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Mountain Echoes

By Barbara Kingsbery

Work has begun on the re-surfacing the highway from Santa Anna to Rockwood. The construction is apparently progressing at about one mile a day, or less. Traffic is detoured only a short distance at a time past the project.

The right-of-way for the new highway to Coleman is being fenced and cleared. We have not heard when the actual construction is to start.

We haven't had time to go see for ourselves, but it is said that the new city park is in fine condition. The grass planted only this spring, has been cut and is being watered and tended by interested people and garden club members. We understand that every one of the shrubs and trees planted at the park are still living, which testifies to the ability of our local garden clubbers. They are to be commended for planning and promoting a beauty spot in our downtown area.

Among the souvenirs sent from Viet Nam by Sherman Stearns to his family is a Viet Cong flag which Sherman picked up on a battlefield. His young son, Clint, has the enemy flag displayed in his room.

Nearly everyone in the community is regretting to see A. D. Pettit retire from the Santa Anna school system. He has long been a favorite of pupils, teachers and parents, and will be greatly missed on the school campus.

Besides being a well liked teacher person, Mr. Pettit has had an outstanding career as vocational agriculture teacher and is known all over the state for his fine record in that department.

We join in wishing him the very best in his retirement.

Much information is being received about the proposed constitutional amendments to be voted on August 5. We urge all voters to become familiar with the amendments and go to the polls on that day.

For some people basketball is a year around affair. These people include a few from Santa Anna who are making plans for a trip this weekend to a basketball clinic at Duncanville, near Fort Worth. Tommie Tate will take a group of her team members to the annual clinic on Friday and Saturday.

Grass Fire In Town Tuesday

Santa Anna Volunteer Firemen worked several hours on Tuesday afternoon to control a grass fire along the railroad right-of-way which was apparently ignited by a passing train. The fire reached from 4th street to the San Angelo overpass.

Mrs. R. L. Potter at the Self-service station turned in the alarm about 3:00 p. m. Tuesday. A customer at the station used a garden hose around the station to keep the flames away from the building and underground tank area.

The lawn at Henry Newman home (the Dr. Hays house) was partially burned in the blaze, but firemen were able to keep the barn from burning.

So far as was known, no damage was reported.

N. Side Baptists Host District Mission Group

The Santa Anna Northside Baptist Church was the host group to the Fairland District Women's Missionary last Monday. The theme for the meeting was "Teach Me From God's Word."

Mrs. John Perry, district song director, led the group singing and Rev. Vernon Parnell, pastor of the church gave the opening prayer.

The main speaker for the session was Rev. B. C. Ancira, a missionary to the Spanish people at Farwell.

During the afternoon session, Mrs. Vernon Parnell was on the program. The business meeting was led by Mrs. Loy Henry, San Angelo, president of the district organization. 34 people from Bronte, San Angelo, Talpa, Robert Lee, Winters, Mullin and Santa Anna were in attendance.

The next quarterly meeting will be held in Robert Lee in October.

Donnie Neff Has Broken Ankle

Donnie Neff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Neff, spent several days this week in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital where he had surgery to repair a broken ankle. Donnie received the injury when stepped on by a bull he had just ridden. The accident occurred Sunday at the Neff arena north of town.

Donnie is expected to be back at home this weekend.

Committees Named For Talent Show

Committee assignments for the Community Improvement Club Talent Show have been named. General Chairman for the July 25 presentation will be Mrs. Gary Hosch, with Mrs. Norval Wylie and Mrs. Mel Bowman as co-chairmen.

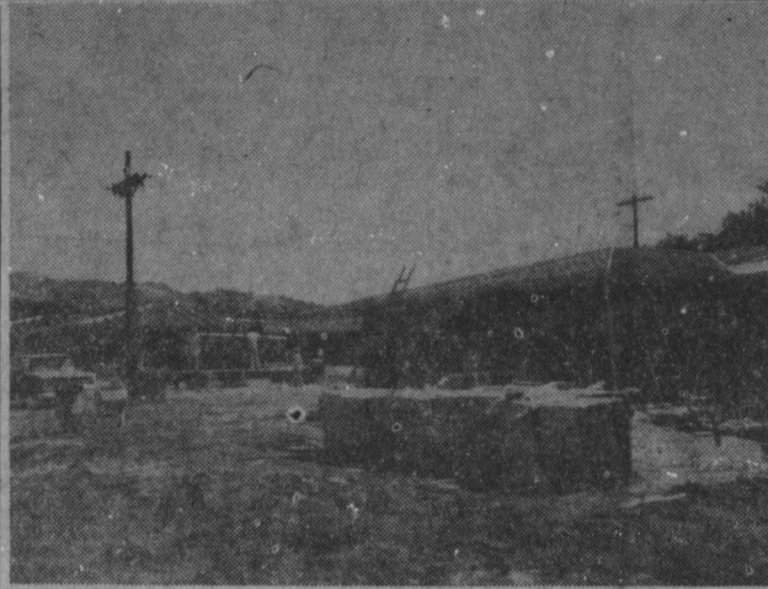
Thomas Wristen, Jr., is in charge of arrangements for the public address system. Mrs. Henry Newman, Mrs. Tom Kingsbery and Mrs. Cliff Herndon are in charge of publicity.

In charge of advance ticket sales for the program will be Mrs. Norman Hosch and Nancy Baugh.

Named to the committee to

B. A. PARKER HAS SURGERY

B. A. Parker is in the Memorial Hospital in Brownwood where he had eye surgery on Tuesday morning. He is reported to be getting along all right.



NEW HOUSING . . . Construction is well underway on the new two-family apartments just west of the old West Texas Utilities building. Pictured are three of the four units now under construction. Completion is scheduled for November.

School Trustees Have Lengthy Business Meet

The Santa Anna School District Board of Trustees met at the high school office on Tuesday, July 9, for the regular monthly session. Robert Smith presided at the meeting.

Minutes of the June meeting and called meeting were read and approved.

Members of the Trickham Cemetery Association met with the board to discuss the sale of the lots at the Trickham Community Center. It was voted to rescind the June motion to sell some of the property as said property is already in use by the association. The lots are to be given to the Trickham Cemetery Association and a quit claim deed for the property signed.

A group of Rockwood community residents met with the board concerning the sale of the old Rockwood school property. Action on the sale will be taken at the August meeting.

Bills and accounts for the month were approved for payment.

The following bus drivers were elected for the coming school year: Allene Rutherford, Sybil Dean, Claude Langford, Darrell Ashley, and Delma Blair. The Whon and Trickham routes will be combined during the next school year because of the decreased number of students riding from the two routes.

R. D. Travis, Jr., of Ballinger was selected as the auditor for the district for the next year. Mr. Travis has been the CPA for the Santa Anna school system for several years.

The members discussed the hiring of a custodian for the high school. It was voted to hire a language arts teacher for the junior high school, on a half-time basis if possible. Mrs. Loeta Pope was hired as high school librarian.

A policy regarding suspension of students for drug use was adopted by the board.

The meeting was adjourned.

STAGE Arrangements: Mel Bowman, Jimmy Benton, Patrick Hosch and Nolan Perry. POSTERS: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Casper. CLEAN UP: Cap Peacock. PRIZES: Mrs. Norman Hosch. ADMISSIONS: John Gregg and Mrs. Henry Newman. JUDGES: Mrs. Newman. POSTER Distribution: Mrs. Casper, Charlene Bowman, Miss Baugh, Jimmy and Larry Benton, Nolan Perry, and Boots Walker.

The talent show will be held at the high school auditorium at 8:00 p. m. on July 25. Talent entries are requested from this area, and those interested are to contact Mrs. Gary Hosch or Mrs. Norval Wylie as soon as possible.

Firemen Fight Truck, Pasture Fire Thursday

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department answered a call last Thursday afternoon to a fire on the Rockwood Highway just south of the Tom and Robert Stewardson places. A commercial truck, belonging to Ed Davenport of Brady, caught fire and burning rubber from the tires ignited the dry grass along the roadside.

The firemen extinguished the truck fire before the cab of the truck was destroyed, and were able to contain the grass fire to about 10 acres on the Robert Stewardson place and five acres on a place belonging to Joe Wise. Some damage was done to the fences.

The department was called back to the scene later when

th grass fire broke out again, but put out the fire before more damage was done.

The truck was hauling oil field sand from Brady to Abilene when a wheel caught fire. No one was injured in the incident.

Survivors include 3 brothers, Bernice, Grady and Rankin McIver, all of Trickham; three sisters, Mrs. Irene Durham and Mrs. Inez Miller of Coleman, and Mrs. Ethyl Johnson of Fort Worth, also a daughter and step-son survive.

