

**SAHS
Basketball**

HIGH SCHOOL
Novice-Here-Fri., Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
Baird-Here-Tues., Nov. 21, 5 p.m.
JUNIOR HIGH
Jim Ned-Here-Thurs., Nov. 16, 4 p.m.

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1995 Football Beau And Sweetheart

The 1995 Football Beau and Sweetheart were named at the final pep rally of the season last Friday afternoon. Those named and pictured above left to right are Lee Keeney, son of Roy and Glenda Keeney; Melonie Smith, daughter of Edwin and Janice Hipsher of Santa Anna and Rondoe Smith of Nevada; and William Loyd, son of Lynn and Loyd Lynn. All three are seniors at SAHS.

Deadline Next Week For Signing Up To Participate In Christmas Tree Forest

Time is drawing near for the 2nd annual Christmas Tree Forest here in Santa Anna and organizers need to know who plans to participate by sponsoring a decorated tree for the "forest".

The Park Board initiated what they hope will become a community tradition last year. The project was well received by Santa Anna residents as they and passersby enjoyed the sight throughout the Christmas holidays.

The Christmas Tree Forest will again be located at Veteran's Park, next door to Holt's General Store.

Shannon Enriquez, who is heading up the project again this year, is asking those individuals, organizations or businesses planning to participate by decorating a tree to let her know

within the next week, no later than Nov. 25th. You can make arrangements to furnish your own tree or the group she represents may be able to supply a tree for you.

The lighting ceremony will take place on Friday evening, December 1, the same day that other

Christmas kick-off events have been scheduled by the Chamber of

Commerce. There will be a Christmas Parade that day and the Lions Club will hold its traditional

pancake fiesta. The tree lighting ceremony at 6:30 will include singing of Christmas carols. The trees will stay lighted throughout the Christmas holidays.

Contact Shannon now to let her know if you plan to participate. Her number is 348-3224.



Gettin' In The Groove

Members of the Santa Anna sixth grade band took to the field along with the Mountaineer Marching Band during halftime of last Friday's football game in order to get a taste of that kind of performance, since they will be a part of the marching band next school year. The youngsters did an exceptional job as has their high school counterparts all fall.

Well Said

He is educated who knows where to find out what he doesn't know.
— George Simmel

Christmas Parade Entries Needed

Entries are needed for the Christmas Parade to be held during the Christmas Kick-off on December 1.

Theme for this year's parade will be "Old Time Christmas". Prizes will be awarded for floats, best decorated car, best decorated bicycle and best decorated "other" vehicle.

For more information contact the Chamber of Commerce at 348-3535.

Chamber Plans Holiday Tour Of Homes

The Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce will be hosting its first Christmas Holiday Tour of Homes this year with the help and support of some local residents.

The Tour of Homes is set for Sunday, December 17 from 2 p.m.

Articles For Next Weeks NEWS Must Be In By Noon Monday

Due to next week's Thanksgiving holiday, we will have an early press time for next week.

Anything for next weeks issue must be in our office by noon of Monday.

until 5 p.m.

Tickets will be \$5.00 per person. More information will be provided in upcoming editions of the NEWS.

For more information and tickets, contact the Chamber of Commerce at 348-3535.

Santa Anna Elementary Receives Texas Successful School Award

Monetary awards in the amount of \$1,000 were made to Santa Anna Elementary as part of the Texas Successful School Awards Program (TSSAS), Dean Bass, superintendent of SAISD recently announced.

The school is being recognized for gains in student performance in indicators that are part of the Academic Excellence Indicator System (AEIS), more commonly known as the state's school report card.

Santa Anna Elementary is among 1,236 cash-winning schools statewide receiving awards for ex-

emplary or recognized performance and 401 schools receiving awards for recording gains in their performance over last year.

The awards are based on schools' spring 1995 performance on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) test, which measures performance in reading, writing and mathematics. Schools also had to meet performance standards for dropout and attendance rates.

To be eligible for a significant gain award, schools had at least 25 percent of all students in each group passing each section of the TAAS.

In addition, a school's gain in performance from spring 1994 to spring 1995 had to be in the top 20 percent of the school's demographic group on overall gain for all students and each student group and average at least 5 percent gain across all subject areas for all students and each student group.

Principal Lee Coffman said this is a marvelous accomplishment and speaks highly for both the teachers and students. He looks forward to the challenge of bettering last spring's TAAS scores and says that the students are already ahead of the absentee rate from last year.

2nd Annual Community Thanksgiving Service Will Be Held Sunday Morning

The Santa Anna Ministerial Alliance met on Monday, October 30 to finalize plans for the Community Wide Thanksgiving Service. The decision to continue the service, at the Armory on the Sunday before Thanksgiving, November 19 at 11 a.m., was unan-

imous.

The speaker for the service will be Rev. Joe M. Frausto, Jr. of the Cordero Baptist Church. Many of the ministers will have a part in the service as will the Youth Orchestra of the Northside Baptist Church, along with special music by a combined Choir, and from Sam

Stumph of the Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Everyone is encouraged to attend this special time in the life of the community to give thanks for the many blessing God has bestowed on Santa Anna.

Mens' Breakfast To Precede Community Service

The Baptist Men will be holding a Breakfast on Sunday morning beginning at 7 a.m. in the CLC Building at the Baptist Church. Following the breakfast, the group

will set up the Armory for the Thanksgiving Service. All men in the community are invited to come for breakfast and help prepare the Armory for the services.

Rob Cheaney Overall Winner In Frenzy After Another Win In Final Week

Rob Cheaney was once again the winner of the Football Frenzy. He guessed 13 games correct for the week. Cheaney also right in guessing Dale Herring as the former Mountaineer.

Herring, who was pictured as a sophomore, played halfback for the Mountaineers and graduated SAHS in 1969.

Everyone except two were correct this week in guessed the Mountaineer. Other guesses were Stanley Hartman and Bill Clinton.

The most difficult games this week seemed to be Dallas' loss to San Francisco; Bangs' loss to Hamilton; and Air Force's loss to Army.

