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Mountain Echoes



By
Barbara
Kingsbery

A light rain in our area Sunday brought smiles to most faces despite the less than half-inch measurement of moisture. The rain was the first in many weeks and a help to yards, gardens and pastures.

Katharyn Duff, front page columnist for Abilene Reporter News, aptly put it, "When you say 'What a pretty day it is', it is raining."

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The mesquite trees are "putting out" in our community. Often said to be a forecast of spring, they were bitten back by a freeze last year and will probably be damaged this year before warm weather arrives to stay.

Fruit trees are in full bloom in our area, and prospects for a fruit crop dim at this early date.

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People in our community are reminded of the VFD "Hamburger Day" to be held April 3. Other activities on the calendar include the city-wide clean-up April 10, and City and School Board elections April 13.

End-of-school events will begin within a month, and track meets are planned during the next five weeks for school teams.

County People Attend Meeting Of District FB

Eleven Coleman County Farm Bureau members attended a District Membership Kick-off meeting Tuesday, March 2 at Underwoods in Abilene. The week of March 1-6 had been designated by Governor Dolph Briscoe and County Judge W. W. (Pete) Skelton as "Farm Bureau Membership Week."

Speaker for the evening was Texas Farm Bureau president, Carrol Chaloupka. The goal in Texas is to show a gain in all 210 counties for the fourth year in a row. If this is achieved, there is a good chance that 600 Texans will attend the AFBF convention next January in Hawaii. In the 1976 membership awards program, counties can earn up to \$300 in expenses for one representative.

Those attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cardinas, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenlee, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Skelton, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pittard, and Mrs. Loyd Hopper.

Three Council Posts To Be Filled April 3

Five candidates have filed for places on the Santa Anna City Council ballot. Three will be elected to the posts April 3. The five include Glen Copeland, incumbent, Stanley Hartman, Dale Bradley, J. C. Seratte and Thomas Myron Hays.

H. A. (Sy) Burden and Glen Pope are not seeking re-election to the Council.

Hartman, a Santa Anna native, is co-owner of H & H Food Store. He is a lifetime resident of Santa Anna, having attended school here and residing here while employed with Superior Cable Co. in Brownwood. He and his brother, Eddie, purchased the grocery store here last summer.

A member of the Volunteer Fire Department, Hartman is also active in Booster Club and Summer Recreation group. He and his family are members of Church of Christ.

Dale Bradley, husband of the former Donna Strickland, is an active member of the Volunteer Fire Department. He and his family reside on North Houston, moving to Santa Anna at the time of their marriage. He is employed with 3M Corp. in Brownwood. The Viet Nam veteran is a native of Coleman County.

Thomas Myron Hays is a member of a pioneer Santa Anna family, having recently returned to his home town following 32 years in the Naval Air Corps. He retired in 1974 with the rank of Captain, having served during World War II, the Korean and Viet Nam conflicts. He attended the University of Texas, Georgia Tech and the Naval schools for intelligence and photography.

Since returning to Santa Anna, Hays is operating the family farming and ranching interests and is contractor for the new post office building.

Mr. Hays and his family are members of the Methodist Church and he is a member of Lions Club.

J. C. (Dude) Seratte is a relative newcomer to Santa Anna, moving here two years ago from California. The Oklahoma native retired from the heavy equipment business to move here with his wife, the former Lucille Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Smith. Mr. Seratte is a World War II veteran, now residing on South Third Street.

Incumbent Glen Copeland has served on the City Council several terms and is also Mayor Pro-Tem. He is an officer at Santa Anna National Bank.

The election April 3 will be held at the City Hall with R. W. Balke as election judge. Mrs. Balke and Miss Ellen Richards will be clerks. Absentee voting will start next week and continue through Monday, March 29.

Others on City Council with another year remaining are Gale C. Brock, Julian Kelley and Mayor Thomas Wristen.

TRACK MEETS SUCCESSFUL

Cherokee, Jim Ned Top H.S.; Jim Ned, Goldthwaite in JHS



KAREN GORDON
Area FHA Officer

Local Student Chosen Host For Area FHA

Karen Gordon, a junior student at Santa Anna High School, was named an Area officer of Future Homemakers of America at the meeting in Stephenville Saturday. She was elected pianist for the Area IV organization.

The daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John Gordon, Karen is an honor student at SAHS and active in band and several other groups. She is an accomplished musician and serves as organist at United Presbyterian Church.

As an area officer, Miss Gordon will meet and take part in all area meetings and serve as accompanist during some sessions at the state FHA meeting in Fort Worth in April. She is also eligible to attend the National FHA meeting in St. Louis, Mo. in July.

The Saturday meeting was held at Tarleton State University with Steve Stroope, minister of youth at Abilene First Baptist Church, as main speaker. Officer reports and a business meeting were held during the afternoon.

Members of the local chapter attending the meeting were Tammy Ellis, chapter president, Mary Densman, Marla Mills, Grace Siller and Miss Gordon. Adults accompanying the group were Mrs. Winnie McQueen, chapter advisor, and Mrs. John Gordon.

Gospel Singing Slated Sunday At Trickham

Everyone in the community is invited to attend the monthly gospel singing at Trickham Union Church Sunday, March 14, at 7 p.m.

All musicians in the area have a special invitation to be present and take part on the program.

The first get-together was held last month with good attendance and a fine program.

The Santa Anna athletic stadium was the scene of track meets Friday and Saturday of last week. The Friday event was for girls and boys teams from area high schools, and the Saturday meet was for junior high competition. Over 30 schools were represented both days.

The Cherokee High School boys won 67 points for the first place trophy in their division Friday, and the Jim Ned girls were champions of that division with 79 points. Runners-up in the boys division were Roscoe, 52; Bronte, 47 and Bangs 42.

Other top girls teams were Goldthwaite, 74; Rising Star, 72; and Santa Anna, 57.

The Santa Anna boys had only two team members qualifying for the finals. They were Jay Weathers with third place in the 330 yard intermediate hurdles, and Joe

Guerrero Jr. with fourth place in the 880 yard dash.

Liz Morris led the SAHS girls by winning the 440 yard dash and placing in the broad jump and triple jump and anchoring the 880 yard relay and mile relay that won third and fourth respectively. Others on the 880 relay team were Sharon Guthrie, Vicki Benge and Debbie Coyle. Others on the mile relay team were Terry Kilcrease, Rhonda Rhoades and Vicki Benge.

Other local winners were Debbie Coyle, second in 880 yard dash and Sharon Guthrie, fifth in 80 yard low hurdles.

In the Junior High meet, the Jim Ned boys won the championship with 69 points. Runners-up were Mullin, 66 Bangs, 51.

Jerry Don Culpepper placed second in shotput and high jump to lead the junior Mountaineers. Gary Morris placed third in the 880 yard dash.

The Goldthwaite girls took the top trophy in that division Saturday. Runners-up were Bangs and Jim Ned.

The local track teams will be in Bangs this weekend with the junior high division to be held Friday and the high school events Saturday.

Santa Anna school officials termed the meets very successful. They expressed appreciation to the many people who assisted with the meet and to Mayor Thomas Wristen and city employees who helped prepare the track and grounds.

Bids Sought For Street Paving

The Santa Anna City Council met Thursday, March 4, for the monthly business session with Mayor Thomas Wristen presiding. All members of the group were present.

Minutes of the February meeting were read and approved, and bills and accounts were reviewed for payment.

