

Lions Club Resets "Ladies Night" For June 14

Santa Anna Lions Club met Tuesday for its regular noon dinner and a quiet business session. Attendance was small this week with only 17 present. Thomas Wristen, club president, presided.

Business transacted included re-scheduling of "Ladies Night" from Thursday night of this week to Tuesday night, June 14. Also the site was moved to the educational building of the Methodist Church. Postponement of the occasion was due to the Chamber of Commerce All-County Annual Meeting in Coleman where Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives Ben Barnes is scheduled to speak. A number of local Lions announced plans to attend this meeting.

Beth Irick Scores First in Discus At State Track Meet

Beth Irick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Irick, Jr., of Santa Anna and a junior at Santa Anna High School won first place in the recent state girls track and field meet held in Waco, sailing the discus 109 feet 10 inches.

Her throw was the best in both A and B divisions of the meet. The title was the second for Miss Irick, who won the same event last season.

She also won a third place medal for putting the shot 34 feet, 9 3/4 inches. She was competing against entries from 96 schools.

In addition to her victories in state competition, Miss Irick letyted in basketball, tennis and volley ball.

Jim See Wins Award For Highest Average

Jim See, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dawson See, has been awarded the Phillips Cup for the highest junior high average for the year. See's average was 96 plus.

Hand punches at the News office.

Local Delegates to Attend Historic Methodist Meet

The State of Texas and Texas Methodism will have an unusual experience June 6-9 when all the Methodist Annual Conferences of Texas will meet at Southern Methodist University in celebration of 200 years of American Methodism, 100th anniversary of the Northwest, Central, and North Texas Annual Conferences, and the 50th anniversary of SMU. The combined meetings of all the conferences will be held in Moody Coliseum, home of the SMU basketballers. It will seat approximately 12,000 when using the court area.

Individual Conferences will meet at designated places on or near the campus. The Central Texas, the Conference to which the Santa Anna parish belongs, and the North Texas Conference will meet in McFarlin Auditorium. The two Conferences will be separated by a string down the middle of the area. Reports will be heard from each conference. The North and Central Texas Conferences are presided over by the same Bishop, W. Kenneth Pope, whose headquarters are in Dallas. He will convene the general meetings.

Many outstanding and exciting things are planned for this great and historic occasion. On Thursday evening, 2,700 Methodist preachers and their families will be sent out from Moody Coliseum to churches throughout Texas.

Delegates from Santa Anna planning to attend are Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Frank Weathers, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horne, and Cullen N. Perry. Rev. Weathers has served the local Methodist Church for the past three years.

Leonard Williams Buried In Coleman

Funeral service for Leonard E. Williams, 55, of Shields was held Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman with the Rev. Raymond Jones, pastor of Santa Anna Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Coleman City Cemetery.

Mr. Williams passed away Friday at 1:00 p.m. in a Brownwood hospital.

Born July 4, 1909 at Shields, he was a mechanic and farmer. He was a member of Shields Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Joe Lindley of Arlington; a son, Kenneth of Lockney; two sisters, Miss Mabel Williams of Coleman and Mrs. Mildred Arthur of San Marcos; four brothers, Roland of Santa Anna, Roy of Barstow, Jesse and Grady, both of Shields, and six grandchildren.

Jaycees To Meet In Garrett Home

The Santa Anna Jaycees will hold their regular meeting Thursday, June 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Ben J. Garrett, 505 Avenue B.

All members are urged to attend, and all young men between the ages of 21 and 35 are invited to attend the meeting also.

Carl Cowen Receives Degree From TSC

STEPHENVILLE, Tex. (Sp1)—Carl Cowen of Santa Anna was among 66 students who received their Bachelor's degrees during commencement exercises at Tarleton State College Sunday night.

Cowen was granted the Bachelor of Science degree in general business. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dixon, of Santa Anna.

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Mrs. Dan Wheatley Buried Saturday

Final rites for Mrs. Dan P. Wheatley, 70, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman with Rev. Brady Slate, pastor of Congregational Methodist Church in Gouldbusk, and the Rev. Jack Skelton, pastor of the Voss Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Santa Anna Cemetery.

Mrs. Wheatley died at 3:15 p.m. Friday in Overall-Morris Memorial Hospital in Coleman after a short illness.

Born August 21, 1895, she was a lifelong resident of Coleman County and a member of Gouldbusk Congregational Methodist Church.

She is survived by her husband; one son, George of Santa Anna; a brother, George Stewardson of Santa Anna and two grandsons.

Pallbearers were Walter Yancy, O. C. Yancy, Bert Fowler, Bill Price, Dennis Winfrey and Lannie Bledsoe.

Neighborhood Club Schedules Meeting

The Neighborhood Improvement Club of Santa Anna will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 9, according to announcement this week by club officials.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss ways and means by which the club may be able to better serve and improve conditions in the city.