Be sure and express your appreciation to our sponsors for helping make this contest possible.

Results of last week's contest games were as follows:

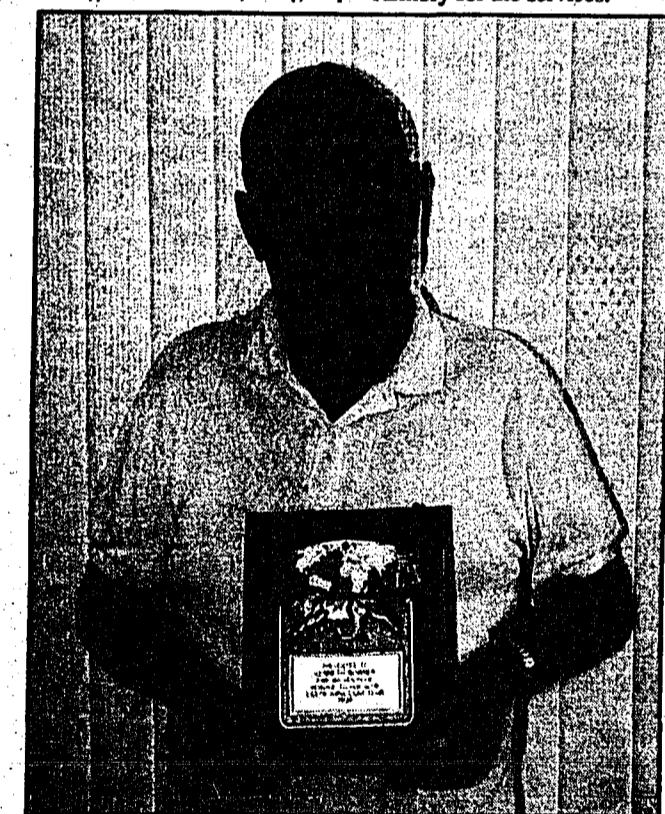
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Seattle 47-Jacksonville 30
Cincinnati 32-Houston 25
Hamilton 18-Bangs 0
Goldthwaite 42-Early 13
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Abilene Wylie 49-Coleman 14
Ballinger 36-Comanche 0
Penn 38-Harvard 21
Air Force 38-Army 20
Baylor 48-SMU 7
LSU 38-Mississippi 9
Rising Star 15-Santa Anna 6
Cross Plains 27-Lometa 6
Gorman 37-Evant 10
Philadelphia 31-Denver 13

Nov. 17, Friday Is Last Day To Register For Chamber Drawing

The Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce will be holding the drawing for the complete fixin's for your Thanksgiving meal on November 17 at 6 p.m. at Thrift Mart.

Tickets are available at the Chamber Office or from board members.

For more information contact the Chamber at 348-3535.



Ken Bowker Recognized For Service To Local Lions Club

Ken Bowker was recently recognized for 40 years of service to the Santa Anna Lions Club and was given a plaque of appreciation for his loyalty.

Believing strongly in what the Lions stand for, Ken has served in every office of the local Club at one time or another during those 40 years of membership.

Married to the former Coyita Griffin, Bowker was for many years a partner in the Griffin Turkey Farm operation and for ten years operated a Purina store in Coleman before getting into the teaching profession where at various times he was a teacher at Talpa-Centennial, a counselor for Region IV and high school principal at Santa Anna where he was serving when forced to retire due to medical problems.

Bowker is an active member of First United Methodist Church

where he has served in many offices and 42 years as a member of the administrative board. He is the Meals on Wheels representative for his church. He has served on the city council and on the Santa Anna Housing Authority Board. He also is a board member of the Brownwood Elks Club and is a member of the ESA men's group.

Students To Be Dismissed Early Tuesday For Thanksgiving

Students in the Santa Anna ISD will be dismissed at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 21 for the Thanksgiving holidays. Buses will run at that time. Classes will resume on Monday, November 27.

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Emergency Number For City Utility Problems

To report a city utility emergency call City Hall at 348-3403 24 hours a day. The city crew member on call may also be reached by calling the mobile phone 348-7950.

Santa Anna Nutrition Center Menu

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17
Chicken fried steak, golden potatoes, herbed green beans, cake and ice cream

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20
Butter beans w/ham, cottage fried potatoes, Rosemary Bennie's salad and coconut pudding

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24
Closed for Thanksgiving

Fishing Lake Ivie

By Durwood Strickland.
Bass are still a little slow fishing topwater but Monday a friend of mine caught one weighing about 8 lbs using Texas Flg worms. He was fishing about 35-40 foot deep. He also caught several crappie, but nothing to brag about. Early morning and late day times prove to be pretty good. The cool fronts have spoiled things for a few days, but these nice days will compensate.

Crappie fishing is fair to good on minnows and jigs fished in the brushy areas. You'll catch a couple and then have to move on, but with patience, you'll have some luck.

Fishing for channel catfish has been fair to good the past few days using blood bait in 10-30 feet water.

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Obituaries

Jimmy Crews

Jimmy Crews, 53, of Bronx, New York died Saturday, Nov. 11, 1995 at 9:15 a.m. at his residence.

Services were held Wednesday, Nov. 15, 1995 at 2 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Santa Anna with the Rev. Mike Eford, pastor, officiating. Burial followed at Coleman City Cemetery under the direction of Henderson Funeral Home.

He was born James Roberts Crews to Harry and Margaret Roberts Crews in Coleman on May 8, 1942. He was raised in and attended school in Santa Anna and Coleman, graduating from Coleman High School in 1960. He continued his studies at the University of Texas and graduated from McMurry University in 1964. He received his masters degree in 1966 from Texas Tech and began his teaching career in Brownsville, Texas, moving to Bronx, New York in 1968 to teach at the Mount Vernon High School until his retirement in 1993. He was a member of the St. Bartholomew Episcopal Church.

Survivors include his father and mother, Harry and Margaret Crews of Santa Anna; a sister, Dixie Aylor of San Angelo; and three nieces.

