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THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1985

This year a special event has been

Picture Sessions for the up coming celebration, the church

Members of the congregation of the First United Methodist Church will be having pictures made at the church annex on Friday, August 9 and Saturday, August 10. The pictures will be for the new church pictoral directory to be printed in conjunction with the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the founding of the local church. That celebration is to take place on September 8, with many activities being planned.

On this coming Sunday, August 11, pictures will be taken of the church school classes, children's church, the choir, and various groups and organizations of the church.

Stephen Ramsdell, pastor of the church, emphasizes that it is very important for all members to be present for the picture taking sessions.

Guerrero in Stable Condition

tion and is currently hospitalized at Baylor Hospital in Dallas, Texas. Guerrero had surgery on his left eye last Thursday to remove some glass that had been lodged there, and underwent extensive surgery on his right eye Tuesday, August 6, 1985. He will be hospitalized at least one more week; and it will be at least two weeks before the doctors know how the surgery went and whether there will be any vision impairment.

Joe Guerrero Jr. was shot in the face with a shotgun last week in a scuffle at the Santa Anna Lake. A charge of aggravated assault with deadly weapon was filed Monday, July 29 against Sidney Jones.

Guerrero is in room 7745, Southwing, 3600 Gaston Avenue, Baylor Hospital, Dallas, Texas 75246, the phone number is 214-820-6529 and will ring directly to his room.

There has been a fund started at the Santa Anna National Bank to help the Guerrero family with expenses while they

July Rainfall

The rainfall report for the month of July, 1985 is .20 inches of rain on the 19th, .21 inches of rain on the 21st, and .09 inches of rain on the 24th, making the total rainfall for the month .50 inches.

As Mr. R. W. Balke says, "Let it Rain!."

As always, the News office would like to thank Mr. Balke for this report.

Dates to Remember

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1985 City Council, 7:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 1985 football players to be fitted, 7-9 p.m

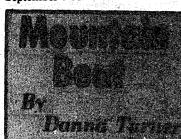
SUNDAY, AUGUST 11, 1985 Church MYF, 5:00

MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 1985 Eastern Star Martha Group Non contact drill begins for football

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 1985 Lions Club, noon School Board 7:30 p.m. In other preparations for the upcoming celebration, the church buildings are receiving a general sprucing up. New mini-blinds have been donated for all the windows of the annex and other redecorating and cleaning is being done in the church school classrooms and in the fellowship hall.

The exterior brick has been cleaned on the main sanctuary building and storm windows will be installed on the upper classroom windows of the building. Plans also are to paint the exterior trim of the building.

Church members state that all the work being done is work that had been in the planning for some time, but felt this was a good time to get it all done in anticipation of the September 8 celebration.



With the recent jetliner crash at the D-FW airport, the train crash over seas, the truck crash in one of the Northern states and other major and minor disasters make a person stop and think, "That could have been me," or "Was someone I know involved?" You know, we really need to stop and take the time to thank God for letting us be here to-day and everyday that we live.

It had beenanother hot week with no rain. The rain clouds come and the rain clouds go, but they have yet to drop any rain on this area. It is hot and dry and good condition for a fire, so please be careful.

Last week was really a terrible week for this news editor. It seemed that every machine I touched broke down. First the computer here at the office broke down, then the one over at Bangs broke down, then the machine we type our headlines on messed up, then when we got to Brownwood, we had to wait to use the one over there. It is only a miracle that one did not break down as well. It seemed that one thing after another went wrong. We were late getting back from Brownwood to address our papers for the post office so that made me late in getting back with the papers. Of course, the post office was already closed by the time I got into town. I worried about getting the papers to the post office in time for the post office people to get them out for you our readers. I thank God I made it through last

Booster Club To Meet

The Santa Anna Athletic Booster Club will meet next Tuesday night, August 13, at 8:00 p.m. in the Ag Building. Officers for the 1985-86 school year will be elected at that time. Projects for the coming year will also be discussed.

Anyone interested in supporting all the athletes of Santa Anna is encouraged to attend the meeting.

Let's get behind our young people this year!

Coleman County Junior Rodeo

The 29th Annual Coleman County Junior Rodeo will be held on August 22, 23, and 24, 1985 at the Coleman Rodeo Grounds in Coleman, Texas. The producer for this years rodeo will be Runt Sloan from Newcastle, Texas. Performances will begin

nightly at 8:00 p.m. There are three age groups for boys and girls which are 12 and under, 13-15, and 16-19. Events include Barrel race, pole

bending, goat tying, breakaway roping, steer riding, Jr. Bull riding, tiedown roping, ribbon roping, and sr. bull riding and bareback riding. Highpoint boy and Highpoint girl

Entries will close on August 17, 1985 and entries and money must be postmarked by August 17, 1985. Mail entries to Kay Hubbard, Gouldbusk Rt., Coleman, Texas 76834. Call in

events will be jackpot.

will receive a Longhorn trophy sad-

dle and 1st place in each event will

receive a buckle. Second and third

places will receive trophies and all

entries will be accepted on Monday,
August 12, and Tuesday, August 13,
from 6-10 p.m. only at 915-357-4480Kay Hubbard.

There will be one parade on Saturday afternoon, August 25, at 5:00

p.m. which will include all entries in the float division, riding club division, and decorated cars, along with any other riders who wish to participate. Prizes for the decorated cars and floats will be \$50.00—1st place, \$30.00—2nd place, and \$20.00—3rd place. Trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place to participating riding clubs. Becky Watson is Chairman of the parade and anyone wishing to enter the

parade competition is urged to contact Becky at 625-2328 after 5 p.m. or the Coleman Chamber of Commerce office at 625-2329.

added to the rodeo and it is the Wild gwith Goat milking. It will consist of 3 team members ages 10 and under from Coleman County, and each 00—1st team will have a sponsor. Trophies and will be awarded nightly to the first, second and third place teams, and this promises to be a fun event for all to see. For further information, call kay Hubbard at 915-357-4480 after 6 p.m. If there are any participants who need a sponsor, call and we will find you a sponsor needing participants, call and we will find you a team.

Beginning Football Schedule Announced

The Santa Anna High School Coach, Galen Privitt would like to announce the schedule for the beginning of football this year. Also, at this time they would like to encourage everyone in the community to become a part of "Black Magic". The Booster Club and the cheerleaders are already working very hard to make this new idea a strong success. The football boys are sold on this theme and we want everyone to be part of its expected great success. To find out more about this, talk to a booster club

member.

Also, at this time we would like to invite the public to our workouts. However, we would request that you stay clear of the areas where the players are working. We don't want you to get hurt or them to be distracted.

The schedule is as follows: August 5-7, 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. and on the 7th

City Meets Tanita

The City Council will meet in regular session Thursday (tonight), August 8, 1985 at 7 p.m. at the Mountain City Community Center. The agenda is (1) Call meeting to order; (2) minutes from last meeting; (3) Coleman resident to request gas lease; (4) Carmen Donham (about city lake ordinances); (5) Executive Session; (6) Accounts Payable; (7) adjournment.

Summer Band Rehearsa_s is to Begin

Summer rehearsals for the Santa Anna Marching Band will begin Monday, August 12, at 9 a.m.

It is necessary for all 7th-12th grade students planning to be in marching band to attend summer rehearsals in order to be included in the first half-time show.

Varsity football players who wish to be in band do not have to attend summer rehearsals, but are encouraged to contact Mr. Baker so their names can be added to the roster.

If a student is not preregistered for band it is not too late to join. There are also a few positions for band members with little or no musical training. Sign up now!

