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## Mountain Echoes

By Barbara Kingsbery

An insurance adjuster recently visiting in the Collier Agency related the following story — reported to be true:

An Oklahoma adjuster sent a detailed report on a cattle theft to his headquarters company in a northern city. The report stated that the theft of the cattle occurred during the night time and the cattle were loaded in a truck where the fence was cut — not far from a cattleguard.

A terse letter soon came from a company executive in the metropolitan office. The city executive was asking for more information on the theft. He stated that he knew enough about cattle to know that in the process of loading they would have made enough noise to wake up the nearby cattle guard!

It's rodeo time! Many local people will be taking part in the Western Week activities in the county and attending the parades and rodeo.

The final parade will be Friday afternoon and the final rodeo performance will be Saturday night.

A holiday in downtown Santa Anna is really quiet! We did enjoy the sight of flags on display Monday all along the street. Very few businesses were open on the belated Independence Day holiday.

The 1971-72 school calendar has not been officially approved but plans are being made for the local school to begin on Monday, August 23. Faculty members are scheduled to have a week of in-service training beginning August 16.

The official school calendar will be revealed after the meeting of the School Board this week.

It's hard to believe that summer vacation is half gone.

An old advertisement was found recently at Bailey Hardware Co. — the former W. R. Kelley and Co. store. The newspaper page ad is from Bradley, Mundy & Co., and advertises a bankruptcy sale — quitting business. There is no date on the old ad, and the name mentioned is J. H. Newsome. The well preserved ad is on display in the store window.

## MYF SINGERS AT SIX FLAGS LAST THURSDAY

The MYF Singers of the United Methodist Church spent last Thursday in Arlington at the Six Flags Over Texas amusement park. Adult sponsors taking the group were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Benge, Mrs. Ruby Strickland, and Rev. and Mrs. Louis Shambeck.

The youth group earned money to finance the trip. Those attending were Bobbie Strickland, Mark and Laurie Shambeck, Ricky Jones, Mark Wagner, Sam Allen, David Robinson, Adrian Edwards, Lisa Herring, Leslie and Sharon McCreary, Donna James, Kelly Cammack, and Tina Scott.

Others attending were Tracy, Tammy and Timmy Benge, Jana Shambeck, and Allen Jones.

## Seventh-day Adventist Church Welcomes New Pastor In S-Anna

A new pastor for the Santa Anna-Coleman Seventh-day Adventist church has moved to Santa Anna. He with his family have their trailer home on the old hospital grounds.

Pastor Jere Webb is a native Texan, having been born in El Paso. His father, Pastor Leonard Webb, was a minister and moved to different locations from time to time.

Pastor Webb attended Mountain View Union Academy, Mountain View, California, and graduated from Campion Academy, in Colorado. He received his BS degree from Union College, Lincoln, Nebraska, majoring in Business and Religion. In 1969 he got his BD degree from Andrews University, in Michigan.

In 1966 Pastor Webb and Garlynn Webster were married before he completed his school work. They have a little daughter just one year old. Mrs. Webb's father is an evangelist in the Southwestern Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists.



JERE WEBB  
New Pastor For  
Seventh-day Adventists

## All Invited On Hereford Tour On Sat., July 10

The West Texas Polled Hereford Association has completed plans for a tour of area ranches on Saturday, July 10. More than 200 cattlemen are expected to attend. Meeting place will be the Thunderbird Lodge, East U.S. 80, Abilene.

First stop will be the Circle R Ranch at Abilene owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rose who have been in the business only a few years. Abilene Christian College will host the second stop where a group of 30 bred heifers have been selected to begin a foundation herd of performance tested polled Hereford cattle to be used by the college as a tool in teaching a modern course in livestock breeding, management and evaluation of performance records.

Guest consignors at Abilene Christian College are Estes Polled Herefords, owned by Dr. John Estes and sons, and Charles N. Vickers of Abilene. Sam Swann of Merkel, the oldest continuously operating Polled Hereford breeder in the world will be host at stop number three. The Swann Ranch has a herd of 150 cows with complete performance records. Swann is currently serving as President of the West Texas Polled Hereford Association.

Hosts at the next stop will be Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Jones and family of Hobbs who have a herd of 45 cows. Jones will add extra interest at this stop by having a contest to see who can make the most accurate guess on the length of body on two young bulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Huse Narrell and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Smith of Loraine will be hosts at stop number five.

The Michaels Ranch, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Michaels of Wingate will be the last stop on the tour. They run a registered Polled Hereford and cross-bred steer operation on native and improved pasture.

Chairman of the event is Dr. Edwin Dubois of Abilene Christian College. For further information contact Dr. Dubois or the tour hosts.

## MRS. WAGNER IMPROVES

Mrs. Bunk Wagner, a resident of Ranger Park Inn, has improved after being very seriously ill. She was a patient in the Coleman hospital for several weeks and was returned to the Inn recently. Mr. Wagner was also hospitalized recently in the Brownwood Community Hospital but is back at home.

## Swim Lessons End On Friday

The summer swimming program for Santa Anna children will end Friday after classes for the last three weeks. About 55 children have been taken to the Coleman pool each day for instruction.

Mrs. Elgean Harris is chairman of the Summer Recreation Organization which sponsors the program each year. Local children who are non-swimmers have been urged to participate in the annual program at a small cost. The Community Chest also gives financial aid to the program each year.

## JOE ED WISE NEW CO. AGENT IN CROSBY CO.

Joe Ed Wise, who has served as assistant county agricultural agent for Dawson County since 1968, has been appointed to the post of Crosby County agricultural agent, effective September 1. Wise will replace County Agricultural Agent Bruce Griffith who will become the Howard County agricultural agent September 1.

The joint announcement was made by Crosby County Judge Robert Work and Billy C. Gunter of Lubbock, district agricultural agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

A native of Rockwood, Wise was graduated from Santa Anna High School and Texas Tech University in 1968 with a B.S. degree in agricultural education. Wise has also completed some work toward a M.S. degree in agricultural education at Texas A & M University. While at Texas Tech, he was on the Dean's Honor list and was a member of the meat and livestock judging teams and a representative to the Aggie council.

Wise was reared on a farm and was active in FFA work during his youth, serving as president of his high school FFA chapter. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Wise of Rockwood. Wise is married to the former Ruth Ann Walker, a native of Santa Anna. Mrs. Wise is a 1970 graduate of Texas Tech and taught in the Lamesa school system this past year.

## Mishap Victim In Hospital With Injuries

Mrs. Martin Baker of Santa Anna is still a patient in Hendricks Hospital in Abilene where she is being treated for injuries she received in an auto accident on Tuesday, June 22. Mrs. Baker had not regained consciousness early this week and was reported to be still in the intensive care unit at the hospital.

The Baker auto was involved in a three-vehicle accident at the entrance to Ranger Park Inn east of town.

## Betty Keeney Nursing Home Nurse of Week

Mrs. James (Betty) Keeney of Santa Anna was named "nurse of the week" recently at the Rolling Hills Lodge Nursing Home in Coleman where she is employed. She was presented a corsage by the residents and employees. Mrs. Keeney is a licensed Vocational Nurse.

Also recognized were "king and queen" of the nursing home, Charles Strickland and Mrs. Betty Jones, residents of the home.

## Open House Held On Thursday At Unique Rural Post Office

by Mrs. John Hunter  
Mrs. G. S. Fitzpatrick, postmaster of the Whon office, held open house Thursday, July 1, on the first day of the inauguration of the

United Postal Service, serving cookies and punch. In securing First Day Issue of postmarks, we learned interesting facts: The insignia of the United States Post-

office Department was the Pony Express rider on a background of red; the new U.S. Mail stamp depicts the Eagle in blue, a red line with "U.S. Mail" in blue over a blue line on white background.

Whon is the only one of its kind — a drive-in post-office — the only one known in the United States and probably in the whole world.

Mrs. G. S. Fitzpatrick has been postmaster some 10 years, since Mrs. Earl Cozart retired in March, 1961. Mrs. Aaron Avants is assistant.

The office was converted to a drive-in office in 1945. It is unique due to the fact the population of Whon is zero! The surrounding ranches support the office.

Doug H. Moore, who lives at 212 Bowie St., Santa Anna, was present for open house marking the first day of his 33rd year as mail carrier on the Whon and Trickham route. He is the oldest man in point of service in the Santa Anna office. Jack Woodward was postmaster when he began his service as rural mail carrier.

Whon had gravel roads in 1920, most others were graded. He had 147 boxes and 165 families 32 years ago; he has 55 boxes and 58 families now and makes the 45 mile round-trip each day except Sundays and holidays.

John C. Gregg is postmaster of the Santa Anna office. Don't miss seeing the only drive-in office anywhere when you visit Coleman County.

## Coleman County 4-H Horse Show Held On July 26, With 41 Entries

Forty-one horses were shown in the annual Coleman County 4-H horse show at Coleman on Saturday, June 26. Entries were shown at halter and in performance events.

A Gouldsbush brother and sister team showed the grand champion gelding and mare of the show. Marty Avants showed Goober B. and Lynn Avants showed Lynn's Moon to championship of the show. The two 4-H'ers are children of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Avants and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hibbitts of Santa Anna.