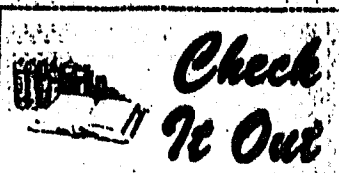
Pallbearers were Eddie Hartman, Stanley Hartman, Dan Jones, Eric Lomax, Joe Wallace and Derriel Warnock.

Billy Mack Raspberry

Billy Mack Raspberry, 72, died at Ranger Park Nursing Home in Santa Anna on Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1995, at 9:50 p.m.

Services were held Thursday, Nov. 9, 1995 at 11 a.m. graveside in the Santa Anna Cemetery under the direction of Walker Funeral Home of Coleman with Rev. Kermit Sorrells, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church of Coleman officiating.

Born Dec. 27, 1923 in Comanche County to Jobe and Ena Luke Raspberry, he lived most of his life in the Santa Anna area, was a retired ginners, a Methodist and a World War II veteran.



This year has gone so fast. Can you believe that next week will be Thanksgiving. Another month and it's 1996!

Santa Anna Library WILL BE CLOSED Thursday, November 23 and Friday, November 24. Come early in the week to stock up on books for a very long weekend.

This library has many of the best magazines. You can stop in and read these or newspapers anytime. I learn more interesting facts--forecast, etc.--by reading. Here are some that have been in the latest bunch.

The Korean magazine has beautiful pictures and history of clothing. An advertisement for a new information disk program Pacific Rim Discovery has this amazing fact. Japan published the world's first novel by a woman in the year 1010!

From the Abilene Reporter News: There are more high school students in studies of Science and Math. 60% of the students who graduated in 1994 took three years of math, 51% science. In 1982 just 37% took this much math and 32% the science. Students say it's still a long time before it's "cool" like sports.

Scientists in Genome Research of the National Institute of Health hope to have 100,000 genes of the human body sequenced by the year 2002 or 2003.

December Reader's Digest has a story The Last Mystery of the Czar. Frankly I think the last paragraph still leaves the mystery. Russia will re-bury the Czar, Czarina and three of their children. But there were five children--what happened to the royal prince and one of the daughters? Do you suppose Anastasia really lived and died in America?

Studies have shown that reading to your children will increase his scholastic achievements. Now studies show that storytelling with children will improve their comprehension, attention and creativity. Be assured that you do not have to be a professional. Think how much you enjoyed stories told by aunts, uncles, grandparents or older friends. Last summer we found that children enjoy building a story.

You start with a few sentences then let others add on. You will learn a lot about what your child has been picking up. Listen and don't criticize.

Many of you who read The Streets of Laredo by Larry McMurry were disappointed and told us. What did you think of the TV movie?

The Horse Whisperer Evans is on the best seller lists. There's now a recorded copy and it's supposed to be a movie. I've not been too interested but then I realized how many people around here have a special gift with animals. The book tells of a girl and her horse who were seriously injured by a car accident. The mother takes both to the west where a man famous for his work with animals can cure them. My father could touch and speak to a wild horse and calm him at once. How many people around here can do that. I haven't read the book but look forward to checking it out.

Another new book about relations of animals and people is ALLI Know About Animal Behavior I Learned in Loehmann's Dressing Room. Erma Bombeck always has such long titles. She gives us a laugh and makes a lot of sense. This book would make a god gift for recovering patients or for Christmas and a long winter day.

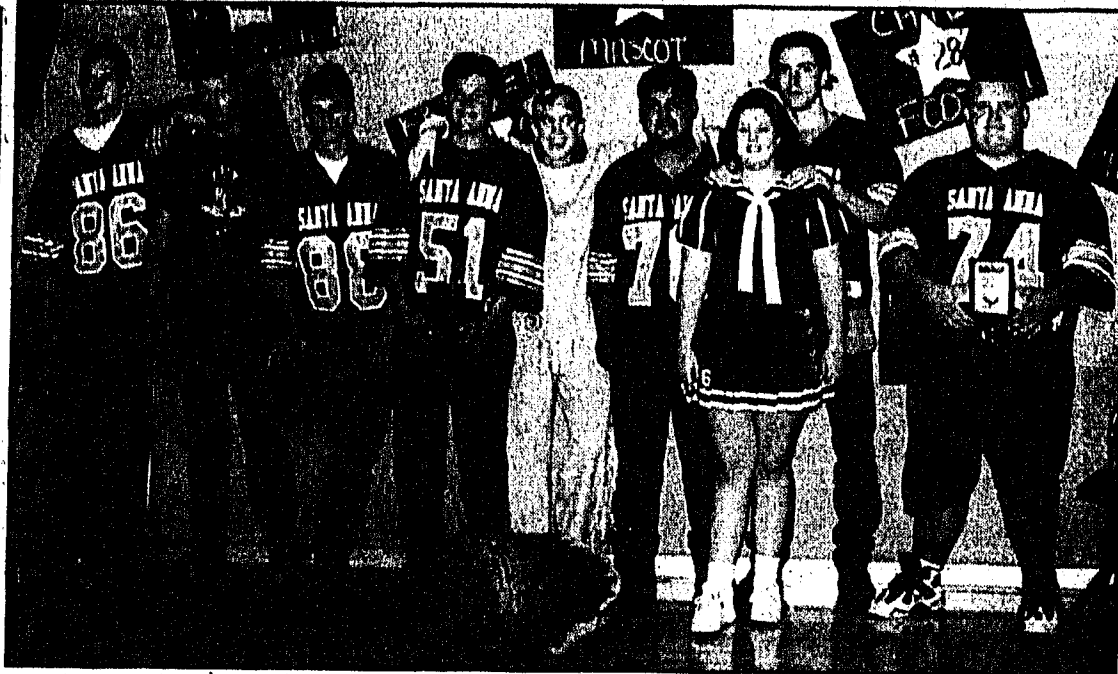
Trickham Cemetery Memorials

The following memorials have been received by the Trickham Cemetery Association:

In memory of Lillie Featherston from Novella Stearns, Leona Henderson, Florence Stearns, Anna Lou Vaughn, Ann C. See, Pat Grubbs, Lou Featherston, Doyle and LaVerne Evans, Melvin and Mary Lou Storm, Anna York and Arvil and Verna Bolton; and
In memory of Dan McIver from Melvin and Mary Lou Storm.

