# Santa Anna News 

"He Profits Most Who Serves Best"

## We Hear From School Board Candidates



Roddy Dean, Incumbent Saturday, May, 6 , is the date for and school board members. Las weck we heard from hee candidate for the city offices and this week wc
are publishing satem candidates for the four seals up for grabs on the ISD board of tusstecs. We hope the following informa
tion will hel poinion before you formulate an on Saturday.
The four places to be filled are for hirce, 3 -year terms and one. 1 -ycar
unexpired term. Dickie Horner Gary Absher and Roddy Dean now Mold the 3 -year term seats and Bil expired term, having been appointed when another board member moved from the school district. He hac number of years. All the in cumbents are seeking re-election Others in the race are Ruth Ann
Wise, Gilbert (Bubba) Jones, Marty Donham, Roy Joe Harrey and
and
the
The the 1 -year unexpired term.
The candidates were sent ques-
tionaires asking the following: why you feel you are qualified to serve on the board; what do you see as trict at this time: what particula thing would you like to see accomplished during your tenure on the board. Using these questions as basis for their statements, the can
didates had the followins to syy:

Ruth Ann Wise
Ruth Ann Wise is a teachicr of
fifth grade in he Brownwood ISD. fifth grade in the Brownwood ISD. She and her hisbanan, Joe Ed, are
the parents of two sons, Bradley and the parents of two sons, Bradley and
Nathan. Bradey is a sudent at Santa Anna High School and Nathan atends classes at Brown-
wood.
Mrs.
Mrs. Wise feels she is qualified continued page 8

## A Word From

 Mayor Brooker About Funtier Day Mayor Thelma Brooker has to the citizens of Santa Anna. As you know, Funtier Day is drawing near. I would like 10 take this opportunity, on behalf of the citizens of Santa Commerce, the Rodeo Association, the Antique Farm Machinery group, the Lions Club, the Park Board, the LiFun Ruin and any other oryanization making Funtier Day plans, for joining in getting bis years funter Day started These organizations need volunteers whelp them during the Funtier Day activitiss, Prease take the time to help make dis day anousuccess for Samata Amma


Bill Martin, Incumbent


Marty Donham


Dickie Horner, Incumbent


Roy Joe Harvey


Gary Absher, Incumbent


Gilbert (Bubba) Jones

Remember To 'Jote Saturday
Polling Places Announced For City \& ISD Elections
Remember to cast your ballots former insurance agen and school
Saturday in the local city election teacher. Mrs. Brock had previously Saturday in the local city election teacher. Mrs. Brock had previously
and the Santa Anna ISD board of served on the city council from trustees election.
In the City Election, to be held at Incumbent councilmen Quinton the Mountain City Community Daniel and Jim Spillman are joined
Center, there are two candidates for in the race by Joe Baker Craig the Mayor's are two candidates for in the race by Joe Baker, Craig
til soun- Terry, and John Pearce. cil seats. Glenn Copeland will serve as election judge. Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to $7.00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
Mayor Thelma Broaker is Mayor Thelma Brooker is seek ng her second term and is opposed. Anst week's edition of the Santa解 SAHS Seniors To State Literary Contest Sat.
Others To Track \& Tennis, May 12-13


Robert duus
Two Santa Anna High School seniors will be in Austin this Saturday, May 6 , to compete in the
state Interscholastic League literary contesis. Robert Duus and Scotty Amberson qualified for the state meet at the regional contests held ocently in Abilene.
Duus, the son of Mr. and Mrs first in the overall science contes and first in the chemistry category


SCOTTY ANDERSON at the regional meet. Anderson, the on of Mr, and Mrs. Norman Aning. James Hartman and Jeffey Hartman who placed second in egional in boys temnis doubles will competing at the state tennis
meeduled for the following meet scheduled in Ausin. Also heading for Austin is the SAHS boys sprint relay team of Bobbv. Deleon,

## school administration office, south of Perry Gym, on the High School

 of Perry Gym, on the High Schoolcampus with Rose Bass as election judge. Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Incumbens Dickie Horner, Gary Absher, and Roddy Dean are joined in the race for places on the school
board by Marty Donham, Gilbert (Bubba) Jones, Ruth Ann Wise, and Roy Joe Harvey.
Bill Martin, who has been serving in an appointed position, is for the remaining year of the unex-
pired term. school board candidates have a statement in this edition of the Santa Anna News. mayple ballots for both elections School Board Candidate's ForumThursday There will be a candidate's forum school cafeteria featuring candidates for the Santa Anna Independent School District board of trustees. The forum, to begin at $7: 30$ p.m., is sponsored by whe Sant Texas Professional Educators. (ATPE).
Each candidate will make a brief statement and answer questions from the audience. All citizens ar
urged to be present for this oppor urged to be present for this oppor
unaity to hear the candidates addres the issues that face the school.
Lonaie Kirven, Jody Pur Herbert Jackson.
Results of the regional track and elsewhere in this edition of the NEWS.


Ruth Ann Wise

Funtier restivities will actually begin Friday evening, May 12 , when a group of covered wagons
will arrive in Santa Anna and make camp on the grounds of the armory that night. The group will be playing guitar and singing around the campfire. Local people are in-
vited to go by and visit. Mayor vited to go by and visit. Mayor
Brooker has also heard from others who will be arriving in motor homes and staying overnight on the Armory grounds, some from as far away as Florida.
More has been added to the list of
events for Funtier Day, May 13. A we have told you, the day's activities will begin with the Maypole dance by local youngsters at 9:00 a.m. followed by a parade at 10:00 led by the Fort Concho Color
Guard. A fly-over by the Coleman Flying Club will signify the beginning of the parade. Included in the parade will be covered wagons, riding clubs, antique automobiles,
the Brownwood Shriners, antique farm machinerv, the Rad Rockers.

