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Mountainside Viewpoint

by Polly Warnock

If the weatherman knew what he was talking about Tuesday night, you may be sitting in the glorious sunlight reading this. And I can feel pretty safe in saying most of you will be rejoicing along with me.

Folks, its wet in this neck of the woods. In fact, its the wettest time that almost anybody around can remember.

Its so wet that the rocks that surround my patio are turning green. One woman reported that her mildew was getting mildewed!

Its so wet that we have seen bales of coastal bermuda hay sprouting and turning green.

One fellow walked into the office earlier in the week and reported that a helicopter got stuck trying to fly over the mountain! (Of course, we didn't race to check out that story.)

In the few days of sunshine we had before the last rain, some streets in the city remained wet due to underground seepage. Folks residing next to the mountain seemed to have water leaks until it was determined that water was seeping from the mountain down the streets.

But as one local rancher said, "I've been praying for rain all my life and it sure would be hard to change now." And those of us knowing how dry this part of the country can be, are determined not to complain to much.

3-1/4 inches
Saturday
Thru Tues.



State Capital



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN - The Texas Supreme Court struck down the Legislature's plan to hike school property taxes, but left the illegal tax structure in place until next year.

By giving lawmakers — including those who will be elected to the next Legislature — a long deadline, justices dodged the task of writing the controversial law themselves.

Somewhat defusing the politics for now, the court did not shut down state funding of public schools, but it probably catapulted the issue to the top of voter shopping lists for 1992.

This marks the third time in as many years the High Court has rejected the Legislature's remedy, despite Gov. Ann Richards' pointed warning that frustrated lawmakers may just let the justices write the new law themselves.

Reacting last week, the governor accused the GOP-dominated court of "calling for an income tax."

"What's happening in all this Mickey Mouse is that the administrators, the teachers cannot plan because they never know how much money they're going to have," she said.

Conservative Victory?

But conservatives hailed the 7-2 decision as a victory over liberals, pointing as evidence to the fact that only liberals reacted angrily to the ruling.

Dickie Horner Promoted To Hospital Administrator Job

Dickie Horner of Santa Anna was named Hospital Administrator of the Coleman County Community Hospital on last Thursday. He has been serving as Public Relations director and Associate Administrator for the facility.

Succeeding Horner in his old post is Cathy Caldwell, who will be both Public Relations and Marketing.

Horner, a native of Santa Anna, attended school here and still lives here. His wife, is the former Gail Robinett. They have two daughters, Brandi 16 and Briana 12. He has been with the hospital since July. He has been involved in real estate and real estate management since 1973.

Cathy Caldwell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Caldwell. She received a degree in marketing from Texas Tech University.



Dickie Horner
Administrator Of Coleman County
Community Hospital

Santa Anna Youth Participate In Fort Worth Stock Show

Santa Anna was well represented in Fort Worth at the big Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show. Lamb exhibitors included Wesley Dockery, Paul Morris, Tom and Aaron Guthrie, Mitchell Guthrie, Joey and Chris Cheaney and Manuel Frausto.

Swine exhibitors from Santa Anna included Wesley Dockery, Scotty Yancy, Dan Benton, Ryan Keeney, Missy Bryce, Julie Dean, Cheree Halmon, Jill Weathers, Shelly Carter, Williams Loyd and Sandra Vobbe.

Top placing exhibitors from Santa Anna were Julie Dean-19th light weight Hampshire; Missy Bryce-20 medium weight Hampshire; and Sandra Vobbe-20 light weight Duroc. These three

exhibitors each made the premium sale with their livestock entries.

Record numbers of pigs, lambs and exhibitors were on hand January 28-31 and the weather was excellent most of the week. Numerous friends and relatives from Santa Anna and the Fort. Worth area were on hand during the show to lend support for the FFA and 4-H youths as they showed their animals.

Everyone had a good time, but even more important is the experience and education gained from participating in such a huge event.

Coleman County Extension Agent Kerry Shropshire and Santa Anna Agriculture teacher Gary York were at the show to help the youth with their livestock projects.

Senate Education Committee Chairman Carl Parker, D-Port Arthur, sponsor of the now-dead measure, accused the court of "posturing politically."

"Republicans, who are on the court who participated in the first double-tough opinion, caught a lot of flack from their constituents...and they started looking for a way to backpedal," Parker said.

Attorney General Dan Morales did not criticize the justices and said he didn't think the decision was political.

"We believe there is ample opportunity and ample time over the course of 1992 to prepare for a situation where the Legislature can hit the ground running," Morales said of the 1993 regular legislative session.

Redistricting Aftermath

In the aftermath of the redistricting battle, Federal Judge James Nowlin reopened court records which were sealed amid Democrat cries of foul play.

Meanwhile, Morales angered some Democratic senators by firing two attorneys chosen by lawmakers to help the Texas Democratic Party with redistricting.

Departing were Austin lawyers Richard Gray and David Richards, former husband of Gov. Ann Richards.

Morales hired Paul Coggins of Dallas to probe whether State Rep. George Pierce, R-San Antonio, helped federal judges draw new districts.

Sen. Ted Lyon, D-Rockwall, was critical: "Morales could well be the father of Republicans taking

over the Texas Senate."

In a peripheral issue, Republican lawyers criticized Democrat lawyers representing minority groups for billing the state for more than \$750,000 in fees.

But Jim Herrington, of the Texas Civil Rights Project, said the fees were "cheap" compared to previous redistricting lawsuits, and predicted Texas taxpayers will probably pay more than \$6 million in attorneys' fees to lawyers suing the state over redistricting.

This doesn't include the \$1 million it cost taxpayers to finance the recent special session which produced the plan rejected by the court.

Conflict of Interest?

Wise County Appraisal District officials criticized Texas Supreme Court Justice Jack Hightower for not recusing himself from a case for conflict of interest. They maintain that his daughter, Amy Hightower Brees of Austin, was a lobbyist for a company that benefitted from the court's 5-4 decision on a case involving property taxes on limestone deposits.

Legal Action Threatened

Trade groups for out-of-state utility companies asked U.S. Secretary of Energy James Watkins to take legal action to stop the Texas Railroad Commission from putting caps on production.

Several Texas officials have in the past two years called for more use of natural gas, a cheaper fuel. The utilities say the commission's caps will drive up prices and utility rates.

See Highlights page 6.

Hospital To Provide Ambulance Service Henderson Still Covering Santa Anna Area

Although Santa Anna citizens are assured they have ambulance service provided by Henderson Funeral Home, other county residents are wondering what they will do in case of a medical emergency. Henderson says they will continue to provide the service to the Santa Anna Area as long as they can do so and the service is needed. The Henderson Funeral Home ambulance is certified and provides basic life support.

Coleman Mayor Woody Maddox last Friday declared a state of emergency and informed the media that the city of Coleman would continue the ambulance subsidy thru 5:00 p.m. this past Monday to allow time for Coleman County Community Hospital to get an ambulance into operation. The Hospital has purchased an ambulance, which according to a conversation on Tuesday with Red Gerhart, who will be in charge of the ambulance operation, will be ready for use sometime the later part of this week. At the time they were waiting for some "paper work to be completed." The hospital's ambulance will provide basic life support whereas the subsidized service has been providing advanced life support.

The County Commissioners met Friday with the only item on the

agenda being that of paying bills. However, they were confronted with people wanting to talk about the ambulance service. But because the topic was not on the agenda, the commissioners could not respond to the questions being raised.

