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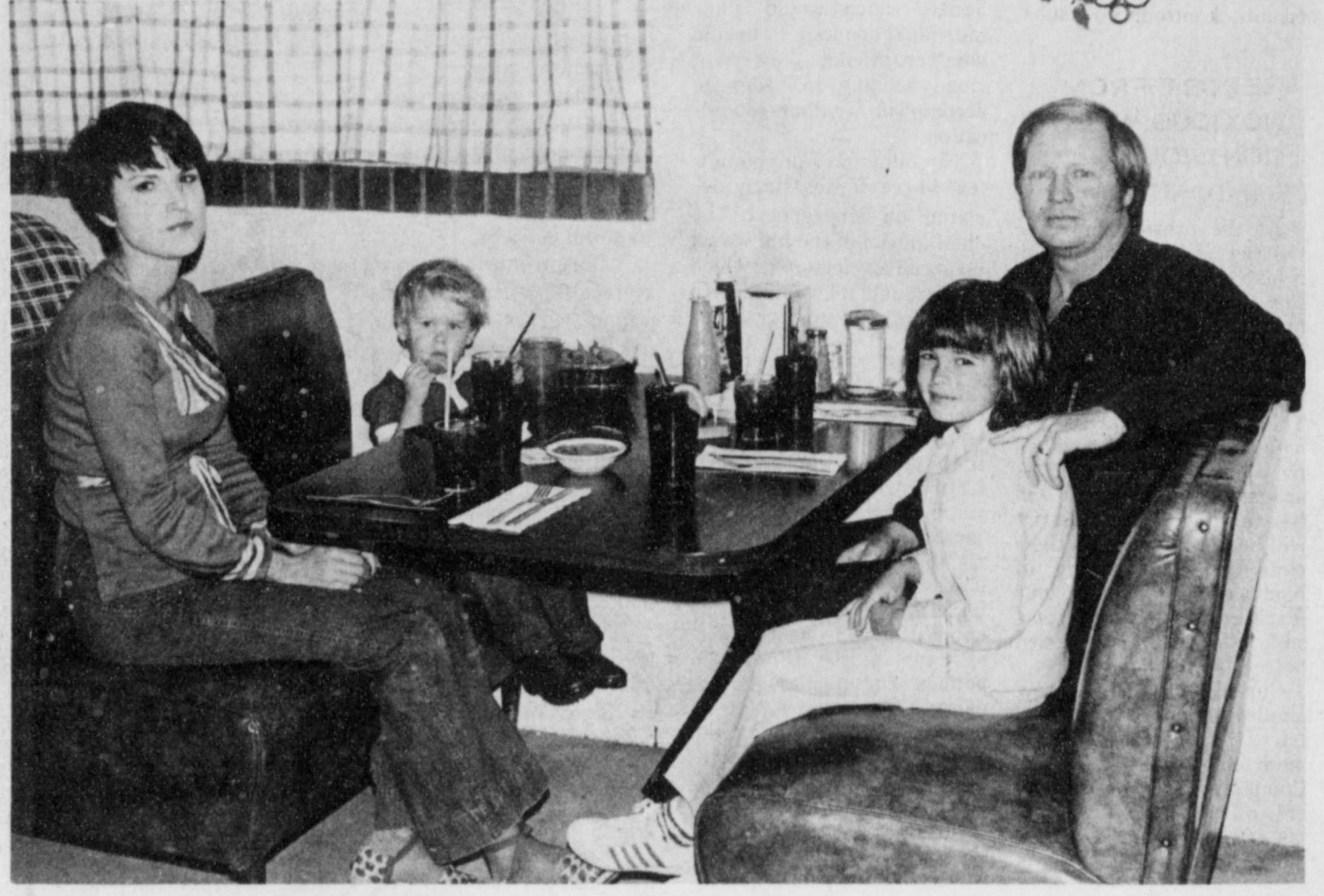
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WOODEN BENCHES?...The waiting room at Lockney General Hospital, contrary to recent published reports, is not furnished with wooden benches. (Staff Photo)



THE HAROLD THRASHER FAMILY from Clovis, New Mexico were honored by Lockney Chamber of Commerce on Visitor Appreciation Day Thursday. From left: Suzanne, Kenny, Melissa, Harold. (Staff Photo)

BEACON LIGHTS

by Jim Huggins

FOLKS AROUND THE HOSPITAL were surprised to read in the newspaper (not this one) Thursday about all those patients who "...crowd onto wooden benches in Lockney General Hospital's waiting room, shuffling their feet, shifting positions and biding their time until the doctor can see them..." Of course, there aren't any wooden benches in the waiting room, and one long-time hospital employee said she doesn't remember there ever being any there.

ACTUALLY, THE HOSPITAL has a pretty nice waiting room. The seats aren't brand new, but they are padded and pretty comfortable. With recent additions, Lockney General has one of the most modern, well-equipped labs around. The story in "that other newspaper" was right about there being only one doctor, Dr. Mangold, here, but there are more than 10 nurses on the staff-hospital administrator Gayle Fortenberry says it's more like 27.

THE HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATOR clarified some other facts for us: Dr. Mangold hasn't been "...the town's sole physician..." during all of the last four years-his son Bill was here for about a year in 1974 and 1975, and Dr. Larry Reed was here from July, 1975 until January, 1976; the "tally of registered patients on clinic charts" is about 9,000 in the last two years instead of 7,000 in the last four years.

THE HOSPITAL BOARD is currently talking to several doctors who have indicated they're interested in moving to Lockney, according to H. E. Frizzell, president of the board-but that "wooden benches" deal might scare off some prospects who read it and visualize what the rest of the hospital must look like.

WELL, I GUESS wooden benches and a "silver-haired general practitioner" make a more dramatic story... and Dr. Mangold IS silver-haired, I guess.

New Mexico Family Honored On C of C Visitor Appreciation Day

Harold Thrasher-like most of the other honorees in Lockney Chamber of Commerce's "Visitor Appreciation Day"-thought he was about to receive a speeding citation when he was stopped by Police Chief Raymond Hamilton Thursday morning. But that initial negative impression of Lockney had changed to a positive one shortly thereafter as the Thrasher family ate a free lunch in Strickland's Restaurant. "We'll have to stop here more often," Thrasher told Chamber of Commerce president James Race. Thrasher, his wife Suzanne and their children Melissa,

age eight, and Kenny, almost two, were driving from their home in Clovis, New Mexico to Six Flags Over Texas.

The Chamber of Commerce started Visitor Appreciation Day last summer for the purpose of calling travelers' attention to Lockney. Each month, cars with out-of-state license plates are stopped and the motorists offered free meals at a Lockney restaurant (either Strickland's, Rogers' or Dairy Queen) and free merchandise or discounts on purchases at other Lockney stores.

Other participating merchants include White Auto Store, Schacht

Flowers, Jewelry and Gifts, Rowell Variety, Page Thriftway, Mize Pharmacy & TV, Bob Miller Insurance,

Keeter Grocery, Jackson Tire Company, Floyd County Insurance Agency, Farm Bureau Insurance, Davis Lumber

Company, Byrd Pharmacy, Brown's Department Store, Boot Hill Western Store and Barker Insurance.

Caprock Appliance Center Opens In Lockney

A new Lockney business, Caprock Service Center, features a complete line of Maytag and Kelvinator appliances. Located at 115 North Main Street (across the street from Southwestern Public Service office in the old

Snack Shack building), Caprock Appliance Center will sell small appliances as well as major items such as dishwashers, freezers, refrigerators, garbage disposers, trash compactors,

washers, dryers and ranges. Bill and Jean Strickland are owners of the new business. Evelyn Merrell is manager for the appliance center, and John Van Hoose heads the service department.

Consumers Audit Shows Record Sales

There were 161 people present at Lockney Consumers Fuel Association stockholders meeting Thursday night in the elementary school cafeteria. The luncheon staff served an outstanding meal.

The audit report by Merriman and Company showed record sales of \$889,000.

Kenneth Wofford was elected to a

three-year term on the association's board of directors.

Door-prize winners were Mrs. F. L. Montandon, Jr., Red Daniels, Lucy Dean Record, Andy Ford, Mrs. Bert Elam, Mrs. James Race, Mrs. R. C. Kellison, Mrs. C. H. Rose, Mrs. June Jeffress, Charles Huffman, Dane Daniel, Kenneth Wofford and Mrs. Ruth Farish.

Women's Chamber Of Commerce Meeting Monday Night

Members of Lockney Chamber of Commerce Women's Division are urged to attend a special meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 21 at Roger's Cafe. New officer nominations will be

made, according to president Laverne Christian, and the organization will make plans to decorate for the Chamber of Commerce banquet scheduled April 14.

Sales Tax Rebates Set Record

AUSTIN-Comptroller Bob Bullock announced Tuesday that city sales tax rebates for the first quarter of 1977 totaled a record \$89.5 million, up 18.5 percent from the same three-month period last year.

Bullock said that the record rebates-which exceeded the previous quarterly high by more than \$5 million (second quarter, 1976)-were based on record sales during the 1976 Christmas season.

(Most retailers file their sales tax reports on a quarterly basis. These reports for the Christmas quarter were due January 31 for processing and are now reflected in the March allocations.)

"We knew that Christmas sales were going to be up, but, frankly, this was more than we dared hope for," said Bullock. "This is a late but welcome Christmas gift for city treasuries across the state."

