

## Booster Club Meets Monday

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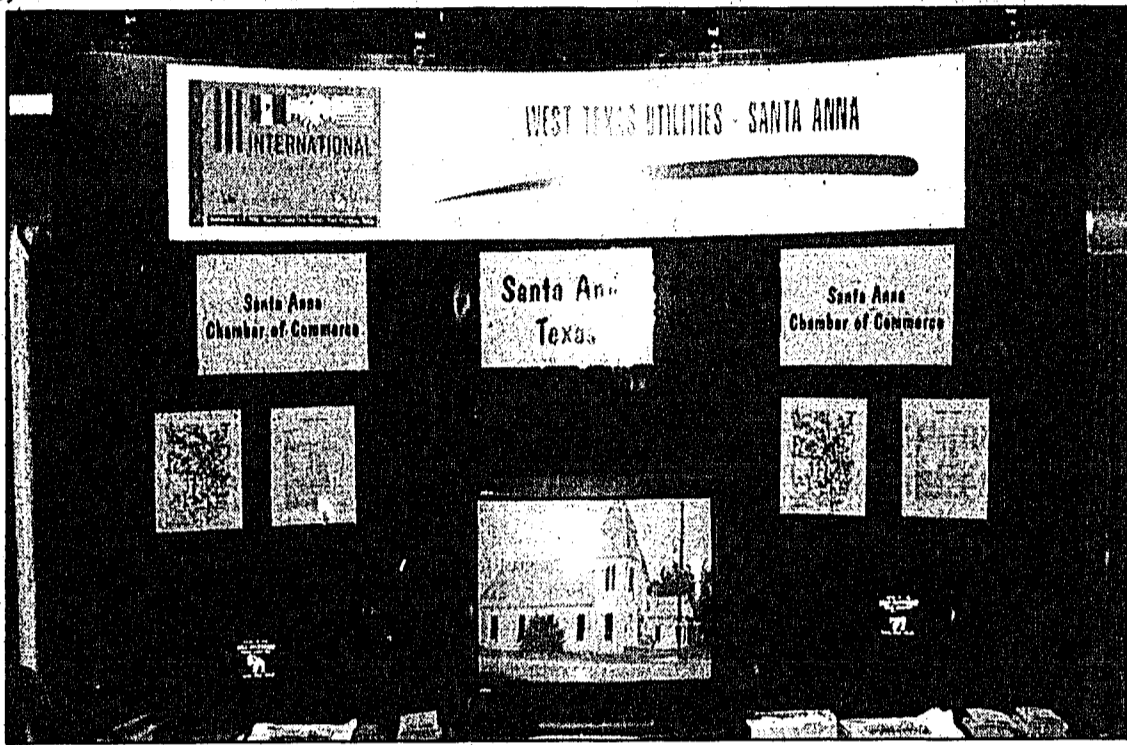
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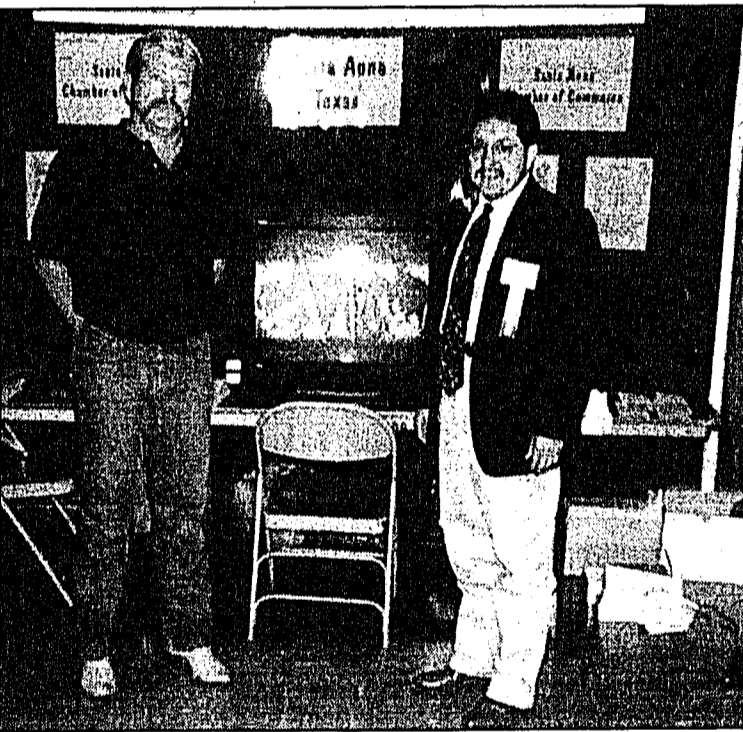
Thursday, September 12, 1996



## Local Men Tout Santa Anna At Trade Show

Santa Anna was one of 140 cities and businesses with a booth at the 3rd annual Bi-National Business Partner Trade Show held in Fort Stockton September 4-7. Bobby Morgan and Robert Noriega manned the booth showing a 6-minute video of scenes from Santa Anna including Funtier Day, businesses and the mountain. They handed out brochures, pens and pencils describing our town and talked to people and answered questions about Santa Anna and its opportunities. The show is held each year to promote free trade between the State of Texas and the State of Chihuahua, Mexico. Santa Anna Economic Development Corporation is responsible for the production of the video with West Texas Utilities sponsoring the booth used at the show. Noriega spoke with Peggy Stovall who is employed with the Pecos State Bank and learned she is a former Santa Anna resident and was really interested in seeing how things had changed since she lived here.

Photos by Robert Noriega and Bobby Morgan



Morgan and Noriega At Trade Show Booth

## Commissioners Talk About Vandalism, Adopt Budget, Set Tax Rate

Prior to the Commissioner's meeting on Monday there was a great deal of talk about vandalism in the county over the past few weeks.

Commissioner Willard Allen said his Precinct 2 equipment had received quite a bit of damage from vandals. Over twenty windows number of windows had been knocked out of various pieces of equipment and trucks.

Commissioner Davis of Precinct 4 said his equipment had been damaged to the tune of over \$800 worth of windows.

The two figured their combined losses due to vandalism had been more than \$3,000 in past weeks.

The County is asking for the public's help. If you see anything happening that might result in destruction of property, please call the Sheriff's Dept. at 625-3506 as soon as possible.