Everyone interested in the betterment of the town is urged to attend.

Entertainment will be furnished by the Burkett Play Boys.

Light Vote Expected Here Saturday

We're Glad To Be Back...

By John C. Gregg

After almost two years of varied experiences that we hope never to encounter again, the Greggs are back in charge of The Santa Anna News. This is our first experience in the leasing business and it just might be our last.

We regained control of The News as of the first of this month, after having been under a lease contract to the Parker Publishing Company for 23 months. We regret very much the many unhappy occurrences that have happened during this period of time. Needless to say we were not aware of what could happen in circumstances of this kind.

Effective with this issue of The News we will make every effort to have the newspaper in the mails each Thursday morning. This first issue may be a little late because of the necessity of getting some of the shop and office in a partial working condition.

We will resume the policies that we had in effect for many years while we were publishing The News. Next week we will attempt to outline the policies that will guide us during the future. Time does not permit us to do so this week.

I will continue my duties as Acting Postmaster and hope that it is not long before the Senate of the United States acts to confirm me as the permanent postmaster. I will devote a large part of my other time to overseeing and managing the activities of The News. I assure each of you that I want very much to regain the esteem with which The News was held in the past, and to exceed that if possible.

Mrs. Billie Gregg has resumed her duties as advertising representative. Her other duties will include the circulation department, bookkeeping and many other duties necessary to the successful operation of a small town weekly newspaper.

We have employed Mr. Clyde Bunnell of Cross Plains to be our Editor and General Manager. We have known Mr. Bunnell for a number of years as he has been associated with numerous printing establishments in the Central Texas area. He hopes to work with everyone in this area in making The News the type of newspaper we know you deserve and expect. Mr. Bunnell has been working this week to get acquainted with the business area and people. He extends a cordial invitation to everyone to come in and get acquainted and to help him get all the news of the town each week.

Mrs. Ruth Poldrack is also back with us. Ruth has operated the Linotype machine for us a number of years. She has helped in numerous other ways to see that our news is published each week.

We feel that we have an excellent staff for The News and we were fortunate in acquiring them on such a short notice. With your help we are sure we can produce the type of newspaper you deserve — but it will be only through your help that we can accomplish this. We urge all social and civic organizations, clubs, church groups, etc. to report your meeting to us on each week. They will be in the paper. We would like to urge each of you to let us know when you have visitors, or when you go visiting. When you are aware of a news item, let us know about it, regardless of whether you may think it of value or not.

It is going to take us a long time to get everything in the front office and back shop, like we would like to have it, but with a little being accomplished each week we will eventually make it.



MERLE ROLLER
... new hospital administrator

Merle Roller of Menard assumed duties Tuesday as the new administrator of Santa Anna Hospital.

Roller had served as administrator of the Menard Hospital for some two years prior to coming to Santa Anna. Before becoming administrator at Menard, Mr. Roller worked with the Loma Linda Foundation in Loma Linda, California, for five and one-half years.

"We are happy to be here and have a part in this organization and consider it a real privilege to be working with the fine people of Santa Anna," Mr. Roller stated. "People here have been very kind to us and we know we are going to enjoy be-

County Historical Survey Committee Sets Tour Sunday

A barn built in the 1870's, an 1878 ranch house, a 1866 fort, an 1857 cemetery and even the grave of a famous cow will be the main stops of the Coleman County Historical tour Sunday.

The tour, which leaves from the east side of the courthouse at 1:30 p.m., is sponsored by the Coleman County Historical Survey Committee, Mrs. Maurine Burroughs, chairman. Mrs. C. D. Bruce of Santa Anna is tour chairman.

First stop on the tour will be the Rafter 3 Ranch with the early 1870 barn built by Clay Mann. Except for the outside, the structure is the original barn, made from elm and pecan lumber from the old sawmill below Camp Colorado.

Also at the Rafter 3 Ranch is the rock fence constructed by a former slave called "80 John" (whose real name was John Wallace) about the same time as the barn was built. The Mann cattle brand was an 80 on the left hip. Mann sold the ranch in 1884 to Joe P. Morris, who added thousands of acres but kept the Rafter 3 headquarters at the same spot.

The second stop on the tour will be the S. C. Edmundson home, built about 1873 by Sam Gholson, a cattleman. The old rock barn near the house was an outpost of Camp Colorado with slits for guns still visible. According to reports, the outpost was manned by small detachments from the post.

Camp Colorado, one of a chain of western forts built to protect settlers from the Indians, will be the third stop. The fort was first constructed on the Mukewater in 1856 and moved a year later to the Jim Ned site. At one time, it included a number of stone buildings and a stone corral to protect horses from Indians. Troops were stationed at the fort until 1861 when the Civil War began.