Bullock said his office has sent 867 Texas cities checks totaling \$59 million as their March share of city sales tax collections. This is an 11.7 percent increase over the same month last year.

Bullock also announced that his office has adopted a new rule change that will reduce the paperwork for some 20,000 "mom and pop" grocery store owners and other small retail businesses. Effective immediately, those small

retailers who collect \$300 or less a year in state sales taxes will be allowed to file their returns and remit the tax money to the state once a year instead of every three months.

Only those sales tax permit holders who collected \$100 or less a year in state sales taxes have been eligible in the past to take advantage of the yearly filings, the Comptroller said.

The rule change will also ease the workload for his office, cutting state costs for handling the returns, Bullock said.

Floydada received \$12,426.87; Lockney \$6,028.37; Crosbyton \$6,255.84; Tulia \$19,696.72; Dimmitt \$20,726.76; Ralls \$6,325.64; Spur \$5,271.30.

FFA Judging Team

Lockney FFA livestock judging team placed 14th overall (out of 33 teams) in a livestock judging contest Tuesday at Pampa. Members of the team are David Foster, Ray McMahan, Joe Araujo and Hector Araujo. Joe Araujo was third-high individual in swine judging.

The team competed in a contest Saturday at Sweetwater.

4-H Auction Saturday

Floyd County 4-H Clubs are sponsoring their second annual community auction to be held Saturday March 19, 1977 at the Fairgrounds in Lockney.

James Cruce auctioneer will donate his services and the percentages from the consignments will go to the Floyd County 4-H Clubs.

All revenues from this sale will be

used to maintain the budget of the non-profit 4-H Clubs and to extend programs in the needed areas.

All consignments will be taken. Items may be donated income tax deductible to the Floyd County 4-H Clubs.

Consignments can be made in the County Extension Office or by calling 983-2806.

Wheat Grazing

Deadline Extended

According to an announcement from the Floyd County ASCS office the deadline on wheat grazing has been extended from March 20 until April 1. This also means that a farmer has until April 1 to decide what wheat acreage he will leave in production in regard to his wheat allotment.

For further information, farmers may contact the ASCS office in Floydada.

41% Percent Males Not Working Or Looking For Job

Of Floyd County's male population over age 16, how many are non-workers by choice?

How many of them are not in the labor force and are not working, not looking for work, not disabled and not going to school?

As in most sections of the country, their number is increasing, year by year. Based upon the latest figures from the Commerce Department and the Department of Labor, there are now approximately 500 men, locally, in

this inactive category. Of the total, some 220 are under 65 and 280 over 65.

They constitute 15.0 percent of the area's male population over age 16. The average nationally, by way of comparison, is 14.9 percent.

Most of them are people who have private sources of income or who have acquired sufficient resources or financial support to enable them to get along without working.

There are some people who are unable to work because of physical or mental handicaps. There are also a number of people who could work but don't choose to, relying on the rest of society to provide for them.

Throughout the United States as a whole, there are now close to 15 million men in this non-work, non-school group, according to the latest findings. It compares with 13 million in 1970.

The majority of them are retirees.

A recent Census Bureau report indicates that there has been a steady decline over the years in the percentage of older men who remain in the labor force. It shows that only 22 percent of those over 65 are still on the active rolls, as against 42 percent in 1940.

In Floyd County, approximately 41.9 percent of the men in that age bracket are not working or are looking for

work.

As for the others, the non-workers, what keeps them going financially? Their major support comes from private and public pension funds and from Social Security.

In addition, many men reach the retirement stage with cash savings, income-producing securities, life insurance annuities, veterans benefits and other assets.

Consignment Sale At Silverton

Silverton Young Farmers will have a consignment farm sale on Saturday April 2 at the Wood Memorial Arena in Silverton.

Anyone interested may contact Wayne Stephens, 847-2616 or G. W. Chappell 847-2681. If items to be sold

are included in the sale advertising, these items must be consigned before March 21. Items may be consigned anytime before the sale starts.

Proceeds will be used for the club's community service projects.

Proposed Bill Calls For Vote Before Cloud Seeding

State Senator Kent Hance of Lubbock introduced a sub-

stitute bill in the Texas Senate which would allow individual counties to decide whether or not they want cloud seeding in order to accomplish weather modification.

The bill is now in committee where it has been declared an emergency. The chief impact of the bill would be to call an election in which all residents may vote before a seeding permit is granted.

REPORT FROM NOXIOUS WEED CONTROL

By David Duvak)

At the present time the District is applying herbicides on fence rows, irrigation wells and around farm buildings. David urges all landowners that are interested in this type work to contact the District Office. The District would like to have this type work finished by the last of March as around April, bindweed will be emerging and the District will need to devote all their time on the treating of bindweed. By having your fence row as clean as possible, you will get a much better kill.

Garland Lockaby is a new employee of the Weed District. His previous employment was with the Tye Company in Lockney. Farmers will benefit greatly from his efficiency and dependability.

TREES NEED LITTLE FERTILIZATION —Shade trees are often overlooked when it comes to fertilization, but most only require fertilizer once every three years anyway, points out a landscape horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. When fertilizing a tree, base the application on the branch spread. Apply about six pounds of actual nitrogen for every 1,000 square feet of branch area. Divide the total amount of fertilizer needed into three applications—late fall, early spring and mid-summer. After spreading the fertilizer under the tree, water the soil thoroughly.

Farm-facts

A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News
Compiled From Sources Of The
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
John C. White, Commissioner

A Closer Look... Farm Workers Decrease In Number... Meat Production.

That three per cent increase in crop prices to Texas farmers as well as the five per cent increase in livestock prices needs a closer look to put it in its proper perspective as they relate to farmer prices and the general economy.

The increases occurred during the month ending Feb. 15. At that time, farm parity was 69. A month ago it was 68, while a year ago it was 72.

A look at the Texas commodity price shows what has happened to Texas farm prices during that time compared to a month earlier.

Wheat prices averaged \$2.42 per bushel; this is down 15 cents from a month ago. Sorghum prices averaged \$3.56 per hundredweight; this is down ten cents from a month ago. Compare those with parity and you get an even bigger discrepancy. Parity for wheat is \$4.98; parity for grain sorghum is \$5.72.

Cotton did show an increase of 2.4 cents per pound to average 62.5 cents. But parity for cotton is 82.84 cents per pound.

So farmers still have a long way to go in getting parity for their major crops.

The same is true when you look at the livestock price structure. True, hogs did go up 50 cents, beef cattle prices went up almost \$2, calf prices jumped almost \$4.

But that's not all the story. Hogs did average \$38.50; a year ago they were \$44.90 and parity for hogs is \$54.90. Beef cattle parity is \$57.70; calf parity is \$67.40, thus the \$34.60 average is more than \$30 under parity.

In poultry prices, broilers averaged 27 cents compared to 24.5 cents a month ago; egg prices, at 74.5 cents a dozen, are up a penny from a month ago, and turkey prices, at 33 cents a pound, are down a penny from a month ago.

FARM LABOR FORCE ON TEXAS FARMS and ranches showed a decrease of six per cent compared to the survey period of a year ago.

The agricultural labor force numbered 211,000 during the survey week. Farm and ranch operators and unpaid family workers totaled 146,000, down eight per cent from the previous period, and the number of hired workers, at 65,000, was down two per cent.

RED MEAT PRODUCTION IN TEXAS decreased one per cent from a year ago, the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service notes.

The 305.5 million pounds compares with 308.7 million pounds a year ago.

Nationwide, beef production was two per cent below a year ago while pork production was six per cent above a year ago. A decrease of 12 per cent in lamb and mutton production was also noted.



THE GREEN THUMBERS work all over Floyd county and are pictured here while painting the baseball stands in Floydada. They will begin a dismantling old house project next. (left to right) Agustin Munoz, Allen Rendon, foreman, Jose Palanco, Andres Soliz, safety monitor, Pedro Vallejo, and not pictured is Francisco Granado. (Staff Photo)



All indications point to a "reasonably strong but weather-sensitive cotton market for 1977 and perhaps into 1978," according to Donald Johnson, Executive Vice President of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

This was the gist of Johnson's remarks March 10 at a Lubbock County meeting called to elect a Producer Director to PCG for 1977 and 1978. About 50 cotton producers and cotton-related business people in attendance re-elected by acclamation W.B. Criswell of Idalou, a director since 1970 and current PCG President.

PCG has two directors from each of 25 counties surrounding Lubbock, one a cotton producer and the other an agribusinessman, elected at county meetings on alternate years for two-year terms. Criswell is serving his second year of a two-year maximum term as PCG President. A new president will be elected following the commodity organization's annual membership meeting in April.

After the election Johnson pointed out to the group that a combination of tight world cotton supplies and doubt about the size of U.S. and foreign production increases for 1977 is holding cotton prices firm and should continue to do so at least through 1977.

"However as planting dates approach and throughout the growing season the market will be highly sensitive to weather news," he cautioned.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture early this year reported that U.S. producers intended to plant 12.8 million acres to cotton, up 1.2 million and 10 percent from the acreage planted in 1976.

But Johnson noted that drought conditions in California and higher prices for land-competitive soybeans in the Mid-South have made it reasonably certain that final cotton acreage will be "something less" than 12.8 million.

Commenting on prospects for a farm program to replace the one expiring with the current crop year, Johnson said "It will be hard to get a firm handle on this subject until such time as USDA expresses its views." USDA is scheduled to testify at Senate and House Agriculture Committee hearings on March 15 and 17, respectively, he reported.

