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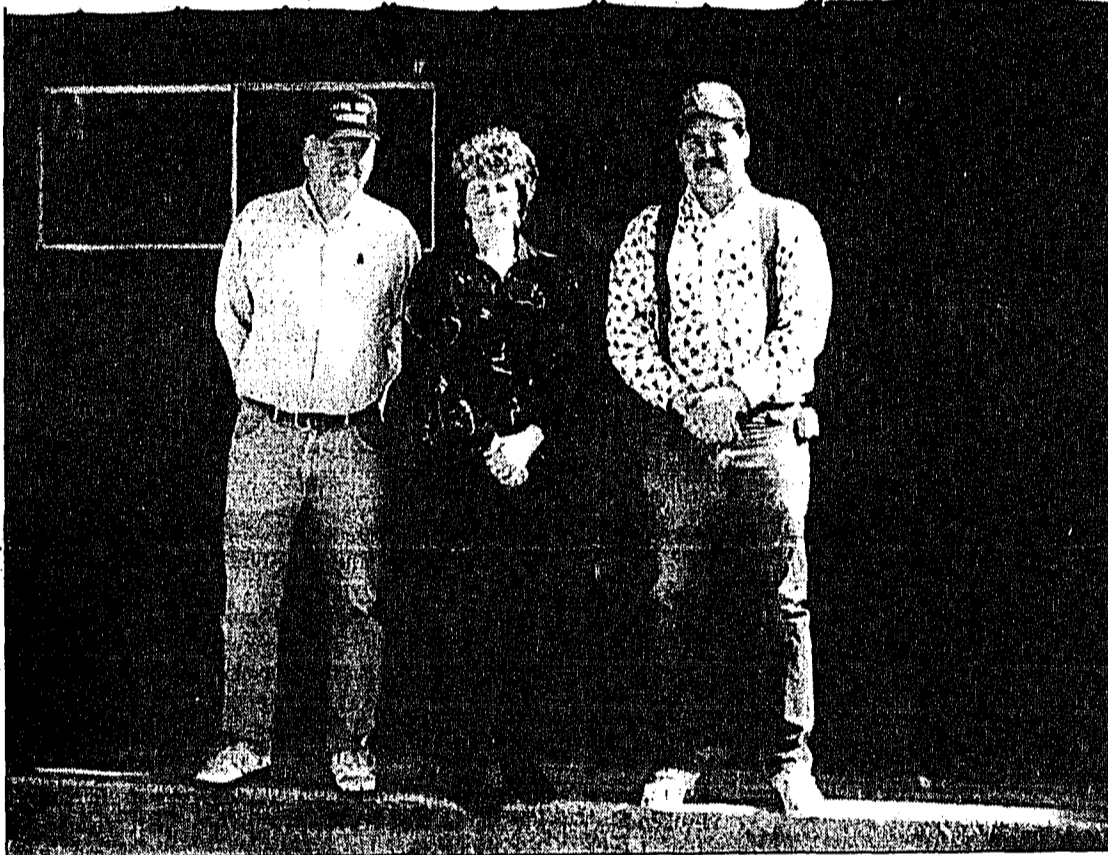
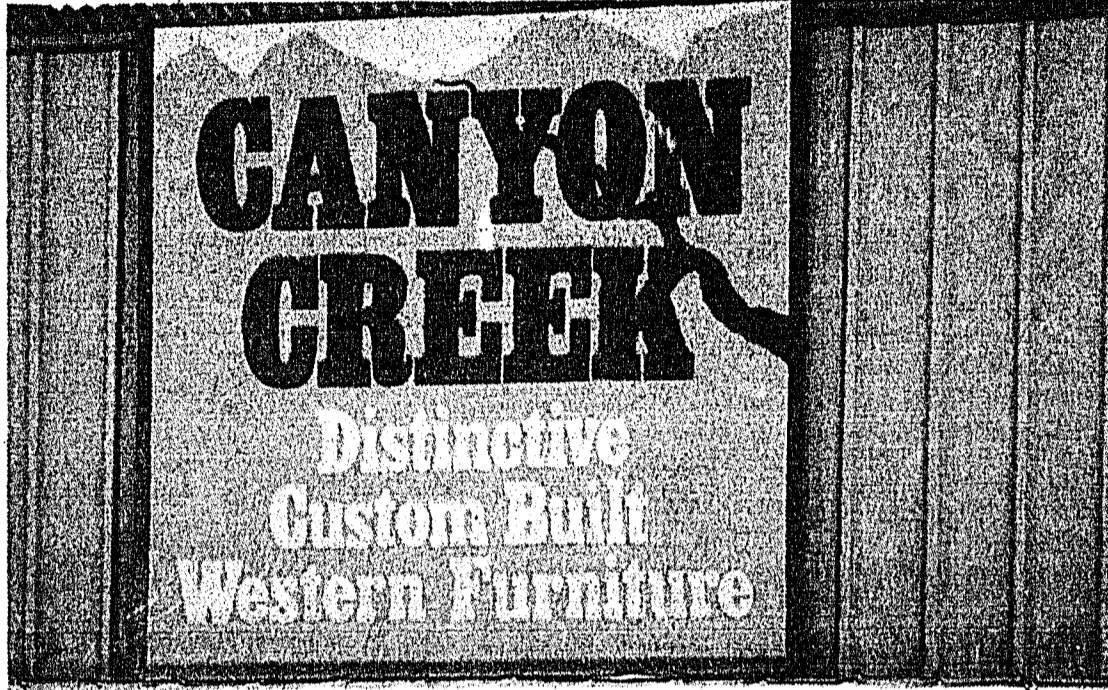
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Not A Day Care Center...Not A Dance Hall