## Traffic

 Jam Sat.Members of the Delta Omicro sorority or ESA will hold their an
nual "traffic ja nual "traftic jam" Saturday, May 6 3rd Street. The project will raise money for St. Judes Children's Research Hospital and all funds raised will go to that bencfit.
The ladies will be collecting from $8: 00$ a.m. to 6.00 p.m. So collect your change and drive by and help this worthy cause
Police Confirm Report Of Alledged Attempted Sexual Assault Of Child
Police Chief Brixey confirmed Monday the report that a young child had allegedly been the victim of a an atempted sexual assault in Santa Anna over the weckend. on the school playground. When the child screamed, he violator ran from the scene. At the time this writer spoke to the police, no ar-
rests had been made. The investigation is continuiag.
Parents are once again reminded to know where your children are at alt times and with whom. We think
of this sort of thing happening of this sort of thing happening here in Sarta Arra.

A lue fre rucks from both Sânta Anna and Coleman, and much more to deligh all ages. Square dancers will perform under sheep shearing contest will be held at that location at 12 noon. Judging in the annual ice cream freeze-off will take place at 1:00 and at 2:00 and 4:00, the Rad Rockets. An acrobatic bicycle group from the young at heart. Gale Brock will be directing the skit for this year which will take place under the shade at $3: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
Musical groups to be performing throughout the day under the shade will include fidder Gene Christian's group at 11:00; Dalton Thomas at 12:00; David L. Brown at 1:00; Rick and Donna Pannell before the skit at 3:00; Borderline. Russell CONTINUED PAGE 8
Funtier Day Skit
Being Cast
Gail Brock asks all persons
interested in helping with the Funtherested in helping with the Funer Day Skit to meet at the Lions Club building at
Thursday, May 4 .
Cleanup Sat. In Preparation For Funtier Day
The C Camber of Commerce will be sponsaring a cleanup dayy Saurray in preparation for
Funtier Day
on
and
 concern is thew downtown area. Citizens who can help are morning with rakes, hoes shovels, etc., in hand. There will also be some areas which will need mowing and assis lance will bo needed in that
project. project
Anyoric Anyone having questions
may contact Charlote Mosely.

4-H Will Help With Cleanup Word comes from Mrs. Glen Santa Anna 4-H Club are asked to gather in front of the Telephone Cooperative building by 8:00 Saturday morning to help
with the cleanup in preparaion with the cleanup in preparation provided a free lunch following the project.

Fond Memories Of Santa Anna Me , A Restaurant Chef?
by Vener Elair Hamon LoMadrid
1 was actually in business in Santa
1933.
Many people may not recall the
economic situation of that era but there was a depression existing. Because there were so few opponu-
bities for young people tp go to college after high school, a lot of my friends were getting married.
Especially where 1 lived at Dexter, New Mexico
Shorly after my marriage, my sister Blanch and her family came to visit from Santa Anna.
My brother-in-law, My brother-in-law, Clebert pondering "What to do?" He was vorery good at coming through with
ideas on how to remedy an ailing ideas on
situation.
He, himself, was a candy salesman at that time and had routes
which led him to Whon, Trickham, man at that ume and had roures
which led him to Whon, Trickham,
Deleon and other places besides DeLeon and other places besides
Santa Anna. usband had no job or any my new for one he thought it would be a good idea for us to return to Santa
Anna with the Willis family. Anna with the Willis family,
At that time there were At that time there were such
things as marble machines gracing
some of the restaurants and cafes. Of course, Clebert was abreast of any new gadget considered to add
some substance to the family coffers There was a small cafe for rent, having gone out of business. I
think it was called The Blue Bonhet Cafe. Clebert began thinking how he could help my husband and me on the road to financial security
and enhance his bank account at the and enhance his bank account at
same time. He rented the cafe. My tume. He renied unc cars. The cafe and Clebert was to have
control of the marble machine control of the marble machine.
Blanch bought some material and hurriedly stitched up some uni the uniforms and made the aprons of white Indian Head. Considering seamstress as I was a cook seamstress as $I$ was a cook, much longer than the cooking.
The day of the opening of the The day of the opening of the
Blue Bonnet Cafe arrived. Clebert Blue Bonnet Cafe arrived. Clebent
was ecstatic as he took my husband Pas cestatic as he took my husband
Pe, to our new business. was praying fervently that no one ame to eat as rhad never cooked meal in my life! My older sister,
Whittie, who was still at home, did the cooking, or at least helped my
mother. I got in on the dishwashmother. I got in on the dishwash
ing end of the meal preparation. Bu ing end of the meal preparation, Bu
here I was! The chef at the Blue ere I was!
e steam table. To me it looked ike a huge monstre, ready to de our me at any moment! Clebe
ad planned the first day's men ortunately it was made up of his avorite food because he had to eal My prayers were answered tha frrst day in business. Not one cus
mer came turough the door! Cl bert stopped in several times. As at had mixed up a huge bowl pancakes in preparation for our
early morning flood of customers, e were all stuffed before dinn ime rolled around. But suffed or ound steak with cream gravy and English peas before we said good My husband and I had cots in the back of the restaurant. That is where we spent the night in order io for breakfast I continued to pray im not sure that I was praying for the right thing...but I prayed no one have prayed to learn the art of cooking! Sure enough! One man came to
al. I was thrilled, although scared

Coming from a farm fanily who had bacon and eggs, biscuits, and
oatmeal for breakfast, I was overwhelmed at what this man ordered. When I asked him what he wanted, he said. "Sliced tomatoes" couldn't believe it. It seemed so must be something unusual that did not know about sliced tomatoes. 1 certainly meant to find out, so I you fix THAT?" Since the Blue Bonnet Cafe had no customers there was plenty of free time for my husband and me it things. He joined a bascball tcam rom Glen Cove...and I took up bi cycle riding.
Every afternoon, my nephew, Eugene Willis would come to the
cafe on his bicycle. We would then take it up to the emply space abov the cafe. It was a very large space with beams supporting the roof a ppropriate places. Gene and around the beams in a circle eigh around the beams in a circle eight.
It was great fun, but hardly a sufficient reason for Clebert to continu to pay rent on the place.
The Blue Bonnet Cafe, with us for one month. It was then Clebert time tho found a crocery store it Whon. And whom did he elect to un the small grocery store? None other than the newlyweds from New
Mexico. But that is another story.

