

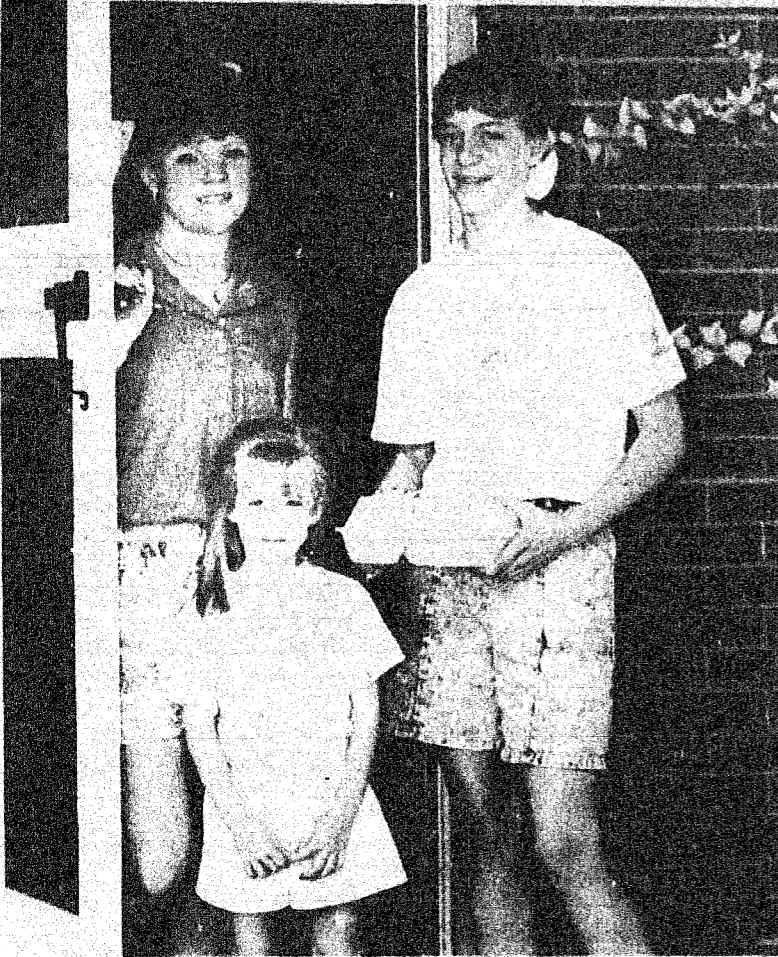
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A FINE WAY TO SPEND VACATION TIME:

Missy Bryce, Karen Lewis and Sabrina Martin, in the front, are shown as they recently delivered a meal to a participant of the Meals on Wheels Program. The two teenagers are members of the Acteens of First Baptist Church and took delivery of the meals as a project of community service during the week the picture was snapped. In Santa Anna you will find many such projects being taken by the young people in our community, just one of the reasons we can be justly proud of most of Santa Anna's young people. (Staff Photo)

Homecoming Set For October 27-28

Although we have mentioned the dates for this year's SAHS Ex-Students Association homecoming several times, we have been asked by some of our readers to keep reminding you.

Homecoming is planned for Friday and Saturday, October 27 and 28. It is a little later than usual this year, but by that time the weather will be just about perfect for such an occasion.

The usual round of activities are still in the planning stage and we will be letting you know as they develop. Classes or other groups

holding reunions at that time should let us know as soon as possible. We would like to print pictures and something specific about your class or organization as well as your reunion plans. Pictures will be returned to those loaning them to us.

Dickie Horner is president of the Ex-Student Association, Gay (Rutherford) Abernathy is 1st vice president, Eddie Jones, 2nd vice president, and Deborah (Aldridge) Long is secretary-treasurer. Roberta (Morgan) Tomlinson and Randy Brown are directors.

Family Tree Search Takes Couple To Germany

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When David and Margaret Karthouser mentioned in the spring they were going on a trip to Germany in search of the Karthouser family tree, I asked them to tell me all about it when they returned. The story was so fascinating, we decided to share it with our readers and they wrote the following account for us. Margaret is an old friend and school chum of this editor. The couple resides in Fort Worth, but owns a home in Santa Anna, where she was raised and graduated high school. Many readers know Margaret's mother, Mrs. Louise McCaughan of Santa Anna.)

by David & Margaret (McCaughan) Karthouser

During our trip to Scotland, Wales and England in the fall of 1988 (researching the McCaughan family history), we discussed how much we knew about Margaret's family ancestry and how little we knew about David's. We then determined that we should make an effort to start tracing David's ancestors. Starting on February 14, Margaret made her first trip to the Federal Records Building in Fort Worth with a friend who was also doing genealogical research. It was there while searching the 1900 census records we discovered that David's grandmother's name was

Martha, (we had named our youngest child Martha without knowing it was a family name), and that his grandfather's name was John, but could not decipher the middle initial. After many trips to the Federal Center and other sources, we still could not determine where in Germany that either grandparent had lived.

While in Pittsburgh, Penn. last fall, we had contacted an aunt who in turn directed us to one of David's first cousins. Delores was quite helpful but as the departure date for Germany drew near we had no better idea of where in Germany to start. So, in April, we made a panic trip back to Pittsburgh. We searched all the court records and some church records and found naturalization records and dates but still all we knew was that he came from somewhere in Germany. Delores and her brother took us to several cemeteries where family members were buried. From the tombstones, we verified the data we had learned from the Pennsylvania Historical Society. On the 1st day in Pittsburgh we were able to contact what appeared to be a third cousin who had her grandfather's naturalization papers. Her grandfather and David's grandfather were either brothers or cousins.

On our way to the airport to fly home, we stopped by her house. She had made copies of two docu-

Mountaineers To Have New Spirit Logo; You Can Name It

The Santa Anna Athletic Booster Club is announcing a "Name the Logo" contest. The old "Black Magic Country" theme will be replaced with something new and you are invited to be a part of changing the logo. In fact, you may well be the one who names a new spirit logo for the Santa Anna Mountaineers.

The rules of the contest are as follows:

School Board Accepts Two Resignations, Fills One Post

All members were present for the Santa Anna ISD Board of Trustees meeting last Thursday as school as were school administrators.

Accounts payable were the first item to be reviewed and approved for payment by the board.

A request was heard in favor of more Fridays off in the spring. Following some discussion it was decided by a 6-1 vote to leave the school calendar as is.

By a unanimous vote Mary Knox of Coleman was nominated to the Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) board of trustees.

The board spent some time in executive session discussing administrative salaries but no action was taken upon return to regular session.

The board voted unanimously to accept the resignations of Home Economics teacher Sharyl Fuller and band director Lonnie Baker.

Karen Burns, wife of Elementary

Farm Bureau Annual Ice Cream Supper In Coleman (Thurs)

The annual Coleman County Farm Bureau ice cream supper will be held Thursday night, July 27 at the Coleman City Park, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

All Farm Bureau members and their guests are invited to attend. Bring a cake or pie and come on out

(1) Entry fee is \$3.00 per person or \$5.00 per couple. The entry fee also pays a one year membership in the Booster Club. The one entry fee pays for as many entries as an individual or a couple wishes to enter in the contest.

(2) All entries must be in no later than 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 8. Boxes in which to deposit your entries will be placed at the Post Office, The Santa Anna News

office, and at Santa Anna National Bank.

(3) Artwork is helpful, but not required. Each entry or entries must be inclosed in an envelope with name, address and phone number of the person or couple entering, along with the appropriate entry fee. No Entry will be considered unless accompanied by an entry/membership fee.

(4) The person or couple entering the winning logo will receive \$25.00. Decision of the judges will be final. The winner will be announced at the Booster Club meeting, Thursday, August 10, at 7:00 p.m. in the varsity lounge, Perry Gym.

(5) Officers of the Booster Club and their families are not eligible.

Conditions Are Right For Grass Fires

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department, after not having to respond to a fire call for some time, were called out twice last week to put out grass fires. One was in the southwest part of town started when someone was burning trash and the fire got out of control and had to be put out by the fire department. The second was a grass fire on the Highway 67-84 right-of-way just east of Santa Anna.

and enjoy the fun. Farm Bureau board members will provide the ice cream.

Entertainment will be provided by Gene Christian and other members of the band. Bring your lawn chairs and come out to the Coleman City Park for an evening of fun.

frontages pastures and near railroads.

We are reminded that conditions

are such that grass fires are an eminent danger at this time. The high temperatures combined with the low humidity make for an ideal situation for grass fires.

Although the county received substantial rainfall this spring, the moisture is fast being sapped by the extremely high temperatures of late. Grasses are generally plentiful, but their blades are quickly becoming dry and susceptible points of fire ignition just waiting for a careless moment from humans.

Rural citizens are especially urged to be on the lookout for grass fire this time of year, in highway

frontages pastures and near railroads.

Trash and rubbish-burning fires such as was the case last week, are high on the list of being potentially dangerous when gotten out of hand.

Make sure conditions are right, and all precautions taken, before starting such a fire. Rubbish burning should take place in the early morning hours when the relative humidity is usually the highest of the day.

Anyone using controlled burns should notify the fire department of their plans before beginning the burn.

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Rae-Echo Homecoming Saturday In Coleman

The planning committee for the Rae-Echo homecoming met at the Echo Community Center on July 24 to finalize plans for the homecoming to be held in Coleman this Saturday at the National Guard Armory.

Registration will begin at 9:00 a.m. Lunch will be served from 11:30 to 1:00.

The oldest and the one who came the greatest distance will be recognized as well as ex-teachers.

South Side Cleanup Slated For Saturday

Saturday, July 29, is the date scheduled for the South Side cleanup.

Those residing on the south side of town will need to place their heavy trash near their normal garbage collection site for pickup by the city crew.

Only items that can not be picked up at regular garbage collection times should be placed out for pickup on that day.

If you have especially large or heavy items, please call City Hall before Saturday so arrangements may be made to haul off your heavy trash.



Margaret stands in front of the old Karthouser home in Germany. At the right is the barn area.

Homburg and twenty miles from Kassel. We felt this had to be it!

On May 23 we left DFW airport on AA flight 65 and flew to Frankfurt, armed with Valentine's German documents, the friend's map and a lot of hope and enthusiasm. The plane landed in Frankfurt at 7:00 a.m. on May 24. We left the airport at 9:00 a.m. after renting a car and making other

arrangements. By 10:00 a.m. it appeared David might be learning to drive on the Autobahns without being to much of a hazard. We drove directly to Volkershain, arriving about noon. We walked around the small village taking a few pictures and wondering if this really was the place. After not finding even one person to ask questions, we then drove the few

miles to Ramsfelt.

We stopped at the first building we saw. It was a nursing home. The person we met could not speak much English but directed us to the minister's home there in Ramsfelt. We found his house around one o'clock and introduced ourselves. Our first question was, "Do you speak much English?" His re-

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**City Employee
On Call This
Weekend**

Rusty Wells, City Superintendent, may be reached at 348-3681. The City crew member on call this weekend is Thomas Davis, who may be reached at 348-2306.

Watch the Santa Anna News each week for the City crew member on call in case of an emergency.

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FUNERALS

John W. Carrell

John W. Carrell passed away in Fresno, California, June 30, 1989. Private graveside services were held Wednesday, July 5, in Fresno at Wesley United Methodist Church with the Rev. Janet S. Everhart officiating. Interment was at Fresno Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Carrell was born January 2, 1909.