Now it can be told. It isn't a day care center...it isn't a dance hall. The Days at Canyon Creek (Distinctive Custom Built Western Furniture) have heard that these are two of the many speculations floating around concerning what is going on at their building.

After they hung their sign over the weekend, passersby were able to stop wondering. The large burnt orange building with the green door is hard to miss if you're passing by on First Street. The western motifs scattered around on the front of the building only added to the speculations.

Bill and Sally Day, and son Wes Day design and build "barn furniture", otherwise known as "western style" furniture. Its called barn furniture because the mostly rough-hewn pieces are constructed of wood retrieved from old barns and such structures.

In fact, if you have some old wood from long gone or about to be gone outbuildings, they will use your own wood to build a custom piece or pieces for you. Many people find this a wonderful way to preserve a bit of family history. They also use "new" wood to build furniture finished in a "distressed" style.

The three got into the "barn furniture" business some few years ago after Sally and her daughter realized there would be a market for the specialty pieces while they were engaged in making western leather accessories and selling them at various shows. The daughter is Stacy Cochran of Lohn whose husband is a coach and teacher in the Lohn schools.

Bill spent quite a few years in the heating and air conditioning business and raised peaches on a 1500 tree orchard before turning all his efforts to the furniture making. Son Wes found his niche in the woodworking business early and has stayed with that trade to this day.

The three came to Santa Anna from Lockney to set up their furniture building in what we know as the old Bradley Lumber Yard location.

The pieces they build, from wall decorations to bedroom and dining room sets, are all custom made for their customers. They have recently completed a huge entertainment center, but they agree that a 12-foot-long dresser was probably the most unusual piece they have put together.

The Days agree that probably the most improbable task they have accomplished concerning their furniture building business is moving that 12-foot-long dresser up to the second floor of a newly built hand hewn log house.

"Twasn't easy" was the consensus. But once you have seen the products of their labors you will understand that nothing they do is especially easy.

Most of their customer are ranchers and horse enthusiasts which number among them some well known figures such as Bill McDavid of Dallas car dealership fame who is also an avid horseman, Joan Embry whom we remember as being the woman who showed animals on the Johnny Carson Show, Dan Lufkin of Lufkin Trailers...and the list goes on. Other names they toss around are

Barry Carbon, Jay Novacek and Michael Martin Murphy.

