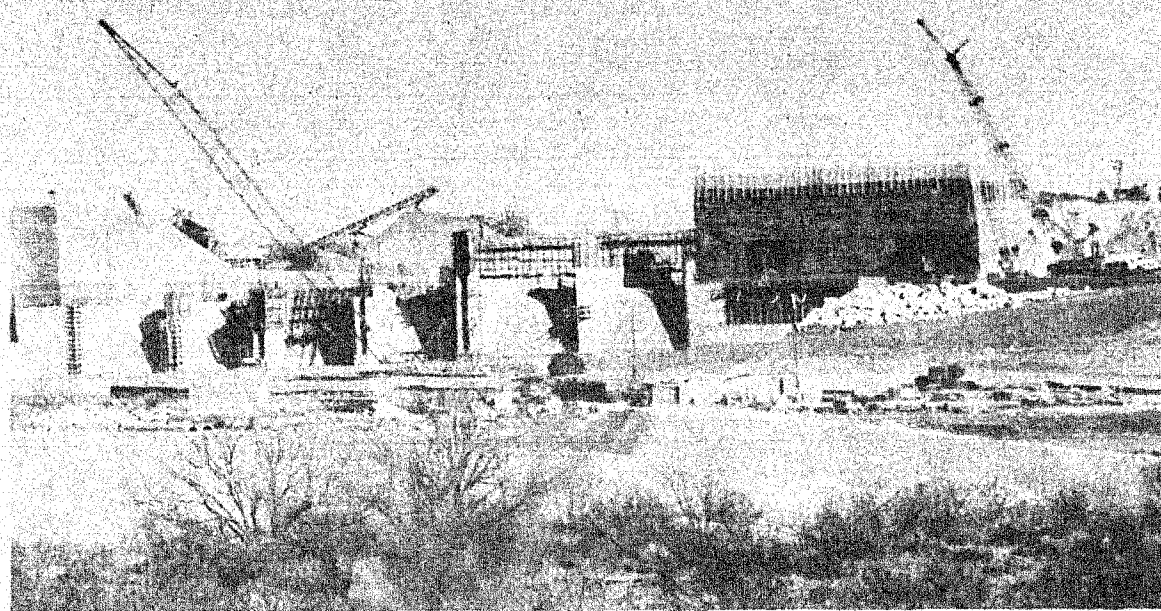
The children of Rev. and Mrs. John Stanislaw and the members of First Baptist Church will honor the couple with a reception marking their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The party will be held Sunday, February 26 from two to four in the afternoon at the Christian Life Center of the First Baptist Church. Everyone is invited to come share this time of celebration.

Candi Daniel Takes A Fifth Place At San Antonio Show

Candi Daniel, Santa Anna eighth grader showing as a FFA member, took a fifth place ribbon with her Polland China pig in the OBB class at the 40th Annual San Antonio Livestock Show and Exposition last week. Her 5th place qualified her animal for the sale, which was an extra honor for the young lady who has been showing swine for several years. In fact, the past two years, she has received showmanship awards at the local Santa Anna Youth fair. Candi is the daughter of Suzan and Ronnie Daniel.

Others from Santa Anna showing swine at San Antonio last week were Joshua Daniel, Shelley Carter, Bobby Diaz, William Loyd, Ross Bradley, Misty Bradley, and Rachel Phillips who was showing as a member of the 4-H.

According to Suzan Daniel, several of the group will be showing in San Angelo in mid-March.



Construction on the gates at the Stacy Dam site as seen from the access road to the observation point. (Staff photo)

County Will Close Dump Grounds At R'wood And Talpa

When the Coleman County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday of last week, they ordered the closing of dump grounds at Talpa and Rockwood, effective March 1. Anyone dumping at those sites after that date is subject to a fine.

Representatives of the State Health Department and the Attorney General's office were present for the meeting. They explained that the county was not in compliance with regulations for landfill sites and should either make necessary changes for compliance or close the two dumps. If they did not take this action, they would be subject to suit.

County Attorney Joe Dan LeMay and County Judge Pete Skelton explained that the state has enacted new regulations for landfills, or dump sites, the first effective in September, 1987 and the remaining to become effective sometime this year. Judge Skelton said that to come into compliance with the regulations, machinery and an operator would have to be on hand each day to cover with dirt anything dumped during the day. Regulations require compacting and a specified covering of dirt.

At the Talpa and Rockwood dump sites, the county will compact the dumpings and cover them with two feet of dirt and then level the area. Signs will be posted indicating the closing. Open dumping will no longer be allowed, and dump areas must follow prescribed landfill regulations.

Both areas fall under the jurisdiction of the county since Talpa is no

longer an incorporated city and Rockwood never was. The new regulations apply to all dumping areas, said Judge Skelton. And he adds that a private operator is now serving much of the county, picking up garbage once a week for a fee, and is paying a fee to the City of Coleman to dump the material at the Coleman Landfill.

In other business, the commissioners had received one bid for a motor grader for Precinct Four. The bid was rejected.

The county authorized advertising for a depository for county funds for a two year period.

A representative from the Colorado River Municipal Water District was present along with attorney Ross Jones, to discuss a road to be built to the Padgett property. The road will extend west from a

point on the existing pavement leading to Leaday to intersect the county road which extends north out of Leaday. It was decided that the east-west extension would end at the intersection of the other road.

King, Taylor Share Honor At Coleman

Two people were named for the Citizen of the Year honor at the recent Coleman Chamber of Commerce Banquet.

The honor was shared by Eunice King and Dink Taylor. King is a longtime resident and a school teacher. She is a supporter of Coleman library. Taylor is a retired business man who has served Coleman area in many civic projects.

Rural citizen of the year was shared by ranchers, Jim and Fay Gill.

Look-Up award, presented by the Coleman Jaycees, went to Buddy Comer, a coach for Coleman High School.

The main speaker was Congressman Charles Stenholm. His talk was based on the importance of youth and touched on agriculture and the economy.

About 400 attended the event at the kindergarten to eighth grade school cafeteria. Master of ceremonies was Dr. Skip Casey, superintendent of the Coleman Independent School District.

Naron Welding Has Moved

After 3 1/2 years at the east end of Wallis Avenue, John Naron has moved his welding shop to a new location in the same building with Emit Stile's S & R Automotive and Truck Repair, north of Santa Anna.

Naron says he decided to make the move because the new location gives him more room and better facilities for getting vehicles and farm equipment, trailers, etc., inside.

He will still be doing the same type of welding work; farm, oilfield and just general welding but he will have more room for equipment usage. He expresses his appreciation to his customers and stresses he will be able to serve them better in the new location. His phone number will remain the same.

are as follows: High School tennis tourney, Friday and Saturday, March 17 & 18. The Junior High track meet is scheduled for Friday, March 17 followed by the High School meet on Saturday, March 18.

Tennis Tourney & Track Meets On Tap March 17, 18

In an article printed last week concerning a meeting of the Santa Anna Athletic Booster Club, the upcoming tennis tourney and track meets were mentioned.

The correct dates for those events

ers present being Jake McCreary, Dwight Nanny and Richard Johnson. The next meeting of the group will be on Monday, March 13.

Color Of Love, Theme For FBC Valentine Banquet

A churchwide Valentine Banquet was held February 15 in the Christian Life Center gymnasium of the First Baptist Church. There were about 130 people in attendance. The theme for the occasion was "The Color of Love". A large rainbow was the background scenery for the stage.

Freddie Dodson, Lynn Loyd and Lee Ray Huggins were ushers for the event. Scotty Anderson gave the invocation and the welcome was given by John Stanislaw.

After the meal, one of the highlights was the crowning of the Valentine Royalty: Mr. and Miss Valentine...Erwin Loyd and Sabrina Martin; Duke and Dutchess...Glen Donham and Jeannie Paterson; Prince and Princess...Scotty Anderson and Deanne Simons; King and Queen...Claude and Opal Langford; Sweetheart...Rose Bass and Valentine Beau, William Brown.

Another highlight was the "Heritage Singers" from Howard Payne University. Their program was a mixture of love songs and Christian music. Dickie Horner gave the benediction. The event was a success due to the several church members who planned, worked and donated food and service for the affair.

In conjunction, there was a children's banquet held in the old annex. Patrick and Sandy Hosch were in charge of this with 21 in attendance.

Tax Board Reports Over Three And One-Half Million Collected; Appraisals For 1989 Almost Completed

The 1988 audit report for the Coleman County Tax Appraisal District was accepted at the Monday, February 13 meeting of the group. Collier Watson, CPA, reviewed the report with the group as they met in regular session at the District office in Coleman.

Monthly bills were approved for payment and the status of the budget was reviewed.

Chief Appraiser Bill Jones gave a report of the tax collections for

1988, showing 86% collected at the end of January. Over One-half million dollars was collected during January as property owners paid their taxes before a penalty was added. Collections for the year are over three and one-half million dollars, ahead of the collections at this time last year.

Mr. Jones reported that appraisals for 1989 are almost completed. He also provided information on the State Property Tax Board ratio that shows Coleman County at just over 80% of market value on all properties. Mr. Jones is filing a protest, citing the depressed real estate market in this area and seeking a better ratio for the district.

The board approved a two-year contract with Calame, Limebarger & Graham of Austin, for collection of delinquent taxes for the next two years. The firm has been retained by the local group since 1980.

Barbara Kingsbery, chairman, presided for the meeting, with oth-

was held in Brownwood at Comfort Inn. Attending from Santa Anna were Coyita Bowker, Debbie Wheatley, Janette Driskell, Donna Bradley, Patti Musick, and Bernadine Watson.

The District meeting on January 15th in San Angelo at the El Patio Motel was attended by the following local ladies: Patti Musick, Bernadine Watson, Mary B. Pritchard, Janette Driskell, Coyita Bowker and Jo Ashworth.

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 Pray and wait until tomorrow.

Longing for home, yet all the while
 Wearing the same professional smile.

Blessing the new born babe's first breath
 And closing the eyes that are still in death,

Taking the blame for the doctor's mistakes,
 Oh! dear what a patience it takes.

