





# Whon News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd Morris and baby returned to their home in Albuquerque, New Mexico, Sunday following spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris and his brothers and their families here. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd Morris are employed on a Boys Ranch in Albuquerque, and they brought five boys with them from age 12 years to almost 17 years of age. These boys were about the only boys on the Ranch who did not have someone somewhere to spend a while with during the summer months. So their vacation was a week here which was thoroughly enjoyed by each one. Mrs. Morris reports these boys were very nice and are on the Boys Ranch there for various reasons, broken homes, some orphans. But most of these boys were victims of just plain not being wanted by either parents or relatives. She reports Mr. and Mrs. Joe Floyd Morris are really enjoying their duties there, trying to make life

more pleasant for ones who live there. We commend Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris for welcoming the boys into their home, and entertaining them so openly. The boys left with thanks for every nice thing done, and as you may already sense, were not ready to return to New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Bently of Enid, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Vera Lovelady of Brownwood visited in the Darwin Lovelady home in Santa Anna Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and children, Deborah and Barry, of Hobbs, New Mexico, came Saturday to spend a few days vacation with her parents, the Tom Rutherford. The Smiths had visited his parents in Bryson and with brothers in Dallas for several days. Mr. Bob Smith and son, Barry, and Rocky Rutherford spent Monday night at Lake Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny James, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slay-

ton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Floyd Morris and Ricky all of Brownwood visited in the Floyd Morris home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Loyd Rutherford and children, Tonna and Todd, of Bangs, Mr. Hilary Rutherford of Coleman were with their parents, the Tom Rutherfords on Saturday. The boys were assisting Tom with farm work. They were with us Sunday. Also little Miss Casey Fulbright visited us Sunday afternoon. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford. Rocky Rutherford spent Sunday night and a few days this week.

Mrs. Ruby Bearden of Snyder and Mrs. Betty Bearden and Joy of Mullen were Saturday dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randel in Santa Anna Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morris, their sons and their families, and the boys who were guests in the Morris home, spent one night on the San Saba River, reporting a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick visited their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Bullion and baby in Lampasas during the past week. The granddaughter, Michelle, returned home with them to stay a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Avants of Brady and Mrs. John X. Steward of Rockwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kline of Coleman spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Lee Morris, and children. They brought the granddaughter, Janet, home following being with her grandparents in Coleman several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady visited his father, Mr. Oscar Lovelady in a Coleman rest home on Sunday and reported Oscar feeling very well. Mr. Rodger Smith of Mid-

# Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Congratulations to the 4-H group what won in the State Share the Fun contest at A&M last week. We are proud of all of them and their sponsors, along with our two Trickham girls, Sherrie McIver and Janice Martin.

Rev. Bennie McBryde preached here Sunday morning and night. It was his last appointment here as he and his wife will leave this week for Bangs. The new Methodist minister at Bangs will be E. F. Blannett, who will also preach at Mount View and at Trickham for early services.

Buck Mitchell returned home from Brownwood Community Hospital last Wednesday where he had been for several weeks. He seems to be doing very well. Their two daughters, Lea Mock and Betty Miller, and children are here helping out with him. Loyd Mock of Post went back to his job Sunday. Also Darmon Miller returned to their home in Austin.

Mr. Harold Knappe and son, Greg, of Alvin, Texas spent Sunday night with the Felton Martin family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bransford of Kingsland and Kieth Featherston and son, Richard, and some friend boys of Snyder, visited the Bond Featherstons Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Earls and Mrs. Ann Gilliland of Haskell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Gid Mathews and Mr. Drake Mathews

land spent last Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Lovelady and Randel in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Etelle Cozart of San Angelo were on their farm here over the weekend.

Mr. Wimpy Watson of Lubbock is spending this week on his farm here. Mrs. Watson called Sunday. They received a good rain in Lubbock Saturday night. We sure need rain in Whon country.