He is survived by his wife, Olivia Land Carrell of Fresno, who was born near Santa Anna and graduated Santa Anna High School in 1926 and later returned to teach until her marriage to Mr. Carrell.

**This Week
In History**

JULY 27—Atlantic Telegraph cable completed 1866.

JULY 28—World War One began.

JULY 29—Cape Cod Canal opened to traffic, 1914.

JULY 30—Jimmy Hoffa disappeared, 1975.

JULY 31—First U.S. patent issued, 1790.

AUGUST 1—Guam became a U.S. territory, 1950.

AUGUST 2—President Warren G. Harding died, 1923.

AUGUST FISHING DAYS

BEST: 15th, 16th, 18th, 19th, 26th, 27th. GOOD: 8th, 9th, 10th, 13th, 14th. FAIR: 4th, 5th, 22nd, 23rd. POOR: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 6th, 7th, 11th, 12th, 20th, 21st, 24th, 25th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st.

Friendship Luncheon

(Contributed)

Twenty-one was the number of participants who came to the friendship meal last Thursday. Marie Hellman, from the apartment complex was there after having not been there for a while.

The Rev. Don Elrod gave the blessing. Ray Owen volunteered to bring the meat dish for this week, Thursday, 27th. He did say it would not be fish.

All are invited to this gathering, so just bring a dish of food and join in the fun about noon Thursday at the Mountain City Community Center.

Madagascar is unmatched anywhere else in the world. International Wildlife magazine reports that more than 90 percent of the island's primates and reptiles are found nowhere else on earth.

**Dear
Editor**

Postmasters have a special affinity for the flag, they raise it every morning and lower it every evening. That ritual occurs in every community in the nation where there is a post office. More important than the ritual is the genuine respect that Postmasters have for what the flag represents. Many have honored it by shedding blood or losing loved ones who fought to protect what it represents.

Recently the Supreme Court of the United States declared that it was a constitutional right of dissent for a person or persons to desecrate our symbol of freedom and democracy. We find it impossible to accept that these learned men and women whose experience, education, and responsibility would allow them to make such a determination. And so we wonder, how could this happen?

Postmasters of course cannot accept such a decision. They do not look at this important issue in a vacuum. They see the evolution of a country in the stars and stripes, and they are mindful of the blood, the honor, the freedom, and the glory that it symbolizes.

We are cognizant that the right of dissent is one of those freedoms that makes our country great. We support freedom of speech and expression, even though we are prohibited in part from such activity because we are subject to the Hatch Act. But that symbol, what some call a piece of cloth with stars and stripes, has, over the years developed a soul and it is the soul of every American who respects what it represents.

Postmasters will never accept the desecration of our flag by anyone. If there are Americans out there willing to burn their flag, they have, from our perspective, repudiated their country. So we say to them quite bluntly,

GET THE HELL OUT.

National Postmasters Association
of The United States

**Mrs. Doug Taylor
To Be Feted With
Shower Aug. 3rd**

A shower to be held Thursday, Aug 3, at the Coleman County State Bank hospitality room will fete LeAnn Taylor, recent bride of Doug Taylor.

The party will be held from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited.

HAVE A
BIG TIME
IN TEXAS.

**Thoughts
From Our Pastors**

**John Howze
Full Gospel Fellowship
Pentecostal Church Of God**

HATE EVIL

Romans 12:9 (K.J.V.) "Abhor that which is evil; cleave to that which is good."

Webster says to abhor means, "to hate extremely or with contempt; to loath or detest"; and to cleave means, "to adhere; to be attached."

We are living in an age when it seems there is no dividing line between good and evil. In past years, we had a very clear view and put forth much effort to see that others knew the difference.

Many of our modern educators have gotten so far from the truth, they are teaching evil as though there is no difference. Young people in our school systems are often led to believe those old hatreds of sin are a bunch of lies, and God's word is only another book. We have come to believe there is no absolute truth concerning sin.

Most every church once hated sin, but many now explain away the things God hates. The Devil is using every means possible, in this last hour, before the end, to make us believe there is no wrong in anything, except what we convince ourselves is wrong. We've lost our convictions!

It is often said, "If it feels good, do it", but this very notion is carrying people into Hell. The Bible says that Hell has enlarged itself.

Filth on television has done more to destroy this hatred for sin than any one means. A dear friend recently wrote a song,

WE OWE A LOT TO HOLLYWOOD.

You've taught our children how to steal
And our young men how to kill;
You've taught us how to cheat,
And taught our girls to walk the street.

But one thing you didn't tell,
You were dragging us to Hell;
You made it look so good;
We've learned a lot from Hollywood.

There was a time when people knew the movie industry was corrupt, but now allow our children to desire to be like them. It has played on the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eye, and the pride of life, to sell us a bill of goods that God's word said would take us to Hell.

Those who profess Christianity are some of the worst, when it comes to loving those things which will destroy the soul of man.

Ministers, pastors, God will hold us accountable for soft soaking the gospel to build our numbers. The truth has not changed, we have allowed the devil to change God's truth into a lie, literally sending our people into Hell. We will be accountable at the judgement bar of God, for we will not see the judgement seat of Christ.

We must seek out the paths, like the Bible teaches, hating evil so vehemently, we'll return to the old time gospel of Jesus Christ. We must reprove sin, it is contrary to this world.

Those who accept these modern teachings will be cast headlong into hell, for their own fleshly desires. Psalm 9:17, "The wicked shall be turned into Hell and all nations that forget God".

Repentance is still the answer! God still forgives!

Around & About

A call to the News office from Marsha Pool assures us Emma Lee is doing much better, although still a patient at Children's Center Hospital in Fort Worth. The six-year-old underwent more heart surgery recently. Cards may be sent to Emma Lee and her parents in care of the hospital, 1935 Motor Street, Fort Worth, Tx 75235. Marsha also tells us that she and Randy have both accepted positions teaching in the Rockwall schools

where the family will be near Emma Lee's doctors and hospital.

Derriel and Polly Warnock were in Dallas and Fort Worth over the weekend to take in a Rangers baseball game, see the Ramses Exhibit and for Saturday night dinner at Eidelweise. They joined June and Rays Hawkins of Albany, Polly's sister and brother-in-law, for the weekend outing.

A Monday visitor in the News office was Dana Smith of Hale Center and her two small daughters Stephanie and Brittany. Mrs. Smith will be remembered here as Dana Turner, a former editor of the Santa Anna News. Dana is the daughter of Tex and Patsy Wright in whose home she is visiting during this week.

Library Notes
Check It Out

by Alice Anna Spillman

We need your opinion. Did you think the Summer Reading Program for the boys and girls has been a good one. If not — why? Can we improve? Tell us how.

The theme each year comes from Austin, but we can interpret it. We always need workers and would like you to help.

Please encourage all the boys and girls to come for the final program next Thursday, Aug. 3, at 9:30 a.m., Telephone Cooperative hospitality room.

By-the-way, another friend who wishes to remain anonymous has given a gift to the library building fund. Each gift encourages our efforts to renovate the building on Wallis Ave that will one day house the library. Did you know that \$50 will buy a florescent light fixture and we need at least eight.

**Birthdays
and
Anniversaries**

THURSDAY, JULY 27

James Brinson
Peter Martin
Greg Kirk
Wallace Collins III
Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Pierce *

FRIDAY, JULY 28

Ryne Charles Smith
Trey Watts
Mr. & Mrs. Glen Copeland *
Mr. & Mrs. Ollie Peacock *

SATURDAY, JULY 29

Frankie Matthews
Bobby Fenton
Joey Anderson
Glenn & Cynthia (Parker) Hancock *

SUNDAY, JULY 30

Armando Mata Sr.
Rondoe Smith
Mr. & Mrs. David Robinett *

MONDAY, JULY 31

Scotty Benjamin Montgomery
Dick Baugh
Mrs. Chick (Lela) Watson
Mr. & Mrs. Lyle Pearce *

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1

Charlotte Garrett Lamp
Armando Mata Jr.
Bo Morgan
Lin Wristen

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2

Eric Hosch
Mary Mata Rodriguez
Yolanda Kirven
Mr. & Mrs. Ed Hartman *

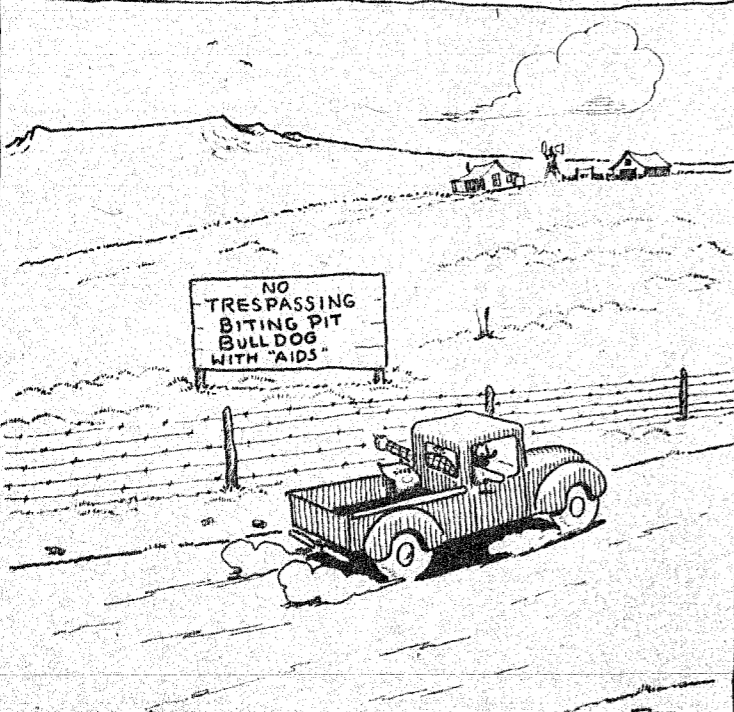
Stanly and Judy Hartman spent four days last week enjoying the cool mountain air of Ruidosa, New Mexico.

**LAST DAY WITHOUT A
TEXAS TRAFFIC FATALITY:
JANUARY 5, 1977**

About Letters To The Editor

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COWPOKES By Ace Reid




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to trespassers!"**

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CLARISSA HENDERSON

Club Calf Group Names Henderson Junior Director

For the second year in a row, the Texas Club Calf Association has elected Clarissa Henderson as one of its Junior Directors. The election was held during the Texas Belt Buckle Bonanza held July 1 thru 3, 1989, at the Will Rogers Livestock Arena in Fort Worth.

Two directors are chosen each year by association members to represent each of the 14 areas included in the association. Therefore, Clarissa is one out of 28 junior directors chosen for the state of Texas.

A Coleman High School FFA senior student, she is the daughter of Donnie and Chris Henderson of Coleman.

Other FFA members from Coleman attending the '89 Belt Buckle Bonanza were Jim Bob Edgington and Rodney Henderson.

Local People Honor Visitors

Thursday night July 20, 1989 Ralph and Lolita Lemes of Sun City, Arizona were honored with a gathering of Lolita's cousins at the Cupps Picnic Grounds on the Charlie Fleming Place. Lolita was the former Lolita Spencer.

Those attending were the honorees Ralph and Lolita Lemes of Sun City, Arizona, Darrell and Carrie Cupps of Bangs, Charlene and Jimmy Schulle of Bangs, Peggy Sikes of Bangs, Emil and Helen Williams, Casey and Evaline Herring, Rachael and Clara Cupps, Virgil Cupps, Byrdie Miller, Tex and Audrey Mae Wright, Norrell and Doris Parsons, Adolph and Doris Kelly, J. E. and Ovella Williams, Lucille Rushing and Charlie and Thelma Fleming.