The Community Block Grants were reviewed, and plans made for application for the second grant.

Plans were made to seek bids for the extensive paving project to be funded by the block grant. Under the project, streets in several parts of town will be paved or repaired.

Raymond Blake as chosen election judge for the April 3 election. Clerks for the election will be Mrs. Blake and Ellen Richards.

The next regular meeting of the City Council will be Thursday, April 8.

AUTO WRECK INJURES TWO

Two Santa Anna youths escaped serious injury in a one-vehicle accident Monday near Coleman. Karl Wagner, son of the late Jane Overby Wanger and Jody Yancy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Yancy, were in the vehicle that went out of control at the Coleman overpass and turned over several times.

Wagner, the driver of the auto, was treated and released following the accident. Yancy was hospitalized several days with cuts, abrasions and a leg injury.

The late model auto was reported to be completely demolished in the accident.

Four Candidates On School Trustee Ballot

Raymond Don Cupps was the fourth candidate to apply for a place on the April 3 School Board ballot. He filed for election on Wednesday of last week.

Cupps, a Santa Anna native, joined incumbents Felton Martin and Edwin Hipsher, and Jay Weathers on the ballot, with the two top candidates to be elected.

Mr. Cupps, the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Cupps, is a graduate of Santa Anna High School. He is employed with Santa Fe Railroad and makes his home in Santa Anna. He and his wife are parents of two sons, a first grade student and a pre-school child. They are members of Northside Baptist Church.

Rose Bass will be election judge; clerks will be Barbara Kingsbery and Lorene Rice. The election will be held at the Lions Club building.

School Board members with unexpired terms are Max Eubank, Joe Riley, Eddie Hartman, Sammie Powers and Glen Scarborough.

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The Consumer Alert



by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—Deceptive trade practices in the fields of art and antiques? Yes, indeed, say lawyers in our Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division. And recently, we've obtained court orders prohibiting misrepresentation, false advertising, and other violations of the Texas Deceptive Trade Practices-Consumer Protection Act in several cases involving art and antiques.

Generally, the cases our attorneys have worked on have not been the traditional "art forgery" or "fake antique" cases in which an individual has carefully crafted an item to make it appear to be an original by a known master painter or artisan.

Instead, they usually follow this pattern: an advertisement will appear in the local newspaper for a limited-time special sale (usually a one-day or one-weekend only sale) to be held at a local motel or hotel.

In one case, the advertisers claimed to be liquidating the contents of several out-of-state antique shops, plus antiques from the collection of an out-of-state couple.

Although the advertisement implied that the "special auction" was unique, our attorneys discovered that the seller had been traveling from city to city in Texas holding the same "auction."

Contrary to the ad, the merchandise to be auctioned was not all antiques, but included antique reproductions and new merchandise. In addition, our attorneys alleged, and the court agreed, that many of the "bids" at the event were "fake sales" bid at the highest price by employees of the seller in order to mislead persons attending into thinking the auction was valid.

The seller was not certified to do business in Texas, and the employees who were serving as "auctioneers" were not licensed, as required by a new State law. We were able to obtain restitution for some consumers, plus civil penalties for the State, in addition to requiring the defendants to issue retractions of any advertising placed in newspapers across the State.

Several art fraud cases follow the same general pattern. In one, a seller represented that paintings were "registered" by an international art registry, and that their "appraised value" had been determined by experts. Neither claim was true.

In another case currently in the courts, our lawyers have alleged that persons conducting a "special warehouse clearance art sale" did not have on hand the large number of low-priced art and related items advertised.

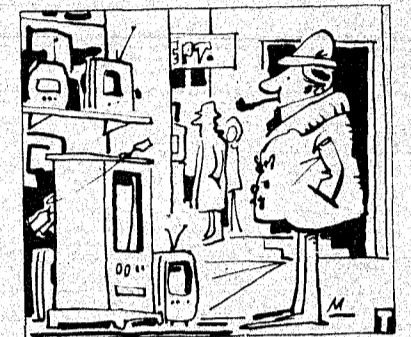
The "limited time" sale from motel or hotel rooms is a method frequently used by persons selling Oriental rugs, Indian jewelry, and other jewelry and gems. The average consumer may not be able to

VIDEO VIGNETTES



Safety And Economy Hints

Select a television carefully with an eye to crispness and sharpness of picture, pleasing color tones and lack of distortion. Experts at the Electronic Industries Association suggest you don't select by picture alone; turn the sound up to determine whether it is well balanced and pleasing, particularly in musical passages. Watching titles or commercials is a good test. Written matter should be crisp and easily legible.



As an aid to choosing the right sized set, it's a good idea to measure the distance you will sit from the set at home and stand at about that same distance in the store.

Operate your set only from a power source as indicated on the set or operating instructions. Check the fuse box or circuit breaker panel to be certain that the TV circuit fuse is not excessive. A 30 ampere fuse is excessive.


judge the quality of such items, and may learn only later when an expert appraises them that they were greatly overpriced. By then, it's usually too late to trace the seller, since he has moved on to another city or state.

If you're not knowledgeable in such fields, you should trade with a reputable, established merchant who won't leave town after a sale. Such persons may offer authentication of major art or antique purchases, may allow a "trial period" of the goods, or may even offer a money-back guarantee if an independent appraiser evaluates an item at lesser cost.

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S.A. Athletes To Aid Drive

Santa Anna High School and Junior High athletes will be taking part in a fund raising drive for the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults March 11-14.

Led by Coach Anthony Strother, the local athletes will be in the downtown area taking donations for the annual Texas Football Boys' Lily Day drive. Each donor will receive a small white plastic lily to be pinned on their lapel. Athletes conducting the drive will be identified with the official coin canister they will be carrying.

Bob Lilly, defensive tackle of the Dallas Cowboys football team, is serving as State Chairman for the special event. Athletes in over 500 high schools have been asked to help with the fund drive that last year provided treatment and services for over 20,000 physically disabled Texans.

WEEKEND VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Starr of Marble Falls visited in the home of their son, Nathan Starr, over the weekend. Also Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Ferguson of Menard were visitors with the Starrs.



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Club Projects Are Planned By SA Garden Club

The Mountain City Garden Club met Friday, March 5, in the home of Mrs. Elton McDonald for a business meeting and program. Mrs. Arthur Casey was co-hostess.

Mrs. Casey led the business session with club projects discussed. The club is replacing roses along the boulevard at City Cemetery, and an oak tree is to be planted at the Kate Mathews Park.

Also discussed is the spring flower show, with date and final plans pending.

Plans were made for the next meeting to be held Friday, April 2, at the Lions Club building. Slides of wildflowers and yard and gardens of club members will be shown, and the public is invited to attend the meeting. The program was planned in February but cancelled due to illness among club members.

Mrs. Hardy Blue and Mrs. Casey led the program on succulants.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee to the ones mentioned and also Mes. A. C. Sparks, Perl Swartz, Alma McNutt and J. C. Mathews.