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1995 Mountaineer Seniors

The senior members of the football team and cheerleaders were introduced during the final pep rally of the season last Friday in Perry Gym. Introduced were left to right, Juha Aalto, football; Tim Perry, football; David Herrod, football; Lee Keeney, football; Brandi Martin, mascot; Danny DeLeon, football; Melonie Smith, cheerleader; Bobby Malaer, football; and William Loyd, football.

Commodities To Be Distributed Tues.

USDA surplus commodities will be distributed to qualifying people next Tuesday at the armory from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Central Texas Opportunities takes care of the distribution of the food stuffs but has no control over what or how much food is available.

At this time it was not known what food items would be available Tuesday.

Free Blood Pressure Check Friday At Armory

In recognition of National Home Health Care Week, Medplex is offering free blood pressure checks at the Santa Anna Nutrition Center on Friday, November 17, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

The Nutrition Center is located in the armory.

You are also encouraged to stay for lunch.

Thanksgiving Supper November 18th at R'wood Com. Center

Everyone is invited to come to the Rockwood community Thanksgiving supper Saturday, Nov. 18th, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Those planning to attend are asked to please bring a salad and dessert or a meat and vegetable dish. Drinks and bread will be furnished.

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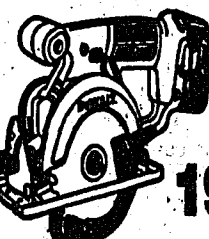
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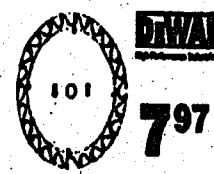
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Commissioners Handle Number Of Agenda Items

Coleman County Commissioners met Monday morning for their regular meeting.

Danny Lane of Coleman appeared before Commissioners to see if a road in Precinct 2, just off FM 567 could be closed. He stated that water washing off the road making it impossible to maintain fences on his property. Since the item was not on the listed agenda and there had been an objection from another individual regarding closing the road, commissioners were only able to discuss the matter.

County Auditor Shirley Sansing was appointed to serve as County Auditor.

Election returns of the State Constitutional Amendment Election were canvassed. The votes were approved as presented.

A length discussion was held regarding the designation of the Central Texas MH/MR as Coleman County as a single portal authority.

Danny Lane and Skip Sumrall of Coleman asked what responsible the Commissioners had when they approve a member to the board. Commissioners turned to County Attorney Joe Dan LeMay to answer the question, he in turn requested time to further study the county's

responsible. The court was then asked if there was actually a board member appointed with the answer being yes. Also asked was whether the board member has ever reported to the commissioners court the organization business and happenings, the answer this time was no.

One concern was why MH/MR was not servicing more individuals needing help and why income for individuals who were unable to work a regular job dropped from \$400 per month to approximately \$15-20 per month.

Although Commissioners were not aware of these issues, they plan to study following the county attorney's report on their responsibility.

The county travel per-diem was kept at \$10 per meal, or actual cost, per day.

County Judge Sherrill Ragsdale reported on the recent jail inspection. He stated some problems had arisen and would be addressed at a later time.

Bills totaling approximately \$35,888 were reviewed and approved.

Bridal Shower To Honor Christi Walker Bride-Elect Of Dan Benton Saturday

A Bridal Shower will honor Christi Walker bride-elect of Dan Benton on Saturday, November 18 from 2 to 4 p.m. in the home of Billie and Mary Jones east of Trickham.

Hostesses will be Cam DeLeon, Jo Jones, Sylvia Herring and Mary Lou Jones.

Self Culture Club Learn Secrets Of Applying Make-up

The Santa Anna Self Culture Club met on Wednesday, November 8 at 3 p.m. in the Santa Anna Living Center. Guests were greeted by longtime member Mae Blue and were treated to pumpkin pie and hot spiced punch by hostesses Gladis Barnes and Bettie Henderson.

The club business meeting began with the reading of the Club Collect led by president Cam Stagle. Marion Aldridge and Carmilla Baugh were accepted by club membership and welcomed by all members present. Ideas were discussed for the giving of a Christmas gift as a project. At the close of the business meeting, the club members were treated to an interesting program of make-up and skin care tips presented by Mary Kay Consultant Pat Efrid.

The 12 members present were Carmilla Baugh, Gladis Barnes, Mae Blue, Novelle Boylston, Gale Brock, Pat Efrid, Cathy Ellis, Billie Gatlin, Bettie Henderson, Cam Stagle, Alice Spillman and May Wallace.

Local Girl Scouts To Recycle Aluminum Cans

Santa Anna Junior Girl Scouts have an aluminum can drive underway.

The girls will pick up four cans or they can be left at the Ellerbe home located at 802 Avenue B.

Girls collecting cans include Jamie Ellerbe, Shala Guthrie, Jennifer Pelton, Claire Gibson, Shante Shepard, Jenna Hensley, Julie Garza, Tina Morris, Kelly Voss, Sarah Frausto and Heather Bradley.

For more information contact Scout Leader Peggy Hensley at 348-3802 or 348-3566.



Melonie Smith Named 1995 Band Sweetheart

Santa Anna High School senior Melonie Smith was named 1995 Band Sweetheart during the half-time activities of last Friday evening's football game against Rising Star. Melonie is pictured above receiving her bouquet of flowers from SAHS Drum Major Briana Horner. Smith is the daughter of Edwin and Janice of Hipsher of Santa Anna and Rondoe Smith of Nevada.

Circle C Cowbells Sponsoring Letter Writing Contest

The Circle C Cowbells are sponsoring a Beef Country Letter Writing Contest for juniors or seniors in Coleman County schools.