Going off duty at seven o'clock
 Tired and discouraged, just ready to drop

Called on a special, at seven fifteen
 With woe in her heart which must not be seen.

Morning, evening, noon and night,
 Just doing it over and hoping its right.

Oh Lord when we lay down our capes and cross the bar
 Will you give us just one little star?

To wear in our crown, with the uniforms new
 In that City Above, where the head nurse is You.

by Mrs. Wendra Weaver Bennett

EDITORS NOTE: The above poem was loaned to us by Mrs. Bob Pearce. It was found among treasured items belonging to the late Mrs. John Pearce, Bob's mother, having been given to her by the author who comments that the poem was "composed by a living descendent of a family of unusual longevity; My father's aunt was 112; my father was 110; one of my uncles was 108; and one 105; my grand-mother was 103 years old."

ESA Tells Of Recent Events

The Delta Omicron Chapter of ESA met at 6:30 Monday evening, Feb. 13 for a seminar presented by Dr. Melanie Wayne of Brownwood. She explained the technique of self breast examination and presented a video on the subject.

Following the seminar, a business meeting was held, being called to order by Gail Loyd, president.

Coming events were listed as follows: Mother's March of Dimes, first part of March; Traffic Jam, May 6th; Bike-A-Thon, June 3rd; Adopt A Highway cleanup in April. Those present for the meeting were Judy Hartman, Gail Loyd, Gay Martin, Kim Hubbard, Mary B. Pritchard, Jo Ashworth, Janet Driskell, Bernadine Watson, Debbie Wheatley, Gail Horner, Cathy Pearce, Patti Musick, Donna Bradley, and Susie Voss, Geneva Garrett, and guests Anna and Erica Pearce and Angie Carroll.

The recent State Board meeting

Birthdays and Anniversaries

BIRTHDAYS
 THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23
 Landon Jackson
 Frances Fleming
 Gwen Gary

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25
 Lori Castillo
 Gay Hosch Martin
 Roberta Tomlinson
 Don Warnock
 Alonzo Hernandez
 Mr. & Mrs. Frisby Bible

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Wayne Walker
 Whitney Gunter
 Mr. & Mrs. Dickie Horner

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27
 David Robert Coyle
 Barbee Hoffman
 Eddie Tomlinson

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Wanda Bible
 Joe Guerrero Sr.
 Claudia Rutherford
 Kemp Slayton
 Connie Turner
 Jackie Morris
 Tai Musick
 Mr. & Mrs. Dan Hoover

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1

June Barker
 Mike Pritchard

Birthdays and anniversaries are taken from the ESA Community Calendar. If your's is not included on the calendar, and you wish it to be included in the NEWS, please call 348-3545 no later than Monday of the week it should appear.

Community Calendar

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24
 Sacred Heart bake sale in front of H & H. Food Market
 Bi-District Basketball game SAHS boys vs. Cherokee at Brady, 7:00

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27
 Camp Fire Girls
 Boy Scouts

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28
 Lions Club
 Cub Scouts

FRIDAY, MARCH 3
 No School
 Lions Club Chili Fandango

SATURDAY, MARCH 4
 Chamber of Commerce banquet

FRIDAY, MARCH 17
 High School Tennis Tourney
 Junior High track meet

SATURDAY, MARCH 18
 High School track meet

"Amethyst" comes from the Greek word "amethystos" which meant "not drunk; sober". The stone was believed to be a charm against getting drunk and having a hangover. Greeks wore it or carried it for this purpose.

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Elementary Library "Train" Contest

During the month of February, the first through sixth grade students of the Santa Anna elementary school have been involved in a "Train" reading contest. Librarian Imogene Powers placed a cardboard train engine on the wall of the library and as each student finishes reading a book, he or she fills out a sheet of paper in the form of a train car. The sheet is then hung on a wire that leads from the engine. After nearly a month of the contest, the "train" now winds up and down the walls of the room and back and forth across the ceiling. The kindergarten class is not in-

cluded in the contest but does visit the library regularly and Mrs. Powers has a story hour for them each Thursday. The U.S. Library of Congress has designated the year of 1989 as "The Year Of The Young Reader". Mrs. Powers is emphasizing this with keeping the students involved with activities such as the "Train" contest. The class reading the most books during the contest is in for a treat at the end of the month. The students you see in the pictures are members of Susan Snipe's fifth grade class who are presently engaged in working on American Indian research.



Literacy Program Available At Coleman Library

An adult Literacy Program is available at the Coleman Public Library for individual instruction by trained tutors. Students are taught basic reading and writing skills using the Laubach Literacy method. There is not cost to the student.

Sponsored by Friends of the Coleman Public Library, Mrs. Leona Scott is the coordinator. Students are taught in the Coleman Library meeting rooms during library hours, and at approved locations at other times.

Adults age 17 and older are eligible to enroll in the program. Each student begins at level one and advances according to their level of reading and writing skills. In the ideal situation, student and tutor meet twice a week for 1 to 1 1/2 hour sessions in a one-on-one learning experience.

For further information, call Mrs. Scott at 625-4091 or librarian Mary Lou Garrett at the Coleman Public Library, 625-3043.

Texas A&M educator says bad experiences cause writing anxiety

COLLEGE STATION — Writing anxiety — that pit-of-the-stomach feeling that gives you sweaty palms when it's time to compose something as simple as an office memo — can probably be traced back to a bad writing experience in elementary school, says a Texas A&M University education expert.

"Research has shown that teachers who are apprehensive and insecure about their writing, focus on grammar and mechanics and pass on their writing anxiety to their students," said Dr. Donna Wiseman, associate professor of educational curriculum and instruction. "It's a vicious cycle."

She suggested that those who suffer from writing anxiety read more. "You learn more about language when you read and you become more familiar with the written word." After writing something, share your thoughts with someone orally and get a reaction. This establishes a non-critiquing approach that would-be writers are so frightened of, she said.

Through her research, Wiseman has found that many adults select careers based on their perception of how much writing is done in that field. "A lot of people generally avoid or hide their writing and think that writing is a punishment."

"It's so important to be secure about writing because we live in a very literate world and there are situations when you need to know how to write," she said.

"The faultfinder will find faults even in Paradise" - Thoreau



College Football Playoff?

All of the college football polls agree: Notre Dame has earned the right to a No. 1 ranking and the title "national champion." There was little argument because Notre Dame remained the only undefeated team in the country this year.

But in most years, the issue gets a little cloudy, and some people are in favor of a college football playoff to decide the national championship. Personally, I think the current bowl system is working fine, and I'm against a playoff for several reasons.

One of the best reasons is that these athletes are students. They shouldn't have another two or three weeks added to their football season that would adversely affect them while they're supposed to be getting their education. A longer schedule also means more opportunities to get injured, especially since there is almost a month between the end of the season and when the bowl games start. After playing for 11 weeks, a kid can get out of shape in the two weeks they might give him off.

A playoff is also very impractical. In a particular year, there might be as many as five undefeated teams. Who would play them? It would still come down to voting on who should be invited to play in the playoffs. What about this past season? Even though the University of Miami played just about every bowl participant in the regular season, they had one loss that might have kept them from a championship playoff in a year with four undefeated teams!

Could the existing bowl games be reorganized into a playoff system? Again, I don't think so. There are traditional conference ties to bowl games — like the Pacific 10 and the Big Ten to the Rose Bowl and the Southeastern Conference to the Sugar Bowl — that would have to be broken. And what if a number of teams end up undefeated after the bowls anyway? It would be just as difficult as ever to decide who should be the national champion.

Another reason some people give for wanting a playoff is the prospect of a lower division champion being afforded the opportunity to get in and play with the Division I-A guys. Really, it couldn't happen. As good as a Division I-AA championship team may be, they can't compete with bowl-caliber Division I-A teams. They just aren't in the same class. I'm not saying that it can't happen in other college sports, like basketball, where highly ranked teams have been beaten by small schools, but I just don't see it happening in football.

So I think our national champion will always be decided by polls like the Associated Press and United Press International. Fortunately, the sportswriters who vote in the polls consider the strength of a team's schedule.

Talk of a playoff always arouses opinions from everyone, but I don't think it will ever be a reality. **ll**

Gale Sayers is considered one of the greatest running backs of all time. The former Chicago Bear is a member of the National Football League's Hall of Fame.

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January was named after the Roman god Janus, the god of good beginnings. He was depicted with two faces...one gazing toward the past and another gazing toward the future.

Breakfast Eaters Do Better In Class Room Than Breakfast Skippers

1. Breakfast participants have more nutritionally balanced diets than breakfast skippers.
2. Kids who eat breakfast are generally more well nourished than students who skip breakfast.
3. Breakfast participants have higher intakes of milk-derived calcium, phosphorus and riboflavin—nutrients essential for strong bones and teeth.
4. Breakfast participants tend to maintain normal weight levels and are less likely to be overweight or underweight.
5. Kids who eat breakfast have a higher 24-hour nutrient intake than children who skip breakfast.
6. Breakfast participants are energetic and can concentrate on school-related tasks. Breakfast-skippers tend to be irritable, restless and listless.
7. Where school breakfast is provided, fewer students skip breakfast.
8. Eating breakfast regularly is associated with a long life and a vigorous old age.
9. People who eat breakfast have more energy at midday than breakfast skippers.
10. Breakfast eaters have better late-morning problem solving ability.
11. The school breakfast program reinforces the four food group system.

Texans Can Talk Toll Free To Governor's Office

AUSTIN - Last month, Governor Bill Clement's Office helped 836 Texans cut through the bureaucratic red tape with an innovative Citizens Assistance Hotline.

From 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. weekdays, hotline staff members provide information to anyone who calls, 1-800-252-9600.

The department helps people to

obtain information or assistance on a variety of topics ranging from obtaining the address of their state legislators to how to get a copy of a birth certificate.

The hotline also serves as a liaison between public and state agencies or programs.

During the legislative session, hotline workers expect to field

CAP Honor Roll Named For 6 Weeks & Semester

The Cooperative Alternative Program has announced the honor roll for the third six weeks and the semester. Students making the "A" honor roll for the third six weeks are: David Archer, Patricia Lerma, Karla Reece, Wendy Reed.