Declaration's Signing

August 2 marks the anniversary of the actual signing of the Declaration of Independence in 1776. Although July 4, 1776, appears on the document and is generally held to be the date of the signing, members of the Continental Congress did not actually sign the Declaration of Independence until a month later. Even then, some members were unavailable and had to sign at a later date.

Only John Hancock, president of the Continental Congress, signed a copy of the Declaration of Independence on behalf of the entire Congress on July 4. **ll**

July 30 — 30th Annual Beachcombers Art Show, South Padre Island. Once again this popular event presents the works of over 100 artists. All painting media will be represented by artists from the southwestern United States and from the Republic of Mexico. Open free to the public. Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Isla Blanca State Park, Civic Center and Cabanas, on South Padre Island. Contact Harlingen Art Forum, P.O. Box 2672, Harlingen, Texas 78551-2672 (512/423-6707 or 423-6958)



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My Special Place To Begin 6th Year

When the doors open at My Special Place on Tuesday, September 5, it will be the beginning of its sixth year of offering quality learning experiences for the preschool children of our county.

This weekday preschool ministry of Coleman's First Christian Church has received recognition throughout the Big Country for the philosophy by which the school operates and the effective manner in which it facilitates individual growth.

Designed for 3, 4, and 5 year olds, MSP teaches a vast array of developmentally appropriate concepts and skills through the use of guided play experiences and activities.

"With the understanding that children learn through their senses (seeing, hearing, smelling, tasting and touching) and through movement," said Ernie Williams, Minister of the First Christian Church, "many interest learning centers are made available for the sensory

activities and to facilitate and expand the elements planned for each unit".

"We are very fortunate to have available again this year", he adds, "experienced teachers who can set the stage, provide the atmosphere, and the guidance for learning to take place. They will also be spending a good deal of time exposing the children to exciting uses of language, through books, stories, songs and conversation."

Joanie Williams will be returning as Director/Lead Teacher and Amber Dobbins will be assistant director and teacher. A third teacher is yet to be secured.

There are still spaces at MSP for all five days. Early registration is encouraged and advised. Information about the program and registration forms may be obtained by calling the First Christian Church (mornings) at 625-2642, Joanie Williams, 625-5545, or Amber Dobbins, 625-4031.

Postal Service Can Help With Consumer Complaints

SANTA ANNA — Complaints about unsatisfactory mail-order transactions continue to be resolved at a very high rate by the Postal Service's Consumer Complaint Program, according to Postmaster Gary Absher.

Last year the Inspection Service received over 50,000 mail-order complaints with an estimated loss to consumers of nearly \$4 million. Fortunately, inspectors were able to resolve the majority of these cases.

The Consumer Complaint Program began in July of 1974 to separate fraud and misrepresentation

complaints from those involving inefficient business practices on the part of mail-order companies. Complaints are often caused by a simple lack of communication between the consumer and the business.

"When an inquiry to my office indicates some basic lack of communication" Absher says, "an inspector contacts the firm on behalf of the consumer and asks for appropriate action."

Details of an unsatisfactory mail-order transaction will be forwarded to the Inspection Service, according to the postmaster.

Herring Family Gathers

On Saturday July 22, 1989 the Casey Herring family and friends gathered at the Cupps Picnic Grounds on the Charlie Fleming Place. They celebrated the birthdays of J. E. Williams, Casey Herring, Renee Elder and Clara Cupps—all who have their birthdays in the month of July.

Those attending were Bill and Jean Ash of Abilene, Ruth Manor of Brownwood, Renee and David Elder, Blair and Michael David of San Antonio, Pam and David Morgan, John and Josh of Stephenville, Red Cupps, Ethaleen Stewart, Imo Herring, Charlene and Jimmy Schulle, Dale and Carol Herring and Casey, Casey and Evaline Herring, Vera and C. E. Wise, Charlie and Thelma Fleming, Rachael and Clara Cupps, Ovella and J. E. Williams, Adolph and Doris Kelly and Snow and Sylvia Herring and Harmony.

Everyone enjoyed visiting and eating cake and ice cream.

July 27-29, Aug. 3-5, 10-12 — Aqua Festival, Austin. This event celebrates the best of Austin—great music, water and parks. Three weekends feature events for the entire family. More than 60 nationally and locally known musicians on three stages will entertain, while contestants of all ages and abilities compete in land and water events, including the state jet ski tournament. Sporting and cultural events will be held Saturdays and Sundays; festival night concerts will be held Thursday - Saturday. Plenty of food and refreshments. For schedule and information, contact Austin Aqua Festival, P.O. Box 1967, Austin, Texas 78767 (512/472-5664).



Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace D. Ross of Bangs announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Billie Diane, to Leslie Thomas McClatchy, son of Rev. and Mrs. Pat McClatchy of Clifton, (formerly of Brownwood and Coleman) on September 16 at 4 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Brownwood. Diane is a graduate of Bangs High School and is employed at Texas Bank and Connie's Fashions. Leslie is a graduate of Brownwood High School and is self-employed in farming and ranching. Friends are invited to share in this happy occasion.

Names Left Out In Report Of Birthday Celebration

In reporting the 90th birthday celebration of Mrs. Blanche Harris a couple of weeks ago, names of some attending were omitted. They were Howard and Sue McNeil of Plano and Don McNeil of El Paso.

Quote of the week.....When discussing the sometimes slow delivery of mail from out of town, one local gentleman remarked, "I am thoroughly convinced there is a lost Indian tribe out there somewhere just waiting to attack the pony as it gallops our direction".
He hastened to add he would not trade our postal system for that of any other country.

spotlight on health

Help Yourself, Have A Mammogram

If you are a woman 40 or older, you need to have a screening mammogram.

For the first time, the American Cancer Society, the American College of Radiology, the American Medical Association and other major health organizations have reached an agreement on mammography screening. Experts now agree that women ages 40 to 50 without symptoms should have an annual clinical exam with screening mammography performed every one to two years. Women over 50 should have a clinical exam and a mammogram annually.

If you are a woman with symptoms or a family history of breast cancer, you should talk to your doctor now about having a mammogram.

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Report From Havens Cowboy Camp Meeting

by Carrie Howard

This the 23rd Cowboy Camp Meeting was somewhat different because Founder and Director of the preceding 22 years was not present having gone on to be with his Lord, October 26, 1988. Bro. Bobby McMeens, Founder and Director of the Christian Corral Ranch in New Braunfels and long-time friend of Havens has been named Camp Director.

The Aquila and Priscilla Tent Company of Waco, owned and operated by Charlie Rogers had the big vinyl tent up early in the week and a smaller tent for the chuck wagon.

Several campers and friends joined Mrs. Havens and Bro. Bobby about two weeks before the meeting to get things in order. Several boys from the Christian Corral Ranch were there cleaning the grounds, getting the wagons out and many other things. Mr. Grady Clark and Ed Goode from the Ranch were there to enlarge the kitchen area, getting in another sink, cabinets and storage space. New lenolium was given by Mr. Ross Kelly of Santa Anna to cover the kitchen area.

During the week they got Bro. George's monument up. First Sunday morning Bro. Charlie Rogers had the service and on Sunday night Bro. Jack Pediford directed the service honoring Bro. George. He had tapes and video of the work around the camp and testimony of Bro. George on cassette. In speaking of the Camp this year, Miss Lucy said: "The Camp was very successful with many campers; good services, with 11 or 12 being saved."

She estimated an approximate average of 60 campers.

Several newspapers in the surrounding area before the meeting commenced had something in their paper about the Camp Meeting. Some of the people in their area were in attendance and there was a good crowd from Winters several nights.

At the bonfire on Tuesday night, Reporter Will Blacklock from the Abilene Reporter News was there getting the news and story of the

Again this year good singers and musicians were here to sing and play their musical instruments. Mr. Thurman Justus and wife Cleo who played the musical instruments last year did not get to be with us this year due to Mr. Justus' health. Bill Thompson and wife Jan from Marlow, Oklahoma were here a few days. They were here last year for the first time. The group from Christian Corral Ranch; Bro. Bobby and Margie; Mr. Friday Couch from Abilene was here one night with a quartet. Buddy Lee was there to play his harmonica. Don Harnes from Coleman was there on Wednesday night to pick his guitar and sing. There would be others that I do not know of.

Preachers this year included: Bro. Charlie Rogers, Waco; Bro. Buck Hatfield, Snyder; Bro. Jack Pediford, Dallas; Dr. Rick Ingle, Denton; Dr. Joe Price, Dallas. On the last Saturday night, Bro. Billy Ford, Pastor of First Nazarine Church of Brownwood had the service. He was Or. Marvin Sheffield's pastor. Bro. Marvin (as his friends knew him) has been in attendance at the Camp Meeting through all the years and preaching once or twice during the week. Bro. Marvin had

many friends here in Coleman County, having pastored the Congregational Methodist Church at Gouldbusk for many years. Bro. Marvin, like Bro. George went on to be with his Lord a short time ago. Bro. Marvin and wife Sister Maggie were missed this year by their many friends.

Mr. Sam Hays from Lohn was here and cooked the barbecue on open fire with mesquite wood. Mr. Richard Newsom from Early cooked the sour dough bread.

David Lynn Robertson from Merkle told Miss Lucy that he was here in 1981 with a friend and they had their horses and bed roll with them. Some in attendance this year included: Sarah Graham and two nephews Sam and Jason King, from Medina. Sarah was in the kitchen cooking, planning meals and many other things. Sarah has been here through the years in the kitchen; Raymond and Dorothy Sjolander, Huffman, Tx.; Jim and agnes Hinchliff, Odessa. The Hinchliff's are regular attendants at the camp Meeting and this year Mr. Roy Johnson and wife from Odessa were here for the first time with the Hinchliff's. Don and Ruth Stender, Tulsa, Okla. Mr. & Mrs. Melvin Tyler, Oklahoma City. Robert and Iva Smith, Mission, Tx.; Samuel Hays, Lohn; Ora Beth Keene, Beaumont, Tx.;

J. W. and Earl Lane, Odem, Tx. Larry Sinclair and wife Fredia, Fairfield, Tx. Mr. Sinclair is a ventriloquist and entertained the children a short time in the evening service and telling them a Bible story. Joe Justice and wife Dina with their children from Hobert, Okla. They have been attending the Camp Meeting many years. Their children include Danette; Andy; Dana; Mary Dina; Jonathan; Daisia and Derienne. Bro. Jack Pediford and wife Charlotte from Dallas. Some of their children including Sydney Lynn; Mrs. Irene Bradford and children Kristine and Keri. Suzanne McMeens, Arlington; Jimmy Williams, wife Madonna and daughter Dalessa, Argyle, Tx.; James and Betty Murry, Maybank, Tx.; Richard Newsom, Gina L. Fite, Dallas; Leroy and Linda Neinhorn, Moscow, Tx.; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Mosley, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lee, DeSota; John and

Laura Beth Harris, Waco; Janelle Rogers, Waco; Paul and Joyce DuCain, Rye, Tx. Dr. Joe Price and wife, Dallas; Bill and Jan Thompson, Marlow, Okla. Dr. Rick Ingle and wife, Denton; Sue and Stan Williams, Justin, Tx.; Lorenza Franklin, Holdenville, Okla. Mr and Mrs. Marshall Barnett and family, Texarkana, Ark.; Mr. R.C. Matlock, Ingleside, Tx. J.D. Havens and wife, Goldthwaite.

