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FOUR GOOD REASONS: Pictured above are four good reasons why we need to press on with the renovation project for the building on Wallis Ave. that will be the site of the City Library when the work is completed. The youngsters are shown leaving the library carrying bags of books to read. From left to right they are: Amanda and Megan Lishka, Jimmy Bryce and Austin Voss. First on the agenda for repairs to the library building is a new roof. According to Library Board members that job will have to be undertaken before any other work can be started. Funds are nearing the amount needed for the roofing job, but not knowing what might be uncovered when the work is actually begun, planners hope to have funds

available to meet any unexpected expenses. Once the roof is taken care of volunteer workers can do much of what needs to be done inside the building which will provide a much larger and better lighted facility than the building now in use. A parking area is planned behind the building and a door for entering from the parking lot. The building, situated between the bank and the drug store, was donated to the library board for use as the library and the only cost involved will be what little renovation is needed. You are asked to remember the project when you have an occasion to make memorials. Of course, outright contributions are always gratefully accepted.

Santa Anna Travels To Abilene Friday Wildcats Stop Mountaineers

By now the Santa Anna Mountaineers know that Derrick White of Rising Star can spell trouble for the opposing team on the football field. Of course, some of them were able to remember him from last year. White scored two fourth quarter touchdowns last Saturday night to lead the Wildcats in a 24-7 victory

over the Mountaineers in front of a homecoming crowd in Rising Star. He carried the ball 38 times for a total of 193 yards of the Wildcat's 268 total rushing yardage. His first score came on a 10 yard scamper with 8:23 showing on the clock in the fourth period to make the score 18-7, and his second was a

one yard run with 58 seconds to go in the game. Rising Star opened the scoring on a pass from Jimmy Evans to Lee DeLong, which netted 19 yards for the TD. The point after try was no good. Santa Anna came back in the second quarter when Gary Keas



Brady Rice (25) and Scotty Anderson (75) moved in to stop Rising Star runner. The Mountaineers, now

0-2 will meet ACHS, also 0-2, Friday in Abilene at Elmer Gary Stadium. (Photo by Derriell Warnock)

Gale Brock Appointed Mayor

When the City Council last Thursday night, they accepted the resignation of Thelma Brooker as Mayor of Santa Anna. She had turned in the resignation at the City Hall on Monday of last week citing personal reasons for her decision to withdraw from the position. She also expressed her appreciation for the Council and City staff who had been "so supportive of her" during her 2 1/2 year tenure as Santa Anna's first woman Mayor.

When they met again on Monday night of this week, the council appointed councilwoman Gale Allen Brock to the post. She will hold the position until next spring when the post will be filled by election. Mrs. Brock had run for the position in last spring's election and had been narrowly defeated by Mrs. Brooker. She had recently been appointed to the council to serve in the seat vacated when Derriell Warnock resigned to become Superintendent of City Operations. Mrs. Brock had previously served eight years on the city council in the '70's and had also served as mayor pro-tem during that time, so she is by no means a newcomer to the office.



MAYOR GALE BROCK

No action was taken to fill the vacant council seat. That problem will be addressed at a future time.

In other action in last Thursday's meeting the council also accepted the resignation of Police Chief Ken Brixey who started work Monday of last week with the County Sheriff's department as a deputy and then on Monday night accepted the resignation of assistant policeman David Smothers who is moving to Balmorhea in far west Texas. The

City is now taking applications for the position of certified police officer.

In the meantime, the council heard from Sheriff Wade Turner on Monday night that the Sheriff's department would take care of law enforcement problems that might arise in the city during the absence of policemen, except for writing tickets for traffic violations, and covering accidents which will have to be investigated by the DPS. Warnings on traffic violations will be issued and complaints filed in City Court.

Another resignation came Monday night from City Municipal Judge Janna Jones. Mrs. Jones has moved to Rising Star. After accepting the resignation, the council decided to table to a later date, any appointment for that post.

The Council, in last week's meeting asked Derriell Warnock to contact all parties with property along the proposed alleyway under contest and see if an amiable agreement can be made to obtain easement to lay a water line through the alley.

The matter of laying a line to residents outside of the city limits was tabled until funds for the project could be checked out.

The council passed a resolution Monday night to seek recommendations from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department on facilities and stocking of fish at the two city lakes. The recommendations will advise them what kind of fish needs to be stocked in the lakes and will inform them of matching grants that might be available for building picnic tables, etc and developing the area. Seeking the recommendations does not obligate the city to any action.

ISD Board Writes Letter To Clements About School Finances

Among the action taken in last week's school board meeting was the signing by all members of the school board, a letter sent to Governor Clements requesting that action on school finance be placed on the agenda for the upcoming special session of the Texas Legislature. In last minute action in the recent legislative session, a number of mandates were passed without proposals for funding, leaving school districts to fend for themselves and many are feeling a terrific financial crunch as a result. School districts across the state have had to raise taxes and some, especially smaller schools, are having to face the probability of consolidation.

The board met on Tuesday of

Methodist Youth Will Wash Cars Saturday

If you car is still showing the muddy signs of the recent rain, you can have that taken care of Saturday from 1:00 to 6:00 pm. at the Methodist Church when the youth of the church will wash your car for you.

You may even have a cup of coffee or glass of iced tea while you wait inside for the job to be completed.

Price for washing a regular size car will be \$5.00; \$8.00 for wash and vacuum job; \$10.00 for large car and vans. (Includes vacuum).

Funds raised from the project will be used for youth activities.

caught a 26 yard pass from Buddy Hardin. Scott Valdez kicked the extra point pulling the Mountaineers in front, 7-6.

However about 5 minutes later, Donnie Allcorn for the Wildcats ran the ball over from 11 yard out. The point after failed again, leaving Rising Star ahead by the score of 12-7 at halftime.

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last week in their regular monthly session with not much business to take care of.

Minutes of the previous August meetings were read and approved. Accounts were reviewed and approved for payment.

Attendance committees were appointed for high school and for elementary school. High School Principal Frank Gray, Superintendent Gerald Brister and school counselor Arlene Denning were appointed to the high school committee. Denning and Brister will also serve on the Elementary committee along with Elementary principal Jack Burns. Students are required to attend 80 days of classes per semester and if any individual student's attendance drops below that, the proper committee determines if there are circumstances whereby that student's grade credits can be reinstated after an excessive amount of absences.

Band director Tom Stroud was officially hired after having been on the job since an emergency hiring several weeks ago. He comes to the Santa Anna ISD from Hitchcock. His wife is a native of Bangs and the couple have two small children. Plans for attending the TASB-TASA convention were discussed.

Junior High Opens Season Thursday In Santa Anna

Santa Anna football fans will have an opportunity to attend three football games on tap for this week. The Junior High team opens its season Thursday evening at home when they face Rising Star at 6:00.

The SAHS junior varsity team will meet Eden here at home at 7:30 and the Varsity Mountaineers will travel to Abilene for a game with Abilene Christian High School on Friday night, 8:00 at Elmer Gray Stadium, corner of Ambler and Judge Ely Blvd.

You are encouraged to support all these fine young athletes, cheering squads, drill teams and band.

Commodities Will Be Given Out Tuesday

U.S.D.A. Commodities will be distributed in Santa Anna Tuesday, August 29, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Civic Center (Armory) Items available this month are flour and honey.

Central Texas Opportunities, the sponsoring organization for the distributions, has no control over what items are available or the quantity of the items. Allocation of all commodities depends on the availability of food items from the U.S.D.A.

All eligible persons will receive emergency food assistance without regard to race, sex, political beliefs, age, national origin, or handicap. Shut-ins are encouraged to designate an authorized representative to pick up the foodstuffs for them. Commodities will be distributed on a first come/first serve basis.

Rodeo & Youth Assn. Meets Thursday To Make Plans

The Santa Anna Rodeo & Youth Association will meet Thursday, September 21 at 7:30 at the Telephone Cooperative hospitality room. Participation in the Coleman County Fair team roping will be discussed. The group will also discuss and organize a youth "play-day" and team roping to be held October 14 at the Santa Anna Rodeo arena.

All association members are urged to attend this important meeting.

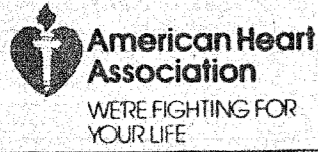
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City Employee On Call This Weekend

Derrel Warnock, Superintendent of City Operations, may be reached at 348-3167. The City employee on call this weekend is Tommy Jackson, phone 625-4753.

Watch the Santa Anna News each week for the city employee to call in case of an emergency.

Quit smoking.



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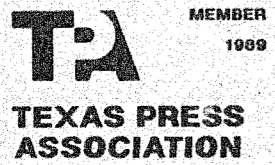
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FUNERALS

Homer Vinson

Services for Homer Vinson, 85, were held Friday, September 15, at 3:30 at First Baptist Church of Santa Anna with the Rev. John Stanislaw officiating. Burial was in Santa Anna Cemetery, under the direction of Henderson Funeral Home of Santa Anna.

He died Thursday, September 14 at 4:45 a.m. at Brownwood Regional Hospital.

Born July 1904 in Indian Territory, Oklahoma to John and Ida Montgomery Vinson, he lived most of his life in Coleman County and attended Santa Anna Schools. He married Velma Harris in Santa Anna December 1, 1935. He was a member of First Baptist Church and a stock farmer. He retired in 1971.

Survivors include his wife Velma Vinson of Santa Anna; two sisters, Sybil Summers and Adell Vinson both of Santa Anna; and several nieces and nephews.

Pall bearers were Rob Cheaney, Doyle Evans, L.M. Guthrie, William Brown, Glen Copeland and Don Howard.

David Weir Routh

David Weir Routh, age 40, a resident of Copperas Cove since 1972, died September 3, 1989.

Graveside services were at 2 p.m. Friday, September 15, 1989 at Rockwood Cemetery, Santa Anna Funeral Home in charge of local arrangements. Memorial services were held at Crawford-Bowers-Brown Funeral Home in Copperas Cove, Saturday, September 16 at 11:00 a.m.

He was born October 19, 1948 at Temple. He attended Odessa Permian High School and Texas Christian University. He was an automobile salesman and a Baptist.

He is survived by his father, Will Weir Routh of Alvin; and a brother, James Routh of San Ramon, California. He was preceded in death by his mother, Irene Routh, in 1978, and a brother, Hayden Routh in 1981.

SEPT. FISHING DAYS
BEST: 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 22nd, 23rd. GOOD: 5th, 6th, 18th. FAIR: 10th, 11th, 16th, 17th, 18th. POOR: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 20th, 21st, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th.

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Community Calendar

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21
Junior High vs R-Star, here 6:00
Junior Varsity vs Eden, here 7:30
Masonic Lodge

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22
SAHS vs ACHS, there 8:00

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23
District 4-H Council Meeting,
San Angelo

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25
Boy Scouts

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26
Chapter & Council
Sheep & Goat producers meeting,
at Panther Creek, 6:30 p.m.
Lions Club, 6 p.m.
Booster Club, 7:00 Perry Gym

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28
S.A. Jr. High at Baird 6:00
SAHS JV at Baird 7:30

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29
SAHS vs Baird, here 8:00

Dear Editor

Please let me use your paper to send this letter to whomever it concerns.