Students making the "B" honor roll are: Monica Aiken, Pete Cantu, Brenda Capuchin, LaRissa Griffin, Linda Elkins, Rita Faries, Abbe Fernandez, Charles Golden, Chad Hamilton, Everett LeMond, Molly Loflin, Bobby Oden, Shonda Oswald, Cesar Padilla, David Prorise, Jim Rice, Alfonso Sanchez, Eliza-

beth Taylor, Mark Wardlow.

The Semester honor roll is as follows:

Karla Reece - "A" honor roll.

"B" honor roll: Monica Aiken, David Archer, Billie Deason, LaRissa Griffin, Linda Elkins, Bobby Estrada, Rita Faries, Abbe Fernandez, Charles Golden, Maric Hull, Everett LeMond, Molly Loflin, Gary Mitchell, Javier Olivares, Gregoria Parra, Joe Priddy, David Prorise, Jim Rice, Tim Robinson, Elizabeth Taylor, Mark Wardlow, Tina Wilkins.



MONDAY
BREAKFAST: Cereal, donuts, juice, milk.
LUNCH: Nachos with peppers, Spanish rice, refried beans, peaches, cornbread, milk.

TUESDAY
BREAKFAST: Cinnamon toast, juice, milk.
LUNCH: Fish nuggets with tartar sauce or catsup, cheese potatoes, coleslaw, blackeye peas, oranges, cornbread, milk.

WEDNESDAY
BREAKFAST: Cereal, juice, milk.
LUNCH: Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, English peas, sweet potatoes, lemon fluff creme dessert, hot rolls, milk.

THURSDAY
BREAKFAST: Oatmeal, toast, applesauce, milk.
LUNCH: Chili dogs with cheese, lettuce and tomato salad, fries with catsup, brownies, milk.

FRIDAY
No School



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Students Learn Computer Skills

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is provided by the Texas Education Agency.

As the 21st century looms closer and closer, computers are becoming commonly accepted pieces of equipment in many businesses, homes and schools.

Computer training is now mandatory in Texas for junior high-age students, and many elementary schools across the state already use computers in a variety of ways. Children as young as five years old are learning how to read and write on computers.

Beginning in September 1989, all school districts in Texas must offer keyboarding skills to students in the elementary grades.

The goal of the new State Board of Education rule requiring elementary computer instruction is to ensure that students have learned the computer keyboard by the time they reach the seventh grade. At the same time, the state does not want to add another subject to the already crowded school day.

State educators say both goals can be accomplished by integrating computers into the overall curriculum and using them as a classroom tool to teach other subjects.

The state already requires that one semester of computer literacy be taught in the seventh or eighth grade. At the high school level, one year of computing (which includes such courses as computer science and computer math) is required for the advanced high school program, and computer courses are offered for vocational classes as well.

With computers becoming a big part of the school day, how can a computer at home help?

Tom Boudrot with the Texas Education Agency says it is never too early to start a child on a computer.

He says parents might wish to consider investing in a home computer before their child begins kindergarten.

"Computers are so multi-sensory. They're a great learning device for young children," Boudrot says.

He suggests that parents who may be interested in buying a home computer first inquire as to what type of computers are being used in their child's class and why they're being used.

For example, if the child is using a specific computer and word processing software package at school to learn composition, then that would be a good reason to invest in

the same equipment at home.

Also, Boudrot recommends that parents find out if their local schools have a software library, which he says can save money.

"Over the long haul software becomes more expensive than the initial investment of just the computer," Boudrot says. "It's just like buying books. Many schools have software libraries where students can check out the software."

Parents can save money by buying a used computer, too. Many people outgrow their use for their home computer, but such a com-

puter may be ideal for a child.

Before making the costly investment a computer requires, Boudrot says parents must ask themselves - "Why am I buying this computer?"

"Some people buy computers purely for the kids, others for themselves and some buy them for the whole family," he claims. "But

parents must remember that a child's computer may not have enough power to run the needs of a household or a small business."

Teaching Your Children About Self Care

For many working parents that "awkward age" - when a child is too old for a babysitter and yet has never stayed on his or her own - is a difficult time.

Parents have to decide whether the child is ready for self-care for that 1-3-hour period between the time school gets out and they arrive home. Certainly the child's maturity, the neighborhood situation, the presence of at-home friends of neighbors nearby or other factors may influence the decision.

If you've decided your child can be in self-care this school year, you'll want to help them develop basic skills which will allow them to avoid injury or emotional trauma. These skills include:

- Coping with emergencies. Does your child know what to do in case

of fire, accident, injuries, severe weather or intruders?

- How to handle strangers. Does your child know how to handle telephone calls, people knocking at the door and strangers who approach them out-of-doors?

- How to use their time alone. Does your child know how to organize his or her time to get homework or chores done as well as some play time?

- How to snack nutritiously. Does your child know what's an appropriate after-school snack, how to fix it, and work in the kitchen safely?

Self-care involves a substantial increase in responsibility for youngsters. Parents need to help them prepare for this experience by teaching skills listed above.

Combining Cloth And Leather Produces Cleaning Problems

Clothing made with a combination of cloth and suede or leather can be very attractive - and a problem to clean.

As this type of clothing has become more popular, the International Fabricare Institute has received more complaints about the results of cleaning it.

A common problem is a variation in the colorfastness of the leather and the cloth. Usually the leather and cloth parts in the garment match or are similar in color. But when it's immersed in dry cleaning solvent, part of the dye in either the cloth or the leather may be removed. This means you wind up with a garment that looks faded

in some areas.

If the manufacturer's care label instructs you to dry-clean the article, this color loss is not the responsibility of the drycleaner. You can only complain to the manufacturer.

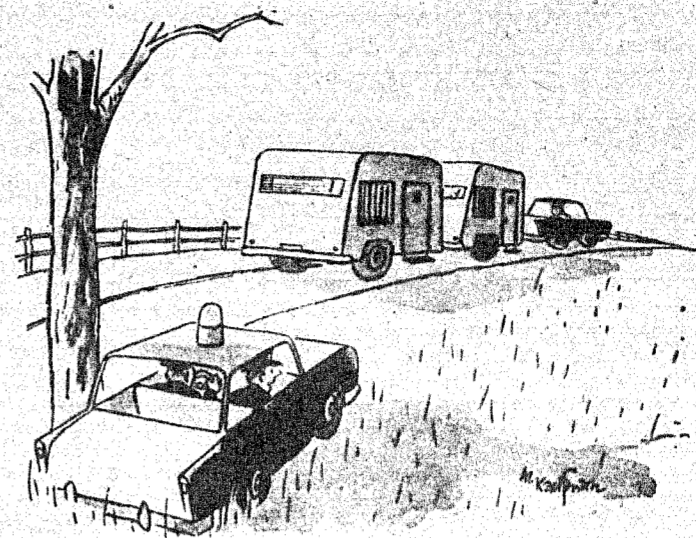
Although garments combining fabric with suede and leather are attractive, shoppers should carefully read the care label and look for signs of quality construction and manufacture before buying.

The International Fabricare Institute has also received numerous complaints about Ultracuede. Ultracuede will naturally become more supple with use and care. To maintain stability in the collar,

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If you're "Big" on movie trivia, you may want to take this fun movie trivia quiz from Rex Reed and his new co-host Dixie Whitley, stars of the popular movie review show, "At the Movies," syndicated by Tribune Entertainment Company.

1. What was Cher's first movie?
 - a. "Silkwood" b. "Come Back to the 5 & Dime, Jimmy Dean, Jimmy Dean" c. "Mask"
2. Which comedian/actor's real name is Nathan Birnbaum?
 - a. Mickey Rooney b. George Burns c. Pee-Wee Herman
3. The film "La Bamba" was based on the life of rock and roll star ...
 - a. Ritchie Valens b. Elvis Presley c. Buddy Holly

4. What father/son team starred together in the movie "Wall Street"?

- a. Kirk Douglas and Michael Douglas b. Martin Sheen and Charlie Sheen c. Donald Sutherland and Kiefer Sutherland

ANSWERS

1. b. Cher starred in her first movie in 1962. She won her first Academy Award for Best Actress for her performance in "Moonstruck" in 1987. 2. b. 3. a. 4. b. You'll find more movie trivia, as well as celebrity interviews, behind-the-scenes gossip, home video news and reviews of the latest films on "At The Movies." Check listings for show times.

Final Search Begins On Treasure Island

By Tim Hackler
PM Editorial Services

It has cost four lives and many millions of dollars with nothing to show, as yet. But the final chapter to what may be the biggest treasure hunt of all time is soon to get under way on a small, unpopulated island 40 miles southwest of Halifax, Nova Scotia.

Fortune hunters believe that a treasure of unimaginable wealth lies at the bottom of a mysterious series of underground tunnels and chambers built four centuries ago. They might just be right.

Scientists have analyzed bits of wood, cement, gold, brass, china, iron and hand-worked clay from the pit, and have determined that they date to roughly 1575—just the time when pirates regularly sailed near this island on their way home after a hard few months of plunder and pillage.

The mystery of Oak Island began in 1795 when a teen-age farm boy named Daniel McGinnis discovered a shallow depression directly beneath an ancient oak with a sawed-off limb. Over the next few summers, McGinnis and his friends spent every spare moment digging, expecting to find buried pirate treasure.

They were digging in what was clearly an old shaft. But the strange thing was that every 10 feet they

struck a wooden platform, which had to be removed before they could continue the dig. After several summers' work, they finally gave up.

Professional miners took up the dig in 1803, and they encountered the same well-fitted platforms every 10 feet. Finally, at 90 feet they thought they hit pay dirt. They found a flat stone inscribed with mysterious figures. An IBM cryptologist translated the markings as "Forty feet below two million pounds are buried."

But they had only just begun to discover how clever and resourceful engineers were some 400 years ago. For as soon as they removed the 90-foot platform, seawater began to percolate through the bottom of the pit. It quickly rose to within 30 feet of the surface. Later, four men would die when they could not escape the incoming seawater fast enough.

