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Mountain Echoes



By
Barbara
Kingsbery

The communities of Whon and Trickham often make the news; Whon has the unique drive-in post office and Trickham an unusual name.

San Angelo Standard Times columnist Rick Smith gave mention to Trickham in his November 23 front page column. Smith quoted a San Angelo eighth grader who furnished information about the community name and interesting events about our county's oldest settlement.

Several people have asked about local "connections" of slain highway Patrolman Samuel Long, 39, who was shot near Rankin last week. The Abilene Reporter News obituary listed his birthplace as Santa Anna.

Hospital News in the March 24, 1937 issue of the NEWS mentioned the dismissal of "Mrs. N. L. Long and baby boy of Cross Plains". To our knowledge there are no local people among survivors of the slain officer.

Now that Thanksgiving is past, Christmas is drawing near. Our annual Christmas edition of the News will be published Thursday, December 23. We will again have letters to Santa Claus, so children in the community are invited to send their requests via the NEWS office.

Deadline for the Santa letters will be Friday, December 10.

Ginning Underway At SA Co-Op Gin

The Santa Anna Co-Op Gin is open for business and has ginned a total of 92 bales so far this season. No cotton was brought to the gin for a two-week period during mid-November because of wet weather, but more should be stripped and processed now if the weather remains dry.

Cotton is of good quality, according to manager William Brown, and selling for 66-70 cents per pound, about twice the price of cotton last year.

Nearly 800 bales of cotton were ginned here last year, but only half that number is expected this year. The largest and most prolific cotton area—Rockwood and Gouldbusk—had heavy hail in September that destroyed many acres of good cotton. Most of the cotton from that area had been contracted for about 70 cents per pound.

The local gin is open each day, and approximately five to 10 bales are processed each day. The Echo Gin northeast of Coleman is also in operation this year.

Christmas Opening Friday

Parade, Other Events Slated For Holiday Season Opener

S-Anna Lions' Pancake Fiesta Slated Friday

Santa Anna Lions Club members made plans for the Friday Pancake Fiesta during the business meeting Tuesday noon. Committees were named and tickets distributed to members for sale.

There were no visitors with the group Tuesday.

C. P. Wenzel reported on the good participation of local businesses in giving door prizes that now total 65.

Visitors at the November 23 meeting were Clint Horne of Abilene, a guest of his father, Roy Horne and Tom Stevens, a guest of Bill Riley. Richard Chaffin gave the program entitled "What Makes America Great," at the meeting last week.

The Christmas holiday season will officially open in Santa Anna Friday, December 3, with special activities for the entire community. Main event of the day will be the Christmas parade at 2:30 p.m. Friday afternoon.

Donnie and Chris Henderson are co-chairmen of the Chamber of Commerce activities and have announced the parade route and some of the features of the parade.

Floater, bands and other parade entries will assemble at 2 p.m. on Avenue B near City Hall. The parade will travel east to Lee Street, south to Wallis, then go through the downtown section of town twice, making a U-turn at Fourth Street. The route will then include the block south on First Street, west on North Santa Fe, north from Harvey Grocery toward the Bank and back to City Hall.

Several local groups have floats entered in the parade, and

children with decorated bicycles or in costume are invited to take part. Cash prizes will be given winning entries.

The Santa Anna and Coleman High School Bands will march in the parade, and Santa Claus will be featured. Everyone with a float for the parade is asked to contact Chris or Donnie Henderson if they have not already done so. Floats will be assigned places in the parade ahead of time if possible.

Mrs. Norval Wylie is chairman of the window decoration committee that enlists clubs and organizations to decorate windows in the vacant buildings in the downtown area. The windows will also be judged for prizes Friday.

The annual Lions Club pancake sale will be held Friday from 10 a.m. through 8 p.m. Lions Club members are selling tickets for the meal or they may be purchased at the door.

A total of 65 door prizes will be given away during the day, donated by local merchants.

An added attraction this year is the Parent Teacher Organization bazaar and sale to be held in the Corner Drug building. Several organizations will have booths with items for sale as well as the PTO bake sale and rummage sale. Members of the PTO are asking for used items to be donated for the sale or they are arranging for space for those who wish to have their own display of items.

Hundreds of area people are expected to be in town for the activities Friday, and local merchants will be displaying their CHRISTMAS merchandise and welcoming friends and customers to the downtown area.

Good Turnout Reported At Innoculation Clinic

Approximately 450 people took advantage of the free influenza inoculation clinic Monday, sponsored by the State Health Department and local committee on aging.

The well-organized clinic had about 40 volunteers assisting with the clerical work and inoculations. Mrs. Henry Newman, local coordinator, was assisted by Patrick Hosch, Coleman County coordinator. Mary Maxwell of the Abilene office was on hand for the clinic as well as several members of the Department staff.

It was announced that the "Clean Up" clinic will be held Saturday, January 15, for those who missed the Monday clinic and for those aged 18 to 24 who are to receive a booster shot. The clinic will be from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Community Civic Center. Anyone in the area who missed the Monday clinic is urged to take advantage of the second one next month.

Mrs. Newman expressed her appreciation to those who assisted with the clinic that was so well organized and staffed.

Memorial Gifts To SA Cemetery

Santa Anna Cemetery Association has received a number of memorial gifts in recent weeks for people recently deceased.

Lenora and Evelyn James of Houston made a memorial gift to the late Mrs. D. W. Nickens who was buried here recently.

A memorial gift for the late Henry Turner was made by Mrs. Lee Woodward of Mineral Well's.

Those making gifts in memory to the late Mrs. J. L. Boggus have been the following: Bobby and Calvin Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Zachary, Mrs. Will Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Dean, Gale Allen Brock.



CONTEST ENTRIES.... These three Santa Anna tots are local entries in the Coleman County "Little Miss Christmas Spirit" contest in Coleman Saturday. They will be featured in the Coleman Christmas parade at 10 a.m. December 4. Enjoying the mid-day sunshine and making friends with a pet kitten are from left, Christi Strother, Clarissa Henderson and Julie Dean.

S-Anna To Have Entries In Coleman County Events

Three Santa Anna children will be among the 50 entries in the "Little Miss Christmas Spirit" contest to be held in Coleman Saturday morning. The children will also take part in the Christmas parade at 10 a.m.

Clarissa Henderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Henderson, is four years of age. Her escort for the contest will be Michael Knox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beck Knox of Coleman.

Three-year-old Julie Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Dean, will be escorted by her brother, Jason, at the contest Saturday.

Christi Strother, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Strother, will be escorted by Scotty Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Anderson.

The children will be judged prior to the parade Saturday morning. The contest is sponsored by the Action Club of Coleman.

Also to take part in the parade Saturday will be five girls of high school age who are entries in the "Miss Christmas Spirit" event. They include Terry Kilcrease, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kilcrease, Delma and Sylvia Salazar, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Salazar, Anita McPhail, daughter of the Royce McPhails, and Sandi Hipsher, daughter of the Edwin Hipshers. Local merchants are sponsoring the girls in the county-wide event, that has 40 entries.