After the war the post was never manned and fell into disrepair. Henry Sackett bought the property and in 1891 built a ranch house using stone from the post buildings. The old guardhouse was left and attached to the back of the home—the only remaining part of the original post.

A replica of the headquarters building was erected in the Coleman City Park in 1936.

The tour's fourth stop will be the marble monument of the first registered Hereford cow brought to Coleman County. The monument reads: "Breeze 21st, 31984."

W. C. Dibrell came to Coleman County in 1883 and bought the ranch near Camp Colorado in open range days. In 1887 he attended the State Fair in Dallas and saw a group of English Hereford cattle on exhibit. He bought two bulls and two cows, and even though tick fever got one bull and one cow, Breeze and a bull survived.

The Herefords were a novelty in the Coleman area at that time and attracted attention.

Fifth stop on the tour will be the Camp Colorado Cemetery which was located in 1857 for burial of soldiers lost from injuries and sickness. The civilians of the area placed their dead there, and it became a community cemetery. Some of the markers are cut by professionals, and some by amateurs.

The Coleman tour is open to the public. No admission will be charged.

With all county and district races settled in the First Primary, very little interest is being manifested in the Democratic Run-off election Saturday.

Only one race will be listed on the county ballot with Crawford Martin of Hill County, former Secretary of State, and State Sen. Franklin Spears of Bexar County, gunning for the office of Attorney General of Texas.

Interest locally is very light and a "small turnout" is expected, according to local Election Judge Glen Copeland.

Copeland said polls would open at 8 a.m. Saturday and close at 7 p.m. with the voting to take place in the Lions Club building, site of the first primary election.

Assisting Copeland with election returns will be two clerks, Mrs. Billie Guthrie, and another to be named before the polls open.

Copeland stated that he also expected voting throughout the county to be very light due to the short ballot.

Colemanite Named National Scholar By President

DeWayne Berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Berry of Coleman, has been named one of the nation's 120 presidential scholars for 1966 and will be honored at a special White House ceremony June 7.

Berry, a National Merit Scholar and valedictorian of Coleman High School's senior class, received a telegram from President Johnson Saturday morning telling him of the honor.

"It was a complete surprise," Berry said. "There were no applications or anything."

The telegram from the President explained "I am happy to inform you that today I am naming you a presidential scholar for 1966. Mrs. Johnson and I join in warm congratulations and invite you to meet with us in the White House on June 7."

Berry, who plans to enroll in the University of Texas as a journalism major next fall, said he did not know why his name was included on the president's list of 62 boys and 58 girls, but he felt it possibly connected with his National Merit Scholarship.

He won the scholarship this spring after reaching the semifinals in September on the basis of a qualifying test taken during the last semester of his junior year.

Berry was one of two Texas high school students to receive the presidential citation this year.

Former Rockwood Resident Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. John T. McIlvain, 89, a former Rockwood resident and a long time Coleman Countian, have been scheduled at 11 a.m. Thursday in Stevens Memorial Chapel in Coleman, with the Rev. Claude Weingard, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Rockwood Cemetery.

Mrs. McIlvain died Tuesday morning in San Antonio where she had lived for the past 16 years.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Ross Owen of San Antonio; two sons, H. M. of Longview and John T. Jr. of San Antonio; and six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Ben Barnes Will Be Principal Speaker At C of C All-County Annual Meeting

Ben Barnes, Speaker of the House of Representatives, will be the principal speaker tonight (Thursday) at the Chamber of Commerce All-County Annual Meeting in Coleman, starting at 7:30. The meeting will be held in the National Guard Armory.

There had been much speculation as to whether Barnes would be able to fulfill his engagement following his recent illness, but latest reports stated that he would be present.

Organizations participating in the all-county meeting include the Rodeo Association, Farm Bureau, Dairy Association,

Breeder-Feeder Association and the Coleman Chamber of Commerce.

Supper will be served to those attending and county people are asked to bring a salad and sweet or vegetable and meat.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Hosh spent the weekend in San Angelo with their son and family, Charles Hosh.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Welch spent the weekend with their daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Weldon Haynes near Corsicana.

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Rockwood News

By MRS. JOHN C. HUNTER

Frankie Hodges of Lohn was speaker at the Memorial Day services at the Rockwood Cemetery Sunday afternoon, when 24 flags were placed on Veteran's graves.

Vacation Bible School at the Baptist Church opened Monday with 30 children enrolled. Commencement program will be Sunday evening at the church at 7:00 p.m. Mrs. Eurell Blair is serving as superintendent of the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ashmore, of Santa Anna attended the Memorial services and visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. King and Mrs. R. L. Steward.