The letter will be about "How Much Do Property Rights Mean To Me?"

The contest will begin on Jan. 1, 1996. All entries must be post-marked by March 31, 1996.

Letters must be typewritten and not more than two pages in length. The first paragraph must state the

student's age, classification in school and involvement in agriculture.

The letter must address the member of Congress properly, be polite, be specific, be concise and use examples to support the writer's position. Letters should be addressed to "The Honorable (senator or representative's full name); and the salutation should read "Dear Senator (last name) or "Dear

Revised 1995 Mountaineer Basketball					
Nov. 14	Abilene Christian	Here	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Nov. 17	Novice	Here	5:00	VG, VB	
Nov. 21	Baird	Here	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Nov. 28	Menard	There	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Nov. 30-Dec. 2	Santa Anna Tourney				
Dec. 5	Richland Springs	There	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Dec. 7-9	Novice Tourney				
Dec. 12	Brooksmith	There	5:00	VG, VB	
Dec. 15	Mullin	Here	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Dec. 27-29	Rising Star Tourney				
Jan. 2	Novice	There	5:00	VG, VB	
Jan. 5	*Cross Plains	There	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Jan. 9	Huckaby	There	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Jan. 12	*Rising Star	There	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Jan. 16	*Gorman	Here	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Jan. 19	*Eula	Here	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Jan. 23	*Cross Plains	Here	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Jan. 26	Bronte	There	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Jan. 30	*Rising Star	Here	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Feb. 2	*Gorman	There	5:00	VG	JVB, VB
Feb. 6	*Eula	There	5:00	VG	JVB, VB

*Denotes District Game

Congressman/Congresswoman (last name).

Prizes to be awarded the winners are first prize \$500; second prize, \$300; and third prize, \$200.

For more information contact JoAnn Whitworth, 483-5451; or Berva Dawn Taylor, 483-5537.

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 Lunch: Corn dogs, baked beans, baked potato, orange or apple juice, chilled fruit, milk and mustard

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21
 Breakfast: Donuts, fruit and milk
 Lunch: Chili and beans, lettuce and tomato salad, chilled fruit, orange or apple juice, cornbread or crackers, milk, picante sauce and peppers

Brandi Martin Receives Top Score In County 4-H Food Show

Brandi Martin received the top score in the Senior Division of the County 4-H Food Show held recently in Coleman. Brandi placed 1st in the Nutritious Snacks and Desserts. She also received a cookbook from the Coleman County Electric Coop., Inc. for her high score.

Also participating in the show was Buffy Martin.

The Martin girls are members of the Santa Anna 4-H Club.



1995 Santa Anna FFA Officers

The Santa Anna FFA recently elected officers for the 1995-96 school year. Pictured above left to right, front row, Chris Johnson, reporter; William Loyd, secretary; Hector Patino, sentinel; and back row, Lee Keeney, vice president; Brandi Martin, president; and Tim Perry, treasurer. Brandi is also the FFA Sweetheart.

Santa Anna Elementary Names Students With Perfect Attendance

Santa Anna Elementary School Principal Lee Coffman has announced the following students were present each day during the second six weeks of the school year and have received recognition for their Perfect Attendance:

K: Tyler Chamberlain, Kendra Coleman, Jonathan Evans, Becca Fellers, Austen Henson, Dimas Hernandez, Cory Hopson, Terrence Jackson, Jessica Ramirez, Dani Stegar and Keshia Wirts;

First: Crystal Camacho, Monica Cortez, Dustin DeLeon, Anuhar Garcia, Priscilla Guerrero, Tracy Hale, Dwight Hoedebeck;

Trey Holt, Audra Hubbard, Justin Johnson, Troy Johnson, Kimberly Lawhon, Tyler Stewardson, Christopher Warrick, and Michelle Wetsel;

Second: Rainey Bacon, Abraham Dancy, Adriana Espinosa, Zane Fikes, Ryan Guerrero, Robby Hale, Jessica Hensley, Harmony Herring, Daniel Hull, Vanesa Hull, Logan Lacy, William Laviolette, Colt Martin, Jessica Pelton, Ashley Reiger, Martin Rodriguez, Carl Sims, Stevie Stembidge, Gregory Strength, Bianca Torres, Mayra Torres and Ralee Watson;

Third: Kayla Cloer, Hannah Collins, Alexis DeLeon, Bryan Fellers, Ramiro Guerrero, Jeffery Hale, LaShawn McDowell, Jeremy McGee, Felipe Patino, Micah Pritchard, Richard Rankin, Tana Salazar, Austin Sanders, Katherine Simmons and Collin Stembidge;

Fourth: Steven Blanton, Mandy Boyet, Zackery Carter, Kindi Cloer, Christina Enriquez,

John Frausto, Krystal Henson, Tyler Morgan, Stacie Rankin and Jaryd Salazar;

Fifth: Jamie Ellerbe, Alicia Ellis, Claudia Espinosa, Guadalupe Frausto, Sarah Frausto, Julie Garza, Willie Gilbreath, Michael Guthrie, Lisa Hornback, Nathan Nicholas, Oscar Patino, Jennifer Pelton, Jacob Pritchard, Seth Salazar, Shante' Shepard, Brandy Sims, Billy Spires, Jodie Strength, Jon Turney, Kelly Voss and Chrystal Weverka;

Sixth: Heather Bradley, Stephen Donham, Shyler Farley, Shala Guthrie, Jenna Hensley, Thomas Hopson, Clay Hubbard, Bobby Hull, Crystal-Isbell, Chris Kershner, Erwin Loyd, Sabrina Martin, Bo Morgan, Justina Morris, Michael Padilla, Sarah Powell, Jala Rankin, Tristan

Gold, Silver Card Winners Announced For Second Six Weeks

Sam Huffman, Santa Anna High School principal has announced the following students receiving either gold or silver cards for their academic excellence for the second six weeks of the school year:

