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Santa Anna Receives \$3,253.18

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THEY CAME IN PEACE P. 3

The City of Santa Anna has received their local sales tax payment of \$3,253.18 compared to \$4,500.66 last year. Total payments to date have been \$19,262.01 compared to \$19,134.04 last year. State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday sent checks totaling \$112.3 million in local tax payments to the 1,005 citites that levy the one-percent city tax.

Houston's check was the largest-\$18.6 million-bringing total payments in 1985 to \$104.8 million, up 5 percent over 1984. Dallas received \$13.3 million for a total payment of \$77 million this year, an increase of 15 percent.

San Antonio's payment of \$7.1 million increased that city's 1985 payments to \$38.1 million, up 14 percent over last year. Austin's check for \$5.4 million pushed payments to \$30.2 million, a 25 percent increase over 1984 payments.

Fort Worth received \$4.2 million for a 1985 total of \$22.9 million, up 12 percent. El Paso's payment of \$2.5 million brought its total to \$14.2 million, a 16 percent increase over payments last year.

Bullock also sent checks totaling \$45.9 million to four Metropolitan Transit Authorities. Houston MTA's check for \$21.7 million pushed 1985 payments to \$121.1 million. Dallas' DART payment of \$19.1 million brought its total to \$105.4 million this year. VIA in San Antonio received \$4 million for a total \$21 million in 1985. Fort Worth's MTA payment was for \$1 million, increasing payments this year to \$5.4 million.

August checks represent taxes collected on sales made in June and the second quarater and reported to the Comptroller by July 20.

29th Coleman County Junior Rodeo

feature all entries in the float divi-

sion, riding clubs, and decorated

cars, along with any other riders. All

divisions will be judged and award-

The highlight of this years rodeo is

two Longhorn trophy saddles to be

given to the high point boy and the

high point girl. Trophy buckles will

be given to all first places and

trophies to second and third places.

All events will be jackpot in the

three age divisions of 12 and under.

13-15, and 16-19. Admission charges

for this year's rodeo are 5 and under-

-free; 6-12--\$1.00; and 13 and

ed trophies.



ALISSA FLYNN The 29th Annual Coleman County

dance at the open air pavillion each will be featured nightly at the rodeo night from 9:00 to 1:00 a.m. Admisas well as in the downtown parade in sion charge is \$3.00 each or \$5.00 per Coleman on Saturday, August 24 at couple. 5:00 p.m. Saturday's parade will

This years junior rodeo officers are Dee McClure-President; C. J. Bollinger--Vice-President; Jennifer Jamison--Secretary; and Dwin Nanny--Jr. Arena Director.

The Senior officers are Roy Alexander--President; Marlie Watson--Vice-President; Kay Hubbard-Secretary; and Dwight Nanny-Treasurer. Marlie Watson will serve as this years Arena Director.

Scrimmage Friday

Methodist Church History

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(Editor's note: Methodist will celebrate 100 years of ministry on September 8, 1985 in recognition of this important mile stone we dedicate this history of the First United Methodist Church in Santa Anna, to be done in three parts. Part 1 is "Early History".

The First United Methodist Church has chosen as their theme this year: "100 Years of the Life Worth Living."

It is not known when the first settler came to the area now known as Santa Anna, but this area was known as a look-out point for hostile Indians. In 1882, W. C. Brooks was appointed the first postmaster. In the application to Washington for a post office, the name Santanta, chosen for a locally famous Indian chief, was submitted but some post office clerk in the department at Washington evidently felt the one who had requested the name authorization had misspelled it so he changed it to Santa Anna and returned it approved. By 1885 Santa Anna had three stores, a hotel, a blacksmith shop and a one room schoolhouse. The nearest railroad was Abilene and immense herds of cattle were driven through the gap to that city. There was a mail arrival twice a month

It was in the spring of 1885 that one

Circuit Riders" came to Santa Anna with his saddlebags stuffed with books and tracts and organized the Santa Anna Methodist Episcopal Church, South, with the following being entered on the records as charter members: John Moffatt, Mrs. Fannie Moffatt, Mrs. Annie Crosby, Miss Belle Allen, Miss Bertha Allen, Dr. J. P. Matthews, A. I. Kuykendall, Mrs. E. T. Kuykendall, Mrs. Mollie Pearson, C. W. Cook, Mrs. Annie Cook, P. T. Turner, Mrs. E. F. Turner, Mrs. Lula Turner, Mrs. Nannnie Simpson, J. D. Simpson, R. M. Burk, George Brooks, Mrs. M. P. Brooks, Miss Nannie Brooks, Miss Belle Brooks, J. E. Martin, Mrs. S. M. Martin, Mrs. Annie Martin, Mrs. Emma Cox, Mrs. M. E. Compton, Mrs. Hannah Ashley, Mrs. Sara Campbell, E. W. Oliver, Mrs. A. A. Oliver, Mrs. E. C. McGonagill, Mrs. M. M. Morrison, Mrs. S. P. Lewis, Miss Sammy Penny, E. D. Carter, Mrs. E. J. Carter, Miss Etta Carter, Miss Annie Carter, E. G. McGlathery, Mrs. N. A. Hardin, Will Hubert, Mrs. Mary E. Hubert, Miss Annie Hubert, Mrs. C. E. Penny, Miss Myrah Guyer, Walter Holmes, Mrs. Cora Burk, and Mrs. Armanda Guyer.

The first membership record book shows Seth Bradner to have been the first person to be baptized in the Methodist Church. The date is

were taken from last years paper.

KINDERGARTEN

1 box of Kleenix (at least 200 count)

1 Manuscript Tablet (Aladdin No.

The lists are as follows:

1 bottle white glue

1 primary pencil

2114 or No. 1251)

1 box of 8 crayons

1 school box

building. Quite unique is the fact that her mother was the first bride to be married in the first church building. The first death of a church member was recorded February 17, 1895 as Mrs. Nannie B. Simpson, a sister of the late J. Frank Turner.

In 1887, the name Santa Anna Circuit first appears, the charge having been known previous to that time as "Thrifth Mission." We find at this time, seven stations on the charge, "Clear Creek," Trickham, Mukewater, Thrifth, McDaniel, Fairview and Santa Anna. Salem and Mt. View were added in 1889 making nine appointments. Quite a circuit for one preacher to make on borseback.

In 1887 the church had its first quarterly conference. The pastor's report on the condition of the church read, "We found the work in a cold and scattered condition and the membership not well organized. We have been laboring as faithfully as we could under the circumstances. The outlook of present is more encouraging." The second report of the year said, "The spiritual condition of the church is tolerably good, but not yet what it ought to be." By the end of that year, the same pastor, Brother J. W. Bowden , wrote in this report, "We consider the work as a whole in a healthy condition....the membership is greatly revived." It would be wonderful if every pastor could say that his members registered as July 15, 1888 during the greatly revived. ministry of Rev. W. E. Caperton. (Continued next week with the Mary Sue Phillips, who is registered building of a new church and as the seventh to be baptized was the parsonage.) first to be married in the present

Junior Rodeo will be held on August 22, 23, and 24, 1985 at the Coleman Rodeo Grounds. Runt Sloan of Newcastle, Texas will produce this years rodeo with nightly performances at 8:00 p.m.

The 1985 queen is Alissa Flynn, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Horne of Coleman, Texas. She

Back to School Carnival

The Back-To-School Carnival planning committee would like to remind any group interested in obtaining a booth to contact them prior to deadline of August 28th.

For information contact Barbara Simmons at 348-3168 or 348-3579.

The group needs to know by that date so that spaces can be assigned for the carnival, which is on September 14th.

Annuals are Here

The 1984-85 school annuals are in. They may be picked up on Wednesday and Thursday (today), August 21 and 22 at the high school. There are a few extra annuals available for a cost of \$18.00 per annual.



SUNDAY, AUGUST 25 Church MYF, 5:00 p.m.

MONDAY, AUGUST 28 Nitia Daniel Circle Teacher-In-Service, Early

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27 Lions Club, noon **Royal Arcs** Royal and Select Masters, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28 **Methodist** Men Teacher work day

over-\$2.00. Proceeds from the rodeo this year go toward scholarships in amounting to \$2,400.00 awarded to Coleman County seniors who are active in the Coleman County Junior Rodeo Association.

The Heart of Texas Road Gang from Waco, Texas will play for the

School to Start Soon

Thanks to House Bill 72, students in Central Texas will be able to enjoy summer vacation until the first September, but time is running very short for students and teachers alike as preparations begin for the 1985-86 school year.

