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Mountain Echoes



By
Barbara
Kingsbery

Santa Anna's population increased by several dozen during the weekend as snow people were constructed by industrious children and adults. Although Sunday was warmer and sunny, the snow men and women were still standing all over town Monday morning.

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Thanksgiving will be observed next week, and the Thursday, November 25, issue of the NEWS will be printed a day early so that employees may have a longer holiday.

We ask that all news items and advertising copy be in by Monday next week.

Thursday will be a holiday for businesses in Santa Anna, or at least most of merchants will observe the holiday.

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William Hunter, a former Santa Anna resident now living in Fort Worth, is seeking the whereabouts of a former friend, William Herndon, who lived just east of Santa Anna in the early 1900s. Mr. Hunter last saw Mr. Herndon about 1918 and would like to have information about him. Hunter's address is available at the NEWS office for those who wish to relay information.

SA Garden Club Fall Luncheon Set Saturday

The annual Fall Festival luncheon will be held by Mountain City Garden Club Saturday, November 20, at Lions Club building. The fund raising event will be held from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at a cost of \$2 per plate.

The turkey dinner will also be available for take-out orders during the serving hours.

Members of the group will meet at the building Friday to prepre for the meal. Each member is asked to take decorations for the tables.

Funds from the event will be used for the club's projects which include maintenance of the Mathews Memorial Park in the downtown area and aid to Cemetery beautification projects.

Everyone in the community is invited to have lunch with the group Saturday.

SAHS Tournament This Weekend

Karen Gordon Is Recipient Of DAR Citizenship Award

Karen Gordon, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John Gordon, has been named DAR Good Citizen at Santa Anna High School. The SAHS senior was chosen by members of the school faculty for the honor.

Karen and the other Coleman County honorees will be recognized by the Coleman Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution which sponsors the program annually. One senior student is named from each of the five schools.

Miss Gordon was recipient of scholastic honors in her class the past three years. She is a member of the Mountaineer Band where she serves as drum major and Band Sweetheart.

Karen received the scholarship awards in English and history last year and received the Comer Blue trophy for highest ranking undergraduate girl. A class officer, she also serves as an officer with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. She is an officer of Area IV FHA and a local chapter officer.

Miss Gordon is also sweetheart of Santa Anna Lions Club and serves as pianist for the group. She is also organist for United Presbyterian Church of which her father is pastor.



KAREN GORDON
DAR Citizenship Winner
From Santa Anna High School

United Presbyterians To Host Community Thanksgiving Event

The annual Community Thanksgiving Service will be held Sunday evening, November 21, at United Presbyterian Church. The program will begin at 6:30 p.m.

A. L. Swanson, pastor of Seventh-day Adventist Church, will be speaker for the service. Other ministers taking part will be Rev. W. M. Price of First Baptist Church and Rev. John Gordon, pastor of the host church.

Gale Brock will direct the choir composed of singers from all

CTCC Honor Roll Lists SA Coeds

Three Santa Anna students attending Central Texas Commercial College at Brownwood have been named to the A Honor Roll at the school for the six-week period ending November 4. The three are Denise Blair, Debra Coyle and Michele Cozart.

The three girls are all spring graduates of Santa Anna High School and enrolled at the Brownwood school in September. Miss Blair is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eurrell Blair, Debra's parents are Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Fellers of Trickham and Michele is the daughter of Mrs. Janice Cozart.

Fund is Started For B. Garrett

Friends of Ben J. Garrett have started a fund at Santa Anna National Bank to help defray hospital and other expenses being incurred. Mr. Garrett underwent open-heart surgery at St. Luke's Hospital in Houston last week and will be hospitalized quite awhile longer before returning home.

Donations of any amount will be appreciated and may be left at the local bank at any time.

Play Starts Thursday P. M. With Eight Area Schools

Basketball teams from seven area schools will be in Santa Anna this weekend to compete with the Mountaineer varsity teams in an invitational tournament at Perry Gymnasium. Tournament play starts Thursday (today) at 1 p.m. with a game between the Eden and Zephyr girls, followed by a game between the boys teams from the two schools at 2:30.

Novice and Brookesmith teams play Thursday at 4:00 and 5:30 p.m.; Santa Anna girls play the Mozelle feds at 7 p.m., followed by the boys game at 8:30.

Tourney play starts at 1 p.m. Friday with games between Talpa and Richland Springs. The playoff games begin at 4 p.m. that

afternoon and resume at 9 a.m. Saturday morning.

The consolation championship games will be at 4 and 5:30 Saturday afternoon; the girls championship game will start at 7 p.m. and the boys title game at 8:30 that night.

Parents of basketball players will be assisting Rebecca Martin with the concession stand, and Anthony Strother will be general director of the tournament assisted by coaches Dennis Higgs and Bruce Smith.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend any or all of the tournament this weekend.

Bazaar, Sale Planned By PTO On December 3

The Santa Anna PTO has planned a rummage sale and bazaar to be held Friday, December 3, in the Maranatha Building in the downtown area beginning at 9 a.m.

The PTO ladies are asking for donations of hand-made craft items and home-baked foods to be sold at the bazaar. Such items as clothing, toys, housewares, etc., are needed for the rummage sale.

Anyone wishing to set up a booth in the bazaar may contact one of the ladies. Price of the booths will be \$5 each.

Included in the day's activity will be a drawing for two turkeys. You do not have to be present to win.

Anyone having items to donate may call the following numbers and someone will come by and pick them up: Mrs. Michael Cupps, 348-3366, Mrs. Gary Fleeman, 348-3464, Mrs. Michael Sheedy, 348-3330, Ms. Jim Burchfield 348-3236, Mrs. Rodney Cahoon, 348-3355.

Choir Rehearsal Monday Night

Members of the Community Choir are reminded of the rehearsal slated Monday night, November 22 at 7 p.m. The rehearsal will begin at 7 p.m. and all singers are asked to be on hand at United Methodist Church.

Rev. Richard Chaffin, pastor of the United Methodist Church is directing the Christmas cantata "Night of Miracles", that will be presented Sunday night, December 19, at First Baptist Church.

