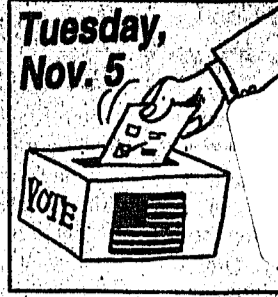




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Ex-Student Homecoming This Weekend Ex-Student of Year, Coming Home King, Queen To Be Recognized



Artie Jean King Sitterle
Ex-Student of the Year

The Santa Anna Ex-Student Association has chosen Artie Jean King Sitterle, the daughter of the late Arthur and Lily Stewardson King of Rockwood, to honor as Ex-Student of the Year. Artie Jean attended Rockwood Elementary before attending Santa Anna High School where she graduated in 1946. She continued her education at North Texas State University in Denton where she earned a B. S. in Secondary Education (teaching fields of Physical Education and Science) and the University of Texas in Houston, earning a M. S. in Secondary Education (Science Education).

A career teacher of 37 years, Artie Jean taught in school districts in Victoria, Harlandale, Alice and Houston. She retired in 1988 at which time she and her husband Gerald W. Sitterle, established a Science Scholarship at SAHS for a graduating senior.

Artie Jean is the mother of Susan Merritt of Lake Palestine and Jillana Jennings of Katy. Susan, like her mother, teaches at Frankston High School.

She is the grandmother of five grandsons, Brian and Derek Merritt and Sid, John and Ronnie Jennings.

She is a member of the Bellaire United Methodist Church, Houston Genealogical Forum, Houston Gem & Mineral Society--Palenology Section, Ann Poage Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution and Miss Ima Hogg Chapter of Daughters of the Republic of Texas.

Artie Jean has held several offices in the Miss Ima Hogg Chapter including president; served as District VI representative to the DRT State Board of Management from 1993 until 1995 and served on the DRT



Vickie Smith Drake
Coming Home Queen

French Legation Committee in Austin. She is presently serving on the DRT Library Committee in San Antonio.

In 1996 she was awarded the 1996 DRT District VI Gold Award of Merit which was designed to recognize achievement for historical and genealogical research and publications.

Among the publications on which she has worked are King Family, Stewardson Family, Buckert Family, A Family Cookbook and Stewardson Cemetery Book.

She was also involved in creating the Collectible Republic of Texas Patriot trading cards and activity sheets for students in the fourth and seventh grades.

Another book she worked on is the Ancestral Biographies book compiled for the Miss Ima Hogg Chapter about the members' ancestors, and which raises money for the chapter scholarship fund.

She has also designed the brochure which has been accepted for use by the Children of the Republic of Texas and compiled a booklet for the DRT Library on the histories of the fourteen DRT chapters in District VI.

Mrs. Sitterle is a member of the TSTA, Congress of Houston Teachers, Health & Physical Education Association and Houston Association of Retired Teachers.

Vickie Smith Drake has been selected as Coming Home Queen.

Following graduation from Santa Anna High School in 1976, Vickie attended Stephen F. Austin University majoring in Physical Therapy, transferring to Tarleton State University in Stephenville.

In the spring of 1978 she married



Sam Allen
Coming Home King

Robbie Drake, also a SAHS graduate, and lived at Rockwood for a short while until he began teaching in Waxahachie. The couple became houseparents at the Presbyterian Children's Home, and had eight to ten kids in their home ranging in age from 5 to 17 years of age.

In 1979 the young couple moved to Clute and have lived there since. Vickie has worked for the City of Clute approximately 13 years with the majority of that time in the Police Department. She began as Dispatcher, moved up to Relief Dispatcher, Warrant Clerk and Communications Supervisor. The citizens knew her to be honest, helpful and knowledgeable, all things she learned from her parents, R.C. and Pat Smith.

After being everything she could be except police officer Vickie retired for a while. The City of Clute created a new position at the City Service Center and Vickie was hired as secretary. Besides secretarial tasks, she talks to citizens and businesses about their complaints and about recycling.

Among her duties are teaching kindergartners and first graders facts about littering and recycling and teaching master composting at gardening seminars.

Vickie designed, planted and maintained a Xeriscape Park.

Last year she attended Massage Therapy School on the weekends and in January of this year passed the state test to become a registered massage therapist.

She and Robbie live on a farm and have lots of animals, her favorite being a Longhorn named Tex-Anna.

Vickie volunteers for the Great Texas Mosquito Festival and the Brazoria County Historical Society. She loves attending Gulf Prairie Presbyterian Church, camping, gardening and cooking for friends.

Sam Allen is the Coming Home King for the Santa Anna Ex-Student Association Homecoming. The son of Gale Allen-Brock and the late Jack Allen, Sam graduated from Santa Anna High School in 1976. He attended Angelo State University playing in the ASU

Golden Ram Band, the Symphonic Band and the ASU Orchestra.

In 1978, he transferred to the University of Texas at Austin, receiving a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Liberal Arts with a major in government in 1980.

Sam enrolled in Texas Tech University School of Law that fall and graduated with a Doctor of Jurisprudence Degree in 1983.

After being admitted to the State Bar of Texas, Allen began the practice of law in Dallas with the firm of Creel and Atwood, remaining there until 1987 when he moved his family to San Angelo. In San Angelo he joined the firm of Smith, Carter, Rose, Finley & Hofmann.

Allen is a shareholder and director of the firm which is a professional corporation and now known as Smith, Carter, Rose, Finley & Griffis.

He was board certified by the Texas Board of Legal Specialization in Consumer Bankruptcy Law and Business Bankruptcy Law in 1989 and is currently president of the Concho Valley Bankruptcy Bar

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SAHS Ex-Student Association Homecoming Activities

Friday, November 1
Saturday, November 2

FRIDAY:

10:30 a.m. Hospitality Room opens at Mountain City Community Center (Hi-Rise). Hosted by Entertainment Committee Barbara Kingsbery and Montie Guthrie, chairpersons.

2:30 p.m. Downtown Pep Rally on Second Street in front of Coleman County Telephone Cooperative.

7:30 p.m. SAHS Mountaineers vs. Cross Plains Buffalos at Mountaineer Stadium. Homecoming honorees will be introduced at half-time.

SATURDAY:

9:00 a.m. Coffee reception in school cafeteria. Registration in cafeteria and in high school building.

10:30 a.m. Entertainment and business meeting in high school auditorium. Honorees and special guests will be recognized.

12 noon Turkey and dressing lunch served by Band Boosters in cafeteria.

9:00 p.m. Homecoming dance sponsored by Delta Omicron Convention Bunch. Russ Wristen's Flashback, DJ/Karaoke will provide music at the Armory.

A number of class reunions are planned, some meeting on Friday and other meeting Saturday only. See elsewhere in the NEWS for class reunions and locations.



One of these young ladies will be crowned SAHS Homecoming Queen during halftime ceremonies at Friday night's football game. All seniors, they are Rachel Guerrero, Lori Jones, Briana Horner, and Ami Beal.
Santa Anna News Photo

SAHS Homecoming Queen Candidates

Santa Anna High School students have selected Homecoming Queen candidates, one of which will be crowned during halftime of the football game Friday night. All seniors at SAHS, they are Rachel Guerrero, Lori Jones, Briana Horner and Ami Beal.

Rachael Guerrero is the daughter of Roger Guerrero and Graciela Guerrero.

She has been involved in volleyball, tennis, OAP, FHA, cheerleader and band. She has also participated in U.I.L. events and is a former Miss Funtier.

Lori Jones has been very active in 4-H since the age of nine. In 4-H, she has served as a council delegate representative, officer and princess. Lori is very active in showing club calves and show pigs.

Lori is a member of FFA and FHA. She has served as manager for both basketball and track.

She is very active in her church and has been a member of the Youth Drama Club in the church.

Lori is the daughter of Sam and Teri Jones.

Briana Horner is the daughter of Dickie and Gail Horner.

She is an honor student at SAHS and currently serves as Student Council Vice President and Senior Class Secretary. She is also a member and holds offices in National Honor Society, Science Club, FHA and is on the Yearbook Staff.

Briana has been a member of the Mountaineer Band for six years, serving as Drum Major for two years.

She is a varsity cheerleader, and active in volleyball, basketball, tennis and track. She was selected Most Athletic Girl and Class Favorite her junior year. Briana was recently named the 1996 Band Sweetheart.

Briana is an active member of First Baptist Church where she has served on Youth Council for several years.

Ami Beal, the daughter of Rick Beal and Darla Gibson.