The Days emphasize they are not a retail business and will not always be there when you come by, but you are certainly welcome to stop by and visit and see the interesting pieces they are working on. The green door is the entry to a small showroom where you will be able to see some of their work with the exhibits changing from time to time. You will be quite intrigued by the style of the furniture and impressed with the workmanship.

We are happy they chose Santa Anna to locate their business. Go by and get acquainted.

Filing Opens Monday For City And School Board Elections

Filing opens on Monday, February 19 for three council seats on the Santa Anna City Council. The filing deadline will be March 20 at 5 p.m.

Karen Morris, Bobby Morgan and Robert Noriega are the council persons who terms will expire this year.

Filing for places on the Santa Anna Board of Trustees will open on Monday, February 18 in the Administration Office on the school campus. Filing will continue through March 20 at 5 p.m.

Roddy Dean and Gary Absher's terms will be expiring this year.

March 16 Date Set For Chamber Banquet Nominations Sought For "Citizen Of The Year"

Chamber of Commerce officials have set Friday evening, March 16 as the date for the annual Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce banquet.

The event will be held at the School cafeteria starting at 6:30 p.m. There will be a featured speaker, whose name will be disclosed later. Chamber officials say it will be someone from out of town with something worthwhile and entertaining to say to the

people of Santa Anna and surrounding area.

Nominations are being solicited for "Citizen of the Year. According to Chamber of Commerce secretary Tex Wright, to be considered for the honor nominees must be Santa Anna residents or rural residents with a Santa Anna rural mailing address.

You are asked to make your nomination in writing telling why

you believe this person should be named Santa Anna's Citizen of the Year. Nominations should not be longer than one typewritten page on letter length paper, two pages handwritten.

The nominations may be mailed to Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 9, Santa Anna, Tx. 76878 or turned in at the Chamber of Commerce office at 801 Wallis Ave.

Longtime County Tax Assessor-Collector Resigns, Effective The End Of The Month

The Coleman County Commissioners met Monday morning with Billie Baker presenting her resignation as Coleman County Tax Assessor-Collector. The resignation will be effective at 5:00 p.m., Feb. 29th.

A retirement party honoring Baker will be held on March 1 from 2-5 p.m. in the District Courtroom of the Coleman County Courthouse.

Billie has served in the office since December of 1966 when she was hired by John Skelton and has been tax collector since her appointment in October, 1974. She has served the people of Coleman County for almost 30 years, an enviable record of service by any standard.

Billie commented: "I have enjoyed serving the wonderful people of Coleman County and will miss seeing them as both customers and friends. Billie and Bill, her husband, plan to do some traveling and getting reacquainted. They also look forward to visiting their daughters; Becky in Irving and Beverly Ford in Frisco. Beverly and Randy are the parents of Bill and Billie's grandchildren David and Daniel.

A retirement party honoring Baker will be held on March 1 from 2-5 p.m. in the District Courtroom of the Coleman County Courthouse.

Following the acceptance of the resignation, Donna Seymore was unanimously appointed to fill the

unexpired term of Tax Assessor-Collector. Seymore is running unopposed for the office of Tax Assessor-Collector.

A new deputy Tax Assessor-Collector was appointed but the name of such person has yet to be released.

Commissioners approved the Inter-Local Drug Task Force Agreement.

The Commissioners currently fund \$1400 for one government trapper's monthly salary and the Animal Damage Control Board pays the other trapper. The Animal Damage Control Board is currently five months in arrears for this salary. The item was tabled until the April meeting.

Judge Sherrill Ragsdale reported that Child Welfare Board members Carolyn Maddox, representing the Chamber of Commerce and James Paul Bailey, representing the Ministerial Association will continue to serve on the board.

Bill totaling \$23,661 for the General and approximately \$24,088 total for the four precincts were reviewed and approved.

Longtime County Doctor Injured In Vehicle Accident Monday

A two pickup collision in Coleman on Monday resulted in three persons being transported to Coleman County Medical Center.