## Rockwood

Extension
Club Meets met on Tuesday, April 24 at the Rockwood Community Center. A program on "Youth 2000" was pre-
sented by county ageni Dana PoerVice President, Minnie Bray presided at the business meeting. port. Dana Poer gave te te Council report. Minnie Bray reported that 23 persons par
Eamily Ning events were discussed Family Night will be May 11 with
Bettie Duus as hostess. Homecoming will be Saturday May 27. The Extension Club will cate the noon meal for the Class of ' 39
on Reunion Sunday, May 28 . on Reunion Sunday, May 28 .
Wilma Williams, hostess, served refresthments to guests Dana Poer refreshmenis
and Mary Bray and members Min-
nie Bray Nell Brusentan nie Bray, Nell Brusenhan, Sadie
Bryan, Rose Cooper, Bettie Duus Bryan, Rose Co
and Pebble Ellis.

Baptist Assoc. To Meet In Coleman The regular meeting of the tion will be held Tuesday, May 9 at North Co
Coleman.
The meeting begins with the W.M.U. and executive board at 6:00 p.m. The evening meal will
be served at $6: 45$. The program, which will be Roger Hammonds will have a book store exhibit at the clinic.
Churches are invited and welcomed Churches are invited and welcomed
to purchase their VBS material. The public is invited.
our part
Democracy will last only as long
as all of us do our part-for most of
as all of us do our pa
us our part is voting.

Rodeo \& Youth Association Plan Funtier Play Day

> Beginning Saturday, May 6 . Association ropings will be held on Saturday nighits with book open at 6 p.m. and roping beginng at 7:00.

> The group will be holding a play day and team roping compeition as their contrib
Funtier Day activities
> The Team Roping will beg Fiday, May 12, with the books at 7.00 .
> The group will take part in the untier Day parade to be held at . p.m. Saturday, May 13.
> Funtier Day activities at the
rodeo arena will begin at 11:00 odeo arena will begin at 11:00
when the books open and events will begin at $1: 00$ p.m.
> A stick horse race and boot scramble will be held for the
youngsters age 6 and under boys and girls). No entry fee
> entry fee, are: GIRLS:
> Age groups 7-10; 11-14; and
> 15-19: Pole bending, barrel rac
> ing, gaat teing.
BOYS:
> Age groups 7-10; 11-14; and
15-19: Breakaway, ribbon roping,
> Theown. will be tean
> There will be team penaing
vents for both girls and boys, age 10-19. Three member teans, may consist of all female, all
male or mixed teams. male or mixed teams.
> All minors must have parents must be shown upon request. Age for each event must be as of January 1, 1989. Ribbons will be given in each event. Trophies
will be given to the high point girl and to the high point boy in each age division.
> There will also be open team penning with no age require-
ments, teams consisting of three members. There will be team roping with

> For more information, call
$348-3327$ or $785-4295$ after $7: 30$

## Acteen Group

 Raising Funds The Acteen group of the FirstBaptist Church has made plans to Cttend the National Acteen Convention to be held this summer
in San Antonio. To help finance he trip, members will be available o do odd jobs, babysiting, yard vork, and other chores during the next several weeks. Local poople
may take advantage of this oppormay lake advantage or his oppo
unity to get special chores done. Gay Nell Martin is sponsor of the group, which includes Missy
Bryce, Shelly Carter Brandi Bryce, Shelly Carter, Brandi yra Neff and Jeannie Paterson.
Birthday Supper FetesOllieWristen (Contributed)
A barbecue supper was held April 26 in observance of the 89
birthday of Mrs. Ollie Wristen. The supper, which include chicken, sausage, hamburger, and otdogs and all the trimmings ended
with the serving of the birthday with the serving of the birthday
alke and opening of gifts after the singing of "Happy Birthday". Those attending were her chit dren, Dink and Marie Wristen, and
Wayne Wristen of Santa Anna James and Nell Hipp of Clyde, and Virginia Lee of Odessa. Children and grandchildren were Suzette, Phillip and Amy Wristen erry of Odessa, Anita and Tonya Rodgers of Greenwood, Corky, Su san, Donie, and Chad of Eula,
Others were Sandy Deal, Sno Others were Sandy Deal, Snow
and Sylvia Herring of Santa Anna Myrtle Nickles of Coleman. Sh received phone calls and a birthday card from President and Mrs. Bush. A good time was had by thos

Halt Century Dance Will Feature Fingerless Fiddler The montily Santa Anna Har Century Dance is to be held Satur day, May 6, at the Armory from
7.30 till 10:30 p.m. Admission $\$ 2.00$ per person. Music will b $\$ 2.00$ per person. Music will be
fumished by the Gcorge Maxwel Band of Abilene. Roy Thackerson the Fingerless Fidder, will also be
there. Everyone is invited to bring
andwiches, cookies, or chips fo break time. All ages are welcome.

## G \&E Hardware

 OUT with the OLD SALEHas Been Extended Until MAY 20th. Everything in the store is on SALE. If it has been in the store for 5 years it will be $50 \%$ OFF.

ALL BABY
$40 \%$ - 50\% OFF

ALL PYREX \& CORNING WARE
40\% TO 50\% OFF

## Rockwood Homecoming Will Observe 100th Year For Town's Post Office

This year, the Rockwood Home-
Later, lunch will be served at the coming will be on Saturday May
27th. This is a Home coming for everyone whose "roots" are in Rockwood, of you were bern and
reared there, or if you are a tians. plant, make plane to be in Rock wood on Saturday, May 27.
The day will begin The day will begin with a Cemetery at 10:00 a.m. This service is not only to honor the veler-
ans who served our country, but ans who served our country, but
also to remember the setters, ard times to setle the area ard times to seme the area anctive members or sociely.
The Rockwood Post Office was May 1889. The name was changed to Rockwood in January 1890. so to celebrate the centennial of the
Post Office Post Office, everyone is invited for
refreshments at an open house of refreshments at an open house ay.
11:00 am. on Homecoming Day.