Recent callers with Mrs. Kate McIlvain were Mrs. Bill Rehm and Mrs. John Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mobley and Greg, of Odessa, arrived Saturday to spend the week with Mrs. McIlvain and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. King visited last Wednesday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Lige Lancaster at Trickham. Saturday Mr. and Mrs. King and Mrs. Crutcher were among those attending the funeral services at Coleman for Mrs. Dan Wheatley. The Kings had visited at the funeral home Friday evening. They also visited with Miss Sammie Steward.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Arnold and Meri Jan of Moore, Oklahoma, came Sunday, spending the night with Mr. and Mrs. King. They all attended the Memorial Day services. Meri Jan remained for a longer visit and is attending the Bible School.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Epps, of Corpus Christi, visited last Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes, Miss Linnie Box and Mrs. John Hunter.

Joe Estes and Steve, of Abilene, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Estes. Mrs. Rosa Belle Heilman was a Sunday dinner guest. S. H. Estes and Kelley, of Sweetwater, spent the past weekend with his parents.

Jimmy Hunter, of Coleman, spent Saturday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter.

Mrs. F. E. McCreary visited in Waco from Wednesday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones and boys. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCreary Jr., of Palestine, were also supper guests with the Jones family. The occasion was Mac Jones' high school graduation.

Mr. and Mrs. Leffel Estes and Geneva spent Sunday at Valera with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nixon, and also attended church there.

Mrs. M. D. Bryan visited one morning with Mrs. A. L. Crutcher. Mrs. Wayne Bray and girls and Mrs. Lester Bryan were afternoon callers. Mrs. Graham Fitzpatrick and Cheryl visited Wednesday afternoon. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sleepy Garner and children of Brownwood.

Mrs. Dean Ward and son, Billy, of Midland, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buttry. Mrs. Leroy Casey, Jerry and Lana, of San Angelo, spent Saturday with the Buttrys. Jerry and Lana remained for the week and will attend the Vacation Bible School.

Lee McMillan, a patient in VA Hospital in Temple, was home for ten days.

Mrs. King and Mrs. R. C. Arnold visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Bryan.

Stanley McSwane, Linda McIntire and Linda Abernathy were among the Santa Anna high seniors making the trip to Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Billy McIntire, Peggy, Judy and Larry were in Brownwood for the graduation of Billy Matt from Howard Payne. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hunter were at Howard Payne for graduation of their son-in-law, Tommy Briscoe.

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Mrs. Henner Speaks To Rockwood Club

Mrs. Charles Henner, RN., coordinator of Ranger Park Inn, in Santa Anna spoke to the Home Demonstration Club at the Rockwood Community Center, Wednesday, May 25, on Health and Extended Care Facilities, and explained the many rules and regulations at the state and federal levels. She also discussed how we may share recreation with our senior citizens.

Mrs. Jack Cooper, president, presided during the business session. Mrs. R. J. Deal served angel cake and punch to 15 members and the guest, Mrs. Henner.

Mrs. Opal Little and Mrs. Ruby Pritchard visited recently in Lubbock with Mrs. Little's sisters, Mrs. Fred Harris and Mrs. W. B. Smith, and with Mrs. Pritchard's son, Robert Pritchard, and Milton Drake. Mrs. Pritchard also attended the dedication service for the new First Christian Church in Slaton.

Whon News

By MRS. TOM RUTHERFORD

Hi folks! Here we are back again with you through the Santa Anna News. Probably you thought you would not be hearing any more from me at the Whon news center, but here goes again in full force.

I feel there are others and just any one could do a better job in presenting the news from our little community than myself, but so far I have been unable to get anyone to take the job. So please send, or let me know your news. You may feel it does not amount to anything. But just remember, there is someone, somewhere who likes to see your name in print.

In June of 1941, I wrote my first article to the Santa Anna News and the Coleman paper. And until Christmas of 1965, I had not missed very many weeks getting the news into the office. Of course, we have become awfully discouraged and threatened to discontinue the article, but seems most times when we were the lowest someone from somewhere would encourage us to continue and keep on keeping on.

There are so few in our little center now until it seems not much news. But through your help and support, here we are again to try and help The Santa Anna News into full production again.

Since our last news we have received about one inch of moisture in our community. Also received some light hail and high wind. We feel the grain has been damaged lightly, and are trusting for pretty weather to harvest the grain. Moisture is always welcomed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. (Simms) Johnson and daughter, of Fort Worth, visited in the Tom Rutherford home Saturday afternoon.

Jamie Lee Morris was the senior from our community to accompany the Santa Anna seniors on the senior trip to Corpus Christi last week, leaving Santa Anna around midnight last Tuesday and returning home Sunday afternoon.

We are sorry to report Miss Cheryl Fitzpatrick was a patient in the Santa Anna Hospital several days last week following being thrown off a horse, and receiving a broken collar bone. We are glad Cheryl is reported doing fine.