The pirate-engineers had laid rock-walled tunnels leading from the island's shore line into the shaft. The log platforms that had been encountered every 10 feet had served as hydraulic seals. Once they were removed, the trap was sprung.

No one has reached the bottom of the "Money Pit" since the discovery of the flooding system in 1850.

However, the solution to the puzzle may be within sight. A Montreal-based consortium of wealthy Cana-

dian and American businessmen is getting ready to sink a 70-foot wide steel and concrete-encased shaft 20 stories deep.

David Tobias, president of Triton Alliance, Inc., suggests that the "Money Pit" was constructed by Sir Francis Drake himself, to serve as a bank for storage and protection of plundered loot. "Queen Elizabeth couldn't be associated with pirates, and yet that was exactly Drake's mission—to plunder the Spanish," says Tobias.

He notes that the estimated date of the artifacts—about 1575—coincides perfectly with the time when Drake would have sailed by Oak Island on his return voyages to England. Records show that a single Spanish ship seized by Drake, "The Golden Hind," carried bars of gold and silver, minted Spanish coinage, precious stones and pearls.

Will Tobias and his backers find buried treasure? They hope so, but at this point they are almost as interested in solving the archaeological mystery as in discovering gold. Scientists estimate that the Oak Island complex of shafts and tunnels required 100,000 man-hours to construct using 16th century tools. They sure went to a lot of trouble to hide something. **ll**

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THERE IS NO SUCH THING AS A FREE PRESS

ONCE UPON A TIME IN TEXAS, there lived a newspaper that reported all kinds of things, from weddings to obituaries to local needs and deeds, to club and church news, to water and power rates to local elections. And while the town worked hard to solve unemployment, crime, bad streets and all the other aches of the day, the newspaper kept at it to try to bring the town a promise of the best to come—and to believe in itself.

A FEW YEARS EARLIER, the newspaper didn't have as many readers. But its merchants advertised a lot, and there were available dollars to hire writers and advertising sales people.

FOR A WHILE THE TOWN PROSPERED and its population grew to attract new business that came in to compete for customers from throughout the entire region. But some of those bigger businesses tried different ways of advertising, or reducing their own dollars for advertising when they took command of the market. Some small firms left.

THEN TIMES GOT TOUGHER for the newspaper. In just 18 months, the price of newsprint increased 30 percent, and it cost 20 percent more just to mail the same newspaper. The newspaper faced the same higher taxes, increased minimum wages and all of the other new challenges to business as did everyone else. Just the cost of keeping its doors open increased to \$526 per day for every 2,500 circulation.* The newspaper was forced to reduce its staff a bit, along with some of its local coverage because the dollars just don't have the same reach as prior years.

BUT THE NEWSPAPER (every newspaper) kept plugging along, attending countless local meetings and events. And its staff worked long hours to find ways to produce a better newspaper for the town, and to provide business with a valuable means of selling their goods and services, and informing readers about everything from government to fashions and foods.

TEXAS NEWSPAPERS are always plugging, because they enjoy exercising "Freedom of the Press." But please understand, this freedom doesn't come cheaply. It costs lots of dollars to keep it going. THIS newspaper intends to continue to support this community in every way it can, but in turn it needs your support.

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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hill of Del Rio were Sunday afternoon visitors with Gladys Hunter in Santa Anna. Their son Jim and a couple of friends accompanied them for the visit. Mrs. Hill is Mrs. Hunter's niece.

The Rockwood Extension Homemakers Club will meet Tuesday, February 28, at 2:00 p.m. at the community center. Minnie Bray will be the hostess. Laverne Evans of the Santa Anna National Bank will present the program "Banking Trends". Everyone in the area is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy were in League City this past week for the funeral of Nell's brother, Thomas Switzer. Thomas lived in this area several years ago and worked on the Gill Ranch. Our sympathy to Nell and family.

Tuesday afternoon, Jerry Don and Dennis Gleaton of Early visited their grandmother, Mary Emerson. Roland Duus visited with Mary Saturday morning. Lanell and Junior Brusenhan and Rose Cooper check on her often.

Dorothea Johnson visited her daughter-in-law, Kathy Fraser, of Brownwood, Monday. Sunday morning, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams visited with Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson. Sunday afternoon, Dorothea visited Wanda Bible at Whon.

We are happy to report that Mrs. John Hunter returned home Saturday morning.

Mrs. Bill Bryan visited Mrs. Jane Wise in Brownwood on Monday. Claudia Rutherford and Billie

Eckles went to San Antonio this past weekend to visit their mother, Mrs. Gussie Wise. They report that she is doing much better and she should be dismissed from the hospital by the end of the week.

Sunday night, Claudia and Jennifer Rutherford and Billie Eckles went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rutherford in Santa Anna for a "Going Away" party for Jetta Rutherford. Jetta is leaving Tuesday for a visit to Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray were guests of Mac and Patsy Hambright of Coleman on Sunday.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman of Brady visited with Rose and Elec Cooper.

Our community will miss Sam Estes whose funeral was Saturday morning. Sam, age 90, was born in Rockwood and had lived here nearly all his life. Our sympathy to Myrtle and the family.

Raymond and Joe Fred Estes stopped by for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams Monday morning.

Mrs. Bailey Hull, Mrs. Freddie Polk, and Greta Parris of Simpson Lake, Brady, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan Saturday. Sunday, Mary Emerson visited with the Brusenhans. Nell and Junior were business visitors in Brady on Monday. While there they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hull.

Recent donations to the Rockwood Community Center have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCreary, Woodrow Estes and Don Estes.



Options for Health

by

Dr. Scott White

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Q. Our medicine cabinet is full of over-the-counter products, and yet we never seem to have exactly what we need during minor medical emergencies. Can you offer a list of "medicine cabinet essentials" that are appropriate for the average household?

A. A good basic home medicine cabinet should contain:

First Aid Items

- Assorted Band-Aids—1 Box
- Sterile Gauze Pads (2"x2")—1 Box
- Waterproof Adhesive Tape (1/2"x5 yds.)—1 Roll
- Antibiotic Ointment (Neosporin®, Mycitracin®)
- Isopropyl (rubbing) alcohol (70%)—16 oz.
- Hydrocortisone Ointment or Cream (.05%)
- Actidose® (for use when some toxic substances have been swallowed)

Cold and Allergy Items:

- Diphenhydramine (25 mg)—24 count (e.g., Benadryl®)
- Pseudoephedrine (30 or 60 mg)—24 count (Sudafed®)
- Combination antihistamine-decongestant (Actifed®, Dimetapp®, Drixoral®)

Cough Syrup—such as Benylin® and Robitussin DM®

Gastrointestinal Items:

- Antacid (Maalox® or Mylanta®)—12 oz.
- Kaopectate®, Donnagel®, Pepto Bismol®—4 to 8 oz.

Analgesic Items:

- Aspirin (325 mg)—50 count
- Acetaminophen (325 mg)—50 count (Tylenol®, Anacin 3®)
- Ibuprofen (200 mg)—50 count (Advil®, NuPrin®)

Miscellaneous Items:

- Oral Fever Thermometer
- Rectal Fever Thermometer (for small children)
- Ice Pack (9" diameter with 1 qt. capacity)
- Tweezers to remove splinters
- Syrup of Ipecac—1 Bottle (to induce vomiting after the ingestion of toxic substances)
- Vaseline®—1 Tube
- Measuring Spoons and Cups.

Note Always keep the telephone number of the nearest Poison Control Center near your telephone in case of emergency.

Cleveland News

By Carol Herring

Rachael and Clara Cupps were visited by Lucille and George Teeters of bangs Sunday afternoon. Clara visited her sister Marie one day during the week.

Visiting with Charlie and Thelma Fleming Sunday afternoon were Peggy and Kenneth Sikes of Bangs.

Week-end visitors with Casey and Evaline Herring were Charlene and Jimmy Schulle and Joan Lunsford, Trey and Leigh Ann of Odessa and Gene Schulle of Dallas. Kenneth Herring stopped by on Saturday. Mrs. Winnie Haynes was visited by Leona Henderson on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Winnie Haynes was visited by Leona Henderson on Tuesday morning and Sug Stearns on Sunday afternoon.

The Junior Hendersons were visited by his sister and her husband, Jane and Charles Bell of San Angelo on Saturday. Sunday their grandsons and Andy Henderson of Bangs and great-grandson Will of Abilene stopped in.

Visiting with Mrs. Eppy Lowry on Saturday were Nancy Lowry, Will and Kayla of Bangs.

Mrs. Byrdie Miller visited with Mrs. Audrey Wright one day.

Iona Moore, Ruby Hertenman and Dalton Sikes visited with MAudie Fields in Bngs Tuesday.

Hardin Phillips was visited by Syble Huggins on Tuesday. Wednesday he visited Bruce Alsobrooke and Bruce Halmon.

Mrs. Amanda Perry enjoyed having a friend, Mrs. Thompson of Trent come Friday for a visit.

Mrs. Lora Russell left on Wednesday for Crane where she attended the funeral of a very good friend. She returned home on Friday. She rode as far as to Crane with her daughter and her daughter's mother in law. Her daughter and mother in law then went to Odessa.

Texas capitol is a great visitor draw

WORLD NEWS FEATURES
The Texas Capitol at Austin remains one of the leading visitor attractions of the Lone Star State, according to Charlotte Goddard of Southwest Airlines.

The 100th "birthday" of the capitol in 1988 has helped focus attention on the handsome pink granite structure, whose dome is seven feet taller than that of the U.S. Capitol in Washington.

The capitol was financed when Texas legislators in 1879 decided to swap 3 million acres of public lands in the Panhandle for its construction.

Visiting with Mrs. Wilmoth Russell this week were her sister Greta Mae Boyd of Kilgore and Joe and Jo McGinty of Houston and her niece and husband.

Judy and Bill Humphrey of Kingwood. Spending Sunday with C. E. and Vera Wise were Sharon and Talion Taylor of Abilene. Visitors during the week included Dorothy Eisenhower, Leroy Stockard and Neil Hall.