It is important that all choir members attend the Monday night rehearsal so that other practice sessions may be scheduled. Anyone wishing to sing with the group is welcome to join the choir at the Monday rehearsal.

Rain, Snowfall Heard Winter

Winter arrived in Santa Anna last Friday, perhaps ahead of the official date, but with enough force to convince people that the season was here.

Light rainfall fell in part of the community, then sleet and finally snow. Three to four inches of snow fell during the night and Saturday morning, covering the area and almost stopping traffic and business activity.

R. W. Balke measured the precipitation when it melted Sunday that gave an official .63 inch of moisture.

The snowfall is said to be the heaviest in many years for mid-November.

Santa Anna JP Recovering From Heart Surgery

Ben Jack Garrett is getting along well following surgery last Wednesday at St. Luke's Hospital in Houston. The famed Dr. Denton Cooley performed the surgery that included four-by-passes in the heart.

Garrett, a victim of polio as a teen-ager, suffered a heart attack about a year ago and was again hospitalized in Brownwood two weeks ago. He was transferred to Houston for the surgery early last week.

Members of the family, Mrs. Pauline Garrett and her three daughters and their husbands, were with Ben Jack and his wife for the surgery and spent several days in Houston. Mrs. Ben Garrett, a registered nurse, will remain there during the entire hospitalization.

Friends wishing to send cards or notes may address them to St. Luke's Hospital, 6720 Bertner, Houston, Texas 77030.

Years Ago In The NEWS

A leaflet published by Santa Anna Chamber of Commerce and West Texas Chamber of Commerce in 1936 was brought to the NEWS office recently by Ruby Fleeman. The old leaflet was found in the house where the family lives.

The cover denotes "Santa Anna Has Many Things-- Wants Many More-- Needs Men, Money and Brains."

Listed on the first column under "We Have": Fine Schools, Good Churches, Paved Streets, Natural Gas, Electric Lights, Sewage, Hospital, Glass Factory, Banking and Mercantile Facilities, Fine Citizenship.

Going into detail, the bulletin says: Santa Anna (not named

after the Mexican General) in Coleman County, Texas is located near the geographical and population center of the State, has a population of about two thousand, altitude of 1750 feet, and is laid out on the South side and at the foot of the Santa Anna Mountains which rise abruptly from the level plain of the surrounding country to a height of about 275 feet.

The City is on the main line of the Santa Fe Railroad running from the Gulf Of Mexico to the Pacific Coast, on State Highways No. 7, 10, 16; U. S. Highways 67 and 84; is served by three passenger bus lines, with twelve coaches daily.

There is one bank in Santa Anna

with a capital, surplus and profits of \$70,000,000; deposits of \$360,006.00. There are also 3 cotton gins with a capacity of over 200 bales a day, seven grocery stores, 6 dry goods stores, 2 variety stores, 2 hardware store, 2 furniture and undertaking establishments, one power and light company, 2 ice companies, 2 natural gas distributing plants, four drug stores, one theatre, 2 lumber yards, several cleaning and pressing establishments, one well equipped steam laundry and numerous cafes, motor sales rooms, garages and filling stations.

The winters here are mild, and the summers pleasant, making it a splendid place to live.

Santa Anna's trade territory is served by the Santa Anna News, a live weekly newspaper, established in 1886, and has been continuously published fifty years.

The Hill Crest Golf Club, a sporty nine hole course with sand greens, begins at the west line of the city limits and between the highway and the Mountain. It is the cheapest operated golf course in the world and playable the year round.

The Sealy Hospital, located in Santa Anna, is a privately owned institution supplying general hospital service. During the year 1935 there were 1356 patients admitted, of which 713 were surgical. The institution and Sealy Hospital School of Nursing are under the personal direction of Dr. T. Richard Sealy.



Sap does not rise and fall. It moves out towards the surface in the spring, in towards the center in the autumn.

Simmons Family Has Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simmons were hosts for a family reunion at their home near Santa Anna last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Simmons of Indio, California arrived here for a week's visit with relatives and others of the family joined them for the weekend.

Those here for the get-together included Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Simmons of Lampasas; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Simmons of Dickenson; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Dello of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Don Bundy, Betty, Troy and Donna of Tomball; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Miller, Jonathan, Jerry and Rondia of Waxahachie; Mrs. Millie Simmons of Bangs; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Duffee and Tiffany, Mr. and Mrs. John Duffee, all of Houston; Mrs. Muriel Davis of California.

Local people on hand were Mrs. Bess Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Compton, April and Tina, the host couple and their children, Celeste, Mike, Chris and Becky.

DARLA HOSCH GETS HONORS AT R-STAR

Darla Hosch, a senior at Rising Star High School, was honored Monday, November 8, at the annual school coronation and program. Darla, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hosch and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hosch of Santa Anna, was named queen of the event. Her escort was John David Lee, president of the RSHS sophomore class.

A senior at Rising Star High School, Darla is a cheerleader and has also been named "Friendliest Girl" at the school.

R-WOOD NATIVE BURIED MONDAY

Services for Mrs. Tavia Snider, 75, of Rt. 4 Brownwood, were held at 10 a.m. Monday at Davis-Morris Funeral Home with burial in the Rockwood Cemetery. Rev. L. B. Everett officiated.

Mrs. Snider died at 2:40 a.m. Saturday in a Brownwood nursing home after a five-month illness.

She was born October 31, 1901 in Coleman County and was a homemaker. A member of Jones Chapel Baptist Church, she had lived in Brown County since 1944. She married Dink Snider at Coleman Dec. 31, 1928. Mrs. Snider was reared in the Rockwood area and attended school there.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Mrs. Lavenia Powell, of Bullard, Mrs. Venita Brooks of Crowley; and Mrs. Nell Brooks of Azle, two sisters, Mrs. Eva Wise and Mrs. Faye Hodges, both of Rockwood, a brother, Bill Bryan of Rockwood, and six grandchildren.

Friendship Night To Be Observed

The Santa Anna Eastern Star Chapter will observe Friendship Night Monday, November 22, at the monthly meeting at the Masonic Hall. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. with Lora Rollins and H. A. Burden presiding.