Weekend visitors in the Tom Rutherford home were Mr. and Mrs. Hilary Rutherford and children and Mr. Loyd Rutherford, of Coleman, Lynda Rutherford, of Abilene, Mr. Sammie Shields, and Rev. Jackson, of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cozart, of Odessa spent Monday night of last week in their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rutherford and daughter, Lynda, attended graduation exercises at East Ward School in Coleman Friday night for a grandson, Rocky Rutherford, who graduated from Mrs. Terrell Greaves' kindergarten class. If you ever have a chance, attend one of these little kindergarten exercises. They are wonderful and you can certainly see the patience of a kindergarten teacher.

Mrs. Bert Turney attended the wedding Saturday at 3:00 p.m. for a grandson, Mr. Gary Sudderth, and Miss Nancy Williams, in the home of Miss Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams, in Coleman. A reception followed in the REA Club Room in Coleman. Gary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney of Santa Anna. Nancy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams, of Coleman.

We are sorry to report Mr. Zack Bible a patient in the Santa Anna Hospital since Saturday night. Mr. Orval Bible, his son, is at his bedside. A daughter, Juanita Branch, was here over the weekend, has returned to Houston. But she will be back at her father's bedside soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bean Radle, of Santa Anna, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Avants.

Mrs. Micky Chilton and children, of Arlington, are visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney. The children, Micky, Karon, and Thressa, plan to remain here for a few weeks to visit with their grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stanley and two daughters, of Fort Worth, were weekend guests with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley. The group drove over to Comanche Sunday afternoon and visited friends and relatives there. The Vernon Stanleys returned to Fort Worth on Monday.

Neil Fitzpatrick spent last week with his grandparents, Mr.

and Mrs. Snowden, of near Lohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Turney and children, Becky and Mark, of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bible and son, of Arlington, Mrs. Vernon (Snow) Herring and daughters, of Santa Anna, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Turney Sunday. Becky and Mark remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Brown and son, of Brownwood, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleburn Stanley, Sunday.

Mr. Fred Shields, of Santa Anna, and his son, Hollis, of Kermit, were brief callers in the Tom Rutherford home Monday afternoon.

Buy Your Vet Supplies at Joe's Pharmacy.

Raymond Clark Gets Degree at TSC

STEPHENVILLE, Tex. (Sp1)—Raymond Clark of Santa Anna was among 66 students who received their Bachelor's degrees during commencement exercises at Tarleton State College Sunday night.

Clark was granted the Bachelor of Science degree in mathematics. He is a 1962 graduate of Santa Anna High School.

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Shields News

By MRS. E. S. JONES

Our community was shocked Friday afternoon due to the death of two residents, Leonard Williams, who was in Medical Arts Hospital, Brownwood, for two weeks, passed away at 1:00 o'clock. At 3:15 the sudden death of Mrs. Mary Stewardson Wheatley, in Overall Memorial Hospital, Coleman. Services for Mrs. Wheatley were held at Stevens Chapel in Coleman, Saturday afternoon. Burial was in the Santa Anna Cemetery. Sunday afternoon services for Mr. Williams were held at Stevens Chapel and burial was in the Coleman Cemetery. Both were born and raised in our community. Sincere sympathy goes to the bereaved in each family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson, of Fort Worth, visited Mrs. Ura Dillingham this weekend.

Mr. Wimpy Watson, of Lubbock, attended the morning services at the Church of Christ, and visited the O. H. Watson family at Leedy.

Chip and Stoddard McClain, of San Angelo, are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Skelton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb visited Friday afternoon and Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cobb at Stephenville. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowen at Brownwood.

Sunday, Rev. and Mrs. Blackwood and children, Stephen, David and Debra of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. George Stewardson were dinner guests with Mrs. E. S. Jones.

Susan and Elaine Newman, of Santa Anna, are spending the week with their aunt, Mary Milligan.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McClure, William and Walter, of Midland, spent the weekend with the Rastus McClure family.

Larry Moore, of Sonora, minister of the Church of Christ, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McDonald.

The 1966 graduates of this community were: Gary Williams, Santa Anna, and Vic McElrath, of Mozelle. Tuesday evening after graduation exercises, the Santa Anna senior class left for their senior trip to Corpus Christi. Mrs. Jesse Williams was one of the sponsors. After graduation at Mozelle Thursday evening, the Mozelle class left for their senior trip to New Orleans, returning Tuesday.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dillingham were host and hostess for the Saladmaster stainless steel demonstration at the Community Center. Seven couples attended.

Rain during the week in this area varied one half to one and one half inches.

John W. Gregg spent Sunday and Monday in Menard with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Blevins.

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Rev. James Ford, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, conducted the services Sunday afternoon, May 29.

The United Presbyterian Church, with Dr. Ben Moore, pastor, will conduct the services on Sunday, June 5.