Nitia Daniell Circle Studies Handling Stress The Nitia Daniell Circle met on
April 24 in the Annex of the First United Methodist Church Jackie Davison was the program leader.
The program topic was "Busy The program topic was "B
Women Dealing with Stress". The group sang "Take Time to be
Holy". Scripture was read from Holy". Scripture was read from Psalms and Phillipians followed by
a prayer. Jackie Davison told of the a prayer. Jackie Davison told of the
Homemaker". Hetie Scarbrough Mildred Galloway and Carmilla Baugh helped develop the program by relating thoughts of the "Super Grandmother", the "Employed
Woman" and the "Caregiver". BibWoman "and the "Caregiver". Biband Romans.
During the business meeting the minutes were red by Carmilla Laura Carpenter, card chairman The meeting was concluded with the Lordds spayer by the group. Eubank served sandwiches, cake potato chips, mints and punch to potate chips, mints and punch to

## Summer Lawn Watering Guide



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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED...Mr. and Mrs. Davey Beal of Santa Anna are happy to announce the engagement and approaching mar-
niage of their daughte, Shiela Rence Jones to Maurice Castillo, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Castillo of Santa Anna. The wedding will take place May 19 , at finc p.m. at the Frrst Bapust Church with the Rev
John Stanislaw officiaing. A reception will follow at the Santa Ann Armory starting at $7: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. A band will begin playing at $8: 00 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. All friends and relatives are invita

## Stanislaw "Roasted"

(Contributed)
The Rev, John Stanislaw, pastor
of Santa Anna First Baptist Churcht, was the subject of a "celebrity roast" on Sunday, April 30 , to mark his tenth anniversary as
pastor of the church. The cvent was held at the fellowship dinner following the morning worship ser 150 and attended by approximatel

Books Are Needed For Library Book Sale, Funtier Day
Books are coming in for the
book sale on May 13, Funtier Day, to benef
Building Fund.
©A large number $9 f$ paper back books have been donated but more are needed to provide a number of Readers Digest Condensed Books. There have been some westerns promised. There are a few children's books and
some very old books that may be collector's items.
Books of all types are needed. To donate books, take them to the Library or to the Jim Spill-
man residence by May 11 To man residence by May 11. To
have books picked up, call Alice Anna Spillman at 348-3644 or Bety Key at $348-3545$ or 348 3393 by May 11 . On May 12 ,
books may be brought to the books may be brought to the
new library building west of new library bu
Phillips Drug.
The books will be sorted before the sale and some will be
placed in the library

Commurnity Galendar

SATURDAY, MAY 6 City and school board
Remember to vote!
MONDAY, MAY 8 Delta Omicron
Boy Scouts
TUESDAY MAY 9 Lions Club
Santa Anna 4Santa Anna 4 -
Cub Scouts

THURSDAY, MAY 11
City Council Meeting Mountain City Center Mountain City Center, 7 p.m.
(Everyone welcome to atuend) SATURDAY,
Funtier Day Funtier Day Be prepared to
Santa Anal

SUNDAY, MAY

The family of H.M. (Mack) McCarty lable, are shown entertaining a group of girls from
Methodist Home in Waco, for lunch last Saturday at the Opra House. Others with the group are a counselor from the home and Rev. Claude Davison of the First Methodist Church. The girls and their counat the church to honor the Longbrakes as faithfull Cleveland Cemetery Association Meeting Planned For May 13 The 274 annual meeting of the will take place Saurday, May 13 a will take place Saturday, May the The meeting is scheduled in be gin at 10 am . and everyone having ies to the Cleveland Community is

> To the staff and volunteers of the
Ranger Park Inn Nursing Home Ranger Park Inn Nursing Home
> Our hearts will be forever grateful for the years of devoted care you geave our husband, father and grandfather.

Local Lady Honored Sunday With 95th Birthday Events By Bartara Kingsbery years, and fewer still of that age can claim to be in good health and enjoy the activites they choose.
One such woman is Mrs (Mae) Blue of Santa Anna. She observed her 95th birthday on Monday, May 1 . following a busy
weekend with fanily and friends for celebration of the event.
Mrs. Blue was honored at the
Sunday moming services at the Sunday moming services at the
First United Methodist Church where she is a long-time member,
Sunday School teacher and leader Church members and family members paid tribute to her long and
faithful service to the chuct and faithful service ot the church and to the community, and a basket of preciation. In an earlicr presentation, members of the Hays-Blue Sunday School Class gave her a
gold engraved pendent. Mrs. Blue has been a teacher of the class for about 50 years, sharing leaching responsibilities with the late Amabelle Hays in earlier years and
with Mrs. Gladys Hunter in later
years.
Mrs. Blue was not always a Methodist. She was one of eight
children born of the late John A. children born of the late John A. and Lula (Richey) Allen in Golduh-
waite, and was reared in the Baptist Church. It was many years later that she joined the Methodist
Church where her husband was an Church where h
active member.
Self Culture Club Meeting Date Is Changed Self Culture Club will not mee on their rutiure Club will scheduled date of on their regulary scheduled date of
May 10 . The next mecting will be a luncheon on May 17 at ite home of Alice Anna Spillman. Special
guests at the luncheon will be eleguests at the luncheon will be ele-
mentary and junior high students mentary and junior high studenis
who placed highest in their UIL titerary events
$\qquad$ served for two years as pastor, Dur-
ing his pastorate here the membership has grown and major projects have included construction of the
Cristian Life Center consuction Christian Life Center, construction or the parsonage and the sponsor-
ship of the Cordero Mexican Mission,
The te The ten years marks the longest history of the local church.