Dear sir or madam,
This past weekend I walked with my wife through our city park. Between the two of us we picked up a large amount of trash — including a bunch of broken glass near the play-ground equipment.

We would like to ask a favor of you — next time you feel like drinking your favorite beverage, PLEASE drink from aluminum cans.

When a child mashes one it can still be recycled and a child will not cut their feet on the broken glass. Those of us who save cans will make a little profit by picking up after you.

A Citizen

(Name withheld by request)

Presbyterian Women Meet For Study

The Presbyterian Women met September 6, 1989 in the Church library for further study of "Design for Discipleship." The pastor, Jasper McClellan, led the program, "Winning Souls and World Vision."

Attending were: Alice Anna Spillman, Joan Allen, Claudine Keeney, Nell Myers, Louise McCaughan, Mary Lela Clifford, Pat DeWitt, Gayle Stewardson, Era Walters, and Gale Brock.

Health Fair At Coleman Fri.

Coleman County residents concerned about their health should plan to come to the Health Fair. Cholesterol screening, hearing tests, health risk appraisal and health information will be available at the fair. This event will take place on Friday, September 22nd from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Coleman County State Bank Club Room. The public is invited to attend.

The cholesterol screening will cost \$5.00, all other information and services at the fair are free.

For more information, contact the Coleman County Extension office at 625-4519.

Thoughts From Our Pastors

John Howze
Full Gospel Fellowship
Pentecostal Church Of God

PEACE, HOPE, SAFETY THROUGH JESUS CHRIST

Isaiah 57:21 "There is no peace saith my God, to the wicked." There is no peace in this world for those who don't know Him, in the new birth. Isaiah describes Him as the Prince of Peace.

Ephesians 2:12 "That at that time ye were without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel and strangers from the covenant of promise, having no hope and without God in the world." Hope in us is born of faith in Jesus Christ.

No place on this earth are we completely safe from harm or danger except in Him. When sinners see our world as it is they want to flee to some secluded place of safety. China found no safety when communism overran their country, even those tribes in secluded areas were destroyed by chemicals sprayed on food and water, killing those who ate or drank anything containing them.

Don't give up, there is peace, hope and safety in Jesus. He stands at your heart's door begging to come in. Revelation 3:20

Around & About

Pete and Winnie Rutherford have returned from a weeks camping and sightseeing vacation. They visited the Guadalupe Mountains where they enjoyed the hiking trails. They also visited Carlsbad Caverns and Cloudcroft, N.M. On their trip back home they stopped at the sand dunes near Monahans. They spent Sunday night at Hord's Creek Lake

and returned home Monday morning.

They found the camp grounds were not crowded at this time of the year, making their trip very enjoyable and relaxing. They encountered rain in the Guadalupe Mountains and cold at Cloudcroft, but reported a "wonderful time".



Paulie and Kendra Brixey are proud to announce the arrival of Tye Venino Vasquez. The baby boy was born Monday, September 18, 1989 at 2:00 p.m. at North Hills Medical Center in Haltom City. He weighed 8 lbs. 11 oz. at birth and measured 21 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ken Brixey and Mrs. and Mrs. Junior Vasquez, of Santa Anna. Great-grand-parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brixey and Mrs. Helen Ausmus of Crosbyton, Ben Vasquez of Santa Anna and Mrs. Katheryn Guerrero of Coleman.

Reception To Mark 30th Anniversary

The children of Jasper and Jean McClellan invite their family and friends to attend an open house in honor of the couple's 30th wedding anniversary. The party will be held at the McClellan home, 1304 Ave. A in Santa Anna, from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. Saturday, September 30.

Full Service Stations Must Pump Gas For Disabled At Self-Service Price

As the result of recent legislative action, service stations that offer full-service refueling must pump gasoline for disabled drivers, upon request, at the self-service price. Stations that have only self-service pumps are not effected by the new law.

To receive refueling service at the self-service price, a driver must display a disabled persons insignia, validation sticker, identification card or license plates issued by the highway department.

The new law allows Class C misdemeanor charges to be filed

Birthdays and Anniversaries

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21
Benito Diaz Jr.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22
Jason Miller
Beth Steele
Loretta Collins
Mr. & Mrs. Eddie Jones*
Mr. & Mrs. Terry Watts*

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23
Frisby Bible
Sharon Cheaney
Albert G. Salazar
Mr. & Mrs. Johnnie French*
Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Kernes*

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24
Shera Lewis
Beth Privitt

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25
Sharyl Fuller
Gary Hubbard
Tyler Lott Nixon
Gail Loyd

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26
Calvin Brown
Joshua Steven Hale
Jason Jones
Alys Pelton
Mr. & Mrs. Randy Brown*

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
Harvey Holland
Devin Brand
Tex Wright
Mr. & Mrs. Lee Ray Huggins*
Mr. & Mrs. Boots Morris*

Birthdays and anniversaries are taken from the Delta Omicron Community Calendar. If you wish to add an observance, please call the NEWS office the week before it should appear in this column.

against a station operator who does not establish a policy providing refueling services for the disabled driver. Similar charges can be filed against individual employees who are acting against station policy and refuse this service when requested.

Library Notes

Check It Out

The following books are in the Santa Anna Library on loan from the Big County Library Extension System. They will be in our library for a couple of months and then be returned to Abilene. A new box of books arrive each month from the library system. We can request special books. So if there is something you would like to read, talk to the librarian. Books received in September are:

BUSHWACKED by Clifton Adams
JOHN LENNON, MY BROTHER by Julia Baird
A CERTAIN SPLENDOR by Michael Butterworth
THE SQUARE SHOOTER by Walt Coburn
ADVENTURES IN TWO WORLDS by Archibald Joseph Cronin
EDGE OF GLASS by Catherine Gaskin
HARTIGAN by Marshall Grover
SUICIDE CLAUSE by Leopold Horace Ognal
BARBARA CARTLAND by John Pearson
I SENT A LETTER TO MY LOVE by Bernice Rubens
THE PERSUIT OF DIGNITY by Bert Kruger Smith
THE TITAN by Fred Mustard Stewart
GUNSMOKE GOLD by Gene Tuttle
LORD RICHARDS'S DAUGHTER by Joan Wolf
THE MAN OF GLASS by Donald Zochert.

Friendship Luncheon

(Contributed)

Twenty-four people came to the Friendship Meal on Thursday of last week. As usual, the table was filled with dishes of all sorts to please one's appetite.

Ray Owen announced he and Lillian Bourland were to be married the next day and invited everyone present to attend the ceremony.

The Rev. Don Elrod offered the table grace. Doris Griffin asked for suggestions for the September 21 gathering and all opted for pot-luck.

Nutrition Program Menu

The Nutrition Program of Santa Anna serves lunch every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11:30 in the Civic Center (Armory). Everyone over 60 years of age is invited. Meals are paid for by voluntary donations. Cost of serving each meal is approximately \$1.25.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22
Beef & rice
Golden carrots
Green peas
Cake & ice cream

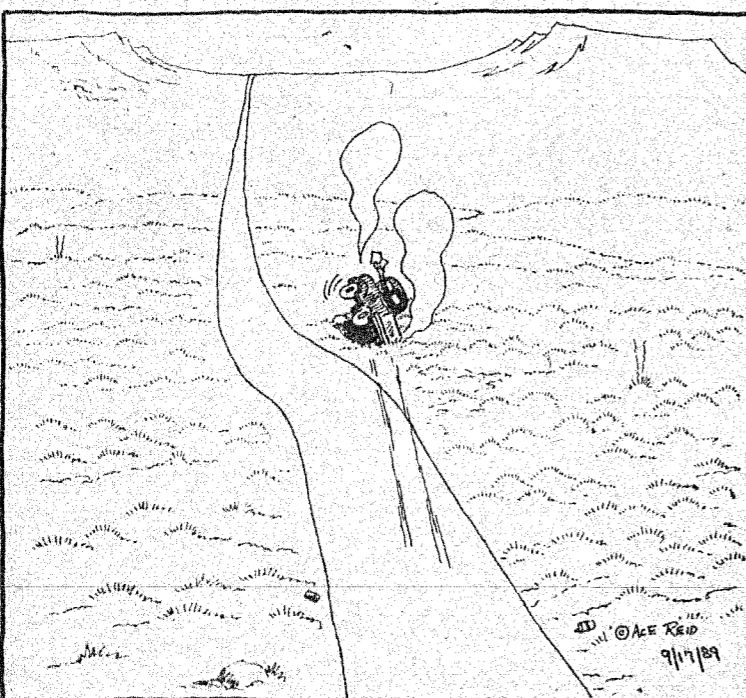
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25
Barbecue beef w/bun
Tossed salad
Pinto Beans
Pudding

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27
Meat Balls
Lima Beans
Spiced Beets
Peaches

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29
Oven fried chicken
Buttered squash
Blackeyed peas
Pears

The law will be enforced by the attorney general or a local prosecuting attorney.

COWPOKES By Ace Reid



"This ain't my fault, nowhere on this road map does it show there's a curve in this road!"

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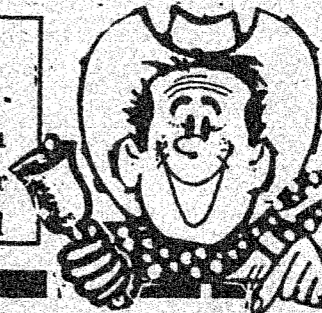
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MEMBERS OF SAHS GRADUATING CLASS OF 1954 are shown at a recent reunion held at the home of Leo and Patsy Williams Moore in Frantown, Colorado. Pictured are, left to right, top row: June Little Hawkins, JoAnn Dunn McClellan, Jan Mc-

Clellan Brisbin, Winona Bradley Williams; middle row, Charles McClellan, Clayburn James, Joe Barnes, Ann Blanton Lawson; bottom row, Kathryn Williams Warren, Patsy Wagner Ingram and Patsy Williams Moore.

Patrick Hosch Receives National Guard Commission

Patrick Hosch of Santa Anna was commissioned as Warrant Officer 1 in the Texas Army National Guard during a ceremony which took place in Brownwood, Saturday, September 9.

Hosch, whose technical field is personnel administration, is assigned to the Third Battalion, 112 Armored Regiment, Brownwood. He received his training at Fort

Benjamin Harrison in Indiana.

Major Paul Beaver, also a Coleman County native, was the Battalion Executive Officer who presented Hosch with the commission.

The newly commissioned officer Hosch is the son of Mrs. Ora Jewell Hosch and the late Pat Hosch. He is shown in the accompanying picture facing his wife Sandy and Maj. Beaver during the ceremony.



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SAHS Exes Meet In Colorado

Members of the Santa Anna graduating class of 1954 and their spouses, had a unique reunion August 18 - 21 when they gathered at the home of fellow class member Patsy (Williams) Moore and her husband, Leo, in Frantown, Colorado. (Leo is a native of Coleman).

Ten members of the class were able to accept the invitation and join Mrs. Moore for the occasion to mark their 35th graduation anniversary in "Colorful Colorado".

