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In Recognition Of Black History Month



Recognizing that February is Black History Month, the Santa Anna Public Library has a display which includes one of Nell Myers' remarkable dolls surrounded by a number of books of historical significance by black authors. You will most certainly want to go by the library and see this exceptional display.

Council Addresses Problem Of Dogs Running Loose In City

The Santa Anna City Council met Tuesday evening, February 11 with Mayor Pro-Temp Bobby Morgan presiding at the meeting. Council members present were Karen Morris, Jim Spillman, Mike Pritchard and Jean Findley.

Chief of Police Carlos Torres presented his monthly report to the council

A motion was passed to table the CAP resolution from West Texas

Supervisor Doug Watson reported there had been 10 water leaks in January. The city crew has continued their work with the telephone and sewer line contractors.

Fees for Dogs Running At-Large were raised to \$15 for pick-up fee and \$5 per day for care. The previous fees were \$5 for pick-up fee and \$2 per day for care.

Santa Anna City officials say the city streets have been taken over of late by dogs running loose. The animal owners are breaking the law by allowing the dogs to run loose.

Not only are the owners breaking the law, but by allowing their animals to run loose, they could be contributing to the endangerment of citizens of the town with the unleashed dogs.

Due to the unusual number of impoundment of any dog. dogs running loose. the City of Santa Anna reminds citizens that there is an ordinance against unrestrained dogs.

According to the ordinance a dog at-large is one not under the control of the owner either by a leash, chain, cord or other suitable material attached to a collar or harness on the dog or not restrained securely within an enclosure or fenced premises.

The owner of any dog permitted to run at-large is subject to citation, and if convicted in Municipal Court, and may be fined up to

Owner should also be aware that it is unlawful to harbor or permit any dog over the age of three months to remain within the City of Santa Anna without having obtained a certificate of vaccination for such dog and having paid an annual license fee of \$2.00 to the City. Dogs must also where the dog tags issued by the veterianian each year when vaccinated.

All dogs found in violation of the provision of the Ordinance may be impounded by a duly authorized

officer of the City. An impoundment fee of \$15.00shall be charged for the

A fee of \$5.00 per day shall be charged for the feeding, care and handling of each dog impounded.

The owner of any dog impounded shall have the animal returned to them when any and all fees have been paid.

A licensed dog will be held for six days while an unlicensed dog will only be held for three days.

After the expiration of the redemption of any dog, the Animal Control Office, may without further notice or advertising, sell for cash any unclaimed dog.

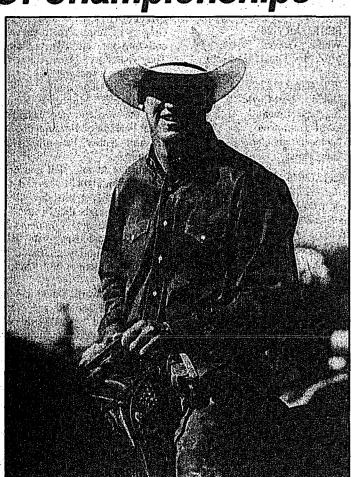
Host Chamber Breakfast Feb. 20

West Texas Utilities will host this month's Chamber of Commerce breakfast at their office on Wallis Avenue.

The breakfast will be held on Thursday, February 20 from 7 to 8:30 a.m.

Everyone is invited to come enjoy coffee and donuts with the Chamber and WTU.

Roper Guy Allen Sets **Record For Number** Of Championships



Guy Allen Wins 11th Roping Championship

Santa Anna native Guy Allen has announcer Clem McSpadden was won an eleventh roping championship and goes in the record books for having the most championships.

While the cowboy was winning Allen?" his latest championship at the Lazy E in Guthrie, Oklahoma, his father James Allen who has returned to make Santa Anna his home again, was being named "Super Senior" Roper for 1996 at events taking place at the same arena.

The following article by Bryan Painter appeared in a recently issue of ProRodeo Sports News.

At a rodeo a few months back,

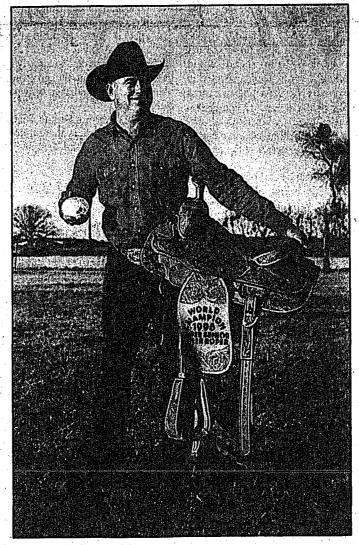
introducing some contestants.

When Guy Allen rode out, McSpadden said, "Wouldn't we all like our children to be like Guy

A man sitting close to the announcer's stand turned to his friend and said, "Boy if they were, wouldn't the steer roping be tough?"

It was a fitting tribute to "The Legend".

Normally in the year someone is inducted into the ProRodeo Hall of Fame there's a chance to reflect on a storied career. Instead the Lovington, N.M., cowboy put to-



James Allen Super Senior Roper

gether a season worthy of a display all its own.

The end result was an 11th steer roping world championship, which moves him one ahead of barrel racer Charmayne James for the most world championships in one event by a PRCA or WPRA contestant.