Reserve champion mare was Tack Room Annie shown by Kit Horne of Coleman, and reserve champion gelding was Scooter shown by Charlie Hemphill, also of Coleman.

Santa Anna 4-H members showing horses in the event were Tony, Becky, Guy and Gip Allen, and Sue and Carol Kingsbery.

Top performance winners from the local delegation were Becky Allen who won first in the senior barrel racing on Red B. Scarlet, Sue Kingsbery was fourth on Bandy Roan, in barrel racing and third in Western pleasure.

Josephine Sue, ridden by

## Meeting Called Monday, July 12 For Rec Group

Mrs. Elgean Harris, chairman of the Summer Recreation Association, has called a meeting of the group for Monday, July 12, at 10:30 a.m. The meeting will be held at the clubroom of the City Library building.

Mothers of all local children are asked to be present as summer recreational activities will be discussed and plans made for the swimming program next summer.

The organization is composed of anyone interested in youth recreation during the summer and there is no membership fee or dues.

## JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS AT TSC CAMP

The Santa Anna Junior High cheerleaders are in Stephenville this week attending cheerleading school at Tarleton State College. Mrs. Elgean Harris took the girls to Stephenville Monday and will return for them Friday. Cheerleaders for the JHS pep squad are Sandra Harris, Laurie Shambeck, Elizabeth Morris, and Jimmie Gail Rutherford.

## SCHOOL BOARD TONIGHT

The Santa Anna Independent School District Board of Trustees will have their regular monthly business meeting at the high school office Thursday (tonight) at 8:00 p.m.

On the agenda will be routine business and review of applications for both of the faculty vacancies. Also on the agenda will be the approval of a school calendar for the coming year.

## Coleman Man Drowning Victim Monday Night

Joe Castillo, 25, of Coleman drowned Monday night at Hords Creek Lake west of Coleman. He was pronounced dead at 8:30 p.m. by Justice of the Peace, Walter Holt.

Sheriff Corky Chapman said Castillo and his brother, Johnny, and his father, Raymond Castillo, were swimming across a point about seven or eight feet deep when suddenly the victim disappeared from sight without any sign of struggle.

He was under the water about 20 minutes when he was brought to the surface by Don Hipsher of Waco. Artificial respiration was given and other attempts made for his revival.

Funeral arrangements for Mr. Castillo had not been made Tuesday.

## Cooking Class Being Conducted Each Tuesday

Mrs. Bessie Parker, Coleman County Home Demonstration Agent, is conducting a series of cooking classes in Santa Anna during the month of July. The classes, held for people who receive commodity food products, will be held in the community room of the Mountain City Apartments each Tuesday during this month. The class is from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Recipes will be given to each person attending the classes.

## SACY MEETING SET ON SUNDAY

Teenagers of all denominations are invited to attend the meeting of the Santa Anna Christian Youth organization on Sunday night, July 11. The junior group will meet at the United Methodist Church and the senior group at the First Baptist Church.

The group did not meet last Sunday night because of the Independence Day holiday.

## BACK FROM FT. WORTH

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Bible of Torrance, Calif., who are spending the summer here, visited in Fort Worth last weekend with their foster son and family. They spent a recent weekend in Brady attending the Bible family reunion.

## Rural People's Credit Service Has Record Year

A record year of credit service to the rural people in Coleman, Runnels and Callahan Counties was announced today by Foy I. Brown, local county supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration.

Mr. Brown said \$771,700.00 was channeled into the area through loans for housing, purchasing of farms and operating expenses. At the end of the fiscal year, the outstanding loan balance in the Coleman unit had climbed to nearly 3.5 million dollars and was providing benefits to more than 200 families.

We expect a sharp uptrend, Mr. Brown stated, in rural housing, since this is the first year that the people in the City of Coleman have been eligible for assistance through Farmers Home Administration. Eligibility covers people of low and moderate income, including senior citizens, in rural towns of not more than 10,000 population, plus farm and nonfarm residents of the countryside.

Farmers Home Administration loan services are carried on in the Coleman, Runnels and Callahan Counties through the Agency's office located in the Rhone Building, 112 North Concho Street, Coleman, Texas.

## HOME FROM TYLER

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith visited recently with their children. They went to Waco where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Smith and girls and together they went to Tyler for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and sons. They returned to Santa Anna Sunday night.

# Social Activities . . .

## SA FHA Visits Nursing Home, B'Wood Academy

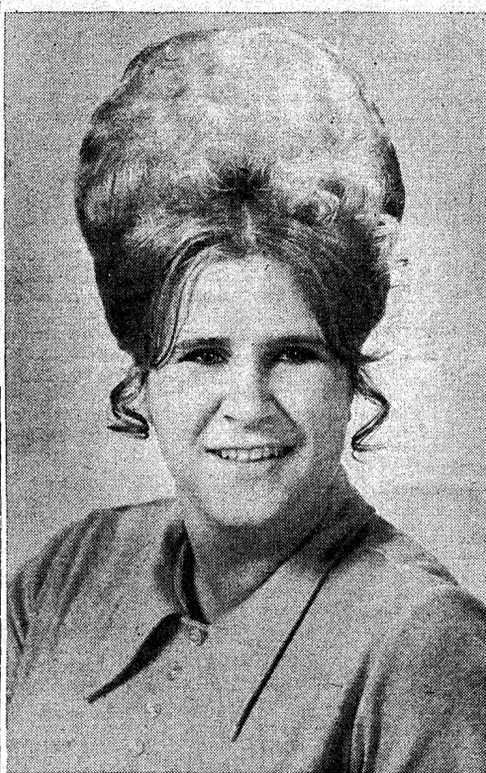
Homemaking Girls, working in the summer program at Santa Anna High School, visited senior citizens at Ranger Park Inn Thursday afternoon, June 24th. The girls baked cookies to present to those living at the home. This project comes within one of the national objectives of the Future Homemakers of America, "To strengthen bonds within the family and between the family and the community." Early in the past school year senior citizens were chosen as secret "Grannies and Granddads."

During the year and on special occasions such as Christmas and birthdays, the girls sent the secret grannie or granddad cards, gifts, cookies, candy, etc. These secret friends were revealed on this visit.

Homemaking girls making the visit included Janice Armstrong, Donna Raspberry, Susan Newman, Debbie Bray, Debbie Harris, Serena Bryan, Leslie McCreary and Juanita Valdez. Mrs. Winnie McQueen, advisor, accompanied the girls on the visit.

Homemaking girls toured the Douglas MacArthur Academy of Freedom in Brownwood on Tuesday, June 22nd. Objective II of the Future Homemakers of America emphasizes "Our World — A Growing Heritage" with the purpose of involving the youth of today in helping solve world problems. Making this tour helped the girls to realize their personal responsibilities as well as those of a nation in solving world problems.

Girls making the tour were Debbie Bray, Serena Bryan, Mary DeLeon, Debbie Harris, Susan Newman, Janice Armstrong, Donna Raspberry, Leslie McCreary, Bobbie Strickland, Glenda Strickland. Others making the tour were Elaine Newman, David Strickland, Mrs. Donna Bradley, Mrs. Dorothy Harris, Mrs. Donald Strickland, Mrs. Tom Newman, and Mrs. Winnie McQueen.



**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED . . .** Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Walton of Santa Anna have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patricia, to Danny-Lynn Ray. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard B. Ray of Coleman.

Miss Walton, a 1968 graduate of Santa Anna High School and of Gary's Beauty College, is employed in Brownwood. Mr. Ray is a graduate of Coleman High School and attended Draughan's Business College. He is employed in Coleman.

The wedding will be held in the Walton home on Saturday, August 7.

## Local Children In Readers Club At City Library

Twenty-seven local children are enrolled in the Texas Readers Club, a summer reading program sponsored by the Texas State Library in conjunction with the Santa Anna Public Library.

Children enrolled in the program will receive engraved certificates after reading twelve or more books during the summer months. They have until August 1 to complete their reading.

Those taking part in the reading program are Timmy and Tammy Berge, Bobby, Beth, and Billy Burton, Cindy Cozart, Gary Craddock, Sydney Supps, Terry Day, Tracy and Rodney Duus, Joe Dean Early, Don Eubank, Minnie Frausto, Sandy Hipsher, Allen Jones, Lena Holland, Jackie Martin, Mike and Gayla Pritchard, Grace Siler, Sherrie Scarborough, Jana Shambeck, Martin Wells, Joy Weathers, Mary Rendon, and Pam Walton.

A group of new books, including many for the young readers, will be put on the library shelves this week. They are on loan from the Brownwood Public Library.

Also new adult books will be added to the library this week.

Some of the fiction selections now available at the library include the following: "Katherine" by Anya Seton, "The Lincoln Lords" by Cameron Hawley, "The House of Seven Gables" by Victor Canning, "Not As A Stranger" by Morton Thompson, "The Winter of Our Discontent" by John Steinbeck.

There is no charge for using the library facilities and the summer hours are 10:00-12:00 a.m. and 2:00-5:00 p.m. each weekday.