Born in Goldthwaite in 1894 ,
Mrs. Blue attended the Goldhwaite Mrs. Blue attended the Goldthwaite
schools and graduated as salutato-
ian of her clas id rian of her class in 1912 . Upon
graduation she and several of friends took the teacher's exam and she was certified to teach school. Her first assignments were in rural
Mills and Hamilton county schools, with the summers spent
attending Howard Payne College. In attending Howard Payne College. In
1916 she applied for a job in Santa Anna and was hired to teach sixth grade. she was familiar with his
community, having visited here community, having visited hre
with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Jim with relatives, Mr. and
Robin, since a child.
to her sudenens.and and still is called o her students...and still is called
todyy...maried Hardy Blue, y young
Santa Anna business Santa Anna businessman, in 1921 .
Her teaching career was posponed for teaching career was postponed
fouple's fears after the bith of the later we's a frequent substitue teacher in the frequent schools, and in 1925 taught high school math and Class of 1926 was sponsor for the cludes her at their annual class in-
union.
From the late 1920's Mr. Blue family hardware store, with much time spent with church and school
activities. She joined the Self Culture Club in 1922 and is still member, having served in every of fice and twice as president. She was also a member of the Garden Club
for several years. She is now for several years. She is now a
member of the Coleman DAR Chapter,
She was a teacher in the youth
deparment of the Methodiss Sund department of the Methodiss Sunday
School for many years uati younger women of the church organized the Hays-Blue Class. Mrs. Blue has served on the admin-
istrative board and tas beenistrative board and has been a
member and leader in the Methodist Womens' organization,
After Mr. Blue's death in 1960, Mr. Blue continued to operate the hardware store until it was sold to the Galloway - Eubank families to
become $G \& E$ Hardware Co about
two ycars later.
Although Mrs. Blue has help
with heavy housework, she lives alone and is in charge of hat lives alone and is in charge of her house-
hold. She frequenly has lunch with other senior citizens at the Nutrition Center, enjoying the meal and
visiting with friends She also visiting with friends. She also en-
joys playing "Eighy-Fow"


Longbrakes Entertain Methodist Home Visitors Mr. and Mrs. Dick Longbrake, at the far cnd of the
table, are shown enternaining a group of girls from he home. The girls presented the couple a plaque of appreciation during the Sunday mon-
ing service at which the guest speaker was Tom ing service at which the guest speaker was Tom
Strother, an administrator of the Methodist Children's Home. The girts and their sponsors were guests Sat-
urday night in the homes of Home. The girls and their sponsors were guests Sal
urday night in the homes of members of the
Methodist congregation and honored guests for the Methodist congregation and honored guests for the
church dinner following the Sunday service. church dinner following the Sunday service.



Mae Blue, center, is shown here with immediate family members. At her right. They are joined by the only Blue grandchildsen, Michael Blue and Orabeth (Henderson) Mclver.
group of triends at Trickham when Anna friends in past years, mosta of Joining Mrs. Blue for the birth whom are no longer alive or able to . Bettie Ruth Henderson of Sant
take Anna and John Hardy Blue, his wife Imes. Mrs. Halley's Comet in the early 1900 's Lousisiana. On Sunday a number and She and her sisters were awakened lies joined the family for the church during the night by their mother to service and later were dinner guests vividy historic event. She recalls at the home of a granddaughter, ing "tail" with flyingt and sweep- Orabeth (Henderson) Mclver, south As a child of a Santa Fe Railway Harold and Mary (Mills) White of employee, Mae often made trips by Midland; Mr. and Mrs, Tom crossing in Cleburne that she first Worth; Elen Tischer of Goldth saw an automobile. She describes it waite; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kenned as a buggy with a motor, waitung
for the passenger train to go by. for the passenger train to go by.
While attending Howard Pay College in July 1918, she and some college friends ran outside at the sound of motors and saw two airplanes overhead...her first sight of
the World War Ifying machines. Looking back is not the style of this young-at-heart lady, She is en-
joying the opportunities and plea.


PHILLIPS DRUG STORE 608 WALLIS AVENUE SANTA ANNA, TEXAS

Ranger ParkMnn
By Annie May Brimer The residents enjoyed the singing
of Jim Boyle, Wanda Wallace,
Doris and Les Aderholl, Lorene
Wym, Allene Needham, Virginia
Wood, Del Funderburg, Neal Smiit, Gladys Creek m and Tina
Whitington Tuesday afternoon. Thursday aftemoon a groun. Coleman Senior Citizens came to play dominoes and 42 with the and fourth Thursdays of each monhth.
Matic Brice, Addie Davis, Lu cille Christy, Eunice Wilson, Edith Smith, Oleta Tyler, Babe Ketcham,
Joan Johnson, Christine and Roy Ked, Aubrey Stewart, Linda Stewart, Peggy Stewart and Betty Walkins sang for the residents Thursday night. It is wonderful to
have them visit the nursing home have them visit the nursing home
and entertain with hymns and gospel singing.
Joe Grean pop
cernoon. Glynn Moore, Del Funderburg,
Mike Funderburg and Jim Leavell conducted the Saturday afternoon service for the residents.
Ruby McCowen, Pawl Ruby McCowen, Paul, Bob and
Naomi McCowen conducted the 5th Sunday service by picking the guiLar, playing the piano and violin for the residents to enjoy. Mrs Ruby and Bob sang several specials that
everyone enjoyed listening to everyone enjoyed listening to.
Peggy Johnson helped the dents have a good time playing 42 It is good to have Othel Egbert make her home with us for a while live with us.
We are so glad Xuma Jones
stayed with us unili she was able to stayed with us until she was able to
go home. We miss you Xuma and go home. We miss you Xuma. We express our deepest sympathy to the family of Huber McCarty.
He was with us several years and is He was with us several years and is
missed by the residents and employees. We all loved him.
We are glad Boyd McClure is back home from a stay in the hospital. He is going to Angelo for treatments every day for the next
five weeks. five weeks.
LIVING CENTER
Myrtle Robertson visitors were
Billie and Darwin Lovelady, Doris Billie and Darwin Lovelady, Doris Ruth Stearnes.
Red Cupps visitors were Mar-
shall and Mavice Camphell Roland Deal, Joc Wallace, Charlie Fleming Johnny Fleming.
visif from Helen Jo Beaver rived a visit from Helen Jo Beaver.
Preston Cude was visited daughter Cleo and he is spending a few days in Abilene with her. NURSING HOME
Matie Hicks visitors were R.W. Lillie Box visitors w and Marshall Camphell.
Gladys Driskill visitors were Bob and Nita Driskill.
Maggie Robiney visitors were Leota Edwards.
Imo Herring and Ethelene Stewart visitors were bobie Guthrie, Moore, Maggic and Robert Robinett, Rev, J.D. Ferguson. Henry Goodwin visitors Henry Jr and Merte Goodwin.
Donna Porter was visited by R.W. Balke.