If there is a conflict in attending summer rehearsals please contact Mr. Baker at the band hall. from 2-4 p.m. also-Coaching staff meetings. Players may pickup the forms they need to have completed by the first day of practice.

August 9-Players will be fitted with non-contact equipment at the gym from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

August 12-6:30 to 3:00 p.m. Noncontact drill begins, to continue through August 15. The only exception will be August 14-4:00 to 5:30 p.m.

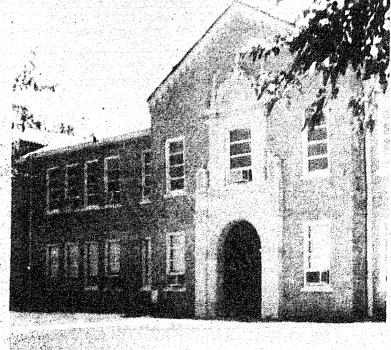
August 16-8:30 to 10:30 a.m. and 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. two-a-day workouts in pads begins. Exceptions: August 19-7:00 to 8:30 a.m.; August 21-4:00 to 6:00 p.m.; August 23-NO MORN-ING WORKOUT; August 23-Scrimmage vs. Loraine at 6:30, here; August 28-NO EVENING WORKOUT; August 29-7:0 to 8:30 a.m.; August 30-NO MORNING WORKOUT; August 30-Scrimmage vs. Early beginning at 5:30 with the J.V.

New Turf Football at Field

School will be starting before we know it and along with it-another football season.

According to Coach Galen Privitt, new turf has been planted on the football field on the High School Campus and with the proper care and consideration the field will be in great shape in time for football

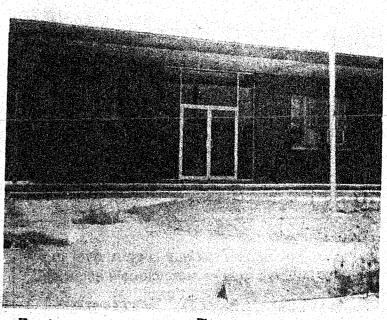
Coach Privitt is concerned about the fact that children have been playing on the new turf, even though they have been asked not to. He has asked that parents caution their children about the problem and help the school district to preserve and care for the property.



School will start soon and the school grounds will no longer be empty. They will soon be covered with boys and girls returning to school. The High School is already

having some summer action before school starats.

Here is a picture of Santa Anna
High School.



Here is a picture of Santa Anna Elementary School.

Scouts Have Campout

Boy Scout Troop 230 had a spontaneous campout this past weekend

at Lovelady Crossing on Home Creek. The Boys that attended worked on obtaining their Fishing Merit

Badge, Aquatic Skills, Camping Skills, and Cooking Skills, with each boy bringing and preparing his own supper and breakfast.

Tommy Williford completed the

swimming requirement for his 1st Class. He went before the review board Monday night.

Others attending were Jimmy row, Jacky Duquette, Richard West,

S.P.L., Curt Puckett, and Scoutmaster, Tex Wright.

The Scout troop would like to thank the Martin and Lewis families for the use of this camp site.

Aux. Meets

The Santa Anna Volunteer Fire Department Auxiliary met Monday, August 5 for their regular monthly meeting with Nikki Donham, vice-president presiding. Other members present were Syble Huggins, Edith Dodson, Donna Bradley, Sharon

Guthrie and Janette Strickland.

Plans were made for Fire Prevention Week in October and will be an-

nounced later.

The group will hold their covered dish supper at their next regular meeting, on Monday, September 2.

Nikki Donham won the door prize.

DEATHS

Sam P. Everett

SAN SABA-Services for Sam P. Everett, 70, of San Saba, were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, July 31, at Shappard Funeral Home, with burial in San Saba City Cemetery.

Mr. Everett died at 10:20 p.m. Monday, July 29, at Scott and White Hospital in Temple.

Born May 30, 1915 to the late Sam and Nellie Parker Everett, he attended the Santa Anna Schools graduating with the class of 1934; he married Kathryn Moore on March 17, 1937 in Burnett.

A member of the First Baptist Church and a Mason, he was a retail businessman and a World War II veteran.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Kathy Sue Clausen of La Porte; two sons, Billy Don Everett and Jim Bob Everett, both of San Saba; three sisters, Miss Alealia Everett of San Saba, Mrs. Sylvia Pelster of Dallas, and Mrs. Jennie Speer of Houston; two brothers, W. A. (Bud) Everett of San Saba and Jim Everett of Burnet, and 10 grandchildren.

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COW POKES

Josephine F. Stanleton

Services for Josephine F. Stapleton, 86, of Bangs were held at 3 p.m. Monday, August 5, 1985 in the Bangs First Baptist Church with Dr. C. W. McCullough officiating.

Burial was in the Bangs Cemetery under the direction of Davis-Morris Funeral Home.

She died at 12:55 a.m. Saturday at the Brownwood Regional Hospital after a lengthy illness. She was born October 9, 1898 at Axtell. She was a homemaker and a member of the Bangs First Baptist Church. She married W. F. Stapleton July 8, 1916 at Axtell. Mrs. Stapleton was a former Santa Anna resident.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, S. A. Stapleton of Grandview and Joe R. Stapleton of Lubbock; one sister, Jewel Heffington of Bangs; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Raymond R. Holland

Raymond R. Holland, 66, of Coleman died Wednesday, July 31, 1985 at 5:30 a.m. in Humana Hospital in Abilene. Funeral services were held Thursday, August 1, 1985 at 3 p.m. in Stevens Funeral Chapel, Rev. J. C. Summerlin of Church of the Nazarene officiated. Interment was at the Coleman City Cemetery under the direction of Stevens Funeral

Born October 1, 1918 in Coleman County, the son of Clarence and Alva Martin Holland. He was reared in Coleman County and attended Santa Anna schools and graduated with the class of 1937. In 1946 he married

Sharnelle Boggs in Brownwood. He was in the Armed Forces in WW II. Mr. Holland was the manager of the

JRB store until he retired in 1980. He was a member of the DAV and Church of the Nazarene.

Survivors include his wife of Coleman; three daughters. Raynelle Collins of Wichita Falls, Anna Holland of Abilene, and Denice Carter of Broken Arrow, Okla.; two

Cleveland, Mississippi and Dorothy Arnold of Copperas Cove; and three grandchildren.

By Ace Reid

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sisters, Louise Mallette of

Roy Davis Holt

Roy Davis Holt, 87, of Coperas Cove formerly of Santa Anna passed away Monday, August 5 at 3:45 p.m. at Metroplex Hospital in Killeen. Graveside services will be Thursday, August 8 at Santa Anna Cemetery; Rev. Jim Gooch officiat-

Mr. Holt was born August 25, 1897 in Santa Anna and married Mildred Pearce December 25, 1923. They lived in coleman County until 1955. He graduated from Santa Anna High School and attended Trinity University and the University of Texas. He taught school for 50 years and was principal for Santa Anna and Coleman schools and superintendent of Centennial School. He was a WW I army veteran and a member of the Presbyterian Church. He was a Mason and a member of Santa Anna Mountain Lodge.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Nancy Hughes; a sister, Mrs. Ruth Bettis of Austin; three grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. A son, Roy Holt, Jr. preceeded him in death. Henderson Funeral Home of Santa Anna is in charge of services.

Honorary palibearers are Edd Hartman, M. L. Guthrie Jr., Thomas Wristen, Glen Copeland, Lee Ray Huggins, Glen Pope, and Herschel Dunn.