Most students around the state will be returning on Tuesday, September 3 (the day after Labor Day), but area teachers will go back at least one week earlier to begin inservice training and workdays at their schools.

Santa Anna teachers had a curricular meeting this past Monday. and class registration began for high school junior and senior students Tuesday. High school freshmen and sophomores registered Wednesday. Anyone missing these registration days are asked to register on the first day of school. All elementary and Jr. High students will also register on the first day of classes. An inservice day for local teachers has been scheduled for Monday, August 26 in Early, and work days will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, August 28 and 29, prior to start of school on Tuesday, September 3. The school term will end May 31.

Food Distribution

Food Commodities will be distributed from 1 til 4:30 p.m. Tuesday at the City Library. Cheese, and butter is expected and there may possibly be other items as well.

Football practice began last week with forty young men reporting for the two-a-day workouts.

Coach Galen Privitt says that all the coaches are impressed with the attitude and hustle, and are looking forward to a good season.

The first scrimmage session will be held Friday, August 23, with the Loraine team. The scrimmage is to begin at 6:00 pm at Mountaineer stadium and everyone is encouraged to be there to support the local team.

Coach Privitt says the team deserves a pat on the back for all the hard work they have put out and they are very pleased with the number of supporters who have shown up to watch the workouts and is expecting a good crowd for the first scrimmage of the year.

The team will scrimmage the team from Early on August 30, and the regular schedule of games is to begin with the season opener against Bangs on September 6 at Mountaineer stadium.

County Tax Board Meeting will be adopted in September.

list.

Routine business was on the agenda at the Monday, August 12, meeting of the directors of the Coleman County Tax Appraisal District held in the county Tax Office. Harold Pittard, chairman, presided at the meeting. Members present were Bill Sneed and Barbara Kingsbery. Jerry May and Harold Bragg were absent.

John Skelton, Chief Appraiser, reported on his contacts with firms who contract for mineral and utility apraisals, with all estimates well above that of the Thomas Y. Pickett Company that currently contracts with the Coleman County Tax District.

Questions have arisen regarding the increase in charges of the company for the 1986 appraisals and the service was being sought for a lower cost.

The 1996 budget was reviewed briefly, with changes and increases noted by the group. The new budget of history's immortal "Methodist **Pritchard President of**

Boosters

In an organizational meeting of the Santa Anna Athletic Boosters last week, Robert Pritchard was elected president of the club in a kindergarten through three have meeting opened by retiring presibeen submitted by teachers of the dent, Derriel Warnock. classes. Fourth and fifth grade lists

Elected as vice president of the club was Danny Kellar, and Margaret Pritchard was elected secretary-treasurer.

Projects were discussed and various plans made to support the athletic program of the local schools.

The Alhletic Boosters will meet at 8:00 pm at the Vo-Ag building each Tuesday evening and all parents and others in the community are invited and encouraged to attend and support the local school athletes.

1 pr. of scissors 1 black broad tip felt marker 1 box paper brads

Aladdin Tablet No. 2116 large pencil eraser (soft green) scissors (sharp point) Elmer's glue-4 oz. plastic 1 box of 16 crayons school box

1 box of Kleenix 1 plastic glass 2 spiral notebooks 1 clear plastic shoe box for Science (Find at TG&Y or K-Mart)

SECOND GRADE

2 pencils, No. 2 good eraser glue scissors crayons school box 4 tablets-No. 2113 Kleenix-200 ct. 1 spiral notebook 1 red grading pencil 1 package brads

School Supply Lists Supply lists for grades

THIRD GRADE

2 pencils 2 red pencils wide ruled notebook paper (200 ct.) 3 spiral notebooks markers glue (large bottle) school box looseleaf notebook scissors crayons large box of Kleenix 1 box of brads 1 file folder with pocket

FOURTH GRADE

1 notebook 1 pkg. notebook paper 1 ruler 5 No. 2 pencils 1 large box Kleenix 1 bottle Elmer's glue 1 pr. pointed scissors 1 box map colors 1 box of crayons 1 large spiral notebook 1 eraser 3 folders with brads

FIFTH GRADE

2 No. 2 pencils 2 black or blue ink pens 1 red pen 1 pair of pointed scissors 1 12" ruler 1 package map pencils 1 eraser 1 pkg. Watercolors 1 pkg. markers 1 box of crayons 1 bottle glue 1 loose leaf paper 1 loose leaf binder 1 pkg. dividers 1 spiral notebook 2 boxes of Kleenix, 200 count 1 stenographer's pad

Mr. Skelton announced that a change has been made in the

employee retirement funding, with additional benefits also available under the new system. Upon the recommendation of Russell Graham of Austin, delinquent tax attorney who serves the

Coleman County District, the Board of Directors passed a resolution regarding taxes that have been on the delinquent list for a number of years. The taxes in this category, mainly personal and mineral, will be placed on an inactive list when

repeated efforts have failed to locate the owner or operator. However upon payment of the delinquent tax, it will again be placed on the active It was noted that the Appraisal

Review Board has completed its work and the 1986 tax roll has been certified. The next meeting of the Tax Ap-

praisal District group will be on Monday, September 9.

1 plastic cup or glass

FIRST GRADE



CLIFFORD R. LOWE

Services for Clifford R. Lowe, 80, of Santa Anna were held at 10:30 a.m: Thursday, August 15, at the First United Methodist Church of Santa Anna with Bobby Weathers of the Westcliff Methodist Church in Fort Worth officiating, assisted by Steve Ramsdell, pastor.

Burial was in the Santa Anna Cemetery under the direction of the Santa Anna Funeral Home.

Mr. Lowe died at 12:55 a.m. Wednesday August 14 at Brownwood Regional Hospital. He was born August 17, 1904 in Coleman County and was a retired rancher and school administrator. He married Inez Daniel June 22, 1931 at Roswell, N. M. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Santa Anna and a Mason.

Survivors include his wife; one sister. Mrs. Lucille Balke of Brownwood; and several nieces and nephews.

The family requests memorials be made to the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas or to a favorite church or charity.

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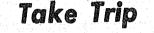
VERNON EUGENE LOYD

Vernon Eugene Loyd, 63, of Mozelle, passed away at 9:40 p.m. Monday, August 19 at the Overall-Morris Hospital in Coleman following a sudden illness.

Services were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday at the Henderson Funeral Home Chapel with interment at the Gouldbusk Cemetery, under the direction of Henderson Funeral Home in Coleman.

Born January 6, 1922 in Gouldbusk to the late William John Loyd and Lenora Allen Loyd, he was a lifetime resident of Coleman County, where he graduated from Mozelle High School in 1938. He was a WWII veteran serving with the Army Air Corp and was a stockfarmer.

Survivors include two sisters, Stella Mae Loyd of Mozelle and Dorothy Faye Hamilton of Lincoln, Nebraska; two brothers, W. W. Loyd of Mozelle and John Loyd of Winters; several neices and nephews.



Mr. and Mrs. Scott Patterson, Jody, Jeannie, and Cynthia went to Galveston beach last week for a short vacation. They came back through Houston and stopped at NASA for a tour, and did some window shopping at the Galleria Mall.

Fellers Reunion

The 12th Annual Fellers Reunion was held at Lake Proctor for the 7th year on August 16, 17, and 18.

Family and friends enjoyed lots of good food, fellowship and love. Attending from: Santa Anna were

Sybil Dean; Roddy, Debbie, Jason and Julie Dean; from Brownwood: S. D. (Red) and Barbara Fellers; Clayton and Angela, Allen and Christine Throp; from Giddings: Melinda, Chinah and Chance Horner; from Granbury: Larry, Beth, Amy, Jody, James and Levi Steele: from Glen Rose: Vicki, Heath and Kensey Hoggett; from Crowley: Terry, Debra, Tara, Dane, and Trey Watts; and from Everman: Cack and Gene Watts: Travis. Patti, and Mary Catherine Watts: Byrle, Brenda, Britt, and Becky Fellers; Sheri Carruth; Jody Geeslin; Donald Fellers; Charles

SANTA ANNA NEWS

James and Felicia Ellerbe Jr.

would like to announce the birth of a

baby daughter. Jamie Lynn, born

August 13, 1985. The baby weighed 7

lb. 4½ oz. and was 19¼ inches long.

Jamie is also welcomed by two

sisters, Amy and Maria. Proud

grandparents are Mr. and Mrs.

James Ellerbe, Sr. of Santa Anna

and Mr. and Mrs. Felix Martinez of

Panama City, Panama, Great-

grandparents are Rachel Kerby of

Abilene; Fransesca Martinez,

Filemon Rodriquez, both of Panama

City, Panama; and Sally Ellerbe of

Swimming Party

Wisner, Louisiana.