GOLD CARD:
Seventh Grade: Chrystal Pelton, Buffy Martin, Cory Engwicht, Jessica Powell and Jaci Kuykendall;

Eighth Grade: Jesse Castillo, Stuart Gibson and Samantha Ramirez

Ninth Grade: Delisa Nicholas, Rhonda Williamson, Maria Ellerbe, Jennifer Johnson, Randa Watts and Chris Boyet

Tenth Grade: Elizabeth Taylor, Beth Eisenhower and Hector Patino

Eleventh Grade: Ami Beal, Cesar Patino and Briana Homer
Twelfth Grade: Melonie Smith and Brandi Martin

SILVER CARD:
Seventh Grade: Macgan Lishka, Elena Balderas, Bobby Hale, Davia Rankin and Matthew Messer

Eighth Grade: Kristi Wade

Ninth Grade: Chris Powell
Tenth Grade: Shane Watson, Lupe Castillo, Yolanda Frausto, Chris Johnson, Aaron Guthrie, Amanda Lishka and Chris Lewis

Eleventh Grade: Tim Abernathy, Rachael Guerrero and Chris Cheaney

Twelfth Grade: Cecel Ramirez, Johanna Svensson and Kate White.

SAHS Writes

By Chris Powell
 Mrs. Guthrie's English I-A

In today's world, we all grow up doing many things in a specific order every day. Our parents usually show and teach us these things while we are still young. But if you aren't accustomed to doing things in order, the same way everyday, let me describe it to you. We can use getting ready for school as an example.

The first and most important thing for a young person to do is take a shower. This helps to clean you of any dirt. The next thing you do (when you have dried off) is to put on the undergarment(s) of your choice. Third, find a good pair of clean socks and put them on one at a time. (This way you won't have war with your pants.) After

Tomme and Jamie Wade; and
Pre-K: Emundo Dancy, Dalton DeLeon, Jeffery Rivera and Jordan Whaley.

that, you need to put on a nice, relatively clean, wrinkle-free shirt. The fifth thing is to put on your pants. You can't leave home without them. Now, put on your shoes and walk out to eat breakfast.

Elementary School Awards For Perfect Attendance, Honor Roll Friday

Lee Coffman, principal of Santa Anna Elementary will be presenting awards and recognizing students who had perfect attendance and/or made the honor roll for the second six weeks of the school year on Friday morning, November 17 at 8 A.M.



1995 Junior High Beau And Sweetheart

Eighth graders Kristi Wade and Boone Cook were recently named Santa Anna Junior High Beau and Sweetheart. Wade is the daughter of Julie Fitzpatrick and Cook is the son of Danny and Glenda Cook.

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More Fifth Grade Interviews

Judy Jackson
By Shante' Shepard
Occupation: Home care
Born: March 4, 1941
Place of birth: Coleman County

Opal Clearman
By Nathan Blaine
Occupation: A Waitress and a nurse aid and now retired
Born: September 17, 1918
Place of birth: Talpa, Texas

Married: Two times, Grady Hulmon and Clay Clearman
What you were most successful at: English, Reading, Health

Edith Martin
By Willie Gilbreath
Occupation: Hostess
Born: 1917
Place of birth: Pota, Oklahoma

Margaret Mobley
By Michael Guthrie
Occupation: Librarian and Accelerated Reading
Born: May 2, 1945
Place of birth: Coleman, Texas

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Elementary Honor Roll Released For Second Six Weeks

Santa Anna Elementary Principal Lee Coffman has released the names of students on the honor roll for the second six weeks of the school year. Students on the list are: A Honor Roll: First Grade: Tracy Hale, Trey Holt, Audra Hubbard, Emmanuel McCloud, Jesse Roper, Michelle Wetzel and Crystal Camacho;

Mountaineer Football

Santa Anna Varsity

The SAHS Mountaineers began their last game of the season last Friday with Chris Lewis scoring on a one-yard run in the first quarter. The extra point failed.

Altho on the losing end of the score, the Mountaineers played perhaps their best game of the season and finished a disappointing season with something to be proud of.

Santa Anna JV

The Junior Varsity Mountaineers traveled to Rising Star last Thursday for their last game of the season. The Mountaineers were defeated in a hard fought game 8-6.

Santa Anna Junior High

The Junior High Mountaineers were in Rising Star last Thursday and came away with 22-6 victory. The team ended their season with a district record of 3-2.

Mountaineer Basketball

Girls Start With Win Boys Take Loss Just Coming Off Football Field

SAHS Girls

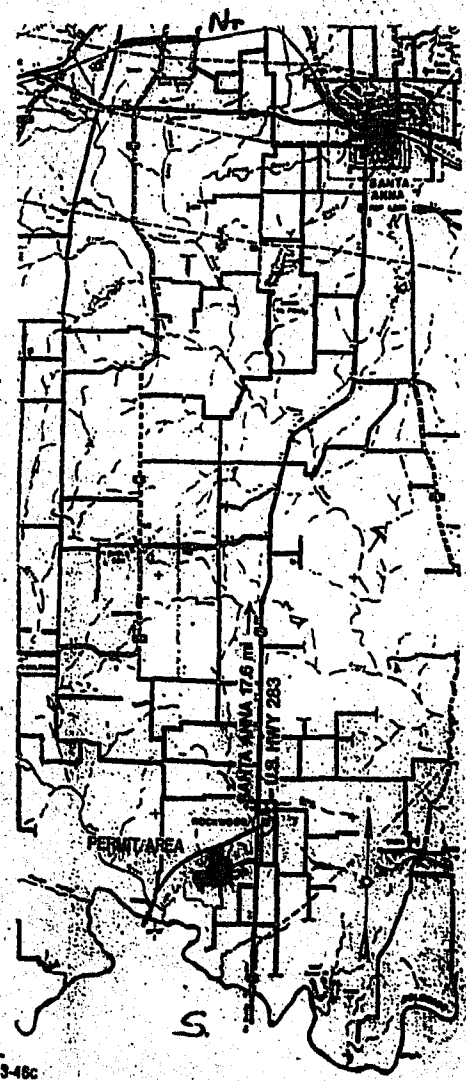
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SAHS Boys

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Rockwood News

By Sandra Wilson

DON'T FORGET! Rockwood Thanksgiving supper Saturday, November 18, 6 p.m.