LARRY DeBUSK On European Study Tour

## Coleman Man On Study Tour

Larry DeBusk of Coleman left last Sunday, June 27, to begin an eight-week tour of Europe. The first portion of the trip will be devoted to summer school. Summer school begins in London with the sponsorship of Bath University and the London School of Economics. There will be a trip to Shakespeare country, Stratford-upon-Avon, during this segment.

After ending summer school in London, the program moves to Berlin to Schiller College. Included in the studies for this period are weekend trips to East Germany and the towns of Leipzig and Dresden. Both sectors of Berlin will be visited. The next segment of the trip begins in Leningrad, Russia. The three-day sightseeing tour here includes visits to the Hermitage Museum, Peterhof Palace, and Kazan Cathedral. Finally, the program moves to Moscow, Russia, under the sponsorship of the University of Moscow. After summer school in Moscow, the study portion of the trip ends with the flight to Paris. Graduate credit will be given for the summer school portion of the trip, and the credit will be applied toward a Masters Degree in Education with a teaching field in Business.

The next two weeks are free for independent travel; visits will be made during this period to France, Switzerland, and Italy. Cities included are Paris, Geneva, Florence, Rome, and Pompei. The entire eight-week European Holiday ends with a flight from Rome to JFK International in New York City. Larry DeBusk graduated from Coleman High School in May, 1965, and from Abilene Christian College in August, 1969. He has been teaching in Colorado City for the past two years and will return there in the fall. His teaching duties include Data Processing, Shorthand, and Typing I.

**NORMAN HOSCH ILL**  
Norman Hosch is a patient in the Brownwood Community Hospital where he has been a patient since last week. He is reported to be getting along well but will be hospitalized awhile longer.

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**HOLIDAY VISITOR**  
Bess Inez Shield of Houston spent the weekend in Santa Anna with her mother, Mrs. Vera Shield. She returned to Houston Monday.

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## Director Named For New Center Now Being Built At San Angelo

Dr. Carl S. Menzies, head of the Animal Science Department at South Dakota State University, has been named resident director for research at the new Texas A & M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center at San Angelo. The appointment is effective Sept. 1.

A & M President Jack Williams describes Menzies as a "nationally recognized leader in the livestock industry; one who will bring a wealth of practical experience and sound academic background to our program for the Edwards Plateau."

Dr. H. O. Kunkel, dean of the College of Agriculture at Texas A & M, and acting director of the Texas Agriculture Experiment Station, said Menzies is "one of the nation's outstanding leaders in the animal science field."

Menzies was born and reared near Menard, and is familiar with the Edwards Plateau and its problems and potentials, the dean said.

As resident director, he will coordinate and develop the research programs of the center, Kunkel said.

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the center were held May 26. Construction is expected to be completed by Jan. 1, 1972.

The facility will deal primarily with sheep and goat research, range and wildlife management, and developing the economic potential of West Texas agriculture. Kunkel said the center will focus on the region's widely diversified livestock and range needs.

The headquarters unit will contain approximately 12,450 square feet of space and extensive office and laboratory facilities.

Laboratories will be equipped for ruminant nutrition and reproductive physiology research. The lab's veterinary research will coordinate

activities with Texas A & M's veterinary research facilities at College Station.

Menzies graduated with BS and MS degrees from Texas Tech University and Kansas State University in 1954 and 1956. He received his doctorate in 1965 from the University of Kentucky.

The animal scientist served as assistant county agricultural agent at Brownwood in 1954 before spending the next 14 years at Kansas State University. He headed sheep research for 13 years at KSU.

Menzies left KSU in 1969 to become head of the South Dakota State University Animal Science Department.

Mr. Maurice Shelton, currently of the Texas A & M University Center at McGregor, has been serving as officer-in-charge of the center at San Angelo. Shelton, a recognized scientist, will head up the sheep and goat research at the new center.

Other research scientists at the center will be Dr. James R. Gallagher, wool research, and Dr. Charles W. Livingston, disease research. As soon as facilities are completed, Dr. Millard Calhoun, nutritionist, will transfer from the McGregor Center.

### VISITING HER CHILDREN

Mrs. R. C. Smith is in Rantoul, Ill. where she is visiting her daughter and family, S/sgt. and Mrs. Jackie Mobley and son. She will be away for two weeks.

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## Beads, Pictures Used For Club's Demonstrations

The Home Demonstration Club met at the Rockwood Community Center, Wednesday, June 23, with Mrs. Bert Turney, president, presiding. Mrs. Turney, June hostess, gave the thought for the day.

Mrs. Claud Box, secretary-treasurer, called the roll, read the minutes of the previous meeting and gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Bert Fowler gave the council report.

Mrs. Denver Ellis of Coleman demonstrated bead work, crocheting and stringing. Mrs. Lee Hunter of Santa Anna demonstrated making 3-dimension pictures and Mrs. Johnnie Steward showed one framed.

Mrs. Turney served cookies and iced tea to Meses. Claud Box, A. L. King, Fowler, Roland Duus, Bill Nevans, John Hunter, Jack Cooper, Johnnie Steward, Miss Bernice Johnson and visitors, Mrs. Blake Williams of Pasadena, Mrs. Denver Ellis of Coleman, Mrs. Lee Hunter of Santa Anna and Tracy Duus.

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## Holt Reunion Held Recently In Port Arthur

Descendants of the Holt family, early-day residents of the Liberty Community near Santa Anna, held a reunion at the home of Mrs. Leoma Holt Caudle in Port Arthur on June 26 and 27.

Attending from Coleman were Walter and Pauline Holt and Welton and Audrey Holt. Others attending were Mrs. Paula Holt Robinett of Brady, Roy, Jr. and Wanda Holt of Kingsland, Gaylard and Ruth Bettis of Austin, and Roy and Mildred Holt of Copperas Cove.

Those in Port Arthur present were Mrs. James E. Grady (Minnie B. Baird), former resident of Coleman County; Mrs. Caudle's daughter, Mrs. Leota Ely and her granddaughters, Dana and Vicki Ely, and Mrs. Manuel Jimenez and great-grandson, Jason Jimenez. Others from Port Arthur were Jimmie DeRouen, David McLaine and Pat Pineda. Morris and Ora Beth (Havens) Keene of Beaumont also attended.

High points of the trip were the Giant-Astro game in Houston, trips to Sabine Lake, the beach, the Dick Dowling battlefield and monument and a sea-food dinner at Schooners.

**VISITS WITH PARENTS**  
Mrs. Nita Ann Byerly and children, Christi LeAnn and Jody, of Fort Worth visited last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn McClure. They were here all week, returning home on Saturday.

### WEEKEND AT THE LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lovelady and daughters of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Mace Blanton, Jr., and Carla of Fort Worth, joined Mr. and Mrs. Montie Guthrie and Lane for a holiday weekend outing at Lake Brownwood. A number of other Santa Anna friends were present for a Saturday night barbeque supper and get-together with the former Santa Annans.

### HOME FROM CAMP

Rev. Bill Brewer returned home last weekend from North Fort Hood where he attended National Guard camp for two weeks. Brewer is with the 72nd Support Battalion from Dallas but is to be transferred back to the Brownwood unit.

While at camp Rev. Brewer was a member of the team which won the championship in the Brigade Pistol Match. Each team member received a trophy and another trophy was presented to the Battalion.

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# Trickham News Notes

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke

Sunday Russie James and Howell Martin and Lyndall Moore and Yelive Cole all attended the Winchell Reunion at the Coliseum at Brownwood. There were 77 present.

Mrs. H. W. Walker and Ruth Ann and Mrs. Mary Morrow of Santa Anna visited us Thursday evening and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Etheredge of Santa Anna visited us Friday morning. They wanted to see Oscar's bottle collection.

The Boenicke reunion was held at the Carl Harris' cabin on the lake with 52 present. On Sunday, July 4, we did not have dinner until 1:30 p.m. so that those of us that went to church would have time to get there. They were there from a number of places over Texas and one family from Oregon. Each year on the 4th of July the reunion is held there. Rev. Chester Wilkerson of Winters did not make it this

year. He is usually always there. Rev. Bill Taylor and wife and daughter, Nancy, attended with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Bolton and grandson of Rockwall came Friday and stayed until Sunday evening with her mother, Florence Stearns. On Saturday they all visited the Ray Wells family in Coleman.

Gayla Hornell and Lori and Allen and Sherrie McIver went to Midland Friday and visited the Royce McIver family until Sunday. Sherrie visited in Abilene on the way home at Natalie's sister and family, the Lavon Youngs.

Rankin and Natlie McIver and Darla and Chris went Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Young in Abilene and Sherrie returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Stearns visited their son and family, Sherman and Dortha Stearns and Clint at Fort Hood Sunday. Their grandson came home with them and will spend the week with them.

Edna Laughlin had all her family with her over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Laughlin and family of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Laughlin and children of Seymour.

Lucille and John Carter of Brownwood spent the weekend with her mother, Mamie Lancaster and Georgia.

Walter and Carrie Stacy visited at Abilene Saturday with O. T. and Sue Stacy and grandson.