Baby Boy Baby Girl

Bryan Paul Hosch would like to announce the arrival of a baby brother, Eric Regan, on August 9, 1985, at one week of age. Proud parents are Patrick and Sandra Hosch. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carey of Odessa, and paternal grandmother is Mrs. Pat Hosch of Santa Anna.

Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Fritz of Fredricksburg would like to announce the arrival of a son, Kody Wayne, who weighed 8 lb., 6 oz. and was 22 inches long. The baby was born August 15 in Sid Peterson Hospital in Kerrville. He was welcomed by a sister, Karin Kay, age 2 1/2. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman of Santa Anna; paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Fritz of Fredricksburg; and one greatgrandmother, Mrs. Edmon Fritz of

Clark--Benton Wed



DENA CLARK BENTON

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1985

Fannie's **Funnies By Fannie Gilbert**

Mother: "Son, why don't you go out

and play with the ball you found?"

Son: "I would, but I'm afraid I

might meet up with the boy I found it

A little boy after losing three teeth

told his mother, "Pretty soon I'll be

"What do you get when you cross a

praying mantis with a termite?" "A

bug that says grace before eating

The local Doctor says he doesn't

believe in unnecessary surgery-he

won't operate unless he really needs

Little boy after being scolded by

parents to sister, "I'll never unders-

tand grown-ups if I live to be eight."

running on the rim."

your house."

the money.

from."

Plump woman standing in front of mirror, "Mirror, mirror on the wall--don't you ever fib at all."

Money talks, but todays dollar doesn't have enought cents to say very much.

When your outgo exceeds your income, the upshot may be your downfall.

How thoughtful of mother nature! By the time we reach the sitting around stage of life, she endows us with a bigger cushion.

Overheard: Her cooking is like Russian roulette, you never know which meal is going to get you.

Mother of four defines frustration: my cope runneth over.

Two cannibal chiefs were talking after dinner, "Your wife makes a wonderful pot roast," said one. "Yes," replied the other. "and I'm certainly going to miss her."

An archway entwined with flowers centered the altar at the sanctuary, with other decorations being ficus trees with white lights.

Given in marriage by her stepfather, Richard Krassow, the bride was attired in a southern style formal gown with jeweled bodice and leg-o-mutton sleeves. The full, ruffled skirt extended to a lace-ruffled train. She caarried a lace fan with a crescent-shaped bouquet of deep pink roses, baby's breath and greenery.

Debbie Beauchamp, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Lynda Benton of Kingsville, sister-in-law of the groom; Kathy Jo Clar of China Spring, sister-in-law of the bride; Angela Hudson of Waco and Cathy Walters of Laramie, Wyoming. Alicia Clark, niece of the bride, was junior bridesmaid.

Keith Hudson of Waco served the groom as best man. Groomsmen were Jim Benton of Kingsville, brother of the groom; Steve Bolles of Austin, cousin of the groom; and Don Clark of China Spring, brother of the bride. Jeff Greer of

A swimming party at the Neff home was enjoyed by Mrs. R. C. Smith's Sunday school class of the

all enjoyed a meal at the Dairy Queen. Also attending was Lori Fredricksburg.

Presbyterian Church. Those attending were: Cheree Halmon, Corry Halmon, Eric Gooch, Mitch Guthrie and Tom Guthrie. Afterwards they

Smith. Taylor Reunion

The annual Taylor reunion was held at the armory in Santa Anna August 10th and 11th. There were about 125 attending on Sunday, the 11th.

Mrs. Clarenda Menges attended Sunday and was the oldest of the group.

There were kin from Monahans, Midland, Sweetwater, Odessa, Millsap, Bangs, San Antonio, Coleman, Brownwood, Santa Anna and from Kentucky and California.

The reunion will be held at the same place next year on August 9 and 10. See you all next year.

Peacock. Guests for the day Saturday were Darrell Cupps, Maggie Leonard and Joy.

Birthdays Anniversaries

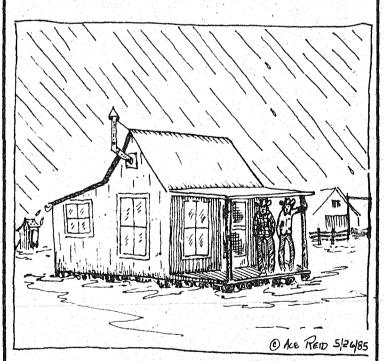
THURSDAY, AUGUST 22 **Tim Abernathy Mary Ellen Bible**

POLLY WARNOCK **Bookkeeper-Circulation**

and Ollie Peacock; Steve, Darlene, Chad, Brad, Blake and Amy

By Ace Reid

COW POKES



"Wul, I guess the drought is broke. So is my bank and me"

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 23 **Phil Huggins Jeff Greenlee** Lois Ann Harper **Tom Guthrie**

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24 **Glen Donham Brent Beal**

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25 **Debbie Buse** Jim Laubhan Johnnie Casey, Jr. **Guy McElrath** Eric Gooch Mr. and Mrs. David Horner Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bertoni

MONDAY, AUGUST 26 Vicki (Smith)Drake Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bigham

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28 Vikki Wristen **Bernidine Watson** Nikki Donham **James Steele**

Would you like your name to be published on your birthday? If so, please be sure to let us know when it is. Next week, we will publish the names of those having birthdays between August 29 through September

The Western Heights Baptist Church in Waco was the setting of the Saturday, August 10, wedding of Miss Dena L. Clark of China Spring and Larry Don Benton of Waco. Dr. Charles Dixon officiated at the 6:30 p.m. ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Krassow of China

Danger on the Streets

Have you ever seen the sad eves of a pup who is lost, alone, and hurt? I certainly have seen far too many, and I've had to mercifully end the suffering of many who could have lived long happy lives bringing joy to their owners if only they had not been allowed to roam the streets where they were hit by a car or maimed by another stray animal or shot by a landowner whose anger at the damage done by numerous other stray dogs led him to try to solve his problem himself.

Many people feel their pet should be allowed as much freedom as they have themselves. They think confinement to a yard or house is like imprisonment. Actually, an animal whose needs for food, shelter, and love are being met will be just as happy at home as a small child is. Certainly there are times in an animal's reproductive cycle when instinct leads them to seek the company of others of their kind, but an

Spring and Mr. James R. Clark of Ashland, Ohio.

Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benton of Santa Anna and the late Velma Stewardson Benton. He is the grandson of Mrs. Jessie Benton of Santa Anna and the late

Mrs. S. E. Benton and Mr. and Mrs. John Stewardson.

animal does not think and reason like a human and will not miss the chance to reproduce. It's only hor-

mones not love.

Do your dog a favor and see to it that his good times are had at home. Don't let him loose on the street where he can be hurt. If he must be tied outdoors, be sure the chain is of the sliding bolt type that he can't unhook. He is relying on you, his owner, for his well-being. Again, a dog does not have the same reasoning ability as a human even though they may seem to figure out problems to our amazement. They can learn patterns of behavior for survival. but often the lessons are painful.

Keep you pet safe and happy at home. If possible, be sure he is wearing a collar or harness with your name, address, and phone number on it; so that you can be located for him if he should accidently get loose.

Brownwood, cousin of the groom, served as junior groomsman.

Alex Parker of Waco seated guests, and Jana Kay Bolles of Austin was at the register.

Traci Tyson of Waco, a niece of the bride, was flower girl, and Andy Benton of Kingsville, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer.

Wedding m; usic was provided by Sam Hickman, organist, and Bill Brooks, pianist. Soloists were Debra Richardson and CHarles Thornal, who sand "We've Only Just Begun," "Longer," "There is Love," and "The Lord's Prayer."

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. Kathy Bridger of Waco served the bride's cake and Jan Todd of Waco ladled punch.

Jana Kay Bolles of Austin served coffee, and Jan Geary of Belevue. Nebraska served the groom's cake.

Following a wedding trip to Dixie Dude RAnch at Bandera, the couple are at home in Waco, where the bride is employed with Naman, Howell, Smith and Lee, Attorneys at Law, and the groom is employed with Hercules, Inc. of McGregor.

Guests attending from out of state were from Harrisburg, Pa.; Bellevue, Nebraska; Laramie, Wyoming; Ashland, Ohio; and Monroeville, N.J.

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They Came In Peace

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CHAPTER 11 CABINS ON THE HOME CREEK

The fabulous valley of the big creek that flowed from northwest to southeast of the newly surveyed county of Coleman, the valley where the grass grew as high as a cow's back, where the big water-holes never went dry, where the soil was rich and deep, this valley drew many settlers with vision and courage.