Jennifer Rutherford and Tony Abernathy spent the weekend with Claudia Rutherford Saturday and Sunday. Amber Huggins, Cody, Haley and Travis Slate and Julie Hafner spent the days them. Saturday morning Bob, Margot and Megan Rutherford visited and that night drop-in visitors were Todd and Mark Rutherford. Todd dropped by again Sunday afternoon on his way back to Brownwood. Sunday afternoon Gay Abernathy visited and picked up Tony.

Heather Sims will have her cast removed Wednesday.

Tuesday Jr. Brusenan and Charlie Smith visited with Johnnie Steward. Saturday G. T. England of San Angelo visited with him. Sunday Mike, Jamie, Casey and Lauren Ray visited. Tony Rehm was a drop-in visitor several times during the week.

Bill and Lois Bryan and Jack and Skeeta Cooper were in Santa Anna Friday night to enjoy a fish supper. Bill and Lois were in Brownwood Saturday. They and Minnie Bray were in Brady on Monday.

Kim Whitton, Clay and Katie of New Braunfels visited from Friday until Sunday with Minnie Bray.

Arlen and Quincy Allen, Gil, Elizabeth, Justin and Jordan Gregory visited over the weekend with Jack and Skeeta Cooper. Gene and Bertha Allen were Saturday night visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Diezinger of Industry visited Sunday.

Wednesday evening Jr. and Nell along with Blake Williams and Minnie Bray went to Coleman to

Bro. Jeff, Loma and Sara Dean's for Bible study. Thursday Nell quilted with the Rockwood quilting club. Sunday afternoon Nell visited with Dick and Johnnie Deal in Coleman.

Dorothea Whisenant is in North Carolina with her mother who is in the intensive care unit of the hospital. Guy reported that she is not doing very well. We will remember her in our prayers.

Robert and Faye Estes of McGregor visited Wednesday with Elec and Rose Cooper. Denny and Louise Densman visited Saturday night. Elec and Rose were in Brady Sunday afternoon for a little shopping and they also visited with Leon and Mickey McMillian.

Faye Wise was in Brownwood Saturday to help her great-granddaughter Dara Wise celebrate her first birthday. Faye visited with Doug and Billie Mae Schrader several times this past week.

Tuesday afternoon Becky Brooks and Frankie Matthews came for a visit with me and returned home Wednesday afternoon. Friday I drove to Pflugerville where I visited with Randy and Holly Casey. Saturday morning I left and drove to Cameron where I met Bo and we visited with his daughter and family, Alan, Debra, David and Rachel Balch. We enjoyed an early Thanksgiving with them and their other guests Willie Mae Wilson, Darrell Edwards, Ann Ray, Wendell and Mary Ann Balch, Jimmy Womack, Kay Lynch, Karl Roberts, Jason Lynch, Leslie (Tiger) Tammy and Wesley Wilson. Alan, Jimmy and Wendel brought their guitars and the entertainment was excellent. Bo and I returned home Sunday. Charlie Smith and Francis McAlister stopped by briefly Sunday afternoon.

Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

Carmilla Baugh went up to nursing home Wednesday to visit Mrs. Ruth Hibbits. Saturday Carmilla and Nancy Lee and children went to San Angelo to visit her sister Mrs. Nancy Avants. Nancy Lee and children are visiting her mother Sunday. Lonnie was out at her house Saturday doing some repair work.

Syble Huggins fixed birthday dinner for David, her son. Syble and Lee Ray visited at the rest home the past week.

Randall Clay Ward from San Angelo visited with his parents Doyle and Juanita Ward Friday.

Benny and Anita Jarvis and Sheryl of Johnson City came by and picked up Cecil and Nona Bell. They went to Abilene this week to a volleyball tournament. Sheryl won second place in her regional tournament. They all returned back to the Ellis home. The Jarvis' and Sheryl returned home Sunday.

Those visiting Thelma Fleming the past week were Darrel, Virgil, Margie Fleming, Roger, Rita, Magan and Amanda Sikes.

Rachel and Clara Cupps and Juanita and Doyle Ward went to Brownwood Friday to Dalton Moss' fish fry.

Those visiting the Casey Harrings Sunday were Herman and Gracie Cardwell, Pete Herring and Doyle and Juanita Ward.

Jody and Angie Naron and Chrysta spent the weekend with his parents the John Narons.

Bryce and Jamie Ellis, who attend ASU, spent the weekend with their parents the Jerry Ellis and Alicia.

Kathleen Avants visited her mother Mrs. Ruth Hibbits twice the past week. Timmy Bengé of

State Capital



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Two years ago, Dallas billionaire H. Ross Perot warned of the "giant sucking sound" of the North American Free Trade Agreement. As December 1995 approaches, Texas Attorney General Dan Morales predicts another sound: the rumble of overloaded Mexican trucks.

The state's top lawyer seeks presidential action on the issue before Dec. 18, the date on which trucks from Mexico will have complete access to Texas roadways.

"We asked (President Clinton) to issue an executive order that would allow Texas law enforcement entities access to all border-crossing facilities, so that they can work with U.S. customs officials to keep unsafe Mexican trucks off Texas highways. We think this is a necessary step that must be taken between now and Dec. 18," Morales said in a prepared statement.

Mexican trucks, Morales said, often weigh up to 170,000 pounds — more than twice the lawful U.S. weight of 80,000 pounds. And, he pointed out, Mexican truck drivers receive less training and operate

under lower safety standards. For example, U.S. drivers are limited to 10 hours a day behind the wheel; Canadian drivers are limited to 13

illegal drugs.

Voters OK 11 Amendments
Less than 8 percent of Texas' registered voters went to the polls Nov. 7 and approved 11 of the 14 proposed constitutional amendments.