Mr. Darwin Lovelady and son, Randel, were transacting business in Stephenville Monday.

and Keatie Haynes and Mr. and Mrs. Grady McIver. They all met at the Brownwood Park, all but Gid, who was not able to go. They are daughters of Mrs. Lee Kingston, deceased. They lost their mother about two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn attended the funeral of an old friend of Bills, C. D. Reed, at Brady Monday morning at 10 a.m. The Reeds have visited in the Vaughn home a number of times. I have had it in my news.

O. T. and Sue Stacy visited the Walter Stacys Saturday. Last Friday Genia McIver took Walter and Carrie to Abilene for him to have a check up on his eye. The doctor thought he was doing O.K.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. York and Nikki spent two days last week at Crystal City. They visited their son and brother and wife, Donnie and Sherry York. While there they went to Carizo Springs and Eagle Pass and Old Mexico. They had a very nice trip and visited with loved ones.

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson of Coleman visited their granddaughter and family, the John Dockerys. Sunday, John and Earline Dockery and Tanya and Rodney went to Johnson City sight seeing. They enjoyed the drive through that country.

Visitors over the weekend with Minnie Wilson were Mary Laughlin and Mary Joyce from Midland. They brought La Rue Adkins and children, Todd and Tracy, who had visited there two weeks, to meet her husband here from Waco. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sheffield were at Minnie's for dinner Sunday. They all returned home Sunday.

Doyle Laughlin and family spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Edna Laughlin, and Minnie and her visitors visited there Saturday evening.

Sunday we received a light rain here, but east of Trickham they got more. They got about an inch at Carl Harris' place and about that much other places southeast of Trickham. Not so good on the combining but good on small feed and cotton and gardens.

Donnie and Chris Henderson visited his parents, the Hilburn Hendersons, Saturday night. Sunday they all attended the Henderson reunion at the Coleman park. 60 or more were there.

The Pat McClatchy family will move this week to Brownwood. He will be the pastor of the Central Methodist Church there. He has been pastor at Hurst, Texas for six years.

Russie James went after Mrs. Myrtle McShan at Brady to be at their granddaughter's dance recital Saturday night at Brownwood. Cindy McShan and Russie and Mrs. McShan spent Saturday night in the Pat McShan home.

Russie had Ero. Chick and his wife, the Baptist pastor at Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mathews of Bangs at her house for 8 o'clock breakfast Tuesday morning.

### HOME FROM ALABAMA

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Gilmore returned home Monday from Mobile, Ala., where they visited several days with their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gilmore, Steven and Amelia. Enroute to Alabama the Gilmores visited in Longview with Mr. and Mrs. Murry Cooper, former Santa Anna residents.

# THE CITY LIBRARY

Among the new arrivals at the Santa Anna Public Library are a group of books for youths. Included are mysteries, horse stories, dog stories, science-fiction, western and romance.

Some of the youth books are the following:

National Velvet, by Bagbold; The Yodeling Goat, by Baird; Big Honey Hunt, by Berenstein; Indian Hill, by Bula; The First Four Years, by Wilder.

There are books for any age child, some for the beginner reader right on up. One of special interest is a book of full and half pages telling the story of a young pig who ran after a small circus. The book is so enchanting that it can't be properly reviewed. It will keep the viewer spellbound.

By request, the library has secured two historical "We Were There" books and some interesting biographies.

The local library is open conveniently from 9:00 to 12 noon each morning and from 1:00 to 4:00 each afternoon. Juanita Valdez is summer student librarian under the supervision of Mrs. Edwin Hipsher, regular librarian.

Another of the new arrivals in the youth book department is reviewed as follows:

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David Alexander, who lives in New York City, is the author of fifteen mystery novels. Eight have been Detective Book Club selections. Mr. Alexander has received two Ellery Queen Awards and the Edgar Allen Poe Scroll from Mysters Writers of America.