PCG and other cotton organizations appeared before the House Committee on February 24 and before the Senate Committee February 28. "So far," Johnson stated, "with the exception of a desire for higher loans and target prices, the hearings have revealed no strong push for major changes in the cotton section of the current law."

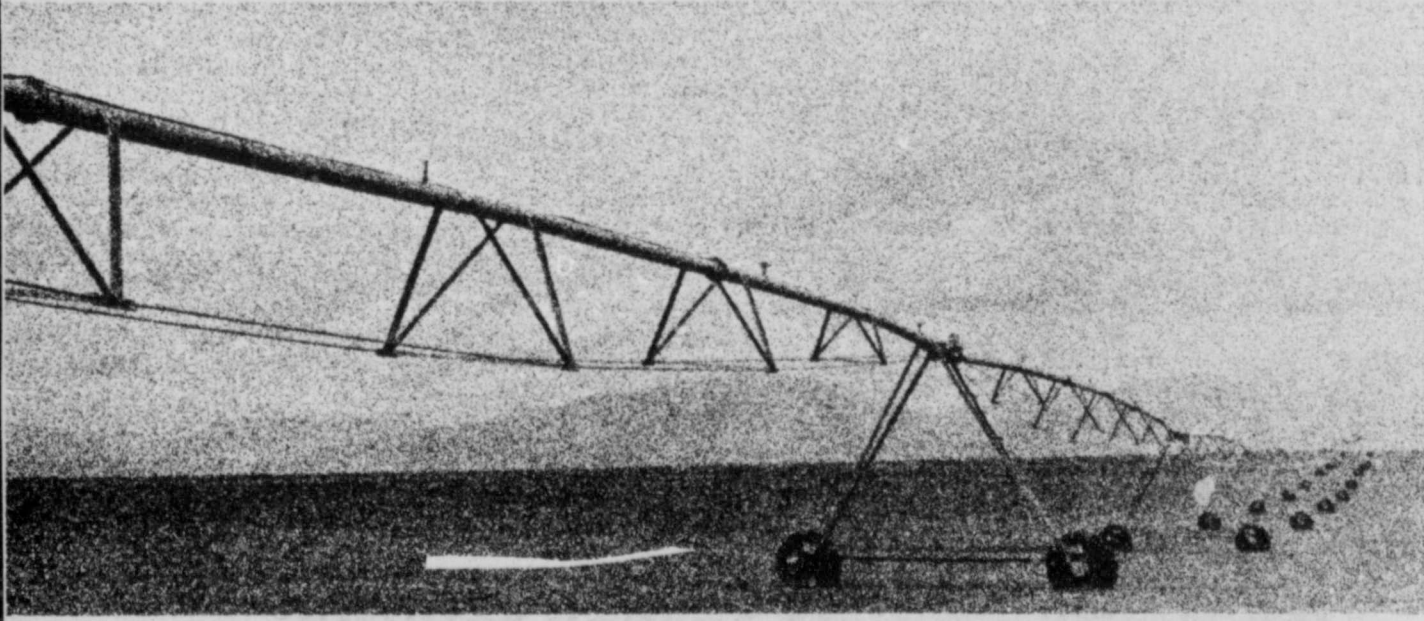
The 1977 crop will be produced under the program in effect since 1974, with a loan price at 42.58 cents per pound, basis Middling one inch, 3.5 to 4.9 micronaire, which is up 5.46 cents from 1976. The 1977 target price has been announced at 47.8 cents per pound against the 43.2-cent target for 1976.

Should prices received by all farmers for all cotton during the calendar year 1977 average below the target price, producers would be eligible for a deficiency payment.

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49¢ Value

14 oz. Kraft
CARMELS

2/99¢

93¢ Value

1 lb. Nabisco
CRACKERS

79¢

1 lb. Roman Meal
BREAD

2 For 99¢

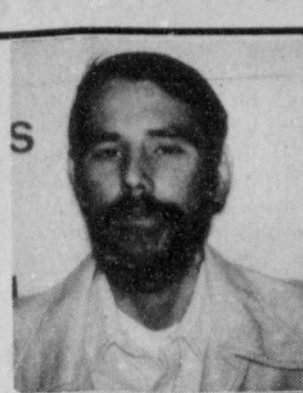
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\$1.55 Value

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SEEDS

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PEAS

3/\$1.00

45¢ Value

8 1/2 Peanut Butter
CRUNCHOLA BARS

79¢

\$1.09 Value

7 1/2 Golden Grain Macaroni & Cheese
DINNER

4/\$1.00

33¢ Value

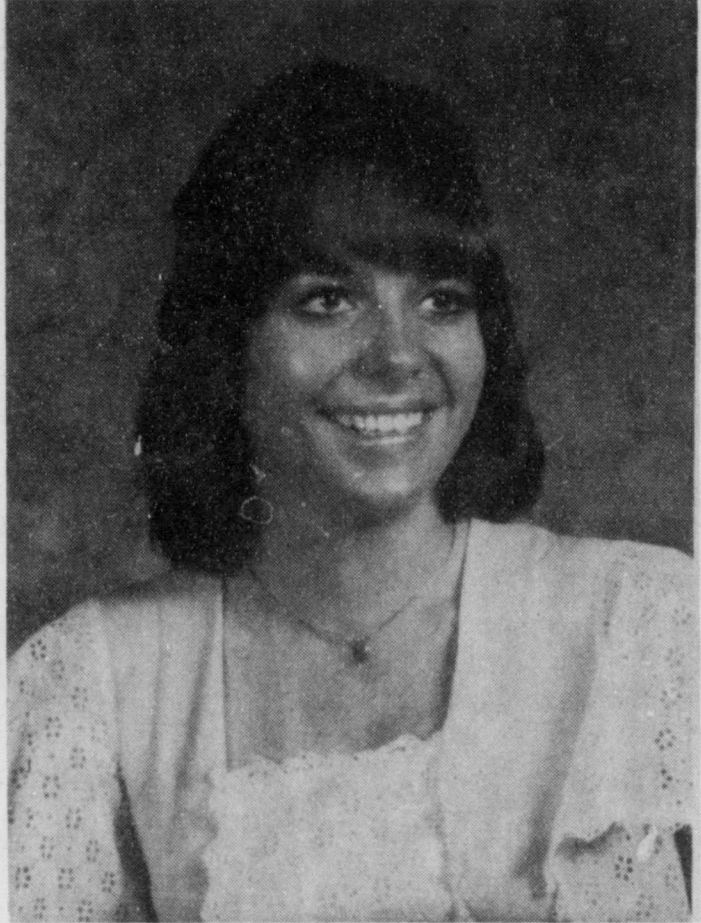
Society

Cosmopolitan Club Meets In Anderson Home

The Cosmopolitan Club of Plainview met in the home of one of its members, Mrs. J. C. Anderson, of Floydada on Thursday. Special guest was Mrs. Linh Do from Vietnam, wife of Dr. Do of Matador.

The program was presented by Mrs. Pat Ochoa who is a representative of the American Heart Association. She spoke on hypertension.

Members present from Floydada were Mrs. Al Howard, Samoa; Mrs. Ralph Rucker, England; and the hostess, Mrs. Anderson, Germany. From Plainview: Mrs. J. P. Senter, England; Mrs. R. C. Palmer, England; Mrs. Johnny Ballew, Japan; Mrs. Welden Balwin, France; Mrs. Irving Craft, Germany.



Mrs. Michael Thompson

Marriage of Terri Gross,

Michael Thompson Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gross and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thompson announce the marriage of their children, Terri Ann Gross and Michael Thompson.

The couple were married last week in a quiet ceremony at their home in Lubbock.

For her wedding the bride chose a brown pant suit with harmonizing accessories.

The Rev. Herman Phillips performed the ceremony.

The couple's attendants were Kelli Trowbridge and Jay Thompson.

They will be at home in Commander's Palace, 6801 W. 19th, Lubbock, Texas.

Standing committee re-

bers met in the George Springer home. Mrs. Springer was assisted with hostess duties by Mrs. J. T. Huckabay.

The program topic was "Women Aware of Public Needs" concerning the prevention of cancer. Members answered roll call by telling when they had their last checkup. Mrs. J. P. Moss presented "You Won't Die of Cancer if You Never Get It" and Mrs. Garland Foster gave "There Are Ways To Reduce the Risk."

During business presided over by president, Mrs. Kyle Glover, members discussed a garage sale for a money raising project. Mrs. John Reue offered her garage for the sale which will be held on Thursday and Friday, March 31-April 1.

Reports were heard from various committees included the president's report of the Caprock District convention in Lubbock, and from the committee which attended the public hearing with county commissioners on county revenue money last Monday.

The club welcomed a new member, Mrs. W. H. Bunch and two guests, Mrs. Homer Newberry and Mrs. Riley Holmes.