HOSPITAL NEWS

The following patients were admitted to Ranger Park Hospital March 1-8:

Arthur Smith, Coleman
Doris Bennett, Coleman
Fred Davis, Coleman
Nola Hopper, Ranger Park Inn
Frances Barkemeyer, Coleman
Carmen Guerrero, Coleman
Winnie McGee, Coleman
Sharon Vaughn, city
Ursula Shelley, Coleman
George Stewardson, city
David Ponce, Carlsbad
Darrell Nowlin, San Angelo
Olin Christi, Coleman
Bertha Arthur, Ballinger

Patients dismissed March 1-8:

Ida Witt, Coleman
Herman Witt, Coleman
Bud Thomas, city
Cleo Croft, Coleman
Viola Fields, Coleman
Melvin Smith, Coleman
Carmen Rendon, city
Fern Woody, Cross Plains
Mary Miller, Valera
Homer Vinson, city
Vlema Vinson, city
George Glasson, Coleman
Judy Nolan, Coleman
Floyd Whiteley, Brownwood
Wade Moore, Coleman
Sally Brymer, Valera
Joe Frausto Jr., Fort Worth
Arthur Smith, Coleman
Doris Bennett, Coleman

Frances Barkemeyer, Coleman
Carmen Guerrero, Coleman
David Ponce, Carlsbad
Darrell Nowlin, San Angelo
Others still patients in the hospital March 8:
Lola White, Rising Star
Ollie Yarbrow, Hico
Katie Bluit, Coleman
Annie Taylor, Ranger Park Inn
Berena McNeely, Ranger Park Inn
Carl Greer, Bans
Minnie Greer, Bangs
Reba McCarrell, Abilene

BEVERLY DAY ON HONOR LIST

Beverly (Gilbreath) Day, a student at Central Texas Commercial College, has been named to the A Honor Roll at the school for the recent term. She is enrolled in the career secretarial course at the school.

Mrs. Day is a graduate of Santa Anna High School and was employed at Thornton's Department Store in Brownwood before enrolling in CTCC last November.



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Rockwood News

By Mrs. John Hunter

Mrs. Lois Haines of Austin spent Friday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes and visited friends in Santa Anna.

Mrs. Ann Bryan, of Fairbanks, Alaska, a former resident of Rockwood and mother Mrs. Fayette Woolly of Brownwood visited Linnie Box Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nevans of San Saba were Wednesday dinner guests of his sister, Mrs. John Hunter, Mrs. Jack McSwane visited Friday morning and Mrs. Carl Buttry was Friday dinner guest.

LeAnn Bryan, student in Tarleton University and Jack Boyd of Comanche spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Routh and David of Garland spent the weekend with Mrs. Lon Gray.

Mrs. Dock Skelton is ill in the Coleman Hospital was admitted Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry accompanied by Mrs. Tillie Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Sturgill and Christy of San Angelo spent Saturday night in Houston visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Halmon and family and attended

the Rodeo.

Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Deal were Joe C. Deal and Belinda and Hank Cannon of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. Deal were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Deal and family in Brownwood. Rolan Deal of Wall and Tonya Deal of Abilene visited Sunday afternoon. Tonya was enroute home from spending the weekend with her father at Wall.

Mrs. Marshall Campbell and Johnny Pat and Kathy of Fort Worth spent Friday to Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Claud Box, they all visited Saturday at Ranger Park Inn with Mrs. Tennie Campbell. Mrs. Lon Gray visited in Box home Sunday afternoon.

Charlie North and Shirley Bone of Abilene were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Vera Funk. Mr. North was speaker at the Shields Church of Christ at Sunday, Mrs. Funk and Mrs. Ida Jones attended Church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Freddie Polk of Salta Gap spent Thursday afternoon and night with the Junior Brusenhans and Mrs. Brusenhan accompanied her to San Angelo for an eye examination.

Mrs. Bob Mobley and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boy Johnson and Denise of Odessa came Friday night and Mrs. Mobley visited to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McSwain and the Johnsons visited in Santa Anna with her mother, Mrs. Rosa Henderson. Garland McSwain of Dallas spent Saturday morning to Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blake Williams visited the McSwains Saturday and Mrs. Jake McCreary, Sharon and Bobby Lee were Saturday supper guests. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Allen of Brady visited Saturday with Mr.

and Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Mrs. Andy McCarrell of Abilene, a former Rockwood resident, is in Ranger Park Hospital having undergone surgery.

Essay Entries Being Sought For Annual REA

An all-expense paid rural Electric Youth Tour trip to the Nation's capital will be awarded to 2 winners of an essay writing contest sponsored by the Coleman County Electric Cooperative. The contest was announced this week by Mr. C. L. Newton, manager of the Cooperative.

All high school juniors in the area served by Coleman County Electric Cooperative are eligible to enter the contest. Winners will join winners of similar contests sponsored by other electric cooperatives across Texas. All expenses of the 12-day trip, beginning June 10, will be paid by the Coleman County Electric Cooperative.

Contest entrants will be required to submit a 500 word essay on the subject "Happy Birthday America." The essays will be judged on knowledge of the subject-40 percent; originality-30 percent; composition-10 percent; neatness-10 percent; and grammar 10 percent.

Deadline for submitting entries will be April 30, 1976. All participants are asked to be signed up with application blanks filled out by March 31, 1976.

As participants in the Coleman County Electric Youth Tour, local contest winners will travel by chartered bus to Washington, D.C. where they will spend time visiting the places of historical interest and seeing the Nation's "Government in Action."



FULL HOUSE....J. Y. Brannon helps corral four baby goats, born Monday, March 1, to the four-year old nanny shown at back. The goats belong to the M. D. Baker family, and are the first quadruplets raised by the Bakers. The four kids are hale and hearty, with the aid of bottle feedings to supplement their mother's milk.

Senator Tower To Be Speaker At Coleman Fete

Santa Anna people are invited to attend the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet in Coleman March 20. The annual event will be held at the National Guard Armory.

Senator John Tower will be guest speaker for the meeting.

Tickets for the banquet and program will be on sale at the Coleman Chamber of Commerce office in a few days, according to Mark Griffis, C of C manager.

Mrs. Gwen Zable To Be Honored

Mrs. Gwen Zabel of Snyder, formerly of Santa Anna, will be honored with a pink and blue shower Tuesday, March 16, in the home of Mrs. O. C. Yancy in Santa Anna. The party will be from 4 to 6 p.m. and all friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Hostesses for the party will be Susan Valdez, Mary Densman, Sharon Guthrie and Mrs. Yancy.

Mary Densman Elected Prexy Of S-Anna FHA

At a recent meeting of the Santa Anna Future Homemakers of America chapter Mary Densman was elected president for the coming year. Mary, a junior student, is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yancy.

Chosen for vice presidents of the organization were Karen Gordon, Elaine Newman, Sandi Hipsher and Sherry Scarborough. Robin Smith was named recording and corresponding secretary; and Thonda Rhoades was elected treasurer.

Other officers for the coming year will be Kim Bray, parliamentarian; Terry Kilcrease, historian; Kim Stewardson, sergeant-at-arms; and Mary Rendon, pianist.

The new officers will be installed in May and will serve during the 1976-77 school year.

The Tuesday, March 2, meeting was attended by 17 members and the advisor, Mrs. Winnie McQueen.

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ATTEND COUNCIL

Elder Melvin Justin attended a Ministerial Council in San Antonio Sunday. Practically all the pastors in the Texas Seventh-day Adventist churches attended this session.

The pastor was accompanied by his family and Miss Sarah Barnetzke.

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Legal Program Will Be Given At YHT Meeting

Eddie Gose, a Coleman attorney, will be guest speaker at the Thursday, March 11, meeting of Young Homemakers. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. at the Homemaking Cottage.

A baby sitter will be provided during the meeting, and everyone in the community is invited to attend. Mrs. Jerry Horner will preside during the business session at the close of the program.