Coleman Co. Electric Awarded Loan from REA

The Rural Electrification Administration has awarded a \$3,082,000 low-interest loan to Coleman County Electric Cooperative, Inc. U. S. Sen. Phil Gram announced Monday.

The loan, which is for 35 years at five percent interest, will enable the company to construct 106 miles of new distribution lines and to reimburse the company for previous construction costs.

Customers served by Coleman County Electric are in Callahan, Coke, Coleman, Concho, Runnels, Taylor Brown and Tom Green Counties.

REA operates both electrification and telephone service programs and has provided low-interest loans and

County Attorney Joe Dan LeMay interceded and told those present that "the law is pretty clear that where there are no funds available and no item budgeted, there can't be an amendment to the budget...." He did say there is an emergency exception to the rule, "but don't think we would be able to show there is an emergency situation here, because this is something we have known about for a year."

By the time you read this the Coleman County Community Hospital ambulance may be in service. According to Red Gerhart, the ambulance will be available to all of the people of the county. And, in fact, he says, they are attempting to get a second ambulance to press into service right away.

Well Said

An egotist is a person of low taste, more interested in himself than in me.

loan guarantees to small companies and cooperatives for over 50 years.

The agency recently was authorized by Congress to carry out a special rural loans and grants program to promote economic development and job creation.

Santa Anna School Board Meets, Sets Trustee Election For May 2

The Santa Anna ISD Board of Trustees met in regular session Thursday, January 30, 1992. Present were board members Ruth Ann Wise, Sharon Guthrie, Roy Joe Harvey, Gary Absher, Barbara Simmons and Marty Donham. Also present were business manager Judy Hartman, Secretary Carole Voss and one guest.

The minutes of the last regular monthly were read and approved as read.

Motion was made by Harvey, seconded by Donham to set the school board election date for May 2, 1992. Motion passed unanimously. Purpose of the election is to elect three board members to full 3-year terms. Early voting will be conducted each workday at the school business office between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., beginning April 13 and ending April 28. Board members whose terms will expire are Ruth Ann Wise, Marty Donham and Roy Joe Harvey.

Motion was made by Donham, seconded by Absher to approve the textbook committee recommendation for the 1992-93 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion was made by Guthrie, seconded by Harvey, to approve

UIL Announces New Football Realignment

The U.I.L. last week announced the new two year realignment for football leaving Santa Anna in District 11 with Eden, Menard, Irion County, Miles and Water Valley which are the same district opponents they faced last year.

Coleman moved up to Class 3A District 7 where they will face Abilene Wylie, Ballinger, Clyde, Comanche, Early, Eastland and Merkel.

The new 1992 football schedule will be published as soon as it is available to us.

TASB local policy update 41. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion was made by Simmons, seconded by Guthrie, to extend a 12-month contract to Principal Frank Gray, Principal Dean Bass, Business Manager Judy Hartman and Athletic Director Mike Permenter. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

The board will meet again beginning Monday, February 10 in their search for a new superintendent. Special meetings will be as follows:

Feb. 3--Met with Mr. Moates; review top 12 applicants. (Moates is the consultant from Texas Association of School Boards, hired to conduct a search for a superintendent.)

Feb. 10, 11, 13--Interview top 6 applicants with Mr. Moates.

Feb. 13--Meeting with Mr. Moates to select top 3 candidates.

Feb. 17, 18--Interview top three applicants with Mr. Moates.

Feb. 22--Board committee will visit district of the candidate.

Feb. 24--Announce selection of new superintendent.



JEFFREY HARTMAN RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP from the Texas Tech Ex-Students Association. The Association provides scholarships to high school valedictorians and salutatorians who enroll as freshman students at Texas Tech. Jeffrey is shown here receiving his scholarship check from Dr. Bill Dean (left) executive director of the Ex-Students Association and Associate Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences Dr. Tom McLaughlin. Jeffrey's parents are Leanna Hartman of Santa Anna and Ronnie Hartman of Lake Brownwood.

Santa Anna—A Town Of Friendly People

Hometown of PFC Alonzo Hernandez Of Germany

City Employee On Call This Weekend

The City Crew member on call this weekend is Thomas Davis, 348-3206.

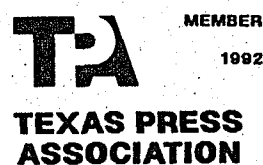
NOTE FROM CITY HALL

You are reminded that the landfill is open on Saturdays until 12:00 noon.

Recycling Center Schedule

Open 9:00 a.m. to noon.

- Saturday Feb. 1.....open
Saturday, Feb. 8.....closed
Saturday, Feb. 15.....open
Saturday, Feb. 22.....closed
Saturday, Feb. 29.....open



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Obituaries

Opal Cope

Mrs. J. B. (Opal) Cope, 77, of Santa Anna, passed away Tuesday, January 28, 1992 at Ranger Park Nursing Home in Santa Anna.

Services were held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Santa Anna with the Rev. Waide Messer, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiating.

Mrs. Cope was born October 29, 1914 in Arch, New Mexico to Alexander and Pearl Westfall. She lived in Coleman since 1930, was a registered nurse and a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Sharon and Charles Greenlee of Rockwood; a son, Jerry C. Cope of Houston; one sister, Edith Kolb of Coleman; three grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

Alice Baird

Services for Alice (Polly) Baird, 81 of Brownwood were held Monday, February 3, 1992 at Davis-Morris Funeral Home with the Rev. Ray Martin officiating.

She died at 4:45 p.m. Thursday, January 30, 1992 at the Brownwood Regional Hospital.

Born in Coleman County February 23, 1910, she was married to R. C. Baird in Coleman County in 1932. He died in 1971. A resident of Brownwood since 1949, she was a retired M.R. Pepper Bottling Co. employee and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include two sons, Phillip Baird of Cleveland and Billy Baird of Blanchard; one daughter, Pat McNamee of Brownwood; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one sister, Minnie Barron of Brownwood; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Baird was an employee of the old Service Cafe years ago owned by A. D. Donham.

Memorials To Cemetery Assn.

The Santa Anna Cemetery Association has received the following memorials during the past week.

In memory of Donald Ray, from Thelma Price, Mr. and Mrs. Deriel Warnock.

In memory of Opal Cope from Mr. and Mrs. Deriel Warnock.

In Memory of Margaret Campbell from Doris Griffin, Friendship Luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh, Ray Owen, Gwendolyn Walker and Inez Lowe.

Margaret Campbell

Services for Margaret (Mrs. Calvin) Campbell, 80, of Santa Anna were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, February 1, 1992 at First Baptist Church in Santa Anna with the Rev. Waide Messer officiating.

She died January 30, 1992 at her home.

Born December 20, 1911, in Itasca, she was a 1930 graduate of Santa Anna High School and attended Hardin Simmons University. She and her husband owned and operated Gulf Distributor Consignee in Santa Anna for many years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church where she was a Sunday School secretary for many years.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Linda (Mrs. Dallas) Huston of Brownwood; one granddaughter, Dena Rasch of Gatesville; one grandson, Lance Rasch of Stephenville; one step-granddaughter, Valorie Boyce of Snyder; one step-grandson, Christian Huston of Gatesville; and two step-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her brother A. D. Donham in 1962.