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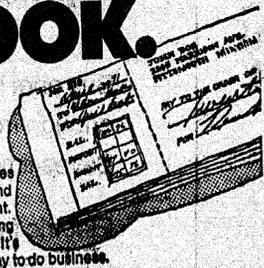
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# Shield News

Mrs. George Wheatley

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cobb and girls of Midland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dillingham and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Paul Dillingham spent Sunday at Lampasas with Mr. and Mrs. John Dillingham and Sandi.

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yancy and Mary were Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yancy, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Cordell Cameron and children and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Elack and baby all of Austin. Mr. David Yancy was a Friday visitor with his grandparents. David is home for a few days and will report to Arizona to finish his basic training.

Donations to the Cemetery Association in memory of Mrs. Ura Dillingham have been Mrs. Ione Caton, the Needlecraft Club of Santa Anna, Collier Insurance Agency, Mr. and Mrs. Billy

# Cleveland News

Mrs. Bruce Hibbets

The group that went to the Llano River down near London, Texas to enjoy an outing for the weekend of the 4th of July were: Rachel and Clara Cupps, Billie Don and Jean Cupps, Browne and Patsy Brooke, Susan and Shallia, from La Marque; Virgil and Ella Cupps, David, Judy and Royce; Darrel and Lucille Cupps, Ricky and Sydney; Charlie and Thelma Fleming; J. E. and Ovella Williams and Russell from Santa Anna; Rodney, Randy and Roger Sikes from Brownwood; Emmitt and Eunice Terry, Cindy and Tawana Rand. Also Sherrill Carlson from Fort Worth. They were met there and entertained by Frank and Hazel Gene Cox; Rocky and Rhonda. All reported a real good time and lots of swimming but not many fish.

Mrs. Juanita Naron ate Sunday dinner with Mrs. Dixie Cupps and took all of the children back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Kelly of Odessa came Sunday evening and will be with Mrs. Dixie Cupps until Thursday.

Mrs. Dixie Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cupps on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Perry of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. John Perry Sunday evening.

Mrs. Nona Ellis and Anita visited Mrs. Amanda Perry Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lucille Cupps and Sydney Cupps visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leonard at Coleman Saturday. On the way home they stopped and visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wells and Mrs. Carpenter at Santa Anna.

Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Randal Sutton of Stamford and Carylon Leonard of Coleman brought Sydney Cupps home and visited with Darrel and Lucille.

We had some visitors at our quilting Monday. Dorris and Adolph Kelly both tried their skill at quilting. Dorothy Wallace said she was glad her family loved electric blankets. Also Amanda Perry, Buddy and Timmy Bengé cleaned our church yard for us.

Buddy and Eva Nell Bengé and children went to Six Flags last Thursday with the church group.

Mrs. Tennie Campbell's visitors this last week were Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Pat, and Mike Estes of Fort Worth, Mrs. Claud Box of Rockwood

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Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Dolle Evans, all of these from Santa Anna and Mrs. Bertha Dalton of Littlefield. Other recent donations have been Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Scarborough and the H. C. Murrell Estate.

Mr. George Stewardson was in Fort Worth from Tuesday to Friday to visit his daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Watson and children and Mrs. Jean McClellan and children of Washington, D.C., who are also visiting in the Watson home. Jean and the children will be visiting her parents in a few days.

Recent visitors with Mrs. Ida Jones have been Tricia Moore of Houston and Hannah Brown of Coleman. Mrs. W. F. Machen and Raymond of Gouldbusk and Mrs. Hallie Bivins of Brownwood.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lawrence and children were Nancy and Sherie Ann Stout who spent the week, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Broyles and children of Abilene visited Sunday. Others visiting were Mr. Floyd Broyles, Dona Morgan of La., Mrs.

and Mrs. A. C. Pearce from out of town. Mrs. Goen, Mrs. Lela Hodges, Mrs. Carl Autry, Calvin and Margaret, Dutch and Ruth Campbell all of Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gary of Buckholts came to Mrs. Lela Hodges Sunday evening and Mrs. Hodges returned back home with them Monday morning.

Tommy Blanton went home with his aunt, Marie Heilman of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Mrs. Lillie Weatherly, E. H. and Edward of Abilene visited Mrs. Mae Henderson and family over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould, Jr. and son visited Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gould, Sr. on the weekend.

J. C. and Dixie Jo Bible and Debbie visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh Sunday.

Jamie Joe has been visiting and will stay this week with them.

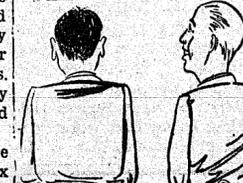
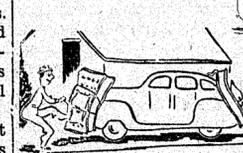
Nancy Baugh was home on the weekend. Carmilla Baugh visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Flores at Bangs one day and Mrs. Sam McCreary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morrow, Jay and Paul of Paluxy, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and family of Zephyr were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Howard Sunday.

Mr. J. D. Howard, Jr. spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Howard.

Mrs. Artie Magill of Dallas has been visiting Mrs. Ruby Howard and Mrs. Jewel Powers. She returned home Monday.

Ruby and Jewel visited Mrs. George Etheridge in Brownwood one day.



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Reba Broyles, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lawrence of Fisk and Mrs. Jackie Braswell and children of Roscoe. Also Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen and Patricia of El Paso spent the weekend on their place and visited with the Lawrence family.

The Murrell reunion was held Thursday to Saturday at the State Park at Brownwood Lake. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Fowler attended all of the Murrell brothers and sisters were able to be there except for one brother.

Mr. Vic McElrath has accepted a position with the Scranton School system which will start in August. We all wish Vic the very best.

Mrs. Velma Eppler is working in Santa Anna helping care for Mrs. W. H. Thate.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Skelton drove down to Doole Sunday afternoon and visited in the community with several friends.

Mr. Max Baker is working in Tahoka with the Soil Conservation Dept.

A few children are attending the swimming classes at the Coleman pool. Three little ducks that I know are going are Judd and Ward Stewardson and Todd Lawrence.

Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rae of Gouldbusk.

**BAPTIST MEN'S CAMP**

A number of men from the First Baptist Church will be at Lake Brownwood Friday and Saturday for the annual District Baptist Brotherhood Jubilee at the Baptist Encampment.

The two-day meeting will include special services, music, and fellowship and is open to all men in the area. Outstanding speakers are scheduled to be on the program.

## ATTEND 4-H CAMP

A group of local children attended the annual County 4-H camp at Lake Brownwood last week. The youngsters are members of the Santa Anna and Rockwood 4-H Clubs.

From the Santa Anna club were Jan Naron, Don and David Eubank. Those attending from the Rockwood club were Judd Stewardson, Serena Bryan, LeAnn Bryan, Mark and Hank Wise.

The two-day camp was held at the Lake Brownwood Christian Retreat.

## McCLELLAN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McClellan have had several of their children visiting them recently. Mrs. Bartow Boylston and daughters of Alken, S.C., and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brislin and sons of Strickersville, Pa., are here for a visit. Another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Pearce and children of Austin joined them here for the weekend.

On Saturday they were all guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Walters. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wajtek of Robert Lee, Col. and Mrs. C. F. Konze and Martha of Fort Hood, Fred Oakes of Dallas and O. L. Oakes of Brownwood.

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*In Our Opinion*

By W. T. HAYS

**MANY PROBLEMS FACE THIS NATION** and no one person has all the answers. Everyone, it seems, has an opinion, and not many of them are the same.

However, some of the nations' most learned and experienced men met recently in Washington and addressed the national conference of the National Federation of Independent Business, an organization made up of small business men over the nation.

Included among the speakers were Edward Reincke, lieutenant governor of California and right-hand man of Governor Ronald Reagan; Governor George Romney, presidential aspirant; Dr. S. I. Hayakawa, president of San Francisco State College; and Sen. Alan Bible, chairman of the Senate small business committee.

Included among the topics were welfare, national politics, educational and taxes, some of the more pressing problems facing the people of this country today.

Reinke informed the group that if all welfare bills before Congress were put in effect, the cost would exceed the national budget. Welfare rights groups expect at least 25 per cent of the population to be supported by welfare without working. "We have taken more and more from those who work," he said, "so we could support more and more of those who do not or cannot. We have created a system that not only fails to help people to help themselves, but has damaged their spirit and has removed the incentives to work."

It is easy, apparently, for organized pressure groups to secure continuing increases in programs that emanate from Washington, but the best protection for true welfare reform is to see that welfare standards are set by the state legislatures and not by the United States Congress or the Supreme Court. People closer to the problem are not as gullible as those far removed and more subject to pressure groups.

Romney made a statement that should be put on every billboard in Washington and in every newspaper read by the bureaucrats who support federalization of everything. He said, "Just remember this, that generally speaking, there is no special wisdom here in Washington. People are no smarter here than they are in the state capitol or local community, and people in the state capitol or local community have the advantage over those in Washington in that they know the local problems and local people better than Washington does."

This is a reverse of the thinking of many of the supporters of turning everything over to the federal government. They support a continuing trend toward socialistic government that history has proved can do nothing but fail.