Of the 35 members of the class, contacts were made with 33. Class members were unable to locate James Hoyt and would appreciate

hearing if anyone could give them any information as to his whereabouts. Another class member, Joey Bryan passed away February 3, 1981.

Class members present were: Charles McClellan, Abilene; Jo Ann Dunn McClellan, Abilene; Clayburn James, Fort Worth; Joann

last minute conflicts prevented them from making the trip.

Letters were received by the group from Mr. Page Mays, retired teacher, and Cullen Perry, retired superintendent of schools.

Games, gossip, 50's music, food and drink and a treat to a dinner theater production of "No, No, Nanette," were enjoyed by all. There were door prizes and trophies awarded for game winners. Among the fun activities was a "blind man" tractor drive. Members of the group agreed they all had a "fantastic" time and hope to get together again in a couple of years.

A Mountainside Viewpoint

By Polly Warnock

From time to time we all have those occurrences of wondering about this, or that. I'm not talking about the earth shattering "wonderings" like reckon what the season holds for the Dallas Cowboys, or for that matter the Santa Anna Mountaineers.

It's the little things that cross our minds from day to day that there just never seems to be answers for...like why is the dove hunting always better on the other side of the tank, or why is the hunting always "better here yesterday." The following are some "wonderings" reported by some hunters after a recent dove hunting outing. The topics came up in the conversations of the day as the hunters spent the long hot days crouched beside a stock tank. As the temperatures went up and the number of birds went down, the conversation became more and more serious:

Why can't a dove land in the plowed field rather than in the six-foot sunflowers?

Why have soft drink companies started messing with a case of drinks and putting only twenty cans instead of twenty-four in a case?

Why does the farmer who owns the land next to the tank always plow his field two days before dove season opens?

Why do they put ten franks in a package and only eight buns in a package? Is this to make you buy 10 packages of buns and 8 packages of franks to make it come out even?

Why do dove always heed the call of Mother Nature to get a drink of water from the tank at the time when you are heeding nature's call?

Why don't we have some more cartoon characters like POPEYE to help interest our kids in eating other vegetables besides just spinach?

Why does the number of questions from a six-year-old increase as the temperature increases?

How can a dove manage to either drop dead into the tank or coast a quarter of a mile to the other side of the tank or even to the other side of the field?

Why is the first thing a six-year-old tells his mother when you get back from hunting is how many you missed rather than how many you brought home?

County Budget Approved Brixey Hired As Deputy

The Coleman County Commissioners were finally able to pass a budget as they met last week for a public hearing on the topic in which some requests for changes were heard and denied.

Constable Rondoc Horton and District Clerk Louise Thompson were on hand to ask for increases in funding for their offices. Horton asked for an increase in salary from the proposed \$3,600 annually to \$7,200. His auto expense account had also been cut in the proposed budget which was under consideration.

Thompson requested funds for a full time deputy in her office. The current deputy district clerk works three days a week at a salary of \$5,000 per year. The proposed budget left that figure unchanged.

A motion was made to approve the budget without the requested

changes and was unanimously agreed upon. Horton made the comment he intends enter a grievance proceeding. Thompson made no comment as she left the meeting.

The newly approved budget shows expected expenditures at \$1,919,565 for the 1990 fiscal year. That is \$25,000 less than budgeted expenditures for the just ending fiscal year. It was stated the reduction was possible due to the fact no new vehicle is to be purchased for the Sheriff's Department. If revenues come in as expected there will still be an expected deficit of \$321,857. With expenses held to the projected rate, the county will almost completely use its reserve funds by September 1990.

Citizens wishing to review the new budget may do so at the office

of County Clerk Glenn Thomas on the first floor of the county courthouse.

Ken Brixey, until recently Chief of Police for the City of Santa Anna, was hired as a deputy with

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Diet Pills Sweeping U.S.

Doctors Invent 'Lazy Way' to Lose Weight

U.S. Gov't. Approves Patent Claims for New Diet Pill

BEVERLY HILLS, CA (Special)—An amazing new weight loss pill called "fat-magnet" has recently been developed and perfected by two prominent doctors at a world famous hospital in Los Angeles that reportedly "guarantees" you steady fat loss and calorie reduction by simply taking their tested and proven new pill.

The U.S. government has just approved the doctors' claims for a hard-to-get patent that confirms "there has never been anything like their fat-bonding pill process before." It is a totally new major scientific breakthrough and is revolutionizing the weight loss industry.

You Can "Eat Normally" Best of all, "you can continue to eat your favorite foods and you don't have to change your normal eating habits. You can start losing fat and reduce calories from the very first day, until you achieve the ideal weight you desire without exercising."

Flushes Fat Out of Body The new pill is appropriately called the "fat-magnet" pill because it breaks into thousands of particles, each acting like a tiny magnet, "attracting" and trapping many times its size in undigested fat particles. Then, all the trapped fat and calories are naturally "flushed" right out of your body because they cannot be absorbed.

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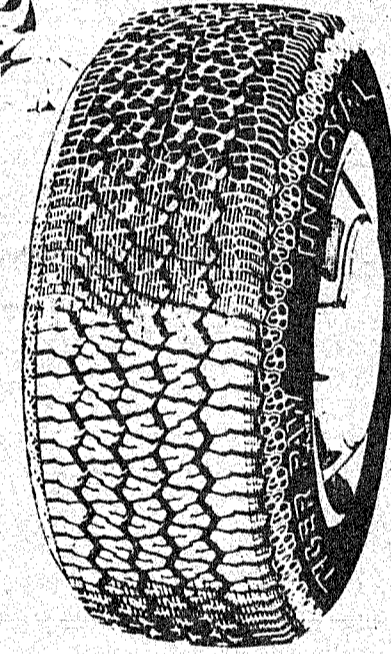
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News For And About Santa Anna Mountaineers



Gold Fever-Catch It!



Sherry Michon

SAHS Citizen Of The Week

Sherry Michon, a senior at Santa Anna High School named Citizen of the week during assembly on Monday, September 18.

Sherry is active in the band where she serves as drum major this year. She is doing a great job fulfilling her responsibilities as drum major as well as providing leadership for the younger band students.

Sherry is also involved in basketball.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Michon of Santa Anna.



Santa Anna's Johnny Betts eyes Wildcat defenders as he scrambles for yardage in last Friday's game against Rising Star. (Photo by Derriel Warnock)

Mountaineers Continued

After a scoreless third quarter, White put his 14 points on the board to bring the game's final tally to 21-7 in favor of the Wildcats of Rising Star.

Individually for Santa Anna, Buddy Hardin carried the ball 10 times for -6 yards; Herbert Jackson, 5 carries for 25 yards; Alonzo Hernandez 4 carries for 0 yards, Michael Betts, 1 carry for 2 yards and Johnny Betts 3 times for 16 yards. The Mountaineers totaled 37 yards rushing.

Coach Doug Dallas commented that the game did have its bright spots as the passing game was much improved for the Mountaineers. They gained 203 yards in the air as they completed

12 of 30 passes, giving up 3 interceptions. Gary Keas caught passes totaling 66 yards and Wesley

Baugh, 40. One bad break of the game is the loss, for at least a couple of weeks, of end/linebacker Alonzo Hernandez who suffered a twisted knee. Another bad break was the

touchdown called back as Johnny Betts was ruled to have stepped out of bounds and a long run by Herbert Jackson which was called back. "These things have a tendency to take the air out of a team."

Dallas was proud of the performance of his defensive squad, who with the exception of Scotty Anderson, Ken Brixey and Hernandez, have never played defense before in a varsity situation. Even with their inexperience, "they are looking good," Dallas says.

Anderson accounted for 10 tackles and one interception; Johnny Betts, 5 tackles and 19 assists; Herbert

Jackson, 11 tackles, and an interception which was called back on a penalty; Chuck Brown, 3 tackles and 5 assists; Scott Valdez 12 tackles and 4 assists; Hernandez 5 tackles, Buddy Hardin 8 tackles and a fumble recovery, Michael Betts 7 tackles, Brixey 7 tackles and a fumble recovery, and Brady Rice 8 tackles.

Unclaimed Annuals To Be Sold

All school annuals unclaimed by September 30 will be sold. Those who have not picked up their annuals may do so from 8-8:50 a.m. or 1:30-3:30, Room 208 in

the high school building. If you did not order an annual, but wish to buy one, you may check with Sandra Guthrie after that date.

Longbrakes Are Honored By Boosters

The Santa Anna Athletic Booster Club has honored Mr. and Mrs. Dick Longbrake by naming them the Boosters of the Week. The couple was lauded for their many years of support and encouragement of the young people of the community.

The Boosters meet at 7:30 each Tuesday night at the varsity lounge, Perry Gym. All interested people are invited to attend as they review the previous football game on film and discuss any upcoming projects.

The Booster Club encourages you to show your support by following "Gold Fever" to Abilene Friday night.

Nine Year-Old Feted With Birthday Party

Delisa Nicholas, daughter of Roland and Susan Nicholas celebrated her ninth birthday with a Skating Party at the Heartland Skateway in Early.

Those in attendance enjoying skating, eating cake with Garfield on it and watching Delisa open presents.

Those attending were the birthday girl, her parents, her brother Nathan, her grandmother Fern Mauldin, Angela Gilbreath, James and Kimberly Meador, Chrystal Isbell, Timmy Ingram, David Coyle, Cynthia Squires, Keylee, Derek Little, Michael Kirvin, Casey Herring, Tom and Nadie Stoud, Zane and Nicki, Russell and Darbi Nicholas and Carol Herring.

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
9-8	Bangs	Here	8:00
9-16	Rising Star	There	8:00
9-22	Abilene Christian	There	8:00
9-29	Baird	Here	8:00
10-6	Gorman	There	8:00
10-13	Miles	There	7:30
10-20	Rochelle	Here	7:30
10-27	Eden*	Here	7:30
11-3	Bronte	There	7:30
11-10	Menard	There	7:30

Date	Opponent	Site	Time
9-7	Bangs	There	6:00
9-21	Eden	Here	7:30
9-28	Baird	There	7:30
10-12	Miles	Here	7:30
10-19	Rochelle	There	7:30
10-26	Eden	There	7:30
11-2	Cross Plains	There	7:30
11-9	Menard	There	7:30

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School Menu

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BREAKFAST: Cereal, buttered toast, applesauce, milk.
LUNCH: Enchilada casserole, refried beans, Mexican salad, fruit cups, crackers, milk.

TUESDAY
BREAKFAST: Cinnamon toast, juice, milk.
LUNCH: barbecue on bun, baked beans, lettuce, tomatoes, peaches, milk.

WEDNESDAY
BREAKFAST: Sweet rolls, juice, milk.
LUNCH: Steak fingers with gravy, cream potatoes, green beans, cherry cobbler, hot rolls, milk.

THURSDAY
BREAKFAST: Pancake with syrup, prunes, milk.
LUNCH: Meat loaf, cheese potatoes, toss salad, apple, hot rolls, milk.

FRIDAY
BREAKFAST: Cereal, buttered toast, fruit, milk.
LUNCH: Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomatoes & pickle, tator tots, cookies, milk.