The Santa Anna Band will also be marching in the parade Saturday in Coleman.

"Corrie" Will Be Shown Sunday Evening At FBC

A new feature film, "Corrie," will be shown Sunday evening at First Baptist Church at 6 p.m. The full-length color film is subtitled "Behind the Scenes with 'The Hiding Place.'"

"The Hiding Place," a true story filmed in Holland and other European locations, is based on the experiences of Corrie ten Boom, who with her father, sister and brother, provided refuge for countless Jewish families during World War II. A secret room was constructed in their home as a hiding place for use during Gestapo raids. When the ten Booms' activities were

discovered, they were sent to prisons and concentration camps.

The film includes interesting sidelights on the experiences of the cast and crew during the filming of "The Hiding Place" and it transmits part of the zesty personality and source of strength of Miss ten Boom during the dark and trying period of history.

Rev. W. M. Price, pastor of the church, stresses the showing of "Corrie" is open to the public and free of charge. Families are encouraged to attend together for what should be a memorable experience.

RETURNS TO HOME

Mrs. John D. Davis has returned to her home in Mt. Vernon, Ill., after spending three weeks here with her sister, Mrs. Preston Bailey, and other friends and relatives.

Thanksgiving visitors were the Baileys' daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hartman, David and Daniel of Odessa, Gary Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hartman and Mary of Austin.

FAMILY VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Morris McFaddin of San Angelo visited during the holiday weekend with her parents, Mrs. Opal Stockard and Roy Stockard. They all went to Brownwood Thanksgiving Day for dinner with another daughter and sister, Mrs. Jeannine Sawyer.

Visiting with Mrs. Sawyer and the other relatives was Karen McClusky Griffin and daughter Shannon of Carrollton.

THANKSGIVING VISITORS

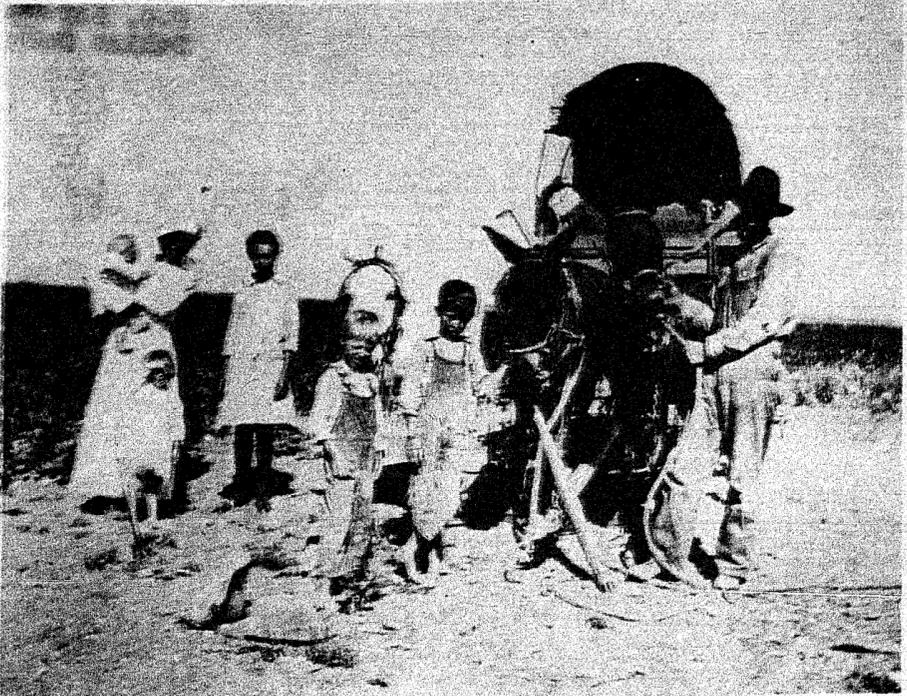
Visiting with Mrs. J. W. Haynes on Thanksgiving day were her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Love of Tulsa, a niece, Mrs. Edwin Simonton of Mineral Wells, and Mrs. Marie Cammack of Belton.

Visitors during the afternoon were Mrs. C. D. Bruce and Mrs. Grady Banister of Burnet.

VISIT IN SANTA ANNA

Tony Tucker of Snyder spent last week with his parents, the Blackie Bracks and the Archie Tuckers, also here for the weekend were Doug Duane and David Tucker from Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Leech of Azle were holiday visitors with the Bracks and other relatives.



COTTON HARVEST 60 YEARS AGO... The late William and Janetta Taylor are shown with their family in 1916 as they harvested cotton on a Haskell County farm. The family farmed in the Gouldbusk area where a drought brought crop failure that year. The family followed the cotton

harvest three months before returning to their home. They lived in their wagon much of the time, camping in the fields with their mules. The Taylor children are all Santa Anna residents, from left, Loyd (held by Mrs. Taylor), Opa. (Elder), Viola (Thomas), deceased, Ernest and Oscar.



White water stains from glasses on the polished tables can be removed gradually with petroleum jelly. Each day rub some of the stain until it disappears.

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SPARKMAN VISITORS

Holiday weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. W. B. Sparkman were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Sparkman, Mr. and Mrs. Don Kennedy and family, all of Houston, Dr. and Mrs. John Sparkman and son of Coleman and Roy Sparkman of Texas Tech University, Lubbock.

Also visiting during the weekend was Helen Weller of Beaumont, a sister of Mrs. John Sparkman.

Greet The Holidays—Head On

It's the start of a busy holiday season with goings and doings for all members of your family. It's also a season when everyone wants to look their best—and well-styled, sparkling hair is a major part of your image.

If it's been a while since you've had your hair professionally cut and styled, give yourself a present that will carry you beautifully into the months ahead. Put yourself into the hands of a good hair stylist and get a cut that's best for your face and hair type. The newer styles are all body and shape and—though they may seem casual—require proper care to stay looking their best. This is equally true for men with today's longer yet well-groomed look that is so popular.

To keep hair looking good with minimum of fuss, turn to one of the versatile, efficient hair care appliances like the Super-Pro professional style pistol dryer from General

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ATTEND COWBOY GAME

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bowker, Debbie and Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Griffin and Mrs. Dorothy Watson went to Dallas Thanksgiving Day to attend the Dallas Cowboys Football game. They returned home on Friday.

Debbie and Scott spent the holidays with their family, returning to classes at McMurry College in Abilene Sunday.

"In doubt if an action be just, abstain."
Zoroaster

GOOD NEWS

By WRIGHT PRICE, Pastor



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First Baptist Church of Santa Anna

Visitors Welcome—Members Expected

Years Ago In The NEWS

The following stories are from the December 3, 1937 issue of the NEWS:

The staff dormitory for the Sealy Hospital Staff Nurses has been completed and is ready for occupancy. The home is the residence one block south of the hospital formerly occupied by Mrs. H. Stevens.

The house has been completely rebuilt and four rooms have been furnished. Those residing there will be nurses who are members of the staff of the hospital whose homes are not already in the city.