Thursday the Emil Williams were visited by Ovella Williams. Carmilla Baugh was in Bangs Tuesday to visit her mother Mrs. Mae Flores at the Twilight Nursing Home. She also attended the Valentine's Party at the nursing home. Sunday, J. C. Bible stopped by.

Visitors with Coy and Myra Brooke have been Mrs. Lorene Beeler on Monday, night, Sidney Sackett on Tuesday morning and Delbert and Winfred Elkins of Coleman on Friday morning.

Calvin and Margaret Campbell were visited by Lance Rasch on Sunday. Margie Fleming was visited by Odell Henderson Monday afternoon. Sunday afternoon visitors were Eddie and Phyllis Dillard and Donna and Jason Mapson.

Edd and Ruby Hartman visited in Bangs with Sandra and Harry Walker, Scotty and June Walker and Javin of New Braunfels and Cindy and Darrell Boyle, Mathew and Shannon.

Lou Pierce visited Cindy Pelton and girls a couple of times during the week. Jennifer and Chrystal Pelton spent the week-end with A. C. and Lou. Sunday Gary and Sandra Harper and three children and Brenda Jennings and two children all of Irving came by. Sandra and Brenda are nieces.

Everyone seems to have gotten a real good rain and some much needed tank water.

PORTRAIT of the GREAT AMERICAN INVESTOR

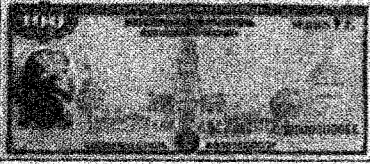
Jon Higuera began his journalism career as an eight-year-old, interviewing neighborhood kids and writing stories for a homemade newspaper. Today, he's one of the hottest young reporters around, with an even brighter future.

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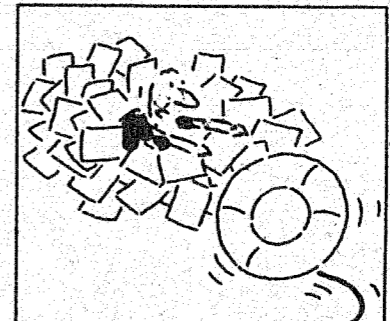
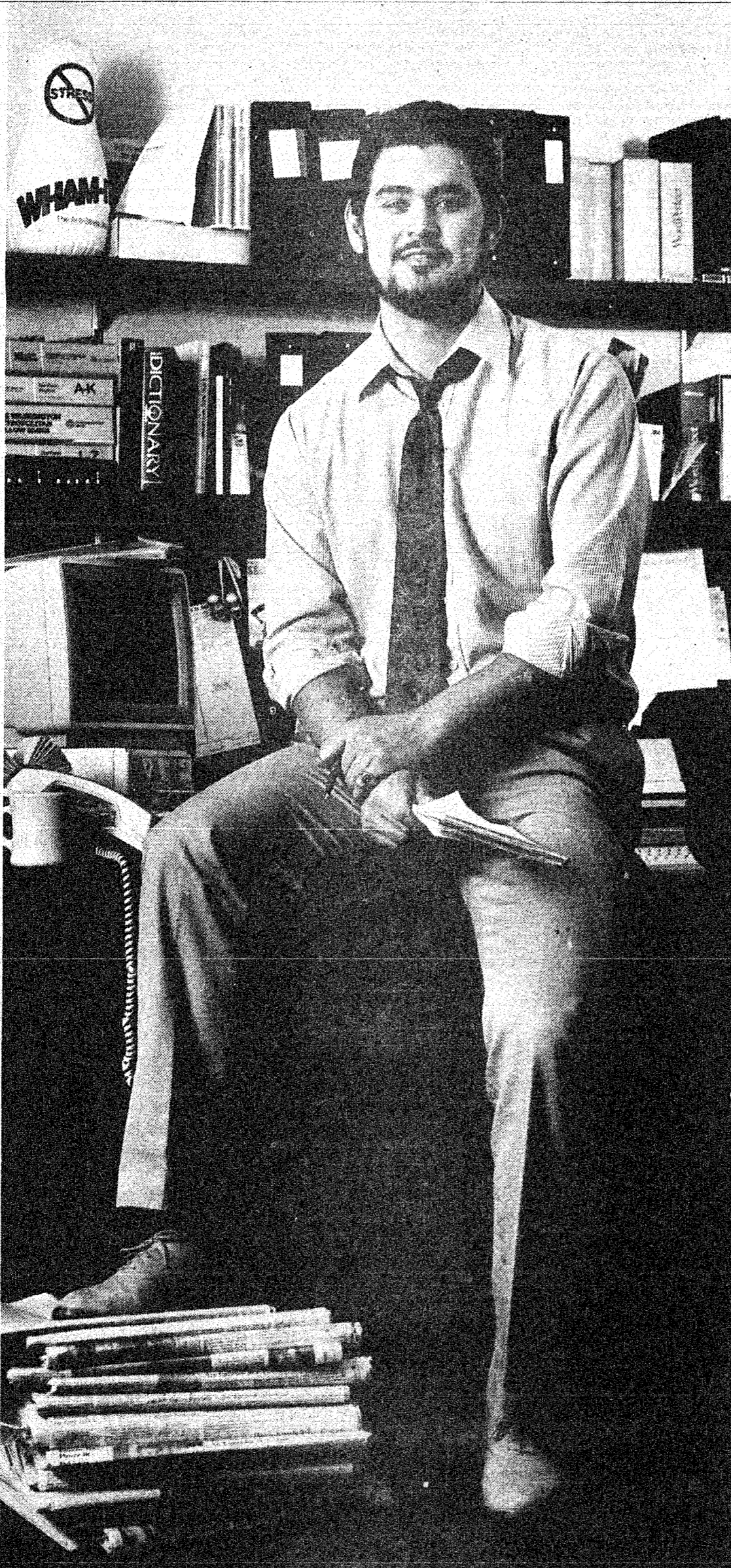
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Ranger Park Inn By Annie May Brimer

The residents were entertained with a Valentine Party Wednesday afternoon. The hostesses were Women from the First Baptist Church of Santa Anna, Glen Cove Baptist Church, Valera Baptist Church and Rockwood Baptist Church. Oma Dean Horner decorated the serving table, Rev. Mark Bryant of Valera conducted the program. Helen Laws, Geneva Baxter, Minnie Bray, Nell Brusenhan, Betsy Davis and Beulah Helm served cookies, cake and punch to Valentine King Jim Dixon and Queen Lillie Knotts and all the other residents. Valentines were sent from Charlotte Fenton, Gay Turner, Santa Anna Methodist Youth, Rebekah class of First Baptist Church of Coleman, Valera Baptist Church and a host of residents exchanged Valentines. Delta Omicron Sorority made little red wooden hearts with "I Love You" for each resident. Lori Williford decorated a cake and Beulah Helm brought a decorated cake, sending cookies were Viola Pond, Glenda Gassiat, Ann Jones, Edwina Hopper, Geneva Baxter, Minnie Bray. Nell Brusenhan brought angel food cake. You just had to be there to know what a wonderful party it was.

The February birthday party was hosted by the ladies of the Fidelas Sunday School Class of Santa Anna First Baptist Church. Dorothea Johnson decorated the honorees table with a Valentine theme. Pat DeWitt played piano selections, Fannie Gilbert (Aunt Samantha) read jokes and funny sayings to the birthday people. The Fire Auxiliary gave birthday gifts to the honorees. Wilmoth Russell, Lora Russell, Bessie McDonald, and Betty Henderson baked cakes for refreshments. Coyita Bowker and Gay Nell Martin of the Delta Omicron Sorority made angle food cakes. Lena Ingram shared caked Imogene Powers and Era Lee Hanke baked for her birthday. Millard Thomason shared her decorated cake that Margaret Bowman brought for her birthday. Jean Caldwell, Jeannette Brock, Edna Estes, Stena Mitchell, Era Lee Hanke and Imogene Powers served refreshments to Donna Porter, Lena Ingram, Nestor Diaz, Lillie Box, Millard Thomason, and Xuma Jones after Happy Birthday was sung to them. It was such a beautiful party.

It was wonderful to have 17 second grade students and their teachers Sharon Cheaney and Betty Smith entertain the residents Friday Morning with singing and giving each resident a little box with President Washington and President Lincolns pictures on the sides that the students make. They filled the boxes with candy. They visited with the residents after the program. It is such a joy to have the young people visit the nursing home. We will be glad when they can come again.

The residents enjoyed to pop corn that Joe Green popped Friday afternoon.

Del Funderburg, Jim Leavell, Maxine Douglas, and Fuma Masuda conducted a service Saturday afternoon for a large number of residents.

The residents are looking forward to the program Steve Austin will entertain then with Monday Feb. 27 at 3:30. We would love to have you attend this program if you can find time to come to Ranger Park Inn.

The Community Baptist Church of Coleman conducted a service Sunday afternoon. James Hammonds brought the message. Sandra Burns, Helen Alvey, Barby Biles and Sheryl Thompson, Darel Burnes and Bill Whitfield sang specials. A number of others from the church helped with the program.

Everybody had a good time playing 42 Monday afternoon. There were four tables of players. Wilmoth Russell, Lora Russell, Bessie McDonald, Herman Estes, Peggy Johnson and Lucile Wylie came to play with the residents.

Mavice and Marshall brought Valentine candy and Do-nuts to the employees.

The flowers the Johnson family shared with us decorated the home so pretty. The residents enjoyed them so much.

We appreciate the green ware Theresa Baucon gave us.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Sam Estes. He died Feb 16 and was buried the 18th in the Rockwood Cemetery. He will be missed by the residents and staff members as he was one of our special people.

LIVING CENTER
Preston Cude visitors were Clew Cude, Ruby Clark, Curtis and Helen Alvey, Barby Billes, Shery Thompson, Anne Smith.

Red Cupps visitors were Raymond Cupps, Charlie Fleming, Mr and Mrs Darrell Cupps.