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Mrs. Leslie McClatchy

Miss Ross-McClatchy Wed

Billie Diane Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ross of Bangs, and Leslie Thomas McClatchy, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Pat McClatchy of Clifton and formerly of Brownwood, were united in marriage in the First United Methodist Church at 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16 in a ceremony performed by the groom's father, Rev. Pat McClatchy, before an altar adorned by two spiral candelabras and a fan candelabra entwined with greenery, as were the communion benches. White satin bows with greenery marked the family pews.

Guests were registered by Lori Coppie at a table which featured pictures of the bride and groom as young children.

Music was provided by Julie Newbury at the piano and soloist, Tom Jordan. Mr. Jordan sang "Looking Through the Eyes of Love" and "To Me."

The bride was given in marriage by her parents and escorted to the altar by her father. Diane chose a formal bridal gown of white satin. The fitted bodice featured a V-shaped Sabrina neckline that was em-
 broidered with hand-pearled Schiffli lace. The long fitted sleeves were enhanced with matching lace appliques accented with iridescent sequins and pearls. The back bodice was designed with a deep V-neckline and edged with Schiffli lace and adorned with draped seed pearls. The basque V-waistline was heavily embellished with pearlized lace that matched the large Schiffli appliques on the satin bouffant skirt. The Cathedral length train was designed with a fan bow sprinkled with lace appliques. For her headpiece, Diane chose a shoulder length veil attached to a three-tiered pearl headband coming to a point on her forehead. The veil was sprinkled with seed pearls.

Her bouquet featured cascades of white orchids, stephanotis and babies breath, accented with pearls and draped with white streamers. Her father placed a penny dated the year of her birth in her shoe.

The bride's attendants were Holly Ross, sister-in-law of the bride and cousin of the groom, serving as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Patricia Kenrick, sister of the groom, and Doris Henderson. The attendants were all dressed in matching

tea-length midnight blue taffeta dresses that featured large silver bows at the waistline in back, with silver shoes and jewelry. They wore sprigs of baby's breath in their hair and carried bouquets of blue calla lilies, highlighted with babies breath and draped with white and silver streamers.

The groom was attired in a silver grey full dress tuxedo with silver grey cummerbund and bow tie. The groom's best man was Mike Stephens. His groomsmen were Mike McClatchy, brother of the groom, and Cecil Ross, brother of the bride.

Ushers were Bill Skiff, and Tony Kenrick, brother-in-law of the groom. They were dressed in silver grey tuxedos with silver and blue cummerbunds and bow ties.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Ross chose a street length deep purple dress with silver accessories. The mothers' corsages were of white silk orchids with silver and white ribbons.

Immediately following the ceremony the reception was held in the garden area of the church. The bride's table was laid with an antique cloth featuring cut-work and held a 3-tiered wedding cake atop a fountain filled with blue water, and topped with white satin wedding bells. The punch was served from a crystal bowl with a silver ladle. The groom's table held a chocolate cake topped with fresh grapes, and coffee was served from a silver coffee service. Both tables were adorned with antique heirlooms belonging to the groom's family.

Members of the houseparty were: Eloise McDonald, aunt of the bride; Sammie McClatchy, aunt of the groom; Becky Ross, cousin of the bride; Diane McClatchy, sister-in-law of the groom; Janie McClatchy, cousin of the groom; Leslie Hill, Lori Coppie, Josie Blasingame, and Jo Ann Ricker.

The groom's parents hosted the



CLARISSA HENDERSON, senior at Coleman High School and FFA President, was elected to the position of Secretary on the Texas Club Calf Association's Junior Board of Directors to serve for the 1989-90 year. This election took place at the A & M Saddle and Sirolo Steer and Heifer Futurity on August 27 in College Station. Miss Henderson showed the Reserve Breed Champion Hereford Steer and Rodney Henderson, her brother, who also participated, showed the second place heavy weight Chianina steer. Clarissa and Rodney are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Henderson of Coleman and the grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn Henderson of Santa Anna.

rehearsal dinner at the Section Hand Restaurant.

The bride is a 1985 graduate of Bangs High School and is employed at Texas Bank. The groom is a 1980 graduate of Brownwood High School and is engaged in farming and ranching.

After a honeymoon trip to Austin and San Antonio the couple will reside in Trichham.

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Seven Departments In Fair Exhibit Bldg.

One of the many popular attractions of the Coleman County Fair will be back this year with seven departments for exhibitors to enter their most prized work of art. Whether it is a picture of your grandbaby or a jar of jelly, you stand a chance to be recognized for your entry.

On Saturday, October 7, if you are on the fair grounds of downtown Coleman and can't find something to buy, eat or play, wander into the Exhibit Building which will be located this year in the old Caskey-Coleman Floral building.

DEPARTMENTS
 Exhibit departments are listed below:

- Grandparents Brag
- Quilting
- Crafts
- Food Preservation
- Knitting, Crocheting & Tatting
- Needlework
- Fine Arts

GENERAL RULES
 All Departments are subject to the following rules and regulations:

1. All work exhibited must be made by Coleman County residents.
2. All articles must be the work of the exhibitor and must have been completed within the past 12 months.
3. Work must not have been previously entered in the Fiesta de la Paloma or Coleman County Fair.
4. Department chairmen, helpers and judges are disqualified from entering the department in which they are assigned.
5. Entries will be accepted between 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Friday, October 6, and 7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. Saturday, October 7, not before or after.
6. Judging will be conducted between 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m. NO ONE will be allowed in the building during this time except for judges and department chairmen.
7. The building will be open to the public from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.
8. Entries will not be released before 3:00 p.m., but should be picked up by 3:30 p.m.
9. Only one entry will be accepted from any individual in each class.
10. Exhibitors are responsible for completing an entry form for each item exhibited. Items left without a completed entry form will be disqualified.

INDIVIDUAL DEPT. RULES

DEPARTMENT A - GRANDPARENT'S BRAG

Classes: 1 - Newborn to 23 months; 2 - 2 to 4 years.

In addition to the General Rules and Regulations, the following rules apply:

- All grandparents are invited to enter a picture of their grandchild.
- The picture must be an 8x10 inch size mounted on a 10x12 background.
- Accompanying the picture must be a short caption (witty, descriptive, etc.) of not more than 10 words.
- Name, address and age of child and the grandparent's name and address should be placed on back of the picture.
- Only one entry per grandchild; however, more than one entry per grandparent may be made.

DEPARTMENT B - QUILTING

Classes: 1 - Appliqued; 2 - Pieced; 3 - Embroidered; 4 - Machine Made.

DEPARTMENT C - CRAFTS

Classes: 1 - Ceramics; 2 - China Painting; 3 - Wood Carving; 4 - Leather Crafts; 5 - Accessories (Ex-Bandana's, belts, jewelry); 6 - Handmade Dolls; 7 - T-Shirt-Sweat Shirt; 8 - Other Original Crafts.

DEPARTMENT D - FOOD PRESERVATION

Classes: 1 - Canned Fruits; 2 - Vegetables; 3 - Pickles & Relishes; 4 - Jams, Jellies and Preserves.

NOTE: In addition to the General Rules and Regulations the following rules apply:

- All entries must be in regulation canning jars and lids.
- Pints and quarts must be used for all items except jams, jellies and preserves.
- Only standard jelly jars and standard one-half pint jars and lids will be accepted for items in Class 4.

DEPARTMENT E - KNITTING, CROCHETING & TATTING

Classes: 1 - Knitting; 2 - Crocheting; 3 - Tatting.

DEPARTMENT F - NEEDLEWORK

Classes: 1 - Cross Stitch; 2 - Needlepoint; 3 - Embroidery; 4 - Other.

DEPARTMENT G - FINE ARTS

Classes: 1 - Paintings - Oil; 2 - Paintings - Watercolor; 3 - Paintings

Contestants Urged To Get Entries In For "Miss Coleman County" Fair Pageant

The Miss Coleman County Pageant is in full swing and undergoing a few changes. October 7, 1989 is the pageant date and 1:00 p.m. is the time. The beauty contest will be held in conjunction with the Coleman County Fair.

Jody Barr and Darlene Woodard will serve as chairpersons for the 1989-90 contest and states that the winner of this year's pageant will have extra duties. The new Miss Coleman County, as her option, can represent this area in a state-wide pageant.

All contestants will be required to ride in the parade on a vehicle in casual apparel. Judging for the parade will be held separately. Line-up time for the parade is 9:30 a.m. at the High School parking lot.

Judging this year will be 50 percent on beauty and 50 percent on poise. What's clear is that judges will choose a girl with a pretty face, lots of poise and one who looks good in her formal or dress. There will not be any interviews before the pageant, but after the five finalists are named, girls will be asked questions about their activities in school, church and community. No swimsuits nor talent judging will be done in this year's pageant.

Traditionally, girls have worn formals in this contest. Tea-length and party dresses are acceptable. In fact, a girl should wear what she looks best in and what compliments her figure.

Any girl enrolled in a Coleman County High School is eligible to enter. Girls will need a sponsor and

Acrylic; 4 - Drawings (Pen & Ink, Pencil, Charcoal); 5 - Sculpture; 6 - Photography - Black and White; 7 - Photography - Color.

NOTE: In addition to the general rules and regulations, the following rules will be followed:

- All entries must be creative, original works of the exhibitor.
- All paintings and drawings must be framed and wired for hanging.
- Exhibitor must provide an easel to display paintings and drawings that are 24"x30" or larger.
- The exhibitor's name will be concealed until after the judging.

Sculpture: Includes works in clay, wood, metal and stone. No Ceramics.

Photography: Photographs must be 8" x 10" mounted on artists board, matte board of heavy duty poster board no larger than 11" x 14". Framed prints are not acceptable and will be disqualified.

merchants in the area will be contacted to sponsor contestants.

Please come and be a part of the Miss Coleman County Pageant. Sit under the Big Top Tent and do some armchair judging of your own. Then when you watch the winner in the state contest being aired on your television, you can say, "I saw her win in Coleman." There are many pretty girls in Coleman and we are inviting all of you to participate in this Pageant.

Pick up your entry form at the Chamber of Commerce Office. Contestants will need to have their entry, along with a picture, at the Coleman Chamber of Commerce by 5:00 p.m. September 29, 1989.

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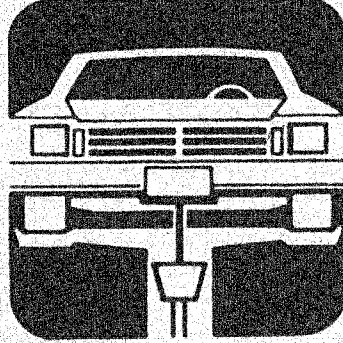
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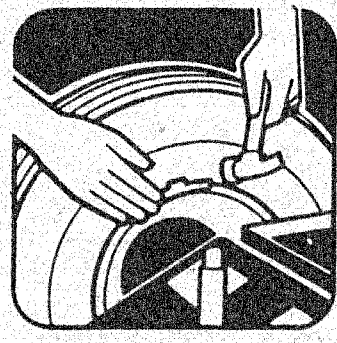
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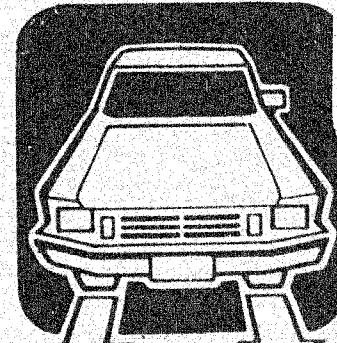
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Johnny Betts (7) and Herbert Jackson (28) lead the way for ball carrier Buddy Hardin (12) as Michael

Betts (32) moves in to assist. (Photo by Polly Warnock)

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Cleveland News

By Carol Herring

Mrs. Tavy Ford was visited on Sunday afternoon by Mrs. Genia McIver.