More Donations To SA Cemetery

Several donations have been made to the Santa Anna Cemetery Association in memory of two recently deceased citizens.

Donations in memory of the late Ross Kelley have been made by Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Weaver of Dallas, Ross Kelley Boy Scout Troop, Farmer, and Mr. and Mrs. James B. Reber of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver and Mr. and Mrs. Reber also made donations in memory of the late Mrs. Dennis Kelley.

Reagan Supporters To Meet Monday

Supporters of Ronald Reagan for president will meet in the Coleman Bank Small Club Room Monday, March 15 at 8:00 p.m., it was announced this week.

Three elected delegates will be present, and all interested parties are invited.

Local Ladies Attend Meeting Held in Cisco

Mrs. C. D. Bruce and Mrs. J. W. Haynes were in Cisco Saturday to attend the annual meeting of the Heart of Texas District, Federation of Women's Clubs. The two ladies were representing the Self Culture Club at the meeting.

Highlights of the meeting included a panel discussion on crime prevention and law enforcement by area authorities and a performance of the Cisco Junior College band and Wrangler Belles drill team.

Baptist Women Meet at R-Wood

The Women of the Rockwood Baptist Church met at the Church Monday afternoon in a Week of Prayer program, topic discussed was "New Birth of Freedom" directed by Mrs. Junior Brusenhan. Participating were Mes. Lon Gray, Bill Bryan, Wayne Bray, Howard Pearson, R. W. Emerson, Walter Yancy, and R. J. Deal.

Mrs. Bryan conducted the business session. A card of sympathy was sent to Ms. Grady Laws, because of the death of her mother.

Dismissal prayer was given by Mrs. Bray.

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Whon. News

By Mrs. Tom Rutherford



Just a reminder that it is almost time for the Whon Picnic again. It is always the first Saturday in April, which will be April 3rd. It will be carried on as usual expecting to see everyone again this year, and wishing for visitors.

Since my accident and I am unable to write weekly news, we plan to use this weekly as a reminder that we are having the Whon Picnic. We extend to everyone a special invitation, hoping to see you April 3, 1976.

Work Progressing On Post Office

Work is progressing well on the new Santa Anna Post Office building. The masonry walls are being constructed, and work is continuing on the parking of and adjoining area.

Thomas M. Hays is contractor for the new building located at the corner of North First and Avenue B, just behind Bailey Lumber and Supply. Work is expected to be completed by early summer.

VISIT WITH DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. George Blount spent the past weekend in Fayetteville, Ark. with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Cahoon and Travis. They also visited with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Savage and family.

CORRECTION

The wedding date of Miss Bobbie Gail Harrel and Larry Clinton Laws was given incorrectly in the last issue of the NEWS. The couple will be married Saturday, April 24, not on April 22.

CONFETTI CARROTS

3 cups Texas carrots,
sliced
1-1/2 Tbsp. butter
1 bunch green onions,
diced
1 (4 oz.) jar stuffed green
olives, sliced

Slice carrots approximately 4 inches thick. Partially cook in a small amount of water. In a 10-inch skillet melt butter. Add green onions and olives; cook until onions are transparent. Combine cooked carrots with onion mixture. Yield: 6 servings.

MARTHA GROUP HAS MEETING

Mrs. Roy Horne and Miss Xuma Myers were hostesses for the Monday, March 8, meeting of the Martha UMW group of United Methodist Church. The meeting was held at the church annex.

Mrs. Hardy Blue was leader of the program entitled "Health is You." Among those on the program were Mes. Joe Baker and W. B. Griffin and Misses E. Lee and Ruby Harper.

Mrs. George Stewardson presided at the business session. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served. St. Patrick's Day motif was used in decorations and refreshments.

The next meeting of the group will be April 12.

SWEET POTATO HONEY BALLS

2-1/2 cups Texas sweet potatoes
1/4 tsp. salt
Dash of pepper
2 Tbsp. butter or margarine
1/2 cup miniature marshmallows
2 Tbsp. butter or margarine
1/2 cup honey
1 cup pecans, chopped

Cook and mash sweet potatoes. Combine potatoes with salt, pepper and 2 Tbsp. butter. Stir in marshmallows and chill. Shape into balls using 1/4 cup potato mixture for each. In small, heavy skillet combine 2 Tbsp. butter and 1/2 cup honey. Add potato balls one at a time. Using two forks to make handling easier, coat each potato ball with glaze. Roll potato balls in chopped pecans. Place in greased shallow baking dish. Drizzle with remaining butter. Bake at 350 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes. Yield: 10 servings.

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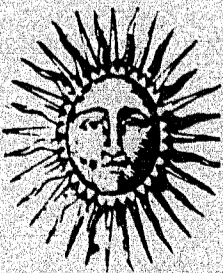
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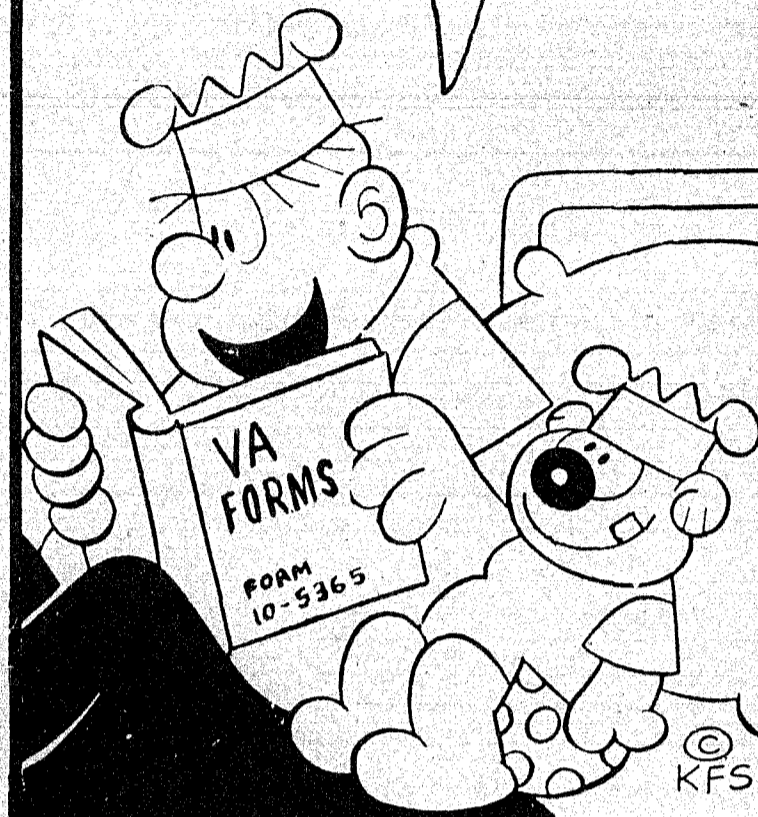
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Cleveland News

By Clara Cupps

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Williams of Oklahoma sent a donation to the Cleveland Cemetery fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baugh visited in Bangs with Mrs. Mae Flores Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Copeland of Brownwood and children visited the C. C. Goulds Sr. of the Cleveland Community. Also Mrs. Edna Hunter of Brownwood and the C. C. Goulds Jr. and son visited Sunday afternoon.

Dorothy Brandt visited Ruth Hibbetts Wednesday morning. She also asked about Sydney Cupps.

Grace Ellis visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ellis and Tammy Saturday evening.