Stork Report

Doug and Lana Gilder of Sunnyvale, California are happy to announce the arrival of their daughter Amber Cheyenne. Amber was born January 23, 1992 at 1:02 a.m. at Oakland Naval Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. and was 20-1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Larry and Pat Gilder of Coleman and Charles and Frances Pyburn of Santa Anna.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gilder, Mr. and Mrs. Burnice Lawrence of Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pyburn of Voss and Mrs. Mary Oakes of Santa Anna.

Friendship Luncheon Reminder

The Friendship Luncheon is held each Wednesday at noon at the Mountain City Community Center. All ages are invited to bring a covered dish and have lunch with friends and neighbors.

Collins Family Christmas Visitors

The Wallace and Hannah Collins family gathered for Christmas at the hold home place at 906 South 8th Street in Santa Anna. Five generations gathered together from Coleman, Brownwood, Abilene, Dallas, San Francisco, California, Los Angeles, California, Fort Worth, Santa Anna and Bangs.

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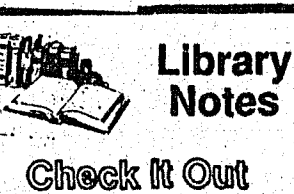
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By Alice Spillman

Recently we have been rearranging shelves and books. Several books were donated by Mrs. Frances See. She not only enjoyed reading—but shared books with all of us. Memorials in her name continue to fulfill her generosity to this community.

This past week the library received remembrances for Mrs. See from the following: Doyle and Laverne Evans, Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Woods and Dorothy Dillingham.

Eventually our books will be in categories. This will make it easy to move and to build a card catalogue.

Volunteers will continue keeping the doors open. Most days opening time will be 9:30 a.m. Do call so you know someone is working. Continue leaving books at City Hall, if necessary.

Valentine is just around the corner. Buy a book for your love. Choose their favorite subject and find a book along those lines.

Someone made a survey recently and found that 91% of the men and 76% of the women—remember their first kiss. Do you remember who gave you that first kiss? Where and when?

Women usually like romance books to read. There are lots of paperback and hardback at the library. These come in adult variety and those that would even be suitable for teenage girls. I still remember reading the first Faith Baldwin stories. Check shelves and boxes for these books.

Almost three shelves of books are of the religious type. Some of the authors are Dale Evans, Norman Vincent Peale, Billy Graham, Catherine Marshall and Anita Bryant. One shelf contains study material. Another real life stories. There is even a complete Lives of the Saints.

If you haven't read the powerful story of Carrie Tom Boom, check it out. Corrie was in a German concentration camp, but held fast to her beliefs.

Russell E. Nelson recently gave two books, The Greatest Man Who Ever Lived and God's Word or Man's. These are new study guides and we appreciate new material for our readers.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6

- Becky Martin Dan Benton Hannah Collins FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7 Barbara Simmons

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8

- Stephanie Starr Janice Fellers

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

- Scott Warner Stephanie Hartman Anita Moore Darrell Slayton

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10

- Zane Keeney Allen Jones Jeff Morris Lola Taylor Chrystal Montgomery

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

- Seth Moore Danny Cook Toni Stewardson

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

- Debra Ann Rathke Louise Strength Brenda Jackson Hazel McCrary Glenn Herrod Mr & Mrs Joe Guerrero * Mr & Mrs Margarito Hernandez *

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

- Dana McElrath Mr & Mrs Dick Longbrake

Thoughts From Our Pastors

G. W. McFadden, Northside Baptist Church

INCREASING-STRENGTH

"As thy days, so shall thy strength be." (Deut. 33:25) There are two ways of reading these words. According to the common interpretation, they contain an assurance of strength proportioned to the need. Each day has its trials, difficulties, and demands; so for each day there is God's provision of strength. That strength will come as the day comes. Whatever kind of strength is wanted, that kind of strength shall be given.

May God Bless and keep you.

Our collection of Bibles contains a New Testament in Spanish. If you need one of these Bibles to study, come by.

The Library Donation Service has recently sent several books by L. Ron Hubbard. These are new copies. If you enjoy this author be the first to read our copies.

If we can believe the TV news, the ground hog believes winter will be around a while. In fact, you may be frozen in sometime this week. Be prepared, check out books at the library.

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You Are Invited To Attend The Church Of Your Choice



- Assembly of God Brady Hwy. James Ford - Pastor Sunday School - 9:45 Worship Service - 11:00 Sunday Evening - 7:00 Wednesday Evening - 7:00

- Northside Church Of Christ 310 Ave. B Aaron Lemond - Minister Sunday Bible Classes - 9:30 Sunday Worship - 9:45 Sunday Evening - 6:00 Wednesday Evening - 6:30

- First Baptist Church 106 S. Lee Waide Messer - Pastor Sunday School - 9:30 Worship Service - 10:45 Sunday Evening - 6:00 Mission Organizations - 6:00 Wednesday Fellowship Dinner - 6:00

- Northside Baptist Church 708 Ave. B G.W. McFadden - Pastor Sunday School - 9:45 Worship Service - 10:50 Sunday Evening - 6:30 W.M.A. 1st & 3rd Mon. - 2:00 Wed. Nursing Home Service - 10:00 Wednesday Prayer Service - 6:00

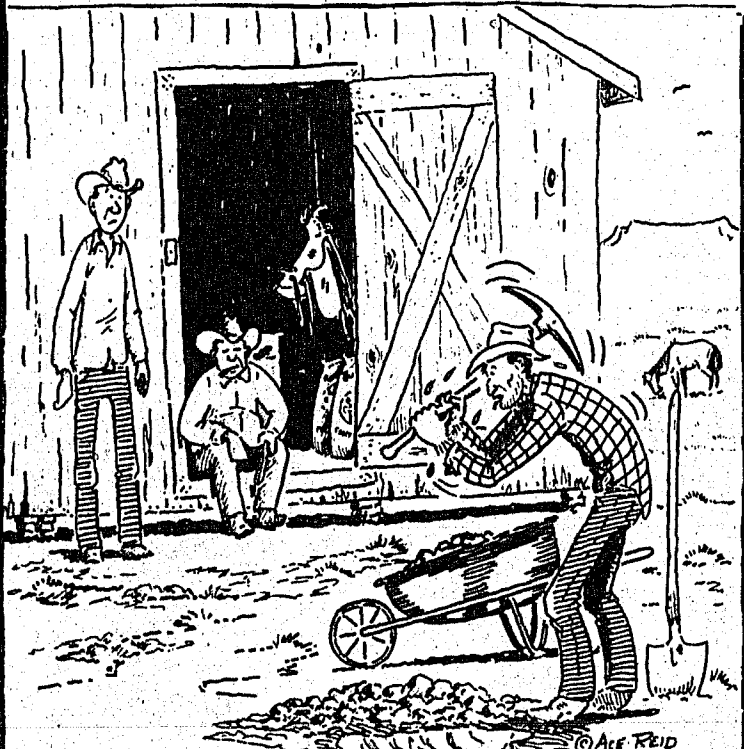
- First United Methodist Church 405 South 1st Don Elrod - Pastor Sunday School - 9:45 Worship Service - 11:00 UMYF - 5:00 Fellowship Dinner Each 5th Sun.

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COWPOKES By Ace Reid



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Video Movie Review

by members of SAHS Gifted & Talented Class

Misery

Misery, by author Stephen King and director Rob Reiner, brings new meaning to the word misery. This is an outstanding horror film with great actors!