Visiting with Calvin and Margaret Campbell on Monday were Dallas Houston and friend of Brownwood to dove hunt and Dena Rasch. Dutch Campbell and daughter Carrie Lee Monroe visited Friday and Saturday. Mrs. H. W. Norris was over during the week and Ollie Pembroke and Julian Kelly stopped by.

Cecil and Nona Bell Ellis had supper on Monday night with Jerry and Cathy Ellis and children in honor of Cecil's birthday. They all visited back and forth numerous times during the week. Also they visited with Mrs. Grace Ellis.

Margie Fleming had Jason Mapson spend Saturday night with her. Sunday visitors were Naomi Smith, Leoma Bollinger and Rita Mae Neal all of Brownwood and Phyllis and Eddie Dillard and Donna and Jason Mapson.

Charlie and Thelma Fleming had their granddaughter and family, Ivy

and Mike Hitchcock, Kimberly and James of San Angelo visit on Saturday. Also on Saturday they attended the Parson Reunion.

Visiting Lee Ray and Syble Huggins have been David and Amber Huggins.

Casey and Evaline Herring visited with Helen and J. R. Haynes on Saturday afternoon. Sunday afternoon they visited with J. E. and Ovella Williams.

The Junior Hendersons were visited by a cousin, Louie Sharp of Early one day this past week.

Last Sunday night Adolph and Doris Kelly were visited by Casey and Evaline Herring.

Clara Cupps visited with Odell Henderson and Bea Cupps on Thursday. Sunday Kasha Cupps of Coleman had lunch with her grandparents.

Mrs. Velda Mills went to Brownwood on Saturday with Suzan and Candy Daniel.

Hardin Phillips was visited on Leon Phillips on Saturday. Sunday Hardin visited with Bruce Alsobrooke.

A. C. and Lou Pierce attended Jessica Pelton's second birthday party on Sunday.

Mrs. Amanda Perry visited Virginia Riddle in Coleman on Monday afternoon.

Vera Wise was visited by Jimmy Eisenhower on Saturday. On Sunday Toni Lovelace returned home after a two week stay.

The Emil Williams' son Duane Williams returned home Thursday evening after spending several weeks with his parents. Ovella Williams stopped by.

In and out over the week-end visiting with Dick and Carmilla Baugh were Jamie Jo, Debbie and J. C. Bible.

Mrs. Ruth Hibbitts visited Kathleen and Charlie Avants on Sunday. Joe Wallace was out on Sunday.

Visitors with Mrs. Winnie Haynes this past week were Anna York, Sug Stearns, Florence Stearns, Clara Cupps and Leona Henderson. On Sunday Winnie went to Laverne and Doyle Evans for lunch and to visit with Linda who was in for the week-end. Eppie Lowry attended church in Bangs on Sunday with her son Lonnie Lowry and afterwards had lunch with Lonnie and Nancy Lowry and children.

Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

The Extension Homemakers Club will meet Tuesday, September 26, at the Rockwood Community Center at 2:00 p.m. Billie Weatherby will host the meeting. Everyone is invited.

The Community enjoyed the game party and ice cream supper at the Center Thursday evening of last week. A large crowd was in attendance and all enjoyed having the opportunity to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Richter and Mrs. Jay Rankin and children, who are newcomers to our community.

Mrs. and Mrs. Rodney Duus of Mulshoe spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duus and Robert and visiting relatives and friends in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bray visited in Coleman Sunday with the Mack Hambright family.

The Dick Deals visited at Coleman with Norene Winstead who lives at Holiday Hill. Dick and Johnie attended the funeral services in Coleman for Mrs. Ruby Riddle, a long time resident of Rockwood.

They also attended the graveside funeral service for David Routh.

Joe C. Deal of Santa Anna spent Sunday with his parents, Dick and Johnie. The Deals attended the morning services at the Baptist Church where Rev. Mr. McNally of H.P.U. brought the message.

Majorie Pearson of Brady spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson.

Billie Eckles of San Angelo spent Thursday with Mrs. Claudia Rutherford, Bob Rutherford, Megan and Margot of Santa Anna visited with Claudia Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Gussie Wise, who has been living at Oak Ridge Manor has moved to Coleman to Holiday Hill, moving Friday, as well as Mrs. Myrtle Hill of Ranger Park Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan were in Coleman Monday attending funeral rites for Ruby Riddle who was buried in the Rockwood Cemetery. Friday the Bryans attended the graveside rites for David Routh who also was buried at Rockwood.

Saturday morning the Bryans were in Brownwood visiting at the

rest home with Mrs. Jane Wise.

Visiting Saturday afternoon in the Bryan home were Wanda McIver of Katy and Hazel Hodges and Mrs. Faye Hodges of Abilene.

Mrs. Curtis Bryan spent Monday and Tuesday at Comanche with the Jack Boyd family.

Bettie Johnson, a niece of Richland Springs, visited Gladys Hunter Tuesday afternoon. Others dropping by were Oleta Mobley, Russie James, Ross Kelly, Dorothy Isenhower, and Mae McFarlin.

Claudia Rutherford and her guest, Billie Eckles of San Angelo visited Saturday with Mrs. Jake McCreary.

Jerry Johnson of Abilene spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Marcus Johnson and Dorothea. Bryan Hodges of Abilene visited Sunday morning and Bettie Duus called that afternoon.

Wilma and Blake Williams visited Polly Straughan while shopping in Coleman.

Jake McCreary visited Aubrey McSwain Sunday morning.



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PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 7, 1989

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 102 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the salary of members of the legislature to one-fourth of the Governor's salary and increase the salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives to one-half of the Governor's salary. The annual salary of members of the legislature, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives is currently \$7,200. Under this provision, the annual salary of the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker would be \$46,716, and the annual salary of members of the legislature would be \$23,358, based on the Governor's current annual salary of \$93,432. The increase for the Speaker and the members of the legislature would take effect when the legislature convenes for its regular session in January 1991. The increase for the Lieutenant Governor would take effect when the term of that office begins in 1991. The salary increase for the Lieutenant Governor would not make members of the legislature ineligible to run for the office of Lieutenant Governor.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to limit the salary of the lieutenant governor and the speaker of the house of representatives to not more than one-half of the governor's salary and to limit the salary of a member of the legislature to not more than one-fourth of the governor's salary."

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 5 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Texas Water Development Board to issue an additional \$500 million of Texas water development bonds. The additional bonds are to be used as follows: \$250 million of the bonds are to be used for water supply loans and facilities acquisition; \$200 million of the bonds are to be used for water quality enhancement projects; and \$50 million of the bonds are to be used for flood control. The legislature may provide that \$100 million be used for subsidized loans and grants to economically distressed areas of the state for water and wastewater facilities.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize the issuance of an additional \$500 million of Texas water development bonds for water supply, water quality, and flood control purposes."

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 51 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to provide for the issuance of general obligation bonds to provide money to establish a Texas agricultural fund, a rural microenterprise development fund, a Texas product development fund, and a Texas small business incubator fund in the state treasury. The Texas agricultural fund would be used to provide financial assistance to develop, increase, improve, or expand the production, processing, marketing, or export of crops or products grown or produced in Texas by Texas agricultural businesses. The rural microenterprise development fund would be used to stimulate the creation and expansion of small businesses in rural areas. The Texas product development fund would be used to aid in the development and production of new or improved products in this state. The Texas small business incubator fund would be used to stimulate the development of small businesses in the state.

The principal amount of bonds outstanding at one time could not exceed \$25 million for the Texas agricultural fund and \$5 million for the rural microenterprise develop-

ment fund. The financial assistance offered by both funds could include loan guarantees, insurance, coinsurance, loans, and indirect loans or purchases or acceptances of assignments of loans or other obligations. To carry out the Texas product development fund, the legislature could authorize loans, loan guarantees, and equity investments, and the issuance of up to \$25 million of general obligation bonds for initial funding. To carry out the Texas small business incubator fund, the legislature could authorize loans and grants of money, and the issuance of up to \$20 million of general obligation bonds for initial funding.

Bonds authorized under this amendment would be paid out of the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in any interest and sinking account at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the recovery and further development of the state's economy, with goals of increasing job opportunities and other benefits for Texas residents, through state financing of the development and production of Texas products and businesses."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 13 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature, by general law, to exempt from ad valorem taxes property owned by nonprofit veterans organizations that are chartered or incorporated by the United States Congress.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to exempt property of nonprofit veterans organizations from ad valorem taxation."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 11 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide an exemption from ad valorem taxation for goods, wares, merchandise, other tangible personal property (including aircraft), and ores (other than oil, gas, and petroleum products) if the property is acquired in or imported into the state and is destined to be forwarded out of the state, regardless of whether the intention to forward the property existed when the property was acquired or imported into the state, if it remains in Texas for 175 days or less for assembly, storage, manufacture, processing, or fabrication. The proposed amendment would authorize the governing body of a county, municipality, school district, or junior college district to prevent the exemption of this tangible personal property from taxation by taking official action before April 1, 1990. A county, municipality, school district, or junior college district could rescind a decision to tax the property, in which case the exemption would become effective in the year of the rescission and the property could not thereafter be taxed.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment promoting economic growth, job creation, and fair tax treatment for Texans who export goods to other states and nations by restoring and allowing, on a local option basis, an ad valorem tax exemption for certain personal property that is in Texas only temporarily for the purpose of assembling, storing, manufacturing, processing or fabricating."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that

would enable the legislature to provide, by general or special law, that members of a hospital district board may serve terms not to exceed four years. Currently, hospital district board members' terms are two years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"Authorizing the members of a hospital district governing board to serve four-year terms."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 40 proposes a constitutional amendment that would change the format of the oath of office for officeholders in this state. All elected and appointed officers would be required to take an oath or affirmation swearing to faithfully execute the duties of office and to preserve, protect, and defend the constitution and laws of the State and the United States. In addition, each elected and appointed officer would be required to sign a sworn statement that he or she had not paid, offered, or promised anything of value for a vote or to secure appointment to an office, as applicable. The written, sworn statement would be filed with the secretary of state. The information in the statement is currently contained in the oaths of office taken by elected and appointed officials.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to require that a member of the legislature, the secretary of state, and an elected or appointed officer, before assuming office, sign a written oath stating that the member, the secretary of state, or the officer did not engage in bribery to obtain the office."