Sydney Cupps was in the Abilene hospital again from Wednesday until Saturday. She returned home with her family

and is doing well now. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leonard of Coleman were dinner guests of the Darrel Cupps and children Sunday. Also Richard Wells visited.

Ovella and Hazel Jean and Joy Gillispie of Clyde were at Abilene Wednesday to be with her, and the Darrel Cupps were there when Sydney had her operation.

Verdie Lou, Margie, Donna and Phyllis Rasberry attended the funeral of little Kelly Webb. He was the grandson of the McDanie family of Carbon. He was also the great-grandson of Mrs. Beulah Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morrow and children of Paluxy spent the day Saturday with the John Howards. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Elgene Gilliam of Abilene visited. Dale Gilliam and his girl friend

and the Weldon Priests visited later in the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Howard and children of Zephyr visited Sunday evening in the Howard home, also Bessie Parish. Mrs. Weldon Priest and Ruby visited Arties Magill in Bangs Rest Home Friday.

Thelma Fleming's visitors during the week were Mrs. Beulah Fleming Margie and Virgie Lou, Miller D., Clara, Peggy Sikes, Rodney, Randy, Ivy and Iris Sikes. Others were Grandad, Annie Laura York, Virgil, Ovella, Hazel Jean and Russell.

Charlie Fleming and Peggy Sikes attended the funeral of Kelly Webb at Gorman Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Herring, Peter Lance and Jeffery of Coleman, Kenneth Herring and Max of Odessa visited during the weekend with the Casey Herrings. Ovella, Hazel Jean and Russell also visited Friday.

Carl Mathews, Minnie Caloway and Elouise from Dallas visited the John Perrys Sunday. Amanda Perry visited Mrs. Roy Bledsoe of Coleman Monday. Camilla called on Amanda Saturday afternoon, and Bernice Batrles.

Eppie Lowry and Gladys Haynes visited Iona Moore Tuesday morning.

Zelda Walker spent the day Thursday with Byrdie Miller.

Tennie Campbell's visitors for the week were Mavis Campbell, Pat and a friend of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Campbell. Sud there were others. I dropped in Sunday morning. She was asleep. I also dropped in to see Mrs. Ben Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wise visited in Abilene with their children, the Chles Taylors, a couple of days. The grandchildren returned home with them for the weekend. Gladys Haynes spent the

weekend in Wichita Falls with the Raymond Haynes family.

Winnie Haynes visited Ethel Mathews Wednesday. Annie Laura York also visited Winnie Friday.

For our weather: It sure did try to rain. We got a little, not much.

Social Security Representative Visit S-Anna

Don Austin, a long-time Social Security representative for the Coleman County area, is now office manager of the Brownwood Social Security office. Coleman County has been changed and is now under the supervision of the Brownwood office. Mr. Austin was with the Abilene office for many years and in San Angelo for several months before being named to the current post.

For the convenience of local people, a Social Security representative will continue to be in Santa Anna twice monthly, meeting with patrons at the Mountain City Center at 9 a.m. the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. Sharon Ford, an employee of the Brownwood office, will be the representative here each month. The office will also have a representative in Coleman from 9 a.m. to 12 noon each Monday and Tuesday.

The Brownwood office is located at 300 North Main, and Mr. Austin will welcome visitors or inquiries there at any time.

VISITING IN IRVING

Mrs. Vernon Rowe is spending several days in Irving with her son, Byron Rowe and family. Byron had extensive knee surgery recently and is getting along well.



ELDER BEN LEACH Re-elected by Adventists

SDA Conference Names Leaders For Five Years

The Southwestern Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists, with headquarters in Richardson, recently held their constituency meeting in Oklahoma City electing, or re-electing, officers for the ensuing five-year period.

Elder Ben Leach, who has been president of the organization for nine years, was unanimously re-elected for the coming five year period. Elder V. L. Robertson was re-elected treasurer.

The territory covered by the Southwestern Union comprise Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and New Mexico, taking in about 250 organized churches. Santa Anna-Coleman church is one of these.

Youth Events Planned By FBC Friday, Sunday

Activities for youth of First Baptist Church and their friends have been planned this week.

Friday evening, March 12, young people will go to Jones Chapel Baptist Church near Brownwood to attend "Youth Night" at the revival there. Leigh Rocke, a widely-known music evangelist, will be leading the service designed for the young people. The local group will leave Santa Anna at 6 p.m. by bus and return following the service and fellowship.

Sunday, March 14, has been named "Kite Day" at the church. All children in the community are invited to take part in the activities. Those attending Sunday School and Church will be given a kite and string and during the afternoon men of the church will supervise kite flying. Those wishing to do so may stay at the church for a hotdog lunch immediately following the morning service.

All children in the community are invited to take part in the event.



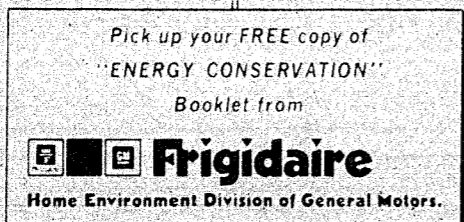
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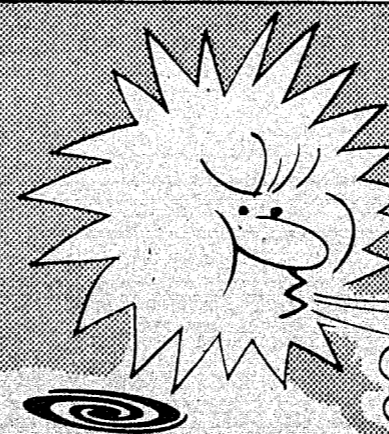
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Ranger Park Inn News

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Three residents of the Inn are patients in the hospital this week. They are Mrs. Berena McNeely, Mrs. Annie Taylor and Mrs. Nola Hopper. Mrs. Hopper broke her hip in a fall Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Georgia Hughes, director of nurses, and Mrs. Nelda Fellers, acting activity director, were in Stephenville last week attending a seminar at Tarleton State University. The program included nursing home programs and was held Friday and Saturday.

Ruth and Earl Irick of Brownwood visited with their aunt, Mary McCorkle Sunday.

Esther Stacy was a visitor of Bertha Simmons.

Visitors of Orvel Croft were a brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elder of Coleman.

Those visiting with Jerry Taylor were his children and grandchildren, Mrs. W. A. Stevens of Coleman, Fae Kittel of San Gabriel, California, Hazel Day and Bob Taylor of El Monte, Cal. and Thomas Taylor of Amarillo.

Doris Shirley of Midland and Charlyne Duncan of Little Rock, Calif. visited with their father, C. H. Good, during the weekend.

Dena and Lance Rasch of Brownwood visited with their great-grandmother, Mrs. Tennie Campbell, during the weekend.

Those visiting Callie Watkins were her cousins, Ella Mae Bailey and Wilma J. Bailey of Coleman, and a friend, H. T. Thompson.

Mrs. Cody Mathews visited at the Inn with several friends, Mary McCorkle, Mrs. Tennie Campbell and others.

Ministers of the different churches in the community come to the Inn each morning to lead the devotional period. Sunday morning services are led by Sunday School classes of First Baptist Church, and members of the Northside Baptist Church and their pastor are on hand for afternoon services. Other groups in the community lead special services during the week.