The Coleman County Commissioners met in their regular meeting on Monday.

According to Coleman County Judge Sherrill Ragsdale the budget for the 1996-97 year was set at \$1,953,732. There is a shortfall of \$233,728 which is the anticipated cost of two murder trials set to take place this fall.

Following the adoption of the budget, the tax rate was set for the 1996-97 year at .5782 per \$100 property evaluation.

Coleman County Constable Rondoe Horton, although not listed on the agenda, met with commissioners to review his expenses. His request was taken under advisement.

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## Booster Club Mountaineer Jackets Are In

If you ordered a Mountaineer jacket last spring from the Booster Club, you may pick it up

## Rob Cheaney Hits First Football Frenzy Jackpot Of The Season

We really had lots of interest in our first Football Frenzy of this football season and are very pleased with the response to our contest.

Our winner, however, is not new at the game. He has, in fact, been one of the most loyal contest entrants from the very first Frenzy several years ago.

Rob Cheaney was the winner going away, picking 14 games correctly and also naming the former Mountaineer. Rob's son Joey was in second place with 13 correct guesses. Rob wins \$25 for his lucky guesses.

The former Mountaineer in the contest was Roy Joe Harvey who was pictured as a Junior at SAHS. He played quarterback for the Mountaineers.

Games giving the most problems seemed to be the Baird and Cisco game, and Arkansas - SMU, both upsets according to pre-game predictions.

The winner of each week's contest will win \$20 for picking the most games correctly and a \$5 bonus if he or she can name the former Mountaineer who picture will appear on the contest pages.

Results of last week's contest games which included three ties were:

- Cisco 19 - Baird 6
- Robert Lee 0 - Cross Plains 0
- Gorman 12 - Water Valley 12
- Rising Star 18 - Santo 0
- Santa Anna 26 - Christoval 7
- Evant 34 - Abbott 0
- Holland 33 - Lometa 8
- Bangs 56 - Coleman 0
- Panther Creek 60 - Cherokee 12
- Goldthwaite 20 - Comanche 15
- Ranger 7 - Millsap 7
- HPU 30 - Thomas Moore 18
- ACU 30 - Prairie View A&M 14
- Baylor 24 - LA Tech 16
- SMU 23 - Arkansas 10
- Dallas 27 - NY Giants 0
- Oilers 34 - Jacksonville 27

## "See You At The Pole" Next Wednesday

Youth will lead the way, Wednesday, September 18 as two or three million people are expected to gather in a spirit of unity to pray on at least five continents.

"See You At The Pole" began as a student-initiated, student-led movement and has maintained that distinction for six years.

Locally students will gather around the flag pole in front of the high school at 7 a.m. Donuts, milk and juice will be served afterwards.

Junior high, high school and worldwide in 1995. They will pray for local and national concerns.

Thursday, Sept. 12th, at the school cafeteria from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Any balance due must be paid at the time the jacket is picked up.

## Mountaineers In Winner's Column With Win Over Christoval

### Host Ranger At Mountaineer Stadium Friday

The Santa Anna Mountaineers traveled to Christoval last Friday night for the first non-district game of the season. After trailing 7-0 at the half, the Mountaineers rebounded for a 26-7 win.

Halfback Chris Lewis scored three touchdowns with Chris Johnson adding to the scoreboard. Lewis' runs were 3, 13 and 1 yard. Johnson's score was from 26 yards. Mark Yancy completed two of the four PATs.

According to Athletic Director and Head Coach David Robinett the lack of a second scrimmage showed up. The last two weeks had been spent on fundamentals. The first half saw good plays but fumbles and penalties hurt the scoreboard.

Robinett said, "I am pleased with the kick-off team. They held

Christoval to 4.8 yard on returns." Chris Cheaney received the "Defensive Player of the Week" Award. He had two interceptions with four solo tackles during the night.

Hector Patino was in the running for the award causing one fumble and recovering another along with seven solo tackles. Also receiving recognition for causing fumbles during the night were Shane Watson and Ryan Keeney.

Lupe Castillo, Mark Yancy, Josh Lewis and Cesar Patino were recognized for excellent blocking. Yancy was also responsible for an interception during the evening.

Fullback Chris Johnson was named "Offensive Player of the Week" with 100 yard rushing against Christoval on seven carries.

Individual rushing:  
Chris Boyet: 10/3

Hector Patino: 24/4  
Chris Lewis: 74/10, average 7.4  
Josh Lewis: 101/13, average 7.7  
Chris Johnson: 100/7, average 14.2

The Mountaineers play their first home game on Friday evening when the Ranger Bulldogs come to Mountaineer Stadium with an 8 p.m. kickoff.

Robinett said, "This will be a good test for us against a 2A school."

Ranger is coming to Santa Anna Friday after a 7-7 tie with Millsap.

With seven starters on offense and seven on defensive returning, the Bulldogs are expected to show improvement in their district over the past several years when they have been in the cellar in the district race.

## Band Boosters Meet Monday

The Santa Anna Band Boosters will meet on Monday, September 16 at 6 p.m. at the Band Hall.

All band parents need to be present for this meeting.

## Time To Sign Up For City-Wide Garage Sale

Now is the time to sign up for the City-Wide Garage Sale which will take place on Saturday, September 28th.

By placing your name and location of your sale on the list at the Chamber of Commerce, your sale will come to the attention of the many who will stop there for directions.

As with the first city-wide garage sale held last spring, garage sale shoppers will come by the Chamber office to get a list of locations of sales before starting

out on their shopping sprees. The cost of adding your name to the list is \$3.00.

Response to the first such event in Santa Anna was exceptional, and the same is expected this time around.

To add to the attraction on that Saturday, the annual Lord's Acre Festival sponsored by First United Methodist Church is also slated for that day.

Plan for a full day in Santa Anna on September 28th with lots of bargains to be found.

## School Officials Will Enforce 'No Tobacco' Policy

Officials with the Santa Anna ISD are reminding everyone that it is their responsibility to prohibit the use of tobacco products on school grounds and at school-sponsored activities.

According to a letter received by the school from Mike Moses, Commissioner of Education with the Texas Education Agency the Gun-Free and Smoke-Free Schools provisions that passed as part of the Goals 2000: Educate America Act prohibits smoke on school property. Federal law allows for an administrative penalty of up to

\$1,000.00 per occurrence for violation of this policy.