Mrs. Rollins will lead the program and Mrs. Jack Bostick will report on the recent meeting of Grand Chapter of Texas held in Fort Worth.

All members are requested to be present for the meeting that will include a social hour hosted by Mrs. Rollins and Mrs. Zuda Henderson.

PROGRAM CANCELLED

Lay Renewal activities at First Baptist Church were cancelled Saturday by the inclement weather, and out-of-town workers returned to their homes during the afternoon.

The weekend program started with an all-church supper and meeting Friday evening that was well attended despite the cold weather. However the other events were cancelled due to dangerous road conditions and cold weather.



"A man who cannot tolerate small ills can never accomplish great things."

Chinese Proverb

Gifts for All Occasions

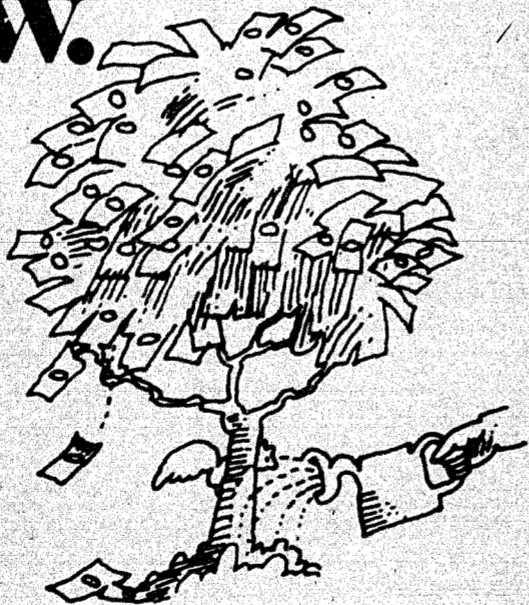


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By WRIGHT PRICE, Pastor



Someone said: There are three kinds of people in the world. The Wills, The Won'ts, and the Can'ts. The first accomplish everything, the second oppose everything, and the third fail in everything.

But it seems that God only mentions two kinds of people: The Saved and the Lost. John 3:19 "He that believeth on him is not condemned: But he that believeth not is condemned already."

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Diabetes Month Being Observed During November

There is a widespread public misconception that diabetes was conquered more than 50 years ago when insulin was discovered. Insulin certainly was a major discovery and because of it many severe diabetics can control their condition and live longer. But complications of the disease, though slow and subtle in their onset, ultimately affect most individuals with the disorder.

The fact that many diabetics under proper control lead active lives and are gainfully employed should not lead to public complacency. Diabetes is a major personal and public health problem and there is no cure or preventive for the disease.

In this country diabetes now ranks as fifth leading cause of death by disease, the leading cause of new cases of blindness and a major cause of heart attacks, strokes, high blood pressure, gangrene and kidney failure.

Anyone, at any age, can become diabetic; or can have the disease and not know it, for the symptoms are not always present. Those most likely to get it, however, are the children of diabetics, relatives of diabetics and people who are over 40 or overweight.

November is National Diabetes Month... Be tested now.

FIRST GRADE GIVES PROGRAM AT PTO MEET

The Santa Anna PTO met in the school cafeteria Tuesday, November 9 for their regular meeting. A Thanksgiving program was presented by Mrs. Harris' first grade class. It was decided not to have a meeting in December. The next regular meeting will be held the third Thursday in January.



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BOB THROWER Holding Lectures

Radio Speaker Now Lecturing At Coleman SDA

Pastor Bob Thrower of the Hour of Prophecy Radio Program spoke in the local Seventh-day Adventist Church last Saturday morning.

Thrower is the founder and director of the Hour of Prophecy Program that is heard daily at 1:00 o'clock on KSTA. This week he is lecturing in the chapel at College and Pecos in Coleman at 7:30 each evening. His final meeting will be at 11:00 Saturday morning at the Chapel, and everyone is welcome to attend.

Fideles Class Has Meeting At FBC Annex

Members of the Fideles Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church met Tuesday, November 9, at the church annex for a monthly social. Those present worked on a quilt for Tommy Pollock.

Several visitors were present for the meeting that included prayer for the Lay Renewal program. Bessie Pallett gave the devotion on "Confession," and Mrs. Ed Schrader led the closing prayer.

Refreshments of sandwiches, olives, chips, cake, punch and tea were served to the ones mentioned and also Mmes. Frank McCary, Elton McDonald, Clara Traylor, Jim Dunn, W. B. Allison, Jess Howard and Dessa Patterson, class members, and to the following visitors, Mmes. B. A. Parker, D. R. Hill, W. M. Price, J. C. Mathews and Lester McClellan. Mrs. Pallett and Mrs. Mathews were hostesses for the meeting.



Workers For Swine Flu Clinic To Meet For Training Monday

Monday, November 29, is the date for the free clinic in Santa Anna for Swine Influenza inoculations. The clinic will be held at Community Civic Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Both the monovalent and bivalent flu shots will be given, with those 65 years of age or above recommended the bivalent type and those from 18 to 64 will receive the monovalent type. No inoculations will be given to children under age 18.

A training session for workers with the program will be held next Monday, November 22, at 9:30

a.m. lasting about one hour. All those helping with the clinic are asked to be at the Civic Center for final instructions.

Mrs. Henry Newman, chairman of the local program, has made a request for additional helpers, both Licensed Vocational Nurses and clerical workers. Anyone wishing to help for a few hours during the clinic day is asked to contact Mrs. Newman as soon as possible.

Everyone in the community is urged to take advantage of the inoculation clinic.

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His wife is a good sport she wakes him at four,
And cooks him a breakfast of pancakes galore;
She fills him with coffee to ward off the cold,
And visions the deer steak of which she is told.

His rifle's a beauty his boots cost a mint,
His cap, a new red one, from mama was sent;
His suit is all padded to keep in the warm,
He looks rather dashing to head for the farm.