Mr. McIver was about 68 years of age.

Arthur Melver Funeral Pends

Funeral services are pending at press time for Arthur Melver of Carlsbad, N. M., a native of the Trickham community. Mr. Melver died suddenly Tuesday morning in a Carlsbad hospital where he had gone for a checkup.

Survivors include 3 brothers, Bernice, Grady and Rankin McIver, all of Trickham; three sisters, Mrs. Irene Durham and Mrs. Inez Miller of Coleman, and Mrs. Ethyl Johnson of Fort Worth, also a daughter and step-son survive.

Mr. McIver was about 68 years of age.

MRS. BERTRAND BREAKS FOOT IN FALL AT HOUSTON

Mrs. A. A. Bertrand is in Houston where she has visited several weeks. Mrs. Bertrand fell and broke her foot earlier this month and has been in a Houston hospital. She hopes to return home in about a month.

Dedication Of Marker For Trickham Sunday

State Representative Lynn Nabers of Brownwood will be speaker at the dedication of the historical marker at Trickham next Sunday afternoon, July 20. The marker, placed near the community center of Farm Road 1176, will be unveiled by Mrs. Minnie Wilson, Trickham Postmaster.

Mrs. C. D. Bruce, chairman of the Coleman County Historical Survey Committee, has also announced that the people of Trickham will serve refreshments at the community center following the 6:00 p. m. dedication service.

The marker and its location will be in the next edition of the official guide to Texas Historical Markers, and in tourist guides and maps. The placement of the marker and the dedication are to help acquaint local people with the historical past of this area.

Area residents are urged to attend the dedication program Sunday.

T. E. Keeney Funeral Today

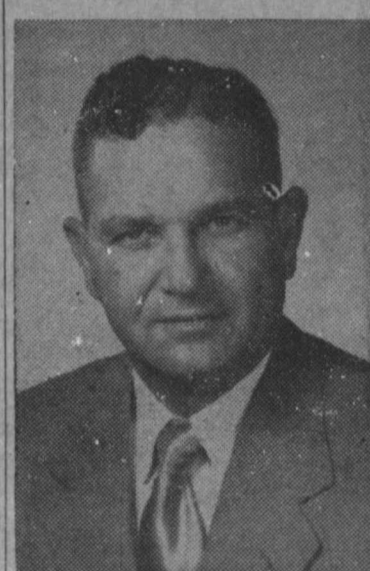
T. E. Keeney, aged 75, a resident of Coleman County for the past 64 years, died on Monday in the Coleman hospital. Mr. Keeney was a retired farmer and a veteran of World War I.

Born December 22, 1893 in Bell County, he was the son of the late Isaac and Charity Hawk Keeney.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon (today) at 4:30 p. m. at the Stevens Funeral Chapel in Coleman. Burial will be in the Coleman City Cemetery.

Survivors are the wife of Santa Anna; one daughter, Mrs. H. B. Dockery of Brownwood; three sons: James F. Keeney and Leroy Keeney, of Santa Anna, and Richard Keeney of O'Theello, Wash.; three brothers: Doc Keeney and Don Keeney, and Zack Keeney, all of Coleman, and one sister, Mrs. Lela Campbell of Paducah, formerly of Santa Anna. Also surviving are 12 grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

A. D. Pettit Retiring After 30 Years at SAHS



A. D. PETTIT . . . retiring as Vocational Ag. Teacher

Mark Wise To FFA Convention

Mark Wise, Area IV FFA Star Greenhand Farmer, will be in Fort Worth this week attending the State FFA convention. Mark will represent the Area in the Greenhand Farmer contest.

A member of the Santa Anna FFA Chapter, Mark is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise of Rockwood. He is a sophomore at SAHS.

Among his honors in FFA Mark has won the Showmanship award at the El Paso Livestock Show and several championship honors at San Antonio, Houston, and San Angelo. He was a member of the Green Hand Quiz team from the Santa Anna Chapter, and of the Livestock Judging Team.

His project program, under the guidance of A. D. Pettit, Vocational Agriculture teacher, includes 11 registered Hampshire ewes, a ram and three ewe lambs. Last year he fed 49 lambs for show purpose and three barrows.

Mark will be in Fort Worth accompanied by Mr. Pettit.

A Story From the Book

Trickham, Texas

In observance of the dedication of the Texas Historical marker at Trickham next Sunday, the Santa Anna News has been given permission to use excerpts from the book, Trickham, Texas by the author, Leona Banister Bruce. For a first book, Trickham, Texas had an unusually good reception, as the first edition is completely sold except for a few copies which Mrs. Bruce has on consignment, and the many stories of pioneer families makes the book a mine of information for historical researchers in the area.

One of the facts lost in the mists of memory is the identity of the pioneers buried in rock-walled graves in a street of Trickham. Mrs. Bruce wrote:

This is a mystery that seems to defy solution. There are several graves in one of the streets of Trickham, a spot once on the prairie near the Chisum store. But who were the ones buried in these graves? Once told from Belknap to Round Rock and known to many, the answer now seems impossible to find. One story suggests that, as one of the graves is considerably smaller than the others, it might be that of the boy, Charlie McCain, whose story has already been told.

Legend has it that the graves are those of the men killed by Indians, and it was said by Dick Fiveash that he saw the three men who were killed by Indians at Trickham. W. W. Hunter wrote that he had seen "all the people that have ever been killed by Indians in Coleman County," and he names them as Grandpa Cason, Jake Doflemeyer, a man named Ruff, Charlie McCain, Dave Upton.

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GOBERS VISIT EL PASO

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Gober returned home Monday from El Paso where they had visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Huguley and family. They also went sightseeing in the El Paso area.



IN THE SWIM . . . Boarding the bus for the trip to the Coleman Pool for the last week of swimming lessons are Ginger, Holly, Sonya and Joy Smith, the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith. The three-week session ends tomorrow. As many as 73 children have attended each day.

Cleveland News

Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts

The eleventh annual reunion of W. L. Baugh's family met at the Ballinger park on Sunday, July 13. There were 55 of the family, and two cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Vogelsohn of Ballinger, E. A. Baugh of Stanton, the oldest son was also the oldest one present. Little Miss Brenda Ellis the youngest is the great granddaughters of Mrs. Lela Hodges.

Those to attend from the Santa Anna area were: Mrs. Jennie Campbell, Calvin and Margaret; Mrs. Lela Hodges; Mr. and Mrs. LeRay Huggins; David; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh; Nancy, Kathie and Jim; Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring and Pamela; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Flemings; Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Cupps; Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Cupps and families; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Benge and family; and Janice Cupps.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Avants and family of Gould-

busk; Mr. E. A. Baugh, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gilmore of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hughes of Bronte, Mike Payne of Odessa; Mr. John Baugh of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kelly of Denver City, Mrs. J. C. Bibbes and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ellis and Brenda of San Angelo. Dixie Cupps and Eula Bigham were unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perry and Mrs. Mildred Camack attended the Huggins reunion at Lampasas. They came from Santa Anna, Bangs, Coleman, Brownwood, Houston, Corpus Christi, McAllen, Baytown, Killeen and La Porte.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Fleta Asta and son, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry and Mrs. Myrtle Wagner of Santa Anna, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Perry.

Mrs. Amanda Perry stopped in for a little visit on the way home from church Sunday with Mrs. Ruth Campbell. Ruth is feeling a little better. Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Monroe and girls returned back to their home Sunday at Fort Stockton.

John Baugh spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. Jennie Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph visited a few minutes with Mrs. Dixie Cupps Sunday eve.

On Tuesday Mrs. C. W. Rasmussen of Santa Anna and Mrs. Juanita Earnhart and Ann of Coessa visited with Mrs. Bula Fleming and family. On Saturday Mrs. L. J. McDaniel and Johnnie of Carbon visited with the Flemings. Mr. and Mrs. Bob White of Ft. Worth, and Ann Griffen of Killeen were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Bula Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mathews, Miss Jerry Rawls and a friend, Debbie spent the day Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Mrs. Bess Parish took Mrs. Tom Howard, Cindy, Tommie, David and Steve to the Coleman parade. After the parade she took them down to spend the night with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard. Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Howard took them home.

On Friday Mr. and Mrs. Will Howard visited Mr. and Mrs. John Howard. In the afternoon they visited at the Inn with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Penny and Mr. and Mrs. Al-

bert Dean. Also with Mrs. Ruth Campbell.

Saturday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and children left for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Verna Russell in Noel, Miss., after having had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard visited again Sunday afternoon at the Inn and with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard.