To the valley came Modie J. and Samuel R. Coggin, brother from Mississippi, who reached Texas in 1857, settling or at least stopping in Bell County for a year, where they accumlated some cattle. Hearing of the free range to the west, they came to Brown in 1858, but when they learned that Coleman had been surveyed they drove their herd still farther west and acquired title to some of the fine land, probably by preemption.

Two nephews of the Coggins' were with them, and both worked on the Coleman County ranch; while the cattle ranged for miles, the pens were on the tract owned by the Coggins, on the big creek. They called this the home creek, and there they built log cabins to house the cowboys.

These nephews were Cal McAuley, who built a picket house for himself and around it a picket fence which he hoped would delay an Indian attack if it came, and John Walter Taber, who came to Texas with his mother after his father was killed in the Confederate army.

McAuley loved ranching, and took responsiblity well. Taber was younger, and after a time on the ranch, his uncles put him to work in their new bank in Brownwood; but he had had a taste of the open spaces, and after three years in the bank he returned to ranching, later building up a large ranch for himself in Brown County.

Coming to Home Creek in the late '60's was Dan Sanderson with his intrepid wife. Farther down the creek were the Barton widow and her children, the McCord land, where McCord and Lindsey had their real estate business, the McCains, James Dofflemyer, who had married the

by Leona Bruce took and reared him named him for the little trees: this story was told to course, with her pistol in her hand. A this writer by two different branches

furious woman with a pistol will command respect from anyone, and she had grounds for her rage, as she knew the cowboys had seen the calf and had not tried to turn it back. She not only got the calf, but she ordered one of the cowboys to help her cut it from the herd and drive it partway back to her cowlot.

Swaim went the way of other ambitious and forward-looking young men in a time when anyone who tried to could succeed. He met John S. Chisum when Coggin and Parks made a delivery of cattle on the Concho, and was offered a chance to move with Chisum to New Mexico. Swaim liked the idea but when Chisum told him that all the horses in the remuda, or as they called it, the "caveyard," had to be owned by him, Swaim declined the offer, as he would not ride a horse evened by another man, and also he had prized horses which he would not sell.

The word, caveyard, was an attempt to pronounce the Spanish word, caballado, and will be discussed later in this series in the story of **Overall Ranch.**

Swaim traveled widley and then bought ranch lands in Menard and Concho Counties; Taber lived to an old age in Brown county, McAuley's later life is unknown to this writer, and of the other cowboys who rode the Coggin horses and hunted cattle on the coggin lands many preemptd or brought a homestead and stayed on Home Creek or nearby. The Bartons moved up the creek, after the country settled up, as the saying is that after you drink of Home Creek water you will never want to leave it. Coggin and Parks sold lands to McCord and Lindsey in 1885, to Moses Walters in 1883, and many, many entries in the old Coleman County land records show their purchases and sales of the wonderful valley of Home Creek. **CHAPTER 12**

THE FIVEASH STORY

We have told of the family of valer bill williams, who came to the Mukewater during the early 1860's; with them was the wagon of Elizabeth Williams' sister, Lucinda Fiveash, and her husband, Enoch, and they settled south of the Chisum store. Fiveash had been found as a baby. in Tennessee in 1819, in a clump of five ash sprouts, and the family who

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of the family who had never known

each other, one of them the grand-

daughter of Elizabeth Williams in

Lucinda was not as dynamic as

Elizabeth, nor were they as pro-

sperous as the Williams family.

Their homes were about a mile

apart, and all the children went to

the one-room school near the

Chisum store, the boys wearing their

pistols and the teacher carrying a ri-

fle. The plains Indians had turned

from their first tolerance of the set-

tlers, and their raids came oftener

and were more deadly; the five

graves which were dug in the prairie

near the store were said to have

been of men and a boy killed by In-

dians, and as the town was platted

later, these graves were in a street

Records were sketchy at that

who married young, and Dick.

and are there today.

Coryell County.

needed things at the gate but would not come nearer. Lot was the first to die, on Leap Year Day, February 29, 1876; friends dug a grave, on Fiveash land, and then came the quesion of burial. Everybody was afraid to be near the dead or the living, and the young doctor wrapped the body in a quilt and somehow got it to the open grave, shoveling the clay back in place.

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It was impossible to keep any secret of any one patient from another. Dr. Page fed and tended them, kept them as free from pain as he could, and held them in their paroxysms, but when each died, the others, if conscious, knew all about it. The day of the death of Tom Moss is uncertain, as he lies in an unmarked grave. Fiveash appeared to be recovering, but when his wife died. on March 16, he lost the will to live. Her grave was dug and she was wrapped and carried out the door, and he took to his bed again, dying on March 21.

Dick was very ill, and the succeeding deaths made the situation ever more serious. The neighbors digging the graves would not fill them, and each new burial was a distance from the others. As Enoch's

a living boy."

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dle, almost new, was hanging in the

smokehouse. Couldn't Lou have her

mother's saddle, begged Dick, but

the others were afraid, and the

sidesaddle went up in smoke, along

with the sides of bacon, the hams

and the big cans of lard. The big logs

burned for a long time, taking with

them the treasured pictures, the

beautiful hand-made quilts and

coverlids, the keepsakes brought in

The Fiveash cemetery is an in-

teresting place to study the family

story. Enoch is buried at a distance

from his wife, Lucinda, others of

their loved ones are here and there,

and among the unmarked graves

must be those of Mukewater Bill

Williams and his wife, Elizabeth.

who must be considered the most

prominent of the Mukewater set-

tlers. Visitors have tried to convince

themselves that scratched on the

sandstone of one is a W, and that

here lies Mukewater Bill. We wil

And so the life which began in

mystery with the finding of the baby

boy in the forests of Tennessee end-

ed with the tragedy of the dreaded

smallpox on the Mukewater.

never know for sure.

the wagons from Mississippi.



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The Nitia Daniell Circle of the First United Methodist Church in Santa Anna will mark their 30th anniversary Monday, August 26, 1985, meeting at the Church annex at 7 p.m.

The business women met in the home of Alice Louise Walker, in July, 1955 to organize a circle to meet in the evening; Mrs. Tom Hays, president of the Missionary Society, (now called the Martha Group), assisted in organizing the circle. The first meeting was August 2, 1955.

Mrs. Margaret Crews is leader for the Monday, August 26, meeting at the Church annex; following the opening songs, and a devotional by Mrs. Crews. pictures, old records and reminiscing will be the plan for 6 the evening.

All members and ex-members are invited.



widow of John Daniel, and others.

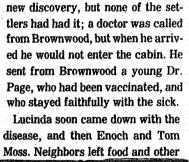
In 1872 Bryan Swaim, then a young man, came to work for the Coggin ranch on Home Creek, and he stayed for eight years, saving his money and acquiring ever better and better horses for his own use and cattle in his own brand. Feeling he was ready to strike out on his own, he made a new trade with the Coggins, who by this time had a partner and they

were known as Coggin and Parks. He agreed to stay on and board with the ranch foreman at \$8 per month, riding the range but also running his own herd and branding his own calves. This continued for three years or more, during which time he was also named Brand Inspector for Coleman County, a position of trust and authroity of which we have spoken before.

Swaim had to contend with the tens of thousands of South Texas cattle now going up the Western Trail to Kansas. These herds lost some cattle now and then, but they also picked up many more from the ranchmen and settlers on the way north, and all herds had to be stopped and inspected when ordered by the county inspector; any cattle not branded according to the road brands on their papers carried by the trail boss were cut out and the owners were notified.

An instance of this time is in the story of Mrs. Dan Sanderson's recovery of her milk calf, which she saw take off to follow a trail herd one day. Sanderson was away from home and there was not a minute to lose. Before the herd had gone a mile, here came Mrs. Sanderson at a wild gallop, riding sidesaddle, of

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Thelma and Lucas Whitehead received visits from Joe and Elanor Halley, Pearl White, Opal Maples and Sarah Bomar.

Cody Mathews received visits from Jean Culpepper, Dessa Patterson, Laverne Evans, Leona Bruce, Ollie Pembroke, Scott and Mary Wallace.

Dale Wisener spent the weekend in Coleman visiting.

Myrtle and John May received visits from Essye Ashford, and Letha Saunders.

O. C. Barker visitors were Inez Lowe, Louella Buckley and Wayne Barker and R. W. Balke.

Edna Wells was visited by JoAnn Hale, Billie Blake and Jackie Jennings.

NURSING HOME

The Melody Makers visited Tuesday afternoon and sang gospel songs and hymns for the residents an hour. Doris Aderholt, Wanda Wallace, Jim Boyle, Alene Needham, Virgie Wood, Lorene Wynn, and Dell Funderberg sang and shared their time and talents with us.