Others present included Mmes. Allen Bingham, Wilson Bond, L. L. Clark, Den-

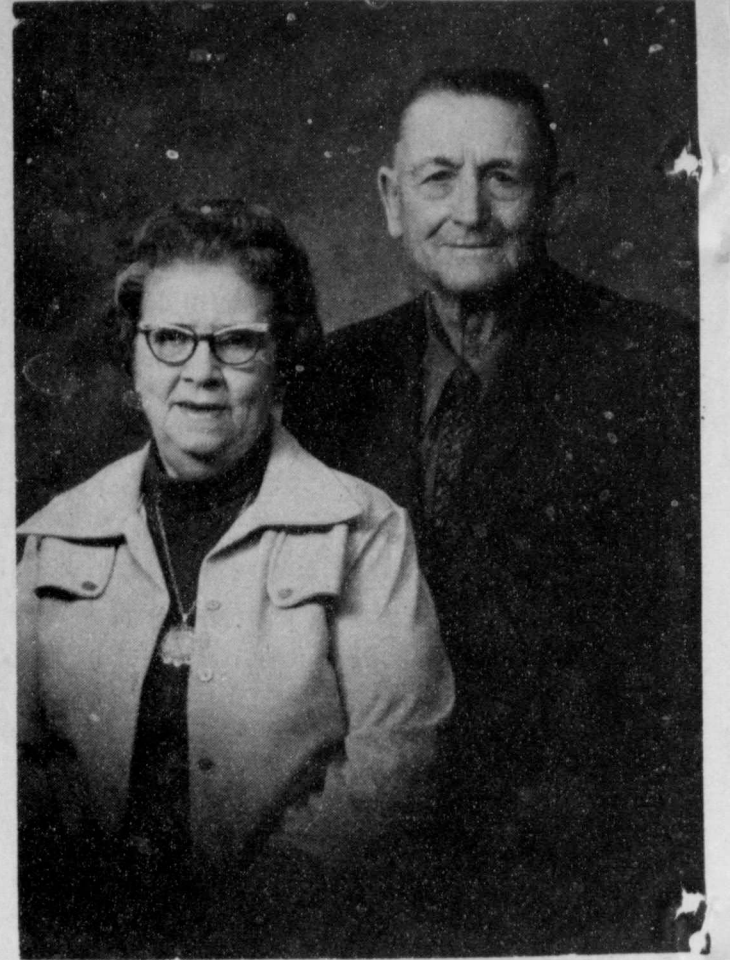
Reception To Honor Mr. And Mrs. Pricer On Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pricer will be honored at a reception in the community room of the First National Bank in Floydada, 124 South Main, on Sunday, March 27th in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary. Friends and relatives are

invited to call between the hours of 2 and 4 o'clock p.m. Hosting the reception will be their daughter, Mrs. Wanda Parks and their grandchildren, Mrs. Darlene VanDuker, Barry Brock and Vanda Brock, all of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

The former Velva Teal and Albert Pricer were married March 26, 1927 in Idalou, Texas. Mr. Pricer is retired from the Texas Highway Department. Mrs. Pricer worked several years in the Floyd county school cafeterias.

They have lived in Floyd county more than 40 years. Mr. and Mrs. Pricer have one daughter who is a graduate of Floydada High school, three grandchildren, and one great granddaughter.



Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pricer

Alpha Mu Delta Chapter Elects New Officers For 1977-78

The Alpha Mu Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held its regular meeting March 15 in the home of Ilene Kendrick and elected new officers. President Becky Pingleton called the meeting to order and led the opening ritual.

Roll was called and the minutes of the last meeting were read by Teresa Whittle.

The election of the 1977-78 officers was first on the agenda. Officers are nominated by the members and a secret ballot is taken. New officers are: president, Brenda Watson; vice president, Donna Henderson; recording secretary, Jo Ann Patterson; corresponding secretary, Kaye Powell; treasurer, Ilene Kendrick; and extension officer, Becky Pingleton. These officers will take their positions at the first May meeting.

Information from West Texas State in Canyon was received concerning the Woman of the Year competition. Our chapter was asked to nominate someone and enter her in the contest. Members nominated Vicki Thrasher from the Alpha Mu Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi. The winner will be announced in April at a banquet for the nominees and guests.

Kaye Powell reported the financial status of the chapter, and it was voted to pay all outstanding bills.

Standing committee re-

ports were given by Ilene Kendrick, program; Brenda Watson, social; Donna Henderson, service; Barbara Koch, membership; and Teresa Whittle, publicity.

The chapter presented housewarming gifts to Kaye Powell and Ilene Kendrick to congratulate them on their new homes.

All members voted to donate to the Love Fund set up for the Hernandez girl and her family.

Vicki Allen read the "Heritage Heartbeat" (a small devotional) to the members.

The program concerning religions was presented by Ilene Kendrick. Members assisted Ilene by presenting posters and reports on the different types of religions and their backgrounds throughout the world.

Assisting Mrs. Kendrick with the hostess duties were Donna Henderson, Vicki Latta, Judy Cornelius and JoAnn Patterson.

Sandwiches, chips, brownies, coffee and punch were served from a table decorated in observance of St. Patrick's Day.

Members present were Becky Pingleton, Barbara Koch, Teresa Whittle, Brenda Watson, Kaye Powell, Vicki Allen, Dixie Harris, Donna Henderson, Ilene Kendrick, Vicki Latta, Jan Nichols, and Vicki Thrasher.

Hobby Club Meets With Mrs. Denton

The Hook and Needle Hobby Club met in the Clarence Denton home March 15th and from there journeyed to Lubbock where they had lunch, then attended a work shop on foil art at Rhae's Craft Store.

Making the trip were Mrs. Denton, Mrs. W. H. Bunch, Mrs. Earl Crawford, Mrs. Johnny Bill Sue and Mrs. Glen White.

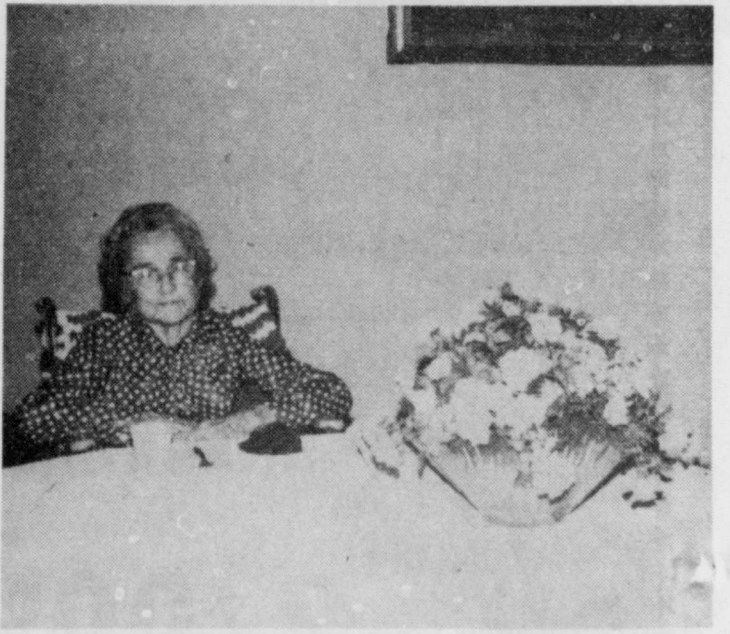
Next meeting is April 19th in the Earl Crawford home. All members are urged to attend.

Mary Martha Class Has Social

Mary Martha Sunday School class had a social at Mrs. Jessie Lye's home Wednesday. Mrs. Lye served coffee, sausage rolls, cookies and cake.

Juanita Jenkins brought the devotional, "I'm Old" by Agnes Pylant.

Those present were Carrie Apple, Agnes Frizzell, Frances Payne, Mrs. A. W. Payne, Bernice Reynolds, Ruth Mitchell, Juanita Jenkins, Edith Cooper, Cornelia Johnson, and one visitor, Karyn Julian from Plainview.



OBSERVES 83rd BIRTHDAY.....Mrs. Hallie Bertrand of the Floydada Nursing home was honored Thursday with a party at the home hosted by women of the City Park Church of Christ. (Staff Photo)

FLOYDADA Rest Home Birthday Party

March is such a WINDY month...It blows things all around... But that won't bother us one bit Because we're party bound!

Mrs. Hallie Bertrand is the one we greet today... She always wears a smiling face Whether it's at work or play!

And now the next in order... Will be the birthday song.. To cheer this lovely lady So join in and sing along!

The traditional birthday

song was voiced and women of the City Park Church of Christ served the honoree and guests a decorated cake and punch last Thursday, in observance of those with birthdays in March.

Several members of Mrs. Bertrand's family were present on her birthday which was March 8th and also for the occasion Thursday. Her children are Neal, William and Harold Bertrand and Mrs. Ernie Widener, all of the Floydada area.

Mrs. Bertrand was born in Clifton March 8, 1894, and came to Floyd County in 1934. She has been a resident of the nursing home since 1968.

To commemorate his 700th parachute jump, British Army Sergeant Hector Macmillan made a leap in full Scottish national dress, including kilts, while playing "The Road To The Isles" on his bagpipes!

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bers met in the George Springer home. Mrs. Springer was assisted with hostess duties by Mrs. J. T. Huckabay.

The program topic was "Women Aware of Public Needs" concerning the prevention of cancer. Members answered roll call by telling when they had their last checkup. Mrs. J. P. Moss presented "You Won't Die of Cancer if You Never Get It" and Mrs. Garland Foster gave "There Are Ways To Reduce the Risk."

During business presided over by president, Mrs. Kyle Glover, members discussed a garage sale for a money raising project. Mrs. John Reue offered her garage for the sale which will be held on Thursday and Friday, March 31-April 1.

Reports were heard from various committees included the president's report of the Caprock District convention in Lubbock, and from the committee which attended the public hearing with county commissioners on county revenue money last Monday.