Cemetery Gifts

Recent memorial gifts have been given to the Stewardson Cemetery in memory of W. T. Stewardson by the

following people: Mr. and Mrs. Clint Day; Mrs. Erin Day; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Evans; Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Papst of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. C. B.

Campbell; Mrs. Dorothy Dillingham; Santa Anna Presbyterian Church; Mrs. Adrian Price and family of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs.

and Mrs. D. S. Milligan; and Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Watson of Fort Worth.

Stuart Williams of Duncanville; Mr.

Mutrition Program

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 1985 Beef Liver with Onion Gravy, Golden Carrots, Salad, Chocolate **Bread Pudding**

MONDAY, AUGUST, 12, 1985 Cheeseburger, Pinto Beans, Hamburger Salad, Pears with Cheese

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1985 Baked Ham, Lima Beans, Stewed Tomatoes, Pineapple

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John Sidney West was taken by ambulance to the Veterans Administration Hospital in Temple on Saturday night. His wife, Mary, made the trip with him. John's mother, Doris Mathis, reports that tests are being made and John is feeling better at this time. SA

Stacle and Jackie Rutherford of Anson spent several days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rutherford.

Mrs. Mary L. Clifford returned Sunday from a three week trip. She attended a Presbytery Committee Meeting in Lubbock. After a visit in Lubbock she was in El Paso, Crystal City, Dallas and Sherman. In Sherman she visited her uncle, Dr. Max Woodard, a former resident of Santa

The Taylor Reunion will be held Saturday and Sunday, August 10 and 11 at the Armory in Santa Anna

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbert last week were Mr. and Mrs. Dale McHalek of Fredricksburg, Mrs. Lena Fav Blalock of Pleasanton, Mrs. Claude Spann of Eden, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wells of Santa Anna.

Suim for Heart Marathon

Jack Nesbitt, son of Lois Nesbitt of Santa Anna, swam 160 laps during the Swim for Heart marathon held on Saturday, July 20, 1985, to benefit the American Heart Associatioan Nesbitt was joined by several other swimmers at the Pittsburg Municipal Swimming Pool at Pittsburg, Kansas.

Nesbitt won over \$1,600 in pledges for the American Heart Association.

Birthdays Anniversaries

taken from the Community Birthday and Activity Calendar sponsored by the Delta Omicro Society

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1985 **Brandi Horner Rondoe Horton** Steve Peacock Billy Diaz

FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 1985 Julie Dean

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10, 1985 Ruby Fleeman **Montie Guthrie** Kimp Slayton Sandy Barker

SUNDAY, AUGUST 11, 1985 **David Strickland** Jennifer Rutherford Fredna Lynn Slayton Glenda Walker **Dusty McCrary**

MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 1985 Cindy Pelton Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Henderson

TUESDAY, AUGUST 13, 1985 **Guy Slaton** Gary Fleeman Mr. and Mrs. Byrl Fellers

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14 Todd Rutherford **Patty Bass** Mr. and Mrs. John Pearce Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Head

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Wallis at N. Lee

Funnies By Fannie Gilbert

"Johnny, I'm afraid you'll never learn to write legible." the teacher said. "That's o.k." replied the pupil. "I plan to be a doctor."

You know you are really fat when you step on the scale and it says, "Come back later, alone."

Waiter: One who thinks money grows on trays.

The difference between winter and summer is that in winter the bare limbs are on the trees.

A child is someone who passes through your life and dissappears into an adult.

Dieting is the penalty for exceeding

said, "My watch isn't working." "Maybe," Bob replied, "you killed all the ticks."

Rob and Bob were at camp and one

night Rob sprayed his arms with bug

repellent. The next morning Rob

If you put three ducks in a carton what do you get? A box of quackers.

Why was King Arthurs time called the Dark Ages? Because there were so many knights.

County mile: The distance between an empty gas tank and the nearest service station.

What did the big toe say to the little toe? "Look a big heel is following

Party Honors Myers Family

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Myers and children, Shaine, Carrie and John, were honored with a going away party last Sunday at the Coleman Park, hosted by the First Methodist Church.

Families and members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship and other friends of the family gathered at the park for swimming before the picnic supper.

Certificates and tokens of appreciation were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Myers by the pastor, the Rev. Steve Ramsdell, and a certificate of appreciation was presented to Shaine by Reece McIver on behalf of the MYF group from the church. Carrie and John were given pins to recognize their participation in the children's choir by Orabeth McIver and Susan Ramsdell, choir leaders.

While residing at Santa Anna the past five years, the Myers family has been active in many church groups, with Jerry and Romana serving two years as chairpersons of

the Lord's Acre project and Romona serving as secretary of the official board. She has also been a member of the adult choir, a Sunday School teacher and in charge of the Children's Church, and numerous other committees.

The Rev. Myers was transferred to Midland where he is a production superintendent with Texaco, Inc. Mrs. Myers has been employed with Santa Anna Energy, Inc. the past three years.

Attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Wise and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ellis and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Pearce and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ramsdell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Loyd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Terry McIver and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. I. Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crews.

Also present were Frances Pyburn and children, Lois Ann Harper and sons, and approximately 20 members of the MYF and their

Johnie Lawhon Takes Trip

Johnie Lawhon, son of Glenn and Laura Lawhon of Santa Anna returned home July 29th from a three week visit with his mother, Christine Cruess of Phoenix, Arizona. Johnie departed from Santa Anna on July 5 with his aunt, Carol Caudill of San Antonio, and his gramdmother, Laura Williamson of Blanco. They stopped off in Blanco for a visit with Johnie's great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Read. Johnie spent the night at Spring Branch with his great-grandfather, Earl Williamson and grandfather, Keith Williamson. On July 6, he was driven to the air-

port in San Antonio by his Aunt

While in Phoenix, Johnie attended the Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey Circus with his mother, Christine and her husband, Edward. Johnie also visited the Phoenix Zoo, the Pueblo Grande Indian Ruins, the Arizona Museum of History, the Hall of Flame (a museum of fire fighting equipment, the largest collection in the U.S.), the Central Arizona Museum in Mesa Arizona, where Johnie had a chance to try his hand at panning for gold in a man made steam. Johnie also had a chance to fly his many kites at a neigborhood park, do a little swimming at a local pool and ride his bicycle along the bike paths and canal roads that run near the flower and citrus groves

some visiting with triends of the family while in Phoenix.

On July 16, Johnie and Christine left in the mini motor home for a drive to San Diego, California, where they were later joined by Edward. While in San Diego, Johnie went on a 25 mile harbor cruise

where he had a chance to see the Coronado Bay Bridge, the longest non-suspension bridge in the U.S. He also saw the U.S. Navy port where many aircraft carriers, destroyers, nuclear submarines and support ships were docked. Johnie also visited Sea World. He also attended a wedding for Peggy Cruess and Salvatore Chiappe; Christine made the wedding cake for the reception. Johnie and several friends spent several days at the beach near Crystal Peir in Pacific Beach, in the

they soaked up the sun and did alot of swimming and boogy-boarding (body surfing with a special surf board) in the surf of the Pacific Ocean. Johnie, Christine and Edward returned to Phoenix on July 21.

company of Margaret Cruess, where

Johnie was met at the airport in San Antonio on July 27 by his Aunt Carol. They spent the weekend visiting family and friends in the Spring Branch and Blanco area. Carol drove Johnie back home on Ju-

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They Came In Peace

(Editors note: This is the fourth book of Central Texas history by Leona Bruce. In preparation for the 1986 Sesquicentennial, Mrs. Bruce has waived her copyright and permits this series of Coleman County stories to be published. All her books are out of print except two.)