Senate Bill 1 also contains provisions which prohibit the use of tobacco products on school property and at school-sponsored events. Students may neither possess nor use tobacco products on school grounds or at school-sponsored events. Parents and other adults may not use tobacco products on school grounds or at any school-sponsored event. School districts are charged with ensuring that school district employees enforce these provisions on Senate Bill 1.

## Rockwood Homecoming Sunday

The annual Rockwood Homecoming will be held on Sunday, September 15.

A short memorial service at the Rockwood Cemetery will begin at

10:30 a.m. Afterwards, everyone is invited to the Rockwood Community Center for visiting, reminiscing and lunch.

## Methodist Church To Host After Game Fellowship

The First United Methodist Church will host the After Game Fellowship on Friday evening following the Ranger-Santa Anna football game.

All junior high and high school students are invited to attend and take part.

visit over a cup of coffee and a donut.

The breakfast is from 7:00 to 8:30 a.m.

## Business Breakfast At Library Next Thursday

The monthly Business breakfast will be held next Thursday morning, the 19th, at the Santa Anna Library.

All business people and employees of businesses are invited to take this opportunity for an informal time to get together and

Santa Anna — A Town Of Friendly People

Saying "Hello" to  
Beverly McFadden of San Angelo

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## Obituaries

### Audrey Mae Parsons Wright

Graveside services for Audrey Mae Parsons Wright, 78, of Santa Anna, were held at 10 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 7, 1996 at the Cleveland Cemetery under the direction of Santa Anna Funeral Home.

She died Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1996 at 6:21 p.m. in a Brownwood nursing home.

She was born May 11, 1918 in Coleman County the daughter of the late F. A. and Louisa Cupps Parsons. She served as a nurses aide and quilted for the public for many years. She was a Church of Christ member and a life long resident of Santa Anna.

She married Thomas Doyle Wright in Grosvenor on Aug. 17, 1941, he preceded her in death on Sept. 4, 1967.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, D. D. "Tex" and Pat Wright of Santa Anna and Lynn and Jerry Wright of Mason; two daughters and sons-in-law, Judy and Bill Chambers of Abilene and Clara and Bill Gibson of Clyde; four brothers, Nolan Parsons of San Antonio, Nalton Parsons of Sweetwater and Norrell and Newell Parsons, both of Brownwood; two sisters, Dorothy Goodgoin of Brownwood and Muriel Lappe of Brownwood; 10 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Norris and Nevy Parsons.

Memorials may be made to the VNA Hospice at 212 Brown Street in Brownwood or the Cleveland Cemetery.

### Floyd "Jack" Powers

Services for Floyd "Jack" Powers, 80, of Midland and formerly of Gouldbusk and Shields, were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 8, 1996 at Stevens Funeral Home. Burial followed at Gouldbusk Cemetery.

He died Thursday, Sept. 5, 1996 at a Midland hospital.

He was born Oct. 14, 1915, in Gouldbusk, the son of the late Hugh Mac Powers and Sarah Frances Taylor. He grew up in Gouldbusk and moved to Shields in 1925.

He graduated from Santa Anna High School in 1935.

He was a self-employed contractor and carpenter in Houston and Midland. He was a Pentecostal.

Survivors include a daughter, Toma Eileen McCarley of Fresno, Calif.; two grandchildren, Janet Sue Jackson of San Antonio and Donald McCarley of Houston; three great-grandchildren; and a sister-in-law, Pauline Powers of Coleman.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

### Elton McDonald

Thomas Elton McDonald, 92, of Santa Anna died Sunday, Sept. 8, 1996 at 9:25 p.m. at his residence.

He was born to the late Tom and Dora Worley McDonald in Madisonville, Texas on July 19, 1904.

He attended Madisonville and Coleman schools and had been a resident of Santa Anna and Coleman since 1918. He married Bessie Brandon in Coleman on Nov. 10, 1925 and they have celebrated seventy-one years of marriage.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church and was a dairyman and stockfarmer retiring in 1992.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Oma Dean Horner of Santa Anna; a granddaughter, Mrs. Pete (Linda) Simmons of Plains, Texas; two grandsons, Richard Horner of Santa Anna and David Horner of Tom Bean, Texas; a brother, Byron McDonald of Lovington, New Mexico; a sister, Ina Williams of Plano; six great-grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Services were held Tuesday, Sept. 10, 1996 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church with Rev. John Stanislaw and Rev. Raymond Jones officiating. Burial followed in the Santa Anna Cemetery directed by Henderson Funeral Home of Santa Anna.

Pallbearers were Chance Horner, David Horner, Richard Horner, James Simmons, Jeff Simmons and Pete Simmons.

### Ethelene Stewart

Ethelene Herring Stewart, 98, of Santa Anna died Sunday, Sept. 8, 1996 at 2:20 p.m. at the Ranger Park Inn Nursing Home in Santa Anna.

She was born to the late George Oliver and Augusta Hamilton Herring in Hill County, Texas on Sept. 30, 1898. She was raised in Santa Anna and attended Longview Schools and Sealy Nursing School.

She married George L. Stewart on Jan. 20, 1937 and he preceded her in death in 1975. She has been a resident of Santa Anna since 1975 where she was a member of the Northside Baptist Church.

She was a registered nurse and helped her husband in the dairy family business.

Survivors include a sister, Imo Herring of Santa Anna and several nieces and nephews.

Local nieces and nephews include Vernon "Snow" Herring, Dale Herring, Kenneth Herring, Lori Huffman, Harmony Herring and Casey Wade Herring.

Graveside services were held Tuesday, Sept. 8, 1996 at 9:30 a.m. at the Santa Anna Cemetery with Rev. Albert Brashear officiating directed by Henderson Funeral Home of Santa Anna.

### 'Round & About

Pete and Winnie Rutherford visited with her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Price near Brownwood last week. Also visiting there was Winnie's oldest sister, Ruth Greer of Commerce and her brother, Jim Tucker of Brownwood. Ruth returned to Santa Anna with the Rutherford's and stayed until Saturday. They along with Archie Tucker attended the Tucker Reunion at the Lake Brownwood State Park on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Raab of Corpus Christi and Margaret Karthaus of Fort Worth visited recently with their cousins, Novelle Boylston and Gwen Walker.