Paul Sheldon (James Caan), a famous author who writes novels about a girl named Misery Chastain, lives a terrible nightmare. He has just finished his last novel about Misery at Elk Creek Lodge. This lodge is the place where he goes to finish all his books. Only this time he doesn't make it back to the city. He loses control of his car and has what could have been a fatal accident. Luckily he is spotted and saved by Anne Wilkes (Kathy Bates), who just happens to be his number one fan. Anne nurses him back to health. But would he have been better off being killed in the accident? That is for you to decide!

This movie will keep you on the edge of your seat. Does Paul live through the misery Anne puts him through?

This movie is rated "R", and I do not recommend it for young children, but if you are an adult and get a chance to rent this movie, I definitely suggest that you do!

Birth Certificates Reflect Most Popular Names For Babies

The Bureau of Vital Statistics of the Texas Department of Health has released a list of the ten names most frequently given to newborn boys and girls of Texas residents.

State Registrar Richard B. Bays, who is chief of the bureau, said that, Calendar year 1990 was the first year that these names were available for publication in our annual report.

The 10 most popular names for boys born in 1990 were: Michael, Christopher, Joshua, David, Matthew, Justin, Jose, John, Daniel and James.

Girls born during the same year were most often named: Ashley, Jessica, Amanda, Brittany, Sarah, Stephanie, Samantha, Lauren, Jennifer and Elizabeth.

"When examined by ethnicity, Whites, Blacks and Hispanics each chose Michael as one of the most popular names for boys, while Ashley and Jessica were among the most popular girls names" Bays said.

Jeremy Hartman On President's List

Jeremy Hartman of Santa Anna has been named to the President's List at Texas Tech University for the 1991 Fall Semester.

Students on the President's List must earn a perfect 4.0 (A) grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more credit hours of classwork.

Jeremy is the son of Leanna Hartman of Santa Anna and Ronnie Hartman of Lake Brownwood.

Barbara Kingsbery Honored with Party

CONTRIBUTED
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kingsbery had a pleasant surprise Saturday, February 1. They were expecting their daughter and husband, Carol and Bob Ott and granddaughters Dianna and Mollie Porter from the Austin area. The first they knew Dr. and Mrs. John Woodward, cousins from Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Woodward from San Antonio arrived. They were all here to celebrate Barbara's birthday with a surprise party.

Joining the group for Saturday night's dinner were Bruce and Karyn Kingsbery, Emma, Cole and Grant and Mary L. Clifford.

We all enjoyed getting acquainted with Hugh's wife, Monica. We all enjoyed visiting and learning more about our family history.

Not in your hand
Many people, kids especially, are curious as to how certain candies were named. M&M's, designed to "melt in your mouth, not in your hand," were named after the last initial of their creators, Forrest Mars and Bruce Murrie. In 1940, they created this candy for the U.S. military.



Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCary

McCarys Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCary of Odessa celebrated their 62nd wedding anniversary on January 26, 1992 in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, JoAnn and Benny Bridges of Denver City. Co-hosts for this special occasion were their other two daughters and sons-in-law, Neva and Tom Hooton and Betty and Monte Wootton, all of Odessa. Frank and Eula McCary were married on January 27, 1930 in Coleman. They lived in this area until 1948 at which time they moved to Odessa and lived there until they retired in 1975 at which time they moved back to Santa Anna and built a home and retired in Coleman County.

On Saturday evening, Mexican food was enjoyed by all present. Then the group enjoyed visiting, singing and reminiscing and talking about years past.

Sunday, the group enjoyed a delicious meal of brisket, potato salad, beans, tossed salad, congealed salad, broccoli casserole, hot rolls, peach cobbler, cake and ice tea. The guests spent the afternoon visiting and watching the Super Bowl.

Special friends were invited for cake and coffee at 4:30 p.m. The cake was a beautiful white cake decorated with different colored roses. The table was decorated with a mauve centerpiece and coordinated napkins. Cake, coffee and tea was served to all present. The cake was presented to the couple by their three daughters.

Present for their special occasion were their three daughters and sons in law, a niece, Christene and Nolan Chayshuttle of New Mexico, special friends, Reeder and Wendy Owens and Ted and Claudia Sue Ferguson of Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. McCary are now living in Santa Anna. They are active members of the First Baptist Church, Eastern Star, Senior Citizens and other local organizations.

Suzan Daniel to Summer Teach at San Marcos

Suzan Daniel has been chosen to take part in the Aquatic Studies Camp this summer in San Marcos. The camp is sponsored by Southwest Texas State University and the Edwards Aquifer. She will be working with 12-year olds who will be studying the marine life found in the aquifer area.

The camp selects two teachers from a group of applicants for each of the ten-6 day sessions.

Activities for the camp include scuba diving and snorkeling lessons, tubing down the San Marcos River, a study of the caverns in the area and a trip to San Antonio to visit Sea World. Also, the students will be learning techniques used by marine biologists to collect water samples and test them.

Suzan is the 5th grade science teacher at South Elementary School in Brownwood.

Methodist Valentine Banquet Set For Sunday

The annual Valentine Banquet honoring ladies of First Methodist Church has been set for Sunday evening, February 9 at 6 p.m. The affair will be held in the church annex with all ladies of the church invited to be the honored guests. The children of the church host the dinner party each year. They provide decorations, entertainment and the mean, which they serve.

The children will also preside over the selection of the 1992 Valentine Sweetheart.

January 26. Burial was in the Santa Anna Cemetery.

Duke Riley passed away January 28.

Grocery sales for Piggly Wiggly included Hormel Pork Sausage--3 rolls for .98.

A one-year in Coleman County subscription to the Santa Anna News was \$2.00 plus .04 tax.

THE WAY WE WERE

FEBRUARY 1, 1952

Cullen Perry, principal of Santa Anna High School was elected Director General for the UIL District 14. Members in the district are Santa Anna, Bangs, Early, Zephyr, May, Blanket and Brookesmith.

Police Report

The following is the Police Report for the month of January, 1992 as reported by Chief Carlos Torres:

Calls answered 41; Tickets written 48; Written warnings 6; Accidents worked 6; Thefts 2; Burglaries 1; Stolen autos 3; Criminal Mischief 2; Assaults 1; Inquests 1; Disturbance calls 3; Recovery of out of town stolen auto 1; Livestock of highway 3; Assist motorist 7; Welfare concerns 2; Telephone harassments 1; DWI 1; Business alarm 1; Harassment 1; Emergency message 1; Hot rodding 2; Loud parties 1 and Discharging firearms in city limits 1.

Ten arrests were made in the month of January on the following charges: public intoxication, one DWI; two on criminal mischief; two for stolen autos and one burglary. The stolen autos and the property from the burglary were recovered. There were three additional arrests made for separate offenses on

stolen autos. The two thefts are still under investigation. Two suspects have been identified with charges probably to be filed in the criminal mischief cases. The assault investigation has been turned over to the juvenile authorities.

Mrs. C. F. Shield, a resident of the Trickham Community and the mother of Mary Boenicke is shown celebrating her 80th birthday.

Donnie Oakes showed his fat Shropshire lamb to the championship of the cross-bred division of the lamb show at the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show.

Mrs. Cassie E. Bible, 84 passed away Sunday January 27. Burial was in the Whon Cemetery.

M. H. Patterson, 48 passed away Friday January 25. Burial was in the Santa Anna Cemetery.

Classified: FOR SALE: 4-1/2 room house, well located, convenient to both schools, indoor toilet facilities, newly painted inside and out. A good value at \$2,500. Would consider some trade, and can arrange terms if desired.