City Policeman Takes Training

City Policeman Michael Sheedy was in Anson five days last week attending a special fingerprint classification school. The training session was held in cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation and sponsored by the West Central Texas Law Enforcement Academy.

Sheedy is working toward certification as a law enforcement officer and will attend the basic law enforcement training school in Abilene later this spring.

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Poe, postmistress, and George Green. The picture is from the collection of Gwendolyn Walker whose mother, the late Jennie Boyd Oakes, was a clerk at the post office from 1907 to 1909.

Three Sisters Building Home

Another new home is under construction in Santa Anna. A three-bedroom home is being built on South Sant Fe Str. by three sisters, Mrs. Cliff Meadows, Mrs. Paul Arnold and Mrs. Mark Herring, who have moved here recently from Harlingen. The three are former Santa Anna residents, daughters of the late Mrs. Carolina Mills and sisters of the late Frank Mills.

The home is on the Arnold lot, with the old house at the site to be used as a storage building.

The three ladies came to Santa Anna this fall and are living at the former Kate Garrett house on North First Street while the new home is being built. Preston Davis of Coleman is contractor.

Relays Report Is Given For SA Lions Club

Jerry Allen was in charge of the program at the Tuesday meeting of the Lions Club. He gave a report of the weekend track meets and expressed appreciation to those who helped during the two days.

Elgean Harris gave a report of the Fire Department fund raising drive, and told of the projects underway.

Mayor Thomas Wristen reported on the status of the new highway between Santa Anna and Bangs, stating that it will not be built any time soon due to lack of State Highway funds.

Visitors at the meeting were A. G. Weaver of Dallas, a guest of Ford Barnes, and Joe Dan LeMay of Coleman a guest of Thomas Wristen.

LYNDON WELLS IS PROMOTED

James Lyndon Wells, son of Mrs. Jim Wells and the late Mr. Wells, has been promoted to the rank of E-4 with the U. S. Army. He is currently stationed at Fort Hood with the 2nd Armored Division, Company C, 2nd Btn.

Pvt. Wells will be going to Germany April 13 for a six-month tour of duty. He is a veteran of the Viet Nam War and served in the National Guard following his discharge. He re-enlisted in the Army last year and has been stationed at Fort Hood since that time.

BACK TO TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. George Gehring and Allison of Brandon, Florida are spending this week in Texas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Allison, and in San Angelo where they are purchasing a home and making arrangements for their move back to Texas.

The Gehrings have been in Florida the past three years and are being transferred back to the San Angelo office of General Telephone Co. where he is employed.

Weekend visitors in the Allison home were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kiesling and baby of Eden.

Other recent visitors have been the Allisons' nephews, Duane and Jeannie Carlton of Jennings, La. and Luther and Elaine Carlton of Cameron.

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Trickham News

By Mrs. Oscar Boenicke



Rev. Travis Gibson, the Baptist minister, did not preach here. He had the flu. Next Sunday Rev. Richard Chaffin, the Methodist minister, will preach at 10 a.m. Sunday morning, and Sunday night the second Sunday night singing will be at 7 p.m. We hope to have some good singers here like we did last month.

We want to thank everyone that helped on our Project improving the Cemetery Association and community center, but we need more money to finish it. We ran into more expense on account of two gas leaks under the house. It was changed and put on the outside of the house and took more pipe and work to fix it. All this has been done by donations.

Visitors with the Walter Stacys during the weekend were Tavy Marie and Bill Heidbrier and Don and Barbara Parker and son from Fort Worth, O. T. and Sue Stacy of Abilene spent the day Saturday, and Marjorie Sullivan of San Antonio came Saturday and stayed until Sunday evening. They all had a nice visit together. Other visitors were Annie Lou Vaughn and Oscar and Mary Boenicke.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pearce and

Dick of El Paso visited Annie Lou Vaughn all day Saturday, Rodney Guthrie spent the weekend with her, and Saturday evening Annie Lou and Rodney visited Mary Ola and Elmer Woods at Bangs late.

Bro. Anthony Thibodeaux and wife were dinner guests with the Oscar Boenickes Sunday.

Pat McShan Jr. and Dan Daniell of Brownwood spent the weekend with Russie James, and Sunday Roberta and Pat McShan and Cindy and Lyndall and Marvin Moore all had dinner with them. They were all celebrating Roberta's birthday. Annie Lou Vaughn had supper with Russie Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnson of Odessa and Mrs. Rosa Henderson of Santa Anna visited the Hilburn Hendersons Saturday night.

Mr. S. M. Fellers spent the weekend with his children in Fort Worth, and his wife spent the weekend with her daughter, Allene Whitley and family at Brownwood.

Wendell and Sherry Rice and boys of Santa Anna visited the Bond Featherstons and had supper with them Sunday night.

Visitors with Oma Lee Dockery

last week were J. S. Martin, Robert and Ann See of Coleman, Inez Guthrie, Ilene Haynes, John Dockery, Willard Allen, and Ray and Barbara Dockery and children. Sunday visitors for dinner were O. J. Martin Ora and Joe Stacy, Annie Lou Vaughn and Rodney Guthrie.

Sunday evening O. J. Martin, Oma Lee and Ora talked to Herman Martin and wife over the phone. We are glad to hear he is improving after having a leg broken. They live at Garland.

Mrs. G. K. Stearns and her mother, Mrs. May Sharp of Santa Anna, went to visit the Sherman Stearns family at McGregor Saturday.

Visitors with the Fred Haynes were Zella Walker of Bangs and Byrdie Miller of Santa Anna who visited Wednesday afternoon, and they all visited Minnie Wilson. Lois and Frank Wallace and Billy of Palmer and Billy Haynes were home over the weekend. G. K. and Sug Stearns visited Sunday afternoon.

Ruby (Mullis) Wooley, 63, of Brookesmith died in the Brownwood Community Hospital Monday morning after a long illness. Her funeral was Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. in the Davis Morris Funeral Home in Brownwood. Burial in the Trickham Cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, H. B. Wooley of Brookesmith; one son, Jack Wooley of Forsan; two granddaughters, Mrs. Kay Johnson and Mrs. Karen Croft, both of Big Spring; and a host of friends and cousins.

We did get some rain over the weekend, one third of an inch which settled the dust and will fresh up things. We are thankful for it all and hope to get more soon.

The Quilting Club meets again this Tuesday evening. We are having good attendance lately.

Softball Team To Organize

Interest has been expressed in organizing a ladies softball team, and women of the community interested in playing with the team are needed. At least 12 are needed to organize a team.

Glenda Barnett and Alice Garza are hoping to organize a team for the summer season, and any woman 17 or above is welcome to join the group. Those interested should contact the two as soon as possible. Phone numbers for Mrs. Barnett and Mrs. Garza are 348-3582 and 348-3848.

AROUND TOWN CALENDAR of Community Events

- Thurs. Mar. 11: City Library open, 3-5 p.m. Young Homemakers, Homemaking Cottage, 7 p.m. Easter Seal Drive Through Sunday Downtown
- Fri. Mar. 12: JHS Track Meet, At Bangs Baptist Youth Group to Jones Chapel, Leave FBC, 6 p.m.
- Sat. Mar. 13: SAHS Track teams to Bangs Relays
- Sun. Mar. 14: ATTEND CHURCH Kids Kite Day, 1st Baptist Church Gospel Singing Trickham Union Church, 7 p.m.
- Mon. Mar. 15: AARP Meeting, Bangs Community Center, 13 noon Share and Study Group Methodist Church 7 p.m.
- Tues. Mar. 16: Men's Prayer Breakfast, Methodist Annex, 6 a.m. Lions Club, Lions Building 12 noon
- Wed., Mar. 17: Mid week service at First Baptist Church, 6 p.m. Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Methodist Youth Center, 8 p.m.