Ora Caldwell visitors were Charles and Jean Caldwell, Alta Benge, Mavice and Marshal
Campbell. Doc Martin visitors were Keith Martin, Debra Douglas, Celest Martin, Florreta Jones. Charlie Bruce visitors were Bargarel Simmons, Jimmy Eisenhower, Bruce, Karyn and Laine Kingsbery, Bessie Parish, R.W Moore, Marshall Campbell. Martin Wallace visiors were Wanda Wallace, Doc Skelton, Bessie Parish, Joe Wallace. Lessie Guyer visitors were Cleo
Newsom, Nellic Townend. Newsom, Neltic Cownsend.
Jack and Dora Sketion visitors Funeral Home

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May 5.7- Navasota Nostalgia Days,
Navasota. A return to the "good or
days' will feature tours of severt days" will feature tours of several
Victorian homes as well as the First Victorian homes as well as the Furst
Presbyerian Church of Navasota May 5.7 - 42 nd Jefferson Historical May 6. - Spring Pilgrimage of
Homes, rredericksburg. Say Happy
Birthdy Birthday to the towa of Freder-
icksbut icksburg and enjoy their Founder's
Day celebration and homes Day celebration and homes tour.
Festivities begin at 10 a.m. and will include craft exhibits, foods and music. The Spring Pilgrimage of Homes will take place, $2.5 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
Information available from the Gillespio County Historical Society, P.O. Box 765, Fredericksbug 788
(Anne Miller 512/997-2835)

John and Doris Skeloon visitors were David and Ronda Skelon, line and Harold Skelton, David Harrison, Cari Cifford, Dink Taylor, Barbara and Kim Gifford, Louis
and Eugenia Pittard, Elbert and Lil Ind Cugriton, Myrde Pepper, Annie Autery Jackson, Charlote Roberton, Paty Jackson, Pearl Springer, Avon Autrey, Arlene Au
Michell, George Harrington. Michell, George Harringlon, Millard Thomason visitors were
Margaret Bowman, Lucie Smith. Lougenia Tharp,
Lena Ingram vis
Lena Ingram visitors were Ester Jane Mankin, Era Lee Hanke, RW.

 man, Santa Anna High Schools: boys tennis doubles team will ad-
vance to the cary the SAHS radition to the state Tennis Toumey in Austin May 12-13, as the result of
their taking the second their taking the second place spot at
the regional meet last wrek in Abi the regional meet last weck in Abi-
lene. Bradley Wise and Dennis Ab lene. Bradey Wise and Dennis Ab
sher were winners of the third place match over Childress-Lawdermilk of Iron County. However, they will
not advance not advance to the state meet as
only the top two finalists advance. Coach Betty Coffee's doubles team defeated Davidson-Davidson of
Byers in the first round of regional row of Rotan play, $6.0,6$.2. In the quarterfinals
Elementary Honor Roll 5th Six Weeks
Tryouts were held recently to name cheerlead- right: Sandi Watson, Christie Beal, Tamica ers for Santa Anna Junior High for next
school year. Those chosen are from left to


Junior High Netters Place In Vistrict Compettion
Junior High tennis players placing in the re- Candi Daniel placed 2nd in girls singles, and cent district tennis tournament are pictured Lana Harvey 3rd in singles. Others competing above. There are, from the left: Mich Guthrie, from Santa Anna bur losing in the first round Adel DeLeon, Lana Harvey, Julie Dean, Glen were Bryce Ellis, boys singles; Rusty
Donham, and Candi Daniel. Dean and DeLeon Fleeman and Wesley Dockery, boys doubles; placed 3rd in the girls doubles event and Jeanie Patterson and Brandi Horner, girls Guthrie and Donham 2nd in the boys doubles. doubles.
(Staff Phoot)

## Boys Sprint Relay Team Qualifies For State Meet In Austin, May 12-13

Athletes representing 85 school 300 m HURDLES: Reece nie Kirven $3: 31.34$ in the prelims districts met at McMurry Indian Mclver-41.34 in prelims (new (new school record)
Stadium April 28-29, to compete school record). Scoty Herrod fin- the finals to finish Sh for the opportunity to advance to ished with a time of 43.65 . The Regional meet was won by the state track meet. Only the top $\quad 200 \mathrm{~m}$ DASH: Herbert Jackson Munday with 62 points. Rotan was
two finalists in each event may ad place with 60 , Roscoe wance to the state competition. The (25.30) vance to the state competition. The 1600 m RELAY: Jody Purcell,
Santa Anna High School 400 m relay team won second place and a
trip to Austin on May 12.13 Several local athletes gave indiSeveral local athletes gave indi-
vidual-best performances and some established new school records. The 400 m relay team, clocked at
43.59 in the prelims, man 4384 in 43.55 in the prelims, ran a 43.84 in place behind Rotan with a 43.49 piame. Relay team members are Bobby DeLeon, Lonnic Kirven, Jody Purcell, and Herbert Jackson.
The SAHS girls 400 m relay composed of Martha Frausio, Patricia Frausto, Selina Cook and Maria Moreno, did not place as Other events in which Santa Anna athetes compted were: 110m HURDLES: Mciver-5th place (15.98) (11.19)

400m DASH: Lonnie Kirven4th. Sel a new school record of 50.41 in the prelims and finished nals.
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Surve of High Achiever, which inctuded Surey yo High Achiver, which Amplided
uspenses from 2.000 of the nationt third with 44, Santa Anna and Perrin-Whitt tied for fourth place widh 30 each.


## WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST Scrambled eggs, biscuit and jelly, juice, milk.
LUNCH: Meat and spagheli, green beans, salad with dressing ake with icing, hot rolls, milk THURSDAY
BREAKFAST:
BREAKFAST,
milk.
LUNCH: Turkey pot pie, cheese
chunk, sweet potatoes, chery
dessert, hot rolls, milk. friday
RREAKFAST: Cereal, fruit,
milk.
UNCH: Selected by Mrs Cheaneys sccond grade class.
Hamburgers, tomatoes, letuce and pickles, French fries with



juice, milk
LUNCH: LUNCH: Ham and cheese
sandwiches, letuce, tomatoes, and pickles, pork and beans,
potato chips, cookies, milk.