Mrs. Theima Flemings and Mrs. Ella Cupps visited a little while one day last week with me.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard were Monday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard and had lunch with them.

Jerry and Anita Ellis were home over the weekend. They came home Thursday and went back Monday. They will register for the second quarter Tuesday.

Mrs. Naomi Belle Ellis visited Mrs. Stella Wells at Bangs Friday morning and Anita and Tammy went to see Mrs. Wells Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis, Jerry, Anita and Tammy went over to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ellis' Saturday night and enjoyed ice cream.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes visited Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans Sunday afternoon. Linda was home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Covey and children of Houston spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps



THERE'S LIFE ON THE MOON-OL SHEEP BEEN BAYIN' AT 'EM FER YEARS!

THE FAMILY LAWYER

Comotion in Church

Charles, a pious churchgoer, had an odd habit. He would put such enthusiasm into his singing that, at the end of a hymn, his voice would linger on after everyone else had fallen silent.

This habit became so irksome to certain members of the congregation that they finally had Charles arrested on a charge of "disturbing a religious meeting."

But the court dismissed the charge. The judge said he had no right to interfere with Charles' method of worshipping God.

The case illustrates the rule that, whenever possible in religious matters, the courts will keep hands off. This applies not only to the method of worship but also to matters of religious doctrine. Thus:

A woman hailed a priest into

court, complaining that he had refused to administer communion to her. But here, too, the court declined to take any action. The judge said:

"Her religious rights as a communicant are not enforceable in the civil courts."

Nevertheless, there are times when the law must and will step in. A church is not altogether "off limits." Crime is no less a crime merely because it takes place inside a church building.

For example, a court held it a punishable offense for a man to deliberately — and noisily — crack pecan nuts during a service. Even a minister was found guilty of public indecency for using profane language in the course of his sermon.

Furthermore, the law will take a hand if there is merely a question of property rights to be settled.

Suppose a church organization splits into two warring factions, each of which claims ownership of church property. A court will ordinarily take the responsibility of deciding which faction is right, so long as it can do so without getting involved in doctrinal issues.

"Much as such dissensions among the member of a religious society should be regretted," said the United States Supreme Court, "the courts when called upon must perform their function as in other cases."

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\$7.00 Value \$3.50
\$11.00 Value \$5.50

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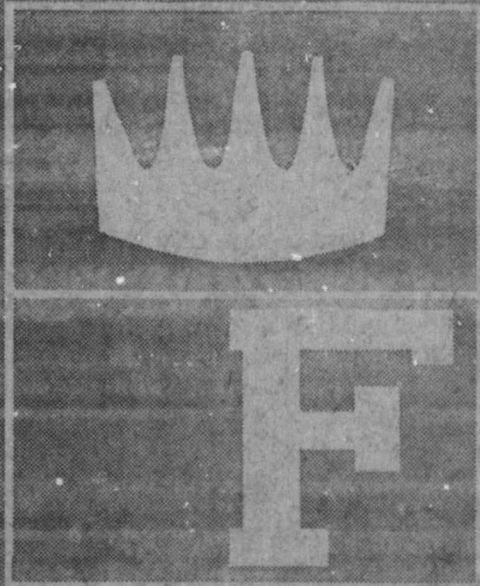
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Trickham News
By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke

The dedication of Trickham marker will be next Sunday, July 20th, as Trickham is the oldest town in the county. We are glad to have this marker placed in our town. So many people have lived here and gone, so many old timers are buried in Trickham Cemetery. I was born and raised at Trickham, only lived 16 years in Brown county in Mont View Community, when Oscar and I first married, so I have spent 49 years in this community.

I have seen the town go down, too. When you lose the school it hurts any place. We hope to have a big crowd out for the dedication. Rep. Lynn Nabers of Brownwood, will give the dedication talk.

A large crowd attended the golden wedding anniversary of Lige and Mamie Lancaster Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5

at their home south of Trickham. About 130 people registered. Some of the close relatives were there. Lige's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lancaster and all their family, and his sister, Neta Williamson; Mamie's brother, Clyde and his wife and all their family, and her two sisters, Georgia and Annie, also Annie's son and family.

Their three children, Virgie and wife and her two sons and their families; Lucile and husband and her two girls, and Robert Earl and wife. The Lancasters only grandson did not get to be there as he had to leave for National Guard Camp Sunday. Some of Joe Lancasters family were there, also Mrs. Willie King and Mrs. A. L. King and her daughter, both Mamie's sister-in-laws, and other relatives and friends.

They received so many nice gifts, also received so many pretty cards through the mail, their two granddaughters, Linda and Charlott Oakes



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In Our Opinion

WATER WILL BE ONE OF the most critical issues in the amendment voting on August 5. What will happen in Texas in the next 30 years is at stake.

As most West Texans know, the water table in the western half of the state has been on a gradual decline for a number of years. Consequently somewhere in the future, that area is going to have to look elsewhere for water.

The amendment looks far ahead and, as we must also, faces the possibility of doing without water unless the voters of the state approve the amendment.

The cost of the plan is in amounts impossible for us to visualize. We can't conceive what \$9 billion would be like, but we can imagine what it would be like to have to do without water. As to the cost, Texas' share would be \$3.5 billion with local, state and federal government sharing in the cost.

Why worry about it? If we don't start now, we will be unable to cope with the water needs in 30 years unless we do. The project is enormous. It will take a lot of time to complete, and we need to get an early start to assure that we will not have to do without water in the future.

The plan looks forward 50 years. With the development of our water resources, and the imported supply from the Mississippi river, we can look for an ample supply of water until the year 2020. But as it is, by the end of the century, Texas will not have enough water to operate and develop low rainfall areas.

We urge you to study this amendment, and vote for it on August 5.

—WTH

THE DEPARTMENT of Health, Education and Welfare seems to have taken authority beyond that conferred upon it by Congress. They have even stepped beyond the rulings of the Supreme Court, and decided that the freedom of choice decree in school integration was not good enough.

HEW has ruled that regardless of a school's efforts to abide by the rulings of the Court, they must transfer students wherever necessary in order to bring about a balance of the races.

We do not believe that this was ever the intent of Congress when they passed the civil rights bills, nor can we believe that it is the intent of the Supreme Court, even though they have done more legislating than they have ruling in the reign of the recent ultra liberal justices.

No one, of any race, wants to see his child transferred out of his district just to maintain a racial balance.

A case in point is Anderson High School in Austin. The enrollment is largely Negro. According to HEW's ruling, the school would have to be done away with. But the patrons of the school raised such a fuss that the Austin Board decided to keep the school. They have pride in their school, and it is one of the better schools in that city. Even though the students were largely Negro children, they wanted it kept that way.

We believe that it is time for Congress to start putting pressure on HEW to stay within the bounds of the civil rights acts and stop interpreting the laws to suit their whims.

—WTH

County Of Coleman Condensed Statement

Coleman, Texas

Cash Receipts and Disbursements

January 1, 1969 — June 30, 1969

Fund	Balance In Bank Jan. 1, 1969	Receipts	Total Available Cash	Disbursed	Balance In Bank June 30, 1969
Road & Bridge					
Precinct No. 1	\$ 33,605.47	\$ 28,156.59	\$ 61,762.06	\$ 27,087.55	\$ 34,674.51
Precinct No. 2	6,920.20	27,935.60	34,855.80	25,691.67	9,164.13
Precinct No. 3	41,135.24	27,000.00	68,135.24	35,512.41	32,622.83
Precinct No. 4	24,741.47	27,102.00	51,843.47	22,365.19	29,478.28
Precinct Totals	\$106,402.38	\$110,194.19	\$216,596.57	\$110,656.82	\$105,939.75
General Road & Bridge	63,229.02	120,082.99	183,312.01	144,153.95	39,158.06
Lateral Road & F-M	7,303.86	8,528.11	15,831.97	8,569.65	7,262.32
Total Road & Bridge and F-M	\$176,935.26	\$238,805.29	\$415,740.55	\$263,380.42	\$152,360.13
Less Interfund Transfers		108,000.00	108,000.00	108,000.00	
Net Road & Bridge and F-M	\$176,935.26	\$130,805.29	\$307,740.55	\$155,380.42	\$152,360.13
Jury	7,764.88	813.18	8,578.06	2,149.70	6,428.36
Flood Control	16,768.65	944.90	17,713.55	7,073.57	10,639.98
General	73,608.12	35,027.34	108,635.46	68,746.82	39,888.64
Permanent Improvement	12,058.42	813.18	12,871.60	5,689.49	7,182.11
Officers Salary	8,581.79	39,583.95	48,165.74	44,530.65	3,635.09
Law Library	224.70	84.00	308.70		308.70
Social Security	6,991.32	17,352.00	24,343.32	8,687.73	15,655.59
	\$302,933.14	\$225,423.84	\$528,356.98	\$292,258.38	\$236,098.60
Undivided Tax Fund		\$ 32,569.19	\$ 32,569.19	\$ 32,569.19	

and Georgia received the gifts were at the register. The friends that helped with the serving were Mrs. Howell Martin, Mrs. C. K. Stearns, Mrs. Hilburn Henderson, Russle James, Betty Martin, Gayla Hornell and Mary Boenicke.