"To have people say things like that guy (McSpadden) said makes you feel good," Allen said. "That's what I wanted is to be the best steer roper I could be.

"I want to do my best and let the people make their judgment.

In 1996 his best included much more than the 11th title. Allen went hard and he went fast-

very fast. steer in 8.1 seconds in Coffeyville,

Then at the NFSR--his 20th consecutive appearance at the world championship event--Allen hustled

back into the record books. In the fifth go, Marty Jones clocked a 9.8-second time to tie the NFSR arena record set by the late Shaun Burchett in 1990.

But Jones predicted the next morning that the record would be beat sometime in the final five rounds.

"Sometimes" came in the seventh

round in the form of Allen. He had seen Jim Davis' run on the steer the night before and had talked to David about it.

"Everything was happening real Just days after induction into the fast," Allen said. "He (the steer) ProRodeo Hall of Fame, he made came out of the chute pretty good, PRCA history by tying down a but kind of came to the right and

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Get Blood Pressure And Blood Sugar Checked At **Mountain City Center**

(Highrise) each second and tourth each month. Thursday morning to offer free blood pressure and blood sugar checks. February 27th.

Home health providers from You are invited to take advantage of Concepts of Care will be at the this important free service from Mountain City Community Center 10:00 to 12:00 on those two days

Plan now to be there on Thursday,

Filing Opens For School **Board And City Elections**

In the school board election, places currently held by Sharon Guthrie and Barbara Simmons will be up for grabs. Neither has indicated if they will seek election.

Due to the City Secretary being out of the office this week because

of health problems, we were unable to find out which places will be up in the City election. But filing is, by law, open at this time.

We hope to have that information for next week's edition.

School Officials Anticipating Start Of Construction For Library/Learning Lab

Trustees met Tuesday, February 11 for the regular monthly meeting.

Board members present were Roddy Dean, Sharon Guthrie, Barbara Simmons, Dickie Horner and Marty Donham.

School officials attending were Superintendent of Schools Dean Bass, District Principal Lee Coffman, Assistant Principal Debbie Bacon and Business Manager Judy Hartman.

Other visitors were Montie Guthrie, Sybil Eubank, Mike Marrs, Sandra Guthrie and David Robinett.

Mike Marrs of Marrs Architect Firm presented to the board bids for the Library/Learning Lab. The bids were accepted and Marrs was given approval to proceed with the project with the understanding the project total could possibly be as much as \$311,599.00 but not exceeding this amount.

The Board agreed to call the Trustee Election for May 3, 1997. Superintendent of Schools Dean

The Santa Anna I.S.D. Board of Bass presented each board with certificates of appreciation for School Board Recognition Month.

Bass informed the board that the elementary campus Title I program had been commended by TEA for the 1995-96 school year. Only 664 campuses in the state were recognized.

SK Engineering has repaired a water leak underneath the east side of Perry Gym. A water survey has been conducted to locate another leak under the gym.

Enrollment as of February 11 was at 302.

Contracts were extended to the

following personnel: A two year contract to Lee

Coffman as district administrator; A one year-11 month contract to

Debbie Bacon as assistant principal; A one-year extension to David Robinett as Athletic Director; A one-year extension to David Powell as Band Director; and

A one-year extension of the present contract to Judy Hartman as Business Manager.

Santa Anna - A Town Of Friendly People

Saying Hello To Nancy Flores Avants of San Angelo

Obituaries

Peggy Burcham

EARLY-Peggy Sue Burcham, 56, of Brownwood, died at 11:25 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 16, 1997 in the Brownwood Regional Medical

Funeral Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18, 1997 in the Heartland Funeral Home Chapel with Father Larry Cyr officiating. Burial followed at Eastlawn Memorial Park under the direction of Heartland Funeral Home of Early.

She was born Nov. 23, 1940 in Santa Anna, the daughter of Norbert and Bonnie Rambo Weigand. She attended schools at Brownwood and

On Sept. 2, 1971, she married Jeff Burcham in Louisiana. She was a resident of Brownwood since 1977, formerly of Gladewater. She was a homemaker and a Catholic.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Brant McClure of Denver, CO and Danny McClure of Palestine; four stepsons, a brother and sister-in-law, Larry and Kathryn Weigand of Houston; a sister and brother-in-law, Debbie and Ron Riker of Brownwood; three nieces; and an aunt, Ann Weigand.

She was preceded in death by her father in 1980.

Memorials may be made to the donor's favorite charity.

Francisco Salas

Francisco A. Salas, 87, of Coleman, died Thursday, Feb. 13, 1997 at Abilene Regional Hospital. Prayer services were held Friday,

Feb. 14, 1997 at Walker Funeral Home Chapel. Funeral services were held Saturday, Feb. 15, 1997 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Coleman with Father Larry Cyr of Sacred Heart officiating. Burial was in Coleman City Cemetery under the direction of Walker Funeral Home of Coleman.

He was born in Santa Anna on Nov. 17, 1909, the son of Jose Salas and Pilar Alcoa. On June 15, 1932, he and his wife, Mary were married on Coleman. He lived his entire life in Coleman County. He was a laborer and a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mary Escobar and Evelyn Perez, both of Coleman; five sons, Mack Salas, Billy Salas and Charles Salas, all of Coleman, Pete Salas of Abilene and Robert Salas of Breckenridge; 41 grandchildren; 80 great-grandchildren; and 7 great-great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

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bucket and let's get on with the milkin'."