Chapter 9 Earl Y. Brown

A man could change his brand if he wanted to; all he must do was to register the new brand in the county brand records.

A change was sometimes necessary, as when a neighbor had one that was too similar, or when the brand was easy to alter. Such a brand as the Lazy B or the Mashed O or Cross Bar (+ —) could be changed to a Lazy B7 or a big 8 or B or a B+ or any of several brands.

Earl Y. Brown was past thirty-five when he changed his brand from Lazy B-that is, a B flat on its back—to YB, easy to distinguish and hard to alter.

Born in Alabama in 1828, Brown began to drift west during his twenties; even East Texas was too far east for him, and he came to Van Zandt, To Erath, to Coleman, where the grass was free, the water clear and good, the climate fine. The Coggin men had named Home Creek, and there Brown located, above the Coggin and Mayberry ranges, though most of the land was still owned by the state. But it was not many miles down to the Mayberry ranch, where there was friendly hospitality and also pretty young Susan; according to family records, the name was spelled Mayberry, although in some of the county records it is spelled Maberry and in one recording of a marriage it is

The year of the arrival on Home Creek of the Mayberrys is not known, but it was sometime between 1855, when the Coggins came, and 1865, when Earl Y. Brown arrived. There were several of the Mayberry children beside Susan and the daughter who had married Lem Barton, in Parker County, and who had been killed and scalped by Indians there in 1862. That some of the Mayberry family stayed on Home: for years is shown by the marriage records of 1876, when three of that name were married, all three weddings performed by David McAlester, who had been a teacher in several pioneer schools and in the '70's was Justice of the Peace of Precinct 2 and lived near Trickham.

Daniel Mayberry married Lizzie Washington in April, John married Margret E. Harris in May, and Mary Sevina married William P. Barton in September; these younger Mayberrys may have been nephews and niece of Susan.

Eastern Star Meets

Santa Anna Chapter No. 247 met for their regular meeting Monday August 5, 1985 at 7:30 p.m. Fifteen officers filled their stations with one member present. Guests from Coleman included Jo Grant, Jewel Manning, Norma White and Verna Slate; Mr. W. T. Powers of Bangs, member of the Masonic Stars Committee attended also.

Carmen Donham, Worthy Matron, assisted by Montie L. Guthrie, Jr., Worthy Patron conducted the business session. In honor of the founder of the Order of the Eastern Star, Billie Guthrie presented the Founder's Day Program.

Mrs. Viola Morris served refreshments of banana pudding and iced tea. The next meeting will be September 2, 1985 at 7:30 p.m.

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Earl Y. Brown and Susan Mayberry were married on October 1, 1866. Her father must have been glad of her choice of this brave and courtly man, mature and dependable, brave enough to dare, and wise enough to know when to dare. He was a tall man, more than six feet, straight and erect, with black hair and blue eyes; Susan was a tiny woman, less than five feet, with heavy loops of golden hair and blue eyes, and never weighing more than a hundred pounds. Her father gave her a dowry of a great herd of cattle and many horses, and these may have been the start of the herd branded YB, registered three months after their marriage.

Late in 1876, a baby boy was born to them, and they named him John Earl. It was good that she had servants to care for the baby and to do the housework of their cabins, as she did not recover from childbirth. When John Earl was six months old, she died, and is buried somewhere along Home Creek in an unmarked and now lost grave.

A kind and dependable nurse was right at hand; he was Hen Mayberry, born a Negro slave in 1815, and taken to Parker County when the Mayberry family went there. When Mayberry's daughter married Lem Barton, Hen was given to her as part of her dowry, and helped with the care of her children when they were small. In an attack by Indians on the Barton ranch in 1862, she was killed and scalped, and the next year, as we have said, Barton brought the children and Hen to Home Creek.

By the time John Earl was born, the Civil War was past and Hen was a free man 43 years old, and also owned a herd of cattle which had been willed to him by one of the Mayberry family. He could have gone anywhere he pleased, and he chose to stay with the ones whose trust and affection he had always known. Now the motherless baby of Susan and Earl needed him, and was given to his care, day and night. Soon he was riding in front of Hen in the saddle, around the ranch and up and down the creek.

The threat of Indians was heavy on them all. By this time, raids came almost every month, during the full moon. The Indians coming south from the reservations tried to steal horses as they went on toward the settlements on the Llano and Pedernales, and as they returned with their spoils they tried again to get the horses, and later the cattle, of the ranchers along Home and Hay and the Mukewater and Jim Ned.

By this time, the widowed Mary Barton had come back from Mexico. and was rebuilding her holdings down on Home. John Chisum still gathered thousands of cattle on the Mukewater, for the Indians in New Mexico, the Coggin and Parks ranch had wide range, and the defense of the frontier depended on the pioneers themselves and on the poorly financed Texas Rangers. Earl Y. Brown was ideal for this type of frontier fighting; cool and alert, he was a good shot and a tireless rider, ready to takt the trail on a few minutes notice, leading the scout or willing to let another have

command. There is no record of any death by Indians on this part of Home Creek.

The Mayberry cabins, the headquarters, were miles from the boundary of their range; with grass and water in plenty, their herds of catle and horses increased from year to year; where they sold the ones they had for sale is not for record, but probably John Chisum bought them to add to the thousands he drove west each year for the U. S. government to give to the Indians on the New Mexico reservation.

Any ranchman has a favorite horse. Among the remuda there will be one of the right size, with good saddle-gait, willing and alert, in some way more obedient and responsive to the rider, there will be between them an understanding and a sort of communication, so that if a man had to choose he would go straight to the one horse.

So it was that Old Blue was the one for Mayberry, who had in his herd a hundred just about as good. Roans make strong tough mounts for long, tough rides, and this blue-roan proved his toughness more than once. The Indians came riding south from the Brazos and got into the Mayberry horses one night, and no doubt knew they were lucky when among the ones they drove off was the young blue-roan. When they had time to rope him, they slit his ear two inches or more, as was the custom of the Comanches.

But the young horse got away from the Comanches and came back home to the Mayberry corrals. With more riding and training he became better at cow-work and a greater favorite of the cowboys, and when he was missing after another raid the Mayberrys thought that they had not yet lost him.

"He'll come back," they said.
"When he gets a chance he'll come

And before long he was back, with another slit in the ear. These slits soon healed but gave the ear a tasseled look, a badge to his owners and to the Comanches of his value. Now Old Blue hated the Indians. He listened and watched for them, day and night, whether under the saddle or in the pasture; since he could smell and hear them before a man could, the cowboys learned to notice his actions and to respect his restlessness when he was nervous and alert.

A third time and a fourth, Old Blue was gone when the red raiders drove off some of the Mayberry horses, but again and again he came back, more mature and more valuable, and now he had four slits in the ear. Fringed as it was, the mutilated ear made this wonderful horse more dear to his owners than before.

The return of a horse to its home range has been the subject of many writers, and also of doubt on the part of those who do not know horses. Here the writer wishes to relate one story which she can substantiate and which has not been written before.

In 1933, C. D. Bruce brought a flock of more than a thousand sheep and goats from Edwards County down the South Llano, across the San Saba and by way of Brady north through Cow Gap; they were driven on foot by several hired hands, and

than thirty dollars at the time, but he had bought her from the Welge ranch because she was bred and he wanted the colt for a saddle-horse.