Minnie Greer received a visit from Fannie Gilbert.

Thelma Whitehead visitors were Stena Mitchell, Doris Rogers and Helen Jo Beavers.

Dora Skelton visitors were Thelma and Otis Throgmorton, Buck and Bettye Jamison, Myrtle Pepper, Ann Stephens, Stena Mitchell, Rev Ferris Akinis, Lera Guthrie, Marie and Lester Anderson.

NURSING HOME
Allen Barnett Visitors were Lera Guthrie, David Guthrie, Less and Avis Vaughn, Anita Beal, Sharon and Shala Guthrie, Opal Barnett, Dora Gage, Tom and Aaron Guthrie, Mitch Guthrie, Charlie Fleming, Billie and Montie Guthrie, Lee, Brandi and James Wristen, Thomas an Idella Wristen.

Boyd McClure visitors were Ulys Garrett, Pete and Wanda Skelton, Otis and Thelma Throgmorton, Glenn Thomas, Shamey and Devin Brand, Karen Morris, Bettye and Buck Jamison, Del Funderburg, Jim Leavell, Dock Skelton, Worth Franke.

Frances Horton visitors were Robert Lee and Wanda Loggins, Otis and Thelma Throgmorton, Pete Skelton, Mary Jo Thomas Howie, Dealvia Thomas, Fern Belmore, Margaret Prueti, Lee Horton, Ben and Myra Taylor, Merle McClellan, Marie and Lester Anderson, Lera Guthrie, David Guthrie.

Johnie Thomas visitors were Mrs Frank Thomas, Edna Thomas, Jean Clawson, Mr and Mrs M.H. Howie of Heber Spring, Ark.

Pearl Arnold visitors were Bill and Louise Smedley, Sharon, Tom, Aaron and Shala Guthrie.

Opal Maples visitors were DeWitt Simons, Billie Simons, Sadie Simons, Phyllis Dillard, Lucille and Cynthia Squyres, Eddie Dillard, Merle McClellan, Ben and Myra Taylor.

Xuma Jones visitors were Nell Myers, Theresa Baucom, Dorothy Watson, Nowlen Myers, Ethel Williams, Imo Herring, Garland and Annie Mae Powell.

C.D. Bruce Chanda and Margaret Simmons, Bruce Karyn and Laine Kingsbery, Oma Dean Horner, Barbara Kingsbery, Shamey and Devin Brand, Karen Morris, Imogene Powers, Harry Crews, Jean Clawson.

Modora Gilmore visitors were Jeannette Brock, Mae Blue, Ethel Williams, Dorothy Watson, Helen Nichols, Lucile Wylie, Joe Wallace, Annie Mae and Garland Powell.

Beulah Fleming visitors were Eddie and Phyllis Dillard, Mae Blue, Ethel Williams, Syble Huggins, Jason Mapson, Charlie Fleming, Mary McDaniel, Betty Joiner, Marjorie Fleming.

Martin Wallace visitors were Juanita Minica, Gladys Lay, Bessie Parish, Joe Wallace.

Francis Tucker visitors were Archie Tucker, Bessie Parish, Gladys Day.

Henry Goodwin was visited by Henry Goodwin Jr.

Herbert McCarty was visited by Rodney McCarty.

Ethel Vaughn visitors were Janice Turner, Paul and Frances Phoenix.

Millard Thomason visitors were Lucile Smith, Margaret Bowman, Dr Charles Madlock.

Mae Tyson visitors were Merle McClellan, Dink Taylor, Ben and Myra Taylor.

Corrine Storey visitors were K.G. Storey.

Cleo Canady and Mattie Gray visitors were Stena Mitchell and Doris Rogers.

Jimmie McGregor visitors were Ben and Myra Taylor, Donna Cummings, Merle McClellan.

Ruby Parker visited her sister Marie Hill.

Faye Casey visitors were Tom

Goodness Gracious It's Good Canned Fruits Make Easy Cobblers

Are you in the mood for a cobbler and there's no fresh fruit in season? Don't despair because the solution to your problem is on the pantry shelf. The answer is canned fruit.

Although not all types of canned fruits are suitable to use, water-packed fruits and canned pie fillings are the best choices for quick cobblers.

Here are some things to keep in mind when using canned fruits in cobblers:

- Be sure to drain water-packed fruits unless the recipe calls for water. If so, drain the juice into a measuring cup and add enough water to make the amount called for in the recipe.
- Water-packed fruits are soft—handle with care.
- Pie filling is a convenient cobbler ingredient if a sweet, thick cobbler is what you desire. All the preparation has been done—you just pour it into a baking dish, add a topping or crust and bake.

For a quick and easy cobbler that is sure to be a family pleaser, make Easy Fruit Cobbler tonight. Using a rich biscuit mix topping and a can of pie filling makes Easy Fruit Cobbler a good choice for busy families.

Another convenience boost is the fact that this cobbler bakes up quickly in the microwave. (Conventional instructions are included.)

- Easy Fruit Cobbler**
- 1 can (21 ounces) fruit pie filling
 - 1/4 cup chopped pecans
 - 1/2 cup Martha White Bix Mix
 - 2 tablespoons brown sugar
 - 2 tablespoons milk
 - 2 tablespoons cold butter or margarine, chopped
 - 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
 - 1 tablespoon sugar
 - 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon

Guthrie and Oma Dean Horner, Clarinda Menges and Nancy Menges visitors were Ann Spencer, Shamey and Devin Brand.

Estelle Todd visitors were Jerry Todd, Ben and Myra Taylor, Merle McClellan.

Onnie Edens visitors were Harry and Margaret Crews, Bill and Dixie Aylar, Paul and Irene Cannon, Marie and Lester Anderson, Sing Downey.

Jack Skelton visitors were Leman and Marain Kennedy, Ferris Akinis, Otis and Thelma Throgmorton, Robert Lee and Wanda Loggins, Jean Jones, Ulys Garrett, Myrtle, Pepper, Boyd McClure, Mark Bryant, Doc Skelton, Glenn Thomas, Bettye and Buck Jamison, Ann Stephens, Harold and Caroline Skelton, Vickie White and girls, Stena Mitchell, Lera Guthrie, George Harrington, Ray and Lucille Martin, Dealvia Thomas, Mary Jo Howie.

Christine Sanders visitors were Marry Briggs, Nell Myers, Bea King, Donna Cumings, Barbara and Danny Johnson, Tricia Hawkins, Peggy Johnson, Martha, Cory and Casey Black, Lynna, Kenney and Mady and Micheal, McClung, Bernice and Horace Snedegar.

Lena Ingram visitors were Syble Huggins, Era Lee Hanke, Imogene Powers, Donna Cumings.

Imo Herring and Ethelene Stewart visitors were Gladys Day, Gay Irwin, Veona Fisher, Casey Herring.

Ora Caldwell visitors were Charles and Jean Caldwell, Oma Slate, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell, Gladys Day, Ray and Lucille Martin.

Mary Jo Lovell visitors were Joe and Sharon Watson, Michelle Wilkovich, Odelle Plummer, Syd, Judy and Mike Morton, Del Funderberg.

Mattie Hicks visitors were Karen Morris, Devin and Shamey Brand.

John and Doris Skelton visitors were Myrtle Pepper, Harold and Caroline Skelton, Ulys Garrett, Cari Gifford, Solitaire Harris, Amy Skelton, Dealvis Thomas, Ronda Skelton, Josh Skelton, Ken and Barbara Gifford, David Skelton, Buck and Bettye Jamison, Mary Jo Howie, George Harrington, Marie and Lester Anderson, Doc Skelton.

Myrtle Estes visitors were Tom Guthrie, Brandi, James and Lee Wristen, Anita Beal, Alta Benge, Raymond and Jeff Estes, Joe Estes, Herman Estes.

Public Notice Services Real Estate Miscellaneous

THE CITY OF SANTA ANNA
is taking bids on three pickups: '72 Chev., '74 Chev., and a '74 Dodge Power Wagon located in the City yard on N. 3rd, west side of yard. Bids will be taken until 5:00 p.m. March 9, 1989. City of Santa Anna, P.O. Box 249, Santa Anna, TX. 76878. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Thelma Brooker, Mayor
Alys Pelton, Acting City Secretary
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Card Of Thanks
To my friends and family, thank you so much for all the prayers, phone calls, cards, visits, flowers and gifts during my stay in the Brownwood Regional and Waco Hospitals. Please continue to pray for me as I recuperate here at the Ranger Park Nursing Home.
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For Conventional Oven: Spread pie filling in baking dish; sprinkle with pecans. Top with dough; sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon mixture. Bake uncovered at 400°F 18 to 20 minutes.

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Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

We were all saddened Tuesday morning when we were called by Mrs. Nell Yancy that her brother Thomas Switzer of Texas City had passed away, very suddenly in his home. Thomas had gone through a 5-way by-pass on his heart a week before his death and stood surgery fine considering it was major surgery, and was feeling well. At his breakfast and lay down a while and was gone suddenly. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer and children were residents of our community in years past. And I really think they moved from Whon to Texas City where they have lived for several years. They attended church at Whon and lived on the Floyd place between Whon and Rockwood. We extend our best wishes to the bereaved family and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited with their son Mr. and Mrs. Randall Lovelady and girls in Brownwood and also with Mrs. Lovelady's sister Mrs. Elva McDaniel also of Brownwood.

Mr. Douglas Avants of Brady drove to Santa Anna Saturday afternoon and visited with his mother Mrs. Earl Avants and enjoyed supper with her.

My daughter Mrs. Bob (Patsy) Smith drove down Sunday afternoon from her home in Abilene and will be here with us until Monday afternoon. Mr. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman was with us on Saturday and Monday. Mr. Floyd Rutherford and son Todd was with us Sunday and also different times during the week. Loyd was a dinner Guest today, Monday.

Lucille Sorrelle of Coleman was a Monday night supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady.

Mrs. Betty Moore of San Antonio was on her place here over the weekend. I enjoyed a nice visit with her by the telephone when she arrived here she noticed we had good rain. Was interested in how much moisture fell. Thanks Betty for calling.