Bro. and Mrs. P. A. Lindley, Mrs. Nolen and Mrs. Keeney sang for thirty minutes Tuesday evening.

Bro. Mike Weigand and Bro. Dan Moffett visited the nursing home and conducted devotions this week.

We are happy to have Mrs. Johnnie Rae make her home with us for a while.

The residents enjoyed two movies this week. Jay McCoy popped corn for the residents to eat as they watched "Doonbury" and "Dolphins and Men."

Thursday was birthday party time again. Pat DeWitt played the piano selections, Fannie Gilbert and O. C. Barker gave some readings for entertainment. Jeannette Brock baked the birthday cakes. Charles and Jean Caldwell and Jeannette

Brock served cake and punch to Addie West and Bessie Thomas and a large number of residents.

The residents have thoroughly enjoyed the special services of Northside Baptist Church conducted Friday and Saturday morning at 10 a.m. Vicki and Christina Murphy sang specials and Bro. Bob Whitten delivered very inspiring messages. Others attending the services were JoAnn Whitten, Bro. Dan and Peggy Moffett, Reggie and Robert zmoffett, Fannie Gilbert, Cheree, Brian and DAmon Makuta, Etheleen Stewart and Imo Herring.

The Northside Baptist Church visited the nursing home for the third Sunday afternoon singing. A large number of residents enjoyed the singing of Robert and Maggie Robinett, Fannie and Clarence Gilbert, Wanda and ElRoy Dietzel, The Painter children, Pastor Dan, Peggy, Reggie and Robert Moffett Etheleen Steward, Imo Herring and Charee Makuta.

The residents enjoyed playing 42 Monday afternoon.

We are so happy everyone is back at home from the hospital.

Orvie Jenkins received visits from Floyd and Randell Jenkins, Claris Billings, Maudie and Richard Kelley.

Alma Webb visitors were Pat DeWitt, Lois Haines, Patsy Starr. Stephanie and Tammy Starr.

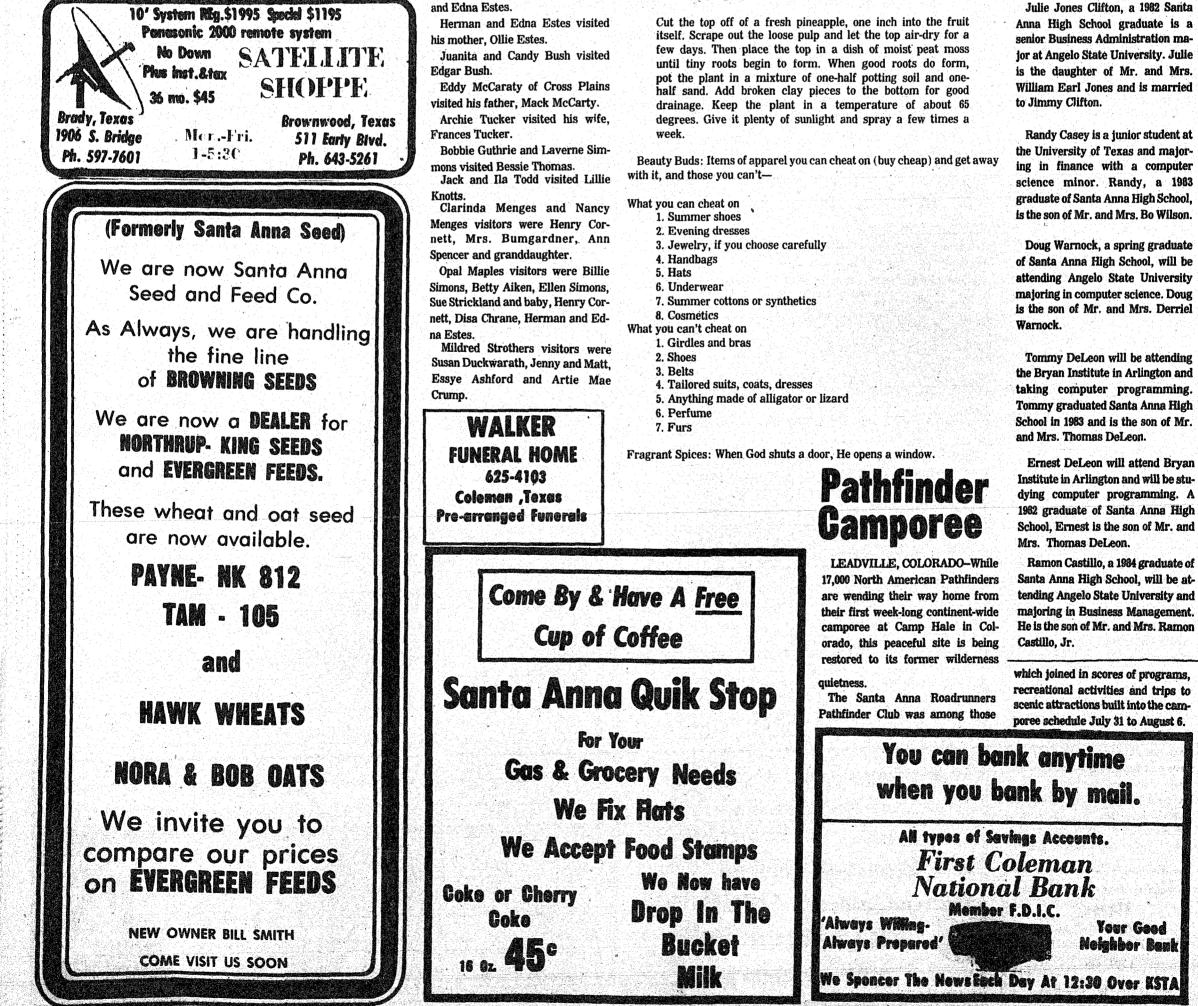
Pearl White visitors were Rev. Billy roberts, Junior and Wilma White.

Roberta Rider visited her mother Sudie Wilkins.

Major Mulanax and Bud Evans visitors were Kenneth Mulanax, Christine Watson, Doris Aderholt and Doyle Evans.

Nola Hopper visitors were Bob and Carol Weaver.

Ursulla Shelley and Nyla Simmons visitors were Claudine Trim-



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ble, Joe Taylor, Robert Barton and Herman and Edna Estes.

Nora Jones visitors were Wanda Hood, Clarence Jones, Gene and Floretta Jones, Bob and Carol Weaver.

Sarah Bomar and Linda Childress visitors were Roxie, Judy, J. C. and Quanah Gordon, Dick and Micki Dillard, Vista Cox and Peter O'Brian of England and Louise Gordon.

Ora Caldwell received visits from Bobbye Benton, Lillie Box, Jeannette Brock, Edna Estes, Charles and Jean Caldwell.

Mildred Absher visitors were Teresa, Dennis and Toby Abhser.

Vista Cox received visits from Minnie Perkins, Mrs. Smith, Walter Bedell, Claudine Brown, Carl and Sarah Stewart.

Pearl Etheridge visitors were **Ruby Howard, Imogene Powers and** D. T. and Patsy Granad.

Jane Hawkins visitors were Barbara and Walter Moore.

Jeannette Brock visited with all the residents.

Dois Wagnon visitors were Wanda Daniel, Fawn Wagnon and Charlotte Gardenr.

Jay McCoy visitors were Henry Cornett, R. W. Balke, Billie Lorene Hipp and Bobbie Guthrie.

Bobbye Benton visited Clara Traylor.

Carl and Sarah Stewart visited Otis Hale.

Jim Daniell received visits from Joe Taylor, W. D. Scarborough, Artie Mae Crump, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moore, Sharon and Julie Moore of Ft. Worth.

Lee and Pauline Brown visited John Watson.

Horace and Bernice Snedegar visited Christine Sanders.

Mabel Burrage received visits from Debbie Nixon, Dorothy Harris, Imo Herring, Ethelene Stewart, R. W. Balke, Gladys Hunter and Lois Haines.

Nell Mulanax and Beulah Hyden visitors were Doris Aderholt, John Cross, S. D. and Lula Bell Conner, Rev. Billy Roberts, Christine Watson, Kenneth Mulanax, and Herman



Somewhere tucked away in the memories of each of us are special summers. It's hard to visualize a special summer when the blistering heat of an August afternoon removes all thoughts from our minds except those of staying cool in order to survive the heat.

Assuming, however, that something does trigger a memory or two, we open the pages of our recollections to a particular summer that remains alive forever in our hearts, and suddendly we begin to reminisce.