The flock came north-east from Cow Gap, crossed the Colorado near Whon, and in the Barnes ranch they scattered. In the brush and canyons, the little mare got away. Bruce's men rounded up what stock they could and drove them on to the old Mahoney ranch west of Santa Anna, which he had leased from the Shield heirs.

Months later, he learned that the little crippled mare had limped all the long way alone back to the South

with them were Bruce's saddle

horses and also a small blue-roan

mare which had had a broken leg,

never set, which made her limp bad-

ly. She was worth probably not more

Months later, he learned that the little crippled mare had limped all the long way alone back to the South Llano, through the towns of Brady, London and Junction. For days she had lingered around a gate which blocked her way to the 700 Springs

Ranch, until someone was slow about closing it and she ran through. Gates were closed all the way from there, through the Tanner, the Deats and into the Welge, but these ranchmen knew the mare and where she wanted to go, and they let her pass through while they stood back. The little blue-roan mare, which probably never had a name, had put herself back into her home ranch, about a hundred and forty miles.

But the blue-roan of the Mayberrys lived in more dangerous times. One day he was missing, Old Blue of the fringed ear. "He'll come back," they said.

The truth was that Old Blue had not left his home range this time. They found him, a few days later, lying dead with an arow in his heart, there in the Home Creek valley. He had dodged and turned, trying to evade the Indians, and when they saw that they could not drive him, one of them rode as close as he could

beside him and vented his spite with a loud twang of the bow. This was another custom of the Indians, to shoot a horse which they could not catch or drive away.

The Mayberrys and the Lem Bartons, where did they go? Earl Y. Brown, when the baby, John Earl, was a little bigger, moved his cattle to Hood County and opened a store at Acton. Henry, his nephew who had been his partner, took his family to the Santa Anna Gap and built a oneroom house with lean-to, in which he also became a store-keeper, though he later bought a farm a few miles east of the gap. His father, Owen Brown, who had been Johnson County sheriff and representative in the State Legislature, came with his family about 1885, adding to the number of tall slender young Browns who enlivened the Santa Anna community with picnics, a brass band, a baseball team, and cut-

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Sept. 20	Rising Star	There	8:00
Sept. 27	+Sterling City	Home	7:30
Oct. 4	+Miles	There	7:30
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Most of this "strange thinking" is injury-causing traffic accidents ocbased on a number of common cur within 25 miles of home, accormyths about seat belts, says Dr. ding to the National Safety Council. Gary Nelson, safety engineer with More than 80 percent of all collisions

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COLLEGE STATION-It is indeed the Texas Agricultural Extension strange thinking about seat belts Service, The Texas A&M University

Home

-Myth: Seat belts are un-

Fact: More than 70 percent of happen at speeds of under 40 mph. People who were not wearing seat belts have been killed in accidents that occured at speeds as low as 12 mph-about the speed you would be driving in a parking lot.

-Myth: Seat belts trap people inside cars, and I'd rather be thrown

Cody Mathews received visits

LIVING CENTER

from Claudine Brown, Ollie Pembroke, Ruby Wenzel, Lois Haines, Lily Cabansag, Pauline Eubank and Jim Daniell.

O. C. Barker visitors were Lou and Juanita Griffin, Inez and Clifford Lowe and Wayne Barker.

Thelma and Lucas Whitehead were visited by Joe and Elonar Halley, Bro. Charles and Stena Mitchell.

Myrtle and John May received visits from Letha Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hipsher, Mr. and Mrs. John Sprinkles and Jim, Mrs. Rogell Crawford, Elanor Smith and Karen Crawford.

Edna Wells visitors were Kelse Jennings and Jo Ann Hale.

Dale Wisener visitors were Leola Wilson and Essie Wisener.

NURSING HOME

The Melody Makers sang for an hour Tuesday afternoon for the residents. Those singing were Doris Aderholt, Wanda Wallace, Allene Needham, Lorene Wynn, Jim Boyles, and Virgie Wood; Jim Boyles also played the piano.

Bro. and Mrs. P. A. Lindley, Mrs. Nolan, and Mrs. Keeney sang for thirty minutes Tuesday evening for the residents.

The Watermelon Party was enjoyed by all the residents Wednesday afternoon. The melons were so sweet and good. We express our gratitude to the Chamber of Commerce for making this treat possible.

The ministers visiting and conducting devotions were Bro. Mike Weigand, Bro. Dan Moffett and Bro. Steve Ramsdell.

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Fact: "Thrown clear" is a misnomer. Being thrown from a vehicle usually means flying through the windshield or catapulting out a door. The force of a collision can fling you as much as 150 feet onto a roadside object, into the path of oncoming traffic or scraping along the pavement. For these reasons, if you are thrown from a vehicle in an accident, your chances of being killed are 25 percent greater. What's more, instead of being trapped, belted occupants are likely to be conscious and unhurt, and therefore better able to escape in the rare situation where fire or submission are added dangers.

-- Myth: Seat belts cause

Fact: Study after study in the United States and abroad show a substantial decrease in the number of serious injuries in actual auto accidents among those who are belted versus those who aren't. In the rare instances where injuries due to belts have been reported, either the belt was inappropriately worn or the crash was so severe that the occupants would have been killed or seriously injured if they had been unbelted.

-Myth: I don't need belts since I'm a careful driver.

Fact: No matter how good a driver you are, you can't control the other car. There's no way to protect yourself against someone else's bad driving, poor judgements or mechanical failures. Even good drivers can be killed or injured in a

-Myth: I don't need seat belts; I can brace myself.

Fact: The force of an impact at just 10 mph is equivalent to catching a 200-pound bag of cement thrown from a frist-story window, according to the National Safety Council. At 35

Fannie Gilbert, Ethelene Stewart Peggy, Reggie, and Robert Moffett visited the residents and attended the Wednesday devotion.

We are delighted to have Mrs. Vista Cox make her home with us. We did not show a film Friday, but Jay McCoy and Helen Taylor popped corn for the residents to enjoy.

Those doing the mending Thursday afternoon were Nell Myers, Era Walters, Claudine Brown, Veva Mc-Clellan, Alice Anna Spillman and Louise McCaughan. They do such beautiful work and keep the residents lookin so neat.

We appreciate Chester McDaniel bringing conr to pop Friday afternoon

The 42 party was a lot of fun Monday afternoon. Thanks to Era Walters, Bessie Parish and Wilmoth Russell for helping get the four tables of players going.

Bro. Charles Mitchell conducted the Sunday afternoon service for a large number of residents. It was a very inspiring service. Mrs. Stena Mitchell helped with the singing. We are happy for them to be here each first Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m.

We express deep sympathy to the family of Herbert Templeton. He died Wednesday and was buried Friday afternoon, August 2.

We regret the death of Mrs. Josephine Stapleton. She died Saturday and was buried Monday, August

Sudie Wilkins visitors were Roberta Rider, Glena Mae Jones and

Mable Burrage visitors were Bessie Parish, Era Walters, Blanche Harris, Lily Cabansag, Dorothy Sandra and Raina Ann Harris, Walker.

mph, the force of an impact is even more brutal. There's no way your arms and legs can brace you against that kind of force-even if you could

Capitol **Update**

BY JIM PARKER

Let me take this opportunity once again to advise my constituents that I am reasonably available to explain the past legislative session to groups within my district. I cannot seem to rid myself of the somewhat troublesome burden of having to earn a living, but, consistent with that, I am still making all engagements I possibly can to inform you, the voter, as to what is happening and what has happened in

Even my knowledge of occurrences is, in many cases, far from complete; however, I find I usually can shed enough light on any given state issue to make it reasonably understandable.