Visitors in the Jeannette Brock and Bill and Billie Woods homes are Roger and Betty Matthews from Jefferson, Oregon. Shirley Leach of Azle flew to Oregon and drove back with Roger and Betty for a long visit here. Others visiting have been Jack and Evelyn Dillingham,

### County Baptist Association To Meet Sept. 17

The regular meeting of the Coleman Baptist Association will be held September 17 at the Glen Cove Baptist Church in Glen Cove. The meeting begins with the W.O.M. and Executive Board at 6 p.m. The evening meal will be served at 6:30 p.m.

The program begins at 7:15 p.m. The program is on State Missions. Churches are encouraged to attend this meeting and the public is also invited.

### Birthdays

### Anniversaries

SEPTEMBER 12  
F. D. (Butch) Wagner  
Mr&Mrs Jeff Lee\*

SEPTEMBER 13  
Dwight Hudson  
Rodney Musick  
Juanita Naron

SEPTEMBER 14  
Mr&Mrs Roy Buse\*  
Mr&Mrs Tom Hays\*

SEPTEMBER 15  
Michael Warnock  
Delisa Nicholes

SEPTEMBER 16  
John T. Williams  
Ruth Ann Wise  
Raelee Watson  
Jessica Pelton  
Florence Stearns  
Pearl Wilson

SEPTEMBER 17  
Ruben Frausto  
Devin Cook  
Mr&Mrs Frank Gray\*  
C.C. Gilbert  
Danna Smith

### Delta Omicron Sorority Meets

Contributed  
Delta Omicron Sorority met Monday evening in the home of Peggy Hensley.

The meeting was called to order and the opening ritual was conducted by vice president Bernidine Watson.

Minutes were read, reports by officers were given and there was no old business.

Road clean-up was discussed during new business.

The education program was given by Patti Musick. Topics on brainstorming, how to spot a leader, how to be the very best involved member...ever, and a stress test were included.

Members attending were Coyita Bowker, Sharon Greenlee, Peggy Hensley, Patti Musick, Gayle Stewardson, Pat Vance, Bernidine Watson, Debbie Wheatley and reactivated member Jo Ashworth.

Members observed closing ritual and adjournment.

### Energize At Octoberfest

By Carol Katzer

County Extension Agent Family & Consumer Sciences Activate your energizer at Octoberfest! An event filled program sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Octoberfest is for people 55 and over. It's all happening in October at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood. There are two weeks from which to choose--each specializing in great food, educational workshops, recreational activities and warm and friendly people. Learn more about Octoberfest by calling Carol Katzer, County Extension Agent-Family & Consumer Sciences at 625-4519.

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Here's another advantage to growing old: The older you get the more cold viruses you've caught and built up immunity to and the fewer colds you're likely to get.

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### Santa Anna Nutrition Center Menu

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13  
Baked ham, sweet potatoes and apples, plantation blackeyed peas, cranberry sauce and brownies

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15  
Hamburgers, hamburger style fixn's, pork-n-beans, french fries and cookies and fruit

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20  
Chicken fried steak, golden potatoes, herb green beans, cake and ice cream

**Thank You**  
Perhaps you sent a card, And maybe said a prayer.  
Perhaps you sent flowers, or just sat with us there.  
Maybe we didn't even speak, but we want you to know,  
That all your love and concern has helped to lighten the load.  
The family of Audrey Wright

### Thank You

May God Bless each of you for caring about our beloved "Tiny". For your prayers, calls, food, flowers, cards, & etc. All who came to the house on Saturday morning. Bless Rev. David Jenkins, Steven's Funeral Home and all their staff. All the pall bearers and honorary pall bearers, City of Santa Anna Employees. Especially to one and all of Santa Anna, he loved, cared so very, very much about all of you. A big thanks to the caring young people. Thanks to Coleman Police Dept. and other law enforcement.  
God Bless,  
Tommy "Tiny" Jackson Family

### Thanks

I would like to express my appreciation for Police Chief Carlos Torres for his quick work in recovering my stolen car and for Doug Watson and the City crew for work done in front of my house.  
Thanks to all of you!  
—Doris Morgan

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Worship Service - 11:00  
Sunday Evening - 6:30  
Wednesday Evening - 7:00

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST**  
405 South 1st  
Mike Efrid - Pastor  
Sunday School - 10:00  
Worship Service - 11:00  
Youth Group - Wed. 3:30 (program 5:00)

**FIRST BAPTIST**  
106 S. Lee  
Raymond Jones - Interim Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:30  
Worship Service - 10:45  
Sunday Evening - 6:00  
Mission Organizations - 6:00 Wed.  
All Age Groups Bible Study 6:00 Wed.

**NORTHSIDE BAPTIST**  
708 AVE. B  
Marvin Hale - Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:45  
Worship Service - 10:50  
Sunday Evening - 6:00  
Wed. Prayer Service - 6:30

**CORDERO BAPTIST**  
Ave. C & South 6th  
Joe M. Frausto - Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:45  
Worship Service - 11:00  
Sun. Evening Worship - 5:00  
Wednesday Bible Study - 6:30

**ST WILLOW BAPTIST**  
Brady Hwy.  
R.L. Brown - Pastor  
Sunday Worship - 11:00

**NEW HOPE COMMUNITY**  
Brady Hwy.  
D.C. Neal - Pastor  
(Contact Mrs. Joe (Pearl) Wilson)

**FIRST CHRISTIAN**  
Ave C & 1st Street  
Clyde Majors - Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:45 every Sun.  
Worship Services - 3rd. Sun.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
1001 Willis  
Dr. Richard Wood - Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:45  
Worship Service - 11:00  
Family Night Dinner - 3rd Wed.  
Fellowship Dinner Each 5th Sun.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
310 Ave. B  
Aaron Lemond - Minister  
Sunday Bible Classes - 9:30  
Worship Service - 10:30  
Sunday Evening - 6:00  
Wednesday Evening 6:30

**SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST**  
Ranger Park  
Robert L. Stumph - Pastor  
Sat. Sabbath School - 9:30  
Sabbath Worship Service - 11:00  
Vespers - SDA School - 4:00  
Prayer Meeting - Tues. at School