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MONDAY
BREAKFAST: Cereal, fruit,
milk milk. brown gravy butised Steak with brown gravy, buttered rice, green
beans, frii, hot rolls, milk.
tuesday
BREAKFAST: Cinnamon toast,

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catiogs and sales niers. Maybe you ago and now by mail a while collection of clothing catalogs every week. It just goes to show finding likely buyers.
then 1 ask around, it's not hard to ind friends who like to shop
from home. But it' just as easy to find the ones who think "direct marketing" (as it's called) is nothing more than junk mail.
Some think their privacy is being Someded. Others just want to have a say in the kind of sales offers theyor their children - see. Either to do everything they can to pinpoint people who would be pinpoint people wroducts, and to avoid bothering those who aren't. IIfound myself wondering where to help them target mailings. How do they find us?
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In addiuon, credit bureaus and computerizms have huge. computerized fites of data collected
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(loan applications, etc.) or information about us that our creditors gave them. I found out these companies can't sell or even give away credit informaton ahout
us to just anyone who asks. Tt's as to just anyone who asks. Tt's
against the law. If must be


SAHS Citizen Of The Week Rachel Phillips has been named an ciazen High School. This young lady is a very well rounded person who takes the initiative to do
things she knows she ned to. She was the recipient of a scholarship totaling $\$ 600$ from the Coleman County Rotary Club for
her speech and was a regional her speech and was a regional Calculator, Accounting, Ready Writing and Editorial Writing.
IIt is a pleasure to recongize "It is a pleasure to recognize such a deserving student as Rachel for
Citizen of the Week,", states, Ms. Citizen of the Week," states, Ms.
Denning, counselor at Santa Ana High School. Rachel is the daughter of Mr and May 12 Is Last Day to Charge School Lunches The director of Food Scrvices fo the Santa Anna Schools has
announced the Friday, May 12 will be the last day that meals may be charged at the school cafeteria. After May 12 , meals must be paid
in advance or by the day. in advance or by the cay. All caferteria chatges must be
paid by the end of school.

If you're a male Texas resident between he ages or 21 and 45 and in work for five days on your county's oads. In 1876, the Texas legislature passed a law requiring gall men (except
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Earth:


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Candidates
Dickie Horne
to serve on the board because, "The
first and foremost reason is I am a parent who is concerned about the education of our children. As an educator, I have had the opportunity
of working in numerous school of working in numerous school experiences."
She sees the greatest need of the school district at this time is to survive and remain an institution of
primary and secondary education for our community. She adds that due to a decrease in our tax base, a very conservative approach is necessary
to insure that the school will be here for future generations. She states that the school is the hub of out community. "Therefore we must be very much aware of our
spending not just for today but also or the future.
The one particular thing she for all students to develop to their fullest potential, not only academicully, but also develop character the challenges of the future.

> Body Dean

Incumbent board member Roddy Dean is engaged in sales and farm-
ing. He and his wife, Debbie, both graduates of Santa Anna schools, are the parents of Jason, age 15, and Julie, age 14, both students in he Santa Anna ISD.
Roddy feels his past six years of fies him to once again be a candidate. He adds that he has lived here 11 his life and plans to remain here in the SAISD. T have been, and the quality of education our youth receive here in the local school disreceive
frit".
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When asked about what he feels the greatest need of the school o say, "I feel we have made very positive steps in the field of better education for the youth of the
SAISD and we need to see these SAISD and we need to see these
steps are maintained and upgraded. 1 also feel that we need to upgrade some of our school facilities and better maintain those we have. In the matter of education and school payer's dollar goes as far as possiOn the mater of what particular
beers hing he would like to see accomdished, he commented, "Although acceptable, I feel that we could inprove them even more. Also, I feel that the sports and music programs we have in our schools are a great ike to see the programs be better coordinated so that the students participating in them gain the degree of respect they deserve for their playing time.

Dickie Horne
Incumbent school bo Incumbent school board member ser. He and his wife, Gail are the parents of two daughters, Brand age 13, and Briana age 9. Both are He tents in the Santa Anna schools. He feels that the fact he is a parand the fact that he has served the past three years on the school board and is aware of the problems and needs of the school district, qualiperience will allow him to take a more objective stand on issues facing the school tr 'ry.
Honer sees Honer sees as e greatest need
of the school district today is the continued upgrading of all academic subjects to help students who plan to attend universities and trade schools.
The par
The particular thing he would
ike to see accomplished is that of "Achieving better communication between parents, faculty, adininisration and board members
Bill David Martin Bill Martin is seeking to retain the place on the school board to
which he was appointed when other member moved from the school district. One year remains on the unexpired term. He is a truck
driver for Mid-Texas Grain Bill and driver for Mid-Texas Grain. Bill and tors, Buffy, 6 , and Brandi, 10 , both of whom are students in SAISD. Martin feels he is qualified to be elected to the position since he had
previously served for a previously served for a number of
years before his appointment to his current position, and is well ac quainted with the need of the school, educationally as well as fit nancially.
Martin
school district at this need of school finance. He adds, "The trend to place more and more financial responsibility on local districts and
more slate mandated programs more state mandated program
without funding to pay for them will make it more difficult for the small school districts to survive. When asked what particular thing he would like to see accomplished, to see SAISD maintain and inprove the quality of education while keeping the district in a sound fir-
nancial condition

Marty Donham
Marty Donham is transportation and maintenance manager at Stem ale Manufacturing in Coleman. He sons, Glen, Nike, have three students at Santa Ana, school students at Stephen, 5 .
on the Santa Anna ISD to ard o trustees as he has agement position for 10 years with

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the responsibility of "maintaining a large plant facility very much like our school's facilities. But mos importantly I care about on schools, its students and educators and the growing importance of He secs the greatest need of th school district at this time is that of providing an equal educational op portunity for all students. He says, not being met, they are falling through the cracks in our educt tonal system and consequently are not receiving the education needed
to become a contributing part of to deco
society.
The
The particular thing he would like to see accomplished is that of making school an enjoyable envi-
ronment for students and teachers ronment for students and teachers,
without sacrificing the quality of education.