Some coming with Bro. Bobby and Margie from the Ranch would be some named above: Mr. Grady Clark and Ed Goode enlarging the kitchen along with their family. Charlie Sullivan. There would be other young people from the Ranch that I do not have their names.

This year we missed Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Doty and wife Hazel from Homer, La. They have attended the meeting many years, but due to Mr. Doty's health could not get here this year.

Memories From My Scrapbook

"My Hometown—Rockwood"....March 4, 1957

by Gladys Hunter

Mr. R.L. (Bob) Steward doesn't drive a shiny new car, but, seldom a day passes that he isn't at the home of some of our shut-in friends, who eagerly look forward to his visits.

"Mr. Bob" isn't so young himself. he was born in Butler County, Mo., October 16, 1870. With his family he came to Texas in 1882 and to this community in 1888, settling where Dr. W.G. Williams no lives. He recalls some of the early settlers as M. L. McFarlin, J.R. Shelton, Ed Oliver, D.B. Knight, Leo Harrison, J.W. Staten, J.B. Reeves, Tom Johnson over on Home Creek, The Brannon Ranch down by the River.

He remembers that someone would go to Trickham each week and bring the mail in a sack tied to the saddle. Later the mail was carried in a two-wheel cart from Santa Anna to Brady, going one day and back the next.

The name Discord was given the community when the first Post Office was opened in the home of Mrs. W.L. Faulk near the present school. The second Postmaster, J.A. Woods, had it in the corner of his home, the site of the M.D. Bryan home.

Every year thousands of babies die of choking, suffocating or other breathing emergencies. Don't let yours be one of them.



IF ONLY THEY CAME WITH INSTRUCTIONS.

American Red Cross

Hendersons Gather For 27th Reunion

(Contributed)

The descendants of the late Markham and Rosa Henderson met July 14-15-16th for their annual reunion, which took place in Abilene at the Embassy Suites with 60 family members and 2 visitors attending.

Those present were Hilburn and Leona Henderson of Santa Anna, their children, Brent, Naoma, Wesley and Ted Nichols of Dallas, Donnie, Chris, Clarissa, Rodney and Candice Henderson of Coleman; Wayne and Ruth Whitley, their children Don, Sheren and Daren Childs all of San Angelo.

Ray and Jodie Henderson of Ozona, their children Nikki and Mitzi Dunn, Sabrina, Amy and Rayonna Easterwood of Lamesa, Mike and Melissa Gustin of San Angelo,

Roy and Betty Henderson of Midland, Dona Mattox of Albuquerque, N.M., and Sharlett Henderson of Lubbock.

Tom and Wanda Johnson, Fred and Ruby Henderson, Kenneth, Jeanne and Shawana Henderson, Jeff, Joyce, and Colley Henderson, Chryl, Dustin and Travis Zeigenbein, Steve, Kathy and Amy Henderson, Gary and Chris, all of Odessa.

Gordon, Denice and Crystal Peppard, Mike Henderson of Austin, Tommy and Krystin Johnson of Oklahoma City, Ronnie, Candace and Joey Henderson of Plano.

The group enjoyed picnicking, dominoes, chicken foot, swimming and lots of visiting and on Saturday afternoon having an early dinner at Zentner's Daughters and then picture taking time. Everyone had a real good time.

Gas Grill Cooking Tips

The natural gas grill provides dependable outdoor cooking with a convenient fuel supply. The American Gas Association recommends these energy saving tips when using a gas grill:

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- Prepare slow cooking foods on the grill to keep heat out of the kitchen and to save on air conditioning.
- Cook several foods or entire meals at one time on the grill.
- Cook a full grill of steaks or burgers.
- Thaw frozen foods before grilling unless otherwise directed.
- Use a thermometer or timer to eliminate overcooking and guesswork.
- Keep "burn-off" cleaning time to a minimum.
- Keep grill clean and properly maintained.



Three Seconds to Save a Life

Take a moment to think...how much time does it take to buckle your seatbelt? Now compare that to the years often spent rehabilitating head-injured individuals who must struggle to regain the skills they have lost in an automobile accident. Skills such as brushing their teeth and feeding themselves, skills you and I simply take for granted.

"Buckle up" becomes almost cliché," says Dr. Alton Hodges, Regional Director for New Medico Head Injury System. "But the few seconds it takes to buckle up is such a small price to pay. Everyday I see the struggle a person must go through in order to regain skills they've lost; I see them trying to piece their lives back together after a serious car accident. It could have been prevented."

Most of us know that every day, hundreds of deaths occur in automobile accidents; thousands of people are seriously disabled as a result of unsafe car design, careless drivers and improper use of child safety seats. But do we ever take the time to think that we can prevent these numbers from growing? Most people don't realize the high risk they take when they sit behind the wheel of a car and don't know the facts.

According to the National Head Injury Foundation, approximately 250,000 people will sustain a severe head injury in car accidents this year, 70-90,000 persons will lapse into coma and more than 140,000 Americans will die as a result of head injur-

ies. Now, isn't it worth your time to think?

Before you operate a motor vehicle, follow these preventative tips:

- Insist that everyone in your automobile wears their seatbelt.
- Carefully read the instructions on your child's car safety seat — some seats are designed only for backseat transportation.
- Know the laws in your area — each state differs in the use of seatbelts and the fines for those who don't obey the law.
- More accidents occur when speeding is involved; drive the posted speed limit.
- Demonstrate good driving skills when operating your automobile — remember, someday your children will be behind the wheel, and they will imitate your driving habits.
- Use caution and common sense whenever you operate or are a passenger in a motor vehicle: wear your seatbelt. Make the roads a safe place.

The professionals at the New Medico Head Injury System urge you to use these car safety tips. They are available to provide you with more information on head injury and head injury rehabilitation, if you call the New Medico Head Injury System at 1-800-CARE-TBI ext. 3071. Think twice and buckle up...it only takes 3 seconds.

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THE NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE.

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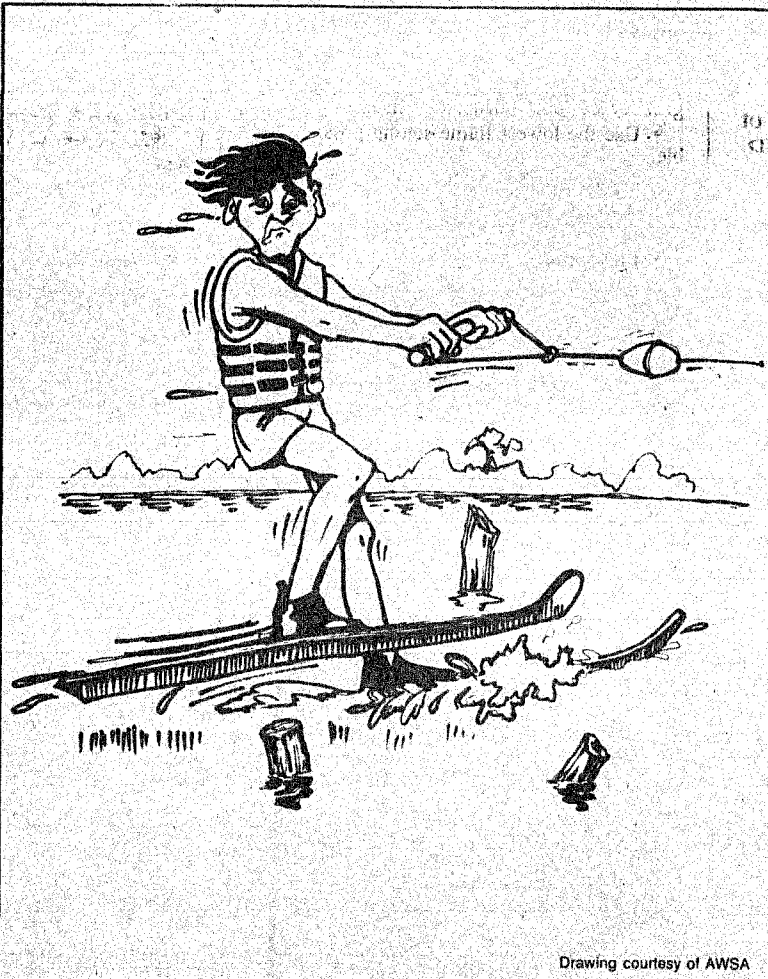
NATION'S DEFENSE. THAT'S IMPORTANT.

TO ALL OF US.





CREATURE FEATURE pictures were once again snapped by Mitch Guthrie and Glen Donham, the official photographers of the library's summer reading program. In the top picture, children are entranced with "Dingbat" the parrot, who visited last Thursday. Below, a couple participants in the program clown around with bird feathers they were given during the program on Feathered Creatures. The final program next week will find the boys and girls creating their own creatures. (Photos by Guthrie and Donham)



Skiers need a minimum of five feet deep water for safe skiing. Many impoundments have covered former forested areas where tree stumps lurk beneath the surface.

Summer Reading Group Studies Feathered Creatures

by Alice Anna Spillman

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Christopher of Bangs told the boys and girls attending last weeks "Creature Feature" at the Library Summer Reading Program gathering how to be entertained at no expense. Arise early, go outside and listen and watch the birds.

There are many different kinds here. Over a period of time you can watch them meet, find a mate and raise a family. Invest a small amount of money and buy a hummingbird feeder. Be committed to keeping the feeder supplied with sugar or honey, and water. Once you begin don't stop because young bird may die of hunger. Imogene Powers said her hummingbirds would surround her and even investigate an ear when she changes the feeder.

Other things to watch about are: Don't allow plastic or nylon strings in the yard as they can be harmful to the birds.

Never spray strong insecticides on plants near where bird feed or land.

Don't shoot birds—they are God's creatures too. Even vultures serve a purpose...cleaning up.

If you have an inside pet, never

use hair spray in the room where your pet is. I could kill your bird.

Boys and girls could probably buy a young bird for \$15, but they can cost thousands!

If you want to teach a bird to talk, first make friends then go into a dark room (so you will have his complete attention). Repeat the words over and overs again.

The Christophers brought their pet, a grey parrot named "Dingbat". He stole the show by flying free, walking upside down with his bill, but he could not be convinced to talk for the children. Seemed there was too much going on. He likes to talk when things are peaceful.

Each child attending received brightly colored feathers. Several groups drew and colored pictures of birds and had stories about bird friends.

The final meeting of the summer reading program will be Thursday, August 3 at 9:30. The children who have participated must turn in their book records at the beginning of the program. Volunteers will check them and attach ribbons earned. These will be handed out and the children will create a creature. There will also be refreshments.

AGRICULTURAL MILESTONES

TODAY'S BUYER of feed or fertilizer in Texas is confident that the contents in the bag will match the contents listing on the bag. It wasn't always this way. At the turn of the century, claims of the value of both feed and fertilizer offered for sale were frequently at wide variance with their true value.

A part of this was ignorance but much of it was fraud. To protect consumers, the Texas Legislature passed a law in 1899 governing the sale of fertilizers and poisonous insecticides in the State, and made the Professor of Chemistry of the Agricultural and Mechanical College (Agricultural Experiment Station Chemist) responsible for fixing a valuation for both fertilizers and poisons.