### VISIT IN AUSTIN

Mrs. J. W. McClellan and Mrs. Kitty Adams accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walters to Austin Monday and the two ladies visited relatives while Mr. and Mrs. Walters attended the State Republican convention in Galveston.

Mrs. McClellan visited her daughter, Frances Pearce and family, and Mrs. Adams visited a sister, Mrs. Ray Lux-singer.

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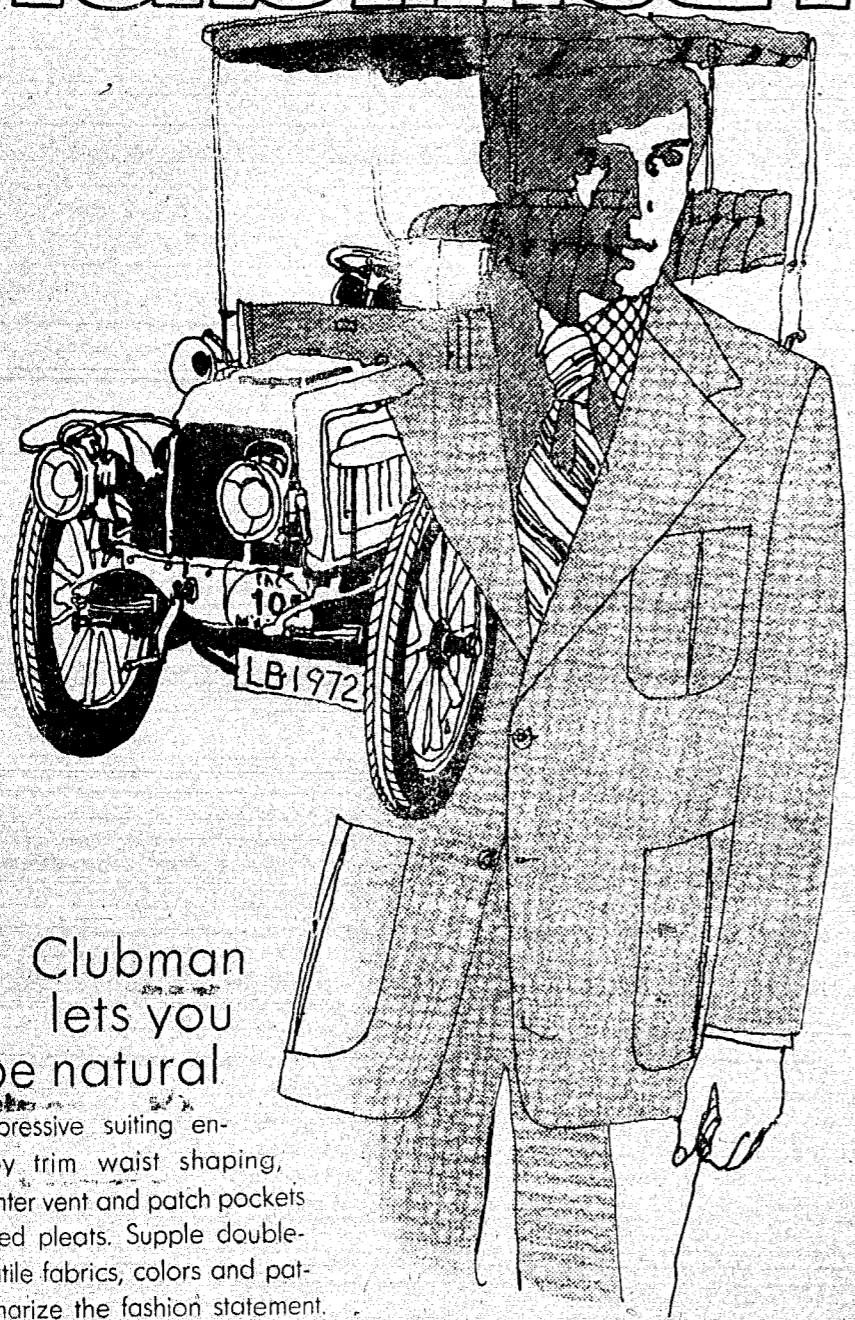
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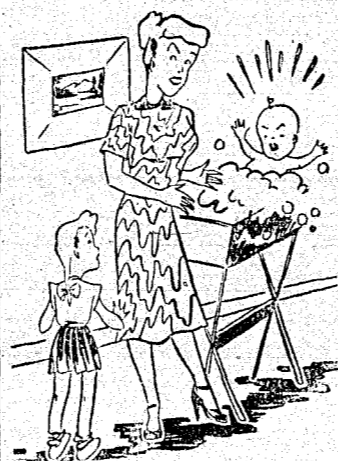
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# Cleveland News

By Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts



Ovella Williams and Russell visited Monday with Granddad and Etta Mae, also Ruby Hartman and Mr. Lawson Battle. On Friday evening they visited Thelma's family. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sikes and children spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fleming.

Mrs. Amanda Perry visited Mrs. Ione Moore Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Herring and children from Odessa spent the week with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Herring and Mr. and Mrs. John Geer. Gene Schulle is still with his grandparents, the Herings.

Roger, Ivey, Randy and Rodney Sikes spent several days with their grandparents. Sydney Cupps visited Mrs. Edward Leonard, Carl and Carolyn, from Wednesday night to Friday.

Mrs. Charlie Fleming visited Mrs. Edd Hartman last Monday evening.

Mrs. Edward Leonard, Carl and Carclyn, visited Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Cupps and Sydney Wednesday night.

Buddy Bengel and children ate Sunday dinner with Bruce and Ruth Hibbetts.

Mrs. Byrd Arnold, Mrs. A. C. Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell all visited

Aunt Tennie over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbetts visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wallace last Friday evening. Also Mr. and Mrs. Barton Lee Goodwin and children from Brownwood were visiting the Wallaces.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Cupps and Ricky visited Mrs. Edward Leonard and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Ellis took Aunt Lela Hodges to Buckholts to visit her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carey for awhile.

Carl Leonard spent Friday night with Ricky Cupps.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bigham of Crescent City, Calif., sent a donation to the Cleveland Cemetery Association.

Mrs. Ella Cupps, Royce and Judy, were at the Coggin Park in Brownwood attending the Munsell Reunion.

Mrs. John Naron and children from Snyder visited Aunt Dixie Cupps last Thursday evening. Thelma Fleming visited Aunt Dixie on Sunday.

David, Mrs. Ella Cupps and Judy visited Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Daniel Thursday night. David left Friday for Ruidosa, N.M., to work for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox and children for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams and Russell Friday.

Friday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and children brought his new riding lawn mower up from Zephyr to Mr. and Mrs. John Howards. They mowed down the weeds. They also brought some peaches. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Howard visited John and Ruby Friday night and helped them put the peaches in the deep freeze. Saturday afternoon John and Ruby visited Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Brown. Mrs. Bernice Battles and

# Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter



The annual Vacation Bible School is slated for Monday, June 19th through Friday, 23rd. The sessions will be each morning at 8:30 to 11, with Miss Judy Brusenhan director. The school will be held in the Baptist Church and refreshments will be served at the Community Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan, Judy and Jody, visited in Eden Sunday, with Mrs. Mary Brusenhan, enroute home they visited at Salt Gap with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Polk.

Mrs. Frankie McCarthy spent the weekend at Lampasas with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kindrick, and family; Debbie accompanied her home visiting Morlay and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Steward visited Saturday afternoon in Brownwood with Mrs. Billie Maness, who has recently had surgery and with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Rehm.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Steward spent Thursday to Sunday at Hillsboro with Mr. and Mrs. Collins Wise and Russ; they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pearson of McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson and family of Shreveport, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Collins Steward and Colette of Lake Jackson; all of them were together at Sam Rayburn Lake Friday to Sunday; also joining them was Copey Coberston of Hillsboro.