Showing at the Queen Theatre Friday and Saturday February 1 and 2: Errol Flynn, Miriam Hopkins, Randolph Scott and Humphrey Bogart in Virginia City.

Piggly Wiggly offers a 25 pound sack of Pillsbury Flour for \$1.99 with a set of 4 water glasses free.

FEBRUARY 2, 1962

Frank Gray accepted the position of Junior High Science Teacher and Coach of the Elementary School.

Lupe Torres Gomez and Florentina Valenciano Ramirez were married January 28 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gomez.

Howard Steven Voss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie P. Voss enlisted in the Air Force on January 12.

School Lunch Menu for Friday February 9 was Baked Beans,

creamed potatoes, lettuce and tomato salad, apple cobbler, rolls, butter, jelly and milk.

A. D. Donham, Jr. passed away

Saluting People Who Have Helped Shape Local History

Mr. and Mrs. Elton McDonald



Elton and Bessie McDonald celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary on November 10, 1991. They have lived all those married years in Coleman County, 49 years in the Plainview Community, southwest of Santa Anna, where they presently reside.

Elton was born in Madison County and came to Coleman County with his parents at the age of 14. Bessie Brandon, born in Brown County moved to Coleman County as a very young child.

Engaged in farming and ranching, the McDonalds also operated a dairy for twenty years. Elton had to retire from farm work in recent years, "on the orders of my doctor."

The couple are the two oldest members of First Baptist Church. Bessie became a member there in 1927, only two years after the present main building was constructed, and he in 1937.

Elton has served on the properties committee of the church for a number of years, their most recent accomplishment being that of overseeing the building of the Christian Life Center. He earlier taught a Sunday school class for young boys. He was a mem-

ber of Coleman County Breeder-Feeders for many years. Bessie served on the kitchen committee of First Baptist Church for many years and is treasurer of her Sunday school class. She was a longtime member of the Santa Anna Garden Club before it disbanded several years ago. Her present hobbies include cooking and crocheting. Elton comments he never had time to develop a hobby because he was always too busy working.

The couple has one daughter, Oma Dean (Mrs. Richard) Horner, also of the Plainview Community, three grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

We salute Elton and Bessie McDonald who have had a part in shaping our local history.



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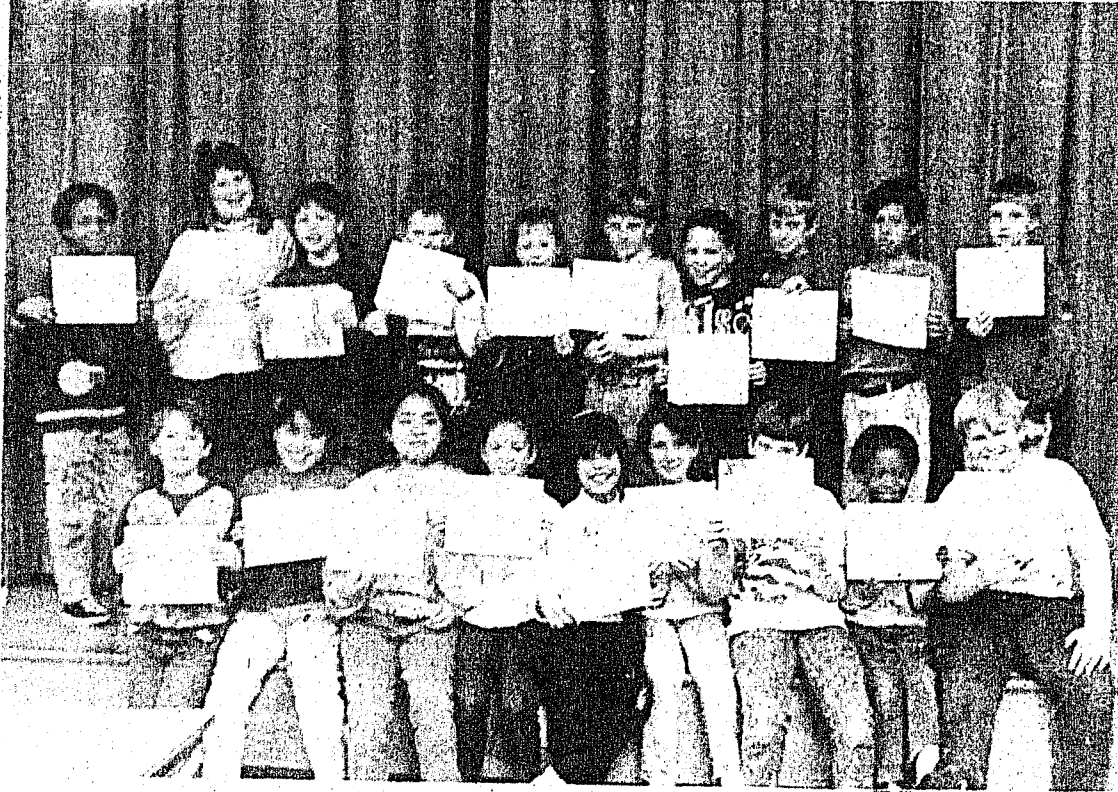
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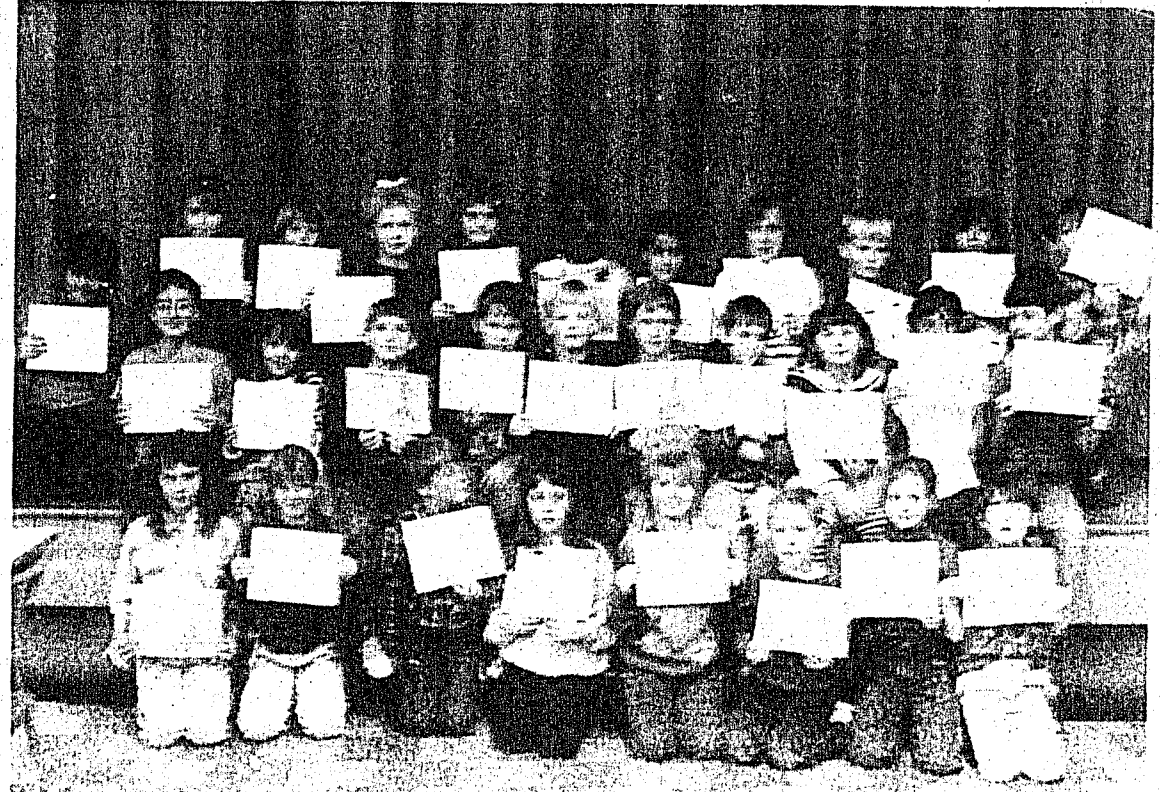
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Fourth graders receiving Bluebonnet Awards were back row: A'Briauna Collins, Cynthia Squyres, Boone Cook, David Kuykendall, Christy Trichel, Nathan Lowe, Jimmy Bryce, Brent Beal, Jesse Castillo and Edgar Mullins and front row: David Gilbreath, Andrea Siller, Olivia Frausto, Chantel Salazar, Cynthia Martinez, Mandy Hall, Jeremy Cypert, Laniece Hastings and Larry White.