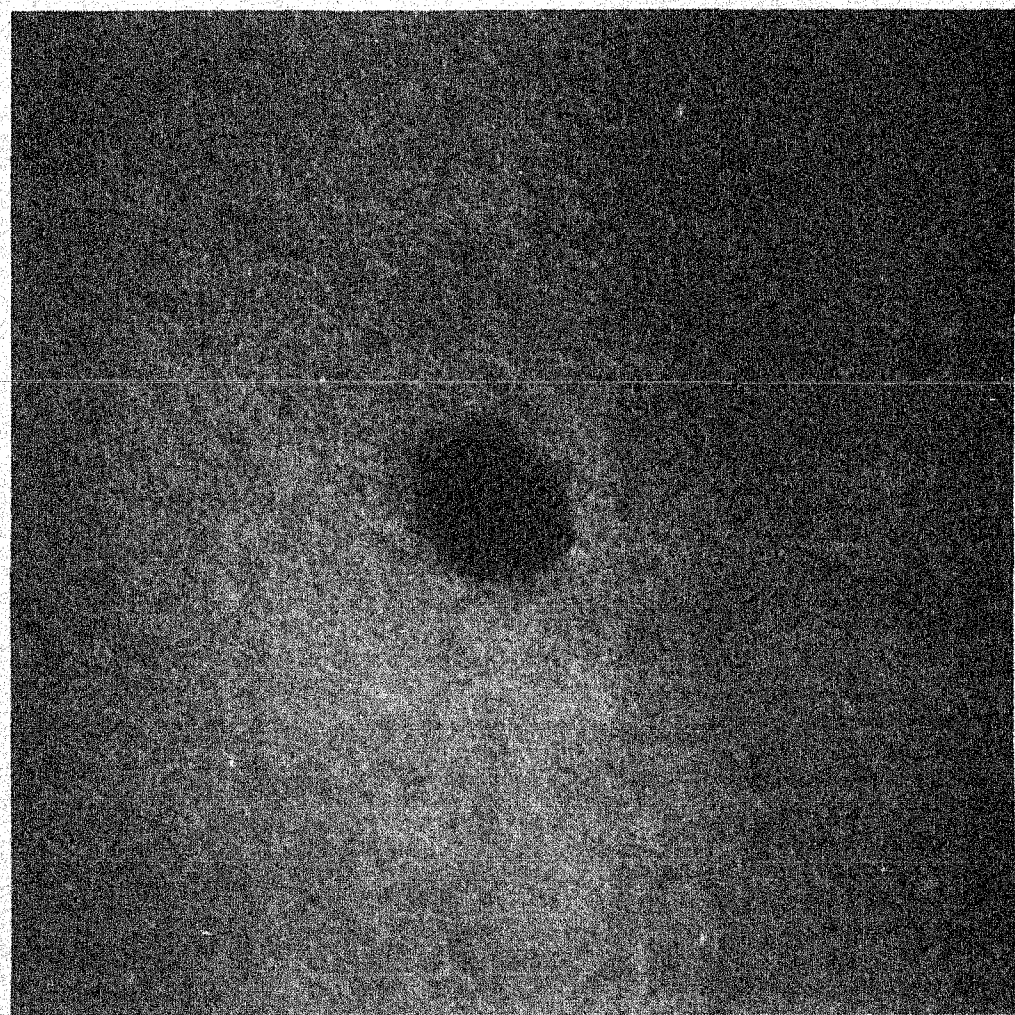
In 1905, another law was passed adding concentrated commercial feeds to the consumer goods that must be tested and supervised for quality assurance by Experiment Station staff. The Experiment Station Director was made responsible for supervision, with the State Chemist, a member of the Experiment Station staff, responsible for testing and enforcement.

Today, the Station Director is still responsible for quality control of feeds and fertilizer, whether it is a box of birdseed or a boxcar load of feed, a package of fertilizer for African violets or a trainload of fertilizer for thousands of acres.

However, the regulation of the sale and use of poisonous insecticides was transferred to the State Department of Agriculture in the 1940s while the State Chemist's laboratories continued to analyze samples of insecticides for the Department for another 30 years.

Texas Agricultural Experiment Station

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most common form of cancer. And don't get burned.



OUR HERITAGE

Visiting Presidential Homes

After commemorating the nation's birthday in July, many families may choose to continue their celebration of American history by visiting homes of past U.S. presidents. Our presidents have hailed from the plains of Texas to the luxury of Hyde Park, N.Y.

Located in Stonewall, Texas, an hour's drive from San Antonio or Austin, is the Lyndon B. Johnson State Historical Park. A park tour includes stops at the school where the 36th president was educated, Johnson's reconstructed birthplace, his final resting place, his grandparents' home and the church he attended.

A charming and unpretentious country house, the Texas White House also is located in the park. The late president's widow, Ladybird Johnson, still lives there. And a drive through the LBJ ranch reveals cattle being raised and crops being grown in the fields.

Midway between New York City and Albany, the home of the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt sits majestically on bluffs overlooking the Hudson River, just south of Hyde Park. The home was built around 1826 and is surrounded by 200 acres of fields and woodland. Roosevelt's father bought the house in 1867 and remodeled it in 1915.

Visitors to Roosevelt's home can view the room where Roosevelt's famous radio "Fireside Chats" originated. Visitors also can see the first presidential library and museum, adjacent to the home. Both President Roosevelt and his wife Eleanor are buried in the Rose Garden on the grounds. An 8-foot block of white marble marks their resting place.

Just three miles south of Hodgenville, Ky., is the site of the Lincoln Homestead State Park, honoring the birthplace of former President Abraham Lincoln. On the homestead stands the one-room log cabin where Lincoln was born Feb. 12, 1809. The homestead is located on 348 acres named Sinking Spring Farm for the deep rocky spring that provided the farm with fresh water.

Visitors to Sinking Spring Farm can see the family Bible and view a short film on Lincoln's life in Kentucky. Also, surrounding the farm are rail fences — appropriate for a memorial to the "Rail Splitter," as Lincoln was known during the 1860 presidential campaign and thereafter.

Many visitors of presidential homes find themselves at the lush, rolling green fields of George Washington's Mount Vernon plantation on the Potomac River in northern Virginia. Located a few miles from the nation's capital, Mount Vernon is a picturesque representation of the 18th century. The majority of the mansion was built in 1735 by Washington's father, Augustine, and was later enlarged by Washington when he made it his permanent residence in 1754. A total of 14 rooms are open to visitors, featuring several original furnishings.

Mount Vernon's grounds also have been restored to recreate the Colonial period. Outside buildings show where wool and flax fibers were grown and spun into cloth, where the family's laundry was washed and ironed and where meats were cured. Mount Vernon's gardens boast a wide variety of flowers and vegetables typical of the 18th century.

For more information on historic presidential homes that are part of the National Park Service, please write the Public Affairs Office, National Park Service, Washington, D.C. 20013.

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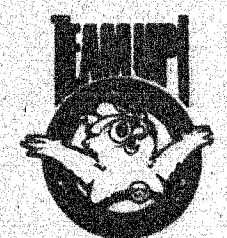
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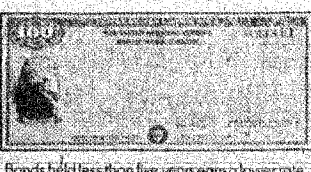


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Trickham News

By Anna York

The 84 party met at the community center on Thursday night for their weekly get-together with 20 present. Hostess was Mrs. Eugenia McIver.

Mrs. Earlene Dockery and Wesley and Mrs. Tonya DeLeon and children of Santa Anna spent three days at Ozona last week on a little rest vacation.

Mrs. Annie Lou Vaughn joined Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Woods of Bangs early Friday morning and they drove over to Duncanville where they spent the day and night with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and Bruce. Mrs. Marjorie Sullivan of Bandera visited Mrs. Vaughn on Tuesday.

Mrs. Gertrude Martin had a slumber party for her great-granddaughters Thursday night. Those present were Tiffany Snow, Brandi and Buffy Martin, Sabrina Martin, Sarah and Lara Meckfussel, Ryan Snow, Jheti Nelson and Nicholas Driehofer enjoyed supper with the group and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin.

Teddy Nicholas of Dallas and Rodney Henderson of Coleman spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P.H. Henderson. Mrs. Daisy McClatchy and Candice Henderson visited one day.

The bridge club met at the home of Annie Lou Vaughn Wednesday afternoon. There were six ladies present.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver of Katy and Terry McIver of Santa Anna visited on Saturday with the boy's mother, Mrs. Eugenia McIver.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie York of Ozona visited with Nikki and I on Monday. They were on their way home after visiting friends in Belton over the weekend. Donnie and Sherry, along with Billy Don and Carol Haynes of Hermleigh spent a couple of weeks sightseeing in Tuscon, Ariz., and at Ruidosa N.M. While in Tuscon the temperature was 113 which I thought was terri-

ble, but they said it didn't bother them as much as it did here because we had the high humidity. Well, as the old saying goes, if you don't like Texas weather, just hang around q while. It will change. It has been cooler, which is nice.

Amy Beal of Santa Anna spent Thursday night with her grandmother, Mrs. Rankin McIver and Mr. McIver. Then Christi and Brent Beal spent the night Friday with them. Saturday, Mrs. McIver and Mrs. Terry McIver and children ate out at lunchtime then Saturday night Rankin and Natalie visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blake.

Mrs. Annie Lou Vaughn and Mrs. Gertrude Martin visited on Tuesday with Mrs. Mary Boenicke at Twilight Nursing Home in Bangs and found her to be feeling much better.

Mrs. Alice Wells and granddaughter Jennifer Kirkpatrick of Coleman spent the day Sunday with her mother Mrs. Florence Stearns.

Mrs. Novella Stearns spent the weekend in Austin visiting her grandson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Stearns.

We are happy to report Mrs. Carrie Stacy who broke her hip two weeks ago, had surgery on Tuesday and came through it fine and is reported to be doing great. Here's hoping she will soon be well.

Mrs. Russic James and Mrs. Roberta McShan and Chase McShan attended the wedding of Tom Cole at Calvary Baptist Church in Brownwood Friday night. He is the grandson of Mrs. Yctive Cole and the late Tom Cole.

James McSwain of Coleman visited with his grandmother Mrs. Gertrude Martin Sunday afternoon and took her out to eat. Later they visited awhile with Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin.

If you have any news, call me. When I call you, and can't get you, then your news goes in the next week. If you have something that is interesting or exciting, lets have it.

Family Tree

Continued

ply was, as most Germans, "A little." His "little" was very scholarly and fluent. We showed him Valentine's confirmation papers and explained this might be a great uncle. By three o'clock, Herr Hohaus had written David's family tree starting with his grandfather John Nicholas Karthouser back four generations on the Karthouser side. He also gave us the location of the church that would have the great grandmother's records and another church to try to extend the Karthouser line further back. David and Margaret sat there most of the time in awe while Herr Hohaus was writing the family tree and making copies of the entries in the church record books. Evidently the church was the center of their lives. These well kept records were very well preserved and contained all of life's important events, births, marriages and deaths. The records had been written and dated back to about 1650.

One could imagine how we felt, considering the advice that we had received from professional and amateur genealogists, that it may take years to find one generation. As we left that afternoon around three o'clock we were somewhat in shock since we had exceeded even our wildest dreams.