In addition to serving as Head Cheerleader three of her four years on the squad, Ami has been a member of the Lady Mountaineer

varsity volleyball, basketball and tennis teams.

Ami has served as an officer in the Student Council, Future Homemakers of America and Future Farmers of America. A member of the National Honor Society and Science Club, she has been selected to Who's Who In American High Schools as well as Who's Who In Sports.

She has also served her class as vice president for three years and been voted class favorite and Most Athletic.

KXYL To Cook Hamburgers At Football Game

KXYL radio station in Brownwood will be cooking hamburger prior to and during the football game on Friday night.

Proceeds will benefit the Junior Class at Santa Anna High School. KXYL will also broadcast live during the downtown pep rally Friday afternoon.

Voting In General Election To Take Place At Mountain City Community Center Tuesday

Dole-Kemp Slight Favorites In Mock Election Held At Santa Anna High School

Locally, voting for the General Election which will take place next Tuesday, November 5 will be held at the Mountain City Community Center (Hi-Rise) beginning at 7 a.m. and continuing until 7 p.m.

As of Monday afternoon, 723 voters had cast early ballots in Coleman County. Early voting will end on Friday, November 1 at 5 p.m.

Students at Santa Anna High School recently held a mock presidential election.

The Republican ticket of Bob Dole and Jack Kemp received 39 votes.

Coming in a close second was Bill Clinton and Al Gore on the Democrat ticket with 30 votes cast in their favor.

Ross Perot and running mate James Campbell on the Independent ticket received 16 votes followed by the Natural Law candidates John Hagelin and Mike Tompkins with 2 votes.

U. S. Taxpayers Howard Phillips and Herbert W. Titus received 1 vote. The Libertarian party received no votes.

There were 88 ballots cast in the mock election.

Band Boosters To Serve Homecoming Lunch

The Santa Anna Band Boosters will be serving lunch at the school cafeteria on Saturday for the Homecoming crowd and any others who wish to come support the band in this way. Everyone is welcome.

Turkey and Dressing and all the trimmings will be the menu. The cost will be \$5 per plate. Carryouts will be available.

Serving begins at 12:00 noon.

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Obituaries

David Arant, Jr.

BROWNWOOD—Graveside services for David Arant, Jr., 70, of Brownwood were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 24, 1996 at Greenleaf Cemetery with the Rev. R. J. Elkins officiating, under the direction of Davis-Morris Funeral Home.

He died Tuesday, Oct. 22, 1996 at his home.

Born Feb. 24, 1926, in Brownwood, he was a retired computer operator who served in the U. S. Navy during World War II. He lived for 20 years in Brownwood and was a Catholic.

Survivors include four daughters, Margaret Simmons Wells of Santa Anna, Patty Hale of Anson, Pam Hendricks of Oklahoma and Melody Arant of New Mexico; four sons, David Warren Arant, III of Fort Worth, Kenneth Arant of Seymour, Ronnie Arant and Donnie Arant, both of Arkansas; a brother, Allen Arant of Bridgeport; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Check It Out

By Alice Anja Spillman

Your generosity continues. Our cup runs over—rather can you believe we are moving books around and using top shelves? When we moved here some people said we could never fill it up!

Here are some of the donations last week. Joe Green gave two paperback mysteries. R. C. Smith donated a new Higgins mystery.

Kim Hubbard brought seven children's books like *Oscar's Book*, *Three Wishes*, *Pocahontas*, *Beauty and the Beast* and two dragon books like *Demis the Dragon*.

Those 64 children's books that the Miller family (that's Betty Key's daughter Linda) from Snyder sent are about half Disney books—everything from *Donald Duck*, *The Seven Dwarfs*, *Fieoocchio*, *Bambi*, *The Aristocats* to *Robin Hood* and lots in between. These are well written and illustrated for younger children.

The other half are Fairy Tale Classics like *Thumbelina*, *The Gingerbread Man*, *The Princess and the Pea*, *Peter and the Wolf*, *The Pied Piper of Hamelin*. Some that were new to me are *The Magic Stone*, *The Elvis and the Shoemaker*, *The Enormous Turnip* and *The Magic Paintbrush*. These too are well written with interesting illustrations. They will be for slightly older boys and girls.

Mrs. Frances Pearce and her son Robert Pearce brought 30 paperbacks and 10 hardback books. One of the books that looked really interesting was *It Must Have Been A Miracle*. Kelsey Tyler. It has first hand accounts of men and women that can only be called miracles. There is hope here. Another book was *The Greatest Miracle in the World*. Og Mandino wrote this. The paperbacks cover every type from western to mystery. Robert says he finds books at garage sales and flea markets and brings to us. Both of the Pearce family have been so generous to this community.

Douglas Avants brought the cutest milk bottle. It is 1/4 pint size. Bet there aren't many still around.

Thanks to all of you who support the library.

Several people have made a donation for books: Mrs. Koontz, Johnny Tomilson, Mr. Lane, Mrs. Copple, and Mr. Stanley McSwain. He and his wife bought a house that turned out to be of historic value. They are restoring and the house will be on historic registrar. Books need to reflect the time. We had plenty. Thank all of you for

Skeeta Cooper Honored On 80th Birthday

Saturday, October 26, at the Rockwood Community Center, Skeeta Cooper was honored on her 80th birthday with a party given by her family.

A bar-b-que meal, cooked by Gil Gregory, grandson-in-law, was served to family and friends who joined Skeeta to celebrate.

The community center was decorated with blue and white balloons, flowers and streamers. After the luncheon, birthday cake of white decorated with blue roses and punch was served.

Family members entertained at the party singing a diddy especially written for Skeeta.

Those attending were the honoree and her husband, Skeeta and Jack Cooper, of Rockwood; Charles and Beth Sheffield, Arlen and Quincy Allen, Gil, Elizabeth, Justin and Jordan Gregory, all of Temple; Mike, Tracy and Wyatt Sheffield of Wimberly; Monte Sheffield and Kristen Towle of San Antonio; Wesley, Debra, Drew and Madison Allen of Waco; Ronnie, Nola, Colt and Cade Cooper of Gatesville; David Cooper, Dina Stroud, Kyla and Katlin, Denny and Louise Densman of Brady; Dorinda Anderton of San Angelo; Toad Bolton of Odessa; Dana, Revi, Van and Revi Don Pezia of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Sandra Gorman, Louise Davis and Tommy Davis of Snyder; Jimmy Cooper of Dripping Springs; Olin and Ethel Horton of Brady; and Jay and Billye Porter of Utopia.

Other attending were James Steward, Hillary Paige Boatright and Ashley, Carroll and Nelda Hodges, Bill and Sadie Bryan, Minnie Bray, Claudia Rutherford, Elec and Rose Cooper, Z. Hodges, Lucille Freeman, D. M. Freeman, Hillary and Belva Rutherford, Leon and Mickey McMillan, Billie Weatherby, Coleta Pearson, Faye Wise, Pearl Horne, Pam

Hambright, Royce and Wanda McIver, Thomas Ray and Trudi Rutherford, Bill and Emily Maness, Alline Rutherford, Patsy Smith, Pete and Sammie Maddox, Clinton and Jo Ann Blezinger of Industry; Ralph Langston of Odessa; Douglas and Rene Avants of Brady; G. T. England, Bo and Sandra Wilson, Loyd Rutherford, Roland and Bettie Duus, Wendell Rehm, Joe Grant, Ross E. and Muriel K. Jackson, Cap Johnson, Arthur Reinhard, Juanita Richardson, Blake Williams, Jo Ann Allen, Don and Mollie Gregory and Christy Gregory.

Delta Omicron Observes Jewel Pin Ceremony

Contributed

Delta Omicron Sorority of Santa Anna met Sunday evening at the Coleman County Telecommunication Buildings to observe the Jewel Pin Ceremony.

President Mary B. Pritchard was in charge of conducting the Jewel Pin Ceremony with Pat Vance as recipient.

After the ceremony a Mexican supper was served by hostesses Mary B. Pritchard and Patti Musick with help in preparation of Lois Harper and Dorothy Harris.

Members and their families attending were Jo Ashworth, Coyita and Ken Bowker, Peggy, John and Jenna Hensley, Patti Musick, Mary B. and Mike Pritchard, Gayle and Burgess Stewardson, Pat and Cecil Vance and Debbie and Danny Wheatley.

A wonderful evening was enjoyed by all attending.

generous donations. You keep us going.

Remember I mentioned Oprah's Book Club. The book that she recommended was *The Deep End of the Ocean* Jacqueline Marshard. One whole show was an interview with the author—a review—and the introduction of a new book. You can call in an opinion, etc. I'll give more information when I find it.