Mrs. Irene Buckley, of Sanger, visited her mother, Mrs. Mattie Ellis, over the Memorial holiday.

Mrs. Myrtle Scott, of Santa Anna, visited with Mrs. Buckley and Mrs. Ellis.

Vera Haas and Addie Rose Gilliam, of Coleman, visited with Mrs. Dera Dibrell. They also visited other friends while at the Inn.

Mrs. Dera Dibrell has returned to the Inn after eye surgery in Brownwood.

W. Dan Smith, of Abilene, visited with Mrs. Dera Dibrell last week.

W. L. Owen, of Bangs, visited at the Inn.

Mrs. Billy Bratsci and son visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Cassie Stiles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams were visiting friends at the Inn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Simmons, of Ada, Oklahoma, Mrs. George Beck and B. F. Mitchell, of Valera, visited their mother, Mrs. Eula Mitchell, at Ranger Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Curry, of Paint Rock, were visitors of the George Simmons.

Mrs. C. E. Flint visited her sister, Mrs. Eula Burris.

Mrs. Blanche Grantham and Mrs. Joe Baker visited their sister, Mrs. Ella Stiles.

Miss Belinda Nystel attended the church services of the Seventh-day Adventist on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Walker, of Odessa, were at Ranger Inn Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. Lydia Weardon.

Mrs. Addie Huggins and Mrs. Lydia Weardon went out driving last week with Mrs. Huggins' daughter, Mrs. Mildred Cammack.

Rev. Robert Brandt visited Mrs. Hulda Johnson Sunday.

Mrs. Dan Rogers, Mrs. Mary Boardman, of Lamesa, and Mrs. Sanford Tune, of Coleman, visited Sunday with Homer Burden, Mrs. Myrtle McDonald, Mrs. Ben Herring, Mrs. Lula Harvey and Mrs. Dera Dibrell.

Mrs. Harold Kinney visited with Mrs. Hattie Futch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stafford, of Arlington, and Sally Warnock visited their mother and sister, Clara Kryder.

Nell Bailey and Ethel Smith, of Coleman, visited Oma Heaton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hawkins have returned from a visit to California, and was at the Inn visiting her mother, Mrs. Dora White.

Mrs. Taylor, of Lamesa, and her daughter, Mrs. Emmitt Stiles, visited Mrs. Stiles' mother-in-law, Mrs. Cassie Stiles, Mrs. Lillie Archer and Mrs. Mattie Ellis.

Mrs. Ben Yarborough and her cousin, Cinnie Mabel Hall, and Mrs. Glen Copeland and son visited Mrs. Lillie Archer and Mrs. Mattie Ellis.

Mrs. Edd Jones was a visitor

Cleveland News

By Mrs. Sid Blanton

Mrs. John Gregg asked me to continue writing the Cleveland community news, so if you have news items you would like to get in the news, get it in to me. Please call late in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Covey and daughters of Houston are here visiting the R. W. Cupps family and other relatives.

Mrs. Ann McBeth and Kelley, of Andrews, brought her mother, Mrs. M. F. Blanton, home after several weeks visit with them and other relatives.

Mrs. C. T. Moore returned home after several weeks in Tulare, California, at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Hugh Phillips. Mrs. Phillips passed away recently and our sympathy goes to the family.

Mrs. Jewell Clifton returned home from John Sealy Hospital at Galveston. We hope a speedy recovery for her.

Mr. and Mrs. John Naron and children, of Odessa, spent part of their vacation here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cupps.

Recent visitors with Mrs. R. W. Cupps and Mrs. Ernie Covey were Mrs. John Trimm and daughters of Brownwood and Mrs. Bill Cupps and Mrs. Juanita Naron.

at the Ranger Inn on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruby Harper and Mrs. Grey were visitors at the Inn, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. O. A. Etheridge and Mrs. Lucy Price visited Mrs. Lillie Archer and Mrs. Mattie Ellis.

Dude Mings visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Spencer and others at the Inn.

Miss Blanche Boyd attended services at United Presbyterian Church Sunday and had lunch with her family.

U. S. Brannon and daughter, Mrs. Charles Armstrong, visited with his wife and mother, Mrs. Brannon.

Mrs. Eva Hull had her husband and children as visitors last week.

New residents at the Inn are A. A. Bertrand, of Santa Anna, and L. C. Jackson.

The Leady-Voss Home Demonstration Club has contributed to the piano fund.

Mrs. B. B. Bryan, of Rockwood, also gave a contribution to the piano fund.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles M. Henner, surgeon and coordinator of Ranger Park Inn, flew to Southern California to visit nursing homes and new medical center under construction.

Mrs. Charles Henner, coordinator of Ranger Park Inn, spoke to the Rockwood Home Demonstration Club Wednesday afternoon on "License Requirements of Nursing, Rest and Convalescent Homes."