### Henderson Funeral Home

Santa Anna & Coleman

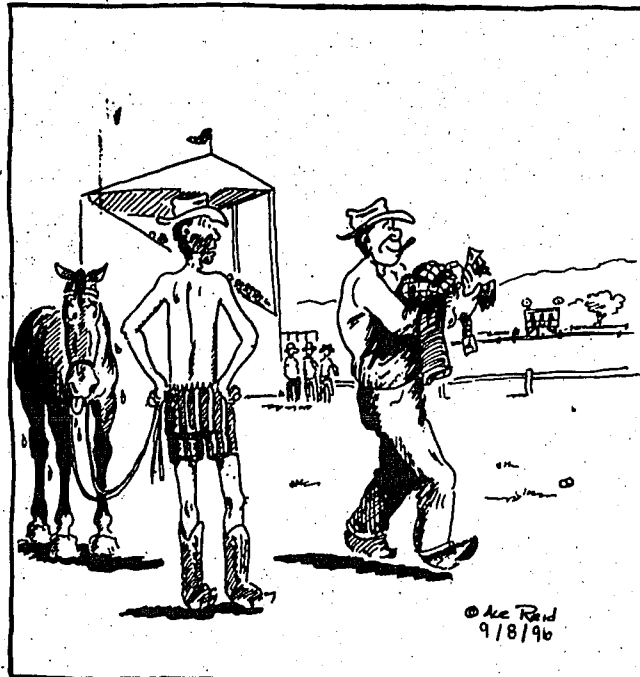
### Sharon's Beauty Salon

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### COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"If you'd really believed in that ol' hoss of yours, you could've won everything I had!"

## Santa Anna National Bank

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## Baucom Family Reunion

Contributed  
The descendants of Albert Mack and Buna Myers Baucom held their family reunion July 13-20 at the Christie Lodge in Avon/Beaver Creek, Colorado.

Those attending were Leon and Patsy Baucom Jones of Runaway Bay, Texas; Charles and Jerry Craig Jones of Arlington, Texas; Michael, Shaun, Candice, Ryan, Brittany and Zackary Jones of South Jordan, Utah; Theresa Baucom of Granbury; Mack and Hilda Baucom with friends Kenneth and Lyle Darnell of Hurst, Texas; Darren and Susan, Tyler, Lauren, Ryan and Brook Baucom of Colleyville, Texas; George and Lucy Baucom of Fountain Valley, California; Leslie Baucom Berdan and Jeremy of Price, Utah; Billy and Maxine Baucom Morgan of Midlothian, Texas; Brian and Glenda Baucom of Santa Fe, Texas; Kevin Baucom of Houston, Texas; Glenn and Tina Baucom Shimik of Kennedale, Texas; Larry and Barbara Baucom Osborne of Arlington, Texas and friends Paul and Jean Rippey of Bedford. We missed Russell and Mary Baucom Dobbert and family of Delmar, New York. Along with the other grandchildren and great-grandchildren that were unable to attend this year's reunion.

Our days were spent enjoying the beauty of Colorado with sight seeing trips, river rafting, bike riding, walks in the parks, shopping and lazying in or around Christie's swimming pools and hot tubs.

Monday evening we had a photo session, followed with a "White Elephant" game. Tuesday evening we went to Copper Mountain for a "Chuck Wagon" dinner with a wagon or horse back ride up the mountain to the camp for dinner and back down to the bus. The other evenings we had "Pot Luck" dinners followed with table tennis and dominoe games and swimming.

Tina Shimek has done a great job putting together several family and friends photo albums. Thanks to the help of our cousins Mary John Wade Burns, Bobby Baucom and Aunt Nell Myers, Tina had more family history and photos added to the albums. One night we were so loud with our laughter remembering "when, where and the way we were" that Christie's security asked us not to be so loud.

If any of Santa Anna News readers have photos of you and any of the Baucom family that you would share with us, we would appreciate it very much. Please send to Tina Shimek, 105 Oak Ridge Trail, Kennedale, Texas 76060.

Our 1997 reunion will be the second weekend of June at the Buena Vista Resort Conference Center on Lake Hamilton in Hot Springs, Arkansas. Friends are invited to come and join us.

## Smith-Harris Reunion

Contributed  
Well it is time again for the Smith-Harris Reunion. We met at the park in Coleman on Sunday, September 1 for a day of fun and visiting. Some we only see once each year. I don't know if the rainy weather scared some away, for we only had 28 present, which was the smallest group we have ever had.

Not any of Lila and Bob White's family came, and none of Beulah and D. L. Thigpen family. Beulah had hip surgery on July 17 and is still not able to walk on that leg. D. L. has been in the hospital recently with congestive heart failure and is still not doing very good. Their children visited with them instead of coming to the reunion, which they should.

Not any of the cousins came this year and we always miss them.

Those who did attend were Alice White and daughter Carolyn and David Griffith of Fort Worth, Gene Ray and Virginia Griffin, Gayle, Sara and Katie Gonzales of Killeen, Kendall, Lindsey and Emily Getty of Temple, Blanche Watson and Tom and Barbara Watson of San Antonio, Noah and Lorena Stacy of Rankin, Roy and Amanda Stacy of Dallas, Michael and Penny Stacy, Danny, Jamie and Tyler of Houston, Teresa, Carlen and Joshua Stacy and a friend Daven of Arlington and Margie Fleming of Bangs.

We missed all those who were not able to come, but we had a good day together.

## Burks Weds Halmon

Lloyd and Yvonne Halmon wish to announce the recent marriage of their son R. Aaron Halmon of Brownwood to Rebecca Dianne Burks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Burks of Brownwood.

They were united in marriage on July 14, 1996.

Completing the new family is Rebecca's daughter Katie, age 1.

## Dear Editor

### Why You Should Care

If you are young, healthy, and active, consider yourself blessed. You probably get very few prescriptions filled, or even visit your doctor's office for anything more than a checkup.

But you are in the minority. Many people-your parents, your grandparents, your neighbors-have chronic illnesses that require one or more medications. These people form the majority of Americans, and yet their health is being jeopardized every day by the profit-driven practices of health insurance companies.

The horror stories about so-called managed care are legion. Everyone has read about people who are being denied lifesaving medical treatments, or new mothers and their babies being sent home from the hospital before it is safe to do so.