Cap Johnson of Temple visited Monday of last week with Miss Linnie Box and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry.

Teresa and Jeff Estes of Arlington spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes; their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Estes came for them Sunday morning. Joe Estes and son, Steve, of Abilene were Sunday guests; Kelley Estes and Ty Martin of Sweetwater are spending several days vacation.

Mrs. Robert Perry and children of San Antonio returned home Tuesday afternoon after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal; Mrs. Deal accompanied her home visiting to Friday, Mr. Deal went for her Thursday and they did some sightseeing.

Mr. and Mrs. Deal spent Sunday in Eastland with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Deal; the occasion was Joe's birthday anniversary. Enroute home they visited at Cross Plains with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lovelady. Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Winstead of Woodson spent Monday with the Deals.

Lamar Turner of Corpus Christi visited Tuesday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brusenhan; Ernest Brusenhan of Coleman was Sunday visitor.

The Rev. Louis Shambeck, pastor, preached at the Methodist Church at the Morning worship hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan spent the weekend at Buchanan Lake attending the Hall-Tucker family reunion. Mrs. Bryan was in Georgetown Saturday evening for the reunion of the class of 1938 of Georgetown High School. This was the first class reunion on their 34th anniversary.

Serena Bryan is spending the week at the cheerleader's camp at Stephenville.

Dee Dee McAlister of Dallas spent Wednesday to Saturday with her grandparents, the Bill Bryans.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Davis of Snyder spent the weekend visiting the Elec Coopers, the Jack Coopers and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain.

Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper were in Comanche Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Cooper and Dina. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman, Dorinda and Byron of Brady. The occasion was Dina's first birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Nikki Johnson and Marc Allen of Colorado Springs, Colo., visited Wednesday to Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson. Mrs. Jerry Johnson, Pam and Michael of Abilene visited Saturday afternoon and Sunday. Mrs. Marcus Johnson visited relatives in San Angelo Monday.

The Nikki Johnsons and Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Johnson visited Mrs. Fox Johnson and Miss Bernice Thursday and all were Saturday lucheon guests with Mrs. Fox Johnson and Bernice.

Tuesday afternoon visitors with Mrs. A. L. Kinug were Mr. and Mrs. Hop Ashmore of Bangs, Mrs. Joy Ashmore and boys of Pasadena, Mrs. C. A. Crump and Miss Sammie Stewardson of Coleman. Local callers were Mrs. Claud Box and Mrs. John X. Steward.

The Rev. John Lindsey, pastor, preached at the Baptist Church at both Sunday services. He and Mrs. King were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones of Waco spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. F. E. McCreary. Local callers were the Rev. Mr. Lindsey, Mrs. Lon Gray, Mrs. R. J. Deal and Mrs. A. L. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Funk of Wickett spent the weekend at their home here. They visited the Jack McSwanes Friday afternoon. Mrs. McSwane visited Mrs. Bert Fowler Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Opal Cope of College Station spent ten days with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenlee returning home Monday.

Mrs. Greenlee, Cindy and Jeffrey visited Mrs. Bill Nevens Tuesday morning.

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### FHA LEADERS HAVE MEETING TO MAKE PLANS

The Santa Anna Future Homemakers of America chapter had an executive council meeting last Monday, June 5, at the high school. Officers of the chapter were present for the meeting to set a budget for the coming year and plan projects for the next school term.

Plans were made for several local girls to attend the officers workshop to be held in Brownwood on Wednesday, June 14. Sandra Hosch, local president, will conduct one of the workshop groups.

Those present for the Monday meeting included Miss Hosch, Leann Bryan, Rebecca Rendon, Kelly Cammack, Serena Bryan, Janice Martin, Donna James, Debbie Bray, Debbie Harris, Nancy Perkins, Bobbie Strickland and Susan Newman. Also present was Mrs. Winnie McQueen, FHA advisor.