The accident occurred at the intersection of Guadalupe and Santa Anna Avenue about 9:58 a.m.

A 1991 Ford pickup driven by Dr. J. P. Jones of Coleman was traveling north on F.M. 2131 when it collided with a 1996 Chevrolet pickup driven by R. V. Rodgers of Gouldbusk. Jones was north bound and Rodgers was eastbound.

The accident sent both vehicles to the northeast corner of the intersection striking a utility pole. Both pickups landed on the passenger side of the vehicles. The bed of Jones' pickup was separated from the main truck body.

Jones was transported by Care Flight Ambulance helicopter to Abilene Regional Medical Center. Rodgers was treated at Coleman County Medical Center and released. A passenger the Jones' ve-

hicle, James Robinson, was treated and released by CCMC.

The latest report stated that Jones received broken ribs and was undergoing testing at Abilene Regional.

CCMC Hospital District Needs Applicants For Board

The Coleman County Medical Center Board of Directors has set election date of Saturday, May 4, 1996. Four seats are open. Incumbents are Don Hames, Martha Griffis, Foster Miller and Ron Owens.

Coleman County Medical Center will accept candidates' applications from Wednesday, February 14 until Friday, March 1, 1996. Individuals interested in serving the community and county may come to the Administrative Office of the hospital and ask for Ginger Ransberger. Office hours are

Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Requirements for prospective candidates seeking a set on the Board are: individual must be a U. S. citizen, a resident of the state of Texas for twelve months, and a resident of Coleman County for at least six months; candidates must be at least eighteen years old and must be a registered voter (bring voter registration card when applying).

For further information, please call 625-2135, extension 136.

Conditions Right For Fires

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Dept. has been called on three times in the past two weeks. Twice during the recent icy weekend.

At 4:00 a.m. that Friday they were called to a house on S. Houston to douse a fire that was started from an overloaded circuit. Damage was contained to one room.

They answered a call to a rural location south of Santa Anna where a small R.V. trailer burned. That fire was blamed on a faulty butane cook stove.

A grass fire was fought at a location just off the Whon Road on Monday of this week. The firemen received the call at 1:30 p.m. and had contained the blaze that covered 75-100 acres by 4:00.

We are reminded that conditions are just right for grass fires and we are asked to take every precaution to prevent such occurrences.

If you are planning a controlled burn, please notify the Fire Dept. so they can avert unnecessary alarms.

Sorority To March For Dimes

Santa Anna's Delta Omicron chapter of ESA will be conducting a house to house March of Dimes Walk America on Sunday afternoon beginning at 2:00 p.m.

The prevention of birth defects is an urgent concern for all of us. Not just the poor. The uneducated. The disadvantaged. The minorities. Or the young. Anyone can be born with a birth defect.

With your contribution, the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation supports research, health services, and education to prevent birth defects.

By participating in the Walk America Delta Omicron members are helping to ensure that a large portion of your contribution stays in this area of Texas.

Well Said

It's a waste of time, telling folks to be careful so they'll live long. People ain't interested in livin' long, just in livin' high.

Buddy T. Hardin Graduates Tarleton State

Buddy T. Hardin, Santa Anna received his B.S. in Exercise and Sports Studies from Tarleton State University in Stephenville on December 16.

Hardin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hardin of Santa Anna.

Santa Anna — A Town Of Friendly People

Saying "Hello" to
Mildred Michado of Studio City, Calif.

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Santa Anna Police Report

There were two arrests made during the month of January according to Chief of Police Carlos Torres.

A burglary is under investigation. A juvenile female was arrested on an assault and transported to Abilene. On another assault the victim decided not to file.

A subject was arrested for outstanding warrants following a family disturbance.

One theft is under investigation and another theft has charges filed on a male subject and on another the victim did not wish to file after the property was recovered.

A criminal mischief, an accidental death and suicide are under investigation.

The victim of an unauthorized use of motor vehicle did not press charges after recovery of the vehicle.