Everything was beautiful. Mamie's niece made the gold table cloth covered with net was used on the table, gold punch and cake squares were served, also had a three tier wedding cake part of it was served, also the flower arrangement was pretty.

We were sorry to hear about Gid Mathews of Coleman falling Saturday morning and breaking his leg. He was taken to the Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene. He is in room 620, seems to be doing very well.

Lou Featherston came to visit the Bond Featherstons and other relatives here over the weekend. After hearing about her brother in law's accident she went to Abilene to be with her sister, Ethel, and visit Gid. She returned home to Waxahachie Sunday evening.

Bernice McIver was taken to the Medical Arts Hospital in Brownwood Sunday morning. The last report he was better. Monday May said he would be in the hospital until Wednesday. He was not as sick as he was in March.

Butch McIver, their grandson, came in Saturday to visit them, he is Burney Roy McIver's boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver and two other directors from the telephone company, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wristen and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Monsey left Saturday to be gone several days to a Telephone National Convention at Colorado Springs, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes spent the weekend with their son and family, the Jerry Haynes family at Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of San Antonio visited last weekend with Russle James and the Martin families. Cindy McShan is spending two weeks with her grandmother.

Sherrie McIver spent the 4th of July and all of last week at Dumas with her cousin, Sherron Lewallen. Rankin went to Sweetwater on Thursday to get her at the W. C. Lewallens.

O. T. and Sue Stacy of Abilene visited his parents the Walter Stacys Saturday.

Rev. Bob Platt and wife and Timmie of Fort Worth were dinner guests of the Oscar Boenickes Sunday.

Marion Ford's condition is about the same, all of his family were at his bed over the weekend, also his brother and wife and sisters. We were there with the family Saturday evening. He was very sick then, but was resting better Monday.

Rev. J. L. Glaze and wife were here Sunday. He filled his appointment here both morning and night.

Fourteen ladies attended the quilting last Tuesday at the community center. The next quilting will be Tuesday week.

We would like to see a good rain, it is so dry and hot things are sure burning up.

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The astronauts are expected to return with 60 pounds of moon matter at a cost of 24 billion dollars. At \$1.20 a bushel, this is equal to 1200,000,000,000 pounds of wheat, and that is a lot of bread. Joe's Pharmacy. 1c

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Card Of Thanks

Our thanks to the Santa Anna Fire Department for their quick action in putting out the grass fire last week. They are to be commended for their help. Joe Wise. 1tc

Governor Smith Urges Use Of New SMV Emblem

Texas Governor Preston Smith has proclaimed July 20-26 Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Week and called on rural residents to make use of the new SMV emblem on slow moving agricultural vehicles as added protection when traveling on Lone Star State highways.

He also urged rural residents to take advantage of modern technology designed to remove many of the hazards in agricultural enterprises and cited that in spite of a declining rural population and advances in agricultural technology, farm and ranch accidents in Texas continue to steadily increase.

Last year 297 persons in Texas died as the result of farm accidents, an increase of six per cent in the number of fatalities over the previous year. Injuries for the past year are estimated at 33,200 as compared to 31,400 in '67.

"If we are to reverse this trend, we must renew our efforts to prevent accidents among our rural residents as they go about the hazardous task of producing the commodities needed by the entire population," the Governor said in his proclamation.

The Texas observance coincides with observance of National Farm Safety Week, proclaimed by the president, to focus attention on farm accident prevention throughout the nation.

During this special week, a unified statewide farm accident prevention education program will be undertaken by a number of Texas organizations. Joining in this concerted effort will be the Texas Safety Association, Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, Texas Farm Bureau, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Future Farmers of America and Young Farmers of Texas, and other groups.

County Agent News Column

Our crops subcommittee had an interesting meeting last Tuesday at breakfast. Dewey Wilson, Sumter Weathered and Dick Koenig and I went to plan next years crop demonstration. We planned a chemical weed control meeting in March and fertilizer and small grain meeting in August. We will publicize these more later. I feel there will be a lot of interest in the chemical weed control meeting. As labor becomes more scarce and higher, the chemical aspect of farming becomes more attractive. Many of the chemicals used in farming now can do the job when properly used, but a person needs to understand their capabilities as well as limitations and hazards to use them effectively.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Pirrello and Kevin of Irving visited this week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg. They arrived Tuesday and will return to their home today.

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Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Yarborough returned home Tuesday of last week, following a two weeks vacation in Washington and Oregon.

The Yarboroughs left Abilene by plane and flew to Long Beach, Wash. They were met there by Mr. Yarborough's son in law, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Prescott, who supervised a wonderful vacation trip of 2 weeks for Mr. and Mrs. Yarborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and children came Saturday afternoon from Dallas and spent the night with us following a week's visit with his parents at Wichita Falls, and relatives in Dallas. The Smiths went to Odessa Sunday and are supposed to move into their home today, July 15. They have been transferred to Odessa, following 10 months in New Castle, Wyo.

Douglas Avants and children, Jacky Lynn and Doughty of Brady and Steve Turner of Midland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Etolle Cozart of San Angelo were on their farm here during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hart Homsley and children, Terry and Beth of Dallas, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Homsley of Comanche were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley Monday. Terry remained for a longer visit with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Switzer and children spent the weekend with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Switzer and family in Odessa, and also visited another brother, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Switzer in Odessa.

Sgt. and Mrs. Rick Wheeler and daughter, Christi, spent the weekend with her parents, the Tom Rutherford, and we all attended the Rutherford reunion at Lake Brownwood Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hicks. The Wheelers returned to Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children of Coleman visited in the Tom Rutherford home Monday.

Our son, Loyd Rutherford, who lives in Bangs is at the National Guard Camp at Fort Hood, leaving Sunday.

Mrs. Dennis Byerly and little daughter, Christi, of Fort Worth, are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McClure. They all attended the Newman reunion at Lake Brownwood during the weekend.

Sherman Stearns Gets Promotion

Sherman Stearns, stationed with the Army in Phu Vinh, Viet Nam, has recently been promoted to the rank of captain. He is serving as Senior Advisor of the Vietnamese province.

The promotion was effective June 7, according to Mrs. Stearns, who is residing here with her son, Clint.

Capt. Stearns is to get an R. and R. leave in August, and Mrs. Stearns is planning to meet him in Hawaii for a week.

Stearn's parents are Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stearns of Trickham.

BIRTHS

Airman Ic and Mrs. Gary Coldren are parents of a baby girl born Wednesday morning, July 16 at Brownwood. Kimberly June weighed 6 lbs. and 9 ounces. Airman Coldren is stationed at present in Thailand. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bledsoe of Santa Anna, and paternal, Maj. and Mrs. Leon Coldren of El Paso.

VISITORS HERE DURING FOUR OF JULY HOLIDAYS

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walters during the 4th of July holiday weekend were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oakes, Stanley and Sharon of Pasadena, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wojtek of Robert Lee; Mrs. Charlie Konze and daughters, Martha and Kay, of Killeen, Fred Oakes and Michael Konze of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Oakes of Hobbs, N. M., and O. L. Oakes, Robert, Lenda and Charlotte Ann of Brownwood.

DODSONS VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Dodson and children Billy and Christina of Odessa spent a week visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dodson, and in Brownwood with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Holt.

While here they all attended the wedding in Hamilton of Harvey Joe Dodson and Linda Thompson.

Visiting with Mrs. W. E. Vanderford and Ruby Pritchard last week was Mrs. Vanderford's sister, Mrs. Calla Brooks and her daughter, Mrs. Max Massholder of Abilene. Mrs. Ola Niell of Temple, and her daughter, Mrs. Ima Ubel and a friend of New York state, visited with Mrs. W. E. Vanderford last week.



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Applicants must take a civil service examination, which will be scheduled in Brownwood early in August. Those who pass the examination will be placed on a civil service register and the successful employee will be selected from this register. Starting salary will be \$3.06 per hour.