The club welcomed a new member, Mrs. W. H. Bunch and two guests, Mrs. Homer Newberry and Mrs. Riley Holmes.

Others present included Mmes. Allen Bingham, Wilson Bond, L. L. Clark, Den-

4-H CLUB

Cloverleaf 4-H Club met March 14th at the ag building.

Our project this month was about wood craft, presented by Cindy Dudley. She showed us what kind of tools we should use for carving and what kind of wood to use.

Those present were Kyle Adams, Drew Ann Johnson, Jay King, Ricky Poole, Kent Mankins, Deen and Sarah Dickson, Cindee and Wally Davis, Ann, Caren, Nina and Patti Campbell, and Neva West.

nis Dempsey, R. G. Dunlap, Leon Ferguson, Garland Foster, Kyle Glover, J. S. Hale Jr., J. T. Huckabay, M. J. McNeill, J. P. Moss, W. O. Newberry, Vernon Parker, John Reue, George Springer, Fred Stewart, L. B. Stewart, W. W. Trapp, J. R. Turner, and A. L. Wylie.

Next club meeting is April 12 in Lighthouse Electric for a program on criminal problems to be presented by the regional coordinator of Texas Crime Prevention. All members are urged to attend.

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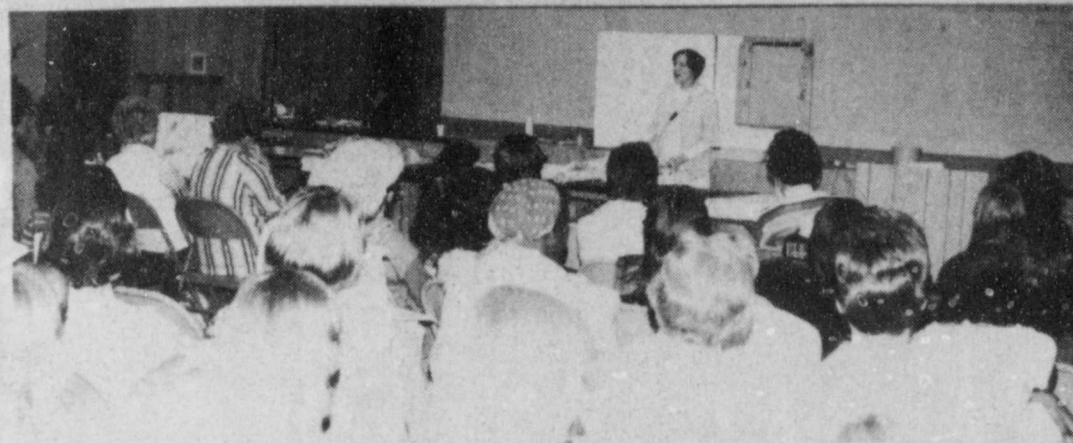
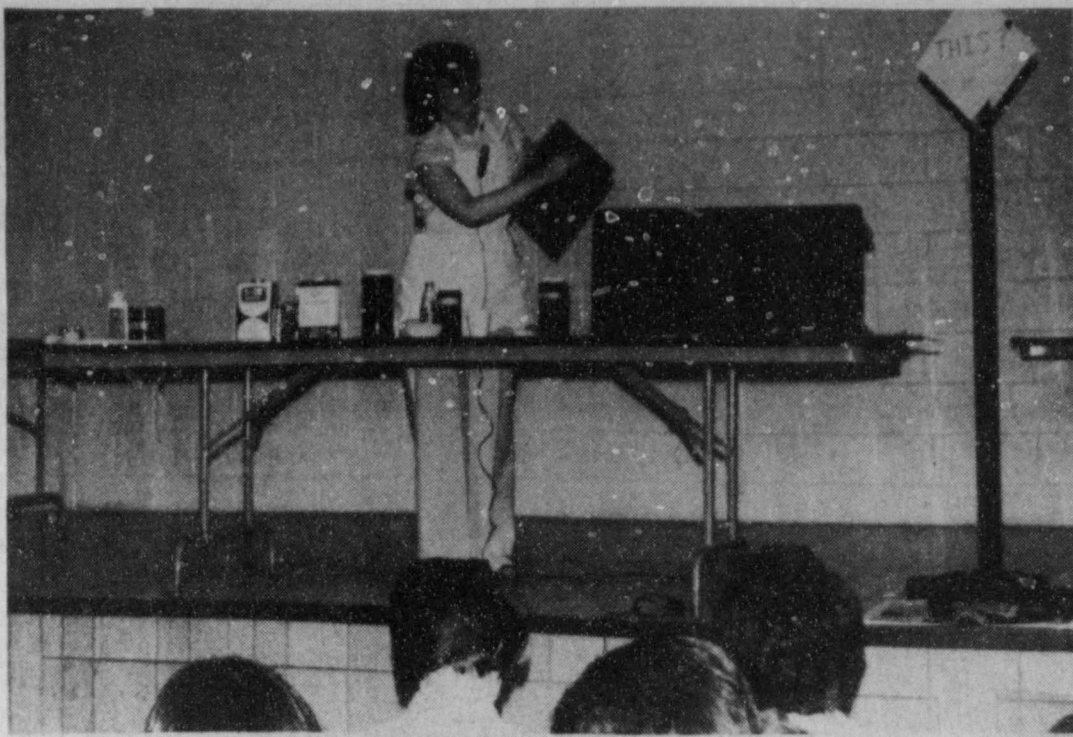
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Rebekahs Observe St. Patrick's Day

Floydada Rebekahs were presented with a St. Patrick's Day program Tuesday night during their regular meeting at the Lodge Hall. Irish poems were read by Lona Sparks and Amanda Hart and the group sang "My Wild Irish Rose." After business green colored punch and a white cake decorated in white icing were served from a table laid with a green lace cloth. Amanda Hart, Noble Grand, and Foy Gooch, Vice-Grand, presided at the serving table.

A social hour was also enjoyed.

Athena Attends Convention

Members of Athena Jr. Study Club attending the recent Caprock District Convention in Lubbock were Virginia Taylor, Sue Zorger, Sandra Turley, Sheree Cannon and Sally Carthel. The program for the Friday night banquet was a style show featuring First Ladies Fashions. Athena's president, Sandra Turley wore a 20 yard nightgown of the type worn by Martha Washington. Sue Zorger, another Athena member, modeled an elegant long dress and cape of the Julia Pierce era. The show included styles from Martha Washington down through Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.

Oral reports were given at various times during the meeting by Sheree Cannon, district chairman for Public Affairs; Sally Carthel, district chairman for the Outstanding Club Program; Jan Mize, state Arts Chairman; and Sandra Turley was one of five club presidents to report in the Junior session. A memorial service was conducted by Virginia Taylor on Friday afternoon.

Awards won by Athena and its members for the year and presented at the convention included: Third high point club, 100% subscription to the Clubwoman magazine, first in appropriateness of year book cover, the second in Outstanding Club Program. Virginia Owens was presented as Athena's candidate for Outstanding Leadership Development and won first place in the Caprock District. Winning chairman reports were second place in Public Affairs, Nida Peek chairman, and third place in Public Affairs, Donnie Meriwether reporting chairman. Athena's Americanism report by Sally Carthel, chairman, won second place.

Two members won first with their poetry entries. Jan Mize won first with her poem "Mad Ads" in the humorous division and Charlotte Mitchell won first with her entry in the any style division, "I Like Kids". Sandra Turley won first with a brush oil entry in the Arts Show and a first in the pallette knife oil division.

Floydada Nursing Home Happenings

By Faye Walters
CONTINUED FROM
LAST THURSDAY

We have had real good exercise classes and everyone seemed to enjoy them. Tuesday was manicure day again and we were busy all afternoon.

Wednesday we took a field trip. It was such a beautiful day. We also enjoyed ice cream. Taking the trip were Viola Weems, Dora Langford, Agnes Anderson, Florence Badgett, Hope Hammonds, Ida Martin, myself, and driver, Grady Freeman. It was sure nice for our people to get outside again. We are happy to have Gordon Appling home from the hospital but sorry Clea Bradshaw and Mark Jordan are still there.

We would like to thank the Sunshine Sunday School class for bringing treats to all our residents. They are so thoughtful of our dear people and we know the Lord will richly bless them.

Thursday was fun day with Bingo as usual. Top winners were Ray Reed and Clara Williamson with three games each; Hope Hammonds, Hallie Bertrand, Agnes Anderson and Willie Mae Stambough all won two games.

We appreciate every visitor we had this week which included, Alma Ruth Nelson, Mrs. George Wexler, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Anderson, Mrs. C. W. Jones, Otis and Dorothy Anderson, Mrs. Paul E. Wilson, Sue Moore, Wayne and Bertha Appling, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert E. Davis, Flora Fawver all of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. David McCulley and Florene Teal, Lubbock; Kimberlie and Marcie Tatch, Colorado.

The Floyd Philosopher

Finds Trying To Raise Your Horizons Doesn't Work Out Well For Him

Editor's note: The Floyd Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm tries to look further ahead this week, to not much avail.

Dear editor:

It is taken as almost the gospel truth that a person should widen his mental horizons, shouldn't pull himself into a narrow circle and ignore what's going on in the rest of the world, but every time I try I wind up puzzled and confused.