The Texas Ranger Headquarters at the Pan American Exposition Grounds at Dallas has announced that the rustic furniture used at the location for the past two summers would be donated to Santa Anna for the use in the Texas Ex-Rangers Museum to be built here if Santa Anna citizens would pay transportation costs.

The new road to Coleman has been opened up and traffic will use it for about a week, when it will be closed again for a short time while tar is being added.

Construction of the road has taken about six months.

Fire of unknown origin Friday completely destroyed Porter's Grocery Store and damaged D. R. Hill and Bros. Dry Goods Store and Purdy Mercantile Co. The upper story of Corner Drug Store was also damaged. Total damage of the four stores amounted to approximately \$15,000.

The alarm was turned in at 4:30 a.m. by George May, nightwatchman. Fireman fought the blaze three hours before the fire was extinguished.

Jud Porter, owner of the grocery, was in San Antonio getting a load of supplies for the store when the fire occurred. T. M. Hays owned the building which was destroyed.

Basketball practice at the high school started this week with a workout Tuesday in preparation for a game scheduled today with Buffalo at the consolidated school. The game will be one of several scheduled for a tournament.

Approximately 12 boys have come out for the practice and John Little, football coach, is also coaching the basketball team.

Those who have signed up for practice are Virgil Lancaster, H. L. Lackey, Wendell Rowe, Lee Schattel, Vernon Oakes, Hilburn Henderson, L. V. Cupps, Byrnes Galloway, Burton Gregg, Damon Jackson and Bailey Horner.

The Lions Club will honor the pep squad, band and football groups and club members and their wives at their annual banquet Tuesday, December 14. The committee in charge of the banquet is Dr. R. R. Lovelady, J. T. Garrett and John Franklin Turner.

A good time was reported by most everyone this holiday season. Many turkeys met their destinations at our Thanksgiving dinner tables.

In order to celebrate Thanksgiving in a big way, Aaron and Troy Avants decided to have a coon stew, but their hunt proved quite serious when Troy mistakenly shot Aaron's foot instead of the coon.

Sixty-five guests attended the openhouse given Friday night by

Miss Marilyn Baxter at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Baxter. Those calling were college students home for the holidays, members of the class of '37 members of the football team, pep squad, band and their sponsors.

Assisting in greeting guests and serving were Misses Gene Adams, Elsie Haynes, Dorothy Pieratt, Laverne Ink, Loraine Parsons, Louise Oakes, Helen Oakes and June Kirkpatrick.

Weekend specials at the Red & White Grocery Stores:
Flour-24 lb. sack-89c
Early Riser Coffee-lb. can-17c
A-Brand crackers-2 lb. box-19c
Sliced bacon-32c per lb.
Round or loin steak-25c per lb.
Cheese-23c per lb.
Beef roast-15c per lb.

Man Known Here Buried Saturday At Breckenridge

Funeral services were held in Breckenridge Saturday, November 27, for Paul Tucker, 54, of Odessa who died at Odessa Friday following a long illness. Mr. Tucker was the husband of the former Joyce Moredock of Santa Anna and an Odessa businessman.

Survivors are his wife; three children, Debbie, Randy and Cameron Tucker; several brothers and sisters.

Mrs. S. K. Moredock has been in Odessa the past two weeks with her daughter and family and was joined by her sons, Kenneth Moredock of Houston and Duane Moredock of Denver, Colorado to attend the funeral services.

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Combs on Thanksgiving Day were his mother and brother, Mrs. Alma Combs and Chris, and a family friend, Mrs. Chumbley, all of San Angelo.



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SAHS Teams In Tournament At Talpa This Weekend

In basketball games the past week, the Santa Anna High School teams have played teams from Bangs and Cross Plains. Leading the school is the Boys B team with a 3-0 record for the season.

At Cross Plains last week the Jayvees defeated Cross Plains 51-30 with Jerry Don Culpepper scoring 15 and Don Eubank scoring 14.

In the varsity girls tilt, Santa Anna lost 57-38. Rhonda Rhoades scored 17 points and Gaye Harvey scored 14.

The Mounties lost by one point 30-29, with Mike Warnock leading the scoring with 10.

In games with the Bangs teams Tuesday of last week, the girls B team lost their game with Tracy Duus scoring 10 points for Santa Anna.

The Jayvees won 29-26 with Tommy Harris and Gip Allen taking top scoring honors with 13 and 10 points.

The girls A team lost to Bangs 53-29 with Rhonda Rhoades scoring 16. The boys A team lost 42-39 with Mike Warnock scoring 15.

The Cross Plains teams came to Santa Anna Monday night of this

week for three games. The girls B team lost 30-24 with Tracy Duus scoring 12 points. The varsity girls lost 41-34 with Gaye Harvey scoring 11, Melody Allen and Rhonda Rhoades each scoring 11.

The Santa Anna boys were soundly defeated by the Buffs 57-37 with Bobby Permenter scoring 12 and Warnock scoring 11.

The varsity teams will be at Talpa this weekend for a tournament. They have their first games at 1:00 and 2:30 p.m. with the teams from Paint Rock.

VISIT CHILDREN

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes went to San Antonio Wednesday to the home of their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barnes and children. On Thursday they all drove to Austin for Thanksgiving dinner with a granddaughter and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mario Garza. Accompanying them was Mrs. Jimmy Barnes' nephew, Dr. Robert Magnon, also of San Antonio.

Most of the group attended the University of Texas—Texas A&M football game Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes returned to Santa Anna Saturday.



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Bless ^{THIS} Mess

By Billie Wheatley

The weather of the last few days has left much to be desired. There's nothing like freezing temperatures, turned-off water, stopped up sinks, cold feet, and a runny nose to put most folks in a bad mood.

Stephen Schlitzer penned a little goody that fits me pretty good these days.

MORNING REPORT

The sky is dull and cheerless, The clouds are black and many, The day looks like a dismal flop.

And I'm not helping any! Have you noticed anything rough and painful lately? Well, if you tried to do that last minute paint job, then had leaves to rake and pecans to pick up you're well aware of your hands. Don't get your hopes up, I don't have a remedy either. All I can offer is gloves, and when that fails, I hide them.

I found the following in the Farmer's Almanac and it made me feel considerably better so I will pass it on.

HANDS

The hand has been spoken of as a marvel of engineering and anatomy, and the human body's most outstanding structure. The hand's functions are innumerable.

Hands perform a thousand separate tasks a day. A mother renders first aid to a bruised knee; a surgeon wields a scalpel; a tailor threads his needle; a laborer swings his pick; a writer pecks away at his typewriter; a musician manipulates a keyboard

or the strings of his instrument. Hands are symbolic of service, of helpfulness, of accomplishment.

Dr. S. Parkes Cadman was a preacher of unusual ability in Brooklyn, N. Y. He was called to a humble home by one of his members who was gravely ill.

The minister listened to the lady's story of hard work as a breadwinner for a large family. Her financial support of the church had been small indeed. She whispered wistfully, "What shall I do when I stand before my Master?"