Did you know that the United Daughters of the Confederacy here had oyster shells to pay for a piece of land. They later traded the City the land so that the library could be next to the City Hall.

Two Wrecks Sunday Involve Several SAHS Students

Three students in the Santa Anna schools were involved in two separate traffic accidents on Sunday afternoon.

Dennis Allen, a senior, was traveling on 568 near 1176 about mid-afternoon Sunday afternoon when his pickup left and traveled down an embankment. He was taken by private vehicle to Coleman County Medical Center and transferred to Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene with facial injuries which will require reconstructive surgery. Early

reports stated that he was in serious condition in ICU but family members relate that his stay was precautionary and he was later moved to a private room. His room number is 6608 at Hendricks.

Also during the afternoon on Sunday, Ebby Johnson attempted to slow down at the Whon Road and U. S. Highway 283 and the wet pavement caused her automobile to hydroplane on the wet pavement. Ebby and sister McKenzie who was also in the auto were in school on Monday.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

OCTOBER 31

Ty Morgan
Richard Pearce
Patti Watts
Britney Lynn Fellers
Aleida Briselda Dean
Aubre Gail Dean

NOVEMBER 1

Cathy Ellis
Thad Springer
Tuareg Jamal Strickland

NOVEMBER 2

Ruth Castillo
Patsy Fellers
Kendall Craig

NOVEMBER 3

Austin Voss
Michael Guthrie

NOVEMBER 4

Jefflyn Hudson
Clay Hubbard
Roy Buse
Shelly Tucker
Dorothy Lomax
Christopher Wheatley
Sierra Brooke Keeney

NOVEMBER 5

Mr & Mrs Burgess Stewardson*

NOVEMBER 6

Deborah Wheatley
Chrystal Pelton
Jessica Powell

After Game Fellowship To Be Sponsored By First Baptist And Northside Baptist

The After Game Fellowship will be held following the Santa Anna-Cross Plains game in the CLC Building at the First Baptist Church.

The fellowship is sponsored this week by First Baptist Church and Northside Baptist Church.

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

Dear Editor

Homecoming—Coming home. No matter how many miles, how long between visits or what angle you come from when I see the mountain my heart swells with emotion. A feeling of pride that goes with the excellent spiritual guidance from my parents, teachers and families of Santa Anna.

Our class is trying to get as many people as possible to attend Homecoming activities. I'm going to add to Devin's story from the last paper I received. There are several rumors floating around town. The only way to confirm these are to be there. I hear David (Coach) is putting future Cowboys in the game to win the game for his classmates. R. B. will be arm wrestling wild animals for entertainment at half time. Concluding the half time entertainment Sam will be leading the stands with the "Macarena". Tickets are going fast, be there if you can.

I would like to commend the following 76ers with "Only The Strong Survive" in their own respect: Scott, R. B., Jacque, Denise, Liz and Sarah.

Sincerely,
Vicki Smith Drake
Class of 76
Clute, Texas

'Round & About

Pete and Winnie Rutherford had as visitors Saturday their son and family, Joe and Ann Rutherford, Julie and Shanna of Grape Creek, and daughter-in-law Kathie Rutherford of Anson and her grandson Doug King of Abilene.

Joe Ann and daughters also visited with Ann's parents, the Omer Cullins.

Visiting on Thursday with Dale and Carol Herring, Pete and Casey Wade were their son Derek Little of Brownwood and Carol's mother Beth Smith of Junction. They all attended the junior high football game on Thursday evening to see Casey Wade play.

Eddie and Mary Ann Hartman visit in Snyder and Midland with their sons and their families over the weekend. In Snyder they visited with Mike and Donna Hartman and Travis and helped Travis celebrate his third birthday. In Midland they visited with James and Tanya Hartman, Megan and Katie.

Friends will want to know that Selma Hasserodt is a patient at Brownwood Regional Medical Center for treatment of a broken hip and when well enough will be moved to a nursing home for further care.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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SAHS Class Of 1946

Members of Santa Anna High School graduating class of 1946 is pictured here during their junior year in 1944-45. Members of the class are front row, Mavis Box Campbell, Denny Caldwell, Ben Gene Tatum, Ray Dean, Tommy Newman, Hal Souder, John Davis, Fred Oakes, James England and Vance Cobb; second row, Melba Johnson Wilson, Minnie Jean Bryan Bray, Mary Lois Leady Brown, Norma Lee Hunter Briscoe, Billie Joyce Cozart Deal, Joyce Hunter Cash (deceased), Wanda Henderson Johnson, Sybil Simpson Hale, Lavanda Benton Greer, Laville Monley Allen and Jean Schrader Bankhead; third row, Herthal King Arnold, sponsor;

Melba Walters Nixon, Evelyn Bruce Kingsbery, Rex Williamson (deceased), Ed Bostick, W. H. Blake, Willie Calcote, Frank Wise, Wayne Horton, unidentified, and Mrs. I. Williamson, class sponsor; and back row, Allene Tally Allen, Bonnie Gene Balke Kuykendall, Vernetta Stephenson Pruitt (deceased), Minda Martin McSwain, Calice Jane Overlu Wagner (deceased), Geneva McIntire, Artie Jean King Sitterle, Collene Wise, Billie Velma Wise Echols, Eunice Cupps Terry, Marie Hailmon Fulbright and Joyce Baugh. Several members who graduated with the class but are not pictured above are Alice Anna Guthrie Spillman, Pat McClatchy, Bill Mulroy, Nell Raiston, Webb Galston and Ray McSwain.

Class Of '46 Announces Plans For 50th Reunion

Santa Anna High School Class of 1946 will be meeting during Homecoming Friday and Saturday. On Friday night the class will meet and attend the ballgame together. After the game the group will meet at the Jim and Alice Anna Guthrie Spillman home for snacks and visiting. On Saturday morning the class

will gather for coffee prior to attending the Ex-Student Association business and Band Boosters lunch. During the afternoon the group will hold a memorial service at the Presbyterian Church, visit while enjoying coffee and cookies and gather at 5:30 p.m. at Tammy's Steak House for supper.

Class of '71 To Meet At Deans'

The SAHS Class of 1971 will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Roddy and Debbie Dean. The group will gather about 2:00 p.m. for visiting and snacks.

Class of '52 Will Meet At Bass Home

Members of the SAHS Class of 1952 will have a get-together Saturday afternoon at the home of Dean and Susie (Renegar) Bass. For those of you living away from Santa Anna, Dean and Susie live in what you will remember as the C.D. Bruce home.

The group will gather about 2:00 p.m. Friends from other classes are invited to visit.

New Book By SAHS Ex-Student Is Published This Fall

Sometimes it takes years for dreams to come true. Just ask Hico author James Rice. He wrote his newest book, "The Ghost of Pont Diable," more than 20 years ago.

"If you want to write books, get used to rejection," Rice said. "I've heard 'no' a lot more than I've heard 'yes' over the years."

When Rice wrote "Ghost," his youngest two children were toddlers. His wife Martha said she typed the manuscript on a manual typewriter with a baby on each knee. Now the "babies," Patti and Jason, are in their mid-20s with families of their own.

"Ghost" is a novel published this fall by Eakin Press of Austin. Another novel, "Patricia and Jason Meet the Swamp Woman," will be published in the spring, and last week Rice sold another manuscript to Eakin, which will be released next fall.

Also out this month are two new Rice books from Pelican Publishing Co. of New Orleans, "Trail Drive," narrated by Texas Jack, one of Rice's creations, and "Why Cowboys Need a Brand," written by Laurie Lazzaro Knowlton and illustrated by Rice.

Rice is a native of Coleman County and is a graduate of Santa Anna High School. He was named Ex-Student of the year in 1991 when his SAHS Class of '51 met for its 40th year reunion.

He said he will be "in and out" of his studio between now and Christmas, but likes to meet the people who buy his books. Many of his readers are also old friends. If you happen to be there when he is "in," Rice is always happy to autograph copies of his books.

"I'm on the road so much during the fall and through the Christmas season that it's hard for me to be in the studio to meet the people who buy my books," Rice said. "But I do enjoy it when I get the chance."

"When I'm not in the studio, I'm out meeting others who like my books."

An award-winning author and illustrator, Rice has more than a million books in print. His 45 titles include "Cajun Night Before Christmas," a best-seller.