Dr. S. I. Hayakawa, president of San Francisco State College, has become nationally known because of his stand against militant groups on college campuses and is probably the most potent spokesman against the lack of enforcement of law and order over the nation. "The sympathy for the underdog gives a veneer of moral justification to their violent tactics. And many professors are elitists too. Our real problem in the profession are people in their early 40's who went through kindergarten, grade school, high school, college, PhD, and then got a professorship. They haven't been out in the world yet. Part of our terrible unrealism in colleges is professors who know nothing about the world, teaching students who know nothing about the world and arriving at fantastic conclusions. Wow!"

In speaking of the student revolution on college campuses, he said "There is a certain group at San Francisco State, and its certainly true at other places, who don't want reform at all because so long as you have reform within the system, they can't overthrow the system. They don't want reform, they want revolution."

He said as long as we fail to expel anybody and fail to punish anyone the result is that students learn they can disrupt the classrooms, tear up books in the library, and all sorts of things and there's no punishment involved, and no risk. "And once you've established that you can have a revolution at no risk, hell, a revolution is a lot of fun."

Sen. Alan Bible told the group what they already knew — that there had been few reforms in the tax structure that helped the middle group. He said there had been no reforms to help them since 1958, and since that time many inequities had crept in to the statutes. He emphasized the need for simplification of the income tax and reforms in favor of the middle income tax paying group who pay the vast majority of the taxes.

All in all there was a lot of talk, but the value of it will be what, if any, are the results.

If there ever was an underdog it is the United States, it is the middle group. They are expected to work, without complaint, and support a quarter of the working age people, who don't want to work. As for this one, I'm going to complain.

**Rockwood News**

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Mrs. David Cooper and infant daughter, Dina Marie, will be honored with a baby shower Saturday, July 10, at 2:30 p.m. at the Rockwood Community Center.

Mrs. Lois Haines of Brady spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Last Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Briscoe of Lohn visited Mr. and Mrs. Iru Bray, Floyd Richter of Indro, Calif. visited the Brays last Wednesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Bray visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bray at Lohn.

Jody Brusenhan was among those attending the twirlers school at Stephenville last Sunday to Thursday.

Saturday, a week ago, Mrs. Tom Pollock and Meca of Leander, came to visit with the Junior Brusenhan family, returning home Thursday of last week. While here she and Meca attended the Lykins' family reunion at the Santa Anna Community Civic Center. Monday of last week, Mrs. Brusenhan and Judy and Mrs. Pollock and Meca were in Brownwood to visit Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Emerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cooper were Sunday evening visitors with the Brusenhans. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Brusenhan, Judy and Jody went to Eden Sunday afternoon to visit Mrs. Mary Brusenhan.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry and granddaughter, Lana Halmon and Cindy Deal attended the Brady Jubilee Sunday.

Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Estes, Kathy, Sarah, Jimmy, Archie and Cindy were Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Geneva and Mrs. Leona Nixon of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Estes and LeAnn. The occasion was a birthday anniversary party for the twin sisters, Mrs. Leffel Estes and Mrs. Nixon. Monday guests were Mrs. Larry Jones, Lori and Gary of Weatherford and Mrs. Ricky Zabel of Brownwood and Mrs. Billy McIntire.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hodges visited at the Coleman Lake Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Hodges and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Wester.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burrow, Sheila and Granvil of Coleman visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eurrell Blair and Denise. Denise spent Sunday night with Sheila and her mother went for her Monday.

Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Matt Estes were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones and children of Weatherford and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Frierson and family of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Deal and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal. Cindy remained for a longer visit. All attended the Brady Jubilee Saturday night.

Mrs. Deal and Cindy were in San Angelo Friday, shopping while Mr. Deal attended the sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jackson of Bangs spent Sunday with Mrs. C. H. McCarrell and family. Mrs. John Kemp visited Monday afternoon enroute home from a weekend with Mrs. T. B. Hallford and Lloyd in San Antonio.

Mrs. Joe Andy Hodges and Eddie Joe of Fort Worth visited her mother, Mrs. A. L.

Clutcher, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. L. King and Mrs. Lon Gray visited last ten days with Mrs. King in Houston with her daughter and family, Mrs. Gerald Sitterle, and Mrs. Gray visited her sister, Mrs. W. E. Routh and family at Alvin, coming home Saturday. Mrs. Gray visited Mrs. Dovie Chapman Sunday.

Holiday guests of Mrs. Billy McIntire and Tommy were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jones, Lori and Gary of Springtown and Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Zabel of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley and Gregg of Odessa came Saturday night to spend some vacation days with Mrs. Kate McIlvain and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain. The McSwains visited with the Mobleys recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams of Pasadena returned home Wednesday after several days with relatives.

Mary Rehm of Fort Worth is spending the summer with her parents, the Tony Rehms. Granddaughters, Karen, Kristi and Kelley Robicheaux recently spent a week with the Rehms.

Joe Fred Estes of Abilene was Thursday luncheon guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arnold and Merl Jan of Moore, Okla. spent Saturday to Monday with her mother, Mrs. A. L. King. They ate dinner in Santa Anna Sunday and to Coleman to visit Mrs. C. A. Crump and Miss Sammie Stewardson and to Bangs to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Ashmore and their daughter, Mrs. Betty Murr of Junction.

Attending the County 4-H Camp at Brownwood last Thursday and Friday were Leann Bryan, Serena Bryan, Mark Wise and Hank Wise, and Judd Stewardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Densman, Dorinda and Byron of Brady visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Elec Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Wise of Lamesa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wise and Mark and Hank. Mr. Wise has been appointed County Agent of Crosby County and will soon move to Crosbyton. Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cogan, Susan and Stephen of Lamesa spent Sunday and Monday with the Wise family.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Horton and Nesa of Andrews spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Steward, returning home Tuesday, Jamie Steward of Coleman also spent the week. Mr. and Mrs. James Steward of Coleman were Sunday visitors.

Mrs. Matt Estes suffered a broken arm last week in a fall at her home.

Johnny Pat Campbell of Midland spent Saturday morning to Monday evening with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Box. Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Mike Estes of Fort Worth visited

Sunday to Tuesday. Morris Harkey of Downey, Calif. came Sunday to visit the Box family. Mrs. Sam Estes and Mrs. Lois Haines visited Monday morning. Mrs. Box received a call Saturday night that her sister, Mrs. Garnet Reeves of Lubbock, was a patient in the hospital following surgery.

Latest cemetery donation was made by Ray Steward.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Wise were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Black, Forbes, Corey and Kelley of Fort Worth; Mrs. Kelley Smith, Nesa and Birch and Dr. and Mrs. Wess Wise and Geyer of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Riley of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan, Serena, Mrs. Pat McAllister and Dee, Dee and Miss Judy Bryan of Dallas were Saturday evening visitors.

Mrs. Jack McSwane went to San Angelo Sunday to visit a few days with her son, Stanley, a student in Angelo State University, and her sister, Mrs. Tom Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Johnson and children of Abilene visited Mrs. Fox Johnson and Miss Bernice, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Stafford of Brownwood visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. John Hunter.

Holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bryan, Serena and Dee Dee were daughters, Mrs. Pat McAllister and Miss Judy Bryan.

**Whon News**

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

It has been a very hot and dry 4th of July in our community. But from traffic, there were quite a few folk on the river enjoying the river and the July 4th holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Degal who have been living in our community for quite a number of years moved to Brady Wednesday. We are sorry to see them leave. The move was due to Mr. Degal having to retire from ranch work due to his physical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Rutherford of San Angelo spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Abernathy and brother, Ricky.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children, Rocky and Dena of Coleman, were Sunday guests with his parents, the Tom Rutherfords.

Mr. James Avants and son, Jimmy, and Mrs. Faye Marcee and her grandson of Coleman were Sunday guests with Mr.

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and Mrs. Aaron Avants. Mrs. Mary Avants of Hamlin visited Saturday of last week with Mrs. Hettye Turney in Santa Anna.

Visitors in the Lee Abernathy home on Sunday, July 4 were the children already mentioned, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lowery and Gene Hagley of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Holoman of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clifton of Millersview, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Yancy, Toni and David, and Miss Gay Rutherford.

Mrs. Randy Brown and children, C. W. and Marsha of Brownwood spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley.

Our daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and son, Barry, of Odessa spent Thursday night with us. Friday they went to Wichita Falls for their daughter, Deborah, who had been visiting her grandparents there. They continued on to Dallas and possibly other points of interest to them while on vacation.

Mrs. Jennie Richardson and her granddaughter of Odessa visited last week with Mrs. Hettye Turney in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley.

Recently visiting with Mrs. Hettye Turney in Santa Anna was her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Matessa and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Matessa of Dallas. The Leonard Matessas purchased property in Santa Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Etolle Cozart spent most of last week on their farm here and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley on Wednesday night. They returned to San Angelo for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wimpy Wat-

son of Lubbock were on their farm here over the weekend holidays and visited with the Tom Rutherfords Sunday afternoon.

**HARTMAN VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartman had all their children and grandchildren together during the weekend for the first time in about three years. They included Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wayne Hartman and boys of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker and boys of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hartman and Jeremy of Alexandria, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hartman and daughters and Cindy Hartman all of Santa Anna.