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Robert G. Malaer

DE LEON-Services were held Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Nowlin Funeral Home for Robert Glen (Bob) Malaer, age 60, of DeLeon with Jim Warmerdem of Stephenville officiating. Burial was in Oliver Springs Cemetery.

He died Sunday, Feb. 16, 1997 at DeLeon Hospital. Born January 18, 1937 in Luling, he was the son of the late Glen and Claudia Malaer who were later longtime Coleman residents.

He attended Coleman schools and served in the U.S. Army. He was

Survivors include his wife, Frances Barnes of DeLeon; stepmother, Ollie Malaer of Abilene; six sons, Steve Malaer of Santa Anna, Kenneth Malaer of Albany, Jerry Malaer of El Paso, and Tony Malaer, Joe Malaer and Richard Malaer, all of Abilene; four step-children; three brothers, Wayne Malaer of Schertz, Marvin Malaer of Abilene and Jimmy Malaer of Stephenville; ten grandchildren; several stepgrandchildren.

'Round & About

John W. Gregg of Coleman and Billie Gregg attended funeral services for Mrs. Alice Michalk of Bishop Monday of last week.

They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Munnienk and Mr. and Mrs. **Buddy Jones.**

Casey Wade Herring visited Saturday night with his brother Derek Little in Brownwood.

Amanda Adams, daughter of Craig and Pat Adams of Santa Anna, was recently initiated into Beta Mu Chapter of Delta Delta Delta at Mississippi State University.

Verna Blair LaMadrid called from California Friday to say how much she enjoyed our recent article about Mark McCord and his entertainment and business endeavors. Interested in seeing Santa Anna put on the "map", Mrs. LaMadrid had some interesting suggestions about marketing Mark's skills in Santa Anna in relation to our 'beloved' mountain. We are always happy to hear from our out of town and out of state readers and to know they enjoy the newspaper.

By Ace Reid

Check It Out

By Alice Anna Svillman

February is such a short month but is full of celebrations.

Did you notice the round table last week? Nell Myers had another beautiful creation. Her charming little black girl was dressed in a fluffy red and white dress. She was seated in a bright red chair. Ovella Williams had made the crochet 'rug' underneath. We have her a valentine greeting. She also represents the fact that February is designated. Black History Month. There are self employed in the trucking good books surrounding the doll. Roots and Queen by Alex Haley. Up From Slavery Booker T. Washington Miss Jane Pittman Ernest J. Gaines George Washington Carver and three volumes of Voices of Triumph from Time Life. The library has several other good books about outstanding black citizens.

February is also the birthday of President Washington and President Troy Fraser Lincoln. We salute them on our other window. Some books about these men are: The Lincoln Property Conspiracy a whole new look at Lincoln's death. The big book about Lincoln by Carl Sandburg is considered to have reliable facts.

Washington. The Indispensable Man James Thomas Flexner. Based on notes and letters by Washington, this follows his growth from boy to older man. It isn't possible to talk about Washington without his home Mount Vernon. The library's book came from someone's visit there. I recently saw a television program about Washington's agricultural research. The Foundation of Mount Vernon recently rebuilt his round barn. Materials used were as near the original as possible. He develops this to thresh grain.

The junior section of the library has several book about these men and their wives. Some of the best information has been in National Geographic magazine.

The big show on TV this week seems to be Asteroid. The library has several books about stars, planets and astronomy. The best seem to be in our junior section. Several are on the table in the children's section. Several newspapers have had articles on the subject--speculating could an asteroid hit the earth? What would happen?

Good news for Gabaldon's fans. The library has been promised her 4th book in the series about Scotland. Now Dallas Morning News says slie is writing two more books in the series. If you are on Internet check www.cco.Caltechedu/gatti/gabaldon/gabaldon.html. There are excerpts of the new books.

Texas State Library is having a training meeting about Summer Reading Programs on Thursday, February 27. Ovella Williams, Nell Hipp, Betty Key and I plan to attend. The Santa Anna Library will be closed that day.

Paperback donations have come from Mrs. Carol Koontz and Thelma Bobskill. Thank you for your support.

Santa Anna Nutrition Center Receives Memorials And Donations

The Santa Anna Nutrition Center has received the following memorials

In memory of B. D. Brock from W. J. and Faye Alexander of Yantis, Texas; and

In memory of Thomas Wristen from Peggy Gordon of the Santa Anna Nutrition Center.

James B. Bass of Elkhart recently donated a number of serving pieces.

OES Hosts Buffet Dinner For Masons

Submitted by Carmen Donham Members of the Masonic Lodge and their wives were guests of the Santa Anna Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star at a buffet dinner on Monday, February 17 in the fellowship hall of the First United Presbyterian Church with Mrs. Rose Base, general chairman.

Mrs. Nikki Donham, Worthy Matron of the host chapter, welcomed the guests and James Ellerbe, Sr. gave the invocation.

Mrs. Billie Guthrie, a past Matron, read the minutes of the first meeting of the then, Mountain Chapter of O.E.S. dated July 27,

Any Master Mason or any female relative of a Mason is eligible to petition a chapter for membership. Our teachings are moral and our

lessons scriptural. The very name tells you what we are about.