## R.E. (Eddie) Jones

Raymond Edward (Eddie) Jones, a candidate for the Santa Anna ISD board of trustees, is engaged in man County Deputy Sheriff, are the parents of three children who are students in the Santa Anta schools. Son Ray is a freshman student, and and 6 th grade students.
Jones feels he is qualified to serve as a member of the board since he has held managerial positions and has been in public relations for number, of years. He wall make a stand for what I believe is right"
When asked what he thinks is the greatest need of the school district at this time, he said, "I believe the
school board needs to take a more active part in the administration of school policies and positions." That is also the particular thing he would
like to see accomplished dig like to see accomplished during his
tenure on the board if elected.
Roy Joe Harvey
Roy Joe Harvey is a pharmacist, currently employed with Wing
Pharmacy in Brownwood and Pharmacy in Brownwood and
Phillips Drug in Santa Anna. He is Phillips Drug in Santa Anna. He i
also consultant pharmicist for three nursing homes. He and his wife Katy are the parents of a daughter Lana, who is a 7 th grader in Santa Anna Junior High
He attended San
for 12 bearded Santa Anna schools for 12 years, graduating from Santa
Anna High School in 1968 . He then attended North Texas State University for 3 years and graduate. from the University of Houston in
1974 with a Bachelor of Science degree in pharmacy. He has been emplyed the past 14 years as ares. istered pharmacist. Born and raised in Santa Anna, he has lived here all
of his life with the exception of the 6 years in college. 6 years in college. his educational High School Cheerleaders To Sponsor Funtier Day "Fun-Run" In conjunction with Funkier Day, planned by the Santa Anna High School cheerleaders. The course will start at the Telephone Cooperative parking lot and be up and down the residential streets to the west city
starting point.
Runners will compete in four categories for ribbons, with all the proceeds to benefit the cheerleader Entry fees are $\$ 3.00$ for runners in the 11-15 year group; 16-19; and 20 and above. Children 10 and under may compete in the race for $\$ 2.00$.
Although advance entries will be Although advance entries will be
helpful, runners may sign up at any helpful, runners may sign up at any
time prior to the race. Those competing will be back at the downtown area to enjoy the Funkier
Day events for te rest of te Day events for the rest of the day.
Runners or Runners or joggers are
encouraged to come take part in the run and aid the cheerleaders with their fund raising project.

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your skin with a good sunblock while yours relaxing on your tropical isle. Its also important to keep your skin
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ene, and his association with th taxpayers of the school district
qualify him as a candidate for the board of trustees.
He feels the greatest need of the schidual student the hight cal education possible. II feel a good basic education is essential to the future of this community, this state, and this nation. If elected to
the board of trustees I would nat every effort to work toward this every
goal.
In Pa
In Particular, he would like to see Santa Anna schools excell in al areas of academics, athletics, band
and UIIL. competition. "I would like to see this accomplished wit the prudent use of the taxpayer's money."

Gary Absher
Incumbent school board member Gary Absher is Postmaster of the
local post office. He and his wife Teresa are parents of two sons Toby and Dennis, ages 16 and 18 , Both are students at Santa Ann He feels he is qualified to be a school board member as he has completed one 3 -year term as a
Santa Anna ISD trustee He Santa Anna ISD trustee. He ex
plains that he meets the public daily and has good insight into the problems and needs of the parent and students.
When add
When addressing the matter of the greatest need of the school distric
at this time, Absher states that both the legislature and the annual audi tors have challenged every class room in Texas to make improve
meats in three areas - (1) To put mons in three areas - (1) To pu the first years of education, (2) To improve instructions to minority students, and (3) To establish honor
classes for excelling student. Hisses answer to the question what he would like to see accomphished is as follows: "Our educt ion programs and C.A.P. school is our greatest contribution toward
eliminating drop-outs. I would like to see us "press toward the mark" with our tax dollars now for these programs rather than pay the high cost of drop-outs later. Each drop-
out is a failure of our educational syst is a failure of our educational student:"
Older Texans To Be Recognized In May
AUSTIN. Texans over the age of
0 and the local senior activity centers which serve as the focus for many of their major life activities by the State of Texas. Separate proclamations signed his month by Gov. Bill Clements have declared May as Older Texans
Month and the week of May 14-20 Month and the week of May 14-20 May has also been designated as Older Americans Month by President George Bush.
Clements lauded senior centers seniors who need services such as meals, transportation, physical fitness programs, volunteer opportuThe governor also urged all old
The olive The governor also urged all older
Texans to visit senior centers in their communities and take part in their activities there.
The Texas Department on Aging 500 senior centers in of more than state. Seniors or others who want to find out more about these senior Aging may call the Department of

## Flick Jilive

Here's a surprising fact about
darts a bullseye isn't always darts: a bulls see int always,
the best score you can get While
playing the most common ta playing the most common darts
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ye and a steady hand begin with 501 point and attempt to reduce
their score to zero before their opponent. The key is the player must hit the double score ring
that reduces your score to exactly zero in order to win

## According to the American Darts Organization, over a mil-

 Darts Organization, over a mil-hon Americans play darts regu-
larry and opportunities to com pete are increasing. For instance,
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Gilbert (Bubba) Jones the school district at this time is Gilbert (Bubba) Jones, is em- school district. This includes parployed at Kohler in Brownwood in ens, teachers, administration, stuhe pottery division and is the father
$\qquad$ He feels he is qualified to serve on the school board as he has held jobs with supervisory positions
where he has had to make important decisions. He is willing to listen to parents, teachers, students, and to the administration and use the in formation gathered to make decisons.
Jones feels the greatest need of

## Funtier Day Events <br> Continued

> Dodson on the drums, at 4:00 Dodson on the drums, at $4: 00$.
The Park Board will be having a flea market and bingo games at the old tile plant building all day on Saturday and again Sunday after noon. Booth space is available by The Library Board will h book sale and interesting displays in the building just east of the bank. The Santa Anna Rodeo and play day in conjunction with Funplay day in conjunction with Fun-
tier Day. No admission fee will be charged. There will be an entry fee for participants. Spectators will seed to bring lawn chairs. The antique farm machinery show will be held on Saturday and SunThe group will be charging an admission fee of $\$ 1: 00$.

> FUSTIER DAY MAY 13