For example, take disarmament. Every once in a while Russia and the United States get together to talk about limiting the production of strategic weapons, which I think are guided missiles with multiple warheads that go off in all directions, or something like that. I know they aren't bows and arrows.

The object of this, I think, is to save money and guarantee that in a war one side can't kill more people than the other, a sort of one-bullet, one-person deal, I guess you'd say. You might check this with the Supreme Court.

Knowing Russia's ability to sign an agreement with one hand and violate it with the other, and its refusal to let anybody keep tabs on its weapons production, and recognizing that both the U.S. and the Soviets are going to do everything they can to see that the other one doesn't get ahead, both working on new weapons ideas as fast as they can—knowing this, then it seems to me that a disarmament agreement is like trying to get

your opponent in an upcoming prize fight to agree to train less.

I'm sure I must be wrong about this, but that's what comes from looking beyond the fences on your own farm. The shape my fences are in, I don't like to look even that far.

Another thing I can't understand is the controversy over letting the Concorde land in this country. Frenchmen are crying that if it can't land here, they can't sell the big planes, and if they can't sell, it'll be an economic disaster. Americans living near airports say the things make too much noise, keep them away.

Have you ever had a helicopter fly low over your house? Do you live near a railroad track? Do big trailer trucks change gears near your home? You ever had a motor boat roar by while you were fishing quietly from the bank of a lake? How do you suppose a visiting dignitary feels when a 21-gun salute goes off behind him? You ever heard one kid scream at another in a small house on a rainy day? You ever been to a political convention?

Noise is like a popular singer who can't sing. After he yells the first few notes, anything beyond that is no worse.

People who want to travel from one country to another ought to go quietly by sailing ship, although I've been told that late at night the tall masts make a weird creaking sound.

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

"42" Party For Silverton Young Farmers

Silverton Young Farmers hosted a salad supper and "42" party on Saturday March 12 at the P.C.A. Community Room for members and guests.

Ham, various salads, cake and pie were served to twenty four in attendance.

The high prize winner in "42" was captured by Fred Brannon and low prize went to Fred Hill.

Those attending the SUP-
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per were Clinton Dickerson, Tobe Riddell, Calvin Shelton, Fred Brannon, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bean, Mr. and Mrs. Jeep Jarrett, Mr. and Mrs. Van Breedlove, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Turner.

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DEMONSTRATIONS AT HAPPENINGS '77...held at Massie Center last Tuesday in Floydada. Top photo is Laura Rowan, home economist and a volunteer of Floyd County Home Living committee demonstrating furniture refinishing. Middle photo is Glenda Moore, Housing and Home Furnishing specialist, and bottom photo, just a few of the many who attended the all day program. (Staff Photos)

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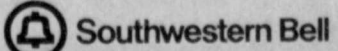


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"Hello?" "Hi Marge, this is Suzie." "Suzie, Suzie, Suzie! What a pleasant surprise!" "How are ya?" "I'm doing just fine. How are things with you?" "Oh, things are terrific around here since you left." "I'll bet. You know I miss you guys." "How do you like your new house?" "Oh, Suzie, it's terrific." "Did you get what you wanted?" "That and more." "Well?" "Well what?" "Tell me about your stupid new house." "Suzie, it's fabulous." "Did you get the big back yard you wanted?" "Three acres with all new appliances!" "Do you have a garden?" "We have a greenhouse!" "Do you have a nice kitchen?" "A huge kitchen with all new appliances!" "Do you have some aspirin?" "Aspirin?" "Yeah, you're making me sick." "You should complain. You're not exactly living in a dump." "How does Fred like his new job?" "Suzie, he's a new man." "He likes it?" "He loves it. Absolutely loves it." "That's good." "How is Jack?" "Fine. He's going through a do-it-yourself phase right now." "Oh, good." "Everytime I ask him to do something, he yells 'Do it yourself!'" "Oh, not good." "When are you coming to visit us?" "When are you going to invite us?" "You know you have a standing invitation." "Yeah, but we'd rather sit." "I'm serious. When are you coming?" "Name a date." "How about in a few weeks... say the week of the 29th?" "Wait a minute, let me get my calendar... the 29th?" "That's a Saturday." "Yeah. Sounds good." "Okay, it's a deal. We'll be expecting you." "What do you want us to bring?" "Just your sense of humor." "No." "No." "Just joking." "Funny." "You missed a great party at the Smiths' last night." "They had a party? They never have parties." "They've been waiting for you to move away." "What happened?" "Well, for starters, Jackie's dog ate the main course before any of the guests arrived." "You're kidding." "No. Then the air conditioning went on the blink." "No wonder they never had any parties. What did everyone do?" "We starved and perspired a lot." "Sounds awful." "Speaking of starving, how's the old diet?" "I'll tell you if you tell me." "125." "Oh, Susan! You've been cheating!" "No I haven't." "Well how can you lose weight if you've been eating?" "How about you?" "I'm not telling." "Come on." "One fxxvie five." "What?" "One fxxvie five." "Marge, you're mumbling." "One fxxvie five." "One forty five?" "Less." "One thirty five?" "See, that's not so bad." "That's terrible." "I know." "What's your excuse?" "A perfectly understandable insecurity resulting from having to adapt to new surroundings." "New surroundings. The only new surroundings you're gonna have to adapt to is the lard surrounding your midsection." "Hey, look. Go easy kid. I don't have you to nag me any more." "Well, it hasn't been easy for me either." "You wouldn't believe the food prices here." "Oh?" "Low." "Low?" "Low." "No wonder you're eating so much." "I'm not kidding." "Neither am I." "...I'm saving about 15 dollars a week over what I used to pay." "You're kidding!" "I'm not kidding." "Sounds like you got a raise, too." "Right. 15 dollars to blow on anything I like... toilet paper, floor wax and soap." "Don't forget laundry detergent." "Right." "Hey, you took something of mine when you left." "Your yellow sweater?" "Did you take my sweater?" "Sorry, I wasn't going to tell you." "That's okay. You keep my sweater and I'll keep your skirt." "Skirt?" "You know, the one with all the animals on it?" "Oh, yeah. I'd forgotten about that." "Is it a deal?" "We'll trade when you come to visit." "Sour puss. I'm sorry I even brought the subject up." "What were you going to say?" "I was going to say that you took my Suzie Fu Yung recipe." "Did I?" "Yes." "I'll give you that too when you come." "Good." "See? Just think of all the nice things awaiting you when you come." "I can't wait. Hey, I have something for you." "What?" "A riddle." "Shoot." "What has four holder-uppers, four puller-downers, a pair of lookers, and a swishy-wishy?" "I don't know, what?" "I'll tell you when we come to visit." "Oh, no you don't!" "Bye." "Come on, tell me!" "Bye." "Suzie!"

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OBITUARIES

Margrey Potts

Funeral services for Margrey May Potts, 84, of John Knox Village in Lubbock, were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Lockney First Baptist Church. The Rev. Charles Broadhurst of Lubbock officiated, assisted by the Rev. John Jenkins, pastor of the Lockney church.

Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park under direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Lockney.

Mrs. Potts died about noon Wednesday after a long illness. She was born May 19, 1892 in Alliance, Nebraska and moved to Floyd County in 1911. She married J. B. Potts December 1, 1912. He died in 1960.

Survivors included two daughters, Mrs. Gladys Hay of Lubbock and Mrs. Norene Roberson of Olton; two sons, Melvin Potts of Lampasas and Joe B. Potts, Jr. of Abilene; one sister, Mrs. Grace Colson of Lockney; 10 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

F. De La Cruz

Services for Florencio De La Cruz, 73 year old Floyd

dada resident, were tentatively scheduled for Saturday, March 19 at 4 p.m. in the St. Mary Magdelin Church in Floydada with Father Richard Casey officiating. Burial was scheduled to be in Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

De La Cruz died Thursday in Lockney General Hospital.

A native of Mexico, he was born December, 1903 and married Mary Coronado in Edenburg, Texas on September 14, 1942. They moved to Floyd County some ten years ago from Levelland. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Stephen and Lorenzo both of Floydada and John of South Plains; three daughters, Susan Hernandez and Francis De La Cruz of Floydada and Teresa Valdez of Big Spring; 31 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.



Poison ivy rash can be recognized as clusters of small blisters of various sizes, on reddened shiny skin.

What One Person Can Do

JUDY GILLIOM, EDITOR

Judy Gilliom cannot even write her own name, yet she is the editor of a bimonthly magazine with a national circulation of 13,000. Several years ago, she fell off a kitchen stool and suffered a sharp blow on the back of her neck that left her paralyzed below the shoulders.

After two major operations and almost a full year in a rehabilitation institute, Ms. Gilliom regained enough control of her biceps to allow some limited movement in her arms. Even though her fingers remained immovable, she wanted to return to her job as editor of Hearing and Speech Action in Washington D.C.

"My old boss approached me after a lot of thought about the problems involved," says the determined Ms. Gilliom. "I was terrified. Both of us had misgivings, but I knew that I could never forgive myself if I didn't try."

She turned her nursing home bedroom into an office, complete with power wheelchair, specially adapted cassette dictator-transcriber and the usual file cabinets and book shelves.

Once again, she is the busy editor. Mornings, she dictates articles and editorials. Afternoons are usually spent on the telephone with writers, the printer or her boss. Evenings, Ms. Gilliom visits friends or goes to movies or the theater in her specially outfitted van.