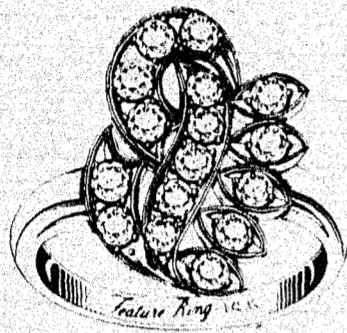
At last he's all ready to bring home the bacon,
If luck holds he'll get him a ten point he reckons;
He'll fill up the freezer with sausage and roast,
Then sit by the fireside all winter and boast.

Home is the hunter when dawn breaks the sky,
He sits on this doorstep and bellows and cries;
Sometime in the night came a snow storm with sleet,
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BACK AT HOME

Mrs. Arthur Turner is back at home after spending about two weeks in Brownwood Community Hospital. She is getting along well according to recent reports.

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Adventists Oppose Nat'l Day of Rest

Seventh-day Adventists are emphatically opposed to "Blue laws" that would establish Saturday as a national day of rest, a spokesman of the church said today.

W. Melvin Adams, director of public affairs and religious liberty for the church's world conference, made the assertion in response to an editorial in the November 5 issue of "Christianity Today", an evangelical fortnightly. The editorial, "consider the Case for Quiet Saturday," suggested that transportation and commerce be curtailed by law on Saturdays as a means of conserving energy and fostering family togetherness.

"We strongly disapprove of any attempt to legislate observance of any day of the week," said Adams. "While we believe in the benefits of observing the seventh-day Sabbath, and concur with the editors of 'Christianity Today' that a day of rest is beneficial, Adventists do not want Saturday legislation any more than we want 'blue laws' which encourage Sunday observance.

"Worship in order to be pleasing to God," continued Adams, "must spring voluntarily from the individual believer. We think every person should be free to worship on the day of his or her choosing, without the interference of the state. Anything short of this is a violation of the spirit of the first Amendment and the separation of church and state so dear to this nation."

The idea of observing Saturday instead of Sunday was proposed because Jews, Seventh-day Adventists, and others objected to an earlier "Christianity Today" editorial in which Editor Harold Lindsell had proposed Sunday as a common day of rest.

In the November 5 issue, the editors stated, "Jews and other Sabbatharians would be well served by this decision (to enforce Saturday as a rest day). For protestants and Catholics it should prove no theological hardship; apart from the fact that our Lord rose from the dead on the first day of the week, there is nothing in Scripture that requires

us to keep Sunday rather than Saturday as a holy day."

Adams pointed out that Lindsell and the editors of the magazine deserve credit for their interest in spiritual regeneration. "But using the power of civil authority is not the answer," he said.

Zambia Challenge Shown in Talk By Bob Barkley

Sunday evening the Northside Church of Christ heard special guest speaker, Robert Barkley as he reported on the summer's mission work done in Zambia by he and his son.

Using slides to give a better feel of the country and the work, he pointed out problems, advantages and challenges of the church work there.

"They live in an entirely different world," Barkley explained. "The attitudes, their pace of life, and their values are so different from western thinking. A missionary on the field must know these people well in order to say and do the right thing at the proper time."

Conversion to Christ is relatively simple but patience is needed to develop churches that will function without missionary presence.

One of the most notable features of the report was the children. They showed great ability to build toys that operated fantastically well out of scraps of wire, tin cans and wood.

Barkley challenged his audience to help in two ways. Bible literature is needed to aid the missionary in his work. He urged the church to be a gathering point for the material. Secondly, he urged the congregation to help send a college student to work with him when he returns next summer for more mission work.

VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and boys of Richardson spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Tony Rehm of Rockwood. The grandsons Jeffery and Gregory were deer hunting and each got a deer.

Mail Deadlines Are Suggested

Suggested Christmas mailing deadlines for domestic parcels and letter mail have been advanced because of an exceptionally high mail volume, according to Postmaster John C. Gregg.

The suggested Christmas mailing deadline is now December 3 for domestic parcels and December 10 for letter mail and greeting cards intended for delivery by Christmas.

"The impact of greatly increased mail volumes generated by the 15-state United Parcel Service strike in the East and South, and its residual effect on other parts of the country compels us to ask the public to mail even earlier than normal," Gregg said.

Parcel volume has already more than doubled in the strike area and is up significantly nationwide, and letter mail is also on the increase, according to the Postmaster.

He said that while letter mail will continue to receive priority treatment, the increase in mail from the general public, on top of the unprecedented business mail volume generated by the strike, could result in the use of many postal facilities normally dedicated to letter mail to prevent an unmanageable backlog of parcels.

"I strongly urge the public to deposit parcels by December 3 and letters and greeting cards by December 10 to assure they are delivered by Christmas," the Postmaster said.

Suggested mailing dates for international mail are unchanged, but customers are also urged to deposit overseas packages and greetings immediately, and to send them by airmail if they want to assure delivery by Christmas.

Former S-Annan Interred Here

Graveside funeral rites were held at Santa Anna City Cemetery Wednesday, November 17, for Mrs. D. W. (Annie) Nickens, about 80, who died Monday at Killeen. Funeral services were held in Killeen Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Nickens and her family lived in Santa Anna many years when her late husband was a Santa Fe agent.

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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

We regret to report the death of Mrs. Dink Snider, 75, the former Tavie Bryan, who died Saturday at 2:40 a.m. in Brownwood, with burial in Rockwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Lon Gray visited in Garland Friday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Routh and David and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Routh of Alvin.

Mrs. John Hunter visited in Del Rio Tuesday to Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sankey and Mr. and Mrs. Don Hill, Chato and Jim, visiting enroute home in Brady with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nevans.

Glendon Eppler of New Braunfels spent Friday night to Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eppler, Mr. Eppler was enroute to Dallas to attend the annual meeting of the Texas Municipal League and on to Texas A&M University to interview students in his line of work as City Planner of New Braunfels.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams came home Friday after visiting a week in Houston with Mr. and Mrs. Mac Ross Williams and Veronica and Mr. and Mrs. Larry McWherter and Blake and in Pasadena with friends.