But one horror story hasn't received much attention-what managed care is doing to patients who depend on medications to maintain their health. Managed care is increasingly taking away these consumers' right to choose their own pharmacy, severing long standing relationships with their local pharmacist whom they have come to know and trust. These patients are being herded into using unregulated mail order pharmacies hundreds of miles away or high-volume dispensing outlets that process hundreds of prescriptions a day at assembly-line speed.

The insurance companies' rationale for limiting pharmacy coverage is, of course, their never-ending search for lower costs and higher profits. But this approach is penny-wise and pound-foolish, and patients are being put at real risk.

When patients no longer have a highly trained pharmacist who counsels, monitors, and, as appropriate, intervenes in their medication therapy, they dramatically elevate the chances that they will take their medicine incorrectly or not take it at all.

Nearly one-fourth of patients taking blood pressure medicine, for example, stop taking it correctly in the first year, placing themselves at risk for a stroke. The lucky ones who survive the stroke must endure an expensive hospital stay and a lengthy rehabilitation. Will an out-of-state mail order house even know when that hypertensive patient has strayed from taking his medicine the right way?

Hypertension drug therapy properly and regularly monitored by the local pharmacist costs perhaps \$600 a year. Stroke rehabilitation can easily add up to \$15,000 a year.

Pharmacist care provided by a knowledgeable neighborhood pharmacist saves money and improves the health of consumers. It averts expensive doctor visits, hospitalizations, and trips to the emergency room. It can even save lives.

Study after study confirms this. A recent University of Nebraska study found that in only a two-month period, five Nebraska pharmacies saved the health care system \$752,391 in averted hospitalizations, doctor visits, and other medical services-that's \$75,000 in savings a month per pharmacy.

A recent University of Arkansas study found that for every dollar spent to pay a community pharmacist for a therapeutic intervention, \$6.13 was saved-more than a six-fold savings to the health care system.

But in spite of this abundant evidence, insurers continue to ignore the concerns of patients and health providers in their short-sighted pursuit of savings and profits. Because they won't act, we must.

## September Activities Include Methodist Lord's Acre On 28th

September activities around town will include First Methodist Church's annual Lord's Acre Festival slated for Saturday, 28th. It will feature as usual a live auction, brisquet dinner, a variety of arts and crafts, country goodies and lots of good old time fellowship. Shirley McEwin is chairman of this year's event.

Other September activities in Santa Anna include:

- Saturday, September 21: Santa Anna City-Wide Clean-Up Day
- Saturday, September 21: Pig Show and Sale
- Saturday, September 28: Santa Anna City-Wide Garage Sale
- Saturday, September 28: First United Methodist Church Lord's Acre

The manner in which it is given is worth more than the gift.

During the week of September 16-20, local pharmacies will participate in a nationwide High Noon for Your Local Pharmacy campaign, which will culminate in a drive to enact pharmacist care laws in every state, including Texas, to require insurance plans to

cover pharmacist care as a core health benefit.

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## Coleman County Court Report

The following county court action took place during the month of August in the Coleman County Court according to County Judge Sherrill Ragsdale:

Russell Bentley pled not guilty to Assault and was released on bond.

Nickey Pruitt Hedges pled not guilty to Driving While Intoxicated and was released on bond.

Bobby Ray Diaz pled guilty to Assault and was assessed a fine, court costs and placed in county jail.

Alvin Ray Bradshaw pled guilty to Assault and was assessed a fine and court costs.

Michel Espetia pled True on a Motion to Revoke Probation. His probation was extended for a year.

Rex Brooks was charged with Assault and the charges were dismissed after hearing.

Russell Holloway pled guilty to Theft and was assessed a fine, court costs and placed on probation.

Joseph A. Castenada pled not guilty to Theft and was released on bond.

Rollin Gunter pled Nolo Contendere to Driving While Intoxicated and was assessed a fine, court costs, placed on probation and to attend a substance abuse school.

Grady Wright pled Nolo Contendere to Criminal Trespass and was assessed a fine and court costs.

Santos Mejia pled guilty to Criminal Mischief and was assessed a fine, court costs, restitution and placed in county jail.

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All people smile in the same language. A happy heart makes the face cheerful. —Prov. 15:13  
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## College Bound

Julie Dean, a 1993 graduate of SAHS, has begun her fourth year at McMurry University in Abilene.

She is a Sociology/Communications major and is the daughter of Roddy and Debbie Dean. She will graduate in December.

Molly Adams is a senior at Texas Christian University with a Spanish/English double major and will be student teaching in the spring. She is also president of the Baptist Student Ministry.

Amanda Adams is a freshman at Mississippi State University in Starkville where she is a pre-dental major and has pledged Delta Delta Delta.

Molly and Amanda are daughters of Craig and Pat Adams.

## Promise Keepers Rally To Be Held Saturday In Brownwood

A Promise Keepers Wake Up Rally will be held on Saturday, September 14 at the Earl Q. Wilson Rodeo Arena on Highway 377 south in Brownwood. The rally will be from 8 a.m. to 12 noon. Ben Loring, former pastor of First Baptist Church in Amarillo and Alvin Simpkins, Midwest Regional Director of Promise Keepers, will be the featured speakers.

Promise Keepers is a Christ-centered ministry dedicated to uniting men through vital relationships to become godly influences in their world. The theme of the twenty-two conferences held across the United States this year is "Break Down the Walls". Promise Keepers believes that the walls dividing men on the basis of race, geography, culture, denomination and economics must be removed.

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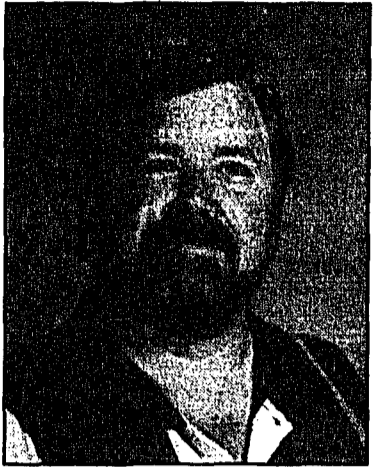
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News For And About Santa Anna Mountaineers



## Meet The Staff And Faculty Of The Santa Anna ISD

*Editors Note: The following is a continuing series to introduce the teachers and staff at Santa Anna ISD to our readers.*



**DAVID POWELL**  
 Family: Wife Judy Powell and children Chris Johnson, Chris Powell, Jennifer Johnson, Jessica Powell and Sarah Powell  
 Hometown: Houston  
 Grade or subject you are teaching: Band 5-12 and Law Enforcement (Tech Prep 11-12)  
 Previous schools taught in: Robstown, Splendora, Navasota and Frankston  
 Education: Stempley High School in Houston, Sam Houston State University and University of Houston Downtown Criminal Justice Center

What influenced you to become a teacher: Teachers who had an impact on my life by caring about me as a person.