In "Ghost," Rice takes his readers on an eerie trip through the Louisiana swamp in search of lost pirate treasure. He blends the culture and language of the Cajun people with mystery and intrigue that will captivate readers of all ages. The novel also features 22

full-page illustrations by the author. "Why Cowboys Need a Brand" is Knowlton's follow-up to last year's "Why Cowboys Sleep With Their Boots On." Rice's illustrations bring to life Slim Jim Watkins, a cowboy with a "can-do" attitude.

Texas Jack, like his alligator counterpart Gaston, has seen many an adventure thanks to Rice's imagination. The "jackrabbit with an attitude," gives a practical interpretation of cowboys on the trail just after the Civil War in "Trail

Tex Wright Still In San Antonio

Tex Wright remains a patient at Audie Murphy VA Hospital where he is undergoing evaluation following a heart attack. You may send cards to: D.D. (Tex) Wright, Room 638B, Audie Murphy VA Hospital; 7400 Merton Mentor; San Antonio, Tx. 78684. His phone number is 210-949-3856.

Rice Studio is located in downtown Hico. For more information about Rice's books, call the studio at 817-796-4992.

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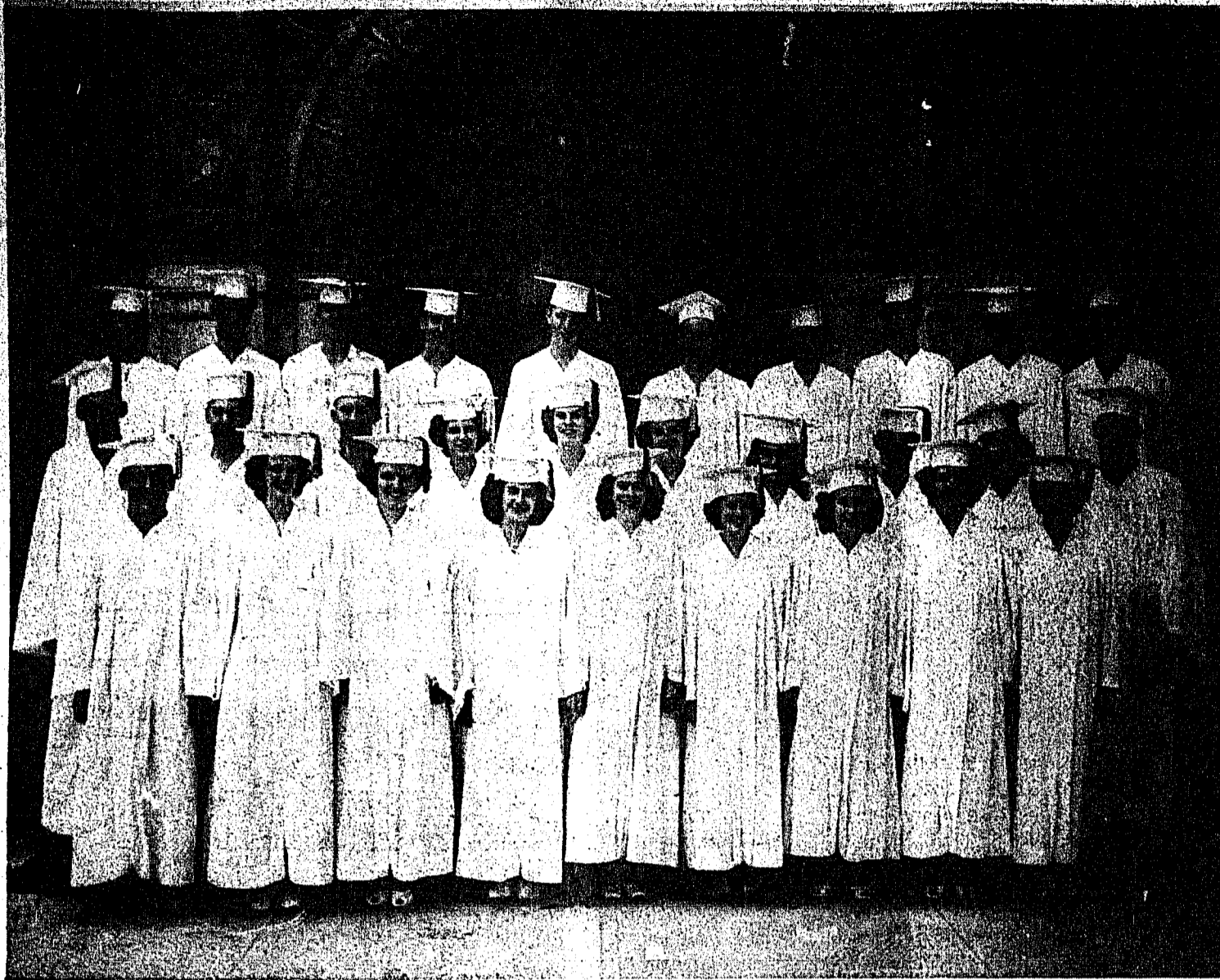
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SAHS Class Of 1951

The Santa Anna High School Class of 1951 will be celebrating their 45th class reunion this weekend. The class will meet at the First Baptist Church CLC Building Friday evening before the football game and also following the game. They will meet again at 2 p.m. on Saturday. Thomas Ray Rutherford is the contact person for the class. Members of the class are back row, Joe Vernon Buse, Weldon McCullough, Kenneth Wood, Truman Price,

Garland Schrader, Charles Benge, James Rice, Martin L. Autrey, Harold Horton, Billy Joe Parish and Max Eubank; middle row, Harold Clifton, Thomas Ray Rutherford, C. W. Stephenson, Billie Wallace, Geneva Earnhart, Theresa Baucom, Betty Hale, James Donald Vercher, Linda Stewardson and Hershel Stevens; and front row, R. D. Hartman, Nell Parks, Ann Turner, June Parker, Geraldine Lowellen, Paula Holt, Joyce Rowe, Reba Hardy and Lanetta Wilson.

Ex-Student Hospitality Room To Be Open For Homecoming

Former students and their families and friends are invited to visit the Ex-Student Hospitality Room during the Homecoming.

M. L. Guthrie, Jr. and Barbara Kingsbery are co-chairman of the event that will be at the Mountain City Center in downtown Santa Anna.

The room will be open from 10:30 a.m. Friday morning and close for the downtown pep rally at 2:30 p.m. They will re-open for an hour following the pep rally. On Saturday the Hospitality Room will be open from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

This provides a place for everyone to visit and have refreshments and serves as an unofficial place for visitors to meet friends and get information on the Homecoming schedule and activities.

Local ex-students are again asked to help by providing refreshments and/or serving as hostesses. Anyone available to assist is asked to contact Mr. Guthrie or Mrs. Kingsbery.

Local people have a special invitation to go by at any time to visit with the out-of-town visitors whether or not they attend the other activities.

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Homecoming Dance Sat.

The "convention bunch" of Delta Omicron Sorority will sponsor a Homecoming Dance Saturday night at the old armory building in Santa Anna.

The dance will be from 9 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Admission is \$5 per person. Music will be provided by Russ Wristen's Flashback, DJ/Karaoke.

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Paula Copeland Blanton ('68), Gay Rutherford Abernathy (71)

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SAHS Class Of 1956

Members of Santa Anna High School Class of 1956 will meet at the Methodist Church annex Saturday afternoon. Pictured here were back row, A. D. Pettit, sponsor; Carol McClellan; Lillian Wallace; Olivia McIntire; Diane Williams; Elizabeth Smith, Jr. Beth Cooper; Betty Vinson; Katherine Styles; Mrs. Conner, sponsor; and Willene French; middle row, Carolyn Woods, Beverly Gilbreath,

Ruth Milligan, Janice Donham, Barbara House, Beth Styles, Joan Niell; and front row, Otis Taylor, Jerry Clark, Duane Bivins, Donald Ray Owen, Wes Wise, Hilary Rutherford, Jerry Scarbrough and Donnie Clifton. Not pictured is Martha Ray (Pritchard) who was instrumental in organizing the reunion.

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School Events Calendar

Thursday, October 31: Junior high football team will travel to Cross Plains, 6 p.m. kickoff
 Thursday, October 31: Junior varsity football team will travel to Cross Plains, 7:30 kickoff
 Friday, November 1: Downtown pep rally, 2:30 p.m.
 Friday, November 1: Mountaineers host Cross Plains in homecoming football game, homecoming queen will be crowned prior to 7:30 p.m. kickoff
 Saturday, November 2: Band and elementary choral classes will perform for Ex-Students Meeting

Lady Mountaineers Cinch Volleyball Title

On Tuesday evening, October 22, the Santa Anna Lady Mountaineers clinched the District 12-A volleyball title.

This is the first district championship for the girls since 1990.