Mrs. Bell Farris was in Brownwood Tuesday visiting with his sister Mrs. Lorene Black.

We are very glad to report Mrs. Janie Morris is doing well following major surgery. Today she was to see her surgical doctor in Brownwood Monday afternoon. Her

report was that she is doing well and was told if she would be careful she could go to the Veteran's hospital tomorrow in Kerrville to visit with her son Mr. Jamie Lee Morris who is a parent there and has been quite ill but is somewhat improved. But no doctor's report to date. Mr. Morris goes to Kerrville Veteran's Hospital Tuesday, for a check up with his doctor. They will visit their son there while in Kerrville. Jamie Lee's wife and daughter of DeLeon visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kline of Coleman and their daughter Jean Morris of Paris, Tex. visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Friday afternoon. They came by for their daughter and granddaughter. Janet Morris to go to Coleman and spend the weekend together in Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. Kline and daughter Jean were enroute to their home following attending a funeral of Mrs. Kline's brother. Mr. Thomas Switzer of Texas City. They stayed with the family a time after the service while the Switzer family were together for a time following the service.

Mrs. Jamie Morris reports how she has enjoyed all the interest relatives and friends have shown her since surgery. She received so many cards and telephone calls and loves and appreciates every act of kindness shown her. She had calls from relatives in California, Arizona and Oklahoma, other than Texas. She feels it is not possible for her to answer every card and call at this time, but she will be thinking of you and remembering each one. This has been a blessing to both she and her husband Floyd, and the family. Has made her pain and illness easier to undergo "To Feel Others Care".

We feel we should say something concerning the blessing we have had. We really did have some wonderful rain. My gauge measured 5 inches and 8 tenths for the week and is really wonderful to see some water tanks full and other caught lots of water. Although some places received more rain than others. Seems every one did receive a good rain and all received showers of Blessings.

Exercise Leads To A Healthy Heart

Exercise is one of the most effective safeguards against America's number one killer — cardiovascular disease — says The National Exercise For Life Institute. In 1986, heart disease claimed the lives of 978,500 Americans or one every 32 seconds, according to the American Heart Association.

"February — National Heart Month — is a good time to think about the health of your heart and to make some permanent changes in your lifestyle attitudes and habits," says Diane DeMarco, executive director of the Twin-Cities based Institute.

Today, 65.9 million Americans have cardiovascular disease, and the AHA estimates that more than 500,000 Americans will die from heart attacks this year.

The main cause of heart disease is atherosclerosis, a slow build up of cholesterol and fatty tissue in the arteries. Eventually, your arteries harden and narrow as the build up increases, restricting blood flow. When the arteries supplying blood to the heart muscle narrow to about two-thirds of their normal width, you may be a candidate for a heart attack.

However, the good news is that healthier lifestyles and preventive medicine can help deter cardiovascular disease.

Experts say that the best way to prevent the disease is to stop smoking, lower your blood pressure, eat a proper diet (in order to reduce your blood cholesterol levels) and engage in regular aerobic exercise.

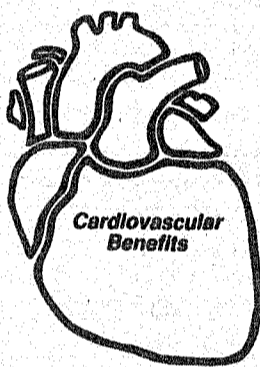
Aerobic exercise involves continuous and rhythmic physical motion that elevates your heart rate to 70 to 85 percent of its maximum capacity. Examples are brisk walking, swimming, cycling, jogging and cross-country skiing. To be effective, it generally needs to be done about half an hour, three days a week.

"The toughest part of exercising is keeping it up week after week. Many people who start a new exercise regimen don't stick with it because of boredom, lack of time, or choosing the wrong activity," explains DeMarco.

"When choosing your exercise program, select an aerobic activity you really enjoy. Then make a contract with yourself to work out regularly. Try to anticipate excuses for not exercising, and find answers to deal with them. Finally, set goals for yourself and keep a log of your progress," continues DeMarco.

DeMarco also advises that people consult with their physician before embarking on an exercise program.

Exercise Leads to a Healthy Heart



- Raises HDL (good) cholesterol
- Lowers LDL (bad) cholesterol
- Reduces triglyceride levels
- Lowers blood pressure and reduces risk of hypertension
- Reduces risk of premature hardening of the arteries
- Strengthens heart and lungs
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Q. "Almost every day I get mail from companies urging me to enter their contests and sweepstakes. Some say I've already won a prize and that all I have to do is pay to have the prize delivered. Other mailings leave me confused as to whether or not I have to first buy whatever product they're promoting in order to enter."

Deni Hamilton, editor of Contest News-Letter replies: You never have to buy anything to enter a sweepstakes, nor must you pay for delivery. All of the hundreds of big-prize sweepstakes held in this country each year offer exactly the same chances of winning to people who don't buy the sponsor's product as to people who do. The law is very strict on this point.

However, contests which require skill, such as writing, cooking or photography, to enter can require a proof of purchase.

Some unscrupulous companies try to mislead people as to the actual value of the "prize" they've supposedly won. For instance, one recent scam started with a postcard sent telling people they'd just won a "Mercedes Benz" automobile. All that was required to claim the car was to pay \$85 to have it delivered. Only after paying the charge, and the prize was delivered, did victims learn they'd

"won" a foot-long plastic model of a Mercedes Benz, a toy worth perhaps \$20.

Other scams have convinced people to pay delivery charges for a "\$100,000 yacht" only to receive a \$35 rubber raft or a \$5 toy piano for a "\$50,000 concert piano."

Ripoffs aside, it is possible to win big money and valuable prizes in contests and sweepstakes. Last year, more than \$100 million in cash and prizes was awarded in more than 1,000 legitimate contests and sweepstakes conducted by American corporations including McDonald's, American Express, Procter & Gamble, Coca-Cola and Ralston Purina.

To enter most legitimate sweepstakes, all you have to do is send your name and address to the sponsor. Most sweeps allow you to enter as often as you wish. Sometimes spreading out your entries over a period of time will increase your chances of winning.

For a free copy of Contest News-Letter, a monthly that tells how to enter hundreds of legitimate contests and sweepstakes, send a self-addressed, business-sized envelope, with 25 cents postage attached, to: Contest News-Letter, Dept. NFR, PO Box 589, La Grange, KY 40031.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. O.R. Boenicke

We were all happy to have Rev. James Gilbert, the Presbyterian minister from Denton with us over the week end. He taught the Sunday School class at 10 a.m. and preached at 11 a.m. He and his wife have worked at the Presbyterian home for children at Denton for 26 years. Someone will take their place but he will have another job. He usually comes to Trickham once or twice a year. He spent Saturday with Joe and Ora Stacy and had dinner with them Sunday.

The 84 party was held Thursday night at the Community Center. There were 15 present and all had a good time. Mr and Mrs Warren Barton were hostesses.

Annelle Clark and Pauline Eubanks visited me Saturday evening.

Saturday morning Verna Bolton visited Lou Vaughn. Sunday Lou

Vaughn visited Genia McIver and had dinner with her.

Verna Bolton spent the week end with her mother, Florence Stearns. Saturday Rev. F.E. Suttle visited Florence.

Sunday, Rankin and Natalie McIver visited George and Goldie Haynes.

Tona Kirk visited at her home this Sunday. She has been living in Brownwood for a while.

Lea Mock of Post and her grand daughter spent the week end with her mother, Mary Lea Mitchell.

Saturday evening Russie James visited Mrs Gladys Hunter at her home. She is at home but not too well. Sunday all of Russie's family ate dinner with Roberta and Pat McShan at Brownwood. Cindy and Kelly and Libby were also there.

Cases Heard In District Court

The following cases were heard before Judge Don Lane on Thursday, Feb. 16, 1989 in the District Court Courtroom:

1. Cause No. 127 - Matthew Wayne Parks. Judge Lane heard the motion to revoke probation filed by the State in this cause. Following presentation of evidence and argument of counsel, Judge Lane revoked the probation of Matthew Wayne Parks and sentenced him to four (4) years in the Texas Department of Corrections.
2. Cause No. 147 - Mark Anthony Gongora. Following the defendants plea of guilty, Mr. Gongora was sentenced to four (4)

years deferred adjudication, to \$1,000 fine, restitution to the Coleman Independent School District in the amount of \$145.65, payment of court costs and court appointed attorney fees.

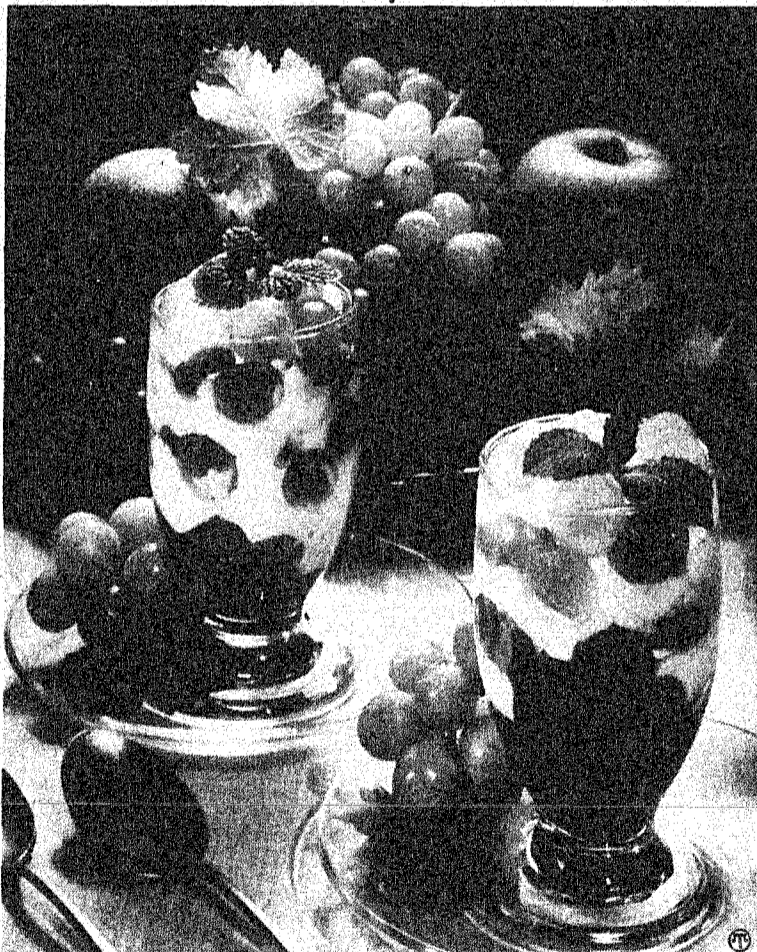
3. Cause No. 199 - Paul William Scott. Mr. Scott was arraigned and James L. Bowen was appointed by the court to represent him.