To Serve On Tax Reform Committee

AUSTIN--Sen. Troy Fraser, R-Marble Falls, has been appointed by Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock to a special, 11-member Senate committee examining property tax relief in response to a proposal submitted by Gov. George W. Bush in his State of the State address.

"As a freshman senator, I'm honored and pleased to be part of the committee that will help shape what likely will be the most important part of legislation this session," Fraser said. "Hopefully," Lt. Gov. Bullock recognized my business experience and thought I could make a meaningful contribution."

The Senate Select Committee on Tax Reform and Public School Finance comprises seven Republicans and four Democrats. It is chaired by Sen. Kenneth Armbrister, D-Victoria.

Gov. Bush's plan is intended to lower school property taxes by nearly \$3 billion annually by increasing the sales and motor vehicle taxes, using a \$1 billion in savings from the state budget and implementing a new tax on business.

A special House committee was appointed by Speaker Pete Laney earlier in the session and already has begun hearings on the governor's plan, which is detailed in a 77-page bill (HB4).

Fraser represents Senate District 24, a 21-county area that stretches from Colorado City to Temple.

Doris Richeson Elected To Dairy Queen Board Of Directors

BEDFORD--Doris Richeson, owner of the Dairy Queen store in Santa Anna, has been elected to serve on the board of directors of the Texas Dairy Queen Operators' Council (TDQOC).

Richeson will serve a three-year term on the board, representing Dairy Queen operators in the Abilene, San Angelo and Wichita Falls areas.

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Final Income Tax Return Due



As strange as it may seem, tax obligations do not end at death. If people have enough income before dying to require tax returns, then their families or executors must file a final income tax return to report that income and pay any taxes or claim any refund due.

And depending on when a person dies, more than one tax return may need to be filed. For a calendar year taxpayer who dies between January 1 and April 15 without filing the previous year's return, two income tax returns are due. The first is due by April 15 of the year of death. The second and final return is due by April 15 of the following year to report any income and deduct any expenses the decedent (person who died) had between January 1 and the date of death.

All these things can be handled by a personal representative of the decedent's estate: an executor, an administrator, or anyone who is in charge of the decedent's property.

If taxes are owed, the representative must collect them from the estate and send a check with the tax return to the Internal Revenue Service. If a refund is due, the

Birthdays

Anniversaries

Mr. & Mrs. Bill Martin *

Brittany Allene Guerrero

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Powell*

FEBRUARY 20

FEBRUARY 21

James Puckett

FEBRUARY 22

Rita Simpson

FEBRUARY 23

FEBRUARY 24

Mae McFarlin

Willis Morris

Ray Hipp

FEBRUARY 25

Lori Castillo

Gay Martin

Mary Ann Chaffin

Roberta Tomlinson

Albert Brashear, Sr.

Mr.&Mrs. Dickie Horner

EDITOR'S NOTE: Although

we have the deepest sympathy for

those who have lost loved ones to

death, it is not our policy to include

birthdays of deceased people in our

birthday list. If on occasion one

appears it is an oversight on our

Santa Anna

Nutrition

Center Menu

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Meatloaf, green lima beans,

and ice cream

w/cottage cheese

biscuits

FEBRUARY 26

Whitney Gunter

FEBRUARY 27

Barbee Hoffman

Eddie Tomlinson

Gary Voss

Nathan Drienhofer

David Robert Coyle

Alonzo Hernandez

Don Warnock

Steve Beal

representative must attach to the return a copy of the court certificate showing his or her appointment as representative. This certificate authorizes the IRS to make the refund payment to the decedent's estate. A power of attorney or copy of the will is not acceptable. For those who are not court-appointed or certified personal representatives, a Form 1310, "Statement of Person Claiming Refund Due a Deceased Taxpayer," may be required.

Usually a surviving spouse can file a joint return for the decedent if he or she did not remarry in the year of death. Making a payment or claiming a refund is handled the same way as if the decedent were still living. The surviving spouse does not need to file Form 1310.

The surviving spouse or representative should immediately give notice of the death to all parties, including financial institutions. who paid income to the decedent. This will ensure the proper reporting of income earned by the estate or heirs

A person's death can also affect the tax returns of the heirs and the estate. It may be wise to have the representative coordinate the filing of all tax returns to make sure they are done correctly.

For more information on the duties and responsibilities of the personal representative, get Publication 559, Survivors, Executors, and Administrators. by calling 1-800-829-3676.

Racksyans N GUES By Sandra Wilson

Once again, we are back. Hopefully we will be having the Rockwood News every week again. I have been traveling with Bo in the truck but am home. I hope our readers haven't given up on us.

Claudia Rutherford joined the Gouldbusk Forty-Two Club last Monday afternoon with Faye Winslett hosting. Claudia spent Friday until Sunday with Nell Yancy and her guest Jane Lovelady of Spicewood in Bangs.

Royce and Wanda McIver visited Friday with Bill and Sadie Bryan. Sunday Jack and Skeeta Cooper, Faye Wise, Minnie Bray and Claudia Rutherford joined Bill and Said to play Spinner.

Vivian Steward had lunch with Coleta, David and Jane Pearson Sunday.

Kim Whitton, Clay and Katie of New Braunfels spent the weekend with Minnie Bray. Frankie and Lucy Gregg visited Sunday.