Mountaineers Topple Elks

The Santa Anna Mountaineers took their next to last road trip of the year last Friday evening and returned home with a win. The team defeated the Evant Elks 33-9 in Evant.

Chris Lewis brought the ball in from 3 yards out for the first score of the game with the PAT by Yancy being good. Evant came back scoring bringing the score 7-7 at the end of the first quarter.

Chris Cheaney scored on a 26 yard pass from quarterback Tim Abernathy. The extra point kick from Yancy was good. At the half the score was 13-7 in Santa Anna's favor.

In the third quarter Chris Lewis scampered in from the 45 yard line and Chris Johnson added a TD from the 3-yard line.

In the fourth quarter Josh Lewis took the ball from the 4-yard line for a TD making the final score 33-9.

Saturday, November 2: Band Boosters Lunch for Ex-Students
 Tuesday, November 5: Picture retakes

The Lady Mountaineers defeated the Evant Lady Elks 15-3, 9-15 and 15-5. This pushed their season record to 15 wins and 4 losses.

The girls are currently undefeated in district.

Mountaineers Topple Elks

Santa Anna earned its second victory of the district season. They are 2-2 in district.

Josh Lewis received the Offensive Player of the Week for 130 yards in 15 carries and scoring 2 TDs.

Clifton Blaine was named Defensive Player of the Week.

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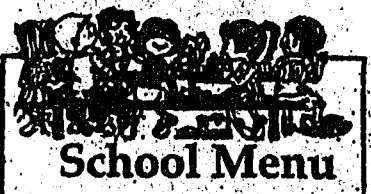
This Friday evening the Mountaineers will host the Cross Plains Buffalos at Mountaineer Stadium in their homecoming game.

Cross Plains is 4-0 in district play after defeating Lometa 48-0 last week.

The Mountaineers are 2-2 in district and 4-3 for the season.

Teams members are seniors Ami Beal, Briana Horner and Rachael Guerrero; juniors Kristen Keeney, Yolanda Frausto, Amanda Lishka, and Marty Siller and sophomore Jennifer Johnson.

The girls will play their bi-district game on Thursday, November 7 against Brock. The time and location of the game will be announced next week.

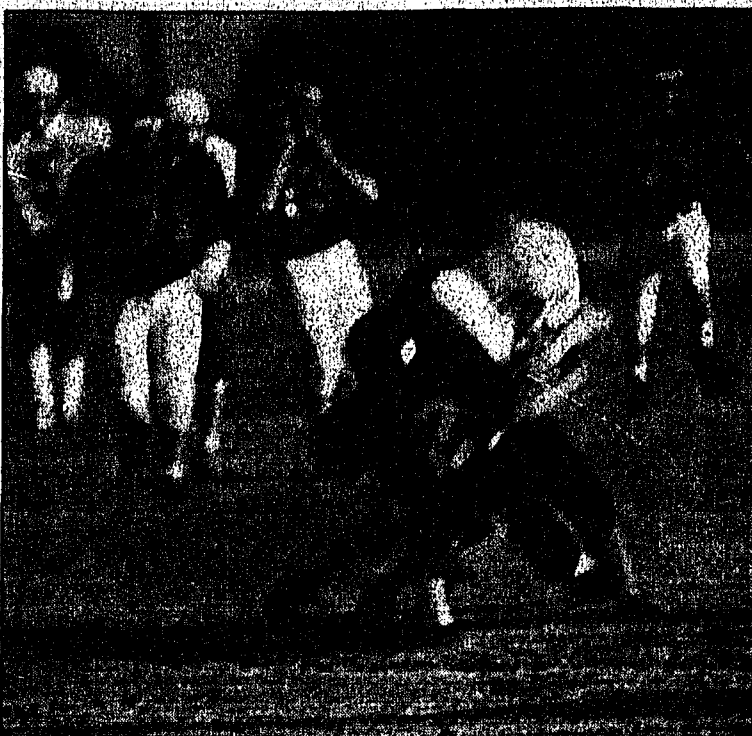


Milk, juice or fruit, cereal and graham crackers are also served during breakfast. Milk, juice and fruit are served during lunch.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4
 Breakfast: Cinnamon roll
 Lunch: Chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes, english peas, hot rolls, gravy and honey

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5
 Breakfast: Waffles, sausage and syrup
 Lunch: Ham and cheese sandwich, lettuce and tomato, vegetable soup, spice cake, mayo or mustard

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6
 Breakfast: Breakfast burritos and picante sauce
 Lunch: Salisbury steak, english peas, steam rice, hot rolls and brown gravy



SAJHS Mountaineers Fall To Evant

The Santa Anna Junior High Mountaineers fell to the Evant Elks last Thursday evening in Mountaineer Stadium 36-16. Pictured above is Tristan Tomme (72) and an unidentified Mountaineer bringing down an Elk ball carrier. Coming to assist in the tackle are Jacob Pritchard (71), Billy Spires (63) and Casey Herring (73). This Thursday evening the Junior High team will travel to Cross Plains to take on the Buffalos.

Photo by Carol Herring

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7
 Breakfast: Breakfast muffins
 Lunch: Burritos w/chili and cheese, whole kernel corn, crackers, plain cake, picante sauce and peppers

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8
 Breakfast: Cream of wheat, toast and jelly
 Lunch: Chopped bar b que on a bun, tator tots, pork and beans, slice pickles, chocolate brownie and catsup

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Sam Allen

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Association. He is also a former office of the Tom Green County Bar Association. Allen's practice consists primarily of business litigation and commercial transactions. On Jan. 2, 1983, Sam married Joy Groce. The couple have two children, Zachary Adam born in 1985 and Carly Joy in 1988. The family is active in their church where Joy is the youth director and Sam sings in the choir, plays in a band called "The Solid Rock Band" and teaches a Sunday School class for senior high students.

Sam and Joy are also active in the local Emmaus and Chrystalis communities in the Concho Valley. He enjoys cooking, music and playing soccer with his kids. He says he is a good snowboarder and a poor golfer. He owns a tennis racquet and tolerates running and swimming for the exercise.

Staff Photo

Stenholm & Rhodes Visit

Local people gathered early Wednesday morning to visit with Congressman Charles Stenholm and State Senate candidate Rick Rhodes as they made a campaign swing through this part of the district. Back row are Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper, Congressman Stenholm, Jake McCreary, Billy Don McCrary, Billie Guthrie and Rick Rhodes. Front, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin, A.L. McGahey and M.L. Guthrie.

SAHS Class Officers



Junior class officers this year are Kristen Keeney, president; Josh Daniel; Rene Yancy, student council representative; Chris Lewis, vice president; Elizabeth Taylor, secretary/treasurer; and Hector Patino, student council representative. Photo by Carol Herring



Sophomore class officers this year are Chris Boyet, president; Maria Ellerbe, vice president; Jennifer Johnson, secretary; and Clay Crossley, student council representative. Not pictured are Bennie Diaz, treasurer; and Randa Watts, student council representative. Photo by Carol Herring

Harvey Is A Frenzy 'Three-peat'

Although his wins have not been all in succession, Roy Joe Harvey of Lake Brownwood is a "three-peat" in our Mountaineer Football Frenzy contest with only one miss on last week's games. He chose Odessa over San Angelo Central. Roy Joe also knew our former Mountaineer pictured in the contest, Scot Valdez, a 1991 graduate of Santa Anna High School who played linebacker for the Mountaineers.

If we wanted to play by rules of "the wheel" we could mark Roy Joe wrong on the former Mountaineer. He and all those who guessed Scot spelled his name Scott.

The games giving the most problems seemed to be the Junction win or Bangs, and the San Angelo Central win over Odessa.

One contest player called to our attention that in last week's article we gave the total of Dallas' 32-28 win over Atlanta as 50 points when actually it totaled 60 points, which made no difference in our selection of a winner. We can honestly say it was a typo as we did have it added correctly on our sheet.

Remembering a renowned teacher of our high school days, our reader said Maude Evans would have us doing extra homework.

We will agree with him that the mind is the first to go as we had to scratch another non-game. This time our excuse is that our current game fell off the ad leaving exposed a previous game. What can we say? Sometimes we can't seem to win for losing!!

Results of last week's contest games were:

- ACU 20 - Tarleton 10
- Baylor 49 - Iowa State 21
- Tennessee 20 - Alabama 13
- BYU 45 - TCU 21
- Dallas - 29 - Miami 10
- San Francisco 10 - Houston 9
- Baird 33 - Gorman 0
- Santa Anna 33 - Evant 9
- Junction 19 - Bangs 13
- Brady 47 - Coleman 19
- Panther Creek 60 - Trent 28
- S.A. Central 14 - Odessa 7
- San Saba 28 - Early 19
- Brownwood - Stephenville 39
- Goldthwaite 35 - Mason 7
- Zephyr 58 - Mullin 8

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.