Edd's mother, Mrs. I. E. Hartman of Midland, a former Santa Anna resident, was also here for the holiday weekend and will remain here with her son and family for a few days.

The Ronnie Hartmans are here on a two week leave. He is still in the Army, stationed at Washington, D.C. They are also visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Pollock.

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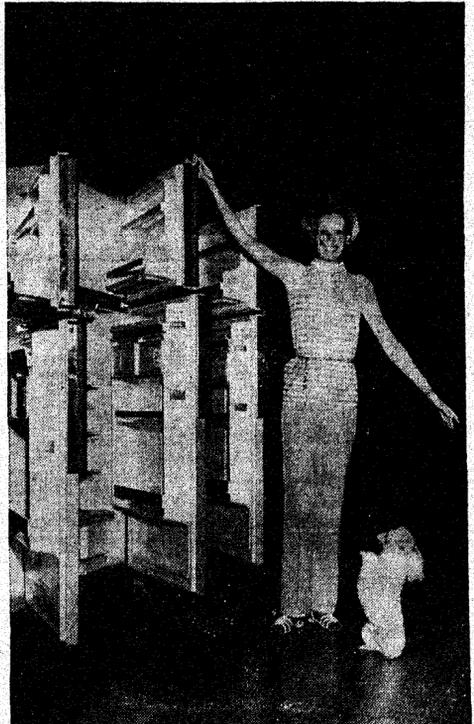
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## SAFE BOATING RULES GIVEN

"Preliminary figures for the first six months of 1971 show that 162 persons have lost their lives in Texas in water-oriented accidents," according to the General Manager of the Texas Safety Association.

Lloyd F. Palmer said that though the figure is lower than for the same period last year, the most dangerous months of the year are just beginning as far as water-related accidents and deaths are concerned.

"Traditionally such deaths show a sharp increase in June, July, and August as more and more Texans take to the water for recreation," the safety expert said.

In the first six months of 1970, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife Water Safety Services statistics, 182 persons were water-oriented accident casualties. Palmer said that the toll for the first half of this year might run higher when final reports become available.

"July 4-10 has been designated as 'Safe Boating Week' in Texas by Governor Preston Smith this year to emphasize the need for greater boating and water safety," Palmer said.

"At the present time, there are 283,132 registered boats in Texas. And the number grows each year, making safety in boating of prime importance," he commented. "It is imperative that every boat owner know how to han-

dle his craft safely and properly without endangering himself and others," Palmer stated, "if we are to reduce the toll of water-oriented casualties and injuries."

"From the time the boat and trailer are hooked up to the car, until it is safely home again, the possibilities of accidents are very real," the safety leader said.

Palmer said that when the boat owner prepares for his trip to the water there are some simple steps that will help make the journey safer and more pleasurable.

He said first the boater should make sure the trailer load capacity is suited to carry the weight of the boat and motor. Trailer stop and turn lights, and brakes should also be checked. Periodic examinations should be made on trailer wheel bearings, and tires should be properly inflated.

Palmer said that before starting on the trip, the boater should go through the following highway safety checklist. Start at the front of the rig, make sure the trailer hitch is tight, safety chains are tight and not dragging, the bow is firmly in position and winch line is tight, the transom and stern tie-downs are tight, lights are in good working order, and contact points between hull and trailer are padded.

The safety leader also said that as a boater travels to the water, it is important to remember that towing adds weight and momentum to the car. It will require greater distances to stop than under normal driving conditions. He said the driver should allow for extra length when turning, and observe the speed limits for towing trailers. In Texas, the law sets 60 miles per hour as a maximum speed during daylight and 55 m.p.h. as a maximum at night while towing most boat trailers.

The TSA executive said there is one general rule of boating safety, "It is as simple as A.B.C., 'Always be careful!'"

He outlined these other ba-

sic rules for safer boating activities.

1. Always provide required life-saving equipment for boats. Under state law there must be an approved flotation device for every person aboard. A new law requires passengers under twelve years of age to wear approved life preservers while in motorboats.

2. Be prepared to fight fires. State law requires each powered boat to be equipped with a fire extinguisher.

3. Take no chances with rough weather. Respect wind and storm warnings. The best policy is to stay ashore if bad weather threatens. If caught out in rough weather, don't life-saving devices, head for the nearest sheltered shore, and above all keep calm.

4. Always observe the capacity rating of the boat. Overloading creates a greater danger of capsizing.

5. When waterskiing, consideration for others is a must. Don't speed past anchored or docked boats. While towing a skier there must be at least two responsible people in the boat, a pilot and an observer who can watch the skier. Never ski at dusk or after dark.

6. If your boat capsizes or is swamped, stay with the craft. Help is usually not long in coming.

7. Keep boats clean at all times. Oil soaked rags and waste should not be kept on board, as they increase the dangers of fire.

8. Always stay seated in small boats. Persons standing in small boats change the center of gravity and reduce the stability of the craft.

9. Know the signal for distress. By day, in a small boat, signal distress by slowly raising and lowering outstretched arms. On larger craft, give four blasts on the horn, fly the National Ensign upside down, or use smoke. By night, flashlights, flares, rockets, or controlled fire should be used to signal problems.

10. If you are involved in a collision, or are nearby when a collision occurs, standby and render assistance.

## ASC News . . .

By Joe K. Taylor

President Nixon, after consultation with Secretary Hardin, has authorized the Secretary of Agriculture to make two changes in the emergency drought assistance programs to make more hay available in certain drought areas by eliminating reductions in price support payments to farmers.

Under the Livestock Feed Program, applicants will no longer be required to file a financial statement when applying for feed and hay transportation assistance. In view of the importance of prompt action on applications, and since the application form includes a certification of need signed by the applicant, the financial statement which required added time and work is being eliminated.

The County Committee shall continue to utilize their knowledge and judgement of local farmers to screen out those who are locally considered to be wealthy, who have substantial nonfarm sources of income, or who have large financial resources.

Haying or grazing of irrigable set-aside and Cropland Adjustment Acreage in counties designated as emergency drought areas by the Secretary of Agriculture, will now be permitted without charge. In contrast to non-irrigated set-aside acreage on which haying and grazing has been permitted without charge since April 22, payment reductions had been required on irrigable set-aside acreage.

Further, the Secretary directed that this revision in the rules is to be retroactive to the beginning of this emergency period. This will provide some increased income to farmers in the drought-

stricken area and will also provide some additional forage for use in the emergency counties in the drought area. (Programs relate to some 200 designated counties in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona.)

The rates charged producers under the drought emergency feed program beginning July 1 are: Grain sorghum primary livestock — \$1.51 cwt; for secondary livestock — \$2.01 cwt; Oats primary livestock — \$1.55 cwt and secondary livestock — \$2.06 cwt.

## COURT RECORDS

**WARRENTY DEEDS**  
George D. Rhone Company to Frank Lewis 48.6 acre tract in Coleman County.

Frank Lewis to George D. Rhone Company 732 acres more or less, in Coleman County.

Clyde Gordon Thomas to Chetwyn B. Holcombe property in the City of Coleman.  
Donald Trull to Robert L. Alvey property in the Town of Coleman.

W. H. Riley, Jr. to Dr. J. P. Jones one lot in the Town of Coleman.  
William C. Weems to Veteran's Land Board 86.3 acres in Coleman County.

Robert G. Storey to A. L. Hubbard one lot in the Town of Coleman.

Walter C. Dibrell to Frank Lewis property in the Town of Coleman.

Lucille Strickland to Charles J. Hemphill, 1.1 acre tract in Coleman County.

Edna Swepton to Paul Beard, three lots in the city of Coleman.

J. A. Key to Dr. J. P. Jones one lot in the town of Coleman.

Herman Milton Jones to Dr. J. P. Jones property in the town of Coleman.

Frances Stevens Dibrell to Ivy Lucille Morgan one lot in the town of Coleman.

Citizens National Bank, Brownwood, to Lawson A. Battles property in the town of Santa Anna.

R. L. Mitchell to John W. Snodgrass two lots in the town of Coleman.

**OIL & GAS LEASES**  
Wayne C. Newton to A. L. Frazier 91 acres in Coleman County.

Wayne C. Newton to A. L. Frazier 70 acres in Coleman County.

First State Bank, Abilene, Texas to National Cooperative Refinery Association 363 acres in Coleman County.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Walter David Brown and Marilyn Joyce Tatum.

Gilbert J. Bernal, Jr. and Mary Christine Gutierrez.

John Franklin Dyer, Jr. and Janet Louise Smith.

Anthony Jackson Strawn to Dinah Caroline Decker.

**NEW CARS**  
Ray Martin, Coleman, Oldsmobile.

J. B. McCord, Coleman, Lincoln.

Weldon Minzenmayer, Winters, Oldsmobile.

Dennis R. Gordon, LaPryor, Gardian House Trailer.

Robert L. Markland, Coleman, Oldsmobile.

Mike Young, Baird, Buick.

Tom C. Walker, Coleman, International Travelall.

W. D. Cope, Jr., Coleman, Plymouth.

Hiram Price, Eden, Pontiac.