A breakdown of calls are arrest 2; calls answered 52; tickets written 2; written warnings 5; family disturbances 6; thefts 3; 911 emergency calls 2; wrecks 6; harassments 3; prowler calls 3; assaults 2; child welfare concerns 1; trespassing 1; unauthorized use of motor vehicle 1; inquests 1; criminal mischief 1; assist motorists 7; illegally popping fireworks 1; livestock on highway 4; dogs running loose 1; suspicious person in business 1; assist ambulance 2; gas drive offs 3; welfare check on elderly subject 1; and reckless driving 3.

Delta Omicron Plans March Of Dimes Feb. 18

Delta Omicron Sorority met at the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative with Susie Voss as hostess.

Plans were made for the March of Dimes drive to start Sunday, February 18.

Tickets will soon be on sell for a \$100 shopping spree. All proceeds will go to a senior for a college scholarship.

A donation was made to the National Honor Society for their help in the Rehab Telethon.

Others present were Debbie Wheatley, Bernidine Watson, Lois Harper, Peggy Hensley, Coyita Bowker, Gayle Stewardson, Dorothy Harris, Maribee Pritchard and visitor Pat Vance.

The best thing to do with some desires is to nip them in the bud.

Extension Workshops To Offer Healthy Lifestyle Suggestions

By Carol Katzer
Coleman Co. Ext. Agent, Family & Consumer Sciences

Maintaining good health as long as possible is paramount in minds of most people once they reach middle age, especially when the first signs of aging show themselves. We naturally find new aches and pains or some activity we can't do like we did at age twenty-five. Maybe the doctor tells us to follow some special diet or routine. These are normal in everyone's life.

Recent and continuing research tells us that good nutrition and physical activity can make a difference in our quality of life. The relationship of lifestyle to preventable diseases is a fairly new area of study, even though statistics from the American Heart Association and American Cancer Society have been around for years.

The concept of 'wellness' is breaking into the public arena on all fronts and health care professionals, home economists, dietitians, sports medicine professionals, gerontologists and others are realizing the cause-effect relationship.

The Coleman County Extension Service will provide an opportunity for interested persons to participate in a wellness workshop that will feature the following topics and activities:

- Specific diseases and their relation-

- ship to lifestyle and diet
- Preserving good health
- Health screenings
- Planning healthy meals
- Take the mystery out of recipe modification
- Gain control over situations that rob us of healthy eating practices
- Healthy cardiovascular lifestyle

• Explanation that we're never too old nor out-of-condition for physical activity

The workshop format will include lunches of healthy and tasty foods, health screenings and time for active participation by everyone attending. Size of workshops will be limited, so make plans now to enroll and pay the \$5.00 per person fee.

The first session will be on Thursday, Feb. 22, in the Coleman County State Bank clubroom from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

A second workshop is planned for Thursday, April 25th, same site and times.

On Friday, March 15th, health screenings will be conducted at Coleman Junior High School during the annual Ag Day program.

An undecided date in September will feature a finale workshop with follow-up health screenings.

For more information on this 'Eating for Good Health' program, call Carol Katzer, 625-4519.

Low-Fat Diet Doesn't Necessarily Result In Lowered Cholesterol

HOUSTON—If you think you're safe from high cholesterol because you eat low-fat foods, think again, says a heart specialist at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston.

"For years, physicians have emphasized diet to patients who want to lower their blood cholesterol levels," said Dr. Antonio M. Gotto, Jr., chairman of medicine and scientific director of The DeBakey Heart Center at Baylor and The Methodist Hospital.

Recent studies have shown that a low-fat diet and drug therapy can reduce heart attack risk in people with heart disease.

The key is keeping your cholesterol level in check.

According to Gotto, many heart surgery patients never have their cholesterol checked. At least 50 percent of the people who take a cholesterol-lowering drug stop taking it after six months -- a habit that can be fatal.

"Some people can reduce or go off medication and follow a low-fat diet and exercise plan," Gotto said. "For others, taking medication to control cholesterol is a lifetime commitment." Gotto says, however, that taking drugs to thwart high cholesterol is not a license to eat high-fat foods.