Third graders receiving Bluebonnet Awards were back row: Michael Padilla, Tabatha Franke, Bobby Hale, Buffy Martin, Casey Herring, LaTosha Lewis, Ignacio Guerrero, April Holland, Benny Hamlett, Elena Balderas, and Bryant Daniel, middle row—Moses Mata, Chrystal Pelton, Brian Coyle, Carl Squyres, Bobbie Hamlett, Michael Malaer, Bryan Hosch, Maegan Lishka, Israel Longoria and Michael Holbrook, and front row—Kim Rogers, Jaci Kuykendall, Bennie Bible, Cawiye Luera, Kristi Morris, Mathew Messer, Davia Rankin and Austin Voss.

SAHS Basketball

The Santa Anna boys defeated May Tuesday night of last week. The score and individual statistics were not available. The Santa Anna Girls lost to May by a score of 44-37. Top netter for the girls was Christie Beal 15. Other scoring were Candi Daniel 10, Becky Simmons 5, Betsy McIver 4, Cassandra Moore 1 and Marixa Longoria 2.

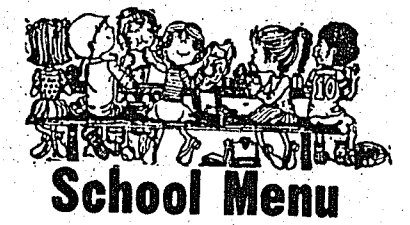
The Santa Anna Mountaineers boys were defeated in their game Friday against Cross Plains by a score of 69-32. Top scorer for the boys was Cody Martin with 18. Others adding to the score were Billy Thomas 4, Grady McIver 3, Jason Dean 3, Billy Perry 2 and Dan Benton 2. The Mountaineers boys are now 13-9 for the year and 3-4 in district

play. The Junior Varsity boys beat Cross Plains in a close game of 34-26. The Santa Anna Varsity girls lost their game against Cross Plains by 42-38. Christie Beal was the leading scorer with 13. Others helping out on the scoreboard were Julie Dean 8, Becky Simmons 5, Marisa Longoria 5, Candi Daniel 4, Missy

Bryce 2, and Bodil Arnegaard 1. The girls are now 11-12 and 2-5 in district play. The Junior Varsity girls were defeated by Cross Plains in a very close game by 23-21. Both SAHS teams went down to defeat on Tuesday night of this week when Eula challenged the Mountaineer teams at Perry Gym. The girls were lost to the tune of 48-22. Christi Beal was the Ladies'

top score maker with 9 points. Others were Marixa Longoria with 4; Julie Dean with 3; and 2 each for Candi Daniel, Becky Simmons and Missy Bryce. The SAHS girls are now 11-13 for the season and 2-6 in district play. Eula is 11-4; 7-1. Eula also won the JV game 24-11. Eula won the boys game 54-42. Grady McIver led the Mountaineers in scoring with 17 points. Others were Dean with 11; Benton 5; Martin 4; Frausto 3; and Thomas 2. SAHS record

is 13-10; 3-5. Eula stands at 24-4; 8-0. Eula won a very close JV game by 29-27.



School Menu

MONDAY
 BREAKFAST: Dry Cereal; Buttered Toast; Jelly; Juice; Milk
 LUNCH: Comdogs; Baked Beans; Potato Salad; Peach; Milk

TUESDAY
 BREAKFAST: French Toast; Syrup; Juice; Milk
 LUNCH: Frito Pie; Pinto Beans; Mexican Salad; Brownies; Cornbread; Milk

WEDNESDAY
 BREAKFAST: Cinnamon Roll; Juice; Milk
 LUNCH: Chicken Nuggets; Gravy; Cream Potatoes; English Peas; Fruit; Hot Rolls; Milk

THURSDAY
 BREAKFAST: Biscuits, Sausage Gravy; Jelly; Juice; Milk
 LUNCH: Taco Bowl; Refried Beans; Spanish Rice; Chocolate Pudding; Milk

FRIDAY
 BREAKFAST: Hot Cereal; Buttered Toast; Jelly; Juice; Milk
 LUNCH: Hamburger; French Fries; Valentine Cake; Milk

4-H To Meet Next Thursday

By Aaron Guthrie
 There will be a meeting of the Santa Anna 4-H Club next Thursday, Feb. 13, at the Ag Building at the high school. The program titled "Parts of a Horse" will be presented by Robin Garrett. The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. Please notice that the regular meetings of the 4-H Club have been changed from Mondays to Thursdays.

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	May V		6:30
1-14	C. Plains	There	4:00
	C. Plains V		6:30
1-17	Eula JV	There	4:00
	Eula V		6:30
1-21	Gorman JV	Here	4:00
	Gorman V		6:30
1-24	Baird JV	There	4:00
	Baird V		6:30
1-28	May JV	There	4:00
	May V		6:30
1-31	C. Plains JV	Here	4:00
	C. Plains V		6:30
2-04	Eula JV	Here	4:00
	Eula V		6:30
2-07	Gorman JV	There	4:00
	Gorman V		6:30
2-11	Baird JV	Here	4:00
	Baird V		6:30

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Junior High Girls & Boys

1-13	Baird JV & V	There	4:00
1-20	C. Plains JV & V	Here	4:00
2-01	Santa Anna Junior High Tournament		
2-03	Gorman JV & V	There	4:00
2-10	Eula JV & V	Here	4:00

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Social Security Announces Change in Full Retirement Age

People born after 1937 will have to be older than age 65 before they will be eligible to receive their full Social Security retirement benefits, Byron Sansom, Social Security supervisor in Brownwood, said.

While life expectancies have increased dramatically since Social Security was enacted in 1935, the retirement age has remained the same. The usual retirement age for people retiring now is age 65. Social Security calls this "full retirement age", and the benefit amount that is payable is considered the full retirement benefit.

Because of longer life expectancies, the full retirement age will be increased in gradual steps until it reaches age 67. This is the result

of legislation enacted in 1983. This change starts in the year 2000, and it affects people born in 1938 and later.

For more information about Social Security benefits, contact the Brownwood Social Security office, 915-646-6060.

Security was enacted in 1935, the retirement age has remained the same.

People are reaching retirement age now can start their Social Security benefits as early as age 62, but their benefit amount is reduced. If they wait until age 65 to start their Social Security, they receive full, unreduced benefit.