Arlen and Quincy Allen, Gil, Blizabeth, Justin and Jordan Gregory of Temple spent the weekend with Jack and Skeeta Cooper. They visited with Alene Rutherford one day last week.

Coleta Pearson quilted with the quilting club Monday. Visiting over the weekend were David and Janet Pearson of Bryan and David, Jr. and Kathy Pearson of San Antonio.

Tuesday Jr. and Nell Brusenhan were at Simpson Lake and took Bettie Hull her birthday dinner. Wednesday night they hosted Bible study for Bro. Jeff, Loma and Sara Dean, Minnie Bray and Blake Williams. Sunday afternoon Nell visited in Coleman with Dick and Johnnie Deal.

Vivian Steward, David and Jane Pearson and Joe Ed and Nathan Wise visited with Faye Wise Saturday. Faye visited with Billie Mae Schrader. Thursday Rita, Nell and Peggy

visited with Guy and Dorothea Whisenant.

Last Monday evening, Bo and I visited with Terry, Cathy, Ty and Chicken fried steak, baked Christi Pickett and Christy Taylor potatoes, herbed green beans, cake and Richard Ybarra in Coleman. Tuesday we visited Terry, Cathy and Christi Pickett and Marla Watson. I visited with my mother BBQ brisket on bun, ranch style Gladys Slayton and her visitor beans, potato salad and pears Linda Neal; and Dana McElrath and Willie Matthews. Friday Bo and I had Valentine's supper at Tammy's Steak House in Santa Anna where we visited with Clint and Rita Day, creamed potatoes, brownies and Dennis and Tammy Franke and Ann Ray and Darrell Edwards.

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McPherson To Wed Hewitt

Mr. and Mrs. James H. McPherson of Washington, Arkansas,

formerly of Santa Anna, announce the engagement and upcoming

marriage of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Jonathan Clint

Hewitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Hewitt of Hackberry, La.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mrs. Nina Thompson and

the late Johnie Thompson of Washington, Ark. A graduate of

Pleasant Grove High School in Texarkana, Texas and also of

East Texas State University-Texarkana, she is employed with

State Farm Insurance in Lufkin. Texas as a claim representative.

The prospective bridegroom, a graduate of Hackberry High School,

Bossier College and McNeese University, is employed with Crown

Colony Country in Lufkin, Texas as a golf professional. The cou-

ple plan to wed on March 1, in St. Edward's Catholic Church in

Belle Farris

Be Honored

Contributed

Sat. With 90th

Birthday Party

The children of Belle Farris will

host friends and family at a celebra-

tion of her 90th birthday in the

Emmanuel Baptist Church

Fellowship Hall in Coleman on

Saturday, February 22 from 4 to 6

'Ma Belle', as friends refer to her,

was born in Brown County near

Trickham on Feb. 23, 1907, the

second of eleven children of Mary

and Tom Avants. Seven are still

living and all but one lives in and

When Belle was thirteen years

old, the family moved to the Whon

community in southwest Coleman

County. She has lived in Coleman

County since then except for a

twenty-one year period of living in

Lubbock during the 50's and 60's.

1928 and they had four children.

J. E. and a son Jerry are deceased.

She married J. E. Farris on July

When Belle moved back to

Coleman in 1969 she began attend-

ing Emmanuel Baptist Church

Hosting the February 22 birthday

party will be daughter Myrna and

husband Otto Brink of Coleman:

daughter Billie and husband Frank

Ricke of Medicine Lodge, Kansas;

and son Tom (Pete) and wife,

The children have requested "no

gifts" but Emmanuel Baptist

Church is preparing a 'Blessing

where she is still a member.

Clydene Farris of Mesquite.

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Cecil And Pat

Vance Honored

On Anniversary

Pat and Cecil Vance were sur-

prised on Saturday, February 15

with a family party to celebrate

their 40th wedding anniversary.

Hosting the party were Maudie Vance of Amarillo, Cecil's mother;

Verna and Fred Cross of

Stephenville, Cecil's sister and

brother-in-law; and Tammy and

Mark Alberthal of Boerne, the cou-

Gayle and Burgess Stewardson of

Santa Anna, Karen and Ward

Stewardson and girls of Crosby,

Mary Jo and Richard Vaughn of

Abilene Ruthy Williams of

Duncanville and Barbara and Steve

The couple were married on Feb.

15, 1947 in Amarillo in the home

Spinger of Tours, France.

of Maudie and Clyde Vance.

Council Plans

Trade-O-Ree

In Brownwood

Comanche Trail Council will

sponsor its first Trade-O-Ree

Friday, February 28 and Saturday,

March 1. The council fund raising

event will be held at the Gold Key

Inn, in Brownwood, where people

will buy, sell and trade Scout col-

lectibles. There is no admission

Among the exhibitors of Scout

memorabilia will be Jim and Bea

Stevenson of Euless. The

Stevensons have one of the best

known sales lists among Scout col-

Hours of the Trade-O-Ree are

Friday, February 28, noon to mid-

night and Saturday, March 1, 9

a.m. to midnight. In addition to

memorabilia dealers there will be

several silent auctions on Friday

and Saturday and a live auction will begin not earlier than 7 p.m. on

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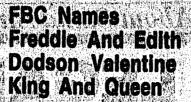












The 1997 Sweetheart Banquet was held Sunday evening, February 16, at First Baptist Church Christian Life Center.