We spent the next two days visiting all the little towns around Volkershain and gaining more information. We visited with a possible fifth cousin or two. We also found the records tracing David's grandmother back four generations with the help of these cousins. After stopping by the bugermiester (the mayor), we found records that told us the location of the house where David's grandfather and probably the other four generations lived. We could not go inside but took pictures of the house and grounds. Another high point was to find a man in his 80's that the bugermiester said might know the Karthousers. When we talked to him, he jumped up and down and said, in German, "My grandmother was a Karthouser!" We believe his

grandmother was a cousin of David's great grandfather and lived next door to him.

Another high point was to visit the vineyard named Karthouserkof which was situated along the Mosel River. There, for centuries, they have bottled a Reising wine. The records we have been able to

discover is that the vineyard was run by an order of Monks. It would be interesting to see how David's family and the vineyard derived their name.

After doing so much in such little time, we then had lots of time left to visit our friends there and to sightsee. Our only disappointment on the trip was in Hamburg. After carefully planning to arrive in Hamburg to visit the historic Emigration Office the one day during our stay it would be open, we found to our dismay, they were closed on this particular Tuesday, the only Tuesday of the year they are closed! This was the only place we knew we might be able to get a clue of where David's grandmother came from in Germany. So, that will have to be another trip. We were looking for an excuse to go again, anyway!

Another thing we found out in Germany, we saw very few cemeteries. We found that you can only lease a space for twenty-five years, with the option of renewing the lease. Usually, the plot goes back to be leased again, so old cemeteries will not have the old headstones we have in our country.

Here are some thoughts about the trip. When you are traveling, as we were, it would help if you could speak the language. Also, if you are doing genealogical research, it is best to have relatives with very uncommon names like Karthouser and Zinngarbe. The friendliness and respect we received from everyone made our visit extremely pleasurable. The absence of litter and the cleanliness of private homes, public places, parks and roadways, shows the pride the entire country of Germany seems to have. And after driving the autobahns, at what we felt we would think was an excessive speed here in the States, it seemed very safe and comfortable. It also seemed everyone knew the rules and it was if everyone was driving in formation. There were rules and everyone seemed to obey them.

Paying their own way: In Rwanda, Africa, foreign tourists are going ape over a unique sightseeing safari. They are paying more than 100 dollars per person for the privilege of trekking deep into the bush to spend an hour with the world's last tribe of wild mountain gorillas. International Wildlife magazine reports the monies raised by these excursions helps preserve the gorilla's fragile habitat and protect the big primates from poachers. The success of the project has spurred efforts to save other threatened species by opening up their habitats for a fee.

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

The Cooper reunion will be Sunday, July 30 at the Dunn Community Center between Colorado City and Snyder. After lunch a birthday party will be at the same place for Louise (Cooper) Davis on her 80th birthday. Nothing would please Louise more than for all the folks here to be present. Remember, you are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Amon Otts attended a roping in Odessa Saturday reporting a very enjoyable day. Amon's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cain and son Christopher met them in Odessa and Christopher returned home with them for a two week visit.

Mr. Buddy Lovelady, a cousin of Darwin Lovelady and the son of the late dr. and Mrs. Lovelady of Austin visited with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady Monday morning.

Mr. Floyd Morris and son John David Morris were transacting business in Coleman Wednesday morning. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. William Perkins, a brother of Mrs. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Euwell Wilson of Springtown and Mr. and Mrs. Len Mills of Fort Worth visited a while Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady. The ladies are the daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelady.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris were in Kerrville last Tuesday for Mr. Morris to see his doctor at the veteran's Hospital there. He has an appointment to be back at the hospital Monday morning July 31. At this time he does not know if he will be a patient there a few days.

My granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert and Christi Gartman of La-

Grange came and was with me until Sunday afternoon. Others with me during the time were Hilary Rutherford of Coleman, Loyd Rutherford and son Todd. Robert and Christy visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford in Coleman and with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Boatright and girls in Brownwood. The family celebrated Hilary's birthday Friday night.

Mrs. Amon Otts and Yancy and Mrs. Otts' mother, Mrs. Billy Griffin were in Abilene on Wednesday shopping.

Yancy Otts spent Thursday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon and Billy Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper of Rockwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady Saturday afternoon.

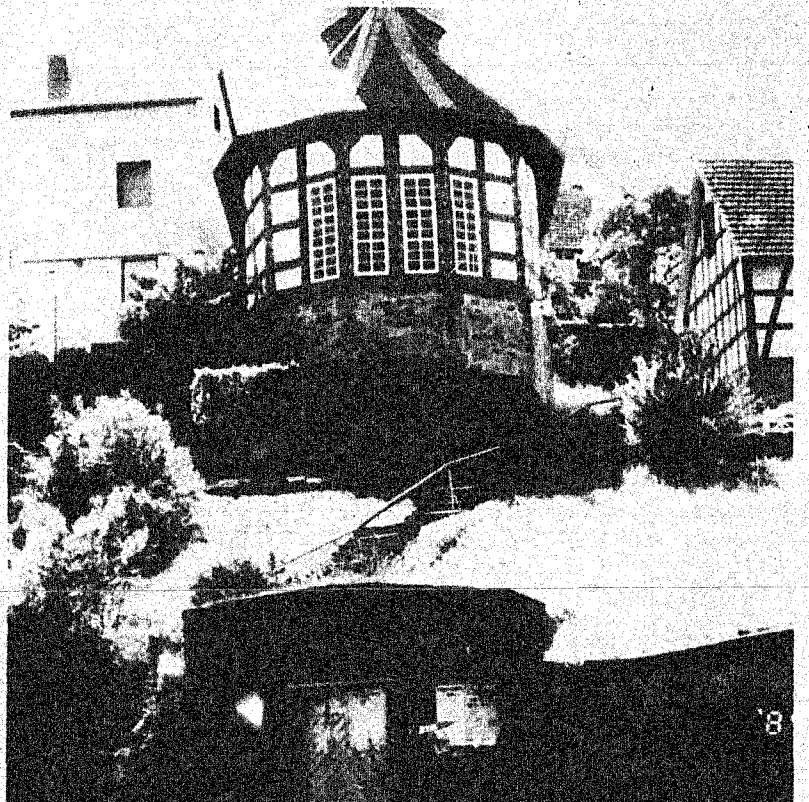
Mrs. Amon Otts and her mother, Mrs. Billy Griffin of the Gouldbusk area and a group of ladies from the community attended the REA meeting at Ballinger Friday night. They reported a nice program and a nice time. Mrs. Griffin was one of the prize winners. While Mrs. Otts was gone and Amon and Yancy at home, they had visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Bryant and also Gilbert Terrio stopped for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited their son Mr. and Mrs. Randall Lovelady and granddaughters a few days the first of the week and on Tuesday they drove to Abilene and went to the zoo. The children as well as grandparents enjoyed the sights but not the heat.

Mr. Douglas Avant of Brady was on the Avant farm Saturday p.m. and drove to Santa Anna and visited with his mother Mrs. Pearl Avant.



David poses with Herr and Frau Pfaff, cousins he discovered in Germany.

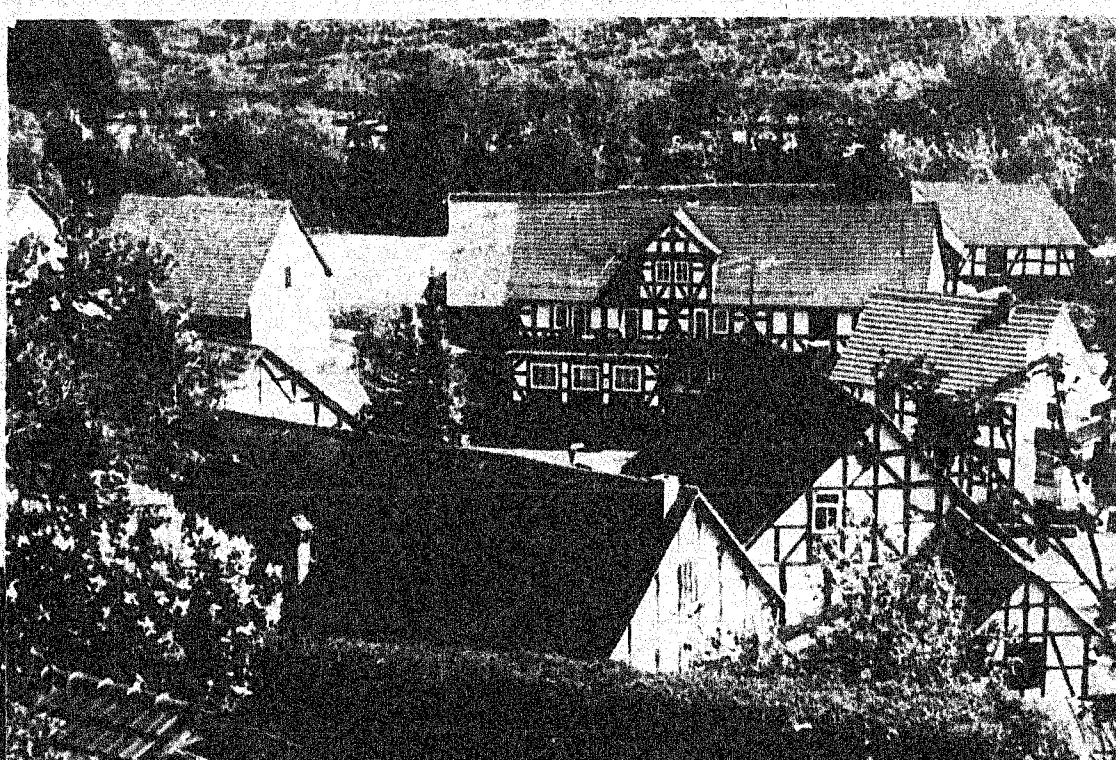


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Ranger Park Inn

By Annie May Brimer

The residents enjoyed singing with Neal Smith, Gladys Creek and Del Funderburg Tuesday afternoon. They made selections of their favorite hymns and enjoyed singing them very much.

The peaches were delicious that Marion Aldredge gave the kitchen. The residents enjoyed this wonderful treat.

The July birthday party was sponsored by the Caldwell family. Pat DeWitt played piano selections, Aunt Samantha read funny sayings, Latacha Railbeck recited a poem, Krisy Snyder entertained with gymnastic routines. Happy Birthday was sung to Ora Caldwell, Boyd McClure, Jessie Thate and Martin Wallace. Corsages were pinned on the honorees from Becky's Blooms Florist. Dorothea Johnson decorated the birthday table with a white cloth and name tag and a centerpiece of ivy with united States Flags. Blue and red plates were used to serve cakes baked by Jean Cladwell and Bobby Cladwell and a decorated birthday cake baked by Kristy Snider to her honorees and residents along with angel food cake brought by Donna Bradley and Patty Musick from Delta Omicron Sorority. The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary gave birthday gifts. Helping with the serving were Jean Caldwell, Bobby Caldwell, Peggy Johnson, Dorothea Johnson and Barbara Kingsbery. It was such a beautiful party.

Floyd Taylor brought watermelons for the residents to eat Friday afternoon. This was a wonderful treat. Everyone ate till they were full. The residents are so happy Mr Taylor was so kind and thoughtful to them. Billie Guthrie and Bobbie Guthrie helped serve the watermelon.

Mike and Del Funderburg, Maxine Douglas, Bonnie Bertrand and Jim Leavell conducted the service Saturday afternoon. Frances Lee Galey played the piano. The residents enjoyed the service very much.