The staff of Ranger Inn and Santa Anna Hospital honored Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray with a Western going away party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Quinn, Wednesday night. A salad supper was served.

Decorations consisted of a covered wagon, bales of hay for chairs, and western togs worn by those attending.

Mrs. J. W. Quinn presented the Murrys with a silver serving bowl from the group, engraved with monogram and dates 1952-1966. They were also presented a memory photograph album with pictures taken during the time they were in Santa Anna with inscribed captions detailing the various activities by Dr. Charles Henner.

Program for the party consisted of a harmonic solo "San Antonio Rose" with guitar accompaniment by Mrs. Charles Henner. Guitar trio, Calvin and

Jimmy Bailey and Mrs. Henner. Vondeane, Barron and Chan

Henner sang "Skip To My Lou, Darling." Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Petry and daughters sang "Home on the Range", accompanied by Calvin and Jimmy Bailey.

The Murrys were asked by Nick Buse, sheriff of Santa Anna, to go with him, Sheriff John Smith wanted to talk to Mr. Murray. They arrived at the Quinn home and were hand-cuffed. The guests came out as a surprise.

Last on the program, Mrs. Henner and Mrs. Burden sang a medley of songs arranged for their farewell fete. Dr. C. M. Henner gave a brief resume of their stay, and all sang "Deep In The Heart of Texas."

The Murrys are moving to Menard, where he will be administrator of the Seventh-day Hospital there.

Mrs. O. A. Etheridge visited Mrs. Ella Stiles and presented her with an arrangement of lilies, grown by Mrs. Etheridge. The flowers were placed in the south living room for all to enjoy.

Six Flags To Open Daily

Beginning Monday, May 30, Six Flags Over Texas will be open seven days a week from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. This schedule will be in effect throughout the summer months until Labor Day, September 5.

The popular 115-acre tourist attraction in Arlington has been operating on weekends only since opening this year on April 15.

Attendance figures to date are 162,468 as compared to 175,

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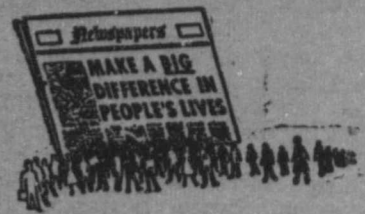
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077 last year at the same time. However, Six Flags officials consider the current figures gratifying inasmuch as torrential rains this spring affected approximately 75 percent of the Park's total operating days.

Reporting on Monday will be another 500 college and high school students who have been added to the Six Flags staff for the summer months. This brings the total complement of

the Park's famed corps of live-in young hosts and hostesses to 1,500.



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Self Culture Club Closes Out Spring Meet With Luncheon, Appointments

A covered-dish luncheon in the clubroom of the City Library was the occasion of the final meeting for the year of the Self Culture Club last Friday. Mrs. James Harris and Mrs. Burl Sparkman were hostesses for the day. The antique serving table was covered with a white cut-work cloth and centered with an arrangement of wild roses and larkspur in shades of pink and rose. The quartet tables had covers of ivory linen and appointments were of green milkglass.

The speaker was Mrs. Hardy Blue, who told of the four-county expanse of the Big Thicket in East Texas, of the wildlife and the thousands of varieties of trees and plants. She said that the Alabama-Coushatta Indian reservation, the only one in Texas, is within this area, as well as great pine forests, many streams and lakes and the Big Thicket which is home for bear, panthers, and many kinds of better known animals.

Miss Alta Lovelady displayed the beautiful new scrapbook on which the name of the club is printed in gold. Mrs. Tom Kingsbery told of the plans for erecting a decorative light and sign for the library, and a corsage of small white mums was presented to Mrs. C. L. Eeds, who has been designated Woman of the Year by the club.

Mrs. Sparkman, the club president, announced committees for the coming year: Mrs. Blue will head the Program committee, Mrs. Charles Evans, Library, and Mrs. Roy Stockard, Civic and Health. Mrs. Kingsbery will be Finance chairman. Mrs. Ford Barnes will be Social Chairman, Miss Lovelady will continue as Scrapbook chairman. Mrs. J. W. Taylor will head the telephone committee, and Mrs. C. D. Bruce is Federation Counsellor.

Present were those mentioned and Mrs. J. F. Goen, Mrs. Joe Mathews, Miss Mary McCorkle, Mrs. Henry Newman, and Mrs. Preston Bailey.