A barbecue dinner was served to the nearly 100 persons attending, with Valentine decorations used in the foyer and party room.

Gail Loyd entertained with plano selections prior to the meal and Donnie Neff served as Master of Ceremonies. Marty Reed, pastor, entertained with guitar and vocals. and the program concluded with a

solo by Leanna Hartman. A feature of the event was presentation of royalty, with honorees being crowned by last year's honorees. From the Junior High group, Konnie Weaver crowned Steven Donham and Sabrina Martin as Duke and Duchess; Diana Porter crowned Kelvin Connally and Stefany Fitzpatrick as Prince and Princess of the High School group.

Freddie and Edith Dodson were crowned King and Queen by Raymond and Lodema Jones; Randy Long and Barbara Kingsbery were Beau and Sweetheart honorees.

Children attending were entertained with supper and games in the Church Annex by Roddy and Debbie Dean.

Delta Omicron Discusses Upcoming Events

Delta Omicron Sorority of Santa Anna met Monday evening, February 10, at the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative office with president Mary B. Pritchard presiding and conducting opening ritual.

Business discussed was Meals on Wheels, Valentine's Day for Nursing Home, Mother's March of Dimes and Ladies Night Out.

Pat Vance was elected to run for District Office of Parliamentarian. Members attending were Jo

Ashworth, Coyita Bowker, Dorothy Harris, Peggy Hensley, Patti Musick, Mary B. Pritchard, Gayle Stewardson, Pat Vance and Debbie

Closing ritual was observed by all members.

Three Local **Ladies Receive HPU Academic** Recognition

Howard Payne University.

Sport Science major was named to the Honor roll.

Jones, a sophomore Mathematics major was named to the Dean's

Howze, a sophomore Elementary Education major, was named to the President's List.

Students must earn a 3,50 to 3.64 GPA to receive Honor Roll recognition, a 3.65 to 3.99 to receive recognition on the Dean's List and a 4.00 for recognition on the President's List.

Why shouldn't truth be stranger than fiction? Fiction, after all, has to make sense.

-Mark Twain

Where To Write

Want to write your state and federal elected officials? Here are their

Bill Clinton, President of the United States, The White House, 1600 Pennsylvania Ave., Washington, D. C. 20500. Kay Balley Hutchison, U. S. Senator, 703 Hart Senate Office Building,

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By Glenn English Chief Executive Officer, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association

Contributed by Coleman County Electric Cooperative, Inc.

During the next several months, many electric cooperatives across the country will hold their 1997 annual meetings to celebrate their commitment to the people they serve. During these gatherings consumers are elected to lead your electric cooperative during the next twelve months. These meetings of local co-op members are a great opportunity to have your voice heard at your electric utility.

These meetings are an important part of the local service provided by the network of 1,000 electric coopcratives across the country. Decisions made at these local meetings help your co-op not only determine what the co-op will do to improve electric service, but also how the co-op can help make your community a better place to live and work.

These meeting reaffirm five key qualities that make our service second to none.

First, your co-op is a local business that is part of your community. Because you own a part of that company, you have the opportunity to influence key decisions at the co-op by electing local leaders to represent your interests.

Second, your co-op is staffed by people from your community who understand what is happening in the community. Their closeness to you allows them to provide better service than a phone-bank operator sitting in an office building a thousand miles away.

Third, co-ops across the country use high technology to deliver state-of-the-art service at the lowest possible price. Co-ops are making the improvements necessary to provide you with the higher level of service that today's modern technology requires.

Fourth, your co-op is working to improve energy efficiency to lower your monthly electric bills. Each month, this publication carries helpful information that you can put to use to keep your electric bill as low as possible.

Finally, your electric cooperative enhances your community's quality of life of performing even the smallest community service. Whether it is a line worker stopping to help a stranger change a flat or the co-op putting up Christmas lights on Main Street, these good deeds build a stronger sense of community in us all.

All these qualities work together to help make your electric cooperative an important part of your local Santa Anna natives Betsy G. community. Each year, your co-op Jones, Laura A. Howze Candice Q. celebrates its commitment to com-Dockery received academic munity by holding an annual meetrecognition for the fall semester at ing. Your personal participation in the annual meeting will help make Dockery, a senior Exercise and this year's celebration even better.

A Celebration Chamber Taking Nominations For Citizen Of The Year

The Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce is taking nominations for "Citizen of the Year". Keep in mind when nominating someone. he of she must be an active member of the community and someone who is by nature willing to be of service for the betterment of the

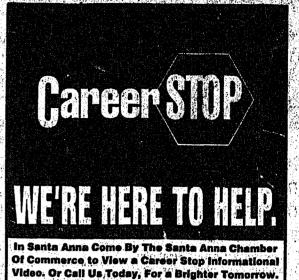
community.

Nominations must be turned in at

the Chamber of Commerce office or mailed to P.O. Box 9, Santa Anna.

Monday, March 3 is the deadline for submitting nominations.

The "Citizen of the Year" will be recognized in ceremonies during the Chamber Banquet slated for 7:00 p.m., Saturday, March 22.