DENA FORTUNE

Family: Husband Bradley and daughter Margaret Ashton
Grade or subject you are teaching: Second grade
Previous schools taught in: Gatesville Elementary
Education: Graduate of Brownwood High School in 1986; Howard Payne University in 1990 with a Bachelor of Science in Education and Minor in Art
What influenced you to become a teacher: I had many wonderful teachers all through school and I hope I can make such an impact on my students. I have always loved children and always known I wanted to be a teacher.



BETTY SMITH

Family: Husband Clarence; sons David of O'Fallon, Missouri

and James of St. Charles, Missouri
Grade or subject you are teaching: First grade
Previous schools taught in: St. Charles Christian School in St. Charles, Missouri
Education: B.S. Degree
What influenced you to become a teacher: I wanted to help children learn.



If you suffer what does not appear to be a serious sprain, apply an ice pack (do not apply a heating pad or wrap tightly with surgical tape). However, if there is swelling or the pain does not subside, see a doctor.



Neff's Fourth Grade Wins Attendance Trophy

Janet Neff's fourth grade homeroom class won the attendance trophy for the first six weeks of the school year with 99.13% attendance. They will be treated to a float party. Class members are front row, Hannah Collins, Kayla Dombrowski and Amy Gibson; middle row, Jeremy McGee, Lexie DeLeon, Michele Noriega, Collin Stenbridge and Micah Pritchard; and back row, Bryan Fellers, Richard Rankin, Julio Bernal and Felipe Patino.



SANDRA STITH

Family: Husband, Mike, runs Earle Smith's Jewelry; daughter, Lauren, senior at Coleman High School; and son Neil, 8th grade at Coleman Junior High School

Grade or subject you are teaching: Kindergarten

Previous schools taught in: After graduation I taught five years in Seguin and then stayed home for 13 years to raise my two children. I began teaching again in Santa Anna six years ago.

Education: Coleman High School graduate 1969 and graduated from Southwest Texas State University in 1973

What influenced you to become a teacher: All of my teachers in elementary school

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1996-97 School Calendar

November 8: End of Second Six Weeks

November 25-26: In-Service Training Days

November 27-29: Thanksgiving Holidays

December 20: End of Third Six Weeks and First Semester

December 23-January 3: Christmas Holidays

January 6: Teacher Work Day

January 20-21: In-Service Training Days

February 21: End of Fourth Six Weeks

March 28: Holiday

April 4: End of Fifth Six Weeks

April 11: School Holiday

April 18: Bad Weather Day

April 25: Bad Weather Day

May 9: Holiday

May 16: Holiday

May 23: Holiday

May 29: End of Second Semester

May 30: Teacher Work Day

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"I began serving as Judge of the 91st District Court in December 1979. I served in that capacity continuously until April 1995 when I was appointed to fill an unexpired term on the 11th Court of Appeals. I continue to serve as Justice on the 11th Court. I am asking for the opportunity to continue to serve you on the Appeals Court. I make no promises other than to continue to uphold the laws of this great Nation and State in a fair, equitable and efficient manner. Thank you very much for your consideration and continued support."

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HIGHLIGHTS
By Lyndell Williams & Ed Sterling
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — The U.S. Census Bureau confirmed last week that Texas is growing and won't stop anytime soon.

Agency statisticians predict that from 1995 to 2000, Texas will gain 1.4 million residents, the largest net population gain in any state. Texas stands to pick up two seats in Congress after the 2000 census is conducted, if the predictions come true.

Following Texas are Florida, 1.1 million; California, 932,000; Georgia, 674,000 and North Carolina, 582,000.

Also, the Census Bureau predicted, Texas will grow 8.5 million residents by the year 2025, bring-

ing the state population to about 27 million. And, by then, 4.5 million Texans will be 65 and older.

It's time to plan for the large number of people who will be near retirement age as the first quarter of the next century ends. Paul Campbell, a demographer with the Census Bureau, told the *Austin American-Statesman*, "We must prepare by investing in quality nursing homes and health facilities."

"Tomorrow" Fund Rate Increase

State Comptroller John Sharp announced last week new rates for prepaid college tuition to be offered beginning Nov. 18, the first day of the Texas Tomorrow Fund's next enrollment period.

A prepaid tuition contract paid in a lump sum today for a class of 2019 graduate will cost \$9,625.98, according to figures provided by the Texas Prepaid Higher Education Tuition Board, which controls the Texas Tomorrow Fund.

The new rate, which reflects in part the rise of required fees at the state's public four-year universities, is about 16 percent higher than last year's.

"When Sir Isaac Newton said that what goes up must come down, he obviously wasn't talking about

college costs," Sharp said. "That's why this plan makes so much sense. It's a great way to beat tuition inflation."

The fund, sponsored by Sharp and approved by the state Legislature in 1995, allows families to lock in the costs of their children's future college tuition.

The new rates cover more credit hours, with the four-year public university plan expanded from 120 hours to 128 hours.

Uptick in Reported Crime

The number of crimes reported in Texas during the first half of 1996 increased 4 percent over the first half of 1995, according to the Texas Department of Public Safety.

The increase is also reflected in the crime rate, which increased 2.1 percent over the period.

"This is the first increase we have seen in four years," said DPS Director Dudley Thomas.

"This is certainly a matter of concern, but crime figures tend to fluctuate, and this may or may not indicate a trend," Thomas told the *Houston Chronicle*. "The volume of crime in Texas is still down 18.2 percent compared to the first six months of the peak year of 1991."

The only major crimes to decline were murder, down 13.3 percent, and robbery, down 1.9 percent.

Thumbprint Program Works

Texas Bankers Association says the amount of noncustomer check fraud being reported by Texas banks has dropped 71 percent since the Thumbprint Signature program was initiated last December.

One hundred and 70 financial institutions in the state require thumbprints of nonaccount holders who request check-cashing services. Many retailers also use the system.

Customers who have accounts at participating banks are not required to give their prints.

"We don't have to rely on the memory of a teller viewing a police lineup," said Mark Smith, a detective with the Austin Police Department's forgery unit.

"In the past, it could take as long as six weeks — if at all — to identify (fraudulent check writers). With Thumbprinting, the process can now take less than 48 hours."



SAHS Class of 1976

The SAHS Class of '76 has plans to meet Saturday afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at Tammy's Steakhouse. Pictured here as they were in their senior yearbook are, top row, Denise Blair, David Robinett, Sonya Smith, Albert DeLeon, Belinda Aldridge, Michelle Cozart, and Danna Pelton. Next row, Rachel Guerrero, Kenneth Dunn, Tammy Ellis, Mark Turney, Jeannie Thompson, Vicki Smith and Lee Wristen. Third row from top, Wayne Doucet, Vicki Kuykendal, Liz Morris, Jodi Day, Vicki Benge, Scott Bowker, and Sam Allen. Bottom row, R.B. Dillard, Debbie Coyle, Larry Benton, Sharon Keeney, Jacqueline Loyd, Sandra Harris and Sarah Estes.