BIRTHDAYS

- JUNE 3**
Jackey Hutcherson, Dumas, Texas
Mrs. Hulda Johnson
- JUNE 5**
M. L. (Rat) Guthrie, Sr.
- JUNE 6**
Mrs. Vivian Price, Brownwood
Taylor Hetzel, Jr.
- JUNE 8**
Rodney Holt
- JUNE 9**
Nicky Poldrack
Janice Lynn Rider
- JUNE 10**
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Historical Marker To Recognize All State Secretaries

AUSTIN — Dedication of an Official Texas Historical Marker recognizing the First Secretary of State of Texas — Charles Bellinger Stewart and commemorating the services of all those who have held that office, will be held in Montgomery on June 17, according to John Ben Shepperd of Odessa, president of the Texas State Historical Survey Committee.

Charles B. Stewart (1806-1885) who still has several descendants living in Montgomery County, became Secretary of State of the Republic of Texas in November, 1835 and was one of the signers of the Texas Declaration of Independence. He also helped write the Constitution of the Republic in 1836, as well as the State of Texas in 1845.

"The Official Marker will contain the names and period of service of every Secretary of State and will also include a history of the duties of the office," Shepperd stated.

The 17 living Secretaries of State and the descendants of the 69 deceased officials have been invited to the dedication.

John L. Hill, now serving as Texas' 86th Secretary of State, who was recently appointed by Governor Connally, will make the dedicatory address, Shepperd stated.

Hospital News

ADMITTED

- L. D. Franklin, city
Mrs. T. F. Rushing, city
Lawrence C. Jackson, Coleman
George Vanpelt, Coleman
Alex Frausto, city
Mrs. Silas Baker, city
William F. Odeneal, Brownwood
O. F. Epperson, Coleman
Ray Taylor, Fisk
Miss Cheryl Fitzpatrick, Rockwood
Michael Barker, Coleman
Miss Cleo Cude, Coleman
Mrs. P. F. Schulle, city
Mrs. Allison Brown, Coleman
Mrs. W. H. Thate, city
Mrs. Wallace Collins, Jr., city
Zack I. Bible Whon
Jack Bundrant, Lubbock
Mrs. George Wagley, Coleman

DISMISSED

- Mrs. George Wagley, Coleman
Miss Rosa Lee Lewis, Wichita Falls
Mrs. Myrtle King, Coleman
Ray Stepp, Zephyr
James Joe Copeland (deceased), city
Mrs. Blanche Hounshell, Cross Plains
C. H. Douglas, Coleman
Mrs. Pearl Lee Purdin, city
A. A. Bertrand, city
Andrew Carroll, Burkett
Mrs. Moody Copeland, city
Mrs. Ben Trevino and baby girl, Doole
Lester Wyatt, Cross Plains
Mrs. Phillip Schulle, city
Miss Janie Banta, Coleman
Jimmy Don Clifton, city
Mrs. Camie Cantrell, Coleman
Mrs. Johnny Salas, Ballinger
L. D. Franklin, city
Lawrence C. Jackson, Coleman
Mrs. T. F. Rushing, city
George Vanpelt, Coleman
Mrs. Alex Frausto and baby

Insurance Agents Convene in Austin

Al Purifoy of Temple, who is with Robinson and Cloud Insurance Agency, was elected a regional chairman for a 21-county area for the Texas Association of Insurance Agents as they concluded their 68th annual convention in Austin, May 27.

The 2,600-member group will be headed by Lubbock insurance agent William E. Larmer as president and Marlon "Skip" Wheeler of Fort Worth as vice president.

The organization elected three new members of its board of directors. They are Gamewell D. Gantt of Houston, Warren C. Brown of El Paso and Guy F. Harrison of Longview.

Some 1,100 independent agents and their wives attended the Austin meeting.

Adventists Get Set For Summer Religious Session

Pastor H. B. Petry, of Santa Anna Seventh-day Adventist Church, Santa Anna, will forsake his ministerial duties this Sunday, June 4, and turn carpenter and general handyman to help prepare his church's Annual Camp Meeting and Summer Bible Conference which convenes June 3, on the campus of Southwestern Union College at Keene, Texas.

Pastor Petry is joining ministers, Bible workers, and other church employees from Texas at the camp site to help prepare for the influx of 4,000 persons at the 9-day religious convocation.

He will be busy until opening day June 3, putting up direction signs, placing thousands of chairs, equipping family tents, stringing electrical wiring and doing a host of other duties required to prepare the camp site for the convocation.

"Santa Anna Seventh-day Adventist Church members are expecting one of the biggest and most important conferences ever held by the denomination at Keene this year," Pastor Petry said in reference to his unusual duties, "and the ministers and other church workers are going to do all they can to make these expectations come true."

"The purpose of this great convocation is to re-emphasize spiritual values and to renew consecration of church members. With God's help and our own labors this year's camp meeting will fully realize this purpose," he said.

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Owen Epperson, Coleman

BIRTHS

Jaime Frausto was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Frausto of Santa Anna on May 23, weighing nine pounds, seven ounces.

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