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Building, Austin, Texas 78711. (800) 252-5555. Bob Turner, State Representative District 73, P. O. Box 2910, Austin, Texas 78768 (512) 463-0644. District office: P. O. Box 879, Coleman,

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26 Breakfast: Breakfast burritoes and picante sauce

Lunch: Meat and bean tostados w/cheese, lettuce and tomatoes, whole kernel corn, spanish rice, picante sauce or peppers and chocolate brownie

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27 Breakfast: Biscuits, sausage gravy and jelly

Lunch: Slice turkey w/gravy, sweet potatoes, english peas, hot rolls and cranberry jello

Breakfast: Cream of wheat, toast and jelly Lunch: Hamburger w/lettuce, Spring Round-up tomato and pickle, french fries, spice cake, mayo or mustard and

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Santa Anna Does Well In San Antonio Livestock Show

Several students from Santa Anna participated in the San Antonio Livestock Show, February 11-14. This show has the largest Junior Gilt and Barrow Show in the nation with over 7,000 entries this year. Several facility improvements had been made since last year, which included a 20,000 square feet addition to the swine building and an exhaust fan which was greatly

Those participating in the Junior Local School Market Barrow were Scott Watson, who placed 12th with his light Board Do? weight Chester barrow; Josh Daniel, Gary Geeslin, Buffy Martin, Shyler Farley, Erwin Loyd and Heather Bradley.

Chris Cheaney placed 17th with his light/heavy weight Finewool lamb in the Junior Market Lamb

Although the weather was unpleasant several parents and friends attended the show in support of our Santa Anna youth.

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After lunch, K-6 will go to the City Park and continue their observance of Heart Month. All grades will be doing their Jump Rope for Heart routines in the armory. There will be prizes for the best presentations.

During the course of the afternoon, Bradley will also have several demonstrations to show involving cardiac rescue and monitoring. CCMC EMS will have a unit at the park for their presentation.

Parents, grandparents and all interested townspeople are encouraged to come to the park and join in the fun, education and refreshments.

Time For Pre-K, Kindergarten Set

A Spring Round-up has been set for youngsters who will be entering Pre-K and Kindergarten in the fall. The round-up will be held Monday, March 3 through Friday, March 7.

To register for Pre-K a child must be 4-years-old on or before September 1. To register for Kindergarten a

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This question and many others will be answered Thursday evening, February 20 in the School Board Candidate Workshop.

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collected during my administra-

In a report released by the federal government, Texas ranked 7th in the nation in child support collections, up from 14th in 1991. Texas also ranked second in the nation, up from 12th, in paternity establishment and fourth in the nation, up from 21st, in getting court orders for child support.

The use of enforcement weapons such as IRS intercepts, wagewithholding (garnishment), garnishing lottery winnings, license suspension and other standard collection methods has helped bring in more than \$619 million in fiscal year 1996. This represents an overwhelming increase of \$105 million over 1995 collections.

Exceeding the projected goal of \$20 million, the license suspension program collected \$33.2 million during its first year of implementation.

Utilizing all resources

The Internal Revenue Service cooperates with us by forwarding to our office tax refund checks for non-custodial parents who are delinquent in child support payments. In 1996 our office collected \$67 million through the IRS intercept

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SOURCES: John Sharp, Texas Comptroller of Public Account Texas Education Agency and the Texas Lottery Commission.

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"I didn't have to go get him, he steer gave him the shot, Allen unthe tough look easy. So when the Allen has a reputation for making

In 1996, he acquired many came to me. It's easier that way,"

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The sunshine the last two days By Anna York

sure has looked good after a week of Mrs. Mary Crawford in Brownwood

she visited with Novella Steams. for Mrs. Hazel Brooke, on Saturday services in Coleman on Wednesday

Colt Martin.

with Mrs. Winnie Haynes. Clara evening the two of them visited Evans in Santa Anna and Sunday weekend with her mother Laverne Linda Evans of Austin spent the visited with the Britt McIver fam-

Buffalo Gap on Friday where they

Royce and Wanda McIver were in Leona Henderson attended funeral

were Paul, Gaynell, Sabrina and afternoon with Felton and Bettie on Thursday. Visitors on Sunday Bettie Martin visited her mother

friend Chad Conners of

Brookesmith spent Sunday night Kit Dean of Comanche spent the

Mrs. Ray Dean and Wyndham. A weekend with his folks Mr. and Lea Mitchell. with Pam's grandmother Mrs. Mary Leslie of Buda spent the weekend

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Best chances for crappie are

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crappie action to pick up soon. Now that we have had some

Lake Inie pnideiA

Ozona were at Vera Wise's functal. Margie Pleming. Smilie and Jewel Suddenth of

Phyllis and Eddie Dillard visited

at church this morning smiling and LaDell and Burnice Bilbrey were. dropped by the John Marons.

Janisser and David Phemister with A. C. Pierce. Bill Tucker visited Sunday morning Cindy Pelton and girls Saturday and

Lou Pierce visited James and

Hardon and Mrs. Mrs. Ruth out at the nursing home visiting

Syble Huggins has been in and Ovella and Peggy Sikes. Fay Fleming, Darrel and Virgie, and Clara, Tom Molden, Margie over the week were Carolyn Covey

Those visiting Thelma Fleming

Valentine's Day.

Tammy's Steak House for Jerry Ellis took the Cecil Ellis to dinner with the Cecil Ellis. The The Jerry Ellis family had Sunday Wells and daughter Wanda Mathis. afternoon visiting with Mr. J. C. Ellis, Bryce and Alicia Saturday Stamford with Jerry and Cathy

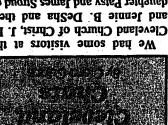
Cecil and Nona Bell went to been out at farm Sunday. and Dixie loe Bible. Carmilla had Sunday dinner with J. Lonnie Lowry and children.