Perhaps we remember how, as a child, each new morning was sweet and new and ushered in a day of wonderous adventure. And we knew that the warm, lazy evenings would be filled with games of baseball, or watermelon feeds, or homemade ice cream.

Or, perhaps we remember a summer when we grew from a child to an adolescent, anticipating all the marvelous new adventures that we were about to encounter.

Summer can give to each of us a glimpse of the child we used to be. And suddenly, we almost ache with melancholy, and a particular sadness can creep over us, especially at summer's end. Summer will always hold a sepcial place in our hearts.

Hints to savor:

(1) You can use colorless nail polish for emergency glue.

(2) You can remove stubborn rust stains from your sink or tub by rubbing them with a little kerosene.

(3) You can make a changing picture gallery for a child's room by stretching a length of stout twine across a wall and affixing prints, magazine cutouts, or the child's own creative masterpieces with paper clips. It's a good way to encourage an early interest in art.

Scents from the kitchen: Summer isn't summer without homemade ice cream. Here's a recipe for an easy, yummy freezer full. And be sure to try, also, this recipe for a super topping.

Homemade Ice Cream

2 cans Eagle Brand milk	1 pt. whipping cream
2 tablespoons vanilla	Milk

Pour Eagle Brand milk and whipping cream into freezer container. Add vanilla and milk to full line on container. Stir and freeze as usual.

Caramel Nut Topping

½ cup brown sugar	1/2 cup dark Karo
1/8 teaspoon soda 61	tablespoons water
Dash salt 1	tablespoon butter
	One-third cup nuts salt and butter when dropped in
gradually and blend 3 to 4 minutes. Stir in and one-third cups.	

Green Thumb Gems: If you would like to grow a pineapple plant in your home, here are the proper directions to follow to do so-

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1985

Jim Gooch Resigns

Rev. Jim Gooch has resigned as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. He and his family will be leaving for Mineral Wells, where he will assume the pastorate there.

Rev. Jim Gooch has been pastor here since June 1982. His last service here will be September 1.

While living in Santa Anna, Rev. Jim Gooch was active in the Llons Club and other civic activities.

Mr. Gooch and his wife were Cub Scout leaders while here.

The Gooches are parents of a son, Eric, and a daughter, Kim.

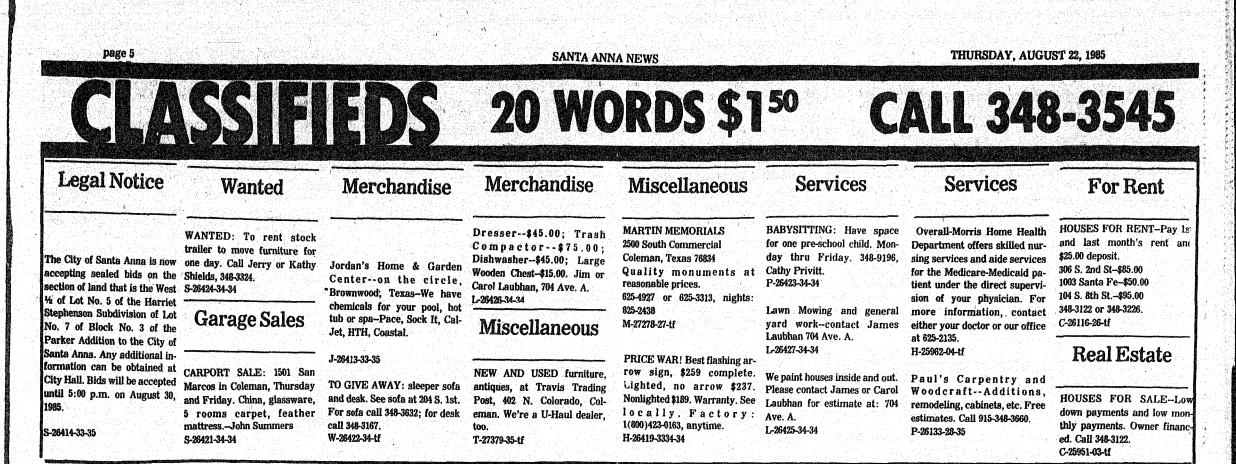
Off to College

Charlotte Garrett, a spring graduate of Santa Anna High School, will be attending Western Texas College in Snyder and will be majoring in Advetising Art. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garrett.

Monique Spillman, a spring graduate of Santa Anna High School, is attending the University of Texas and majoring in Bio-Chemistry. Monique is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spillman.

Michael Wayne Hartman, a 1983 graduate of Santa Anna High School, will be returning to Angelo State University as a junior student. Michael is majoring in Business Management and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Hartman.

Robin Hartman, a 1984 graduate of Santa Anna High School, will be returning to Angelo State university as a sophomore student majoring in Education. Robin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hartmen.



Meals Student

The Santa Anna School provides 85 cents for High School. Children meals each school day. Students from families whose income falls may buy breakfast for 40 cents and within the level shown on the printed lunch for 75 cents for grades K-8 and scale are eligible for either free or

reduced-price meals. To apply for free or reduced-price meals, you must fill out an application which will be given to your child

on the first day of school. These applications should be completed in full and returned for approval as soon as possible.

(These guidelines should be used by the school to determine eligibility for free or reduced-price meals and s. be provided the media for public release.)

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INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

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<u>Family Size</u>	Free Meals	Reduced-Price Meals	Free Meals	Reduced-Price Meals	Free Meals	Reduced-Price Meals
1	\$0 - 6,825	\$ 6,825 - 9,713	\$0 - 569	\$ 569 - 810	\$0 - 132	\$ 132 187
2	0 - 9,165	9,165 - 13,043	0 - 764	764 - 1,087	0 - 177	177 - 251
3	0 - 11,505	11,505 - 16,373	0 - 959	959 - 1,365	0 - 222	222 - 315
4	0 - 13,845	13,845 - 19,703	0 - 1,154	1,154 - 1,642	0 - 267	267 - 379
5	0 - 16,185	16,185 - 23,033	0 - 1,349	1,349 - 1,920	0 - 312	312 - 443
6	0 - 18,525	18,525 - 26,363	0 - 1,544	1,544 - 2,197	0 - 357	357 - 507
7	0 - 20,865	20,865 - 29,693	0 - 1,739	1,739 - 2,475	0 - 402	402 - 572
8	0 - 23,205	23,205 - 33,023	0 - 1,934	1,934 - 2,752	0 - 447	447 - 636
Eách Additional Family Member	\$ 2,340	\$ 3,330	\$ 195	\$ 278	\$ 45	\$ 65

Each school district may determine the price charged for reduced-price meals, but in no case may the charge for a reduced-price lunch exceed 40¢ or a reduced-price breakfast exceed 30¢.

Income Eligibility Guidelines for free and reduced-price meals must be provided to the media for the pub/dc release.

财用公器 By Mrs. Tom Rutherford My daughter. Mrs. Bob (Patsv)

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Smith of Abilene came Friday and was with me until Monday afternoon. Mrs. Smith and son, Barry, were at Junction Monday morning for the funeral service for Mr. M. Flemings, of Junction. Mr. Flemings was the father of the Smith's neighbor and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Ake of Abilene; and the grandfather of Barry's dear friend. Scott Ake, who he has buddled with since entering Wylie school several years back.

Mr. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman was with us during the weekend. mr. Loyd Rutherford and son, Todd, was here with me during the weekend also for a while Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watts of Brembrooke wwere guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson Sunday. We reported to you Mr. tom Vinson came home Monday of last week from the Humana Hospital in Abilene following a 2 weeks stay there, and so glad to say he is felling very well.

Jeffery and Jennifer Morris of Santa Anna were with their grandparaents, mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris over the weekend. Jeffery returned home Monday, Jennifer remains for a longer visit.

Stephanie. Malanie and Alisia Lovelady of Brownwood were with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

and returned to Odessa with her mother on Saturday.

Mr. Darwin Lovelady visited the early paart of the past week wi th Mrs. Doris Ruth Stearns in Brownwood and also his son, Mr. and Mrs. Randel Lovelady and girls.

We welcome Marthena Griffin who on Sunday afaternoon became Mrs. Amon Ott, into our community. The couple were mararied Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. in the Gouldbusk Baptist Church. Mr.Ott has been a member of our community for several years. We wish for the couple happiness.

Mr. Norman Floyd Morris and his son, Ricky, and grandson, Russel Garner of Brownwood visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris.

Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and her sister, Juanita Minica of Santa Anna visited recently with their sister, Mrs. Elva McDaniel in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avant of Brady visited on Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Avant in Santa Anna.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna and the granddaughters, Stephanie, Malanie and Alisa Lovelady of Brownwood, enjoyed the day at the zoo in Abailene.

Mrs. Floyd Morris visited one afternoon the pa

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Beat BY Danna Turner

It is in the air. It's getting that time of year again. You hear it on the radio, you see it in the newspaper ads, you see it on TV, you

see it in stores. Yes, it's Back To School time, and some of the parents of the youths in our community are

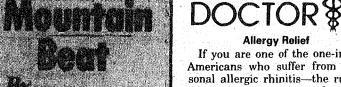
getting their heads together to celebrate the occasion with our annual Back-to-School carnival. The carnival is scheduled for Saturday,

September 14. Let's all join in and help these youths raise money for their respective groups by attending the carnival for a night of fun.

dt We had a little shower last Wednesday evening, received about 3-10 of an inch of rain. Thursday

morning was a cool one, but soon the temperature had climbed over 90 degrees. Friday was another warm day with a good shower during the evening, about a half inch of rain. The weekend was dry and hot. Monday and Tuesday were hot days also, 100 degrees or more.

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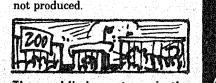
Americans who suffer from seasonal allergic rhinitis-the runny nose, sneezing, tearing and itching eyes of short-term allergies such as hay fever-you may have more reason than ever to see your doctor.



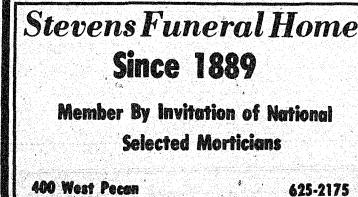
Your doctor may have new ways to battle hay fever and other allergies.

Doctors can now prescribe a new antihistamine that is made to avoid the drowsiness, mental dulling or sleepiness associated with older

antihistamines. In tests, patients were about as likely to feel sleepy on a placebo as on the antihistamine. Called terfenadine, the new product is made by Merrell Dow and sells under the name Seldane. According to the Food and Drug Administration, other currently available antihistamines apparently cause sedation by affecting the central nervous system. The new drug, however, hardly seems to penetrate that system at all so the sleepy feeling is



The world's largest zoo is the 650 acre Whipsnade Zoo near London, England.



Darwin Lovelady from Friday until Sunday afternoon. Their granddad took the girls home and visited with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Morris of Brady were guests of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris Monday. They went to take care of business in Brownwood before returning to Brady Monday afternoon.

Mr. Dusty Vinson of Waco was with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vinson over the weekend until Monday morning. Dusty will be leaving Wednesday morning for a two weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vinson in Indonesia.

Mrs. Lorene Wynn of Coleman and her son, Mr. Joe Alvin Wynn of Fort worth visited with Mrs. Pearl Avant in Santa Anna Saturday afternoon. Joe Alvin was in Coleman for the weekend with his mother.

Stephanie Fitzpatrick spent most of the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick. She went to her grandmothers in Coleman Thursday

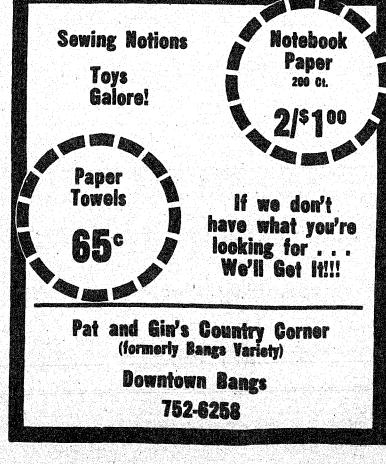
brother, Mr. and Mrs. William Perkins in Coleman.

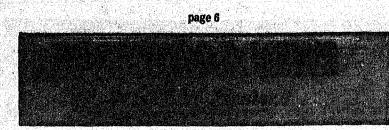
Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of Santa Anna visited one afternoon with Loucille Sorrells in Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady were bedtime guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper in Rockwood Friday night.

Todd Rutherford visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Dockery and son, Wesley Sunday afternoon and enjoyed going swimming.

Mr. Leon Carter comes to his house on the Taylor Ranch quiet often but has not moved home as of today. He is with his sister, Lorene Black in Brownwood, still. But Leon is feeling better after a lengthy iliness.

Portions of our community received showers the past week Thursday I received a half inch of moisture in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Morris has 8-tenths. Other parts less and possibly more other places for this we give thanks. The unpleasant thought is now the moisture is all gone and we are really burning.





Sadie and Bill Bryan were in Brownwood last Wednesday visiting with Faye Hodges; they visited Tom Vinson, who had been dismissed from the hospital; the Bryans spent the weekend at Possum Kingdon Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Surles, and were joined by Patricia Greener and Serena Bryan.

The Rockwood Quilting Club meets each Thursday and are reporting two new members, Claudia Rutherford and Angle Hernandez.

Ella Gray reports Weir Routh of Alvin tells of lots of rain, but no damage from Hurrican Danny.

Mary Emerson had several phone calls from the Junior Brusenhans while on a trip to Denver, Colorado, and Billings, Montana; Judy Martin, Jody Brusenhan and Jennifer, Mrs. Bob Brown; The Browns and Meca visited Mary Emerson Thursday; Elec and Rose Cooper visited one evening. Lillie Box, Ella Gray and Angie Hernandez are frequent callers.

The Junior Brusenhans visited a week and a half with the Stan Martins in Denver and with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Highsmith and family at Billings, Montana; Mary Emerson spent Sunday with her daughter and family.

Charlie Benge visited the Kenneth Brusenhans Tuesday; Ida Niell visited Friday morning, Edgar Shelton visited Saturday and David Coffman and Bill Laws and Mrs. Mary W. Clifford visted Sunday afternoon; and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brusenhan, Keith and John of Vicenroute home from a wedding in Midland. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry and

toria visited Monday morning,

family of Baton Rouge, La. left Thursday after spending vacation days with the Deals and Mr. and Mrs. John Perry in Santa Anna; tuesday, while they were here, Joe C. Deal of Santa Anna was supper guest: Rolan and Sandy Deal of Santa Anna and Lillie Box were Wednesday evening guests; the Deals visited in Coleman Thursday with her sister, Norene Winstead, and with Mr. and Mrs. Nick Buse in Santa Anna. Sunday dinner guests of Dick and Johnie were Mrs. Leno Siler and Georgia Turner of Melvin. Clinton Estes of Houston and Dee Mankin of Coleman visited Myrtle and Sam Estes Saturday afternoon;

Joe F. Estes of Abilene spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, Bonnie

and Jackie Lee of Comanche spent the weekend with her parents, Curtis and Betty Bryan.

Marcus Johnson visited Wednesday afternoon with Aubrey McSwain. Blake and Wilma Willilams visited the McSwains Saturday afternoon. Sam and Joe Estes and Harold McCarrell and Andy McCarrell visited Sunday morning, coming from Santa Anna and Coleman to visit the cemetery.

Visiting with Linnie Box recently were Don Hunter of Midland, Holly Smith of Austin, Mrs. Mike Ballard of College Station, Mrs. and Mrs.



Just a reminder of the Baugh reunion to be held on Saturday, August 24 at Bronte.

Bill and Hellene Early left Thursday morning to go back to Colorado after a few days visit with Lora Russell. Bob and Marilyn Russell of San Angelo came Friday night to spend the weekend with his mother, Lora. Lois Havner of Bangs visited Sunday. Visitors with Hardon Phillip over Cl the week were Bill William on Monday, and the Lee Ray Huggins on Thursday. Hardon visited Joe Wallace Saturday night.

I visited the L. V. Cupps last Friday morning.

Byrdie Miller and Beaulah Wagner visited last Sunday with the Emil William; Ovella William visited Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Ercell Ellis visited the A. C. Pierces Tuesday morning; Chrystal spent Monday night with her grandparents. Cindy, Chrystal and Jennifer spent Thursday with the A. C. Pierces. Friday, Lou visited Cindy and girls.

SANTA ANNA NEWS

Bryan Hodges of Abilene and Mrs. Faye Hodges of Brownwood. Recent visitors with Lillie Box were Isabelle McCutcheon, Ella Gray and Wilma Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duus and Robert spent the weekend at Tolar with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Maedgen and Dustin.

Recent visitors with Goldie Mc-Carrell and Harold were Grace Kemp and Andy McCarrell of Coleman.

Recent guests with Tony Rehm and Wade were Vita Gilpin and Chad of Laredo; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Esslinger of Kerrville came Saturday for their children, Kyndall and Kurt, who had spent the week with Tony and Wade.