Ann Davis, Coleman, Pontiac.

Lillie C. Vaughan, Coleman, Plymouth.

# WANT ADS

## Miscellaneous

**CUSTOM PLOWING:** Tandem and sowing. Norman and Edward Anderson. Phone 348-3469 or 348-3347. 26-3tp

FOR the San Angelo Standard Times in Santa Anna, call Mrs. Ludy Jane Bryan. Phone 348-3855. 40-tfc

**SOUTHWEST ANT BAIT, 5%** Vegetable Dust, Science Blossom Set, Cutrine Algaecide-Fungicide, spray on tanks with sprayer to kill mosq. Mett's Garden Center, 410 Commercial, Coleman, Texas. 25-tfc

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## LODGE MEETING

Mountain Lodge No. 661 AF & AM will meet on Third Thursday each month at 7:30 p. m. Visitors are welcome. James F. Martin, Worshipful Master and James D. Rice, Secretary.

## Brownwood Cattle Auction

**DATE: June 30, 1971**  
MARKET: Buyer attendance normal. Market active. Stockers and feeders steady with last weeks higher market. Packer cows 50c higher. Packer bulls steady. Stocker cows and calves in good demand. Fat cows fully \$1.00 higher.

**ESTIMATED RECEIPTS: 1309**

Stocker Steer Calves	250-425	34.30-52.50
Stocker Heifer Calves	250-425	33.20-42.00
Steer Yearlings	500-700	30.00-35.00
Bull Yearlings		28.50-33.25
Heifer Yearlings		27.75-29.00
Plain Feeder Steers		28.50-32.50
Plain Feeder Heifers		26.00-28.50
Cows & Calves - pr.		
Good		219.00-292.50
Plain		200.00-236.00
Stocker Cows		20.50-24.00
Slaughter Cattle		
Fat calves		30.00-31.50
Fat cows		19.50-23.20
Utility and cutter cows		19.00-21.25
Canners		17.50-19.25
Shells		15.60-16.90
Stocker bulls		225.00-317.50
Slaughter bulls		18.50-28.00
Hogs (top)		none

## REPRESENTATIVE SALES

Howard Hughes, Brownwood, 230 lb. wf str., 53.50; Jack Smith, Cottonwood, 365 lb. wf bull, 40.00; Elliott Kemp, Ballinger, 670 lb. blk wf str., 30.10; W. W. Means, Brookesmith, 1090 lb. char cow, 23.50; Ira Nelson, May, 1165 lb. wf cow, 22.00; Jack Wheat, Brownwood, 1330 lb. wf cow, 22.80; E. I. Snodgrass, Brady, 1325 lb. hol cow, 23.00; Miller and McGregor, Richland Springs, 14 blk str., 397 lb. avg. wt. 34.40, 5 blk str., 337 lb. avg. wt., 38.50, and 16 blk hefrs. 326 lb. avg. wt. 32.00; J. W. Phillips, Jr., Brownwood, 1315 lb. char bull, 28.00; Woodrow Neil, Brownwood, 1135 lb. wf bull, 30.00; L. W. Coffey, Zephyr, 255 lb. char str., 47.25; E. J. Drueckhammer, Mullin, 7 wf str., 519 lb. avg. wt. 34.00, 5 wf str., 639 lb. avg. wt., 31.75; Oran Rippy and Son, Dripping Springs, 9 bra hefrs. 600 lb. avg. wt., 169.00 per hd.; Donna Lowe, Mullin, blk cow and cif., 1045 lb. at 260.00 per pair.

## For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE: 100 16-week-old pullets. See at House north of Cemetery. Phone 348-3322, John Borrego. 27-tfc

FOR RENT: Two-bedroom house, carpeted, close in. Remodeled kitchen.

FOR SALE: Nice two-bedroom home, next to mountain. 6% loan available. Ross Kelley, 348-3486. 27-tfc

FOR SALE: Two lots on Bowie Ave. Paved street, one block from high school. Call Louis M. Guthrie, 348-3618. 26-tfc

FOR SALE: Air conditioners; Recliners 49.95; Outside White House Paint \$2.98 gal. Good used cook stoves. Bargain House, 715 Concho in Coleman. 20-tfc

FOR SALE: Used TVs Refrigerators, Stoves, Washers and Freezers. Buy on terms to suit you. Geo. D. Rhone Co., Coleman, Texas. 31-tfc

FOR SALE: Napko Paints, inside and outside latex and enamels to match. Will mix any colors desired. Winsteads Paint & Paper Store, 107 East Pecan, Coleman, Texas. 51-tfc

## Legal Notice

**NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING SANTA ANNA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the City of Santa Anna, Coleman County, Texas, at 9 o'clock A.M., to 12:00 Noon, beginning on Thursday the 15 day of July, 1971, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the said Santa Anna Independent School District, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1971, and any and all persons interested, or having business with said Board, are hereby notified to be present.

**DONE BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION OF Santa Anna Independent School District, Coleman County, Texas, at Santa Anna, Texas, this 29 day of June, A.D. 1971.**

Max Eubank  
Secretary of Board of Equalization  
Santa Anna Independent School District

## NOTICE

Increased cost of postage, billing and bookkeeping makes it unprofitable to send statements on classified advertisements, some of which run only 50 cents. It is, therefore, requested that these ads be paid for at the time of placing unless they are to be billed to an established account.

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**New Subscribers**  
The following are those who have renewed their subscriptions to the NEWS or are new subscribers:  
Mrs. Carl Stovall, Coleman.  
Mrs. Selma Hasserodt.  
Mrs. Helen Goodloe.  
Mrs. Maggie Culver.  
Chandler Feed and Seed, Psk.  
Terry McIver.  
Mrs. Vera Shield.  
Travis Smith, Coleman.  
A. C. Bible, Killeen.  
Roy Bledsoe, Coleman.  
Mrs. Sam Rutherford, Coleman.  
Mrs. H. M. Smith  
J. E. Parish, Fort Worth  
W. H. Thate  
J. W. McClellan  
Wallace Dingus, Coleman  
Mrs. L. E. Story  
Vincent Diaz  
Zachary Taylor, 12th president, had never held a public office until he became president in 1849.

## Medicare Cost Raised July 1

The premium for medical insurance under Medicare will be increased by 30 cents a month beginning July 1, 1971, according to Bob Tuley, Abilene social security district manager.  
The law requires that this part of Medicare be kept on a "pay-as-you-go" basis and increased use of medical services as well as higher costs made a premium increase necessary. The additional 30 cents paid by the beneficiary will also be matched by the Government as is the balance of the premium. This means that the medical insurance will continue to be worth the amount you pay.  
For most beneficiaries the monthly premium will be \$5.60 and if they are receiving a social security check, it will be automatically deducted from the check. Those people who are not receiving a monthly check will be billed for the additional premium amount on their regular quarterly billing schedule.  
If you need more information regarding Medicare, call your social security office at 677-5282, or if you prefer visit the office at Room 2321 Federal Bldg., Abilene. Hours 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Monday-Friday.

## RETURNS TO EL PASO

Mrs. W. H. Clifford left last week for her home at El Paso after spending nearly three weeks here with the Tom Kingsbery family and friends. She went from Abilene by plane.

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# Government In Action Youth Tour

by Jimmy Benton

When Mr. and Mrs. James Barr, Ginger Rogers, and I arrived in Waxahachie on Friday, June 11, some of the kids were already there at Brookside Inn. After registration, getting acquainted was the monstrous chore looming ahead of us. We thought that we would never get to know all 73 of them. At dinner that night, everyone was introduced and the itinerary was gone over.

The next morning the two Greyhound busses were there at 7:00 a.m. ready to take another load of young people on the 7th Government in Action Tour. Our drivers, Mr. Greenhall and Mr. Robinson, have driven for this tour since its origination. They are the best drivers in the business. Their sons, Larry Greenhall and Mike Robinson, also went along and were soon adopted as our mascots. After getting all of the bags on the busses and a slow countdown, we were off. About half way through the morning, we made one of our famous "Stupid Sticky Stops."

There were STUCKY'S stores all along our route and these broke the saddle soreness into more bearable tentures. We had lunch in Texarkana and arrived in Memphis, Tennessee, late that afternoon. Morrison's Cafeterias saw a lot of the Texas delegation. They also were all along our way. Everyone could have a good meal and eat what he or she liked. All in all, the food was good all of the way (except for the "runny scrambled eggs" and chipped beef on toast that we feasted on for breakfast.)

Singing was one of our main pastimes. There were three guitars and two tambourines in our group. When both busses were combined, we had strong four-part harmony and it sounded pretty fair. Each night we would sing for about 30 minutes before curfew and end each session with a prayer and "Pass It On" and "Kum By Ya."

On Sunday morning, June 13, we left Memphis and headed for Knoxville. We went through the Great Smoky Mountains. On our way, we went through Rockwood, Tennessee. Beginning about there, it began to rain and it rained till about 7:00 p.m. We had our devotional that night after dinner.