Edmond McCarrell and daughter, Mrs. Gus Morgan, and children, of Santa Anna visited Mrs. C. H. McCarrell, Mrs. Goldie Milberger and Harold McCarrell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell left Monday for their home in Fairfield, Calif. after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caldwell in Santa Anna and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Reicheneau in Mason. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Steward of Brady visited the Caldwell's Monday afternoon and Allison Hagler of Coleman visited one day last week.

Mrs. Claud Box came home Monday after spending two weeks in Fort Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Johnny Pat. Enroute to Fort Worth Mrs. Box spent Monday night in Brownwood with Mrs. Vera Lovelady and Mrs. Doris Stearns. Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes visited in the Campbell home Wednesday afternoon. Friday Mrs. Campbell took Mrs. Estes and Mrs. Box to Lewisville to visit Mrs. Mae Rutherford and daughters, Hazel and Martha. Sunday Mrs. Boss Estes, and Mrs. Box accompanied the Rev. Douglas Estes and Mrs. Estes to the Tyler St. Baptist Church, where he is pastor a group of young people from TCU presented the program. Sunday supper guests with the Campbells and Mrs. Box were Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Estes and Mike and Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes and Kathy Kale.

Latest cash donations to the Rockwood Cemetery fund in memory of Polk Lankford were from Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Estes, Mrs. John Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Ardis Caldwell and Randy and Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Sherry Hoskins and Heather.

On Monday while Mrs. Box was

in Fort Worth, dinner guests in the Campbell home were Mrs. Bob Floyd, Mrs. Avise Fox and Mrs. Dean Floyd of Dallas. Friday, Mrs. Box and Mrs. Campbell went to Richardson to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Blackwell on their guests Mr. and Mrs. Bob Floyd, Mrs. Fox and Mrs. Paul Riddle of Coleman. T. Blackwells took Mrs. Riddle to Fort Worth Monday morning, and she returned home as Mrs. Box came Monday afternoon.

Dick Chaffin, Mrs. T. McIver Give Program

Mrs. Willard Allen was hostess when the Self Culture Club met last week in the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist church. Refreshments of coffee and lemon cake were served as the members arrived, from a table laid with a cloth of printed yellow mums and centered with a green bowl of yellow mums.

A program on Americanism was led by Dick Chaffin whose subject was What Makes America Great. Mrs. Terry McIver sang a medley of patriotic songs, closing with God Bless America, with Mr. Chaffin accompanying at the piano.

Mrs. Norval Wylie presided at the business session. A donation was made to the District President for stationery, and also a gift was sent to Mrs. Tom Stewardson, vice-president of the club, whose home was lost by fire recently. A down-town store window will be decorated for Christmas, by Mrs. Henry Newman, Mrs. Frank McCary and Mrs. C. D. Bruce.

Mrs. Phil Cabansag announced that the December meeting will be a dinner on December 8, with Mrs. Earl Chapman as co-hostess.

Present besides those named were Mrs. Myrtle Hill and Mrs. Edrine Tyson Davis of Illinois, who were guests, and members Mrs. Preston Bailey, Mrs. Hardy Blue, Mrs. Peter Durichek, Mrs. J. W. Haynes, Mrs. J. C. Mathews, Mrs. Gus Morgan, Mrs. Earl Simmons, Mrs. Burl Sparkman, Mrs. C. P. Wenzel, Mrs. Bob Wille and Mrs. Opal Stockard.

Party To Honor Betty A. Barton

Betty Ann Barton, bride-elect of Charles Wilford Roberson of Giddings, will be honored with a bridal shower Saturday, November 20, at Mountain City Center at 7 p.m. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

Miss Barton and her fiance will be married Saturday, December 4. The wedding site has been changed to United Methodist Church, and everyone is invited to attend the 7:30 p.m. ceremony.

FFA News

By Elaine Newman

FFA PERSONALITIES

A sophomore at Santa Anna High School is Mike Ballard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Ballard.

Mike's Vo-Ag activities last year included being a member of the Greenhand Conducting team and his project was 20 acres of wheat and two cows. This year Mike again is farming 20 acres of wheat and has two cows.

Mike is very active in school organizations and was highest ranking student of the freshman class last year. As a freshman he was president of his class, a member of FFA, Beta Club, Science Club, Librarians Club, and on the annual staff. He played football and was a basketball manager.

Mike is president of Beta Club this year and reporter of his class besides being in the other organizations.

FFA

Phil Johnson is a sophomore at SAHS and a Vo-Ag student. He is the grandson of Virgil Lancaster.

Phil's first year project was a beef steer that was fifth in its class. Phil was a member of the FFA Parliamentary Procedure Team.

This year Phil has four Duroc pigs as his project. The pigs were raised out of the first place gilt at the 1975 Santa Anna Stock Show and sired by a \$2,000 boar.

Phil's other school activities include football for two years, track one year, a member of Science Club and Distributive Education Club and FFA.

FFA

A freshman at SAHS is Raul Salazar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Salazar. Raul is in the Vocational Agriculture I class.

Raul will be showing a Chester White pig as his first FFA project. He is a member of the Parliamentary Procedure and chapter Conducting teams in FFA.

Raul was a voting delegate to the District FFA meeting in Bangs this year.

While in Junior High Raul was a member of the winning football team.

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



This is one more time, we don't or want have to read the papers to find out about the main topic of discussion which is the weather. In Coleman County we had a snow before a killing frost. And also quite a while before Thanksgiving our community received 4 inches of snow. And today (Monday) the sun has not made its appearance. So we may still have cold bad weather.

Mr. John David Morris returned home Saturday from a hunting trip to northern New Mexico. He was with a group of men, and reported a nice journey, only cold weather. But all brought home meat.

Mrs. Bruce Holoman of Grande Prairie came Tuesday and visited until Friday with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick.

Mr. Wimpy Watson was transacting business in Brownwood Monday.

Mrs. Bo Smith and daughter Deborah of Abilene spent Wednesday and Thursday night with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford. Mrs. Smith spent Thursday in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jernigan of Buchanan Lake were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Friday.

Mrs. John David Morris spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong in Coleman.