"A bad diet can undo the effects of medication," said Gotto, who is also chief of the internal medicine service at The Methodist Hospital.

Heart disease is the number one cause of death and disability in the United States, according to the American Heart Association. Nearly

half a million Americans die of heart attacks each year.

In most cases, too much low density lipoprotein (LDL) in the blood is to blame. LDL is the bad cholesterol that clogs arteries and blocks blood flow to the heart, resulting in a heart attack or stroke.

Gotto says cholesterol "acts" differently in different people. People most at risk include men, people with high blood pressure and diabetes, and people who smoke and are overweight.

"People often point to a relative and say, 'They ate bacon and eggs and lived to be 90, why can't I?' It doesn't mean you can do it, too, he said. "Adopt good health habits early on to ensure a healthy and productive life."

Gotto offers a few tips to help reduce your risk:

- * If you are overweight, lose weight by following a low-fat, low-cholesterol diet and exercise program.

- * Keep your cholesterol intake to 300 milligrams a day.

- * Look at food labels and check the amount of saturated fat, total fat, cholesterol, and total calories per serving.

- * Get your cholesterol checked every five years. If you have a family history of high cholesterol or other diseases such as diabetes or high blood pressure, get it checked more often.

The DeBakey Heart Center is a joint program of Baylor College of Medicine and The Methodist Hospital supporting cardiovascular research, treatment and education.

Coleman AARP Chapter Will Meet Tuesday

The Coleman Chapter of AARP will be meeting at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20, for a covered dish lunch. The meeting will be held in the Senior Citizen Center, 316 S. Pecos in Coleman.

Anyone 50 years of age or over is welcome to bring a covered dish and enjoy the gathering. You need not be a current member of AARP to attend.

Leta Brown of Santa Anna will present a program concerning local AARP activities and how they are coordinated in the area.



Sarah Pelton Celebrates Second Birthday

Sarah Pelton celebrated her second birthday at her home Sunday, February 4th, 1996 with family members Memaw and Pawpaw Wright, Uncle James and Aunt Cindy, Chrystal, Jennifer, Jessica and Moma. Sarah enjoyed opening presents and blowing out her candles on the cake, but she let her dog, Lucky, have her cake and ice cream. More than anything else she enjoyed the family being at her house.

SA Cemetery Memorial

Santa Anna Cemetery Association has received a memorial to Barney and Bessie Lewellan, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Alford from Billie Faye McDonnell.

Did You Get A Blank Post Card?

In case you are one of those people who recently received a blank postcard from the Santa Anna News, this is what it should have had printed on the message side. In our rush to get them out on time, we apparently sent some which were not printed with the message. You can go by this notice to determine the amount to send for renewal but please send the other card with the payment if at all possible to help us credit the correct account.

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Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

We had another blow in Saturday night. I did see lightning last night down toward Brownwood. Didn't come our way.

Carmilla Baugh went to Bangs Saturday to visit the Doug Perkins and Lonnie and Nancy Lowry and children. Hettie Scarborough is visiting Carmilla Sunday. Carmilla visited out at Ranger Park Nursing Home Monday with Mrs. Ruth Hibbits and others.

Those visiting Thelma over the week and weekend were Eunice, Darrel, Virgil, Peggy Sikes of Bangs and Randy Sikes and Sam of Palestine.

Syble and Lee Ray Huggins drove to Comanche to visit friends, the O'Brines. Syble visited out at nursing home with Mrs. Ruth Hibbits and Hardon.

Cathy Ellis had lunch with Nona Bell and Cecil Monday Wednesday. Jerry Ellis and the Cecil Ellis went out to San Angelo state college and took Bryce and Jamie out to eat. Was Bryce's birthday. Jerry dropped by for short visit with his dad and mom Saturday. Bryce visited Sunday. Jerry dropped by to pick up his dad and took with him to feed cattle Sunday.

Juanita went down to Temple to pick up John Tuesday. They came back Wednesday. They both are sick right now, I guess the flu.