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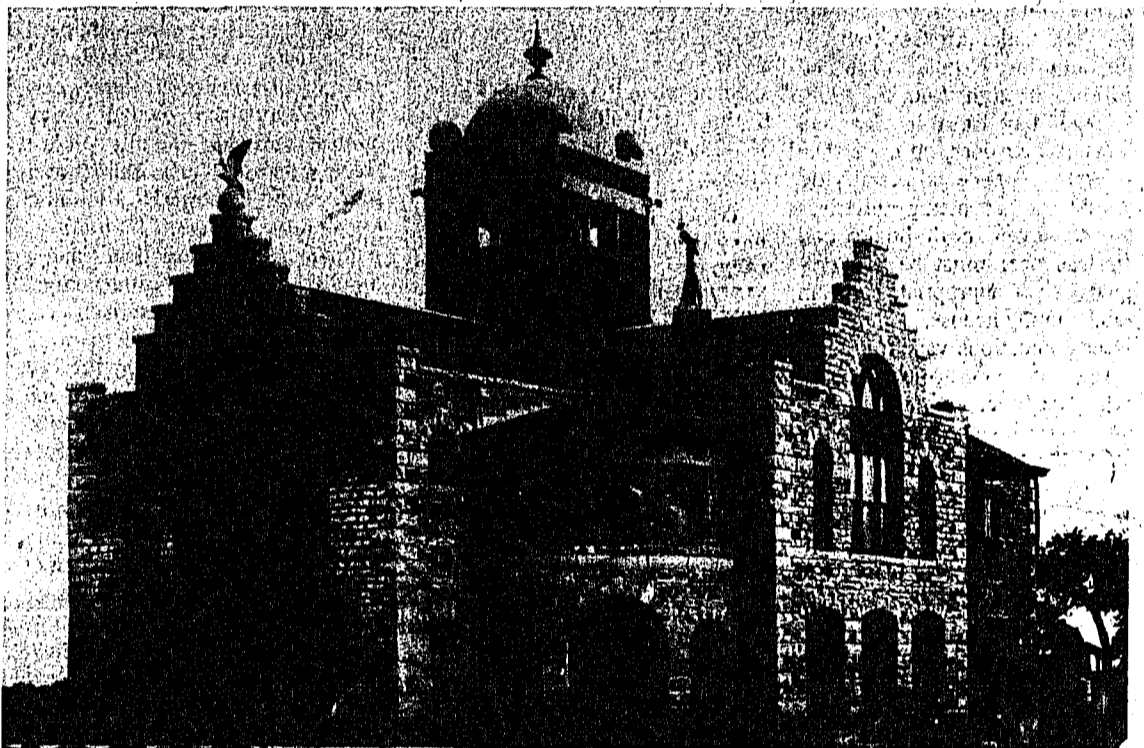
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THE SANTA ANNA SCHOOL IN 1906-07: Pictured is the Santa Anna school building as it was in 1906-07, located where the armory now stands. According to the late historian Leona Bruce, probably the first school in Santa Anna was taught in the farm home of Mrs. J. H. Austin, probably to educate her only child, Gertrude. The children who were near enough to walk there were fortunate to have the influence of this cultured woman who lived on a farm more than a mile from town. The first school in town was a one room structure about a half mile southeast of the stores of that time. In 1884 there was a small school about 14 feet square. It was added to and made about 36 feet by 16 feet and was at the location where the building above was situated. In 1887 more room was needed and another frame building was erected. A Mr. Hackney was employed to teach and the building became known as the "Hackney Annex". The first state building consisted of four rooms (two upstairs and two down) and cost \$4,000.00. It was known as the "college". In 1904, six rooms were added. The ornate facade was later removed and the building enlarged to become a square stucco structure. It was used until the late 1940's. Santa Anna was classified as a first class school in 1911 and was fully accredited by the universities of the state in 1914.

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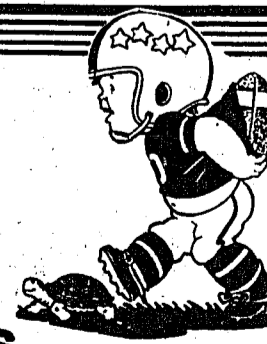
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Campbell Assumes Holiday Fair--A Happening For The Recruiting Duties Senses Set For Saturday, Nov. 9

By Carol Katzer
County Extension Agent
Family & Consumer Sciences

Even though the Holiday Season is well in the future—here's a special event you won't want to miss putting on your calendar now! Set aside Saturday, November 9 to attend Holiday Fair—"A Happening For The Senses". This event is sponsored and organized by the Coleman County Family & Communication Education Council. Special events for the day will be a homemade stew and cornbread lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. You are then invited to see the sites, taste and view, as well as shop for your dessert sweet or goodie.

The featured programs of the day are: "Holiday Treats", presented at 10 a.m. by Nancy Lester, CEA-FCS (Schleicher/Irion counties), and another program at 1 p.m. entitled "Gingerbread Houses" presented by Carol Katzer, CEA-FCS-Coleman County.

Staff Sergeant William J. Campbell has recently been named United States Air Forces Recruiter for this area which includes nine counties and 34 high schools.

His office is located in the Heartland Mall in Early.

Staff Sergeant Campbell has been in the Air Force for nearly 13 years. He has served at numerous bases to include Griffis AFB in New York; Elmendorf AFB in Alaska; and Beale AFB in California; with temporary duty assignments at Mildenhall AFB in England; Al Khajir Air Base in Saudi Arabia; and Royal Air Force Station in Akrotiri, Cyprus.

Staff Sergeant Campbell selected the Brownwood area before attending and graduating from the Air Force Recruiting School on May 1 of this year. Some of the duties of the Air Force Recruiter include Non Prior Service Enlistment's, Officer candidate, ROTC scholarship and Air Force Academy nominee applications.

Festivities will start at 9 a.m. with viewing and browsing of booths, holiday foods, special Christmas gifts, holiday decorations and hand made items for fall and winter holidays and annual events for Thanksgiving through Super Bowl.

Plan now to join in the fun and festivities on Saturday, November 9, at Sacred Heart Church Parish hall in Coleman.

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SAHS Class of 1986

The Santa Anna High School graduating class of 1986 is planning to get together at the football game Friday evening and finalize plans for a meeting on Saturday. Members of the class as seen in the 1976 yearbook were, top row, Cathy Baxter, Deveda Bible Chapman, Craig Duquette, Shawn Harper, Johnny Herrod, Nola Hughes and Jeanene Jones. Middle row, Dilcy Kirven, Michelle Malone, Royce McCrary, Missy Moore, Diana Moredock and Alys Pelton. Bottom row, Curt Puckett, Karen Taylor, Terry Taylor, Shelby Tuttle, Ramon Vasquez and Russell Williams.

TPWD Recommends County Deer Harvest

Landowners and hunters are reminded that the general deer hunting season in Coleman County will open Saturday, Nov. 2, 1996 and continue through Jan. 5, 1997. The legal bag limit in Coleman County is four deer, no more than two bucks. No special permits are required for harvesting antlerless deer, however, both bucks and antlerless deer must be properly tagged with an appropriate tag from a valid hunting license.

Deer populations vary from area to area and even from ranch to ranch. The either sex regulation allows the landowner the flexibility to harvest antlerless deer on his/her property in order to keep deer numbers in balance with the available food supply. It does not automatically mean that a heavy harvest of antlerless deer is needed. The recommended harvest rates of both bucks and antlerless deer, provided by the department, should be used only as a general guideline for harvesting deer. If more intense management is desired, it is suggested that the landmanager survey deer populations on his/her ranch on their own. This will allow for a more accurate representation of deer numbers on the ranch. Please note that in most cases the department recommended more antlerless deer to be harvested than bucks.

The recommended guideline for harvesting antlerless deer through most of Coleman County is 1 antlerless deer per 150 acres. The

recommended harvest rate on bucks is 1 per 700 acres.

For further information concerning harvest rates or wildlife management planning, contact Wildlife Biologist Ralph Suarez, at 915-365-2840 in Ballinger.

DEAR READERS: Volumes have been written about democracy, which is defined as "a government in which the supreme power is vested in the people, and exercised by them through a system of representation usually involving periodically held free elections."

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—(Copied)

Ballinger COC Hosting Hunter's Appreciation Dinner Saturday

The Ballinger Chamber of Commerce will have a Hunter's Appreciation Dinner on the first day of deer season, November 2, from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at the Ballinger Community Center.

There will be door prizes and a great barbecue plate with sausage, brisket, beans and potato salad. The Chamber will furnish the meal at no charge to the hunters.

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Trickham Tidbits

By Anna York

Mr. Joe Alvin Wynn visited with Mrs. Ethel Radle in Santa Anna on Tuesday. Mrs. Radle is sure Joe Alvin went to Fort Worth over the weekend. Mrs. Radle's son Bob of Fort Worth called.

Mrs. Juanita Minica of Bangs visited with Mrs. Billy Lovelady in Santa Anna over the weekend. Mrs. Lucille Sorrells of Coleman visited Billy Tuesday.

Mr. Floyd Morris is in Colleyville and will visit his sons Joe and James Lee Morris and families there.

Mrs. Lucille Sorrells and Billy Lovelady visited Mrs. Catherine Homer during the week.

My daughter Mrs. Patsy Smith of Abilene was with those of us there during the week and also visited her brothers Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and

Trudi Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd and Linda Rutherford and other members of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas and Trudi Rutherford, Mr. Loyd Rutherford and myself attended the birthday party that Mrs. Skeeta (Jack) Cooper's family had for her at the Rockwood Community Center on Sunday. A very large crowd was present. Was an awfully nice day. The food was well prepared by I understand her sons-in-law and her daughters. Was awfully nice to see dear ones we had not seen in a long time. Attendance was from quite a few different places. All who attended can truthfully say they had a wonderfully day being together one more time. All wish Skeeta Cooper and family other happy birthdays together. Best wishes to her family.