Ranger Park Inn

By Dorothy York

Along with enjoying their regular activities, our residents are in the process of voting who they want for King and Queen at our Valentine Party. This is something they look forward to, and the suspense of who it will be is always very exciting. Staff along with residents have the chance to vote for who they want. The voting boxes will be at the Nurses Station, if you are in visiting and would like to vote, please do.

We wish to thank Mrs. Pat Cox for the clothes and shoes donated this week.

Alberto Stamper was visited by Delia and Stephanie Salazar, Ida Perry, Mona Yvette Stamper and Corina Guana.

Lorene Wynn was visited by Joe Wynn, Sr., Joe Wynn, Jr., Kavina Wynn and Joe Grant.

Doris Mathis was visited by Dixie and Lucky Graham. Erin Day was visited by Evelyn Dillingham.

Charlie Bruce was visited by Barbara Kingsberry, Sylvia Herring and the Rev. Waide Messer.

Vera Dorris was visited by the Rev. John Collins.

Jack Davis was visited by Mary Sorrells, Betty Milton, Ila Todd and Hazel Drake.

Lillie Knotts was visited by Mary Sorrells and Ila Todd.

Doc Martin was visited by Fioraetta Jones.

Hardin Phillips was visited by Dick Baugh, Joe Wallace, Leon Phillips, Eugene Allen and Syble Huggins.

Lolita Winstead was visited by Mildred Seals, Sheri Adams, Mrs. Perry Bourland, Cecilia Williams and Donna Cummings.

Christine Sanders was visited by Billie and Stoney Stone, Mary Davis and Peggy Johnson.

Bobby Keeney was visited by Frankie McDaniel and Pam Woods. Jimmie McGregor was visited by Donna Cummings.

Robert Sanderson was visited by Jewel Anderson, Norman Anderson, Ed Anderson, Stanley and Paul Anderson.

Preston Davis was visited by Mary David, Cody and Carol Hodges, Billie and N. A. Stone.

Marie Hill was visited by Ruby Parker.

Lois Haines and Myrtle Estes was visited by Gladys Snodgrass, Joe Estes and Raymond Estes.

Clarinda Menges was visited by Dorothy Alsbrooke.

Lela Hays was visited by the Rev. Don Elrod, Gay Irvin and Mae McGee.

Vauda Hill was visited by the Rev. Don Elrod.

Mary Jo Lovell was visited by Jeffrey Watson, Menifer Knox, Jeremy Watson, Josh Watson and Joe and Sharon Watson.

Tavy Ford was visited by Dayton and May Jackson, and the Rev. James and Mildred Ford.

Frances Horton was visited by Lera Guthrie and Buna Baucom.

Onnie Edens was visited by Lera Guthrie and Buna Baucom.

Joy Jacobs was visited by Shannah and Christopher Cooley.

Highlights

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Other Highlights

■ School district property values remained level statewide in 1991, although some districts saw sharp rises or falls, Comptroller John Sharp said last week. As of Jan. 1, 1991, Texas school district taxable wealth totaled \$364 billion, about one-half percent more than the previous year, Sharp said.

■ Although Texas provided \$727 million in additional state aid for public education this year, Texas dropped from 32nd to 35th among the states in the average salary paid to teachers, said Olivia Besteiro, Texas State Teachers Association president.

■ Deann Friedholm, an aide to Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock, told an audience that Texas' health-care systems is fragmented and underfunded, and will probably stay that way until Americans make health care affordable for all.

■ Thousands of applicants for licenses to sell lottery tickets showed up to be fingerprinted last week as part of the application process.

Velma Vinson and Sybil Summers were visited by Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rowe, Gladys Baird, Gladys Snodgrass, Amanda Perry and the Rev. Waide Messer.

Frances Barteck was visited by Syble Huggins, Ernestine Simmons, Shirley Crawford and R. W. Balke.

Pat Dewitt was visited by Buna Baucom and Eta Earle Buse.

LIVING CENTER RESIDENTS Minnie Greer was visited by Alice Baty.

Madora Gilmore was visited by Lucky Graham and Buna Baucom.

Preston Cude was visited by Cleo Cude and Myrtle Kirkland.

Red Cupps was visited by Dick Baugh, Joe Wallace and Leon Phillips.

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When the town submitted paperwork to Washington for a post office they called the place Trick-em. But a bureaucrat played the final prank by changing the town's name to Trickham.

What's New for '91

Social Security Number for Dependents Age 1 or Older. If you can claim any person age 1 or older as a dependent, show that person's social security number on your tax return. If your dependent does not have a number, see your tax forms package for instructions.

More Benefit with the Earned Income Credit (EIC)—Use New Schedule EIC. You may be able to take this credit for 1991 if you earned less than \$21,250 and a child lived with you. But you must file new Schedule EIC with Form 1040 or Form 1040A to do so. Read the instructions in the tax package to see if you can take this credit.

Increased Deduction for Exemptions. The deduction for each exemption—for you, your spouse, and dependents—is \$2,150 for 1991. But your deduction may be limited if your adjusted gross income is more than \$75,000. See further information in your tax package.

Limit on Itemized Deductions. If your adjusted gross income is more than \$100,000 (\$50,000 if married filing separately), you may not be able to deduct all of your itemized deductions in your tax forms package. Also, personal interest (such as interest you paid on car loans and credit card balances) is no longer deductible.

Maximum Tax Rate of 28 percent on Capital Gains. If you have a net capital gain, your tax may be less if you can use the tax computation on Schedule D (Form 1040) to figure your tax. See Part IV of Schedule D to see if this applies to you.

Alternative Minimum Tax Increased. The tax rate for individuals has increased to 24 percent.

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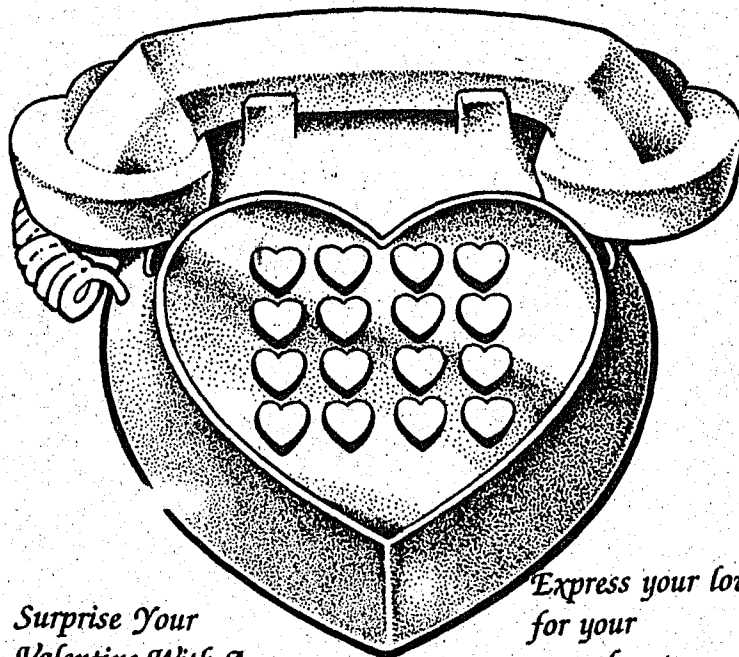
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Trickham News

By Anna York

Rev. Sam Bowden the Baptist pastor from Bangs preached Sunday at church and brought a real good message. His scripture text was taken from I John 35 and the title of his sermon was "One Moment with the Lord".