Patsy Ingram and her daughter Sandra from Dallas went up to Abilene to visit Mildred Ford in Hendrick Hospital. They told Betty she looks pretty good. Was doing well. Patsy and her daughter came on down for a visit with Betty and others Saturday.

Mary McDaniel of Carbon is at home now after her operation in Abilene. Everything turned out OK. Margie says she is doing well.

Kathleen and Charlie Avants went up to Ranger Park Nursing Home Saturday to visit with her mother Mrs. Ruth Hibbits. Kathleen went last Wednesday.

Those visiting Adury Wright was her children Judy Chamber, Bill and

Clara Gibson of Clyde, Jerry and Lynn Wright of Mason and James Pelton dropped by on Saturday.

Nevy Parsons of Bangs passed away Monday. He was laid to rest at the Cleveland Cemetery on Wednesday. Our condolences goes out to family.

Ovella Williams visited with Aunt Helen and Uncle Emil Williams Sunday. Then went over to visit with Eveline at rest home.

Tex Wright went to Kerrville Wednesday to see his doctor and got a good report. Tex has a bad cold now.

Burnice Bilbrey has a bad cold. I talked to Edd Sunday night. Ruby was really doing good. He came home for the first night tonight since Ruby has been in the hospital. Edd said Pete was a little slow to get the day going. Terry and Patsy Theron were down to visit him Sunday.

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

We were really in hopes we could report a good rain this past week to you this Monday. No rain. But a lot warmer weather as the week went by and still in need of a good rain.

Anthony and Chris Halfmann of Rowena were weekend visitors or guests in the home of their sister Mr. and Mrs. Don and Julie Fitzpatrick and family. All enjoyed a nice visit together.

My daughter Patsy Smith of Abilene was with the family here. Spending Monday and Tuesday night with me returning to her home Wednesday. Was so nice having her with us.

Mrs. Ruth Poldrack of Coleman was with her mother Mrs. Ethel Radle in Santa Anna on Wednesday and Friday.

Mr. Floyd Morris visited with

Keeping an eye on Texas

Inmates pay for prison recreation

Televisions and sports equipment in Texas' prison system are not purchased with state funds, but are paid for by inmates through proceeds from commissary sales.

Inmate Trust Fund
Inmates receive money from family and friends that is deposited into a trust fund.



Prison commissary
Minimum security inmates and non-violent prisoners can spend up to \$60 every two weeks on such things as hygiene items like soap and toothpaste, as well as fans and radios.

Local Funds
Proceeds from commissary sales—\$4.2 million in fiscal 1995—are used to pay for such things as weight lifting equipment, basketballs, board games and TVs, as well as recreational personnel.

SOURCES: John Shrap, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts and Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Rockwood News

By Sandra Wilson

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY! I hope everyone had a great Valentine's Day. Minnie Bray broke her arm dur-

ing the icy weather we had. She is doing well. Those visiting with her are John and Frankie Gregg, Mack and Pat Hambright, Michael and Jill Watson, Crystal and Chipper, Vivian Steward, Bill and Sadie Bryan, Jr. and Nell Brusenan, Royce and Wanda McIver and Tommy and Norma Briscoe and John and Billie Gregg.

Jack and Skeeta Cooper were in Temple Thursday and Friday. They attended the Bell County Fair while there. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lee Brown and Shorty Robinson in Brownwood Monday.

Wednesday Woodrow Wilson of Abilene visited with Jr. and Nell Brusenan. They were in Coleman for Bible study, picked up Minnie Bray at John Greggs, and she attended with them at the home of Bro. Jeff, Loma and Sara Dean. Thursday Nell quilted and Bailey Hull visited with Jr. Friday Roland Deal visited a while that morning. Saturday night they attended the community supper. Nell visited Johnie Deal in the Coleman hospital Sunday.

Blake Williams visited with Veronica and Carolyn via telephone. Elec Cooper and Garlan McSwain visited with him this past week. Claudia Rutherford had eye surgery last Monday. She stayed

with her sister Mrs. Lorene Micholotti in the San Angelo Hospital and reports she is quite ill and also with his sister Mrs. Irene Smith in Brady. He visited with these sisters Saturday.