Dr. Cadman noticed her workworn hands clutching at the bedcovers. He knew that her life had been spent in unselfish service for others. He replied with all the tenderness and assurance he could command, "Show Him Your Hands."

Clothing Needed

At SDA Center

The Seventh-day Adventist Community Service Center distributes clothing and household goods to people of all denominations who need help of that kind. They are now in need of mens coats and jackets and clothing for children.

Anyone with good clean clothing is asked to donate it to the Center which is open each Tuesday from 1 to 3 p.m. or you may call Mrs. O. C. Barker and arrange for the items to be picked up.

"Call to Action" Stressed By SDA

Evangelism is to be the keyboard for the Seventh-day Adventist churches around the world, says Elder A. L. Swanson, pastor of the Santa Anna Adventist Church.

Delegates to the church's Annual Council in Washington, D. C., recently approved a "call to action" that puts evangelistic efforts at the forefront of the church's mission, says Swanson. "The document calls for relieving the local pastor of many administrative responsibilities so that he may spend more time preaching the gospel. Church laymen are to take on the task of caring for the church and its plant."

The plan also stresses placing ministerial graduates of the church's seminary in Berrien Springs, Michigan, in cities where there is no Adventist church. More effort is to be placed on radio, television and press outreach.

Other matters considered at the meeting was the rebaptism of divorced members, funding of church programs, and the role of the credentialled (but unordained) minister.

For the first time at an Annual Council, a delegate from the Soviet Union was present. Mikhail Kulakov, pastor of the Tula Adventist church south of Moscow, represented the association of churches in the U.S.S.R. He estimates the church has 30,000 members in his country.

Elder Cyril Miller, president of the Texas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, attended the Council. The Santa Anna Church is one of the about 150 churches in the conference, which includes about three-fourths of the state of Texas.

Local People Will Attend TFB Meeting

Coleman County Farm Bureau will send 10 voting delegates to the 43rd annual meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau Dec. 5-8 in Fort Worth, according to Victor Cardinas of Coleman, president of the 1011-member county organization.

More than 1,000 voting delegates from 210 organized county Farm Bureau will convene at the Tarrant County Convention Center to adopt state policies and approve recommendations for national policies. The latter will be forwarded to the annual meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation which will be held Jan. 9-12 in Honolulu, Hawaii.

Attending as delegates from this county will be President and Mrs. Victor Cardinas, Vice-President and Mrs. Charles Greenlee of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Neff of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Pate of Voss, and Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin of Santa Anna.

Activities Sunday evening will include vesper service, Discussion Meet and Talent Find.

Speakers Monday morning, Dec. 6 include TFB President Carrol Chaloupka and Bill Clayton of Springlake, Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives. Special conference will be held during the afternoon.

Shirley Cothran Barret of Denton, Miss America of 1975 will speak at a ladies' luncheon and style show.

The annual Queen's Contest will be Monday evening, Dec. 6, with 12 district winners competing for the state crown.

The business meeting and voting session will be held Tuesday and Wednesday. Final order of business will be election of directors from even-numbered districts and the president.

The TFB Board will meet following adjournment of the contention to select a vice president and secretary-treasurer.

MCCARRELL GUESTS

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCarrell were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark of Plano, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Wilcoxon and Junior of Brownwood, Mrs. Gus Morgan and children of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie McCarrell and Justin Scott of Austin.

The visit was the first for little Justin Scott McCarrell who was born in Austin October 15.

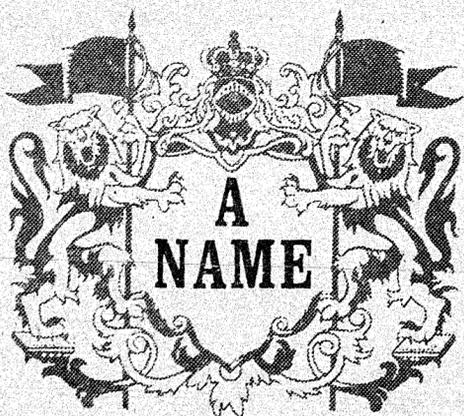
YANCY VISITORS

Visitors with Mrs. O. B. Yancy and Mary during the Thanksgiving holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Densman, Robbie and Robert of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Faucett and girls of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Priem, Honey and Doug of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy and Toni of Rockwood and Arthur Switzer of Santa Anna.

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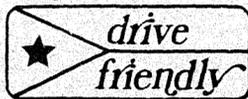


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By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



Another beautiful Thanksgiving Day is history, and our little community had a nice day. But later old man winter played another trick on us, but we did miss the snow and any moisture. But oh, not the cold windy weather. Monday has been a very nice day weather wise.

Mr. Randy Keller of Baytown came Wednesday and was with the Tom Rutherford until Saturday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Greham Fitzpatrick during the holidays were their children Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Bullion and Michelle of Hico, Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick of Crandell, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Fitzpatrick of Blackwell. The granddaughter Michelle remained here with her grandparents until Sunday returning home with Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick Sunday afternoon to her home in Hico.

Thanksgiving Dinner guests in the Fitzpatrick home were all the children and Mrs. Fitzpatrick's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Snowden of Brady and their sons and family, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Snowden, and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Snowden of Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Snowden and Bobby of Stephenville and also Mrs. Fitzpatrick's mother, Mrs. Snowden also of Brady who was a guest until Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris enjoyed the visit of their granddaughters, Judy and Janet Morris of Clarksville, Saturday. Needless to say, they spent a great day together entertaining each other.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rutherford and children Tonna and Todd of Bangs, spent Friday night with his parents, the Tom Rutherford. Thanksgiving day others with us were Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children Rocky and Dena and also Bobby Boatright of Coleman and Randy Keller of Baytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Christi Barnes report a perfect Thanksgiving day all alone at home. But the memories during the day were wonderful, about 9:00 a.m. Thanksgiving Day they received a telephone Thanksgiving call from their daughter, Bobby and her family in Fairbanks, Alaska. Mrs. Barnes said it was 9:00 a.m. here and 5:00 a.m. in Fairbanks. Later they had a nice visit by telephone with the older daughter, Christene and family in Glenwood Springs, Colorado, and also with her son, Joe Gilbert in Grand Junction, Colorado. Who could have had a better thanksgiving?

Mr. and Mrs. Randel Lovelady of Brownwood had Thanksgiving Supper with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Pokey Farley of Waco were Thanksgiving season guests with Mrs. Farley's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson. The Farleys returned to their home Saturday On Friday, Mrs. Watson and her sister, Mrs. Farley were shopping in Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Radle and boys of Oklahoma City came

Wednesday night and were guests with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle in Santa Anna, until Sunday morning. Billy called his parents when they arrived home, they had a safe journey home, but they did have some awfully icy roads. Mr. and Mrs. Micky Paldrack and daughter of Coleman were Thanksgiving Dinner guests with her parents and brother and family in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna visited in Brownwood Saturday night with Mrs. Vera Lovelady and her daughter, Mrs. Doris Stearns. Darwin Lovelady returned to Brownwood Sunday and had dinner with the Ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris had Thanksgiving Dinner with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Armstrong and family in Coleman and enjoyed Thanksgiving supper with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Evans of Houston visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson Saturday.