PROPOSITION NO. 8 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 24 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature to authorize the issuance of up to \$400 million in general obligation bonds. The proceeds of the bonds could be used to acquire, construct, or equip new corrections institutions, mental health and mental retardation institutions, youth corrections institutions, and statewide law enforcement facilities and to repair and renovate existing facilities of those institutions. The bonds would constitute a general obligation of the state. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be paid from the first money coming into the treasury that is not otherwise appropriated by the constitution, less any amount in a sinking fund at the end of the preceding fiscal year that is pledged to payment of the bonds or interest.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds for projects relating to facilities of corrections institutions, youth corrections institutions, and mental health and mental retardation institutions and for the expansion of statewide law enforcement facilities."

PROPOSITION NO. 9 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 101 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to pass laws to organize and combine state agencies that perform criminal justice functions. The legislature could combine into one or more agencies all agencies that have authority over the confinement and supervision of convicted criminals, and that gather information about criminal justice administration. Agencies that could be combined would include the Texas Department of Corrections, the Board of Pardons and Paroles, and the Texas Adult Probation Commission. The amendment would also authorize the legislature to pass laws authorizing the appointment of members of more than one department of government to serve on the governing body.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to organize and combine various state agencies that perform criminal justice functions."

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to enact laws requiring or permitting judges to advise juries that a defendant convicted of a criminal offense can receive credit for good conduct that results in a shorter prison term and that eligibility for parole or mandatory supervision can also affect the length of time a convicted criminal serves in prison.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to require or permit courts to inform juries about the effect of good conduct time and eligibility for parole or mandatory supervision on the period of incarceration served by a defendant convicted of a criminal offense."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 102 proposes a constitutional amendment that would increase the per diem of members of the Legislature. The amount of per diem allowed during a calendar year would be equal to the maximum amount allowed for federal income tax purposes as of January 1 of that same year as a deduction for living expenses incurred by a state legislator. The per diem of \$30 would increase to \$81, which is the current maximum living expense deduction.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to set the amount of per diem received by a member of the legislature at the amount allowed for federal income tax purposes as a deduction for living expenses incurred by a state legislator in connection with official business."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 53 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to provide for the use of the permanent school fund and the income from the permanent school fund to guarantee bonds issued by the state for the purpose of providing loans or purchasing the bonds of school districts to acquire, construct, renovate, or improve instructional facilities. If the permanent school fund were required to make payment as a result of its guarantee of bonds issued by the state, the fund would have to be reimbursed immediately from the state treasury. The amount of bonds guaranteed by the permanent school fund could not exceed \$750 million unless a higher amount was authorized by a two-thirds vote of both houses of the legislature. If a school district were to become delinquent on a loan, the amount of the delinquency would be offset against other aid to which the district was entitled.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for using the permanent school fund and its income to guarantee bonds issued by the state for the purpose of aiding school districts."

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 19 proposes a constitutional amendment that would provide a bill of rights for crime victims. This constitutional amendment would give crime victims the right to be treated with fairness and respect and to be reasonably protected from the defendant. On his request, the crime victim would have the right to notification of court proceedings, the right to be present at all public court proceedings unless a court determines that the victim's testimony would be affected by hearing other testimony, the right to confer with a representative of the prosecutor's office, the right to restitution, and the right to information about the conviction, sentence, imprisonment, and release of the defendant. The legislature would be authorized to enact laws to define the term "victim," to enforce the rights of crime victims, and to provide that certain public officers and agencies are not liable for a failure to protect a victim's rights.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment

providing a bill of rights for crime victims."

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 71 proposes a constitutional amendment that would require the district attorney in Fort Bend County to be elected and serve terms at the same times as criminal district attorneys in the state. Currently, criminal district attorneys are elected in gubernatorial election years and district attorneys are elected in presidential election years.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment requiring a district attorney serving in Fort Bend County to be elected and serve a term in the manner provided by general law for criminal district attorneys."

PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 32 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature, by general law, to permit charitable raffles conducted by qualified nonprofit organizations. The amendment would require that the raffles be conducted, promoted, and administered only by members of the qualified nonprofit organizations and that the proceeds from the sale of raffle tickets must be spent for the charitable purposes of the organizations.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit and regulate raffles conducted by certain nonprofit organizations for charitable purposes."

PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment allowing the legislature to pass general laws authorizing the creation of hospital districts upon approval of a majority of the qualified voters of the district. The amendment would also permit the legislature to authorize the creation of hospital districts by general or special law in counties with populations of 75,000 or less and to authorize the commissioners courts of such counties to levy ad valorem taxes and issue general obligation bonds for the support and maintenance of such districts.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment granting to the people the right to decide whether to create and maintain hospital districts to protect the public well-being in a manner independent of the legislature."

PROPOSITION NO. 17 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 33 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow the legislature, by general law, to authorize the use of public money to provide local fire departments and other public fire-fighting organizations loans or other financial assistance to purchase fire-fighting equipment and to aid in complying with federal and state law. The legislature would also be allowed to authorize the use of public money for scholarships and grants to educate and train members of these organizations. Part of the money could be used for administrative costs of this program. The legislature would provide for the terms and conditions of all such scholarships, grants, loans, and other financial assistance.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the state to provide scholarships, grants, loans, and other financial assistance to local fire departments and other public fire-fighting organizations to purchase fire-fighting equipment, to aid in providing necessary equipment and facilities to comply with federal and state law, and to educate and train their members."

PROPOSITION NO. 18 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 44 proposes a constitutional amendment that would repeal subsection (e) of Article III, Section 50-d of the constitution. Article III, Section 50-d currently allows the Texas Water Development Board to issue and sell Texas agricultural water conserva-

tion bonds in an amount not to exceed \$200 million, if two-thirds of the members of each house of the legislature approve. Under subsection (e), this authority will expire in November, 1989. Repeal of subsection (e) by passage of this amendment would continue in effect the authority to issue and sell the bonds.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to eliminate certain time limitations relating to the issuance of Texas agricultural water conservation bonds."

PROPOSITION NO. 19 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 59 proposes a constitutional amendment that would allow local governments to invest their funds as authorized by the legislature. Currently, the constitutional prohibition against a grant of public money to an individual, association, or corporation or against becoming a stockholder in a corporation, association, or company prevents local governments from making some kinds of investments. This proposed amendment would allow local governments to make any investments authorized by the legislature.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize local governments to invest their funds as provided by law."

PROPOSITION NO. 20 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 16 proposes a constitutional amendment which, if passed, would abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb Counties. A majority of the voters in an affected county must vote in favor of this proposed amendment before the office is abolished in that county. If the office of county surveyor is abolished in any of these counties, the powers, duties, and functions of the office are transferred to a county officer or employee designated by the commissioners court of the county in which the office is abolished.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county surveyor in Cass, Ector, Garza, Smith, Bexar, Harris, and Webb Counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 21 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 74 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to enact laws authorizing the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor to provide for, issue, and sell an additional \$75 million in general obligation bonds as college savings bonds. The form, terms, and denominations of the bonds would be prescribed by law. The interest rate and installments would be prescribed by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board or its successor. The maximum net effective interest rate would be set by law. Proceeds from the sale of the bonds would be credited to the Texas opportunity plan fund, which is used to make loans to students to attend institutions of higher education in Texas. The bonds and interest on the bonds would be payable from the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year that is not already appropriated by the constitution, less the amount remaining in the sinking fund at the close of the prior fiscal year.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds as college savings bonds to provide educational loans to students and to encourage the public to save for a college education."

Estos son los informes explicatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitucion que apareceran en la boleta el dia 7 de noviembre de 1989. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podra obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8883 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12080, Austin, Texas 78711.

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Ranger Park Inn

By Annie May Brimer

Phyllis Bradley has accepted the Activity Director position at Ranger Park Inn Nursing Home. She lives in Brownwood and has six children, three are still at home. She is a Certified Activity Director and is a member of the Big Country Chapter of Social Rehabilitative Directors of Abilene. She invites every one to continue visiting and supporting Ranger Park Inn in the same manner as in the past. Annie Mae Brimer will be retiring the last of September.

The residents enjoyed the singing of Del Funderburg, Jim Boyle, Alene Needham, Gladys Creek, Neal Smith, Tina Whittington, Virginia Wood and Katherine Anderson Tuesday afternoon.

A group of Senior Citizens from Coleman came to play 42 and dominoes with the residents on Thursday afternoon.

Joe Green and Phyllis Bradley popped corn for the residents to enjoy Friday afternoon.

The Saturday afternoon service was conducted by Del Funderburg, Jim Leavell, Maxine Douglas and Bonnie Bertrand.

The third Sunday service was presented by Gay Irvin, Robert Robinetti, Laura Keency, Pat DeWitt, Bro. G.W. and Pat McFadden, Fannie Gilbert Chuck Green, Myrtle Chapman and Minnie Perkins. It was a delight to listen to them sing for an hour.

The residents sue enjoyed playing 42 with Wilmoth Russell, Lora Russell, Lucile Wylie, Eula McCary, Bessie McDonald and Herman Estes Monday afternoon. There were four tables of players.

Mrs Homer Vincent and Frances Weems shared clothing with us. This is something that is used every day.

We are so happy to have Alberto Stamper, Doris Mathis and Modora Gilmore make their home at Ranger Park Inn. We wish you much happiness while you are here.

Myrtle Estes and Lena Owens moved to Coleman. We miss them but wish them the best and much happiness.

Our hearts are saddened at the death of Polly Cox. She died Monday morning Sept. 18. She will be missed by all the residents and staff members. It was such a Joy to have her make her home with us. Sympathy is extended to her family.

LIVING CENTER

Preston Cude visitors were Cleo Cude and Anne Smith.

Thelma Whitehead received a visit from Cleo Canady.

Red Cupps visitors were Joey Cupps, Dick Baugh, Marshall and Mavice Campbell, Thomas Wristen and Joe Wallace.

NURSING HOME

Dillard Gregg visitors were Lennie and Russell Neal.

Myrtle Robertson visitors were Darwin and Billie Lovelady, Doris Stearns and Juanita Minica.

Velma Cummings visitors were Thelma and Otis Throgmorton.

Velora Jackson visitors were Katherine Anderson and Gay Irvin.

Mattie Hicks received a visit from Katherine Anderson.

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

Jim Dixon visitors were Myrtle Dixon, Prebble Lawrence, Johnnie Lanier.

Lillie Box visitors were Mavice and Marshall Campbell.

Martin Wallace visitors were Louise McCaughan, Juanita Minica, Katherine Anderson, Annie Merle Morris, Jacky Duquett, Harry Crews, Wanda Wallace, Gladys Day, Bessie Parish, Joe Wallace.

Millard Thomason received visits from Lucile Smith.

Polly Cox visitors were Fred and Gladys Smith, Katherine Anderson, Vernon and Faye Lewis, Marie Yeo, Carmen Donham, Tim and Clyde Tindell, Pauline Dela Rosa, Lona Saunders, Leslie Kannel, Minnie Perkins, Winston and Evelyn Elkins, Thelbert and Ruth Elkins, Mary A Stringer, Jim and Sarah Lou Gardner, Merle McClellan, Ben and Myra Taylor.