Mr. Bob Stewart of Fort Worth area visited by telephone with his mother Mrs. Ethel Radle in Santa Anna Sunday. Reported he would probably see her this week.

Thomas and myself were awfully proud to have Mr. Clarence Edwin Bengel of Lubbock visited with us for a time Thursday or Friday afternoon. Had been so long since I had seen Charles Edwin and really feel honored he came for a visit. He was with his mother Mrs. Alfa Bengel and other members of the family during the weekend. Thanks so much for taking time out to chat a while. He was a little boy of our community in times past and doing well. "Thanks". Just remember Charled Edwin, Whon is still here. Not so much as when your childhood home was here. Don't forget us.

Mr. Joe Wynn of Fort Worth visited for a time Saturday with Mrs. Ethel Radle in Santa Anna. Joe is Mrs. Radle's nephew and plans are are he will be living back in this area before very long. We wish Joe well. He too is a native of the Whon Community and has seen lots of this old world since he was a little boy at Whon.

with Billie Eckles in Santa Anna Monday night. Jimmie Gail and Julie Hafner visited with Claudia through the week and weekend visitors were Jennifer Rutherford and Denise Rutherford.

Thursday Dr. Burgess Beverly Sealy of Fort Worth had lunch with Burgess and Gayle Stewardson. Sunday Johnny and Ann Osborne and Bo of Eden visited and joined in on a birthday celebration. Burgess and Gayle hosted a birthday party for Toni Stewardson. Gary, Kim, Clay and Audra Hubbard, Judd, Toni, Tyler and Sloan were in attendance. Dwight Zirkle dropped by for a while.

Ralph and Betty Langston, Roland Duus and Bo Wilson visited with Johnnie Steward. Tony Rehm, Ethel and Olin Horton were drop-in visitors during the week with him. Johnnie is presently in the hospital in San Angelo.

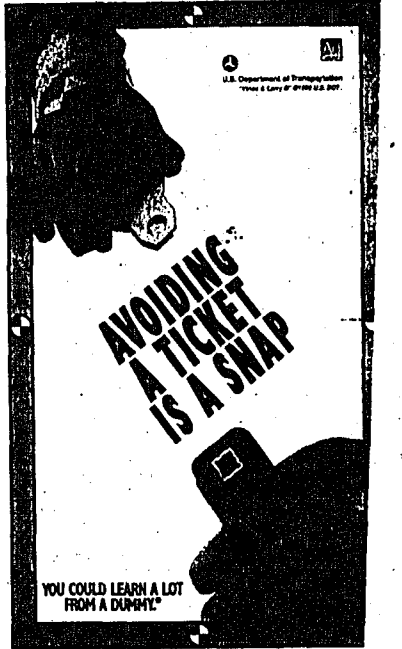
Thursday night Ralph and Betty Langston, Faye Wise and Claudia Rutherford visited with Bill and Sadie Bryan. They were business visitors in Brownwood one day. Saturday night Bill and Sadie attended the community family supper.

Visitors with Becky Brooks, Frankie Matthews and Darlene McElrath Monday evening were Emily Taylor, Sandra Wilson, Anita Williams and Twana Grey.

Tuesday afternoon I visited with Gladys Slayton and my aunt Christine Turner. Friday night Gladys Slayton, Louise Strength

and I attended the boys and girls basketball games at Panther Creek. I am glad to report they were victorious. Saturday evening Christy and Emily Taylor and Richard Ybarra stopped by on their way to Lubbock. Emily stayed with Bo and I. Sunday Mindy and Maegan Avants picked Emily up and took her to their house to visit while I attended Mrs. Joe (Vivian) Matthews funeral in Coleman. She was very dear and she will be missed. Monday night Christy and Richard picked Emily up and returned home.

Donations to Rockwood Community Center in memory of Beulah Minton from Faye Wise.



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