Mrs. Greham Fitzpatrick and her mother, Mrs. Tim Snowden, and granddaughter Michelle Bullion, were shopping in Brownwood Friday.

Mr. Wayne Bush of Richland Springs visited with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Peden of Abilene were Sunday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson. Mr. Peden had charge of services at the Shields Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. Bill Easterland of Arlington and Mr. Dwayne Perkins of Grande Prairie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John David Morris Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Greham Fitzpatrick during the past week.

Mrs. Floyd Morris L.V.N., assisted with the Swine Flu shots in Santa Anna Monday.

Rex Turney of Santa Anna was on his farm here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Watson were bedtime visitors with the Tom Rutherford Sunday night following church services.

Co. Wolf Club Seeks Support

The Wolf Club of Coleman County is cooperating with the State Rodent and Predatory Animal Control Service and is going to sponsor some aerial hunting to control coyotes and other predators. The helicopter has proved to be a highly effective way of controlling coyotes, but it is fairly expensive.

The Wolf Club is asking all landowners and livestock producers in Coleman County to make a donation to support this program. The target fee is .05c per acre of land that a man operates (owned or leased). Any donation will be accepted and this fee is to give people a guide to go by.

It is very important that we work together and fight predators. The coyotes have already made deep inroads into the sheep and goat industry in Coleman County which has brought in two million dollars income annually.

When the coyotes have no rabbits, sheep, goats or chickens to work on, they will kill and eat calves. One of their favorite tricks is to catch a cow calving and kill the calf and the cow. This has happened, even in this county. So the fight against predators should be of concern to the cowman as well as the sheepman.

Sportsmen and hunters will also be adversely affected by the predator build-up. Young fawns are especially helpless against a pack of coyotes. Many people feel that the large batch of turkeys we had last spring has been mainly reduced by fox and bobcat.

Livestock (Cattle and Sheep) account for from five to six million dollars annually in Coleman County. This is nearly half of the total income generated each year in Coleman County. It is an industry we need to protect.

All livestock operators who wish to support this program may make their donations to Bill Sneed at the First Coleman National Bank or Curtis Skelton at the Coleman Bank. Mr. Isaac Pate of Voss is the chairman of the Wolf Club.

Sites Staked In SA Area

Additional drilling sites have been staked in the Santa Anna area as interest increases in area oil and gas production.

Precision Drilling Co. of Coleman will drill No. 2 Duane C. Holt on a lease in the regular field three miles southeast of Santa Anna. The project is slated for 2,800 feet to test the Marble Falls.

Applications to drill two wells four miles east of Santa Anna have been made by Reserve Oil & Gas Co. of Dallas. They are in the Santa Anna East Field and include the No. 2 Campbell and No. 10 Brewer.

In the townsite of Santa Anna, JAK Oil & Gas of Brownwood has applied for re-entry of a 1,836 foot well, the No. 1 Dorothy Hull Watson. The well produced from 1950 to 1961 as No. 1 Bertie Hull.

Other locations in the Liberty area are the No. 1 and No. 2 W. D. Sheffield, two miles east of town.

The No. 22 Pettway in the Santa Anna (KROC) Field has been completed by Norman Pautsky of Wichita Falls, located eight miles southeast of Santa Anna. Daily potential was measured at nine barrels of 34 gravity oil, plus 20 barrels of water. The Brenecke Sand site is pumping from perforations at 1,293 to 1,308 feet.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fitzpatrick of Crandell were holiday visitors with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hosch, and Gay, and with his family, the G. S. Fitzpatricks, at Whon.

FAMILY VISITS HERE

Weekend visitors in the B. A. Parker home were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Conner and Mr. and Mrs. Jed Cormier of San Angelo and Cynthia Pendleton of Dallas. Joining the group on Thanksgiving Day were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ragsdale, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Hartsfield, Ross and Russell and Miss Althea Ragsdale, all of San Angelo and Dr. and Mrs. John Davis and children of Fort Worth.

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Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

(The Cleveland News is being written by Thelma Fleming during the absence of Clara Cupps.)

Ovella Williams visited Thursday evening with Eveline Herring.

Dale, Peter and Jeffery Herring visited Evaline and Casey Friday.

Dorris and Adolph Kelly had all their children here for Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Wright and children, Mr. and Mrs. Chic Vaughn and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelly. Also L. V. Cupps visited the family.

Charlie and Thelma Fleming were guests of their daughter, Peggy Sikes, Randy, Roger, Ivy and Iris, Thanksgiving Day.

Tommy and Bill Watson were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Watson.

Anzo McHorse and Era Lindsey of Coleman visited Toni Watson last week.

Cecil Ellis visited his mother, Grace, Sunday morning.

Nona Bell, Cecil and Tammy Ellis all spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Benny Jarvis and daughter of Johnson City.

Shorty and Ilene Ellis came for her mother, Lela Hodges,

Thursday and took her to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chambers and children for Thanksgiving dinner.

Dick Baugh visited his sister, Lela Hodges, last week. Mrs. Cruger visited Aunt Lela Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pollock and children of Hurst and Terry Moore of Irving spent Thanksgiving Holiday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pollock.

Dana and Lavonda Evans spent Saturday night with their grandmother, Winnie Haynes.

Doyle, Laverne and Linda Evans of Austin joined the group for Sunday dinner at Winnie's. Clara Cupps visited Winnie Haynes Friday night.

Clara has gone to Carolyn Covey's this week. Carolyn, we all hope you are doing lots better. Jo Linda, Renee and Michael Covey visited last week with their grandparents, Rachel and Clara Cupps.

Bruce and Ruth visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Avants, David and Sabrina Sunday. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Marty Avants

and son and Lynn Stephenson of Coleman.

Mrs. Willie Williams was a dinner guest of her son, J. E., Ovella and Russel Williams, Thanksgiving Day.

Russel Williams visited Michael Covey late Thursday evening at his grandparents, Clara and R. W. Cupps.

Charlie and Thelma Fleming were Sunday dinner guests of Ovella, J. E. and Russel Williams.

Mrs. J. F. Fleming, Margie Verdie, Donna and Phyllis went to Carbon Thursday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDaniels and family.

Mrs. Maggie Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. David McGee and Christy, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Dutton and boys, and Richard Wells were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Cupps and family. Lucille and Sydney Cupps visited Maggie Leonard Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgean Gillam of Abilene visited Ruby and John Howard, Weldon and Oleta Priest and Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Russel Friday.

Mr. Verna Russel, Ruby Howard, Oleta Priest and Rainey Howard visited their aunt and sister, Artie Magill, in the Bangs Rest Home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh had as their guests Thanksgiving Day Mrs. Neoma Ried and children of Teague, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bible and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Lowry of Bryan, Mrs. Mae Flores of Bangs and Jo Ellen Flores of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Cupps visitors this past week were J. T. Narron of Stephenville, Delores Vaughn of Houston and Brenda Kelly.