Mrs. Lee Abernathy went to San Angelo Sunday to make acquaintance with a new grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford. Reports are all are doing fine. The mother and new son came home from hospital Saturday.

Mr. Hilary Rutherford and son Rocky and Jim Harrgett of Coleman, visited briefly with the Tom Rutherfords Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Jamie Lee Morris of Dallas spent Thursday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick of Crandell, and boys teaching with Don, Don Mitchell and Jack Helms also of Crandell, were

weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick.

Mrs. Floyd Morris and Mrs. John David Morris were in Brownwood Wednesday and visited with "Ma" (Bush) Harrell. Sorry Mrs. Harrell was not feeling so well.

Junior Hi Teams Divide Wins With Tal-Cen Juniors

The Santa Anna Junior High girls basketball team defeated the Talpa-Centennial girls in the first game of the season Thursday by a score of 20-13. Gayla Pritchard led the scoring with 14 points, while Norma Salazar added the other six points.

The Junior Mounties lost a close 24-26 game with the Tal-Cen boys, the visitors going ahead during the final minute of the game. Dwayne Warnock scored 10 points to lead the Mounties. Others scoring for the home team were Danny Guerrero, Russell Buzzard, Randy Scarborough, Junior Salazar and Mike Salazar.

The Junior High teams will host the Jim Ned teams Monday night, November 22, at 6:30 p.m.

Players on Coach Rebecca Martin's team are Gayla Pritchard, Lori Herring, Norma Salazar, Joni Weathers, Donna Morris, Sheri Hipsher, Gay Hosch, Juliann Jones, Lisa and Teresa Rolfe, Lori Smith, Eva Siller, Loretta Collins, Elvia Salazar and Patricia Jackson.

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Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

Our Quilting Club met last Thursday. Ruth has a quilt in. Those attending were Evaline, Ruth and Clara.

The David Morgans and John of Sonora visited with their parents over the weekend, the Casey Herrings. The Gus Morgans of Santa Anna, Pam and John also attended our church Sunday morning. They have been on vacation and visited in Odessa with the Kenneth Herrings, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Schulle and family, and Mr. and Mrs. David Elder. The Dale Herrings and son of Coleman visited their parents Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming were dinner guests of their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sikes and family of Bangs on Sunday.

The Darrel Cupps visited in the Coleman Hospital with Edward Leonard Tuesday. He is pretty sick. Lucy and the children

visited again Wednesday. David Dutton came home with Lucy.

Lynn Wright of Oklahoma and Phill Chambers of Brownwood visited in the Casey Herring home Sunday morning.

Friday evening visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cupps were Vera Wise and Rith Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh visited in Bangs with her mother Mrs. Mae Flores, Mrs. Douglas Perkins also visited.

Visitors in the C. C. Gould home during the week have been, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould Jr. and Clayton of Brownwood and Gene Henson of Austin. Edna Hunter of Brownwood came and took them to town Friday.

Aunt Tennie Campbells visitors have been Pearl Arnold, Novie Switzer, Lela Hodges, Gwen Garey of Buckholts, the Calvin Campbells and the grandchildren, and The Dutch Campbells.

Aunt Lela Hodges has returned to her home after spending some time in Buckholts with the Frank Gareys. She is feeling much better. Her visitors have been, Ilene Ellis, Dick Baugh and Dorothy Wallace.

Bea Cupps visited her mother Mrs. Lola Dunlap in Hobbs, New Mexico. Her mother returned home with her for a visit. J. T. Naron visited also.

Lee Ray Huggins and David visited Harden Phillips.

Mrs. Ercell Ellis visited Lou Pierce Wednesday mornig, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coats of Proctor visited Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Moore visited in San Antonio over the weekend with their children Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Moore Jr.

Mrs. Lora Russell returned to Crane Thursday after visiting the Russells a week. Thursday night she received a message that her brother, Horace Early of Dallas had passed away.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard were Mrs. Gladys Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Elgene Gilliam and David of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Priest.

Mr. and Mrs. Phill Huggins and Dana of Coleman visited Saturday evening with the Lee Ray Huggins and David.

Iona Moore visited Roxie Allison Tuesday.

A family get-together was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis on Saturday and Sunday. Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wells of New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Welch of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Don Gatlin and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells of Lorine Mr. and Mrs. Emit Williams of Arizona, Mrs. Gertrude McDaniel of Arizona, Mrs. Grace Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ellis and Bryce of Liberty and Tammy Ellis.

Lucille Cupps called this morning to tell us that Edward Leonard had passed away. Our sympathy goes out to the family and friends.

For our weather this Monday, still snow on ground and cloudy. We might have more snow tomorrow. I hope not, I don't like this kind of weather.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Copeland and son of Alta Loma visited recently in the home of his mother, Mrs. Effie Copeland. Joining the family here was Mrs. Copeland's sister, Alma Burnett of Brownwood.

Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Sunday was a bad quiet day here. Church services were called off, but a few came for the singing. They did not have the singing as the weather was so bad after a big snow for this time of year. We had about four inches here and a wet snow. This sure ought to make the ground wet.

It was a sad weekend for us. My nephew Bryan Elder of Odessa who had planned to be with us over the weekend. He was coming Friday and stay until Tuesday with us to hunt deer and turkey. He had a bad stroke Tuesday evening at his home in Odessa. He was taken to the hospital in an ambulance. He can not talk or swallow and is paralyzed on the right side and brain damage on left side. When I talked to his wife Sunday he was not much better, but did act like he knew them. His girls flew in to be with him, so gives us some hopes.

Oma Lee Dockery and grandson, Wesley Dockery visited the G. K. Stearns Tuesday morning. Pat Stearns and son Ronnie of Fort Worth visited them over the weekend and also his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Sommons and sons Tracey and Allen from Savannah Georgia spent the weekend with them. She is a niece of G. K. Stearns. This is Pat Stearns's daughter and family.

Philip Cozart and friend from Houston came by and visited his grandparents the Fred Haynes Monday evening.