I have pretty well come to the conclusion that I have no real alternative but to seek election to a third term, if for no other reason than to secure the added benefits that come with seniority. I seriously doubt that my personal economic realities will allow me to do a great deal of campaigning and I prefer not to do that; but, as I say, I much prefer to come before high school classes, civic groups or other interested groups and simply try to explain, to the best of my ability, what has happened and what I expect in the future. If you or your group have any desires along this line, feel free to contact my office. I might can assist you in your understanding of the activities of your state government and I sure dò work cheap.

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Sarah Bomar and Linda Childress visitors were Mrs. L. E. Storey, Lois Haines, Walter Bedell, J. C. Gordon, Bob and Louise Gordon.

Ora Caldwell visitors were Charles and Jean Caldwell, Dorothy Hodges, Ruth Irick and Melvin Lamb.

Nell Mulanax and Beulah Hyden received visits from Christine and Fred Watson, Doris Aderholt, John Cross, Jewel Stone, Charles and Stena Mithcell and Kenneth Mulanax.

Bernice Snedegar and Peggy Johnson visited Christine Sanders. Mildred Absher visitors were Gary, Teresa, Dennis and Toby Absher.

Nyla Simmons and Ursulla Shelley were visited by Don Warrick, Joe Williams, Oscar Williams, Edmond and Eva McCarrell, Ivera Byrd, and Judy Jackson.

Velma Smalley visitors were Linnie Jo Perry, John Smalley Jr., and John Smalley.

Dona Estes visitors were Louise Edison, Mrs. L. E. Story, Edmond and Eva McCarrell.

RUby Howard, Wilmoth Russell and Lora Russell visited Pearl

Etheridge. Opal Maples visitors were Essie Wisener, Streak Turner, Billie

Dewitt and Jerry Simons. Orie Jenkins visitors were Claris

Billings, Glenna Mae Jones and Vada, Maudie and Richard Kelley. Jack and Ila Todd visited Lillie

Knotts. Pearl White visitors were Wanda and Jerry Steffey, Essie Wisener,

Carl and Goldie White.

Bobby J. Benton visited the Nurs-



Charlotte Gardner.

Have you ever thought about what the children of this generation have missed in life? We often speak of the advantages now offered to the young that were not ours, but there remain in days-gone-by many 'advantages' that are no longer a part of the present.

For instance, do you remember: -Catching fireflies in the late summer evenings, putting them in a glass jar, replete with a lid with nail holes, and

watching them accumulate to make a ball of soft light that would shine in the darkness. -Sitting on newspapers on top of a hand-cranked ice cream freezer and taking turns turning the crank in anticipation

of the yummy treat, wondering if it would ever harden. -Sitting on the front porch at night, listening to your parents and their friends reminisce about days gone by. -Or better yet, listening to your grandfather talk about his adventures as a young boy.

-Taking naps in the afternoon on a palet spread out on the floor or under the shade of a tree.

If we value life in its most meaningful form, perhaps we should revive some of these bits of yesteryear. The fast-paced living of the present day, with all of its advantages, cannot offer the pleasure which those bygone days gave its youth.

Handy Hints: (1.) When you sew, the thread won't tangle so often if you knot the ends separately instead of together. (2.) If you must remove a splinter from a child's sensitive finger, you can partially anesthetize the skin with an ice cube before proceeding with the 'surgery'.

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Beauty Buds: When you are uncertain what you look best in and what to buy, do this: Think back over your lifetime of clothes and select the three or four things that shine in your memory. Then try to pin down just what it was about each one that warmed your heart. Perhaps you will come up with a list like this:

the collar on a pair of pajamas

the particular trim on a suit the neckline of a special dress the patterned check of a jacket

Now you're a little clearer in your own mind as to just what it is that you're subconsciously looking for. And if you can't find it on a rack in a clothing department, you can probably make it or have someone make it for you.

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Card of Thanks

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Garage Sales

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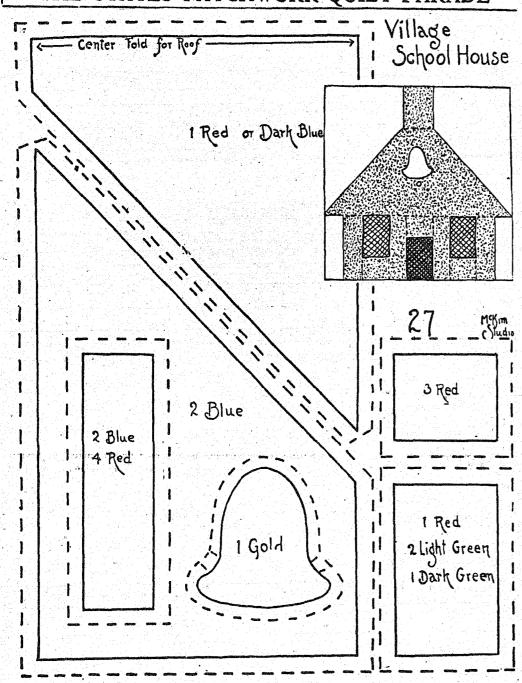
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roan horse, he never would leave Home Creek. After the Mayberrys and Lem Barton and Earl Y. Brown had moved away, he lived at the Mary Barton ranch, helping, advising and lecturing young Pink and Bailey; he outlived most of the Bartons, and when he died in 1920, a hundred and five years old, he was laid to rest beneath an oak tree on the

If someone in your family is plann-

ing to enter college, or return to college, in the fall, we would like to print that information as an item of interest to the community.

or P. O. Box 399 and give us the names of the student, the college to be attended and any other pertinent information.

was a dinner for the reunion in the Santa Anna Housing Authority Community Center, with the barbecued brsiket and other food being furnished by Howards Barbecue of Santa Anna. There were six first cousins and three others present, making a total of nine in attendance.

Although the attendance was low compared with those of previous years, the enthusiasm and feelings fo the folks were high, and a good time was enjoyed by all. Mention was made of the very recent departure from this life of Clyde Larance, husband of Cousin Eirys. Pictures and other family historical data were displayed, and stories were told about how our ancestors engaged in land transactions even in Texas colonial times. It was agreed that the next reunion will be held June 29, 1986, and that the watermelon supper customarily held on the previous Saturday would be discontinued. Also the dinner will be covered dish rather than catered. Those present during the two-day reunion were as follows: Mrs. Eirys Larance of Coleman; Mrs. George Sparkman of Stephenville; Mrs. Beatrice Mason of Springtown; Mrs. Katie Bankhead of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Leta Holt of Marble Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lee Sparkman of Lubbock; Mrs. Leta Parker of Denison; and Wendell Sparkman of

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under rubber-tired buggies for squiring the young ladies here and

Old Hen was like the good blue-

Off to College

Contact the News office at 348-3545

McClatchy

nion was held Saturday and Sunday,

July 27 and 28, in Santa Anna. Relatives of the early-day Coleman County family gathered at the Mountain City Center to enjoy visiting and covered dish lunches at noon both

Leslie and Rebecca McClatchy of Bangs were in charge of arrangements for the 1985 reunion, with plans made for the next meeting of the family to be held in Coleman in 1986.

Attending the reunion were Grace Newman of San Angelo; Mabel and Leon Younger of Odessa; Wanda Whitewill of Cotulla; Patricia

The annual McClatchy family reu- Kenrick of Austin; Clayton and Euna Bissett of Dublin; Lillie Laird

and Inez Floeck of Abilene; Robert and Bobbie Mason, Claudia and Derek of Red Oak.