Aunt Tennie Campbell's visitors have been Carolee Monroe and girls of Fort Stockton, Calvin, and Margaret Dutch and Ruth and Nova Switzer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould had as their guests on Thanksgiving day, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould Jr. and son of Brownwood, Mrs. H. L. Copeland of Brownwood and her son Clinton Copeland, wife, and children of San Angelo. Also Mrs. Gould's sister, Mattie Gleason of Coleman, and Jewel Beeler near Coleman visited.

Mrs. Edna May Hunter of Brownwood came Friday and took her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gould, to town shopping.

John and Ruby Howard visited Wednesday night and Thanksgiving day with their daughter, Inez and Joe Morrow and children of Glen Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Carter and daughters Sherril and Cindy of Houston, spent the Thanksgiving Holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Russel.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Penny of Colorado City were luncheon guests of his sister, Oleta and Weldon Priest.

Special Program

Held By E-Star

On Monday Night

Mrs. Lora Rollins worthy matron, and H. A. Burden, worthy patron, led the Monday, November 22, meeting of Eastern Star held at the Masonic Hall. It was announced Mrs. Blanche Willhelm, deputy grandmatron of District 3, Section 5, Grand Chapter of Texas, will make her official visit to the local chapter January 7.

Plans were made for the chapter to have a booth at the PTO bazaar Friday, December 3 with baked goods, crafts and other items for sale.

Mrs. Jack Bostick gave the Grand Chapter report, and plans were made for the annual Christmas dinner and gift exchange on December 20 in conjunction with the regular monthly meeting.

A memorial program for past grand patron, Hiram C. Sloop, was presented by Mrs. Rollins, Mrs. Bostick, Mrs. Anna Puckett and Mrs. Blanche Grantham. Friendship night was observed with Mrs. Rollins directing the program each member received a book marker as a gift.

Mrs. Eula McCary and Mrs. Zuda Henderson were hostesses for the social hour that included refreshments of coffee, hot tea and cookies. Tables were laid with white cloths and decorated with arrangements of hurricane lamps surrounded by fruits nuts and fall berries. Cornucopias filled with fresh fruit and mums were used in the party room.

Visitors included Eastern Star members from Bangs, Coleman and Salt Creek.

SERMON SERIES AT UMC

Rev. Richard Chaffin, pastor of United Methodist Church, is continuing with a series of special sermons during Advent, the four weeks preceding Christmas.

Sermon topic for Sunday will be "To Tell The Truth", enlarging on the theme that Christ is truth. Other special topics will be used for the two other Sundays before Christmas with a traditional lighting of the advent candle and special music for each service.

Members and visitors are welcome to attend each and every service at 10:50 a.m. Sunday.

HERE FOR HOLIDAYS

Weldon McCullough and son of Houston and Don McCullough and son of San Antonio were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lester McCullough. The visitors enjoyed camping out several nights but returned to their homes Saturday night when the weather failed to cooperate.

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The Garrett Family

Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Many visitors were in our community for Thanksgiving holidays. Happy to know no one hurt in wrecks in our community, as so many lost their lives in Texas.

Patsy and Calvin Grubbs and son Cliff of Grand Prairie spent Wednesday night with her parents, the Bernice McIvers, and Thanksgiving Day they all went to Brownwood to Mary Lou and Melvin Storm's for Thanksgiving dinner. Also Lois and Eugene Sheehan met them there. All of Mary Lou and Melvin Storm's children were home for the Thanksgiving holidays but one son, Steve.

Visitors with the Fred Haynes were Philip Cozart and his fiancée of Houston, Cindy Prince, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Haynes and children from Hobbs, N. M. Billy Don Haynes was home over the holidays, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haynes of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Haynes of California visited Sunday evening.

Lynn and Ann Rice and children of Arlington came in Friday and all of the Delbert Rice family and Bond and Lillie Featherston and Frank and Bertha Rice and the Elgean Rice family all had a late Thanksgiving supper at the Delbert Rice home Friday night. Lynn and Ann Rice and family had dinner Sunday with the Bond Featherstons before returning home.

Visitors with Annie Lou Vaughn Friday at noon were Mary Ola Woods and her daughter and son, Joana Smith and Bruce and Rodney Guthrie. Afternoon visitors were Zeldia Walker, Byrdie Miller and Oma Lee Dockery. Sunday evening the Walter Stacys visited her.

Last Monday morning Santa Claus came to see us early. Oscar's nephew and wife, Albert and Lois Miller, brought us a load of wood already cut for our fireplace, and also Albert's brother, Raymond Lee and wife from Houston, visited with us. We had coffee and cake while they were here.

Other visitors with us Friday afternoon were Grady and May Banister from Burnet. They are good friends of ours.

Friday, Howell Martin and Russie James and Lyndall and Marvin Moore all went to San Antonio to attend a funeral for a cousin.

The Walter Stacys went to

Abilene Thanksgiving Day, had turkey dinner at O. T. and Sue Stacy's, and part of the Walter Stacy family were there, Bill and Tavy Marie Heidbrier and their daughter and two children. They came home with them, and Friday they had a turkey dinner at the Walter Stacys. Also the Del Ray Stacy family came Thursday evening from California and were with them Friday and stayed until Saturday afternoon. They visited the Walter Stacys and the Joe Hammonds family while here. Also Carolyn Sullivan came from San Antonio and was with them.

Wednesday the Oscar Boenicke's had dinner with all four of his sisters, his brother and wife at Pauline Boenicke's at Brownwood. On Thanksgiving Day we were with Laura Harris and her family at Bangs, for a turkey dinner with 13 there. One daughter, Kathleen Fitzgerald, is in Scott & White Hospital at Temple. She has been there over a week they are still running tests on her.

Betty and Damon Miller and Pam, Angela and J. J. Miller of Austin visited her mother and Uncle, Mary Lea and J. B. Griffin, over the Thanksgiving Holidays. Saturday Mary Lea went with them to Early near Brownwood to have Thanksgiving dinner with Damon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. York and Nikki went last Wednesday to Esra to visit their son and wife, Donnie and Sherry York, through the Thanksgiving Holidays. They said it was hot there, 80, degree while there. They visited a number of places of interest while there and returned home Saturday. The cold spell hit them on the way home, sure was a change in the weather.

Sherrie McIver was home from San Angelo over the weekend. Other visitors were Mike and Linda Crider of Camp Hood, Ricky and Darala Beal and Christi of Lake Brownwood spent Thanksgiving Day with the Rankin McIvers.

Rankin McIver took Natalie to Abilene Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Anderson. Her father is very sick and not expected to live. Natalie will be there a few days.

All of the Grady McIver family was with them during the Thanksgiving Holidays, they were Terry and Orabeth McIver and

children of Santa Anna, Gayla and J. W. Sellers and family of Comanche, Royce and Wanda McIver and Britt, Sabrina and Artie Smith and boys, all of Midland, Doyne and Wanda McIver and children of Mesquite and Mrs. Keetie Haynes of Santa Anna. Sherrie McIver and Wayne Doyle of San Angelo and Rankin McIver visited Sunday night.