Carmilla Baugh went to Bangs

Saturday to visit Nancy Lee and and come back.

Amarillo. Always glad to have you daughter Patsy and James Stroud of and Jennie B. DeSha and their

Cleveland Church of Christ, J. D.



Service Control (1989) with Felton and Bettie Martin.

sary for friends Mr. and Mrs. attended a golden wedding anniver-

Talmadge and Laverne McClatchy attended also. granddaughter Crystal, Cris Hufford

tended a farmers and ranchers show Rankin and Natalie McIver ataunt Florence Stearns.

place, on Saturday she visited her spending a few days at her home Marjorie Sullivan of Bandera is noon with Mrs. Gertrude Martin.

Anna visited a while Sunday after-

Paul Martin and family of Santa .msdbnyW diw

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two steer roping rodeos.

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Lazy E in Guthrie, Oklahoma or

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Guy's father, James was named

In 1997, Allen has already won

quit: I don't know if I will be, but

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Harris. The measure would require

uniform bill authored by Sen. Public Affairs Depl., 2401 S., 31st Sl., Temple, TX 76508 If you have a question, please write to: Scott & White

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and a natural part of aging. webs, are usually harmless the form of circles or coblines, which can also take fills the eye. These dots and the clear, jellylike fluid that that form in the vitreous,

and they're clumps of gel seeing are called floaters Answer: The shapes you're Serous What are these and are they

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been seeing dots and Question: Recently I have

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event Allen favors. His drawerful

place in the world all-around race.

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ropes, ended up with \$69,999 in to-

Still, no one has to guess which

because it's something I always wanted to do," he said. "When I "That was a special time for me race and the Cheyenne steer roping second time to secure the average clipped his own mark with an 11.8-

time. Then in the short go, Allen out an arena record 11.9-second In the first go-round he cranked That changed.

the most famous steer roping rodeo Amazingly, Allen had never won Cheyenne (Wyo.) Frontier Days son came at the 100th annual The highlight of his regular sea-

Allen said with a laugh. "Aloamin qu nur on 152



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Bivins, the measure's sponsor, said

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Under West's bill, an underage

the Dallas Morning News reported.

most: it takes away their "wheels,"

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D-Dallas, the legislation hits un-

Sponsored by Sen. Royce West,

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anybody, but I do."

was Cheyenne.

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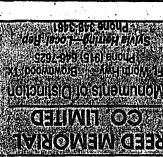
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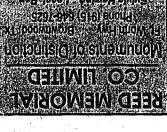
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nity service and jail time.

And, for those who were not

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A bill that would suspend the

Senate OKs Zero-Tolerance Bill by the Legislature. Bush's plan work if it is approved Sharp said he would help to make from the gross. capital investments are subtracted after the costs of raw materials and be on earnings above that amount, \$500,000 in sales. The tax would tax on businesses with more than plan would levy a 1.25 percent the issue," Sharp said. Bush's

on the table, you might confuse fear is it you put something else supportive in a technical sense. My "Our role right now is to be sharp said he wasn't going to do it. Bush's property tax relief plan, but

an alternative to Gov. George W. Comptroller John Sharp to write D-Henderson, last week asked state Bullock and Rep. Paul Sadler, dishe mora naly xet off ing they make donations.. to fellow UT executives, suggestthey made calls several years ago tell the Austin American-Statesman

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Robert Berdahl did, however,

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denied coercing colleagues into

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The report showed that higher

election campaign. has coerced contributions to his reweek he knows of no one who Meanwhile, Bullock said last Campaign Donations Questioned Shapiro, R-Plano. Nixon, R-Carthage; and Florence Greg Luna, D-San Antonio; Drew Bay; Chris Harris, R-Adington; Houston; Troy Fraser, R-Horseshoe

can, R-Lubbock; Rodney Ellis, D-Carona, R-Dallas; Robert Dunzalo Barricntos, D-Austin; John Also appointed were Sens. Gonman of the 11-member committee. Amarillo, was named vice chair-Victoria, Sen. Teel Bivina, Rby Sen. Ken Ambrister,

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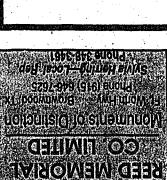
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for quilting, they finished Helen

Monday at the community center

she and Annie Lou visited in Bangs

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ited in Santa Anna with Tonya

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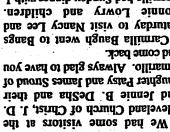
There were four ladies present on

Mrs. Joyce Kirk and Earlene

Felton and Bettie Martin were

now will decrease the chances for a complex," Bullock said. "Action a subject that is multi-faceted and should not postpone discussion of originate in the House, the Senate "While tax legislation must school finance. property tax relief and public consider legislation dealing with

of a special Senate committee to Bullock announced the creation a "time crunch," Lt. Gov. Bob



she and Laverne visited a while visited with the McClatchy's and Lara Meckfessel of Howard Payne Saturday night. Sunday afternoon Charles Sears in Brownwood on

party in Brownwood for Natalie's Saturday they attended a birthday in Abilene on Wednesday. On