Judy Gilliom has not let her physical handicap excuse her from using her talents and skills. "Facts are facts," she says. "Wishful thinking is a waste of time." It's easy to find excuses for not doing what we have the talent to do. Do you make excuses?

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Tournament

At Silverton

Silverton Young Homemakers are sponsoring a volleyball tournament April 7-8-9 at the Silverton gym.

Entry fee will be \$12.00 per team. To enter contact Carolyn Turner, Box 353, Silverton, TX 79257 phone 806-823-2193.

Silverton Young

Farmers Meet

Silverton Young Farmers met Thursday March 10 in the Pioneer Room of the First State Bank.

Larry Yowell and Dale Meixner, representatives of McNair Seed, Lubbock presented the program on various grain sorghums and corn varieties.

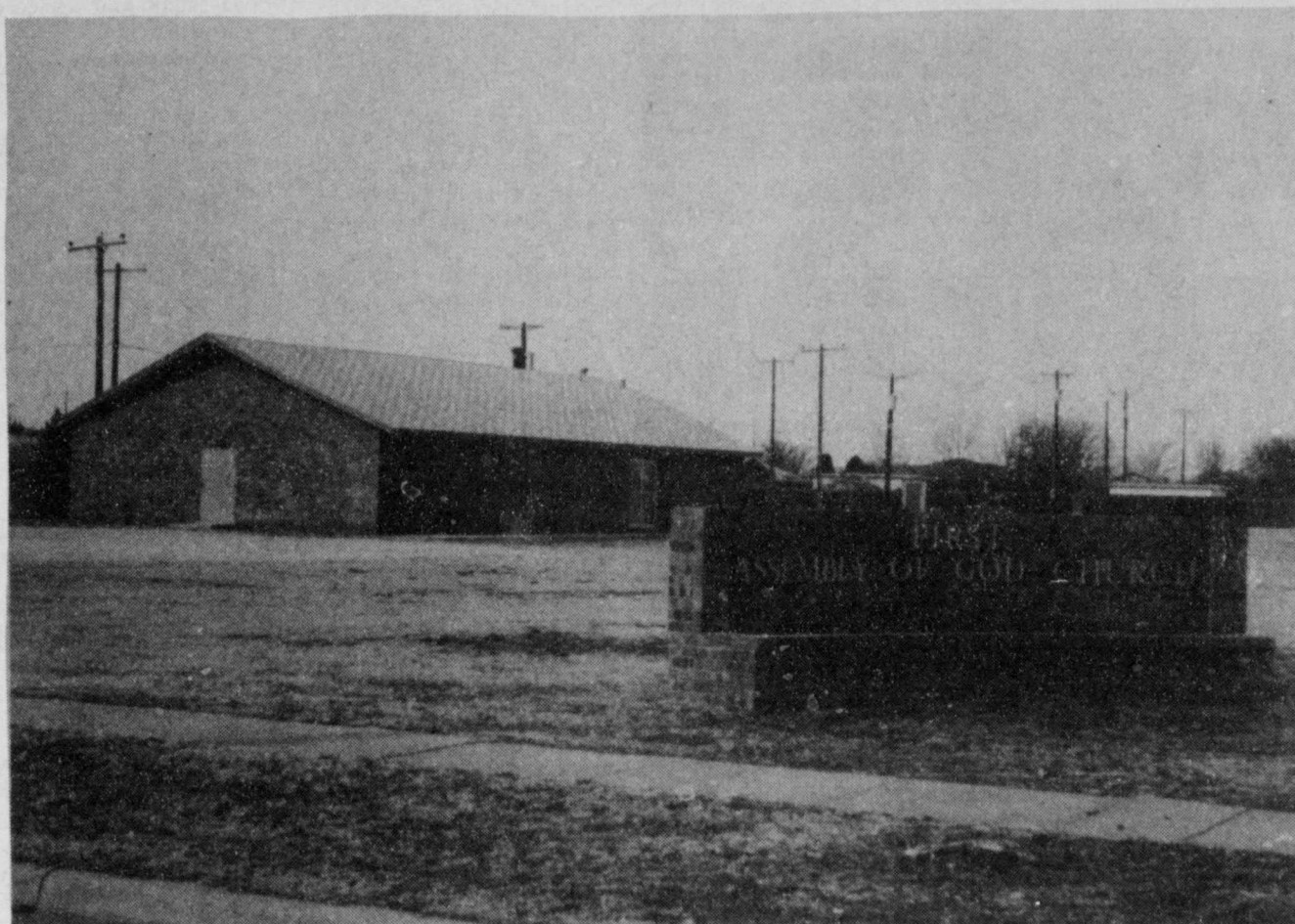
Following the programs, a business meeting was conducted by Wayne Stephens, president. The Young Farmer Rodeo to be held in August was discussed as well as the rodeo dances.

Silverton Young Farmers will sponsor a consignment farm sale on April 2 at the Wood Memorial Arena in Silverton. Young Homemakers will have the concession stand at the sale.

The club hosted a salad supper and "42" party March 12 at the P.C.A. Community Room.

Those present for the March 10th meeting were Bailey Loyd, Orville Turner, Tobe Riddell, Jimmy Myers, Bill Rampsy, Jerry Bean, Fred Minyard, Van Breedlove, Ed Lain, Calvin Shelton, Fred Hill, G. W. Chappell, Clinton Dickerson, Doug Bradford, Wayne Stephens and guests Larry Yowell and Dale Meixner.

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Ron Pingelton, Pastor
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday Morning
Worship 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

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Jim Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening
Worship 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday Morning 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Youth Service .. 5:00 p.m.
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Evangelistic 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night
Service 7:00 p.m.
Thursday Womens
Missionary 9:00 a.m.

SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Fred Blake
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
No Evening Services

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Emmett Clampitt, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.

NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Joe M. Jackson
Sunday Congregational
Singing 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.

SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
Lloyd Hamilton, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening
Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening
Services 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening
Services 7:30 p.m.

NEW HOPE PRIMITIVE
Beathel Jeffrey, Pastor
2nd Sunday
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
CEDAR HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rev. Jackie Thompson
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evangelistic Service 6:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
F.C. Bradley, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Church Training 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. Robert Rhodabarger
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Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.
Sunday Night Youth 7:00 p.m.
6:00 p.m.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

DOUGHERTY BAPTIST CHURCH
Jim DeWese, Pastor
Sunday Services 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
Melvin Byrd, Minister
Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
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French Firm Leases Lands

By JAY JORDEN
Globe-News Staff Writer

More than 28,000 acres of Briscoe and Swisher County range and farmland have been leased by a French-based mining company within the last three years, the Globe-News learned yesterday.

Land records on file in the Briscoe County Courthouse in Silverton indicate the French American Metals Corp. (FRAMCO) has leased 22,397 acres of land for mining uranium, thorium, and other fissionable elements.

Some 6,500 acres of land have also been leased in Swisher County, ap-

parently for the same purpose, the county clerk in Tulia said yesterday.

The president of the Denver-based firm yesterday confirmed the amount of the leases, which he said would allow both openpit and shaft mining if uranium is discovered on them.

The Briscoe County leases, which also include about 7,291 acres of permits with an option to lease, are for 10-year periods, Mrs. Bess McWilliams, Briscoe County and district clerk, said.

"These people who leased the property knew what the lease(s) said and I haven't heard any complaints about French geologists running around on anyone's land," she said.

The leases, for a 10-year exploration

program, include a 20,000-acre ranch, Michel Berville of Denver, president of FRAMCO, said.

"It takes ten years from when you start an exploration program," Berville told the Globe-News, "to (the point) you reach the stage of the first ore coming out of the mine."

Five leases totaling around 6,500 acres in Swisher County, consummated as early as 1975, have been filed in courthouse records, Mrs. Neil Cosby of Tulia, county clerk, said.

The mining leases, some of which were made for "\$10 and other valuable consideration," provide for "exploring, prospecting, and core drilling for and development and mining by the lessee of ore, minerals, metals and materials of all kinds, including but not limited to uranium, thorium, vanadium, niobium, copper and other fissionable or associated minerals," their text read.

"We have tried to get the leases, and

Three Rural Accidents In February

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated three accidents on rural highways in Floyd County during the month of February, 1977 according to Sergeant Ken

Evans, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and one person injured.

The rural traffic accident

summary for this county during the first two months of 1977 shows a total of seven accidents resulting in no persons killed and four persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for February, 1977 shows a total of 414 accidents resulting in 13 persons killed and 275 persons injured, as compared to February, 1976, with 416 accidents resulting in 17 persons killed and 243 persons injured. This was two less accidents, four less killed, and 32 more injured in 1977 at the same period of time.

The 13 traffic deaths for the month of February, 1977

occurred in the following counties: Two each in Lubbock and Randall; and one each in Archer, Wichita, Carson, Deaf Smith, Foard, Hall, Ochiltree, Oldham and Parmer.

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\$100	85	1 in 145,481	1 in 11,190	1 in 5,594
\$50	132	1 in 71,828	1 in 5,500	1 in 2,754
\$20	383	1 in 24,687	1 in 1,899	1 in 949
\$10	785	1 in 12,359	1 in 951	1 in 475
\$5	4,309	1 in 2,194	1 in 169	1 in 84
\$2	6,742	1 in 1,402	1 in 108	1 in 54
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Joe Jones' Steer Brings \$4,166



EYES CHAMPION STEER - Mrs. E. K. Hufstedler Jr. of Lubbock inspects the grand champion steer on which she posted the successful bid at the Southwest Junior Livestock Show here Wednesday. The Sinnenal-Hereford crossbred was exhibited by Jon Jones of Floydada. (Staff Photo)

Approximately a \$750 investment turned a handsome profit Wednesday for a Floydada Future Farmer of America (FFA) member.