Coleman Woman Rites Held For Gives Review Mrs. C.A. White At Circle Meet on Wednesday

The Nitia Daniell Group of United Methodist Church met Wednesday, March 3, at the church annex. Mrs. Harry Crews and Ms. James A. Harris were program leaders with Mrs. Crews leading the devotion.

Mrs. Richard Chaffin sang a solo accompanied by Rev. Chaffin at the piano.

Lena Scott of Coleman, guest speaker, was introduced by Mrs. Crews. She reviewed the book "The Dwarf Pine".

Mrs. Cliff Herndon led the business session. Mrs. Chaffin gave the treasurer's report and Mrs. Crews read correspondence to the group and gave reports on members and friends who are ill. A committee was appointed to secure gifts.

Following the meeting refreshments of sandwiches, cake, lemonade and coffee were served by Mrs. Glen Pope and Mrs. N. C. Watson, hostesses. Those present were the ones mentioned and also Mmes. Rob Cheaney, Jerry Allen and Jennifer, Basil Gilmore, Norval Wylie, Henry Newman, Opal Little, V. I. Dean, Chester Galloway, and Miss Pauline Eubank. Visitors present were Mrs. Mae McDonald and Theatus LeMay.

Funeral services were held in Farwell Wednesday March 10, for Mrs. C. A. White, formerly of Santa Anna, who died in a Roswell, N. M. hospital Monday, March 8. Mrs. White suffered a stroke while visiting her family in Roswell and had been hospitalized there for several weeks.

The former Edith Wood was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wood, moving here with the family in 1905. She attended school here and married Claude White at Santa Anna. They moved to Farwell in 1917. He preceded her in death.

Survivors are two daughters of New Mexico; two sisters, Mrs. Millie Walker of Mesa, Ariz. and Mrs. Pierre Rowe of Santa Anna; one brother, Roy Wood of Fort Worth; and five grandchildren.

Program planned For PTO Meeting

The Santa Anna Parent Teacher Organization will meet one week from tonight, Thursday March 18, at the school cafeteria. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. with a program presented by the second grade class of Mrs. Donnie Neff and the third grade class of Mrs. Ken Bowker. The program will include square dancing and traditional Mexican dances by children of the two classes.

Ms. Richard Chaffin will lead the business session, and parents of all school children are urged to attend.

AARP Meeting Set on Monday

The Santa Anna-Bangs chapter, American Association of Retired Persons will meet Monday, March 15, at the Bangs Community Center.

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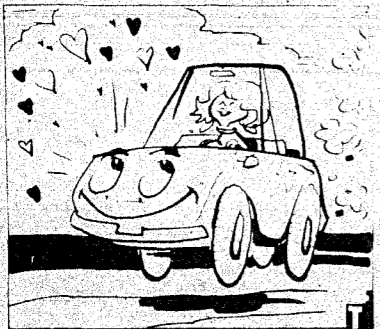
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For a free booklet on proper cooling system care send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Zerex Antifreeze, PPG Industries, 10 North, One Gateway Center, Pittsburgh, Pa. 15222.



If you make butter the first ingredient on sandwiches, it will add to the moisture and flavor and help keep the filling from soaking into the bread.



LODGE MEETING

Mountain Lodge
No. 661 AF & AM

will meet on Third Thursday each month at 7:30 p.m. Visitors are welcome. W. M. Price, Worshipful Master and Raymond W. Balke, Secretary.

**CARD OF THANKS
IN MEMORY OF CLARENCE
BAKER**

He was such a good Christian boy, loved his Lord and the First Christian Church which he attended each Sunday morning. He was there to do whatever he found to do each Sunday. He loved the Bible he had received for good attendance and always brought it with him each Sunday and enjoyed looking up scripture each Sunday in class.

His parents had the Bible buried with him; they said it was part of him.

He was baptised last Easter morning and was a happy Christian. His death was a shock to us all. He is gone from us but his memory will be with us. He was one the most faithful members of my Sunday School class, and there for the church service each Sunday also.

His Sunday School Teacher
Mrs. Oscar Boenicke

10-nc

FOR SALE—1975 Pinto. Steel radial tires; 12,000 miles. Jay Weathers, 348-3277.

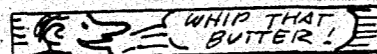
10-3tc

Homeworkers needed in this area to lace leather goods at home. Earn \$150 per week. No experience necessary. Send \$1.00 (refundable) and long stamped envelope to: Cumberland Leather Craft, 1516 Magic View Dr., Kingsport, Tn. 37660.

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When shag rugs become limp from too many washings, lay them on a flat surface right side down, brush strong liquid starch over the entire backing and let dry.



When using whipped butter in place of regular butter in recipes, use 1/3 to 1/2 more than the recipe calls for.

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Political Calendar

The following have authorized the NEWS to announce their candidacy for the offices listed subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 1, 1976:

FOR SHERIFF
Rondoe Horton
H. F. Fenton
John B. Elliott

9-4tc

FOR TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

Billie Baker

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

Wallace E. Dings
Joe Dan LeMay

9-4tc

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

E. E. McKinney
Jake Hausenfluke

Barbara Freeman

9-3tc

FOR U.S. REPRESENTATIVE

W. R. (Bob) Poage

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Cullen N. Perry

FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 1
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FOR SALE: 12' x 65' mobile home. Central air and heat. Custom drapes, carpeted throughout. \$5,800.00 Phone 348-2495.

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5-tfc

FOR SALE—New and used tillers, 5.6 and 8 horsepower. Western Auto Coleman, Texas. Phone 625-5351.

9-2tc

WANTED—Live caught raccoon-fox-bobcat-other, (All sizes) Located 5 miles east of Bangs to Brownwood (First pavement to right-follows signs) Open Monday-Wednesday-Friday. Stanley Critters.

Let us give your housedog or yarddog his spring clip, bath, dip for fleas, ticks. Complete clean up. Stanley Critters. 915-646-1739. Bring this clipping and receive a dollar off during month of March, 1976.

9-4tc

FOR SALE—Two bedroom home in nice neighborhood. 1705 Avenue B. \$7,500 or make offer.

9-4tp

FLEA MARKET March 21. Stanley Critters-Seller-Dealers-Buyers Welcome. 5 miles OLD Bangs-Brownwood Road.

9-3tc

FOR SALE—Used TVs Refrigerators, Stoves, Washers and Freezers. BUY ON TERMS TOSUIT YOU. Geo. D. Rhone Co., Coleman Texas.

31-tfc

FOR SALE—All-Steel truck bed, 8 x 12 foot with 14 inch steel sideboards. May be seen behind Fire Station. Bids will be opened Monday, April 5. Rights reserved to reject any or all bids. Santa Anna Fire Department, Box 711, Santa Anna, Texas.

8-5tc

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THE TURQUOISE SHOP, 213 West Pecan, Coleman, 625-5317. Indian Jewelry, Rings, Bracelets, Tie Tacs, Earrings, Belt Buckles, etc. 25 percent off, or more.

7-5tc

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our appreciation for the kindnesses shown us at the death of our son. We are so grateful for the food, flowers, visits and donations made following his tragic accident. Your words of sympathy and expressions of concern have helped make our sorrow easier to bear.