Modora Gilmore visitors were Lucile Wylie, Eula McCary, Wilmoth Russell, Bessie McDonald, Lora Russell.

Henry Goodwin visitors were Katherine Anderson, Bob Goodwin, Elton McDonald.

Charlie Bruce visitors were Chanda and Margaret Simmons, Bruce, Karyn and Emma Kingsbery, Harry Crews, Margaret and Tom

Robin, Imogene Powers, Michael Powers, Rodney McCarty, Barbara Kingsbery, Carol Ottmens.

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

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

Jack and Dora Skelton visitors were Harold and Caroline Skelton, Kevin Allen, Otis and Thelma Throgmorton, Joan Jones, Vanessa Page, Arthur and Wayne Doose, June Finlay, Carolyn Wilson, Pete Skelton, E.L. and Lillie Charlton, Del Funderburg Edwin and Ivy Pittard, Wanda Skelton, George Harrington.

Opal Maples visitors were Bob Tyson, Dink Taylor, Ben and Myra Taylor, Merle McClellan, Billie Simons, Robert Simons, Bill and Pat Cox, Del Funderburg, Virginia Wood, Neal Smith, Idella Wristen, Billie Guthrie, David and Michelle Thompson, Ruby Parker, Eddie Dillard.

Mary Jo Lovell visitors were A.D. Pitts, Katherine Anderson, Nettie Tomlinson, Eva O. Raper, Del Funderburg, Sharon Watson, Prebble Lawrence, Lela Cross, Cora Lee Evans, Wanda Wallace, Laura Keency.

Ima and Fred Rudolph visitors were Bobbie Seals, Mary Smith, Maggie Ruth Stokes, Thelbert and Ruth Elkins, Mary Alice Stringer, Jim and Sarah Lou Gardner, Yvonne O'Hair, Rev Hagermeyer, Ben and Myra Taylor, Merle McClellan, Winston and Evelyn Elkins, Ann Richardson.

Christine Sanders visitors were Jackie Ginsberg, Stephanie Starr, Merle McClellan, Syble Huggins, Billie Guthrie, Elsie Velo, Jay Briggs, Peggy Johnson, Sarah Lou Gardner, Mary Alice Stringer, Marie Yoe, Linwood and Lillie Bishop, Nell Myers, Michael and Imogene Powers, Myra Taylor.

Ora Caldwell visitors were Carmen Donham, Maxine Douglas, Del Funderburg, Lois Haines, Rev G.W. McFadden, Letha Martin.

Alberto Stamper visitors were Vernon Stamper, Virginia Stamper, Ida Perry, Delia Salazar, Mona Yvette Stamper, Stephanie Salazar, Lee Perry, Billy Perry, Corina Gouna, John Gouna, Victor and Juanita Diaz, Tim Perry, Robert and Susie Stamper, Sam Ramirez, Ernestine Stamper, Robert S. Stamper, DLisa Stamper, Johnny Salazar, Rene Stamper.

Viola Morris visitors were Adelle Gilbreath, Toss Martin, Dink Taylor, Ila Todd, Linwood and Lillie Bishop, Annie M Morris, Jacky Duquett, Billie Guthrie, Carmen Donham, Michael and Imogene Powers, Lynn Taylor, Bessie Parish, Gladys Day, Alvin Buford, Bobbie Guthrie, Nancy Conner, Myra Taylor, Merle McClellan, Bessie McDonald, Eula McCary.

Nestor Diaz visitors were Mona Yvette Stamper, Corina Gouna, John Gouna, Ida Perry, Victor and Juanita Diaz, Delia and Stephanie Salazar, Virginia Stamper, Tim Perry Johnny Salazar.

Cleo Canady visitors were Doris Rogers, H. D. Canady, Maggie Ruth Stokes.

Ruth Ewing visitors were Doris Rogers, Elsie Velo, Jay Briggs, John Cross, Boots Ewing, Ray and Diane McNew, Maggie Ruth Stokes, Winston and Evelyn Elkins, Thelbert and Ruth Elkins, Beulah Gordon, Ima and Fred Rudolph, Ben and Myra Taylor, Merle McClellan.

Bula Fleming visitors were Charlie Fleming, Katherine Anderson, Bro. G.W. McFadden, Fannnie Gilbert, Gladys Smith, Margie Fleming, Buna Baucom, Peggy

Sikes, Barbara Kingsbery, Gladys Day, Bessie Parish, Pauline Dela Rosa, Lora Russell, Charles Hart, Viola Hart, Bernice Hart, J. a. Fleming.

Clarinda Menges and Nancy Menges visitors were Bob Dunphy, Dorothy Alsobrook, Louise Taylor, Nancy Conner.

Bill Lawrence visitors were Linwood and Lillie Bishop, Katherine Anderson, Neal Smith, Bernadine and Bert Fowler, Carolyn Wilson, Wanda Wallace, Myrtle Dixon, Prebble Lawrence, Johnnie Lanier.

Lois Haines visitors were Gladys Snodgrass, Jewel Hosch, Kathryn and Joe F. Estes, Jewel Lee, Bernadine and Bert Fowler, Carmen Donham, Alta Bengé.

Boyd McClure visitors were A.D. Pitt, Katherine Anderson, Mr and Mrs Cecil Paterson, Mr and Mrs Harry Crews, Worth Franke, Edd Saverance, Cora Lee Evans, Bill and Karen Hicks, Alta Bengé, Betty and Wayne McClure, Dayton McClure, Sewell and Dot Summers, Edwin and Ivy Pitard, Thelbert and Ruth Elkins.

Jimmie Sue Hulett visitors were Katherine Anderson and Myrtle Chapman.

Allene Barnett visitors were Gladys Snodgrass, Faye and Thurman Maddox, Carmen Donham, Bert and Bernadine Fowler, Jewel Lee, Alta Bengé, Avis Vaughan, Billie and Montie Guthrie, Tom and Lane Guthrie, Bobbie Guthrie, Montie Guthrie III, Thomas and Idella Wristen, Michael Tibbetts, LeAnne Tibbits.

Louise Davis visitors were Linwood and Lillie Bishop, Mutt and Irma, Katherine Anderson, Bernadine and Bert Fowler, Elsie Ashford, Bobbie Guthrie, Adelle Gilbreath.

Corrine Storey visitors were K.G. Storey, Jim Leavell, Joan Guthrie.

Marie Hill received a visit from Ruby Parker.

Frances Horton visitors were Lee Horton, Lera Guthrie, Louise McCaughan, Thelma and Otis Throgmorton, Jackie Ginsberg, Lindsey

Evans, Charlyne Griffith, Del Funderburg, Pauline Dela Rosa, Bobbie Guthrie, Elsie Ashford, Bill and Louise Smedley, Myra Taylor, Merle McClellan.

John and Doris Skelton visitors were June Finley, Harold and Caroline Skelton, Ken, Barbara and Kem Gifford, Ben and Myra Taylor.

Onnie Edens visitors were George Harrington, Harry and Margaret Crews, Wayne and Arthur Doose, Thelma and Otis Throgmorton, Carolyn Wilson, June Finlay, Maggie Ruth Stokes, Edwin and Ivy Pittard, Myrtle Dixon, Prebble Lawrence, Johnnie Lanier.

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

Pearl Arnold visitors were Lera Guthrie, Lida Moore, Louise McCaughan, Jackie Ginsberg, Lindsey Evans, Charlyne Griffith, Del Funderburg, Pauline Dela Rosa, Bobbie Guthrie, Elsie Ashford, Bill and Louise Smedley.

Doris Mathis visitors were Mr and Mrs John S. West.

Lessie Guyer received a visit from Nellie Townsend.

Lillie Knotts visitors were Jack and Ila Todd, Othel Egbert visitors were Lana Rae Dodgen, Phillip and Daria.

The Bibs Eula McCary make are so nice and appreciated so much.

Doris Stearns donated quilt material and Magazines to the nursing home.

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I wish to express my deep appreciation to my friends for their care and concern during my recent surgery and recuperation. Thank you very much for your assistance, gifts, prayers, visits, flowers, food, cards, and telephone calls. Your kindness will be remembered always by my family and me.

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Delta Omicron Lists Recent Awards & Activities

The summer rush social for Delta Omicron Sorority was held August 19 at the home of Mike and Maribee Pritchard.

In attendance were Ken and Coyita Bowker, Danny and Debbie Wheatley, Rodney and Patti Musick, Eddie, Susie, Austin and Kelly Voss, Paul, Gay, Sabrina and Colt Martin, James and Karen Morris and children, Kelly Simmons, Dickie and Gail Horner.

The group enjoyed a horseshoe pitching tournament. The children enjoyed bouncing on the trampoline and playing with the kittens.

Mike Pritchard grilled hamburgers. Debbie and Coyita brought homemade ice cream. Everyone ate and enjoyed.

The regular monthly meeting was held September 11 at the home of Coyita Bowker. In attendance were, Mrs. Bowker, Bernidene Watson, Maribee Pritchard, Patti Musick, Debbie Wheatley, Susie Voss,

Sharon Greenlee, Judy Hartman, Geneva Garrett, Donna Bradley, Gale Horner, Gay Martin, Gail Loyd, Jo Ashworth, Jeanette Driskell and two guests.

Reports of recent district and state meetings were given. Delta Omicron placed third at the district meeting for donated hours. They received a Gold Link Certificate for excellence at the state meeting for education programs during the year. Kathy Pearce, Education director, is responsible for the fine programs. Her February program "Helping Your Body Maintain Harmony Through Regular Checkups", presented by Dr. Melanie Wayne, won first place in district and first in state.

It was also reported that the summer bike-a-thon brought in over \$700.

Sheep & Goat Producers To Meet Tuesday

Sheep and goat producers and spouses are invited to a meeting on Tuesday evening, September 26th. The programs will begin at 6:30 p.m. at Panther Creek School. Four programs will be presented: home spinning and weaving, commercial-monair production, sheep requirements, production trait changes, and brush control.

A meal will begin at 6:30 p.m. Please R.S.V.P. by September 22nd at 625-4519. Programs will start about 7:45 and conclude at 9:00 p.m. The meeting is sponsored by the Coleman County Extension Service.

The program on Tuesday, September 26th is open to the public. RSVP at the Coleman County Extension Office by September 22nd. For more information, call 625-4519.

Haynes Family Gathers In S.A.

This past weekend family and friends of Mr and Mrs J.R. Haynes gathered at their home on Wallis Avenue for a weekend get together.

The three days were spent reminiscing, looking at pictures and eating.

On Saturday afternoon the children and children-in-law of the Haynes hosted a backyard barbecue supper with all the trimmings.

Attending were the Haynes children. Roy and Mary Haynes of Daingerfield; Jesse and Nancy Haynes of Fairfield, Lyndon and LaVelle Haynes of Gorman, Weldon and Arlene Haynes of Fort Worth, Ginger Graham of Gardendale, Kay Hays of Austin, and Mary Bordeaux of Los Gates, California.

Grandchildren who came were Vikki and Darrell Schoolcraft of Houston, Lynne Coker of Houston, Leslie Cockerham of Donie and Becky and Lindale Widner of Kermit.