Anyone interested should apply as soon as possible, at least within the next 10 days.

Application forms and sample copies of the civil service examination are available at the post office.

Dr. Burgos At Medical Seminary

Dr. Herman Burgos left last week for Loma Linda, Calif., where he will be attending a seminar in radiology at Loma Linda Medical College. Dr. Burgos will be working with the head of the radiology department during the three week session.

Mrs. Burgos is in Europe visiting her parents in northern Italy, and will be sight-seeing while there.

The Burgos' two sons are visiting relatives in California while their parents are away.

SCHULLE FAMILY VISITS

Visitors with Mrs. P. F. Schulle during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Studdard and family of Lampasas; J. P. Schulle of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neal and family and Dennis White of Choctaw, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Howard, Jr. and Elaine of Midkiff, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davis of Santa Anna.

On Thursday of this week the family will have an outing at the Coleman Lake. Going on the outing will be the J. P. Schulle family of Abilene, the Jimmy Schulle family of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kuwaski of Tahoka, the Leroy Schulle family of Lubbock, the Walter Neals and the J. D. Howard family.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jay McCoy are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ingram of Corpus Christi and Mrs. Helen Stephens of Azusa, Calif.

Rockwood Native Buried Friday

A former Rockwood woman, Mrs. D. V. Inman, aged 64, of Abilene, died Wednesday in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene following a short illness. Funeral services were held in Abilene on Friday.

Mrs. Inman was born Maybelle Buttry on June 15, 1905, in Abington, Va. She moved with her family to Rockwood in 1907. On January 2, 1930, she married Mr. Inman in Lubbock. They had lived in Coleman until moving to Abilene 15 years ago.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Raymond McNutt of Abilene; one sister, Mrs. Lillian Rehm, and a brother, Carl Buttry, both of Rockwood, and four grandchildren.

Jesse Oakes in V A Hospital, Now Improving

Jesse Oakes is a patient in the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring and said to be improving after suffering a stroke on Sunday, July 6. Mrs. Oakes and her daughter, Mrs. Frances Pyburn, visited last Sunday with their husband and father.

Mr. Oakes was admitted to the Santa Anna Hospital and then was transferred to Big Spring. He is now having therapy for the partial paralysis.

Rockwood News

Mrs. Jr. Brusenhan, Judy and Jody went to Fort Worth Wednesday and brought Mr. and Mrs. Charles Highsmith and Kim to Rockwood for a short visit. Mrs. Highsmith, the former Loretta Broadway, and her family have been visiting his parents in Fort Worth, and are returning to their home at Bethalto, Ill.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Brusenhan and children went to Eden for his mother, Mrs. Mary Brusenhan. She spent Sunday and Monday with her son and family, and they took her back to Eden Monday.

Lana Halmon of San Angelo spent Monday and Monday night with Judy Brusenhan. Lana is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

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The Santa Anna News

Teachers Attend TSSA Workshop Held In Austin

Mrs. B. A. Parker returned home Thursday night from Austin where she attended a workshop sponsored by the Texas Small Schools Association. Mrs. Parker is a teacher in the Novice school system.

Also attending the week-long session was Mrs. Coyota Bowker, a teacher at Talpa-Centennial.

Griffins Have Baby Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Griffin of Dallas are the parents of a baby girl, Shannon Leigh, born in Dallas on June 25. Mrs. Griffin, the former Karen McClusky, is granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stockard.

Grandparents of the new baby are Mrs. B. H. Sawyer and Joe A. McClusky, both of Brownwood, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Griffin of Richardson.

S. A. COUPLE VISIT FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weathers were in Waco Saturday to visit her daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ready and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Craig and family.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Weathers went to Cisco to visit a nephew, Vandel Weathers and family, and at Cross Plains to see a brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Lane.

Eastern Star To Meet Next Week

The Santa Anna Eastern Star Chapter will meet next Monday, July 21, at 7:30 p. m. at the Masonic Hall.

A patriotic program will be under the direction of Mrs. Verna Newman and Mrs. Alice L. Walker.

Hostesses for the social hour will be Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Avants and Mrs. Floyd Smith. Members of the group are urged to be present.

Ruth Ann Walker Honor Student At Texas Tech

Miss Ruth Ann Walker, the daughter of Mrs. Add T. Walker, has been awarded the certificate for scholastic achievement, qualifying her for the Dean's list for the 1969 spring semester.

To qualify a student must receive a grade average of at least 3.0. Ruth Ann had a 3.4 average.

Miss Walker is a senior student at Texas Tech at Lubbock, majoring in Secondary Education and Music. She will complete her work for her degree after practice teaching this fall.

S. A. Women at WSCS School

Mrs. Hardy Blue and Mrs. Lura Winger are in Georgetown this week attending the school of missions for the WSCS of the First United Methodist Church. The ladies will return home Friday.



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Turk of Talpa announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shirley Ann, to Larry Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Williams of Gouldbusk. The couple will be wed August 23rd at Talpa in the Immanuel Baptist Church at 8:00 p. m. Friends are invited to attend. Miss Turk is a spring graduate of Talpa-Centennial High School. Mr. Williams attended A. & M. the past year.

Coffee Honors Rodeo Queen

Miss Sue Kingsbery, the 1969 Coleman Rodeo Queen, was honored last Friday morning with a coffee at the REA Clubroom in Coleman. The Coleman County Breeder-Feeder Auxiliary was host group for the affair.

Greeting guests at the door were Mrs. Theo Griffis, Auxiliary president, and the honoree. Assisting with hostess duties were former rodeo queens, including Joe Morris Hemphill, Marjorie Beck Cox, Raye Stone King, Ann Miller Hargett, Ruth Ann Hemphill Taylor, Becky Hemphill Greaves, Beth Scott Kirby, Lynn Lawlis Willey, Ann Taylor Martin, Kay Taylor George, Sue Wilson Hemphill, and Martha Dobson Griffis.

The serving table was laid with a cloth of natural burlap and centered with an arrangement of gold and bronze day lilies and chrysanthemums. Ceramic figurines flanked the floral arrangement. Frosted punch and coffee were served from copper containers.

Quartet tables throughout the room were covered with burlap cloths and centered with wire and rope "cowboys," placed in arrangements of dried seed pods.

Entertaining the guests was a western style show featuring Sonjia Neff, Miss Rodeo Texas. Other young people modeling their western attire were Mary Lou Taylor Ramsey, Cindy Beck Madgean, Ann Davis, Cherry Beck, Sandra, Jamie and Charlie Hemphill, Carol Kingsbery, Teresa Wester, Sandra Hosch, Karen Sims, Pascal and Patrick Hosch, Donnie Neff, Jack Horne, Ted Taylor and Kit Horne.

Jimmy Benton played piano selections during the party hours. Mrs. Joe K. Taylor was commentator for the style show.

Auxiliary committee in charge of the party were: Mmes. Weldon Davis, Max Horne, Ray Jameson, Joe Dolson, T. J. Hudson, Agee Edgerton, Archie Bryson, Lloyd King, Sumpter Weatherred, David Parker, Jimmy Hemphill, and S. S. Spain. About 200 attended.

Hamilton Couple Marriage Told

Miss Linda Darlene Thompson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thompson, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Joe Dodson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dodson, all of Hamilton, were married at the First Baptist Church in Hamilton on July 5. The groom is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dodson of Santa Anna.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an empire gown of lace over satin. Her shoulder-length veil of illusion fell from a satin and pearl tiara.

The bride's attendants were Miss Connie Munday and Miss Carolyn Koberson, Mike Thompson, brother of the bride, served as best man, and Mike Leeth was groomsman. Soloist for the wedding was Sherry Dodson, sister of the groom.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The couple will reside in Hamilton. He is a graduate of Hamilton High School where she is a student.

Among out of town guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dodson of Santa Anna, and Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Dodson and children of Odessa.

1st Baptist Class To Meet Tonight

Mrs. Glen Scarbrough will be the hostess for the meeting of the Homemakers Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church on Thursday night (tonight). Members of the group are to be present beginning at 8:00 p. m. to work in the church annex.

The annex has recently been redecorated and a few odd jobs are to be done to finish the project.

Vinson Reunion Planned Sunday

The descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Vinson will hold their 20th annual reunion at the Coleman City Park on Sunday, July 20.

The J. T. Vinsons moved to this area in the early part of the century. They had five sons and one daughter, all of whom are deceased except the youngest son, B. T. Vinson, who is nearing his 90th birthday. Mr. Vinson resides in Santa Anna.