The fourth Sunday service was conducted by Rev. James and Mildred Ford, Jack Hughes, James Posey, Sandy Posey, Danny Posey, Bessie Parish and Hank Cannon. Bro. Ford preached the message. The residents received such a blessing from the service and their visit.

The Monday afternoon 42 games were great. Everyone had a good time playing and were happy to have Peggy Johnson, Wilmoth Russell, Bessie McDonald, Herman Estes and Ray Owens join in this fun time.

Dorothea Johnson brought popcorn for the residents to enjoy.

We are happy to welcome Ruth Ewing, J.R. Savage and Henry Smith to Ranger Park Inn. We hope you will enjoy your stay with us.

LIVING CENTER

Rd Cupps visitors were Raymond and Doris Cupps, Ralph and Lolita Lemes, Thomas Wristen, Mavice and Marshall Campbell.

Thelma Whitehead visitors were Helen Jo Beaver, Ima Herring.

Preston Cude received a visit from Cleo Cude.

NURSING HOME.

Estelle Todd visitors were Jerry Todd, Myrtle Chapman, Merle McClellan, Ben and Myra Taylor. Jessie Thate visitors were Red Thate, Kenneth Thate, Robert Thate.

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

Pearl Arnold visitors were Fern Hoke, Bobbie Guthrie, Louise McCoughan, Jackie Ginsberg, Charlyne Griffith, Pauline DelaRosa, Bill and Louise Smedley.

Ruth Ewing visitors were Geraldine and Brandon Posey, Shirley Croft, Jean Jackson, Debbie Adams, Mr M.B. Ewing.

Lena Ingram visitors were Donna Cummings, Janice Gurbhouser, Era Lee Hanke, Imogene Powers, Joe Hanke, George and Peggy Gould, Kristy Snider.

Cleo Canady visitors were Doris Rogers, Charles Mitchell, Nelda Copeland.

Corrine Storey visitors were Maggie Robinett, Sandy Posey, K.G. Storey.

Millard Thomason was visited by Lucile Smith.

Myrtle Estes visitors were Alta Benge, Joe and Katherine Estes, Herman Estes, Raymond and Jeff Estes. Jewell Hosch.

Jim Dixon visitors were Myrtle Dixon, Prebble Lawrence.

Charlie Bruce visitors were Margaret and C Chanda Simmons, Bruce, Karyn and Emma Kingsbery, Ami Beal, Harry Crews, Barbara Kingsbery.

Marie Hill was visited by Ruby Parker.

Elizabeth Edgerton visitors were Kenneth Mulanax and Nelda Copeland.

Dillard Gregg visitors were Joe Hanke, Eldon Gregg, Donald Looney, Charles and Nelda Rutherford.

Velma Cummings visitors were Leslie and Lama Fay Trammell, Glenn Trasmell, Gene and Kathy Nelson, Eric, Bret and Mandy Nelson, James and Terry Corbett, Thelma and Otis Throgmorton.

Allene Barnett visitors were Thomas and Idella Wristen, Melissa and Cindy Wristen, Billie and Montie Guthrie, Mitch Guthrie, Alta Benge, Lin Wristen, Lad Vaughan, Avis Vaughan.

Bill Lawrence visitors were Myrtle Dixon, Prebble Lawrence, Neal Smith, Jim Lawrence and sons Bill and Dan, Wanda and Marshall Wallace, Wesley Kile, Sam and Bonnie Wilson, Granvil Roberts, Doc Skelton, Robert Anderson, Johnie Lanier, Quinton Daniel, Wesley Smith.

Boyd McClure visitors were Alta Benge, Harry Crews, Wayne and Betty McClure, C.P. Mitchell, Kenneth Malanax, George and Peggy Gold, Kristy Snider.

Jack and Dora Skelton visitors were Ray E. Martin, Pete Skelton, Lillie and Elbert Charlton, Mack and Josh Perkins, Harold and Caroline Skelton, Mr and Mrs Dock Skelton, C.P. Mitchell, Ray and Billie McCorkle, Bro, Ferris Akins, Otis and Thelma Throgmorton, Gladys Creek.

Lois Haines visitors were Dorothy Alsbrook, Joe F. Estes, Jewel Hosch, Pat DeWitt.

Jack Crockett visitors were Susan Crockett, Tamara Mills, Mr and Mrs John Allen Crockett II, and John Allen III.

Frances Horton visitors were Otis and Thelma Throgmorton, Fern Hoke, Bobbie Guthrie, Louise McCoughan, Jean Newton, Pauline DeleRosa, Merle McClellan, Myra Taylor, Leman Horton, Lera Guthrie.

John and Doris Skelton visitors were Roy and Billie McCorkle, Harold and Caroling Skelton, Otis and Thelma Throgmorton, Pete Skelton, Elbert and Lillie Charlton.

Lillie Box visitors were Mavice and Marshall Campbell. We are so glad Mrs Box is back home from a stay in the Brownwood Hospital.

Onnie Edens visitors were Harry and Margaret Crews, Jimmy Crews, Amanda Yeatman, Marion Kennedy, Mrs Jerry Candler, Otis and Thelma Throgmorton.

Ora Caldwell visitors were Alta Benge, Edna Bunt, Bobbye and Dan Caldwell, Jean and Charles Caldwell, Jo Datson, Johnie Lanier, Marshall and Mavice Campbell.

Opal Maples visitors were Annette Clark, Dink Taylor, Kim Simons, Michael Gregory, Jerry Simons, Sadie Simons, Billie Simons, Ruby Thompson, Michael Thompson, Woodrow Griffin Del Funderburg, Neal Smith, Gladys Creek, Bobbie Lee Gardner, Ruby Parker, Merle McClellan, Myra and Ben Taylor.

Lola Taylor visitors were James Bassett, Glenda Taylor, LeAnn and Doug Taylor, Shirley and Elwayne Taylor, Loyd Taylor and Shane Taylor.

Martin Wallace visitors were Rodney Dean, Billy and Johnny Parish, Wanda and Marshall Wallace, Jodie and Goldie Wallace, Harry Crews, Bessie Parish, Joe Wallace, Jaunita Minica.

Nestor Diaz visitors were Manuela Rosales, Lydia R. Sanchez, Drene Sanchez, Beatrice Sanchez.

Henry Goodwin visitors were Barton and JoAnn Goodwin.

Lessie Guyer visitors were Nellie Townnsend, Marie Perry, Ken Fitzgerald, Dora Tankersly, Rick Brinson.

Thelma Bolinger visitors were Johnie Lanier, Myrtle Dixon, Mrs. Bill Lawrence.

Neva McCulloch visitors were Bobbie Lee Gardner, Edna Bunt, Charlie Fleming, Margie Fleming, Phyllis Dillard, Bobbie Barr, Tommy and Doris McCulloch, Velma Beal, Mary Neva Seals.

Mary Joe Lovell visitors were Eva Raper, W.D. and Helen Ashmore, Sharon Watson, Marshall and Wanda Wallace, Jeromy, Jason and Jeffrey Watson, Kris Wardlow.

Faye Casey visitors were Debra (Sartain) Green, Eric Green.

Christine Sanders visitors were Bobbie Barr, Doris McCulloch, Nell Myers, Peggy Johnson, Thelma Ward, George and Peggy Gould, Kristy Sanders, Donna Cummings, Janice Genthous.

Xuma Jones visitors were Nell and Nowlin Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crews, Mrs. Blanche Harris, Mrs. Myrtle Chapman, Annette Clarke, Grace Short, Bessie Parish, Buna Baucum.

Ima and Fred Rudolph visitors were John and Francis Lee Galey, Sam and Bonnie Wilson, Robby Rhone, Bobbie Seals.

Bula Fleming visitors were Amanda Perry, Charlie Fleming, Mary McDonald, Doris McCulloch, Bobbie Barr, Betty Joyner, Francis Joyner, Buna Baucum, Jeromy Joyner, Eddie and Phyllis Dillard, Woodrow griffin, J.A. Fleming, Emma and Karen Kingsbery, Edna Bunt, Bobbie Lee Gardner, Gary, James and Kimber Hitchcock.

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank each and everyone who called or asked about me while at home or in the Brownwood Regional Hospital and to the ones that came by to see me and all who sent get-well cards.

May God Bless you all.
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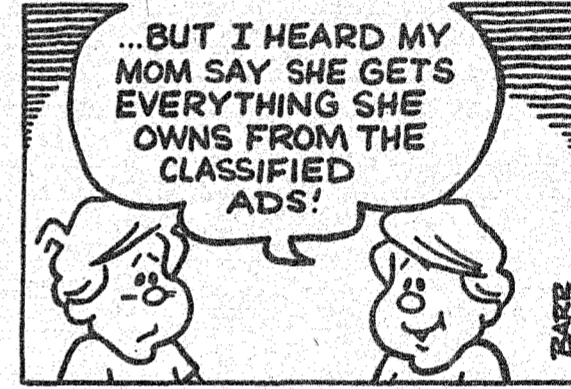
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Statement of Resources and Liabilities

Thousands of dollars

ASSETS:

Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin.....	457
Interest-bearing balances.....	992
Securities.....	3,906
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreements subsidiaries, and in IBFs.....	625
Loans and lease financing receivables:	
Loans and leases, net of unearned income.....	11,952
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses.....	200
Loans and leases, net of unearned income and allowance.....	11,752
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases).....	24
Other real estate owned.....	252
Other assets.....	474
Total assets.....	18,482

LIABILITIES:

Deposits:.....	16,869
Noninterest-bearing.....	2,418
Interest-bearing.....	14,451
Other liabilities.....	130
Total liabilities.....	16,999

EQUITY CAPITAL:

Common stock.....	50
Surplus.....	200
Undivided profits and capital reserves.....	1,233
Total equity capital.....	1,483
Total liabilities and equity capital.....	18,482

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

John Richardson
July 5, 1989
Raymond Chapman
Directors

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Cleveland News

By Carol Herring

The Gantt Family Reunion will be held this Saturday, July 29, 1989 at the Cupps Picnic Grounds at the Charlie Fleming Place. Everyone is invited to attend.

A. C. and Lou Pierce had Chrystal and Jennifer Pelton spend from Saturday the 15th until Saturday the 22nd.

Mrs. Lora Russell was visited by her son and his family, John and Ronnie Russell, Chris and Laura of Brady on Sunday afternoon. Last week-end Bob and Marilyn Russell of San Angelo and Marilyn's mother Lou Dell Morgan of Eastland visited from Friday until Sunday.

Visitors with C. E. and Vera Wise have been Hub and Connie Lewis of Eastland, Dorothy Eisenhower and Troy Whitley of Waco.

The Emil Williams enjoyed visiting with Lolita and Ralph Lemes of Sun City, Arizona and J. E. and Ovelia Williams.

Carmilla Baugh visited with Thelma Lowry on Friday afternoon.

Coy and Myra Brooke visited with Frances Densman in Coleman on Wednesday. Friday J. B. and Hazel Brooke visited and on Saturday their son Brownie Brooke of Comanche spent the day.

Calvin and Margaret Campbell were visited by Mavis and Marshall Campbell one day during the week. Saturday and Sunday Lance Rasch visited. Also on Sunday Dena Rasch and Melissa King were out.

Margie Fleming was visited by Eddie and Phyllis Dillard several times during the week. Jason Mapson came on Thursday and is spending several days with Margie.