Thanksgiving Day visitors with the Felton Martins were Mr. and Mrs. Howell Martin, Janice and Delbert Snow, Bill and Becky Martin and Ann Martin, Ann was home over the Thanksgiving Holidays from Arlington where she is working now.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Nichols and boys from Dallas visited her parents, the Hilburn Hendersons, from Thursday until Sunday evening. Donnie and Chris Henderson and children from Santa Anna visited them during the time.

R. C. and Ann Stearns of Snyder and Kenneth Steward of Big Spring spent last week with Florence Stearns. R. C. and Ann are here this week and Verna and Arvil Boldon of Rockwall spent Friday. Thursday Florence had Thanksgiving dinner with her daughter and family the Ray Wells, at Coleman and Friday Alice and Barbara came and spent the day. Del Stearns of Abilene spent Saturday with them. He and Kenneth Steward got a deer while hunting here. G. K. Stearns was in and out to see them all, and Sug visited Monday.

Visitors with Oma Lee Dockery were Leona Henderson who visited Tuesday evening, and Sturday evening Oma Lee kept all her grandchildren while their mothers went to the wedding shower for Tonya.

Thanksgiving Day John and Erlene Dockery and boys and Annie Lou Vaughn had dinner with Oma Lee Dockery.

Russie James went with her daughter and family, Roberta and Pat McShan, Cindy and Pat Jr. to Pat's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. William Cobb at Kingsland, for Thanksgiving dinner.

Russie spent the weekend in Brownwood with her daughter and family as Cindy was home from Texas Tech at Lubbock for the Holidays.

HERE FOR WEEKEND

Mrs. Carolee Monroe, Lisa and Stephanie of Fort Stockton were holiday visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell, and other relatives. On Saturday the visitors and Ms. Campbell went to Temple and Belton to visit relatives and friends.

Burt Powell Buried Monday In Lamesa

Funeral services were held in Lamesa Monday, November 29, for Burt Powell, about 74, who died suddenly Saturday at Lamesa. Mr. Powell was a former resident of the Buaffalo Community and attended school there.

A long-time resident of the Lamesa area, Mr. Powell was in the dairy manufacturing business and was semi-retired at the time of his death.

Survivors include one daughter and one son; one sister and three brothers including Garland Powell of Santa Anna.

Houston Family In Van Mishap

A Houston family received emergency treatment at Brownwood Community Hospital Thanksgiving Day following a one-vehicle accident near the Brown County line near the Liberty Community. The 1969 van was traveling west when the mishap occurred.

According to a report, there were four adults and four children in the van when the accident occurred. None of the occupants were said to be seriously injured despite heavy damage to the van, which turned over three times after hitting a slick spot in the highway.

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FFA NEWS

Albert Salazar, a member of the Santa Anna FFA Chapter, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Salazar. He is a sophomore at SAHS and engaged in many activities.

For his Agriculture II project, Albert is raising two Chester White crossbred pigs which he purchased from Houston Jolley.

This year Albert played football for the SAHS Mounties and also played his freshman year. He ran track one year.

In his free time, Albert likes to play baseball. Besides FFA, Albert is a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Science Club.

FFA
Terry Kilcrease is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kilcrease. She is a junior at SAHS

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and enrolled in Vo-Ag II. Her project is raising a Hampshire-Chester cross pig for the stockshows this year.

Last year Terry was on the FFA parliamentary procedure team.

An active member of several school groups, Terry is a member of FHA, Science Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and athletics. She was a regional qualifier in the mile relay team last year.

Terry is historian of FHA, program chairman of FCA and a member of the Junior Varsity volleyball team. She also participated in the clubs last year. She lists her past-time favorites as being outdoors and taking part in athletics.

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Hospital News

The following patients were admitted to Ranger Park Hospital November 22-29:

Bertha Allen, Brownwood
Jasper Medrano, Coleman
Sylvia Espetia, Coleman
Edna Rondot, Coleman
Mae Henderson, City
Lucile Balke, city
Doa Evans, city
Cleo Croft, Coleman

The following patients were dismissed November 22-29:

Otto Rako, Coleman
Mary Miller, Valera
Stella Mitchell, Glen Cove
Harry Canady, Glen Cove
Gracie Gil, Coleman
Mary Robertson, Brownwood
Bertha Allen, Brownwood
Jasper Medrano, Coleman

Other patients still in the hospital November 29:

Ida Witte, Coleman
Herman Witte, Coleman

Weah McCulloch, Mgr.

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AROUND TOWN CALENDAR

of Community Events

Thurs. Dec. 2:
SAHS Basketball, Talpa Tourney, 1 p.m.
Fri., Dec. 3:
HOLIDAY OPENING
PTO Bazaar, Sale, Corner Drug Building, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
Band Booster Bake Sale, Corner Drug Building
Lions Pancake Sale, Lions Building, 10 a.m.-8 p.m.
Christmas parade, Downtown, 2:30 p.m.
Sat., Dec. 4:
Coleman Christmas Parade, 10 a.m.
Sun., Dec. 5:
ATTEND CHURCH
Mon., Dec. 6:
JHS Basketball, Perry Gymnasium, 6:30 p.m.
School Board Meeting, SHAS Office, 7:30 p.m.
Tues., Dec. 7:
Lions Club, Lions Building, 12 noon
SAHS Basketball, at Lohn, 7 p.m.
Wed., Dec. 8:
Self Culture Club, Luncheon, 12:30 p.m.



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City of Santa Anna

effective December 30, 1976.

It is anticipated that the increased cost of service under Schedule of Industrial Rates-N, Rate Schedule For Public Free Schools-N and Schedule For Industrial Rates-N for Agencies of the State or Federal Government will result in \$852.00 additional annual

revenue to Lone Star Gas Company in the City of Santa Anna

A Statement of Intent has been filed with the City of Santa Anna

and is available for inspection at the Company's business office located at 116 South Concho St., Coleman, Texas

Lone Star Gas Company

Luncheon Slated For Culture Club

Mrs. Fil Cabansag and Mrs. Earl Chapman will be hostesses for the Self Culture Club Wednesday, December 8, when members meet for a luncheon at 12:30 p.m. The luncheon and meeting will be held at Lily's Kitchen, at the new health food building at Ranger Park Hospital Complex.

Each member is to bring their husband or a friend for the meeting and program next Wednesday.

Triplet Calves Born Thursday

A large white cross-bred cow belonging to the Lester McCulloughs gave birth to triplet calves Thanksgiving Day. The brownish-red calves are all sturdy and getting along well despite their small size.

The McCulloughs have the cow and her calves in a pen at their place where they "assist" at feeding time and make sure the young calves are well cared for.

Although twin births are relatively common for cattle, triplets are a rarity.

Holiday Guests With Mrs. Gregg

Most of Mrs. J. J. Gregg's immediate family were present with her during the Thanksgiving holiday weekend, along with a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Perrin of San Fernando, California and Mrs. Bobbie Perrin Cupp and Gene of Fountain Valley, California. Mrs. Cupp is the daughter of the late Jim Bob Gregg and Mrs. Perrin. It has been about 10 years since this group visited Mrs. Gregg.