What you like about your job: It gives me the chance to teach children to enjoy music and to have a positive influence on their lives.

Children need teachers who care about them not just the job. When we lose sight of who we teach, it doesn't matter what we teach.



**SANDRA GUTHRIE**  
 Family: Husband Montie III and sons Montie IV a Border Patrol Agent in Laredo, Rhett a Computer Consultant in Dallas and wife Wendy, and Mitchell a Junior at Stephen F. Austin in Nacogdoches

Grade or subject you are teaching: 9-12, English, Cheerleader sponsor and Senior Class sponsor

Previous schools taught in: Gordon ISD in Gordon, Texas and Mozelle ISD

Education: B.A. from Tarleton State University and some graduate work from Tarleton State University

What influenced you to become a teacher: Nothing specific influenced me. I looked around my junior year in college and realized in two years I was going to have to make a living.

A. D. Donham, R. C. Smith and Winnie McQueen have been a major influence on my continuing to teach. I figured if they could spend time "working" on me, I could repay that by working on today's young people.

What you like about your job: Believe it or not, I like teenagers and I believe they're worth the effort.



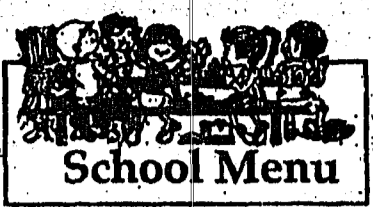
ANGELICA HERNANDEZ

Family: Husband Margarito Hernandez, sons Alonzo and Phillip Hernandez and granddaughters Kourtnee, Samantha and Korynne

Hometown: Born in Melvin, Texas and raised in Brownwood

Position: Teacher's Aide and Bus Driver

What you like about your job: I enjoy teaching children to read. As a bus driver I get to see beautiful sunrises. Rural bus driver's also enjoy all sorts of wildlife and wildflowers.



**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**  
 Breakfast: Donuts  
 Lunch: Frito pie, pinto beans, mexican salad, garlic bread, picante sauce and peppers

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**  
 Breakfast: Pancakes, sausage and syrup  
 Lunch: Tunafish or peanut butter and jelly sandwich, pork & beans and cake

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**  
 Breakfast: Breakfast burritos, picante sauce and jelly  
 Lunch: Western burger, seasoned diced potatoes, toss salad and hot rolls w/honey

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19**  
 Breakfast: Biscuits, sausage gravy and jelly  
 Lunch: Meat & bean tostados w/lettuce and tomatoes, whole kernel corn, spanish rice, peppers and picante sauce

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20**  
 Breakfast: Cream of wheat, toast and jelly  
 Lunch: Hamburger patty, burger salad, french fries, chocolate chip cookie, catsup, mayo and mustard  
 Milk, juice or fruit, cereal and graham crackers are also served during breakfast. Milk, juice and fruit are served during lunch.

## School Events Calendar

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12:**  
 Junior High Football at Ranger, 6 p.m.  
 Junior Varsity football at Ranger, 7:30 p.m. tentative

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13:**  
 Mountaineers vs. Ranger at Mountaineer Stadium, 8 p.m.

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16**  
 School pictures **REMEMBER TO BRING MONEY IF YOU PLAN TO PURCHASE PICTURES**

Santa Anna Band Boosters meeting, Band hall, 6 p.m.  
 Santa Anna Booster Club meeting, Coleman County Telecommunications Hospitality Room, 7 p.m.

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17**  
 Lady Mountaineer Volleyball team at Ranger, 5 p.m.

## Spirit Shirts On Sale

The Santa Anna High School Cheerleaders are selling "Spirit Shirts". Everyone is being encouraged to buy a shirt and wear them Friday to show their spirit and support of the local school.

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For more information contact of the Santa Anna High School Cheerleaders or Sandra Guthrie.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. and Billie Stephenson of Tuscola visited a while Friday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and Trudi Rutherford. Mr. and Mrs. Darwin and Billie Lovelady of Santa Anna visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper in Rockwood. Billie reports they are enjoying living in Santa Anna. Mrs. Ethel Radle of Santa Anna had her daughter Mrs. Ruth Poldrack of Coleman with her on Saturday.

Mrs. Trudi Rutherford was shopping and transacting business in Brownwood probably on Tuesday. Reported a nice day! Mr. Joe Alvin Wynn of Coleman visited with Mrs. Ethel Radle in Santa Anna Friday. Joe Alvin had been in Fort Worth area for a time with his son and daughter and families for a short time. Mr. Amos Morris of Trent visited with Mr. Floyd Morris during the weekend. I understand they are cousins.

Mrs. Lucille Sorrels visited with Mrs. Billie Lovelady in Santa Anna on Sunday. I was in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon and visited a while with my son. Mr. and Mrs. Hilary and Belva Rutherford and they seemed to enjoy resting on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady had a granddaughter Melanie of Brownwood with them on Friday. Another granddaughter Stephanie Lovelady from Brownwood was with them on Sunday. These are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Randal Lovelady in Brownwood. My daughter Linda called Sunday p.m. They have been blessed with good rain at LaGrange where they live. At this time not enough rain to fill the empty stock tanks, following a long spell of no rain. She said lots of farmers or cattle people there have sold lots of cattle due to dry weather no water. They are wishing for more rain.

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Doctors say prolonged exposure to noises over 90 decibels can lead to hearing loss. A typical rock concert is about 100 decibels, a jet engine 800 feet away around 110.  
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## Trickham Tidbits

By Anna York

Rev. Mike Eford preached Sunday morning at church and brought a good sermon.

Mrs. Winnie Haynes, Lavanda Evans and girls Ariel and Allison ate lunch Sunday with Laverne Evans in Santa Anna.