There are many grandchildren and great grandchildren living from California to the east coast, and a large number of the relatives are expected to attend the family gathering.

Friends of the family are invited to call during the day.

Larry Brown In Udorn, Thailand

U. S. Air Forces, Thailand—Airman First Class Larry D. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Audie L. Brown of 620 North Cedar, Kermit, Texas, is on duty at Udorn Royal Thai AFB, Thailand.

Airman Brown, an aircraft mechanic, is assigned to a unit of the Pacific Air Forces. He previously served at Bergstrom AFB, Texas.

The airman is a graduate of Kermit High School and is married to the former Bettie Gay Zabel of Rockwood.

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Shield News

By Mrs. E. S. Jones

Mrs. Darwin Watson, David, Shirley and Marcia and Debbie, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Watson, all of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson. David remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Craig Davies of San Angelo attended the Newman family reunion at Minter Reunion Hall at Lake Brownwood during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkett Carroll of Tennessee Colony spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Milligan.

Sunday Richard Dillingham and his mother; Mr. and Mrs. Elton Jones and Mrs. E. S. Jones attended the Jones reunion at Abilene State Park.

Mrs. W. A. Williams of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bennett of Houston visited the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Riley McFarlen.

Happy Fowler, John and Steve of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Wenton Eppler of Fort Worth spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Williams. Their son, Gary, was here Sunday.

Visitors with Ida Jones Friday afternoon were Gail Wilson of Monahans and Francene McClure of Midland. They also visited the H. C. McClures and in Coleman with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Coppinger and children of Abilene and Dwight Eppler are visiting friends and places of interest in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith of Brownwood visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Crye. Mrs. Atha Goodman of Vernon is visiting them this week.

Sunday Rev. and Mrs. Larry Hobbs of Abilene were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Fitzgugh were in Dallas Friday to Monday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Riley Fitzgugh.

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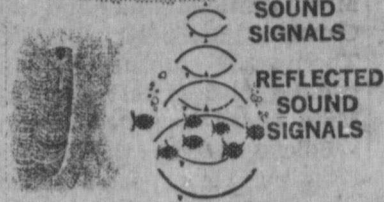
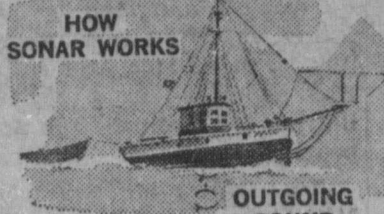
echoes are then used to tell the location of underwater objects.

How strong is an ant?

Have you ever seen ants carrying sticks or pebbles? A scientist once saw an ant lifting a stone out of its nest entrance. He took both the ant and the stone back to his laboratory and weighed them. He found that the stone weighed 52 times as much as the ant. If a man of average weight were as strong as the ant is for its weight, he would be able to lift nearly 4 tons.

Why do stars twinkle?

The light from the stars passes through the earth's atmosphere before reaching your eyes. Within the atmosphere, at an altitude of 30,000 to 45,000 feet, is a layer of air that is called the twinkling layer. As the light from a star passes through the twinkling layer, the light shifts and changes continuously and seems to twinkle. Scientists do not know what causes the starlight's path to change and shift. But many believe that differences in temperatures and the presence of water vapor in the twinkling layer may be responsible for the stars' twinkle.



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NEWS FROM Ranger Park Inn

Miss Rita Rendon, employee at the Inn has received a \$1100 Texas Opportunity grant from San Angelo State University. This financial aid will enable Miss Rendon to continue her nursing degree program at San Angelo, where she attended college last year. Miss Rendon is a graduate of Santa Anna High School.

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Antonio all visited at the Inn.

Mrs. Joe Baker and Mrs. Blanche Grantham visited their sister, Mrs. Ella Stiles on Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Williams of Coleman visited her sister, Mrs. Cassie Stiles and others on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Riez of Allende, Mexico, visited Mrs. Elena Vasquez.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Estes, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Langley of Houston visited during the week with the Drury Estes.

To see the Vernon Penny's last week were Mrs. Penny's niece, Mr. and Mrs. James Gilliam of Abilene.

Visiting at the Inn have been Mrs. Jessie Hart, Bud and Francis Eneute of San Saba, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Smith and Starla, of New Mexico, visited Mrs. J. J. Horner.

A. B. Strozler, Jr., of Houston visited at the Inn.

To see the George Simmons was Mrs. Frank Alexander.

The E. B. Crow family of Waco visited Mrs. Alcee Crow, William Swin and family of

Wichita Falls also were visitors of Mrs. Bennie Vasquez.

Mrs. Raymond Lykins of Bangs, Bessie Lunsford and Mrs. Nancy Lunsford of Georgetown visited with their father, W. W. Pate.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Culpeper of Aspermont visited with his mother, Mrs. Emily Ann Brannon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Baxter of Lubbock visited at the Inn.

Mrs. Julia McGonigal is a new resident at the Inn.

Rev. R. A. Brooks, pastor of the United Methodist Church, was in charge of 3 p. m. services on Sunday,

July 13. Miss E. Lee Harper, pianist, assisted. Other members in attendance were Mrs. May Allen Blue, Mrs. Joe Baker, Mrs. O. A. Etheredge, Mrs. Blanche Grantham, Mrs. Cliff Herndon.

Mrs. Vernon Parker visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. Vera Parker, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Tom Mill's visitors on Sunday were Mrs. May Allen Blue, Mrs. Joe Baker, Miss E. Lee Harper, Mrs. O. A. Etheredge and Mrs. Cliff Herndon.

F. B. Snooks' visitor Sunday was his wife, Mrs. Sally Snooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry visited friends on Sunday afternoon.

The Jack Kingsbery family of Crystal City and Mrs. Mary Lela Clifford of El Paso have visited Howard Kingsbery.

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THE SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK OF SANTA ANNA IN THE STATE OF TEXAS,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 30, 1969.

Published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks	\$ 668,044.28
U. S. Treasury securities	839,625.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	351,175.00
Other securities — Fed. Res. Stock	6,000.00
Loans	1,074,076.03
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	2.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$2,938,922.37

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$2,049,253.15
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	444,292.47
Deposits of United States Government	2,463.23
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	90,819.62
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,596,828.58
(a) Total demand deposits	\$2,142,536.11
(b) Total time and savings deposits	\$ 444,292.47
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$2,586,828.58

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	\$ 11,092.24
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	\$ 11,092.24

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Equity capital-total	\$2,341,001.55
Common Stock-total par value	50,000.00
No. shares authorized, 2500	
No. shares outstanding 2500	
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	61,001.55
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 341,001.55
TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$2,938,922.37

MEMORANDA	
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$2,579,987.82
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$1,076,947.16
Interest collected not earned on loans included in total capital accounts	\$ 11,899.50

I, Glen Copeland, Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ GLEN COPELAND

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

C. H. WISE
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CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF THE SANTA ANNA NATIONAL BANK SANTA ANNA, TEXAS At the Close of Business June 30, 1969

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts	Capital Stock
Overdrafts	Surplus
Stock Fed. Res. Bank	Undivided Profits
Banking House F & F	Reserve for Bad Debts
QUICK ASSETS:	Deposits
Participation Loans	
Bonds & Warrants	
Cash & Due From Banks	
\$2,938,922.37	\$2,938,922.37

I, Glen Copeland, Cashier, Certify the above to be correct.

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AUSTIN — Stiff resistance is forming to a proposed 11.4 per cent average private auto insurance rate hike.

Gov. Preston Smith promised a "full scale" investigation of soaring rates after State Board rate experts recommended the new increase.

Smith said the proposal "borders on catastrophe" and the car insurance situation "has become intolerable for many of our citizens." Governor announced an early meeting with insurance company executives and said he is considering appointment of a select panel of citizens outside the industry to make a thorough study and recommendations.

Board rate authorities blamed the increase on the number and cost of auto accidents. Labor cost for repairs, in particular, was emphasized.

Recommendations and testimony at the public hearing will be reviewed by the board.

August 1. New rates will take effect with policies written or renewed on or after September 1.

- Liability rates, under staff recommendation, would go up 5.5 per cent. (Body injury actually would be reduced 3.7 per cent, but property damage would increase 21.4 per cent.)
- Collision insurance would increase 17.5 per cent.
- Comprehensive coverage for physical damage would climb 24.9 per cent.

Commercial vehicles, with better safety records, would get lower rates. Figuring all classes of vehicles, the statewide average increase would be 9.2 per cent under staff recommendations.

Insurance company spokesmen urged even higher increases but AFL-CIO spokesmen argued for reduction, rather than raise.