Visitors during the week with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dean were Buddy and Jerry Windham of Beaumont and Edith Huebner of San Antonio and Kit Dean of Comanche spent the weekend with his parents and son Wyndham.

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Royce and Wanda McIver were in Kerrville on Friday to watch their grandson Kyle Smith, a student at Schiner College play soccer. His parents Mr. and Mrs. Artie Smith of Midland met them there and all enjoyed the game together. On Saturday Royce and Wanda attended the 80th birthday party for Mrs. Fannie Cooper at Rockwood.

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her daughter, Janet Franch. Alvin and Corrine Caraway of Goldthwaite were Friday visitors with Elvis and Reba Cozart and all enjoyed a fish supper at Tammy's in Santa Anna.

Renee McIver of Austin was an overnight guest of his dad Terry and Helen McIver. Terry had lunch on Sunday with Betsy and Ray Jones and baby Genia Mae in Santa Anna.

Darla Kay Barnum and family and Tracy Campbell and Kaylum of Brownwood were Sunday visitors with their grandmother Mrs. Edna Laughlin. Darla brought a little puppy that she is proud of. Billy Roy and Mildred visited her Sunday evening.

There were five ladies present Monday afternoon at the community center for quilting and twelve present Thursday night for the eighty-four club party.

Reba Cozart was a Wednesday afternoon visitor with Mrs. Annie Lou Vaughn.

Billy and Mary Lou Jones were in Lubbock the first of last week where she was undergoing medical procedures and found everything was fine. She would like to thank your friends for their concern, prayers and cards.

Earlene Dockery visited at the Hi Rise in Coleman with her parents Mr. and Ms. S. H. Johnson last Thursday and also got to see her brother and his wife Sammie and Velda Johnson of Cleburn who was visiting. On Sunday Earlene visited in Santa Anna with a granddaughter Catrina DeLeon and baby Caitlyn.

Jeanie and Fred Drienhofer and Nathan were Monday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge McClatchy and Nicholas. On Wednesday Talmadge and Nicholas attended a bull show and sale at the Weldon Edwards Ranch at Clyde. Sunday Laverne and Nicholas had lunch at Brownwood her her grand-

Cleveland Chats

By Clara Cupps

Tammy Ellis of Richmond spent the weekend with her parents the Cecil Ellis. Betty and Anita Jarvis spent Sunday night with her parents.

Visitors with Thelma Fleming have been Roger, Rita, Megan and Amanda Sikes and Peggy Sikes, all of Bangs, Darrel Cupps and Ivy Hitchcock of San Angelo.

Carolyn Covey of Georgetown spent the weekend with her parents the R. W. Cupps. The Cupps visited Brown and Pat Brooke and Shay, Glen and Chad McDonald Friday.

Sandra Walker, Julie Payton and Raemi, of Bangs and Early visited Thursday with Ruby Hartman.

Lee Ray and Syble Huggins went out to Ranger Park nursing home Sunday. It was Hardon Phillip's birthday They also visited with Mrs. Ruth Hibbits.

Jennifer and David Pheimister of Brownwood spent the day Sunday with her parents the John Narons. Raymond Naron visited Saturday. Jessica Pelton spent the weekend

with her grandparents the A. C. Pierces. Lou visited Cindy and girls Sunday.

Phyllis Dillard visited with Margie Fleming Saturday

Charlie and Kathleen Avants and Brodie visited at Ranger Park nursing home Wednesday and Sunday. The also visited Hardon.

Pat Wright appreciates all the concern that has been shown while Tex is Audie Murphey Hospital in San Antonio.

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Fishing Lake Ivie

By Durwood Strickland

Fishing for black bass and smallmouth is good on small crank baits, Texas and Carolina-rigged purple worms and Slug-gos.

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Rockwood News

By Sandra Wilson

Due to popular request I will be doing the Rockwood News when I am in town or until they can get someone to write it each week.

We received a nice rain Sunday night. My gauge showed an inch and a half.

Pat Greener came in Saturday and is visiting with Bill and Sadie Bryan. Jack and Skeeta Cooper visited Sunday evening. Royce and Wanda McIver visited one afternoon.

Vivian Steward went to San Antonio Sunday and visited Bobby and Eddie Valichek. Collin Steward picked her up Monday and they drove to Katy. Vivian visited with Collin, Barbara and family until Sunday. Collin and Barbara drove Vivian to Lufkin to meet Pat and Kay Patterson and Paige. Vivian went home to Shreveport with them and spent a week returning home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Iru Bray visited with Minnie Bray week before last. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Briscoe of Austin visited one night.

Weekend visitors with Jack and Skeeta Cooper were Charles and Beth Sheffield, Arlen and Quincy Allen, Gil, Elizabeth, Justin and Jordan Gregory, all of Temple; Mike, Tracy and Wyatt Sheffield of Wimberly; Monte Sheffield and Dristen Towle of San Antonio; and Wesley, Debra, Drew and Madison Allen of Waco. Elec and Rose Cooper visited Saturday night.

Coleta Pearson was in Dimmit for Frank Wise's funeral Tuesday. Sunday she was in Hillsboro for the funeral of Bill Rollins of Hillsboro.

Wednesday night Jr. and Nell

Brusenhan hosted Bible study. Bro. Jeff, Loma and Sara Dean, Minnie Jack and Blake Williams joined them. Saturday they were in Brady to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hull. Mr. Hull is in the hospital and they gave them a small celebration for their 61st wedding anniversary in the hospital.

Saturday Dorothy Whisenant and Cathy Fraser attended the arts and crafts fair in Brownwood. Guy and Dorothea had lunch with Jim, Cathy and Jimmy Fraser.

Visiting during the weekend with Elec and Rose Cooper were Ronnie, Nola, Colt and Cade Cooper, Denny and Louise Densman, Dorinda Anderson, David Cooper, Dina Stroud, Kyla and Katlin, Toad Bolton, Dana and Revi Pexa and Jack and Skeeta Cooper.

Hank, Darla and Faye Wise with Joyce Mueller were in Dimmit Tuesday for the funeral of Frank Wise.

Blake Williams was in Brownwood visiting with Donald and Lillian Williams Friday. Blake has visited, via telephone, with Carolyn and Veronica.

Jimmy and Jimmie Gail Hafner, Cody, Haley, Travis and Julie attended Panther Creek's fall festival Saturday night. Sunday afternoon visitors were Chris and Cindy Jamison and Krysta.

Gayle Stewardson reports that Burgess is home and doing good.

Saturday night Bo and I visited at Waldrup with Charlie Smith, Frances McAlister, and Mark Smith and Danny. Sunday Debbie Dean, Bethany, Myra, Bianca and Ade, visited. Skeeta Cooper stopped by for a few minutes. Willie Matthews and Guy McElrath visited briefly also.

Two Good Men, But With Big Differences

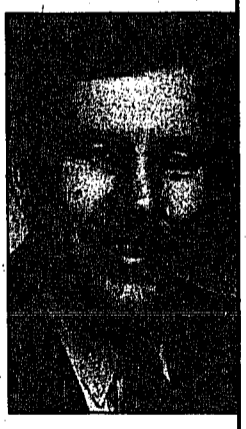
Rick Rhodes? He says he is a conservative but he supports Bill Clinton and Victor Morales, and he backed Ann Richards for Governor.

Rhodes supports Clinton's gun control and has received big campaign gifts from labor unions and support from campaign organizations funded by trial lawyers.

Troy Fraser is a Proven CONSERVATIVE.

Troy Fraser is different. He thinks like us. He was born in Abilene and he grew up in a farming community, where he learned a healthy respect for hard work, personal responsibility, and the importance of keeping your word.

Troy is a businessman who led the effort to balance two state budgets with no new taxes while in the State House. He supports protection of personal property and underground water rights, supports your right to bear arms, and he wants to reduce your property taxes.



In the Texas Senate, Troy Fraser will work for:

- Welfare reform, reduce dependency on government, and discourage illegitimacy;
- Strict penalties for violent juvenile crime;
- Tougher action against violent adult criminals;
- Property tax relief with no state income tax;
- Strict term limits for elected officials;
- Reduced spending and lower taxes; and
- Local control of schools.

Along with the support of Governor George W. Bush, Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison and Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry, Troy Fraser has been endorsed by the political action committees representing:

- the Texas Farm Bureau,
- the National Federation of Independent Business,
- Texans for Lawsuit Reform,
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