Royce and Wanda McIver returned home on Wednesday after taking a few days tour. On Thursday they drove to Weatherford and spent the night with Gayla and J. W. Sellers then drove to Nashville, Tennessee where they attended the Grand Ol' Opera, sight seeing along the way, then drove to Fort Campbell, Kentucky and after visiting around there some picked up their grandson Bryan Smith and his wife and baby and brought them home with them

for a few days visit. Sabrina Smith and family of Midland spent the weekend with her parents Royce and Wanda and Bryan and family.

Jeannie and Fred Drienhofer of the Brownwood lake were supper guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge McClatchy. Sunday dinner guests were Merridee McClatchy, Bob Anderson, Mrs. Gertrude Martin and Nicholas Drienhofer. Later visitors were Jeannie Drienhofer, Lara Meckfessel and a friend Amelia Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Rider of Santa Anna were Thursday visitors with Mrs. Novella Stearns.

Betty Martin and her mother Mrs. Mary Crawford spent Monday night with their sister and daughter Maxine Keller of the lake area, and Mrs. Crawford stayed for a longer visit.

On Friday night Betty and Felton Martin attended a historical commission meeting at Buffalo Gap and Sunday afternoon they visited with Bill and Becky Martin at Santa Anna.

Friends of Terry McIver that were visiting and hunting during the weekend were Mac and Casey Ray of Coleman, Bud Isbell and Everett Taylor, Eddie Tomlinson and Brent Beal.

The eighty-four club met Thursday night at the community center with sixteen attending.

Visitors the past week with Annie Lou Vaughn were Harvey and Dorothy Goodgion of the Brownwood lake, Moya Cole of Bangs, Mary Lea Mitchell and Earlene Dockery who was in and out almost every day.

Sunday visitors with Mrs. Edna Laughlin were Charlotte Laughlin and children Susan and Clifton, Cheryl and Andy Campbell and Billy Roy and Mildred Laughlin.

Kit Dean of Comanche spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dean and Wyndham.

Mrs. Mary Lea Mitchell and Mrs. Annie Lou Vaughn visited on Saturday with Mrs. Gertrude Martin.

Michael Guthrie and Lexie DeLeon visited on Saturday with their grandmother Earlene Dockery, Mrs. Lavada Johnson of Coleman is visiting a few days with her daughter Earlene and John Dockery.

Patsy and Brown Brooke of Comanche visited her parents the R. W. Cupps Sunday.

Cathy Ellis dropped by Cecil and Nona Bell and took them to Brownwood Friday shopping.

Edd and Ruby Hartman visited briefly in Bangs with Harry and Sandra Walker and Daryl and Cindy Boyle and Shannon and Taylor Saturday.

Connie Hubbard of Edna spent most of the week with the A. C. Pierces. Lou and Connie were in Azle and Weatherford visiting their sister Sue McCarrroll and Lloyd. They visited Cindy and girls one day. They also were in Coleman visiting with Beaulah Burleson. Lou visited Bobbie Guthrie one day the past week.

Phil and Lee Ray Huggins went to Abilene to the air show at the air base Sunday. Syble visited at the rest home with Mrs. Ruth Hibbits and Hardon Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ward went to Fairfield fishing (no luck). They went to Conroe Friday night to watch their grandson play football. They visited the R. W. Cupps Sunday. Virgil visited us one day.

Carmilla Baugh visited the rest home Sunday with Mrs. Ruth Hibbits.

Thelma visited Eunice Saturday morning. Eunice and Emmitt are at the farm this week.

Kathleen Avants visited her mother Mrs. Ruth Hibbits Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Warren Bruce and Tyla Wallace of Seagraves also visited his grandmother over the holiday. Marty Avants' children of Abilene visited his grandmother Monday.

Jerry and Cathy Ellis' family were in San Marcos for the wedding of Bradley Sneed and Gail Jarvis August 31. Gail is the daughter of Benny and Anita Jarvis of Johnson City. Jamie and Bryce were home over the weekend from Angelo State University. They also came by and visited their grandparents the Cecil Ellis' late Sunday one their way back to San Angelo to college.

Betty Joyce Cupps went up to Abilene to stay with Tonya Walker while her mother Regina Walker went to Washington to visit her husband. Betty said she really enjoyed Washington State.

Burnice Bilibrey was not at church.

## Commissioners

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Game Warden James Nixon asked commissioners for funds for cellular phones for the two county game wardens. This was tabled.

It was unanimously approved to continue meeting on the second Monday of each month with a special meeting on the 1st working day of each month.

A donation of \$100.00 was made to the Senior Center for new carpet. The tax appraisal district was given approval to sell property not sold at a tax sale.

A certificate regarding lobbying for the Attorney General's Office Child Support Division was ratified. The ratification states that the county will not lobby for additional funds.

County Auditor Shirley Sansing present bills for the month in each precinct as well as Records Management Account and General Fund totaling approximately \$60,000.00. The transfer of \$10,000 into each precinct will be made to cover the bills.

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Love is much nicer to be in than an automobile accident, a tight girdle, a higher tax bracket or a holding pattern over Philadelphia.  
—Judith Viorst

because she was not feeling so well but LaDell was there. Liz was in last week to visit her mother LaDell and her grandmother.

Russell Williams was home from Arlington to visit his mother Mrs. Ovella Williams over the weekend. Ovella went to the Brownwood hospital to visit Aunt Helen Williams. She fell and broke her hip and is doing well.

As you know we lost a very dear friend Mrs. Audrey Wright. She was laid to rest in the Cleveland Cemetery Saturday at 10 o'clock. Our condolences goes out to the family. She was loved by all. Thanks to good Lord for good rains.

## Fishing Lake Ivie

By Durwood Strickland

Runoff from recent rains has kicked off a rash of great catfishing. A new lake record was caught recently by Mike Stuard of Valera. He brought in a 10.28-pound channel cat to beat the 7.75-pound lake record held by Charlie Tunal of Midland since March 30.

Trotline fishing is paying off baited with cut bait fished over baited holes. Trotline fishing is also fair for yellow cat, using live perch.

Channel and bluecat are biting pretty good right now. Black bass and smallmouth are biting pretty good on pumpkin and chartreuse plastic worms fished on the main lake. Crappie are fair on minnows fished in 20 feet of water. Best crappie fishing is still at night.

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