Last week-end Adolph and Doris Kelly went to Lake LBJ at Kingsland to the lake house of Brenda and Henry Kelly and Susan.

Joining them there were Doris and Chick Vaughn, Eddie and Steve of Porter, Helen and Sach Wright, De Dee and Dennis McCormick and Kyle of Grand Prairie. Helen and Sach Wright brought Adolph and Doris back home and spent three days here with them. They also visited with Sach's family in Brady.

Thursday afternoon Juanita Naron visited. Thursday evening they attended the party for Lolita and Ralph Lemes and on Saturday evening the Herring Party all at the Cupps Picnic Grounds. Sunday Lena B. and Travis Smith San Angelo and Rosalee Seals of Coleman visited.

Eppie Lowry is back home after taking a vacation of several months and spending the time with her son Billy Wayne Lowry and family of Plano. She reports that she is feeling great.

Mrs. Byrdie Miller accompanied a couple of her nieces from San Angelo to Ruidosa where they spend the week. Sunday afternoon Janice and Brian Fellers were by.

Visitors with Mrs. Winnie Haynes have been Anna York, Russic James, Sug Stearns and Clara Cupps.

Juanita and John Naron had Angie and Krista Naron spend last week and week-end. Visiting during the week-end were Jennifer Naron of Dallas, J. T. and Debbie Naron and boys of Merkel, Travis and Kim Edgar, Ermic and Delisa Coyle and boys. Janera Cagle and Rachael of Odessa spent Monday and Tuesday and Raymond and Ruth Naron and Steve Pansom spent Friday night. Jody Naron is due in Sunday night. Charlie and Thelma Fleming were visited on Monday by Darrell Cupps. Nevy Parsons of Bangs was by on Wednesday. Also on Wednesday Ralph and Lolita Lemes of Sun City, Arizona spent the day. Thursday night they honored Ralph and Lolita with a gathering at the Picnic Grounds. Ivy Hitchcock, James and Kimberly of San Angelo had dinner on Friday while visiting with Charlie and Thelma.

Edd and Ruby Hartman had his mother Reba Hartman of Midland spend Saturday night. Sunday Edd's sister Winnie Blandsett and son of Midland came to pick up Mrs. Hartman. Mrs. Ruth Hibbits was visited by Dick Baugh on Sunday.

Iona Moore visited with Bobbie Benton Saturday morning at her home. Sunday afternoon she visited with Mrs. Velda Mills and Eppie Lowry.

Recent visitors with Hardin Phillips have been Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Watson of Coleman, Leon Phillips, Billy Williams and Syble Huggins. Sunday Hardin visited with Bruce Alsbrooke.

Visiting with Mrs. Amanda Perry are Greg Perry of Atlanta, Georgia, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gully and Jessica of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and Mrs. Robert Perry and Chad of Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Lee Ray and Syble Huggins spend Tuesday afternoon in Brownwood visiting with a couple of Lee Ray's buddies from the Air Corps and their wives.

Recent visitors with Casey and Evaline Herring have been Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Spence of Grand Prairie, Lizzie and Alton Gillett and children of Midland, Kenneth Herring, Jackie Morris, Pam and David Morgan, John and Josh of Stephenville, Jimmy and Charlene Schulle of Bangs, David and Renee Elder and children of San Antonio and Dale and Carol Herring, Dale and Carol.

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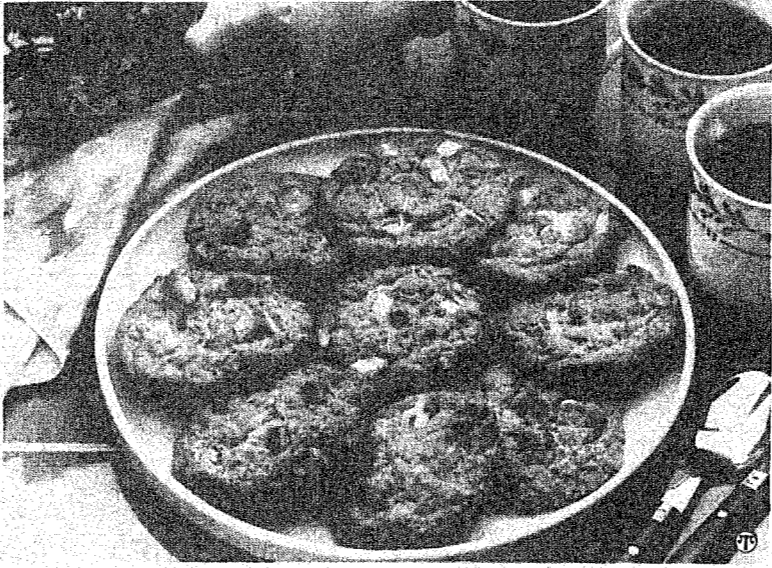
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White Chocolate Chunk Cookies

- 1 cup shortening
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 3/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 3 eggs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 1/2 cups Pillsbury's BEST® All Purpose, Unbleached or Self-Rising Flour*
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup flaked coconut
- 1/2 cup rolled oats
- 1/2 cup chopped walnuts
- 2 (6-oz.) pkg. white baking bars, cut into 1/4 to 1/2-inch chunks**

Heat oven to 350°F. In large bowl, beat shortening, sugar and brown sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add vanilla; blend well. Lightly spoon flour into measuring cup; level off. In small bowl, combine flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt. Stir into sugar mixture; mix well. Stir in remaining ingredients. Drop by rounded table-spoonfuls 2 inches apart onto ungreased cookie sheets.

Bake at 350°F. for 10 to 15 minutes or until light golden brown. Cool 1 minute; remove from cookie sheets. 5 dozen cookies.

TIPS: *If using self-rising flour, omit baking powder, baking soda and salt. **One 10-oz pkg. white baking pieces or 12-oz pkg. vanilla milk chips can be substituted for 2 (6-oz) pkg. white baking bars. Do not substitute almond bark or vanilla-flavored candy coating.

HIGH ALTITUDE—Above 3500 Feet: Decrease baking powder to 1/2 teaspoon. Decrease baking soda to 1/2 teaspoon. Bake at 375°F. for 8 to 12 minutes.



The table fork was introduced into England in 1601.

Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

Coleta Pearson has recently been to San Antonio for a medical checkup and Mr. and Mrs. David Pearson came and stayed with Mr. Pearson during her absence. Other Sunday visitors were Majorie Pearson and Albert Pearson of Brady, Wilma Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Margarito Hernandez.

Blake and Wilma Williams called the Marcus Johnson home Sunday morning.

Greg Mobley of Austin spent the weekend with his mother, Oleta Mobley. He also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jake McCreary, Greg and Mrs. Mobley were shopping in Abilene Saturday.

The Elec Coopers visited Saturday in Santa Anna with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady. They visited in Brady Sunday afternoon having supper with Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman and Byron and their guests Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Young of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan attended the Echo Jamboree Saturday night. Curtis Bryan visited in the Cooper home Sunday afternoon.

Zola Burns of Bronte spent last week with her sister, Nora Brusenhan, who has recently had eye surgery.

Bill and Sadie Bryan visited in Brady last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Tucker. The Bryans visited in Brady Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. P.L. Ulstad. Friday night the Bryans were in Ballinger attending the R. E. A. meeting. Garland McSwain of Dallas spent

the weekend with his dad, taking him to San Angelo Monday where Aubrey will enter the Community Hospital to undergo surgery.

Vita and Chad Gilpin of Loredo are spending these hot summer months with Tony and Wade Rehm.

The family reunion of Dick and Johnnie Deal met last Saturday at the Civic Center (Armory), with a large crowd in attendance. Visiting in the Deal home during the weekend were Mrs. Robert Perry and Chad, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gaulty and Jessica all of Baton Rouge, LA., and the Rev. Guy Perry of Atlanta, GA.

We are sorry in reporting the wonderful 90th birthday anniversary for Blanche Harris, we missed several names who are Howard and Sue McNeil of Plano and Don McNeil of El Paso. A catered dinner was served Saturday at the Mountain City Center honoring Mrs. Harris.

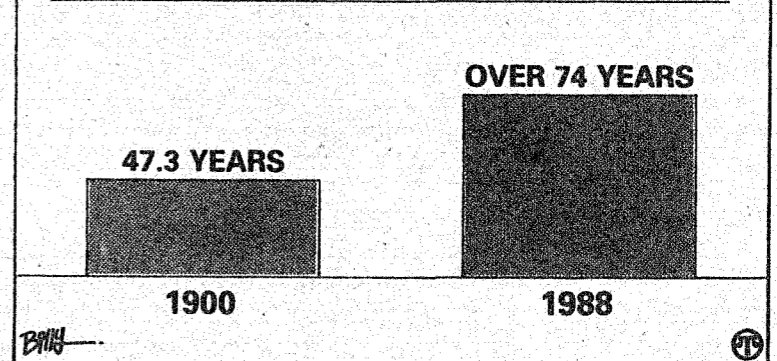
The Wayne Brays were in San Angelo Tuesday to Saturday babysitting Clay Bloom while his parents Kim and Billy Bloom were on vacation.

Hunter Wise spent Wednesday to Saturday with his grandparents, Joe and Fay Wise.

Angie Hernandez spent Saturday and Sunday in Brownwood visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Aguirre.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fred Estes came from Abilene and took Myrtle Estes from Ranger Park Inn to spend the weekend at her home in Rockwood. Raymond Estes and son Jeff were also with them for the weekend.

AMERICAN LIFE EXPECTANCY



The life expectancy of the average American is rising. Today, Americans can expect to live ten, twenty and thirty or more years after they retire.

Nominations Are Sought For Top Rural Minister Of Texas

COLLEGE STATION: The rural minister might be considered an "unsung hero" by many Texans, and where that's the case, they have an opportunity to bring some special recognition to that individual.

The search has begun for Texas' most outstanding rural minister for 1989.

The award is presented each year by the Progressive Farmer magazine at the annual Town and Country Church Conference at Texas A&M University. This year's conference will be October 2 through 3.

The conference is an educational program for rural and small town ministers and lay leaders and is conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Rural ministers have a high calling and must deal with a wide range of challenges", said Dr. David Ruesink, a sociologist with the Extension Service and church conference coordinator. "Many of these ministers must deal with a variety of cultures and certain issues and concerns unique to small communities."

"For example, much of rural Texas has been hard hit by the farm recession the past few years", Ruesink said. "Rural ministers have played a key role in helping families in these communities learn to cope and to survive."

County Extension Service offices have details on how to submit nominations for the Rural Minister of the Year Award, Ruesink said. Nominations must include a record book that tells the story of what the minister has done for his congregation as well as the entire community.

"It's important to focus on the impact that the minister has had within the congregation and the community as a whole", Ruesink said. "How has he made a difference? How have the people benefited from his efforts? How has he molded the people together to fulfill their religious as well as their community needs?"

To be eligible for the award, a minister must serve a congregation in a rural community or town of less than 10,000 population, and he must have served that congregation at least two years.

Nominations must be submitted by August 15 to the Texas Rural Minister of the Year Committee, Dept. of Rural Sociology, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas 77843-2125.



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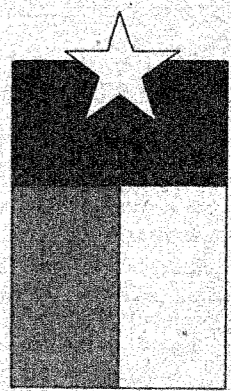
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