Others were Aaron and Joshua McClatchy, Nicholas and Nathan Dreinhofer of Brownwood; Elizabeth and Laura Lynn Meckfessell of Garfield, Kansas; Pat and Leann McClatchy, Donnie and Chris Henderson and children, of Coleman; Joe and Ora Stacy of Brookesmith; Daisy McClatchy, Talmage and LaVerne McClatchy, Leslie and Rebecca McClatchy of Bangs; Hilburn and Leona Henderson, Sally Stewardson and J. S. Martin of Santa Anna.

The annual reunion of the descendents of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis (Wal.) Sparkman was held on Saturday and Sunday, July 20 and 21, 1985. On Saturday evening there was a picnic and watermelon supper at the Coleman City Park. There were five first cousins and two others present, making a total of seven in attendance. On Sunday, July 21, there

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On Child Support

AUSTIN-Attorney General Jim Mattox is urging all families who are owed child support payments by non-custodial parents to act quickly in applying for the new, expanded IRS Intercept program.

"Any custodial parent who is owed at least \$500 in court-ordered child support is eligible to apply for this program," Mattox said, "but those persons must act now to meet the August 9 deadline for 1986 federal tax returns.

"Parents who cannot meet this deadline or who are not owed at least \$500 can still apply for the other child support enforcement services available through the Attorney General's Office," he said, "and I would strongly encourage them to do just that."

The IRS Intercept program is a joint federal-state program through which federal income tax refunds of non-custodial parents who are behind on child support payments may be intercepted for the child support. In the past the program was restricted to families receiving Aid to Families with Dependent Children, but changes in federal law

recently expanded the program to families not on welfare.

Mattox's Child Support Enforcement Division has held a series of public meetings to explain the program and help parents fill out? applications.

To apply, a parent must file applications with Mattox's Office and provide copies of the court order for child support and the current payment record. For those not on welfare, a \$20 filing fee must be

"The number of phone calls and applications being received by my Office indicate a tremendous interest in this program,"Mattox said. "The State has collected almost \$6 million this year for families on welfare, and we estimate that as much as \$7 million could be obtained in the next year for families not receiving welfare."

For additional information, contact the nearest Attorney General'a Child Support Enforcement Office or call toll-free 1-800-252-3515.

A list of local Child Support Enforcement Offices is available at the News Office.

An easy way to brown flour for gravy: put some flour in a custard cup and place in oven beside meat. When the meat is done the flour will be brown and ready to turn into gravy.



try Mes. Inter Butter

Johnny Deal of Brownwood had breakfast last Wednesday with his parents, Dick and Johnie Deal; Joe C. Deal of Santa Anna visited Saturday afternoon and Rolan and Sandy Deal of Santa Anna and Aubrey French of Bangs visited Sunday; Dick and Johnie visited in Coleman one afternoon with Norene Winstead.

Arlen Allen and Montie Sheffield and a friend, Allen of Temple, spent the weekend with Jack and Skeeta Cooper.

Lillie Box had a telephone visit Sunday with her daughter, Mavis Campbell in Fort Worth.

Minnie Bray was in Coleman Friday evening to attend the program of the Vacation Bible School, where Lucy Greg had attended and brought Lucy home with her for the weekend.

Minnie Bray reports cash donations received for the Rockwood Cemetery Association fund in memory of J.P. Hodges, given by Oleta Mobley and Aubrey and Dorothy McSwain.

Joe C. Deal of Santa Anna visited Junior Brusenhan one afternoon:

We are sorry to report this week

Mr.Tom Winson remaines a patient

in the Humana Hospital in Abilene

at this time. Hopefully his

condition will soon improve. We all

We are glad to report Mr. Leon

Carter who has been ill quite a

while and has been with his sister.

Lorene Black in Brownwood and is

still staying with her. But he was

able to come to his home on the

Taylor Ranch a few different days

the past week. Visited with Mr.

Loyd Rutherford and also Mr. and

wish for him a speedy recovery.

WHON NEWS

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

the Brusenhans visited in Converse Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jody Brusenhan and Jennifer; enroute home they visited in Menard with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown and

Mrs. Curtis Bryan visited in Comanche Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, Bonnie and Jackie.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Duus and Robert were in Fredricksburg Saturday visiting Nimitz Museum and other historical sites, celebrating Roberts birthday anniversary.

M. and Mrs. Bryan Hodges of Abilene visited with Linnie Box Sunday afternoon. Linnie reports Jim Rutherford is in Brownwood hospital following surgery. Mrs. Rutherford has been at his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain went to Lake Whitney Saturday spending the night with Garland McSwain at his lake home; Sunday they went to Dallas, visiting with Garland in his new home; spending Sunday night and Monday night; they were Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stan

Mrs. Floyd Morris . Mr. Carter

was out on the ranch today(Mon-

day)and again visited with Mr. and

Mrs. Floyd Morris, and also visited

with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Fitzpatrick and

girls from Odessa were weekend

guests with his parents. Mr. and

Mrs. Greham Fitzpatrick returned

to Odessa Sunday afternoon. They

also visited with Mrs. Fitzpatrick's

mother, Mrs. Yeatman in Coleman

Mr. John David Morris was with

during the week end.

inSanta Anna today(Monday).

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, over the week end.

Maedgen from our community. Bruce has been living in our community several years. We will miss him passing. But we wish him well where ever he may go.

Mr. Barwin Lovelady, of Santa Anna, visited his son, Mr. and Mrs. Randel Lovelady and girls in Brownwood on Saturday and while in Brownwood, visited with Mrs.

Mr. Gerold Jowers and son, Donnie Jowers and Joyce Hausse Mann of waco were guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris from Friday to Sunday. The men assisted mr.

Santa Anna visited one day the past Brother Leon Carter in Brownwood.

McSwane; went back to Lake Whitney spending Tuesday night and home Wednesday. Blake and Wilma Williams visited the McSwains Sunday afternoon.

Billie and J. E. Porter of Utopia spent the weekend with her parents, Johnnie and Geneva Steward.

Lillie Box visited Myrtle Estes Friday afternoon; Aubrey McSwain visited Sam Estes Thursday afternoon.

Recent callers with Mrs. Mary Emerson were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan, Ella Gray and Lillie

Blake and Wilma Williams went to Austin Sunday to meet Carloyn McWherter and son, Blake, bringing him to spend some vacation days with them; Wilma, Angie Hernandez and Jane Wise were in Brownwood shopping Monday and visited with Faye Hodges and Donald and Lillian Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson were in San Antonio last week, visiting Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. David Pearson and David Jr.; all went to Austin Sunday for graduation at University of Texas, where their daughter-in-law, Jane Pearson, graduated with a degree in Pharmacy. The Pearsons came home Monday.

We are sorry to loose Mr. Bruce

Boris Ruth Stearnes.

Morris with some comfining.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady of week with Lorene Black and her

AND NAME OF THE PARTY. By Mrs. Clara Cupps

Carmilla Baugh was in Bangs Monday to take her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores to the Dentist in Brownwood. On Saturday J. C. Bible, Joe and Debbie had lunch with the Dick Baughs. Sunday dinner guests of her parents were Nancy and Lonnie Lowry and Kayla of

George and Goldie Haynes from near Brownwood and Maurine Blair spent the day Wednesday with Benjy and Roxie Allison of Santa Anna. Gary Whitlock of Ft. Worth was a dinner guest Tuesday. Verna Russell visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Allison.

Sandra Walker and Cindy Boyle, Mathew and Shannon of Bangs visited Mrs. Ruby Hartman Friday

Neva and Myrtle Parsons of Bangs visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil William Tuesday. Ovella William also visited Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruby Hartman and Mrs. I. E. Hartman visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Mills Tuesday evening.