Voters approved abolishing the office of state treasurer and merging its duties with those of the state comptroller.

Three bond issues were among the amendments that passed: \$300 million for an existing state-run college student loan program; \$500 million for a 50-year-old housing loan program for veterans; and \$200 million to assist agriculture-related businesses.

A proposal to permit home equity loans to divide property at the time of a divorce or death or to satisfy federal tax liens barely passed with 51.5 percent of the vote.

Almost 84 percent of the voters approved an amendment to extend the homestead exemption to surviving spouses at least 55 years old. And 69 percent OK'd increasing the property tax exemptions for disabled veterans.

Voters defeated measures that would:

- Allow local governments to exempt commercial fishing boats from property taxes; and
- Exempt Masonic lodges and other benevolent organizations from property taxes.

Saves State \$7.42 Million
Treasurer Martha Whitehead, a Democrat and former Longview mayor who urged abolition of her own office, said Texans are sick of big government bureaucracy.

Trickham News

By Anna York

Alice Wells of Coleman visited Saturday afternoon with her mother Mrs. Florence Stearns, Verna and Arvil Bolton were in and out several times through the week and hand lunch with her one day.

Dana Evans of Kempner was a dinner guest of his grandmother Mrs. Winnie Haynes on Thursday and did a few chores for her while there. I visited a while on Wednesday.

J. W. Sellers of Weatherford visited on Tuesday with Royce and Wanda McIver and the two men did fence repair. Doane and Wanda McIver of San Angelo spent Friday night with Royce and Wanda. Sunday afternoon Royce and Wanda attended the 70th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Elton McDonald at the Hi Rise building in Santa Anna.

Laverne McClatchy was at the Brownwood High School on Monday to see the induction of her grandson Nathan Driehofer into the Brownwood High School National Honor Chapter. Overnight guests of the McClatchy's were Lara Meckfessel and a friend Melody Bynum, Howard Payne students.

Those that met at the community center on Monday to quilt were Tony Watson, Novella Stearns, Helen McIver, Annie Lou Vaughn and Leona Henderson. The eighty-four party met Thursday night with sixteen present.

Sunday visitors with Mrs. Edna Laughlin were Charlotte Lee and two children Susan and Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Campbell and little son Kaylum and Billy Roy and Mildred Laughlin.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the community center on Sunday afternoon for Greg Kirk and his fiancée with a large crowd attending.

Earlene Dockery, Annie Lou Vaughn and Cella Guthrie and baby Mason visited with Mr. and Mrs. Linvel Ray (Tinker) Dockery and some of their family and were proud to find all were okay.

Sherman Stearns of McGregor spent Friday night and Saturday with his mother Mrs. Florence Stearns.

Novella Stearns and Leona Henderson visited late Sunday evening with Mrs. Winnie Haynes.

Natalie McIver had lunch at Brownwood on Wednesday with her daughters Janet Dunn and Darla Gibson and her husband Vance.

Reba and Elvis Cozart were Sunday dinner guest of Lois and Frank Wallace and their overnight guest her mother Ilene Haynes of Hermleigh. They all attended the birthday celebration of Mr. J. R. Haynes at Coleman on Saturday night. Others from here that were present were Leona Henderson, Annie Lou Vaughn and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dean.

She announced her commitment to abolish the treasury in November 1993, four months after she was appointed to the post by then-Gov. Ann Richards.

While phasing out the treasury will take four years, Whitehead's job and 42 administrative support positions will be eliminated Sept. 1, 1996, with a first year net savings to the state of \$160,000.

Bigger savings will come as more jobs are eliminated.

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. Rex and Tincy Turney have entertained relatives on the Turney farm in our community over the weekend. They will probably leave the farm Monday. With them were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Westmorlan of Fort Worth. This lady is Mr. Alfred Bible's sister. I am most sure the baby of the family.

Mrs. Turney reminded me her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alfred and Josie Bible will observe 71 years of marriage on November 16 at their home in Killen.

Mrs. Ethel Radle observed her birthday the past week. Her son and daughter Bob Steward and Ruth

Poldrack her birthday dinner with her on Tuesday. Telephone birthday greetings were from a granddaughter Betty Radle's daughter in Cushing, Okla and grandson James Steward from Lincoln, Nebraska. We all wish Ethel another good year and another birthday to look forward too.

Has been a nice weekend at my house my daughter Mrs. Patsy Smith of Abilene was with me Friday and Saturday night until Sunday afternoon. Also with me during the week were my sons

Atlanta, Georgia came by to visit Ruth the past week.

Ovella Williams visited Aunt Helen and Uncle Emil Williams Sunday. She also visited Casey and Eveline Herring.

Rachel and Clara and Doyle and Juanita Ward visited Audrey Wright Friday. She seemed to be pretty good and was going to church in Early Sunday with Tex and Pat Wright.

Those visiting James and Mildred Ford were Betty Joyce Cupps and Vickie Green on Sunday.

Ruby said Pete Moore is out of the hospital and at Patsy's.

Thomas, Hilary and Loyd who were doing work on the farm.

Mrs. Trudi Rutherford and her daughter and three-year-old granddaughter visited with me Thursday afternoon. The daughter and little girl have been here visiting her mother and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rutherford. Thomas and Trudi took them to Austin Saturday morning to return to their home in New Hampshire area. Had a safe journey home.

Patsy and I visited briefly Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd and Linda Rutherford. Linda's daughter Stephanie was with her mother here during the week. She was not feeling very well. Her mother took her to her home in Brownwood Sunday afternoon and she was feeling much better.

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

I really enjoyed a nice visit from two dear friends Thursday night. Ora Rutherford and Michelle Fuqua of Bangs: I really appreciated them taking time to come for a nice visit. They also visited a while with Mr. Leon Carter.

I am glad to report my son-in-law Rick Wheeler who was so seriously ill a few months back following a heart attack and heart surgery. He returned to his work during the past week. Lynda said he did pretty good but was having to go rather slow for a while. Our family are thankful for his improvement.

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