4. Cause No. 212 - Michelle Roach Peavy. Ms. Peavy was arraigned and Charles McDonald was appointed to represent her.

5. Cause No. 213 - Bobby Joe Roach. Mr. Roach was arraigned and James L. Bowen was appointed to represent him.

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- 1/4 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 cup dairy sour cream
- 3 tablespoons green or white creme de menthe
- Mint sprigs for garnish (optional)

Rinse, drain and cut grapes to measure 1 1/3 cups. Cover and chill. Blend pudding mix with milk in saucepan. Cook, stirring over medium heat until mixture comes to a full boil. Remove from heat and stir in lemon peel and vanilla. Cover and let stand until cool, stirring once or twice. Beat in sour cream, cover and chill. To serve, toss grapes with creme de menthe and alternate with pudding in four 5- or 6-ounce serving glasses. Top with mint sprig, if desired.

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RAT - FOX TERRIER puppies. Seven weeks old. First shots. \$35.00. Art's Shoe Repair, 400 W. Baker until 5:30 p.m. during week.

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FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick, approx. 1,200 sq. ft, nice yard, privacy fence, good neighborhood. \$42,000. 1802 16th St. 646-9607.

FOR SALE BY OWNER newly remodeled 2 BR doll house on shady lot, fenced yard, carpeting, air cond., mini blinds, w/d conn. & 2 car garage. 2405 1st St. 646-8343.

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FOR SALE BY OWNER. 2 bedroom house on 10.78 acres NE of Santa Anna. Fenced, two tanks, fruit trees, large garden plot, city water, carport and out buildings. 915-348-3804.

FOR SALE BY OWNER
It's a steal at \$84,500. Owner must sell. This is a dream home that would normally sell in the 150's. About 3,600 sq. ft. 4 BR, 3 bath, living rm, family rm, extra large den, large workshop, atrium, skylights, patio with heated pool, on 1 acre lot. Lots of storage and more. Deluxe Country style living in town. Call for appointment 646-8991.

FOR SALE: 8 miles north of Brownwood 16.38 acres. Completely setup for mobile home. Large tank. Call 643-5668 after 4:00 p.m.

FOR SALE or Trade. Very nice 80 ft. mobile home 2 lots or more (excellent) location Harbor Point (Clear) would consider a home in Brownwood, or land near Brownwood "On" major Highway under 160 acres. Write: Box 86, May, Texas 78857.

FOR SALE to be moved. New, unfinished house. 24' x 46'. Call Eddie at (915)643-6179, after 5:00 p.m.

REAL ESTATE

MUST SELL! 14 x 76 Brock Mobile home to be moved. Will negotiate. 646-2326.

15 ACRES
1 Mile South on Hwy. 45
\$1000 Down
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\$198.41 Per Mo.
15 yr. Financing
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14 x 64, 3 bedroom 2 bath mobile home, needs work as is \$1200. See 1 Mile West of Bangs. Phone 752-7731.

14 x 70 1982 FLAMINGO mobile home with 2 bedrooms and one bath on an acre of land. 643-2700.

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REAL ESTATE

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5 ACRE LOTS For sale near Brooksmith on payment w/water & electric lines on land. 646-3758.

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Must sell immediately, transferred by G.T.E. 604 Hemphill. 3 BR, 1 bath, corner lot. CH&A. 1 car garage, large yard. \$32,500 negotiable! To see, call 646-7941 leave message.

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FOR SALE: 1982 Mobile Home, 2 bedroom, 2 bath, woodburning fireplace, dishwasher. Take up payments with approved credit. Call 646-6733 or 643-3114.

FOR SALE: 14 x 70 Melody mobile home with carport and covered porches. With 1 or 7 acres. Early ISD. Call 646-7591 or 646-1137 after 6:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: 1972, 2 BR Manatee mobile home, 14' x 60'. Includes cement steps, Central AC, stove, ref. & under pinning. Excellent older mobile home. \$5500. Call James 646-6716 or 646-0297.

FOR SALE: 20 ACRES of Lake Brownwood property on Baptist Encampment Road. Lots of oak trees, fenced & cross fenced with double coral & covered shelter. Brooksmith water meter installed. Call 643-4363.

FOR SALE: 3 Acres of land, 3 BR, 2 baths, double carport with storage room & small barn one road 1/4 mile of pavement 1/4 mile of Brooksmith school. Lots of trees. 646-3758.

FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick, approx. 1,200 sq. ft. nice yard, privacy fence, good neighborhood. \$42,000. 1802 16th St. 646-9607.

FOR SALE: 75 model 14 x 60 2 bedroom 1 bath, good condition. \$4500. Call 752-6325.

FOR SALE: Bangs, 2 Br., 1 bath home, 100 x 100 fenced lot, 12 x 12 storage carport. Reasonable offer considered. Located West on Myrtle to top of Knoll. Left end of St. Right first mobile on right. Call Coll. 307-837-2114 or write P.O. Box 263, Ft. Laramie, WY 82212.

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FOR SALE: By owner, low down, low finance chg., 2 BR, 1 bath, corner lot, 24 x 20 shop + stg. & gar. Priv. fence, near schools, carpeted & extras. After 5:00 643-5534.

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Over 2,000 sq. ft. home, 3 BR, 1 1/2 bath on large pecan tree covered corner lot, w/ fenced backyard, large rooms, separate living room, den w/FP, utility room, formal dining, large kitchen, CH&A. Next to High school. Price to sell at \$46,500. Call 643-1140 after 5:00.

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HOUSE FOR SALE by owner 806 Brookhollow, 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 baths, all electric, formal living room and dining room, covered patio. Priced to sell. By appointment only call 646-4546.

IN EARLY OWNER FINANCE: 4 bedroom house. \$5000 down. Payments \$250 at 10% interest. 646-9644.

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MOBILE HOME LOTS
100 x 100' near lake. Nice area. Just off Hwy. 279. Payments approx. \$23.57 with \$100.00 down for 4 years. Utilities available. 784-5653 or 784-5155.

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MUST SELL! 15 acres 5 miles out of Early. 3 lots in Brownwood. One lot on Procter Lake Resort. Reasonable. 748-4141.

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\$500 per acre. Heavily wooded with oak. Has approx. 40 ac. cultivations, paved frontage, 2 miles from Early. Good water well. Deer & turkey.

\$325.00 DOWN
Nice wooded mobile home lots right by the lake. Brooksmith water available and paved roads. Monthly payments \$65.06.

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Nice wooded waterfront lots on Rocky Creek in Mt. View.

\$15,500.00
Waterfront lot in well restricted paved subdivision.

BANK REPO
5 225 ACRE tract on Hwy. 279. Bank will finance. Has septic. \$9,500.00 total price.

\$9,500.00
For 10 wooded acres. Close to the lake. Paved frontage and city water. Owner finance with \$950.00 down. Payments \$178.00 per month.

\$450.00 PER ACRE
275 acres in Mills county. Large oak trees, creek, large tank. Must sell to settle estate.

\$15,500.00 WATERFRONT
Lake cabin in deep water, beautiful view with dock.

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3 BR, 2 bath in Minton's Draw with boat docks, screened in shelter, shop buildings, rock fireplace, ceiling fans and satellite dish. \$85,000. \$16,000.00

Total Price on 2 BR, 1 bath brick home with cathedral ceiling. Flight by the lake on 2 lots. Access to swimming pool and boat ramps.

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3 BR, 1 1/2 bath brick home. Close to the lake. New carpet and paint. \$10,000 below market value.

PECAN BAYOU FRONTAGE
10 acres on Pecan Bayou. Beautiful pecan trees, secluded, excellent fishing. Will sell on Texas Vet Loan. \$34,000

3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath at Lake Haven, fireplace, double carport, 2 large lots with 2 storage buildings and own your own Snowcone stand. Owner says snowcone stand will make payments in summer.

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784-6647**

50 x 100' mobile home lot at Lake Brownwood. Utilities available. \$100.00 down and small monthly payments. Full price \$595.00

1.53 acre tract at Lake Brownwood. \$200 down and small monthly payments.

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2 BR mobile home. Starting at \$200 unfurnished, \$230 furnished. 1 bedroom \$170 unfurnished, \$190 furnished, 3 bedroom, \$245 unfurnished, \$280 furnished. Washer and dry connections, no pets. Call 646-8442.

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1 BEDROOM 1 bath, furnished, some utilities paid. Cisco Hwy. also 1 on Brady Ave. Phone 643-1391.

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1 BEDROOM, upstairs furnished Apt. 2 bedroom unfurnished. Lyn Quila Apts. No children, no pets. Call 9:00 to 5:30. 643-2879, 643-3152 after 6:00

2 BEDROOM HOUSE for rent. \$250 per month. Inquire at 101 A, Southpark Drive.

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2 OR 3 BR HOUSE for rent. Contact Letbetter and Son. 646-5536.

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2 Bedroom home, new kitchen cabinets, lots to offer. Huge 2 car garage. Buy like rent. First month \$359 after that, \$259 a month includes taxes, insurance, principle & interest. NO closing cost to qualified buyer. Full price \$23,900. 11.5 interest. Drive by 509 Seventh and call Vic Hetzel 646-5260.

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