"An automobile is an absolute necessity in our current society, and, I, for one, do not intend to sit idly by and see it priced into a position of being a luxury," said Smith. **TREASURE HUNT CAUSES RUCKUS** — A story which began in 1553 still is one of the state's headline items.

Lawsuits, sharp exchanges between state officials and threatened impeachment proceedings raged over what should be done with the treasure recovered from a Spanish galleon which sank in a storm more than 400 years ago.

Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler incurred the ire of a legislative committee earlier when he declined to cooperate with members probing his agreement with the Gary, Ind., firm of Platoro, Inc. Sadler's proposal was to salvage artifacts from the sunken ship and divide the loot 50 - 50 with the state.

Sadler announced that he had recovered all the articles taken from the galleon by Platoro and has them in his custody. He got a court order temporarily restraining Platoro from further salvage operations firm, according to Secretary of State Martin Dies, engaged in the Padre treasure hunt without the proper state permit.

District judge at Corpus Christi postponed a hearing on disposition of the treasure until after the special legislative session. Meanwhile, he named a committee to determine

if the Gary salvage firm still has some of the treasure and, if so, how to get it back. Serving on the committee are Col. Wilson E. Speir director of the Department of Public Safety, Atty. Gen. Crawford C. Martin, and Ed Harte, Corpus Christi publisher.

State Rep. Jake Johnson of San Antonio threatened impeachment of Sadler over his contract with Platoro.

DEER HUNTING LONGER — Longest deer hunting season yet has been set by the Parks and Wildlife Commission.

Season will open on the morning of November 8 and continue until sunset on January 1, 1970.

Commission agreed to reduce the white wing dove season drastically. Shooting will be permitted only on one weekend in September, since experts reported the dove population down 20 per cent from last year.

ELECTION FILINGS COMPLETE — Nine candidates filed for the House of Representatives in District 73 in the July 22 special election to pick a successor to Rep. R. G. (Randy) Pendleton of Andrews.

Candidates for the Andrews, Dawson, Gaines, Lynn, Martin and Yoakum counties spot are: Raymond G. Burton, Jim Clack, Jack R. Cook, and Jerry D. Mitchell, all of Andrews; E. L. Short of Tihoka; Ray Trent of Denver City; Delbert R. Warren of Seminole and S. W. Wheeler of Stanton. Applications of two others, who did not file within the deadline were rejected.

COURTS SPEAK — A patient can still collect on a hospital insurance policy, even if most of his expenses are paid by Medicare, says the State Supreme Court in agreeing with the appellate court in an Abilene case.

A serum company is liable for damages in the death of 25 registered calves in Ochiltree County, says the Supreme Court in backing a trail court. Court found that antibiotic given the calves for a respiratory ailment was unfit for use.

A Waco seed company's failure to protest its tax assessment before the board of equalization did not deprive it of the right to challenge the valuation in court, the High Court said in a decision upholding the Waco Court of Civil Appeals but reversing the trail court.

Supreme Court has agreed to hear an application by the El Paso Times on a libel case by a former UT - El Paso professor. Dr. Richard Trexler claims he was libeled by a letter published in the Times. Trail court found no actual malice or damages, but the appeals court said the jury got the wrong definition of malice and ordered a retrial, which the Times appealed.

Court upheld an appeals decision that Deaf Smith County landowner Vada White and others would have to start over in a land condemnation suit involving Natural Gas Pipeline Co. of America.

Dallas man, convicted of slaying a school girl, got a new trial by order of the Court of Criminal Appeals, because his lawyers were not given an advance list of prospective jurors.

Court of Criminal Appeals reversed conviction of a Galveston man for possessing nar-

cotics paraphernalia because the trail court permitted testimony on information given the police by a drug buyer.

APPOINTMENTS — Norman F. Newton, 27-year-old aide to Sen. John Tower, is the new executive director of the Republican Party of Texas.

Governor Smith named to the new Credit Union Commission Wilfred S. MacKinnon of Baytown, Robert W. Mitchell of Longview, Pete G. Gooch of Fort Worth, R. C. Morgan of El Paso, Walter V. Duncan of Richardson and Glenn D. Johnson of Houston.

Smith is setting up a 27-member Governor's Health Advisory Committee to work with the Texas State Comprehensive Health Agency and has arranged a two-day orientation program.

Ralph Rettig of El Paso was named by the Texas Water Development Board to fill a vacancy on the Board's weather modification advisory committee. He replaces the late C. B. Ray of El Paso.

Governor Smith named six legislators to attend the Southern Regional Educational Board's legislative advisory council meeting in Hot Springs, Arkansas. Senators named were Bill Moore of Bryan, Jim Bates of Edinburg and Jack Hightower of Vernon. Representatives were Hillary B. Doran of Del Rio, Don Cavness of Austin and Frank Calhoun of Abilene.

SHORT SNORTS

Texas Aeronautics Commission concluded hearings on the application of Rio Airways to link the Rio Grande Valley with Laredo, Corpus Christi, Houston, San Antonio and Austin in new small plane

flights.

A "Nine for Texas Committee" is organizing to campaign for passage of all of the nine proposed constitutional amendments on the August 5 ballot.

Governor Smith proclaimed July 20-26 as Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Week and called on rural residents to use the new slow moving vehicle emblem on agricultural equipment moved over the state highways.

Sen. Murray Watson of Mart was "Governor for a Day" on Saturday, July 12.

House Appropriations Committee plans to recommend a biennial state budget similar to the one it first agreed to last April.

Federal grants of \$100,250 and \$23,950 will go to park improvements in Wichita Falls and Brehm, respectively.

State tax revenue from smoking and drinking increased \$1.2 million last month over June, 1968 — from \$12 million to \$13.2 million.

Request of Waco man to the City of Waco for maintaining cemeteries is exempt from the inheritance tax, Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin held, but a request made to a city out of the state is not exempt.

State Board of Education adopted on bilingual education and approved a request by 20 South Texas school districts to continue a six-month extended day migrant school program.

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From the Book ... Trickham, Texas

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and possibly Burl Brown in the Trickham area and they would have been buried near the store. Hunter said that "Dotlemyer lived on Hay Creek, Upton and Brown on Camp, and the McCains near Trickham." Ruff lived on the Colorado River and old man McReynolds was killed near Camp Colorado.

Mrs. Collie Green always believed that her grandfather, L. J. Tankersley, and a man named Carmean were killed by Indians at Trickham and buried there. But in his book, "Early Days in Central Texas," F. M. Cross tells of this story, and the incident was also told in "Frontier Times" for October, 1939. The two men had come from Comanche County to a Ranger camp on Clear Creek in the southwest Brown County with a wagon load of bacon to sell to the Rangers. On starting on the return trip, they were attacked by Indians a few miles from the camp, the two were fighting 16 or 18 Indians and sold their lives dearly. Their bodies, barely dead, were found later in the morning by two Rangers named Gallagher and Large, who were attacked by the same Indians, but the grain-fed horses of the Texans carried them out of danger. The bodies of Tankersley and Carmean were buried near where they died, and later their relatives placed a nice marble monument at the graves, still in place today, several miles east of Trickham.

As to the graves in the Trickham street, E. W. Gill says that one of them is that of a boy named Buddy Wright, killed when his horse fell on him as a posse was hurriedly preparing to chase a band of Indians. One of the graves is most probably that of Jake Dorriemeyer, and it seems logical that young Charlie McCain was buried there. Dave Upton also is said to have been buried there, and the belief is that his grave is to

the north and across the street from the others. Who would be the other? It is like the Arlington tomb of the Unknown Soldier, known only to God.

The Fiveash Cemetery, some two miles from Trickham, was begun when the family of Enoch Fiveash fell victims to the dreaded disease, small pox. This was in 1876, probably the last year that Indians raided in the Trickham area, and occurred after a nephew of Mrs. Fiveash, Lot Ellington, returned from driving a herd of horses to Kansas for some Trickham settlers, Enoch Fiveash, Dan Himmins and others. Lot was a good dependable boy, 21-years old, and made the drive using directions from someone who had been up the trail. He sold the horses at good prices, came back by train to Fort Worth and back to Trickham horseback. Within a few days he became ill from the smallpox which he had contracted somewhere on the way home, the most dreaded disease of the time. Vaccination was new, almost nobody had had it; the first doctor called from Brownwood refused to treat the young man, but sent another, a Dr. Page, who had been vaccinated, and who came and stayed for weeks in the home.