Sherrie McIver from San Angelo was home over the weekend with the Rankin McIvers, Ricky and Darla Beal and Christi from Lake Brownwood spent Sunday night with them.

Rodney Guthrie spent the weekend with Annie Lou Vaughn.

Russie James spent the weekend with her sister Yette Cole in Brownwood and her daughter and family the Pat McShans.

Gayla Sellers and Allen, Jorge Wert and Ruby and Grady Clay McIver spent Friday night with the Grady McIvers. Terry and Orabeth McIver and children visited Saturday morning.

Florence Stearns visited the Gordon Stearns a while Wednesday night and Carrie Stacy visited Florence Thursday evening.

Mary Lea Mitchell and her brother, J. B. Griffin spent the weekend with her daughter and family, Betty and Damon Miller, Pam, Angela and J. J. in Austin. Mary Lea said they did not have snow down there but had some rain.

Oma Lee Dockery spent Sunday night with the Ray Dockery family near Rockwood today Monday was Tracy's birthday so they were having a supper for her. Earlene Dockery took Wesley to see Tracy on her birthday Nov. 15. She was three years old.

Rankin McIver talked to Bryan Elder's wife this Monday night. She said he was some better and was moved in a semi-private room out of intensive care. He also turned himself in bed today, so sounds like our prayers are

being answered. He is a good Christian man and needed in this world today. We don't have as much news this week. It has been too bad to do much visiting.

We are glad to report Lillie Featherston is some better with the flu.

35 attended the Santa Anna and Bangs AARP meeting Monday, Nov. 15 at the Bangs Community Center. We didn't go as the weather was so cold and foggy. We always enjoy the meetings seeing our friends there.

It is cloudy and cold this Tuesday morning.

Ranger Park Inn News

Rev. W. M. Price and Mrs. David Camp were at the Inn Sunday for the Sunday School hour.

Ladies from the Northside Baptist Church brought the devotional Wednesday, in the absence of the pastor. Those helping were Zuda Henderson, Vera Scott, Amanda Perry, and Selma Hasserodt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard brought flower arrangements to the Inn and Hospital that were used at their anniversary party. Everyone enjoyed the flowers and appreciates the Howards Sharing the flowers with us.

Melvin Smith of Coleman, a patient of Dr. Fil Cabansag, has painted and donated a painting for the lobby of the Inn. The picture was done while Mr. Smith was confined to a wheel chair. Our thanks to Mr. Smith.

Visitors with Mrs. Beulah Tierney have been her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Welch of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Bessie Parish visited with Bertha Simmons, Peal Swartz and Dovie Chapman.

Mrs. Jake McCreary visited her mother, Mrs. Kate McIlvain.

Visitors with Faye Murphy have been her daughter and a friend, Mrs. R. L. Christenson of Big Spring and Edna Epperson of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elder of Coleman visited her brother, Orvil Croft.

Mrs. W. J. Watson of Coleman visited her mother and brother, Lola White and Troy Lewis.


Dan Shuford enjoyed a visit with his granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bockmon of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Farmer visited during the week with Lee Smith.

Doris Bamber, Lucille Seratte and Mrs. Tommy Pollock were at the Inn Monday to sing for the residents.

Bessie Pallitt visited during the week with Bertha Simmons, Minnie Humphery, and Pearl Swartz. Bessie Parrish also visited with Mrs. Simmons and Mrs. Swartz and Mrs. Chapman.

Mrs. Myrtle Hill has been a patient in the hospital for a few days, but has been dismissed and hopes to be back at work in a few more days.




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ANNOUNCEMENT
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Hospital News

The following patients were admitted to the Ranger Park Hospital Nov. 8-15:
Faye M. Murphy, RPI
Otto Rackow, Coleman
Irma L. Herring, City
Inez Leonard, Bangs
Hope Diaz, City
Ollie Yarborough, City
Mary Miller
Nadine McKinney
Dismissals Nov. 8-15 have been:
Hope Diaz, City
Ollie Yarborough, City
Judith Goree, Coleman
Donniga Diaz, City
Dessie Drennan, Coleman
Versie M. Hodges, Coleman
Dana Beth McKenney, Burkett
Ethel C. Fenwick, Winters
Lela Whitely, Brownwood
Louisa Frousto, City
Earnestine Arnold, Coleman
Raymond Castillo, City
Viola Fields, Coleman
Others still in the hospital Nov. 15:
Winnie McGee, Coleman
Dennie Sharp, City
Alven Burden, City

AROUND TOWN CALENDAR of Community Events

Thurs., Nov. 18:
SAHS Basketball Tournament, Perry Gymnasium, 1:00 p.m.
Fri., Nov. 19:
Basketball Tourney, Perry Gymnasium, 1:00 p.m.
Sat. Nov. 20:
Garden Club Luncheon, Lions Building, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Basketball tourney, Perry Gymnasium, 9 a.m.
Sun. Nov. 21:
ATTEND CHURCH
Community Thanksgiving Service United Presbyterian Church, 6:30 p.m.
Mon., Nov. 22:
Flu Clinic Training, Community Civic Center, 9:30 a.m.
JHS Basketball, Perry Gymnasium, 6:30 p.m.
Cantata choir rehearsal, Methodist Church, 7 p.m.
Eastern Star Masonic Hall, 7:30 p.m.
Tues., Nov. 23:
Lions Club, Lions Building 12 noon
Varsity Junior Varsity Basketball, Perry Gym, 4 p.m.
Wed. Nov. 24:
Mid-week service, 1st Baptist Church 6 p.m.

WEEKEND VISITORS
Weekendvisitors with Mrs. O. C. Yancy Sr. and Mary were Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yancy Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Cameron, Alan Rachell and Cherrri, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Slack, Michael and Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paps and Greg all of Austin, Mrs. Charlie Lowery and Gene Haigler of Fort Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy and Toni of Rockwood. The group enjoyed a weekend of deer hunting.

HOME FROM OKLAHOMA
Mr. and Mrs. John Gregg were in Yukon, Oklahoma last weekend to visit their daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. Emmitt Stiles, Dennis and Christi Jo. They returned home Wednesday.