Great-grandchildren were Kristi, Kaci and Kara Schoolcraft of Houston, Jennifer Coker of Houston and Shelby and Brady Widner of Kermit.

Other relatives and friends were George and Goldie Haynes of Brownwood, Mrs. E.E. McClintock of Santa Anna, Mrs. Earlene Scott of Santa Anna, Mrs. Ruth Manor of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring of Trickham, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hays of Santa Anna and Rodney Dean of Santa Anna.



The first airplane purchased by the U.S. government was called the *Miss Columbia* and bought from the Wright brothers in 1909.

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. Jerry Johnson of Abilene was a bedtime visitor with Mr. Loyd Rutherford one night the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Griffin of Gouldbask area were visitors with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Otts and Yancy on Sunday September 10. They enjoyed the day looking and riding over the ranch and just being together.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited with Mrs. Betty Bearden in Brownwood Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Amon Otts and Yancy were in San Angelo Sale Barn all day Monday of the past week. They took some goats to the sale there.

The past week has been rather quite at my house. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman was with me on the past Saturday and again Monday (today). Loyd Rutherford was with us Saturday. Had a telephone visit with Thomas Ray Rutherford from New Hampshire Saturday afternoon and with my daughter Lynda Wheeler Sunday afternoon and daughter Patsy all during the week I heard from her and her family.

Mr. Rex Turney of Santa Anna stopped and chatted briefly with Hilary and I Saturday morning. He checked on his farm and cattle.

Mrs. Jacky (Cheryl) Bullion came early Saturday morning and she and her mother, Mrs. Imogene Fitzpatrick attended the arts and crafts festival in Brownwood and reported an enjoyable day. This was a birthday celebration for Mrs. Fitzpatrick from her daughter, Mrs. Niel Fitzpatrick of Odessa was here with his parents over the weekend and on Saturday night, Mr. Fitzpatrick and son Niel took the wife and mother out to enjoy a big birthday supper. "So, a big happy past birthday to Imogene!!!"

Jeffery Morris was with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Saturday night. On Sunday afternoon, Mr. Norman Floyd Morris of Brownwood came to the Morris farm for a visit and checking on his uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Amon Otts and Yancy were at Throckmorton Saturday and Sunday. She reported Amon's grandfather is doing

reasonably well. Amon doesn't go much longer than a week at the time checking on the family there. Amon participated in a roping in that part of the world on Sunday. Was very proud of his luck but not so proud of how sore he was Monday.

Mr. Graham Fitzpatrick's step-brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wright and son Mr. and Mrs. Orval Wright and Lewis Glenn Wright of Brady visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick Sunday. The men did some bird hunting, also went fishing and caught some fish. Had a wonderful day together.

Mrs. May McFarlin and daughter, Mrs. George Daniel Wheatly were in Brownwood Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. George Daniel Wheatly was Sunday dinner guest with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited Doris Ruth Stearns in Brownwood Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. May McFarlin reports she called and talked to her brother's son Thursday night and was told her brother, Mr. Carl Smith was in the hospital and not doing so well. Doctor seems to be afraid they may have to do surgery.

Lucille Sorrells of Coleman was Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleber Massey of Abilene were weekend visitors on the ranch here returning to Abilene Monday morning.

Mrs. May McFarlin and Mr. and Mrs. George Daniel Wheatly visited with Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Johnson in Coleman Sunday afternoon. Mrs. McFarlin accompanied her daughter and husband home. The Wheatley's son of Santa Anna came to his parent's home where they all had supper. Mrs. McFarlin returned to Santa Anna Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Danny Wheatly.

Mrs. Jamie Morris visited briefly with me Monday morning and also with Mrs. Fitzpatrick at the post office.

Mr. Douglas Avant of Brady was a supper guest with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Avant in Santa Anna Saturday. Douglas and wife Rene' are planning a vacation of sight seeing in the near future. A big thanks for your news.

Trickham News

By Anna York

EDITOR'S NOTE: We at the Santa Anna News goofed last week when replacing worn headings and used an old heading for the Trickham News which showed Mrs. O.R. Boenicke as the correspondent. We are sorry for any confusion this mistake may have caused. Mrs. Anna York is writing the Trickham News.)

The big news of the week was the rain. North of me they recorded as much as one and a half inch. I only received eight tenths while south of Trickham, four and a half inches fell. It was so nice and it looks like fall here.

Mrs. Mary Lea Mitchell returned home Wednesday from a ten day stay in Austin where she had been at the bedside of her granddaughter Pam Garrett who had undergone surgery. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Russie James had lunch in Santa Anna Tuesday with Mrs. Oneta James and visited in the afternoon with Mrs. Gladys Hunter. Later she visited in the Rankin McIver home with Ethel Johnson who was spending the week there. On Wednesday Mrs. James attended T.E.L. Sunday school luncheon at First Baptist Church in Bangs. New officers for the coming year were elected. She also made visits at the rest homes calling on Mrs. Fay Whitley who is recovering from knee replacement surgery. On Thursday Mrs. James visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoffman who have recently moved to Turkey Peak from Fort Worth. She also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Hoffman from Florida at the Brownwood Regional Hospital. Mrs. Hoffman had recently undergone surgery. On her way home she visited with her sister, Yevette Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes hosted the "84" party Thursday night at the Community Center. There were 33 present.

Mrs. Alice Wells and Mrs. and

Mrs. Gregory Wells and two children of Coleman visited last Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Florence Stearns and Stan Calcote. They brought the little new baby to see his great-grandmother. Gregory Thomas Wells was born September 1st and weighed in at 8 lbs, 13 ozs. Besides his parents, he was welcomed by a sister Stefanie, four years old.

Mrs. Karen Brumley and son of Stephenville visited on Saturday a week ago with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller. This past weekend their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Rudolph and Sherry of Bangs visited and they all enjoyed a wiener roast cookout on Friday night.

Mrs. Laverne McClatchy and Mrs. Natalie McIver attended a cattlemans luncheon in Brownwood at the Pass The Biscuits restaurant on Monday. Mrs. McClatchy is president and Mrs. McIver is vice president of the association.

Nicholas and Nathan Drienhofer of Lake Brownwood spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge McClatchy.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce McIver of Katy were on their farm at Rockwood and visited Thursday with his mother Mrs. Eugenia McIver.

Mrs. Daisy McClatchy visited last Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Gertrude Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cole of Brownwood visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Anna York and Nikki. Mrs. Reba Cozart of Round Rock visited with me a while Saturday morning. She and Elvis spent a couple of days on the farm.

Mr. Sherman Stearns and Mrs. John Eufebio of McGregor were dinner guests of Mrs. Novella Stearns on Saturday. Other recent visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring and Mrs. Leona Henderson.

Mrs. Stearns told me last Sunday night that her dog woke her up at 2:00 a.m. barking, was really excited. She grabbed her gun and light, went outside expecting to find a rattlesnake and instead he had a huge porcupine. She killed it and brought it by here Monday to show me. I have seen them before but it has been a while. One does pop up occasionally and they are vicious looking creatures.

Visitors during the weekend with Mrs. Edna Laughlin were Billy Lea, Dr. Charlotte Laughlin and children. Bryan and Cheryl Campbell and Dale Lemmons all of Brownwood and Shelly Campbell who was home for the weekend from Southwest Texas State University at San Marcos.

Mrs. Natalie McIver and Mrs. Mildred Reeves attended the art and crafts festival in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. Ervin Ray Wells and son John Robert of Coleman visited his grandmother Mrs. Florence Stearns and Stan Calcote Saturday evening until bedtime.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Barton visited Thursday and Friday in New Braunfels with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Horn and also visited in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. Kris Bondeson.

Mrs. Joyce Kirk visited Saturday morning with Mrs. Annie Lou Vaughn and Mrs. Eugenia McIver dropped by briefly on Sunday.

Mr. Doyle Laughlin and little granddaughter Kimberly Barnum of Brownwood visited Sunday afternoon with his mother Mrs. Edna Laughlin.

Mrs. Earlene Dockery and Wesley and Mrs. Annie Lou Vaughn visited with Mrs. Bess Beasley Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Beasley and Mrs. Dockery visited in Santa Anna with Mrs. Eugenia McIver.

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Commissioners Continued

the County Sheriff's Department after a request from Sheriff Wade Turner. He replaces deputy Marty Baker who has left the Department to become a deputy with the Interagency Drug Task Force working out of Abilene. The county will sponsor Baker in the new service but the cost will be borne by the drug task force.

Commissioner Jake McCreary shared a letter advising that the Rockwood solid waste disposal site had been closed in compliance with Texas Department of Health regulations.

Smith-Harris Reunion Meets At Coleman City Park

The five daughters of Henry and Maude (Harris) Smith came together with many other family members in the Park in Coleman on Labor Day Sunday. For many years they have met at the same place in the park and in spite of the heat they had more than 70 present this year.

Lila Belle (Smith) White of Odessa had her daughter, Ann Maude Jordon from High Rolls, N.M. with her. Lorena and husband Noah Stacy of Rankin had four of their five sons with many family members. Buclah and D.L. Thigpen were present along with one daughter and her family. Alice White of Fort Worth had both her daughters with many grand and great-grandchildren present. Blanche Watson came with her youngest son, Tommy, his wife, Barbara, and their three children, from San Antonio.

Also present were Noble and Bettie Harris, son D.J. Harris and their two children, Paul Harris, an attorney in Abilene, and daughter Camille. Carl Alexander and wife, Frances, arrived in time for lunch and their daughter and family came later; all from Abilene. Carl is the son of Hattie (Smith) Alexander and husband Fred. Agnes Lovelady of Ballinger, daughter of Lula (Smith) Center and Dan. Hattie and Lula were both sisters of Henry Smith and both were well known to old-timers around Santa Anna.

Visiting, eating and picture taking filled the day together as all became acquainted with newcomers to the family either by marriage or by birth. And the many, many, young children present, the youngest only one week old, gave visible proof of a growing generation well on the way.

Attending were: Noble and Bettie Harris, Paul Harris, Camille Harris, Agnes Lovelady, Carl Alexander, their grandson, Blanche Watson, Tom and Barbara Watson Dee Dee and Christi; Sean Ewing and girlfriend; Alice White; Carolyn and David Griffith; Kevin, Colette and Tyler Martin, Anne, Pedro, Gloria and Lydia Mudara.

Also, Gayle, Rick, Mandy, Sara and Katie; Beth, Ashley and Haley; Joan, Leo, Cassie, Travis, Connie, Trisha and Trent; Dana, Gene, Rhea, Amy, Kendall, Lindsey and Emily; Gene Ray and Virginia Griffin; Chris and Jackie Bahnmiller; Ann Jordon; Lila White; Beulah and D.L. Thigpin; Sue and Pat Napier; Beth Napier; Dane Napier; Lorena and Noah Stacy; Kenneth and Phyllis Stacy; Calera Stacy; Kim and Jimmy Nance; Robert and Bryant Nance; Don Stacy; Mike and Penny Stacy; Danny and Jamie Stacy; Roy Stacy; Amanda Tennino; Tiffani and Melody Stacy; Mysti and Gaylon Merritt; Johnathon, Justin and Landon Merritt.

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