Saturday, Jim and Joyce Ames of San Angelo visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming; Virgil Cupps also visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Russell visited Ruby Hartman one afternoon last week; also Dale Gilliam, from over near Dallas visited Sunday

Pam, John, Peter and Jeff Morgan went to Six Flags Sunday. Josh spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring. Pam and John visited Sunday evening.

Those visiting Hardon Phillips over the week were Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs Joe C. Barnes of Santa Anna, came down Thursday afternoon and visited with me for a time. Thanks so much for the nice visit and also for the very nice peaches. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes are driving a new car. We have been friends and neighbors with Joe and Gladys Barnes for quite a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. James Avant of Coleman and Nrs. Pearl Avant of Santa Anna were on the Avant farm the first of the past week. Mr. Douglas Avanat of Brady was also here late one afternoon.

Mrs. Barbara Morgan and daughter, Loraine of Brownwood, were guests of Mrs. Morgan's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris on Sunday.

Loucille Sorrells of Coleman and Billy Lovelady of Santa Anna left Santa Anna early Saturday morning for a little drive of sightseeing and also did some shopping. The ladies drove to Kerrville, Junction and Sonors. They enjoyed going through Sonora Caverns while away and enjoyed a nice time and beautiful scenery.

I visited with Mrs. Pearl Avant in Santa Anna briefly on Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Mr. Don Fitz Patrick visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Greham Fitz Patrick during the last week and also his children, Brandon and Stephanie, were guests with their grand parents during the week.

Mr. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman was with me Saturday.

Lee Ray Huggins on Sunday evening, Loyd Halmon on Wednesday; also Corry visited on Wednesday. Hardon visited Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Alsobrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kelly visited Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Watson one day

Jim and Louise Vaughn visited her dad, Virgil Cupps Sunday.

The Jerry Ellis family visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis Wednesday and Thursday. The Jerry Ellis family will be fixing an anniversary supper for Cecil and Nona Belle Ellis, so we all say "Happy Anniversayr" to you.

Shirley Phillips and granddaughter, Rachel Phillips, visited Monday with Joe Ann Meyers of Hotchkiss, Colorado. They came back to Taylor to visit with Judy Kondrot and family. They returned home Saturday. Jerry and Pricilla ate Sunday dinner with his parents.

Clara Cupps visited Wednesday evening with Mrs. Winnie Haynes. Leona Henderson visited Winnie Friday evening.

Chrystal and Jennifer Pelton spent Wednesday with their grandmother, Mrs. Lou Pierce. Lou visited Cindy and girls Thursday.

Grace Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis several times past week. She also visited Winnie Haynes.

Tracai and Theron Pollock of Hurst spent Saturday night and Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore. Louise Moore and Velda Mills visited one day last

Marie Hellman visited a while Friday morning with me also J. Bassit Smith of Plainview had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. k. W. Cupps. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Cupps and Ryan visited Sunday afternoon.

We will have church Sunday with Bro. Dalton Moss of Brownwood preaching. All are invited.

Melvin and Patsy Pollock of Hurst spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Brooke visited Mrs. Loraine Beeler Monday morning. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sackett several times this past week. Sunday afternoon they visited the E. A. Densman and Weldon Perkins of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis went to Loraine Sunday to spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wells.

Sammie La Douceur of Brownwood visited Mrs. Tavy Ford Tuesday. Welsey Jackson of San Angelo came Friday to visit with Tavy a while.

Lance Rasch spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cavin Campbell. Lance won't be out so much from now on as he will be practicing football.

Mildred Cammack and Amanda Perry visited Saturday with Mrs. **Burnice Battles.**

Sharron McLeannon of Cottulla spent a couple of days with the Randy Brown family. Christy Petty of Zephyr also stayed.

Thelma Flemin visited Mrs. Odella Henderson one day last week. Sunday the Junior Hendersons visited the Hilburn Hendersons.

The Adoplh Kellys, Satch and Helen Wright and David of Grand Prairie, Henry and Brenda Kelly and Susan, Leloris VAughn Stevie and Eddie of Porter all went down to the L.B.J. lake at Kingsland. The L. V. Cupps visited first of week.

If you would know the greatest sum in addition count your blessing.

TRICKHAM By Mrs. O. R. Boenicke

Rev. F. E. Suttle, the Baptist minister preached at 11 a.m. Sunday morning. His wife and daughter were with him. Sunday was a big day here at Trickham with a big carowd of 60 or more people at the service and at the big dinner at the community center after church. All the new people who have moved to our community

were there also Rev. Stephen Ramsdell, the Methodist minister will preach next Sunday at 9:30 here.

Laverne and Pete McClatchy, their daughter and her husband. Linda Carrol and Robert Meckfessel and daughter, Fara anda two of their daughters, Elizabeth and Lara have spent the summer with their grandparents. All will go home Saturday to Kansas.

Visitors with genia McIver Tuesday night were Gayla Sellers and Ruby and Jorge Wert. Ethel Johnson spent Thursday night with Genia, and the 84 party was held at Genia

Genia's Thursday □night with 21 present and Genia served nice refreshments.

I went and took dinner to Vera Shield after church Sunday and later came home and took a rest then went by Rankin and Natalile's before them and Gene McIver went to see Bernice McIver at the Brownwood Hospital, then I went and visited the Kirk family at their home. It is going to be nice when they get finished. They are building two more rooms and a bacak porch and carport.

Howell and Felton Martin and Russie James and Yetive Cole went to San Antonio Saturday to attend a cousin's funeral.

Ethel Johnson spent five days and nights with Rankin and Natalie McIver. She has been visiting Bernice McIver at the Brownwood Hospital. He is doing some better. Ethel went to Coleman to visit Roy and Inez Miller. She will probably go home to Fort Worth Tuesday. Visitors with Carrie Stacywere

Tavy Marie and Bill Heidbrier of Ft Worth Carrie has grandson, Mathew Clay Bode. He is the son of Charm Stacy Bode and her husband Jim Bode of California and weighed 7 lbs. and was 20 inches long. The proud grandparents are Del Ray and Patsy Stacy. O. T. and Sue Stacy spent Monday with his mother, Carrie Stacy. They have been gone to Colorado for a month.

Sunday evening visitors with the G.K. Stearns were Doris Stearns and Moya Haynes of Brownwood and James and Mildred Ford of Santa Anna.

Lyndall Moore is spending this week with Russie James. Cindy Hoffman of Lubbock spent last week here and Russie and Lyndall and Yetive Cole are taking Cindy home this Monday. Yetive spent Friday night and Saturday night with Russie. Lou Vaughn spent Sunday evening and ate supper with them.

Doris Watson from Houston visited Lou Vaughn Friday and Monday.

Tim Hubbard visited Saturday, and Fay and Bip Barnett visited several times the last few days with Lou.

Payne and Odell Henderson visited the Hilburn Hendersons Sunday night. Anna Laura York visited Florence Stearns Monday

Barr joined the co-op staff in 1960

and became manager in 1981. He at-

tended Tarleton State University

and has been active in the Masonic

Lodge, the Chamber of Commerce,

and the Coleman Rodeo Association.

He is married to the former Jo. E. Holland, who is also very active in

Barr Named to Position James C. Barr of Coleman has

been elected secretary-treasurer of the Association of Texas Electric Cooperatives. The election was held last week during TEC's 45th annual meeting. Barr is the general manager of Coleman County Electric Cooperative.



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