Living with Mr. and Mrs. Fiveash were their son, Dick, who was nineteen, Lot and another hired man, Tom Moss. Within a few days, Lucinda Fiveash came down with the disease, and then Tom Moss. Lot became steadily worse and on February 29, leap year day, 1876, he died. The neighbors dug a grave on Fiveash land, and then came the question of burial. Everybody was afraid to be in contact with the dead or with the sick, and the young doctor wrapped the body in a quilt and somehow got it to the open grave at the edge of a field; there was none to help him shovel the clay back in place, as by now Fiveash himself and also young Dick were victims of the disease.

It was impossible to keep any secret of their condition from the other patients. Dr. Page fed and bathed them, kept them as free from pain as he could, and held them in their paroxysms, but when each died, the others, if conscious, knew all about it. The cabin which was the kitchen was only a few steps away from the one where the sick ones lay. Neighbors brought food and set it on a gatepost, and Page brought it inside, eating and resting whenever he could find time.

The day of the death of Tom Moss is uncertain, as he lies in an unmarked grave; Fiveash appeared to be recovering, but when Lucinda died, on March 16, her husband lost the will to live. Her grave was dug, she was wrapped and carried out the door, and he took to his bed again, dying on March 21. Dick was seriously ill and there seemed to be no chance for him to get well.

As the members of the Fiveash family died, they were

WASHINGTON AND SMALL BUSINESS



Everybody a Tycoon?

There seems to be a general public questioning of the effectiveness of a great deal of the money being spent purportedly for education.

This is evidenced by the voter refusals to pass many school bond issues. Unfortunately, many are turned down which perhaps deserved greater consideration by the voters.

For many years the trust has been that all evils, economic, social, and moral can be solved by education. But little attention has been given to the proposition that perhaps there are some people who just cannot be educated.

Congressman Wright Patman of Texas recently raised a point. He stated a study of some 2,000 colleges showed that students or their parents pay about 40 per cent of their educational costs, with the rest coming from endowments and other sources.

But, he points out, if the student attends a publicly supported institution, he pays only one-fifth of the costs.

Thus, he says, "Many students today would rather riot than read, rather strike than study, rather fight the police than pursue an education that is more than 60 per cent free. In the words of the famous musical (The King and I) it is a great 'puzzlement' to me, and even more so for the parents."

There is a distinct possibility

that too much emphasis has been placed on a college education, largely fanned by those who have a vested interest in the educational profession.

It is interesting to note that a current publication of the Labor Department seeks to place a monetary value on education at different levels. This report claims the average lifetime earnings of a college graduate is about \$508,000, of a high school grad \$341,000 and of a grade school product \$247,000.

Thus the inference is that anyone, regardless of their aptitude, ability, or energy, can reach a higher level of income merely by going to college.

It would perhaps be just as logical to report in the same vein that corporation presidents earn more than mechanics. Therefore, the mechanic should throw down his tools and settle for nothing less than a corporation presidency.

Obviously, there is some difference between a Phi Beta Kappa in engineering and a youth who graduates with a C average majoring in contemporary poetry, interspersed with heavy participation in demonstrating, rioting, and other extra-curricular aspects.

Too often government bureaus use figures reminiscent of the anecdote about the government statistician who drowned wading in a river with an average depth of two feet.

buried on their own land. Lot was laid away on one side of the field, and Tom, Lucinda and Enoch some distance away, in a corner of the land. The succeeding deaths made the situation ever more serious, and the neighbors digging the graves would not only not fill them, but they made each new grave some distance from the others. Most husbands and wives are buried beside each other, but not so with Enoch and Lucinda.

As the men finished Enoch's grave, one of them voiced the thought that was troubling them all.

"It doesn't look like Dick can get well. While we are here with the tools, what do you think about going ahead with his grave now?"

"No, that's not right for us to do," said Charlie Shield, who was helping. "It's not right to dig a grave for a living boy." So they stood at a distance and watched the young doctor fill the grave, hoping against hope that it would be the last and that Dick would survive. And Dick did get well, and lived for many years.

The town of Trickham was named by the Texas Historical Survey Committee as the one most important site historically in Coleman County. The Coleman County committee has accomplished a great deal within the past few years, restoring the rock-walled graves and the amusing old round sign which once was pictured in Ripley's Believe It or Not, and also erecting big markers of stone giving facts about the town and the graves.

However, the new marker was awarded by the State Committee and will be listed in the Texas Directory of historical sites, a source of pride to the community and to the county.

The project of restoring the important spots in Trickham was begun by Mrs. Minnie Wilson, postmaster there, and

taking part have been Oscar Boenicke, Rankin McIver, Thomas Wristen, Jake McCreary and others.

T. L. McCarrell Funeral Is Held

Towery Lee McCarrell, aged 68, a long time resident of the Rockwood area, died Wednesday morning, July 9, at the Hendricks Hospital in Abilene, following a long illness.

Funeral services were held in Abilene with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery on Friday. Born October 13, 1900 in Tarrant County, he moved to Coleman County in 1908 and to Rockwood in 1909 where the family farmed. He was married to Florence Klime on July 3, 1924 in Rockwood.

For the past ten years, Mr. McCarrell had worked at a service station, having been employed as an oil field driller 30 years prior to that time. He retired in May because of ill health.

He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife of Abilene; one son, Charles, also of Abilene; one daughter, Mrs. Jesse Wilder of Patterson, La.; two sisters, Mrs. Grace Kemp of Santa Anna and Mrs. Ray Gibson of Electra; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Talleys Have Visitors Here

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dean Talley and daughter Kit of San Diego, Calif., spent several days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Talley. Weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Luther J. Talley and Kimberly of Dallas.

Nell Talley returned home after spending a week in Dallas with her father and family.

Arthur Dean Talley has recently retired from the Navy after serving 22 years. He is now employed by an airlines in San Diego.

WHAT'S IN A TOWN'S NAME? WHY WAS IT SO NAMED?

People often wonder why a town was named a particular name or for whom. The story of naming of Claude, Texas, is interesting to note.

The first Fort Worth and Denver train steamed through the Panhandle in 1887, skirting the Palo Duro Canyon and striking a beeline for Texline. It was a time to remember.

Any man who could handle that snorting monster of a locomotive had to be a hero first class. That's why the Armstrong County seat is named Claude.

Claude Ayres was at the throttle that big August day in '87 when the train thundered across JA Ranch country. It was the year Charley Goodnight sold his one-third of that large ranch to the Adair interests. There's a town named for Mr. Goodnight, too, near Claude's town.

Armstrong is one of the at least 19 Texas counties with seat towns named by the first names of people, and not al-

ways famous people. It is one of four with railroad connections. Jackson County's seat, Edna, was named for Edna Telferner, daughter of an Italian count who built the "Macaroni Line" (New York, Texas and Mexico). George Channing Rivers, a railroad paymaster, is memorialized by Channing, Hartley County. The wife of the president of the Texas & New Orleans named the town of Marfa for the heroine of a Russian novel.

Many historical figures have their first names used for towns throughout Texas. Gail Borden (Borden County), Anson Jones (Jones County), Kermit Roosevelt (Winkler County), are only a few.

About Henrietta (Clay County), there is a question. The name is supposed to be for Henry Clay's wife, but her name was Lucretia Hart. Quanah (Hardeman County), is for the last Comanche war chief, son of Cynthia Ann Parker. Fredericks-

burg (Gillespie County), honors Frederick the Great of Prussia. San Angelo evolved from Santa Angela, the name of a Mexican nun.

Names bequeathed by great ranching families distinguish two south Texas capitals: "Alice" King Kleberg (Jim Wells County), and "Sarita" Kenedy East (Kenedy County).

Land and town developers got into the act. Benjamin Bedford developed Knox County, so the county seat is named Benjamin; the "ada" in Floydada comes from the name of Mrs. Ada Price, the wife of the developer. Seymour Munday (Baylor County) was a cowboy who had a line camp nearby.

We understand that Santa Anna was named for its first resident, an Indian chief who claimed the mountain as his lookout point.

RELATIVES RETURN HOME

Mrs. W. H. Clifford left on Monday for El Paso after visiting here two weeks with the Tom Kingsbery family, and other friends and relatives. Ann Kingsbery of Crystal City returned to El Paso with Mrs. Clifford for a visit.

The Jack Kingsbery family left Sunday for Crystal City after being here for the rodeo during the past weekend.

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Gary Rider On TT Dean's List

Gary Rider, the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Rider, is spending this six weeks semester at home with his family after attending school during the past summer session. Gary will be a senior at Texas Tech College this fall.

Gary was named to the Dean's list for the spring semester, having received high scholastic rating in his studies as a history and government major. Gary is a 1966 graduate of Santa Anna High School.

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