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10-1tp

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56 Years Ago In The NEWS

The following stories are from the January 1920 issue of the NEWS:

The wedding of Miss and Mr. which took place on Tuesday evening Jan. 27, was one of the most interesting, brilliant and notable weddings of the season.

The event moved with beautiful precision from the very first throb of the musical program, evenly timed into the processional. Miss Sara Ramsauer was at the piano and her skilled fingers played throughout the ceremony. The ring ceremony was used in its most unique and beautiful manner.

The wedding theme was carried out elaborately throughout the church. The charm of the decoration was the green fern foliage gemmed with brilliant budding flowers, laying the on coming path of Spring, which means happiness, before them.

The wedding is the culmination of a pretty little romance. One interesting feature of the romance is that they are the identical same age. The bride is one of the most charming, as well as one of the best known young ladies in town. She possesses wonderful personality and poise and is a very intellectual and capable woman.

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FOR SALE—a few pair of ladie's (sic) fleece lined union suits a real bargain at \$1.50 each, while they last. H. Shapiro.

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FOR SALE—214 acres at \$40 acre, if bought in 10 days, about \$2,800 cash, balance 37 years, 8 per cent, oil lease \$321 6 mi. southwest of Santa Anna. Quarter mile from school.

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STREET TAX NOTICE: Chapter 16 of the Civil Ordinance of the city of Santa Anna provides that all male persons between the ages of 21 and 45 years residing in the City of Santa Anna are liable and it is thereby made their duty to work the streets and alleys of said city, not to exceed five days in any one calendar year.

This applies to all persons not exempt by state law from road service.

Under the law, each person is granted the privilege of paying \$3 to the City Secretary on or before the first day of April as road tax and said person should be exempt from road duty for the period of one year.

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The congregation of the Christian Church have called A. C. Tull of Fort Worth as their pastor. He will preach at their church on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month.

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Aunt Joe Akes, the colored mammy that has been sick, passed away last week. Aunt Joe was well known throughout the county and had numerous friends that mourn her death.

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According to a report by H. J. Parker, manager of the Parker Sand Co. of Santa Anna, that city lies in a very rich deposit of

material suitable for the development of almost any kind of rock products industry.

The top of the Santa Anna Mountains are covered with a layer of limestone from 14 to 20 ft. thick which is suitable for the production of building stone, crushed stone, lime or the manufacture of cement.

It is believed that the town of Santa Anna would make a good site for a glass factory because of the closeness of high grade silica sand on the mountain.

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The new brick residence of Dr. Sealey is nearing completion.

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B. E. Wester is overhauling the building preparatory to opening up a modern and up-to-date cafe and dining room. Later on he expects to have the rooms over the cafe, remodeled and turned into rooming house. Mr. Wester is putting in some very classy furniture.

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W. L. Hunter, better known as "Butch" Hunter, makes the announcement that he will retire from the market on Jan. 1, 1920. Turning the business over to his sons, Roger and Lee Hunter.

"Butch" Hunter came to Santa Anna and went into the market business in the fall of 1886, and has been constantly on the job for 34 years.

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Public weigher J. E. Watkins announced that he had weighed 9000 bales of cotton up to January 1st.

There are now 3400 bales on the yard unsold—being held for better prices. There is about 125 bales of cotton coming in every day and most of this is being

carried home or left at the yard unsold.

Most of the farmers are out of debt, and have a nice bank account. This speaks good for Coleman county progressive farmers.

GOOD PSYCHOLOGY



SMOKERS WHO ARE TRYING TO QUIT, PSYCHOLOGISTS SAY, SHOULD TRY TO FIND SOME SUBSTITUTE FOR THEIR HABIT. ONE MIGHT BE DRINKING CUPS OF HOT TEA. IT PROVIDES A GENTLE BOOST TO YOUR MOOD, YET IT WON'T ADD UNWANTED CALORIES TO YOUR DIET.

PECAN CRUST

¼ cup pecans, finely chopped
1-½ cup graham cracker crumbs
½ cup sugar
½ cup butter

Combine pecans, graham cracker crumbs and sugar in pie pan. Melt butter and add to crumb mixture. Press on bottom and sides of pie pan.

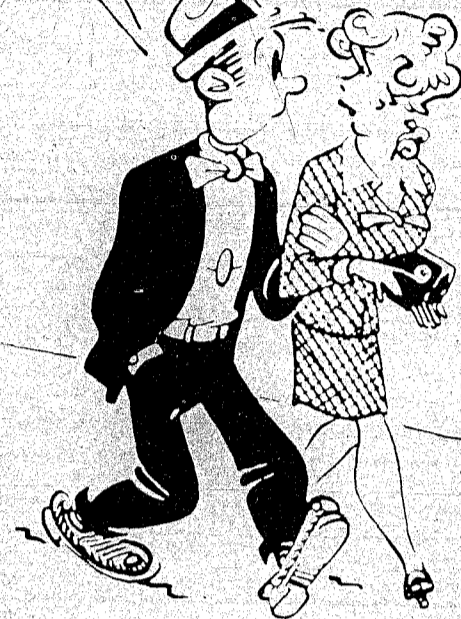
MERINGUE

3 egg whites
½ tsp. vanilla
¼ tsp. cream of tartar
6 Tbsp. sugar

Beat whites with vanilla and cream of tartar until soft peaks form. Gradually add sugar. Beat until stiff, glossy peaks form and all of the sugar is dissolved. Spread meringue over pie, sealing to edge of pastry. Bake at 350 degrees for 12 minutes or until meringue is golden.

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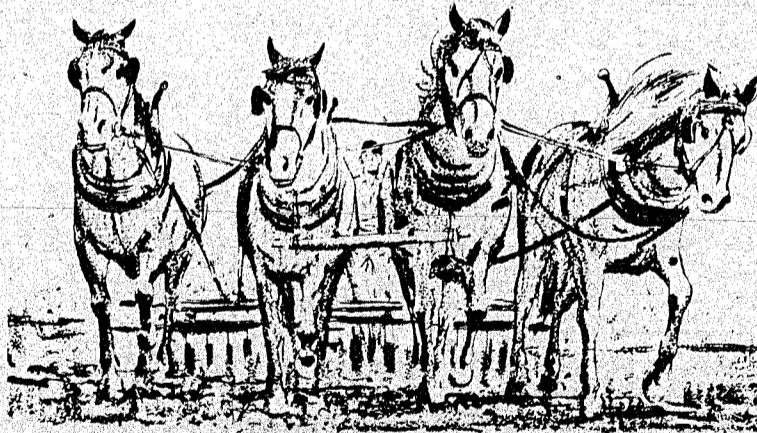
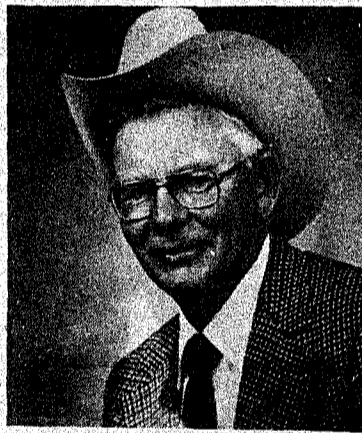
Contact the nearest VA office (check your phone book) or write: Veterans Administration, 271A1; 810 Vt. Ave. N.W.; Wash., D.C. 20420

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