The quilting ladies met on Tuesday at the community center with five ladies present and the 84 party was held on Thursday night with 23 present. Rankin and Natalie McIver were hosts.

Mrs. Mary Lou Jones visited on Thursday with Mrs. Annie Lou Vaughn. Frank Wallace visited awhile on Friday and Mrs. Joyce Kirk and Tona Holland and little son Jonathan visited her on Saturday.

One donation was made to the cemetery fund. Mrs. Oneida James gave in memory of Mrs. Lillie Richardson.

James Mock of Abilene and his cousin Edd of Stalon spent the weekend with Mrs. Mary Lee

Mitchell.

Mrs. Florence Stearns needed some work did on her car so her son R. C. of Cross Cut came down Friday morning and drove along with her to Brownwood to have it fixed. While there waiting, the two of them visited with Mrs. Doris Stearns and also Mrs. Bob Stearns.

Sherman and Dortha Stearns and Sabrina of McGregor spent Friday night and Saturday with his mother Mrs. Novella S. Stearns. On Sunday Novella visited in the afternoon with Hilburn and Leona Henderson.

Wesley Dockery went with the FFA group to Fort Worth on Tuesday to the livestock show. Mrs. Ora Rutherford of Bangs and

Loyd Rutherford were Tuesday night dinner guest of John and Earline. On Wednesday Earline and Mrs. Kay Yancy went to Fort Worth to the show and returned home on Friday. Sorry Wesley didn't place with his hog, but

maybe he will do better at San Antonio.

Billy Don Haynes of Hermleigh and Frank Wallace of Santa Anna visited briefly on Friday with Nikki and I.

Mrs. Natalie McIver visited at the Brownwood Hospital on Saturday with Mrs. Mary Boenicke and found her not doing too good. Sorry to hear that.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blake, Sr. of Del Rio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blake, Jr. and Megan.

Mrs. Roberta McShan of Brownwood visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Annie Lou Vaughn.

Rain recorded here over the weekend has been from one-half an inch up to one inch.

Think about it: We should say what we need to say, and pray what we need to pray-for life it so short.

We worked all a.m. caring for cows. Hilary and Patsy sawed and hauled firewood in p.m.

Mrs. Danny Otts and little son returned home from the Fort Worth area on Monday after being in Fort Worth for a week visiting relatives. She did get her portion of the muddy roads.

Mr. Graham Fitzpatrick enjoyed a nice visit and chat with his son Don Fitzpatrick in Abilene on the past Friday. He also reports visiting with his wife Imogene in the Brownwood Care Center on Thursday. Her condition is not improved.

Mr. Leon Carter visited his sister Lorene Black in Brownwood on Thursday.

Mrs. Pearl Avant reports she received a letter from her grandson Jimmy Avant and the son of Mr. James Avant, the past week. He reports something good that happened in California was some rain. But the bad part was not enough rain to help but very little.

Mr. Floyd Morris was in Abilene the first of the week checking with eye doctor. You know Mr. Morris has recently had eye surgery and reports doing very nice. John David Morris of Brady visited his dad during the weekend.

Cleveland News

By Carol Herring

Our community is saddened at the death of Margaret Campbell who lived here for many years. Our sympathies go out to the family.

Happy Birthday to Thelma Fleming!

A. C. and Lou Pierce had Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Boyd of Plano spend the week-end visiting with them. Friday night visitors with Mrs. Amanda Perry were James and Delores Perry.

The Emil Williams were visited by Adolph and Doris Kelley and Ovella Williams.

Cecil and Nona Bell Ellis had Jerry Ellis and Bryce over on Saturday afternoon. Cecil visited on Thursday with Mrs. Grace Ellis. Cecil and Nona Bell visited with Grace on Tuesday.

Margie Fleming was visited on Saturday by Terry Fleming.

Charlie and Thelma Fleming had as week-end guests Margie and Tom Molden and Sandy of Fort Worth. Randy and Ann Sikes and Sam visited on Friday. Kenneth Sikes of Bangs was also out on Friday. Peggy Sikes of Bangs visited on Wednesday and Terry Fleming was in and out during the week. Thelma was taken to Underwoods for supper Saturday to honor her upcoming birthday.

Lee Ray and Syble Huggins were in Brady on Tuesday to visit with Leta Fay and Joe Elliott.

Week-end guests of Rachael and Clara Cupps were Carolyn Covey, Patricia Holder and Trey and Blakely Carnes all of Georgetown.

Visiting with Mrs. Ruth Hibbitts have been Kathaleen and Charlie Avants on Saturday and Dick and Carmilla Baugh on Sunday. Dick and Carmilla Baugh went to

Bangs to visit with Nancy and Lonnie Lowry and children on Sunday.

Casey and Evaline Herring were visited on Friday and Saturday by Kenneth Herring, Pam and David Morgan, Josh and John of Stephenville visited on Sunday. Dale and Carol Herring and boys were in and out during the week.

Mrs. Velda Mills was visited one day by Iona Moore. Velda celebrated her birthday on Saturday. Those joining her for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mills of Olton, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mills of Universal City, Carlene Templin of Hampshire, Joyce McDonald of Abilene, Karen Lasiter of Santa Fe, Ronnie and Suzan Daniel and children, Marla and Sarah Gibbs of Florida, Lisa and Scot Blasig and Jill of Giddings, Jana Lasiter and friend Paul of Santa Fe, Gene Watkins of Nashville, Tennessee, Andy Burghardt, foreign exchange student from Germany, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Box of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Penny of Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hawthorne of Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Moore.

Farm Expenses: Business or Personal?

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Items that may have personal and business uses include electricity, water, fuel, automobile upkeep, insurance, and repairs. You should allocate these expenses between business and personal use, so that the appropriate amounts can be deducted.

See IRS Publication 225, *Farmer's Tax Guide*, and Publication 587, *Business Use of Your Home*, for more information on business and personal expenses, and on allocating expenses. Order these free publications by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676).

PRACTICE THE THREE "R's" of environmental concern: Reuse, Reduce & Recycle

Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford

I feel sure everyone knows how much it has rained and don't have to read about it in the newspapers. But for sure, I do hope it hasn't been any worse anywhere than south of Whon. The ones living on the Mossy Ranch South have really had a terrific past week. Most of the time didn't get to their destination without the aid of a tractor. It's muddy!!!

My daughter Mrs. Bob (Patsy) Smith of Abilene came Friday afternoon and was with me until Monday morning. Loyd Rutherford was a bedtime visitor with us Sunday night.

Mr. Graham Fitzpatrick took Mrs. Martha Fast and her husband to San Antonio on Monday where

Mr. Fast was to see a doctor there in San Antonio. They returned home on Tuesday. Mr. Fast will be returning to hospital later.

Mr. Douglas Avant of Brady was with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Avant in Santa Anna on Tuesday of the past week. James Avant of Coleman is with his mother often.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Fitzpatrick of near Odessa was with Neil's father Mr. Graham Fitzpatrick on Saturday. They brought a delicious dinner meal they enjoyed together. Then they assisted his Dad with some farm chores.

My son Hilary Rutherford of Coleman was with me on Wednesday. Then again on Saturday he was with Patsy and I.

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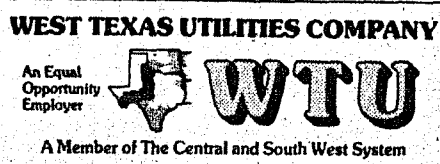
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