Others present were Mr. and Ms. Jack Gregg of Austin, Mr. and Ms. Dawson See and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Gregg of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Gregg of Marble Falls, Mrs. Mary Jo Schulle of Watonga, Okla., Mrs. Marjorie Landrum, Lisa and Shawn of Rush Springs, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gregg, Carla and Lucy of Coleman, all were present for Thanksgiving Day. Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd R. Simmons of El Paso came on Friday for the weekend.

Mrs. Eris Jones of Bishop was unable to be present.

HERE FOR HOLIDAY

Visitors in the H. L. Zachary home on Thanksgiving Day were two of their children and others of the family. Guests for the turkey dinner were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Zachary of Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Parker and Bill of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Autrey, Christi and Brad of San Angelo and Cecile Tindoll of Lake Jackson.

Joining the group for the day were Mrs. C. M. Moseley and Charlotte.



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PRIDDYS' HOST FAMILY EVENT

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Priddy were hosts last weekend for a family get-together at their home. Assisting with the gathering were the Priddys' daughters, Mrs. Paul Vercher, Paul Edward and James of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Floyd, Jennifer and Angela of Snyder.

Those present for the weekend get-together were Mrs. Priddy's sisters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Bickley of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin, Billie Cahow, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and sons, all of Temple, and Mrs. Arthur Martin Jr., and sons of Crowley.

The get-together is an event held annually for the past 40 years.

Practice Site Is Changed For Cantata Choir

Members of the Cantata Choir who will be presenting the Christmas cantata December 19, are reminded to meet Monday, December 6, at First Baptist Church for the 7 p.m. practice session. The group has met at United Methodist Church for previous rehearsals.

The Christmas Cantata, "Night of Miracles," will be presented at First Baptist Church Sunday evening, December 19, at 6 p.m. Singers from four local churches are in the choir directed by Rev. Richard Chaffin. Robin Smith is accompanist.

The cantata was presented last year by the interdenominational group.

Holiday Guests

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Hardy Blue on Thanksgiving day were her children and grandchildren Mr. and Mrs. John Hardy Blue and Michael of Lafayette, La., Mr. and Mrs. Oran Henderson of Temple, and Mr. and Mrs. Terry McIver, Reece, Grady Cay and Betsy, of Santa Anna.

Joining the group were Mrs. Wilnette Spencer of Abilene and her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spencer of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Spencer of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold White, Nancy and Janet of Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hardy Blue and son spent the entire week here with his mother, returning home Saturday.

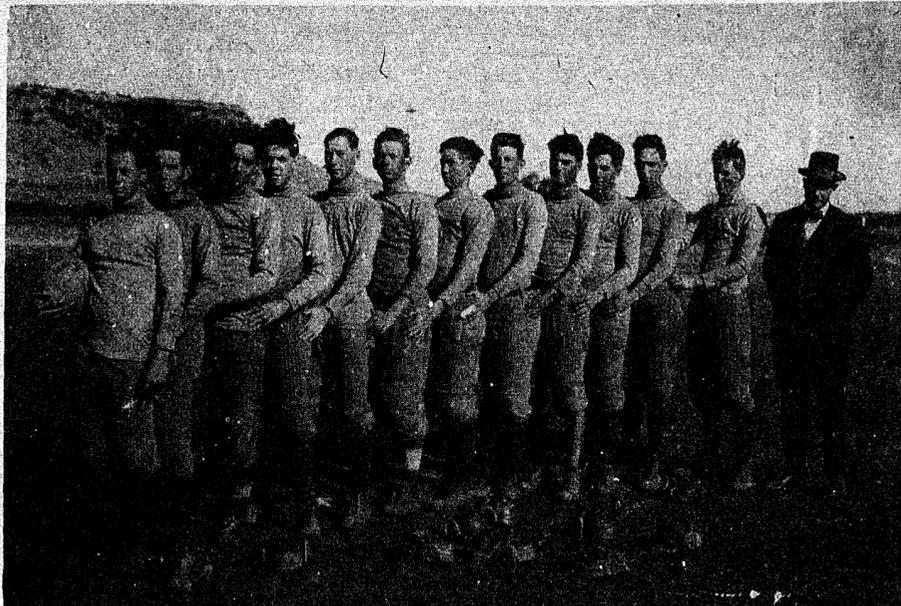
BAKE SALE FRIDAY

Santa Anna Band Booster Club will have a bake sale Friday, December 3, in conjunction with the PTO Bazaar and sale. The band group will have homebaked pies and cakes for sale at the Corner Drug building beginning at 9 a.m.

Everyone in the community is invited to patronize the Band Booster group Friday.

HERE ON HOLIDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and sons of Richardson spent the holiday weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, and other relatives. Glynn Smith of Waco was a visitor Wednesday and Thursday before joining his family at Melvin at the home of his wife's parents.



ORIGINAL MOUNTAINEERS...The Santa Anna High School Football Team of 1915-16 is shown here with their coach Allen Freeman, right.

Pieratt, Jasper McClellan, Orin Newman, Alford Jones, Ewell Hunter, Travis Hayns, Loyd Ruffoner, Aubrey Lewallen, Willie Gipson David McClellan Mark Byrd and Claude Gipson.

Recent Bride Feted At Tea

Mrs. Alex DeLeon Jr., the former Tanya Guthrie, was honored Saturday, November 27, with a bridal shower at Mountain City Center. Greeting guests were the honoree and her mother, Mrs. John Dockery, and Mrs. Alex DeLeon Sr.

Cindy Greenlee was at the register which was on a table covered with a gold cloth and decorated with an arrangement of daisies.

The refreshment table was laid with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and white tapers. Strawberry cake squares and pink punch were served by Shari Buse, Kim Stewardson and Ann Martin. Hostesses for the party were Mmes. Felton Martin, Russie James, Ruth Garza, Burgess Stewardson, Willard Allen and Janice Cozart.

Jerry Horners Have Baby Son

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Horner of Ballinger are parents of a baby boy, Robert Allen, born Monday, November 22, in Brownwood Community Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds, five and one-half ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jones and Mrs. Catherine Horner are grandparents of the new arrival. The Horners have another son, Carson, three years of age.

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School District Audit Report Is Approved

The audit of Santa Anna Independent School District was approved Monday night when members of the Board of Trustees met for a called meeting with Henry Collyer of Brownwood, school auditor. The approved audit was for the past year.

Max Eubank presided at the short meeting and announced the regular December meeting will be held Monday, December 6, at 7:30 p.m.

JHS Basketball Here On Monday

The Santa Anna Junior High basketball teams lost their last games and will be seeking victories as they host the Mozelle juniors Monday night at Perry Gymnasium. Games begin at 6:30 p.m.

The local teams lost to the Jim Ned teams on November 22, then lost to the Talpa teams at Talpa Monday night of this week. Gayla Pritchard scored seven points for the local girls who lost 15-13.

Duane Warnock scored 20 points to lead the JHS team, the score ending 49-32 in Talpa's favor.

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