The next afternoon we pulled into Washington, D.C. Ken Loyd, our "tour daddy" and Youth Tour Coordinator, had succeeded in pulling 73 individuals into one unit, "that Texas bunch." We were now one big happy, friendly family. We stayed at the Twin Bridges Marriott, in Arlington, Virginia, across the Potomac River from Washington.

That evening, we all toured the national monuments in the city. Among those that we visited are the Jefferson, Lincoln, Iwo Jima, and the

Washington monuments. We did not go into the Washington monument; it was scheduled for another evening. It started raining about 7:30 that evening and drizzled up until Wednesday morning.

Tuesday was spent in the Smithsonian Institute complex. There are seven buildings in the group in Washington. We only made it to two of them. The first that we went to was the Natural History building. We arrived at 9:15 that morning and discovered that it opened at 10:00 a.m. We decided to meet some people. Four of us walked around the block and anybody that we would see, we would greet with a "Howdy" or "How are you this morning?" or we would introduce ourselves and ask how they were this morning. Many of the people would stop and talk for a minute or two. One man that we introduced ourselves to just walked on but his head was turned around staring at us until we were out of sight. It was interesting to meet the people from the different states and from the Washington area. One girl that we were talking to said "Golly gee, I wish I had an accent like you guys." We thought that she had the accent. Our "Ya'll" got a lot of laughs, but before everyone from the other states left Washington, we had them saying, ya'll.

The Smithsonian Institute is such a large place that it is divided into different departments. One could spend a year in the Institute and probably never see it all because of the many different exhibits and the number of exhibits.

Wednesday was Rural Youth Day. All of the kids from 26 states, 996 in all, met for a convention in the Marriott Convention Center. Senator George McGovern made the main address. That afternoon, President Nixon and Secretary of Agriculture Hardin addressed us on the South Lawn of the White House. Following the addresses, we were given a tour of the White House where we saw five of the rooms.

At 4:00 p.m. the Texas delegation hosted a Congressional reception. All of our Representatives and our two Senators were invited. We met all of the Texas congressmen.

That night NRECA hosted all of the Rural youth at a banquet and party. They had a live band, old silent movies, games, and swimming. We really got to know several of the kids from the other states and learn about their backgrounds and states.

Thursday morning we went to Arlington National Cemetery. We laid a wreath on the grave of John F. Kennedy and saw the changing of the guards at the Grave of the Unknowns. Later we went to the National Archives. The Declaration of Independence, United States Constitution, the Bill of Rights and many other documents of impor-

tance are housed there. Later that day we went up in the Washington monument and viewed Washington from the air. We were told that the monument only sways 3/4 of an inch in a 75 mph wind. It took about 35 minutes to walk down. That night we were hosted by NRECA to a boat cruise down the Potomac River. It gets a little bit chilly after dark on the river.

On Friday morning NRECA sponsored a program and refreshments at their building in north Washington. After leaving there we went by bus to the National Wax Museum. Friday afternoon was spent at Mount Vernon. Of all the mansions and old homes that we saw, Mount Vernon looked more like a home. The grounds were beautifully kept and the grass was emerald green (a beautiful sight to Texas eyes!).

Art Mitchell, one of the publicity men from NRECA (the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association) heard our group singing as we led the national Rural Youth Day convention. On Friday night, we were asked to do a color-sound film for the NRECA to use for national publicity for the Government in Action Youth Tour. We sang around the fireplace in the lobby of the Marriott Twin Bridges.

We started for home on Saturday morning and arrived in Knoxville Saturday night. The next morning our busses headed for Chattanooga, Tennessee, and Lookout Mountain. It was there that we held our Sunday morning devotional. It is one of the most beautiful spots on earth. As Ken described it, it is like sitting in the lap of God. The fog was wispy and it was cool that morning. As Becky Liscum from Midland read "The Creation" the sun started to come out and church bells could be heard from down the slope in the distance. After the devotional we walked around the Civil War battleground there on Lookout Mountain.

Monday morning we started from Memphis back to Texas. We arrived in Waxahachie at 3:30 p.m. That night we had a last night party and came "tacky". One would not imagine all of the "wierdos" that we had. Ace Song Service furnished music for the party.

Tuesday morning a Farewell Breakfast was held. Amid getting addresses, tearful goodbys, and "we'll see you next year's" the one family again split into 73 individuals. It is hard to express the love and closeness that develops from living with 73 people for 15 hours a day for 11 days. Because of this, though, we have learned that people can be just great! We all came back with a renewed faith in America, the American system of government, the young people of this nation and each other.

We adopted "Pass It On" as our theme song of the tour. As we sang it every night it came to really mean something to us. About 10:30 each night you could hear: "It only takes a spark to get a fire going. And soon all those around can warm up to its glowing..."

On the last night of our tour, Ken Loyd officially named us "THE SPARK OF TEXAS, as every group is given a name each year. This is a trip that I wish everyone could take under those circumstances. It gives one a chance to get to know total strangers and become the best of friends. I would like to thank everyone that helped to make the tour possible, especially REA members. Other than furnishing electricity, it is one of the most valuable services that REA performs.

**MRS. PERRY AT HOME**  
Mrs. Robert Perry is back at her home after spending three months in Euless at a nursing home. Mr. Perry was moved from Euless to the Twilight Nursing Home at Bangs and is getting along all right.

**WEEKEND VISITORS**  
Visitors in the Bill Day home during the Fourth of July weekend were her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Gilbreath and Mrs. Sharon Bixler, all of Amarillo. Jody and Terry Day returned to Amarillo to visit in the Bixler home for a week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe C. Barnes of Strawn were weekend visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Barnes.

# 24 Years Ago In The News

The following stories are from the July, 1947, issues of the NEWS.

Daily parades will precede the four performances of the tenth annual Coleman Rodeo, opening July 9. Earl Sellers of Del Rio is producer of the rodeo.

A son, named Michael Jesse, was born in the Sealy Hospital on Friday, June 27, to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garrett.

Mrs. Will Parker, Mrs. Vernon Parker and June returned Sunday from Corpus Christi where they had visited in the James Simpson home.

The City Commission this week is in the process of completing what looks like a good water well. The well has been drilled into two sands and with the bailing facilities at the well, bailing out 50 gallons a minute, they have not been able to bail all the water out of the well. The well is located on the

**Funeral Is Held In Tiffin, Ohio For Billy Romig**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams are in Ohio visiting a daughter and family. They were called to Tiffin, Ohio, at the death of a grandson, 12-year-old Billy Romig, who was accidentally shot on June 17.

The boy, son of the former Odessa Williams, was found in the barn at the Romig home and the cause of the accident is unknown. Funeral services for the child were held on Saturday, June 19. Survivors include the parents, one brother and one sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams plan to stay in Ohio for several weeks.

**VISIT MRS. CRUTCHER**  
Mrs. Joe Andy Hodges and Eddie Joe of Fort Worth were in Santa Anna Monday visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. A. L. Crutcher. Mrs. Lester Bryan and children also visited Mrs. Crutcher and the out-of-town guests.

It was Eddie Joe's first visit here in over two years. He has spent the past year or more in a body cast after spinal surgery but is now recovering well.

**OWENS' GUESTS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Owen and Tony had all their family at home for the holiday weekend. They were Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howard and children of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Dyer and children of Coleman, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray Owen and family of Concord, Calif.

The California visitors arrived Thursday and will visit here about a week. They are on a sightseeing vacation.

**GUY ALLEN WINS IN RODEO**  
Guy Allen, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, was one of the winners at the OJRA rodeo at Tulsa, Oklahoma, last week. Guy and his partner, Tee Woolman of Vanita, Okla., won first and third in the team roping event at the junior rodeo. The two boys won first with Guy heeling and third with him heading.

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Burk place east of town in the north-pasture east of the city lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Oaks and Donnie, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Cheaney and Bobby Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stewardson and family, Elsie Lee Harper, Mr. and Mrs. John Pearce and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Abernathy were guests of the Hardy Stewardson family at San Saba Monday night for a big fish dinner. A 51 pound catfish had been caught for the occasion.

The changes of ownership two business places have been announced recently. The Joe Harveys have purchased the Santa Anna Food and Market, and Leland Thompson has purchased Lon Gray's interest in the Gulf Service Station in the east part of town.

The Harveys bought the grocery interest from F. C. Williams.

**WHON NEWS:**  
Wash days at the Whon washer are Tuesday and Wednesday instead of Tuesday and Thursday.

**EUREKA NEWS:**  
Our revival will begin July 11. Rev. Harry Hames of Brownwood will do the preaching.

**ROCKWOOD NEWS:**  
Little Miss Bobbie Rehm spent Sunday with Patsy Bryan.

**SHIELD NEWS:**  
The women's softball team played the Mozelle team and were defeated 19-20.

Seven members of the Sunday School of the First Christian Church left Monday for Buffalo Gap where they will attend the camp for intermediates.

Those attending were Julia Ann Bailey, Mary Frances Williams, June Parker, Rilda Stephenson, D. H. Moore, C. W. Stephenson, and Kenneth Heallen.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Wommack have returned to their home in Santa Anna. Mr. Wommack is retiring from active ministerial work and he and Mrs. Wommack will make their home here permanently.

# SPECIALS

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