Recent guests of the Blake Williams were Polly Straughn of Coleman and Cap Johnson of Jarrell.

Lou Vaughn and Russie James of Trickham and Lyndall Moore of Temple visited Mrs. Gladys Hunter Tuesday.

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rutherford were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cooper, Mrs. Coleta Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Slate and children, Mrs. Gay Abernathy and boys, Jennifer Rutherford and Cindy Cozart, Jake McCreary, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rutherford and girls; Tim and Tony ABernathy spent Monday with the Rutherfords.

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Patterson and Jay of Odessa, Marjie Pearson of Brady, Scott and Marla of Houston.

Herman and Edna Estes visited Jewell Lee Sunday afternoon.

Jeff Greenlee has just returned from a couple of weeks in Alaska.

Russie James visited Winnie Haynes Thursday morning; Paul Jenning visited Friday evening; Clara visited Friday night.

J. T. and Debbie Naron, Trey and Sterling spent the weekend with the John Narons.

Charlie Fleming visited Virgil Cupps Saturday; Rodney and Diane Sikes of Jacksboro came by Monday

TOM KINGSBERY

President



Del Ray Stacy from Casa Grande, Arizona and son, David Stacy, of A&M spent the day Saturday with his mother, Carrie Stacy. David went ho me with Del Ray Sunday morning. Tona Kirk visited Carrie Saturday evening and Lou Vaughn and Traci Dockery visited her Sunday evening.

Traci Dockery visited Lou Vaughn over the weekend. They went after

and visited the Charlie Flemings; Peggy Sikes visited Sunday evening.

The Adoph Kellys went to Abilene to visit Rosa Lee Seals in the hospital Sunday. Others they visited while in Abilene were Roy and Gerldine Wilder, Gordon and Hester Kelly, and Travis and Lena B. Smith. Dona Nichols and Alva Mc-Coy were also visiting the Gordon Kellys.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ellis and children went by the Benjy Jarvis home and spent Saturday, then on Sunday they went on to San Antonio to the Stunt Welch for their fortieth wedding anniversary. Gail and Cheryl Jarvis will be spending a few days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis.

I visited with Tony Watson a while Saturday evening.

Ted Ford and sons, Scotty and Brent, of Lingleville, spent last Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ford.

Visitors with Mrs. Tavy Ford on Saturday morning were Nell Johnson, Francis Pyburn, and Kimberly Tall, all granddaughters of the late Mrs. Arthur Talley. The of Mrs. Talley's great-grandchildren also visited. Mrs. Peggy Lancaster of Brownwood visited Saturday afternoon. Mildren Ford visited several times during the week.

You can't get anywhere today if you are still mired down in yesterday. Sunday School, Sunday, and visited the Kirk family. Last Frilday, Pat Smith and her granddaughter of Santa Anna visited Lou &Traci. Nan & Clem Wilcox, of Houston, and Gwen Vaughn of San Antonio, are coming this Monday evening to spend a few days with Lou Vaughn. **Russie James visited Lou Sunday** night. Visitors with Rankin and Natalie Mclver, Sunday evening, were Anna Laura York and Mary Boenicke and Sheron and John Boyd and four children of Waco came by on their way to Brady to spend the night with an aunt.

Margaret and Warren Barton shared their new home with friends and relatives. The friends and relatives were Joan and Jim Wimberley of Dallas, Carl Vinson, Mildred Shline, Harker Heipte, Pearl and J.T. Shockley, Jefferson, Jane and Ben Varner of Waco, Maurum and Keith Bilbrey with their children Keith Jr., Christophur and Kelly of Waco, R.O.and Ben Bilbrey Goldsmith, and Kathy Bull Noro.

1 visited the Bartons Sunday evening.

Carrie Stacy spent most of the day Thursday with Florence Stearns. Sherman and Dortha Stearns came to the G.K. Stearns Sunday to take their daughter, Sabrenia, home. She had been with her grandpoarents about two weeks. Leona and Hilburn Henderson

went to Grandbury, Sunday, and met Naomi and Brent Nichols. They took their boys to meet them. The boys went home after spending a week with their grandparents.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22, 1985

Due to the Annual Telephone Meeting at Santa Anna, Saturday night, we won't have supper at the Community Center.

Russie James and Roberta Mc-Shan and Cindy Hoffman went to Temple, Sunday, to take Lyndall Moore home. Then they went to Belton to visit Mrs. Greg Davis. Wednesday, Russie and Lyindall and Lou Vaughn visited Mrs. John Hunter at Santa Anna. They ate dinner at the new cafe in Santa Anna. Gertrude & Howell Maratin spent the day, Sunday with Minola & Ray McSwain at Hico, with their daughter and her husband.

Mr. & Mrs. Billy Jones have their two grandsons, Robert & Carson Horner, from Holliday, visiting them. They will stay two weeks this time. Some good rains were reported last weekend. I got a good shower the was just enough to settle the dust for awhile on this dusty road in front of my house. We need a general rain all over the country.

IT'S A FACT!

People have been trying, with more or less success, to best that pest the mosquito since prehistoric times.

THEN: Egyptians used netting and smudgepots to fight off mosquitos over 3,000 years ago. Others from the distant and not-so-distant past coated themselves with mud. Early Americans tried smearing their bodies with fat from bears, sheep or cattle and eating huge amounts of garlic.

NOW: Modern insect repellents work by confusing the mosquito's sensors, so the mosquito can't tell if you're worth biting. Since 1961, one repellent has been considered an effective weapon against biting insects. Called Cutter, it's available in a variety of forms — cream concentrate, aerosol spray and a stick along with the new non-aerosol pump spray and single use packets.



GLEN COPELAND Secretary-Treasurer

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Maurine Blair of Coleman visited the Benjy Allisons Wednesday. Iona Moore visited Friday. Saturday the Allisons went to Coleman to spend the day; Bill Baxter visited Benjy and Roxie Friday.

Carmilla Baugh went to Bangs Monday and Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores.

Charlie Fleming visited his mother, Mrs. Beaulah Fleming and Margie Friday evening. Max and Donna Mapson and Jason of Brownwood and Phillis and Eddie Dillard visited different times of the week with Beaulah and Margie.

J. D. Howard of Lampasas spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Ruby Howard.

Lance Rasch and Scott of Brownwood spent the weekend with his grandparents, the Cavin Campbells. Dallas and Linda Huston and Christin visited Saturday.

The Robert Perry family left for home Thursday morning. The live in Baton Rouge, Louisianna. They have been visiting her parents, The Dick Deals, and his parents, The John Perrys. Saturday visitors with the John Perrys were James Perry, Ricky, Lora, and Brandi. Judy Lutes, Angle and baby came Sunday to visit with her dad, Virgil Cupps; Uncle Emil and Aunt Helen William visited one day.

Dorothy Isenhower came to bring dinner to Burnice Sunday; Vera Wise fixed it, Dorothy brought it. Her grandson, Charles Lawson Richter of Buffalo, New York called Burnice Sunday.

Ruby Hartman visited Iona Moore Thursday.

Luther Talley and daughter, Kimberly of Ft. Worth, Nell Johnson and daughter, LaCritia of Chattanoga, Tennessee all visited with Louise Moore Friday. Nell Johnson is formerly Nell Talley.

Mrs. I. E. Hartman visited the Edd Hartmans Sunday evening. Marie Hellman and Diane Cupps and Ryan visited the R. W. Cupps, Sunday evening.



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Notice of Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the members of the Coleman County Telephone Cooperative, Inc. will be held at the Santa Anna Football Stadium (in case of bad weather, the School Gymnasium) at Santa Anna, Texas, on Saturday, August 24, 1985 at 8:30 p.m. to take action on the following matters, to-wit:

Report of officers Election of four directors of said Cooperative. The nominees are as follows: Leroy Williams Rt. 1, Box 46 are as follows: Burkett, Texas 76828 BURKETT **Bill Hunter** Rt. 1 Burkett, Texas 76828 Jerry Allen Gouldbusk Rt. Coleman, Texas 76834 MOZELLE Max Jamison Star Rt. Voss, Texas 76888 Glen Scarborough Rt. 1 Gouldbusk, Texas 76845 ROCKWOOD Wade Rehm Rockwood, Texas 76873 **Toppy Beaver** Rt. 1 Talpa, Texas 76882 VALERA **Rex Beck** Box 186

All other business which may come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof. GLEN COPELAND

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REGISTRATION AND ENTERTAINMENT FROM 7:30 P.M. UNTIL 8:30 P.M.

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Door Prizes to All Members Grand Prize - Color Television ALL MEMBERS URGED TO ATTEND VISITORS WELCOME

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