### Hunters Pay Way With Fees, Taxes

Hunters and fishermen in the U.S. spent more than \$256 million last year for licenses, tags, permits and stamps, and most of the money went toward research and development of game and fish management practices.

In addition to the money for licenses, sportsmen also added \$47.8 million to fish and wildlife coffers by paying taxes on arms and ammunition and on certain fishing tackle items.

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### BACK AT HOME

Pati Perkins is back at home and getting along well after having ear surgery in Fort Worth last week.

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### James R. Allen Has Fast Times At Two Ropings

James Allen, local professional roper, tied the fastest steer of his career at a steer roping at Tulia recently. The steer was roped and tied down in 12.4 seconds. Allen broke his own record from the previous week when he tied a steer in 13.1, each time winning first in the go-around.

James, son of Orville Allen and the late Bertha Allen, has been competing in the professional rodeo circuit for several years and last year won the National Finals Steer Roping and was named fifth place in the world steer roping standings.

Allen's recent win with the 12.4 time is not the fastest on record as Sonny Davis, former champion steer roper, recorded times of 11.1 and 11.2 during his long career.

### Funeral Today For Mrs. Keeney

Mrs. T. E. (Lillie) Keeney, aged 71, died on Tuesday, June 13, in the Coleman Hospital after a long illness. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. in Stevens Funeral Chapel in Coleman with burial to be in Coleman Cemetery. Stevens Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Born in Erath County July 17, 1900, she married T. E. Keeney in Brownwood in 1925. A Coleman County resident since 1925, the Keeneys lived in Santa Anna for many years. He died in July, 1969. Mrs. Keene moved to Coleman in 1970. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Ernestine Dockery of Brownwood; a son, Leroy Keeney of Santa Anna; two step-sons, James Keeney of Santa Anna and Richard Keeney of Othello, Wash.; 12 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

### ON DEAN'S LIST

Kenneth Haynes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Haynes of Brooksmith, has been named on the Dean's List at Howard Payne College for the spring semester.

A former Santa Anna resident, Kenneth is a spring graduate of HPC and presently enrolled in graduate work in San Antonio.

### Texas Oil Co. Gives Report On County Oil

Sale of Coleman County oil and gas production accounted for \$3,465,254 of the county's economic output for 1971, according to a study by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Assn.

In producing 757,531 barrels of crude oil and 5.3 billion cu. ft. of natural gas, the county ranked 138th in Texas. Value of its crude oil was \$2,666,509; natural gas value was \$798,745.

The county is among 190 Texas counties with oil and gas production value topping \$100,000, although 211 counties produce oil and gas.

"Coleman County oil and gas wells made a significant contribution to Texas' share of the nation's energy needs last year, but growing demand is sapping reserves in Texas faster than they can be replaced," Robert A. Buschman, Association president, said. "As fewer new fields are discovered, due to less drilling, the continuing strong economy and tax base of many Texas counties may now depend on updating Texas oil conservation laws to encourage wider use of new recovery technology," he said.

The Association study showed that Coleman County farmers, ranchers, and other royalty owners received \$433,157 as their share of the production.

The county's wells generated \$122,659 in crude oil production taxes for state government and \$59,906 in state taxes on natural gas. Oil and gas producers spent \$426,949 in drilling 22 wells in the county last year, \$222,404 of which was lost in drilling 14 dry holes.

Texas Employment Commission figures showed 67 oil and gas industry employees in the county last year, with an annual payroll of \$322,300.

Processing plants also added to the county's economy. The Oil and Gas Journal lists one natural gasoline plant, with a daily capacity of 3.5 million cu. ft.

### ATTEND SHOWER

Mrs. Iru Bray, Mrs. Wayne Bray, Debbie and Kim were in Abilene Tuesday night to attend a pink and blue shower for Mrs. John W. Gregg.