Marine Pilot To New Post In North Carolina

Marine Captain William J. Horne, son of Roy J. Horne of Santa Anna, has reported for duty at the Marine corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N.C.
A 1968 graduate of University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Ark., with a Bachelor of Science in Business administration Degree, he joined the Marine Corps in July 1968. He is also a graduate of Santa Anna High School.



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GOOD OLD DAYS...The students and teacher at the former Harper School near the Shields Community is shown in this 1904 photograph submitted by Mrs. Sam Estes. Advertisements of Santa Anna merchants surround the photo that includes a number of Rockwood's most prominent citizens who attended the school at that time.

Picture of Early Harper School Brings Interesting Information

By Mrs. John Hunter
The former Harper School picture, submitted by Mrs. Sam Estes, was made in 1904, the first year of the school and the first school year for Sam Estes. The school was on the Robert Milligan farm located at the cross-roads some three miles north of Rockwood and about one mile west of Highway 283. Students identified by numbers are 3-Sam Estes; 4- Lizzie Kirkland; 5 Mamie Jerrell; 8 Raymond Jerrell Crews; 9 Linnie Box; 10 Haskell Kirkland; 12 Era Jerrell; 14 Willie Harper; 15 Mamie Kirkland; 16 Rosa Belle

Rites Held For Edward Leonard Tuesday, Nov. 16

Edward F. John Leonard, 62, of Coleman, died at 2 p.m. Sunday at Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital. Services were held Tuesday, November 16, at Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman with Rev. Paul Hubbard of Emmanuel Baptist Church officiating. Interment was in Coleman City Cemetery.

Born July 16, 1914, in Santa Anna, he married Maggie Wells August 22, 1942 in Coleman. He was a lifetime resident of Coleman County and was a retired truck driver. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife, his stepfather, R. L. Briggs of Coleman; three daughters, Joy Gillespie of Clyde, Cathy Dutton of Roby and Carolyn McGee of Coleman; four sons, Allen Leonard of Garland, Lonnie of Hobbs, N. M., James of Brownwood, and Carl of Snyder; three sisters, Mrs. Dave Shields and Mrs. C. J. Strength, both of Cross Plains, and Mrs. A. B. Prowse of Farmington, N. M.; and two brothers, George of Brownwood and L. G. of California.

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Teachers remembered are Miss Vesta Lewis, Ethel Hemphill, Henry Reynolds, Elma Maxwell, Mrs. Myrtie Milligan and Alma Gardner.

It is remembered that the Harper school was consolidated with Concho Peak School about 1914, when Concho Peak school, which was located north of the Bert Fowler farm, was moved farther north to the lane west of the Harper school.

Concho Peak was later consolidated with the Shields public school and about 1940 the building was moved to Shields for a lunch room; after the Shields consolidation with Santa Anna the building was bought by Tom Stewardson to use for storage on his ranch.

Consolidation spelled "Death" for small communities!!!!

Roy Stockard Feted on B-Day

Roy Stockard was honored Sunday, November 14, with a family get-together in observance of his 86th birthday. The party was held at the home of Mrs. Opal Stockard and included a dinner complete with decorated birthday cake.

Those present for the occasion were the Stockard children, Mr. and Mrs. Morris McFaddin, Lynn and Marlinda of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Stockard and children of Abilene and Mrs. Jeannine Sawyer of Brownwood.

Also with the group were friends of the McFaddins, Marilyn Smith and Sammy Jones of San Angelo.

Tuesday Forum Well Attended

Don Jackson of Howard Payne University was moderator for the Senior Citizens Forum held in Santa Anna Tuesday, November 16, at Mountain City Center.

Featured on the program were television films on problems of aging. Group discussions followed each presentation, with those taking part discussing individual problems and community programs for the older citizens.

The 25 present were divided into small groups to compile lists of suggestions for programs that would be of benefit to local people over 65 years of age.

A covered dish dinner was served at noon to those present.

Mrs. Henry Newman, coordinator of the forum, expressed appreciation to the J. E. Stevens Co. of Coleman for donating the use of a color television set for the programs and to Max Eubank of Cable TV for installing the set for the day.



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Governor Dolph Briscoe announced approval of a \$5,000 Community Services Administration grant to Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., in Coleman.

The grant is for Community Food and Nutrition Program, and is effective retroactively to Oct. 1, 1976, for a seven-month period. It is funded under Title II of the Head Start, Economic Opportunity, and Community Partnership Act of 1974.

The funds are being used to purchase food or food stamps in extreme emergencies for poor families, and to provide limited health services for low-income persons suffering from ailments caused by malnutrition, hunger or starvation.

Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., is operating the project in an eight-county area including the counties of Brown, Coleman, Callahan, Runnels, Eastland, Comanche, Stephens and McCulloch.

Grant processing and program liaison are through the Economic Opportunity Division of the Texas Department of Community Affairs.

STILL VERY ILL

Mrs. Jimmy Boggus is still in the intensive care unit at Brownwood Community Hospital where she has been the past two weeks following a heart attack. Members of the family have been at her bedside every day and report her condition about the same.

VFD, Auxiliary Enjoy Supper Monday Night

The annual Thanksgiving supper for members of the Volunteer Fire Department and Ladies Auxiliary was held Monday night, November 15, at the Fire Hall. About 30 people enjoyed the meal and get-together.

Turkey, dressing and all the trimmings were served to the group. An arrangement of yellow chrysanthemums decorated the serving table and quartet tables were covered with white cloths.

It was announced that members of the Auxiliary will have a called meeting within the next two weeks to decorate the window for the Christmas opening. Members will be contacted with the date and time.

The next regular meeting of the group will be Monday, December 6.

ATTEND BARBECUE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Benge and Mrs. James Eubank were in Millersview Thursday, November 11, to attend the Community's 57th Annual Barbecue and Veterans Day celebration. Although a large crowd was on hand for the event, the cold weather decreased the usual number for the Bicentennial celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Benge of Benecilia, California were present for the Millersview get-together and returned to Santa Anna to spend the weekend with his brother, Charles Benge and family.

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