## 40 Years Ago In The News

The following stories are from the May 13, 1932 issue of the NEWS:

We had a fairly good day last Sunday at the First Baptist Church in spite of the weather disturbances. We hope to have a far better day next Sunday. The pastor will preach at both hours. The morning subject will be a plain Bible discussion of the present world economic condition as it relates to spiritual conditions. The subject for the night hour will be "Short Reads from Santa Anna to Hell." This will be a fearless discussion of some prevalent evils that are popular in Santa Anna.

Hal C. Wingo, pastor.

The Junior Class of SAHS had two representatives to go to the State Track Meet at Austin last Friday. Clifford Wheeler entered discus and javelin. Degges Traylor entered the mile run and qualified for the finals in the quarter-mile run. John David Happer and Ernest Harrod failed to qualify in their events.

The following items are reprinted on request:

**CROSS ROADS NEWS**  
Mrs. F. E. Wagner visited Mrs. Clark Miller Tuesday afternoon.

Those who went fishing this week were Bill Rice, Roy Casey, Bill Lowry, Earl Lindley, Louis Newman and Lewis Burney.

Willis Burney was in Santa Anna Monday evening and joined the National Guard.

Erwin Bowden returned from Cherokee last week.

Mrs. S. M. Bates attended the funeral of her sister at Salt Gap last Saturday.

Mrs. Herman Cerder visited Mrs. Haynes Thursday. The Cross Roads and Trickham boys played baseball last Thursday. The Cross Roads team won.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes were shopping in Santa Anna Wednesday. Mrs. Haynes visited Mrs. E. S. Haynes Thursday.

**Cary L. Williams Services Monday**

Cary Lee Williams, 73, brother of Bill Williams of Santa Anna, was buried in the Cleveland Cemetery Monday afternoon after funeral services at Stevens Funeral Chapel in Coleman. Mr. Williams died on Sunday, June 12, in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Survivors include his wife of Glen Cove; a daughter, Wanda Jungman of San Antonio; a son, Bruce Williams of San Antonio; a sister, Mrs. Sally Brooks of New York, and a brother, Bill Williams of Santa Anna.

ited Mrs. E. S. Haynes Thursday.

Martin Genz and Loll Ritchie visited Calvin Fussell Sunday. Miss Lela Fussell visited Miss Ruth Bates Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haynes visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Haynes and attended the play at Cleveland.

Will Haynes, Lewis Burney and Mr. Ritchie visited in the Genz home Saturday evening. Mabel Bates, Freda and Clara Genz and Drapon Ritchie visited Sybil Tucker. Miss Lucille Genz spent Saturday night with Miss Ruth Bates. Ruth Bates visited Ruth Genz Sunday.

Jack and H. B. Dockery spent Saturday night with Robert and J. R. Haynes.

The Cross Roads School will close Friday with a community picnic.

### HOSPITAL NEWS

**Patients admitted June 5-12:**  
J. B. Howington, city  
Mrs. Lura Marshall, Coleman

Gloria Lujano, Winters  
Mrs. Nola Richardson, Coleman

**Patients dismissed June 5-1:**  
J. B. Howington, city  
Mrs. Annie L. Campbell, Coleman

Mrs. Virgil Dean, Coleman  
Jess Griffith, Ranger Park Inn

**Other patients still in the hospital:**

Mrs. Allen Hawkins, city  
Bradley Cross, Coleman  
Mrs. Ila Croft, Coleman  
Robert Perry, Ranger Park Inn

John Herring, city  
James Bailey, Ranger Park Inn

Lenora Ramirez, Coleman

### HOME FROM NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Reed returned to Santa Anna last week after spending over two weeks in Clovis, New Mexico, with a daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Carter. The Reeds were happy to find their little granddaughter, Jennifer, almost completely recovered from the near-fatal accident in which she was struck by a pickup last October.

Mrs. Reed enjoyed end-of-school activities of her grandchildren and was also on hand for a special presentation in which her daughter received a special membership pin in Wesleyan Service Guild.

Enroute home the Reeds visited with other relatives in Merkel and Roscoe.

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