Jon Jones sold his grand champion steer for \$4,166.02 at the premium auction which concluded the 44th Southwest Junior Livestock Show at the Panhandle South Plains Fairgrounds in Lubbock. He also received second in showmanship awards in the steer division.

A total of 227 steers, barrows and sheep passed through the auction ring. The E. K. Hufstedler Jr. family successfully bid on four champion animals. The show was dedicated to the late Lubbock businessman and civic leader for his longtime support of the regional exposition.

Mrs. Hufstedler made the top bid on the grand champion steer with a premium of \$3,700. The family also bid successfully on the grand champion barrow, champion fine wool lamb and South-down lamb.

The reserve grand champion steer, exhibited by Patt Terrell of Plainview, drew \$1,650.47. The total included a premium of \$1,175 from West Texas Peterbilt, Inc. of Lubbock.

A junior at Floydada High School, Jon said he is considering studying soil

science when he graduates. Texas Tech and West Texas State University at Canyon are the two schools he likes best.

Jon said he intends to either save the premium money his steer brought to finance part of his college education or "buy show steers."

Although his grand champion was a crossbred, the 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jones said he doesn't lean toward any particular breed.

"It's just what ever looks good at the time and is at the right price," Jon remarked.

PROPOSED DUST STANDARDS DAMAGING TO COTTON INDUSTRY

A cotton dust standard proposed by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) could severely affect the cotton industry, contends an agricultural engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The proposed standard is designed to protect individuals from the disease byssinosis. Due to the high cost of engineering controls to meet the standard, many cotton gins could be forced out of business. Thus many producers would have to transport their cotton 50 to 100 miles for ginning. Also, where gins made the investment, ginning costs would increase sharply and would reduce net profits to cotton producers.

As It Looks From Here

Omar Burleson, M.C. 17th District, Texas WASHINGTON, D.C.

Prior to 1883 federal employment was purely on the basis of the "spoils system." At that time, a part of what we know as Civil Service was adopted and in 1938 the so-called Hatch Act was enacted into law.

The Hatch Act, in effect, restricts federal civil service workers from participating in partisan political activity. The intent of the law is to remove political pressures from Federal employees by the politicians who would demand their support for themselves or their party under threat of being fired if they failed to do so.

There are now certain "Liberators" who would toss out the Hatch Act's restrictions which could again allow employees of the Federal Government to run for partisan political office, to work in partisan campaigns, to solicit funds and contribute money or work in Federal political activities under the direction of officeholders.

There is no evidence that a majority, or even a substantial number of civil servants want this liberation, but those pushing the revision or repeal of the Hatch

Act want to give it to them whether they want it or not.

Mr. Bertrand Harding, President of the National Civil Service League, testifying before a House Civil Service Subcommittee said,

"That which is permitted would quickly become required." He predicted that during the first election after the repeal of this law there would be subtle pressures on Federal employees to contribute and work for the officeholder or a political party; in the second election there would be the expectation, both within and outside the career service, for jobs or promotion for rewards of political activities; and by the third or fourth election, we would be back to pretty much what existed before 1883 - a pure spoils system.

Those who would gain by the repeal of the Hatch Act would be a very small percentage of workers who might want to run for public office or involved themselves in partisan politics. Union leaders who want to build a giant political force would gain the power they seek. The losers would be the vast majority of workers who will find themselves with little protection against coercion by political leaders and supervisors trying to make "Brownie points" with the politicians; workers who could well find advancement in a Civil Service position determined by political activity rather than by merit.

The public would also be the loser. A politicized Civil Service would mean an unstable and a less productive work force.

The Civil Service system is far from perfect but it has nothing to do with the Hatch Act. It certainly would have something to do with it if Federal employees had to be torn between loyalty to politicians and union leaders and loyalty to public service.

The Hatch Act was repealed in the last Congress but vetoed by the President. Similar legislation is already moving in the Congress and, as yet, there appears to be no expressed opposition from the Carter Administration.

As a compromise, a Virginia Member of Congress has suggested that Civil Service workers be allowed to participate in local and state partisan political campaigns but not on the Federal level. Such a compromise would allow Federal workers to take part in much of the political life in this Country without exposing them to pressures which could jeopardize their jobs, working conditions and chances for promotion. If revisions need to be made, it would seem that this approach would be far more desirable than outright repeal of the law which now provides independence and protection of Federal employees.

Lockney Locals

MR. AND MRS. LOREN RHODES had as guests last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Oscar J. Engel of Clarendon, Texas.

VISITING IN THE HOME of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Holt from Tuesday until Wednesday of this week was Mr. Holt's sister, Mrs. Jim Morrison of Dougherty, Texas.

MRS. JOHN (EULA) HOLMES spent several days last week in Central Plains Hospital, Plainview. She was again hospitalized in Central Plains several days ago, and is expected to remain for a while. Her room number is 423.

MR. AND MRS. JOE B. JONES have had several relatives visiting in their home recently. Mr. Jones' sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith returned to their home in Tucson, Arizona following a week's visit. Another sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wigal of Wolforth visited Tuesday and Wednesday. A daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. T.

Halford of Lubbock visited one day this week. Mr. Jones had minor surgery in Lubbock on Wednesday and returned home.

What One

Person Can Do

DR. FANNY LOWY, RETIRED PHYSICIAN, VOLUNTEER COUNSELOR.

For 16 years, Dr. Fanny Lowy had a busy practice in ophthalmology. After that, she spent a dozen years as a New York City Health Department public school doctor. Then at age 81, Dr. Lowy decided to go into a new professional area.

With a background of psychiatric training, Dr. Lowy became a volunteer counselor for the troubled or lonely patients at New York's Jewish Home and Hospital for the Aged.

"I'm the link between the patients and the staff doctors and attending physicians here," she explains. "Old people have a great need to talk to someone."

Besides her medical and psychiatric knowledge, Dr. Lowy has other experience which makes her a "natural" in her job. She is fluent in German, Polish, French and Russian. She was born in Poland when it was part of Russia. During political uprisings in Poland, she fled to Austria and earned her M.D. She was forced to flee again from the Nazis. At that time, she was in a near-fatal auto accident. With such a background, Dr. Lowy finds it easy to understand and communicate with the ill, the fearful and the lonely.

"She's very good at what she does," says one of her physician associates. "She knows how to talk to the patients, no matter who they are."

With a smile in her expressive hazel eyes, Dr. Lowy concedes: "There's a dose of egoism in all this. In helping them, I help myself." There is an urgent need for both professionals and lay people to share their time and experience as Dr. Lowy has done. Whether you are a teenager, young adult or elderly the Christopher challenge to "light one candle" is there.

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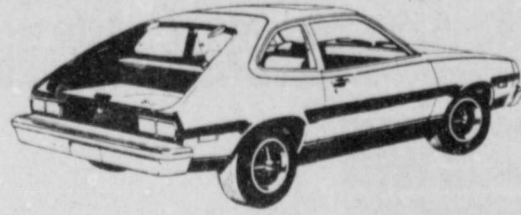
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School Finance Bill Advances

AUSTIN (UPI) — A House education subcommittee Wednesday approved a \$656.7 million school finance bill increasing state aid to public schools and requiring school districts to reduce local property taxes by about \$200 million in the next two years.

Rep. Tom Massey, D-San Angelo, chairman of the Education Committee, warned members of the subcommittee the Texas Association of School Administrators, and particularly Dallas school superintendent Dr. Nolan Estes, opposes the plan.

"These people do not want any property tax relief. They want that money spent on salaries and for other purposes," Massey said. "But I can tell you, property tax relief is in the wind this year, and this bill contains meaningful property tax relief."

"When you're lobbied by these people, I ask you to remember they're not the taxpayers, they're the tax spenders," he said.

The bill now goes to the House Education Committee, which will meet at 11 a.m. Monday to decide if the measure will be sent to the House for debate.

Three of the five subcommittee members who voted to advance the bill said

they will try to amend it during debate by the full Education Committee.

The proposal includes an additional \$78 million in state aid for maintenance and operation, \$75 million more for equalization aid, \$16.5 million for transportation, \$7 million for driver education, \$414 million for property tax relief, \$36 million in special aid for sparsely populated districts and lesser amounts for migrant education programs, tax accountability and a tax assessment practices board.

Massey said the \$414 million will be channeled to local districts to help reduce their share of the cost of school operations, and each district will be required to reduce its local taxes by about one-half the amount it receives from the state in property tax relief funds.

"It's roughly \$100 million per year in mandated local tax reductions," he said.

The bill calls for a phasing in of increased state aid so that by 1982 the state will pay for 100 per cent of the basic school program costs.

Massey invited critics of the bill to attend Monday's committee meeting and offer their suggestions for changes in the measure before it is sent to the House floor.

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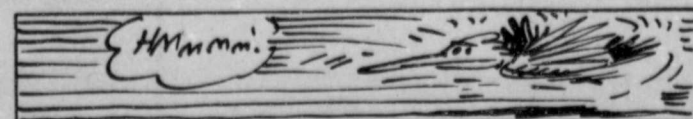


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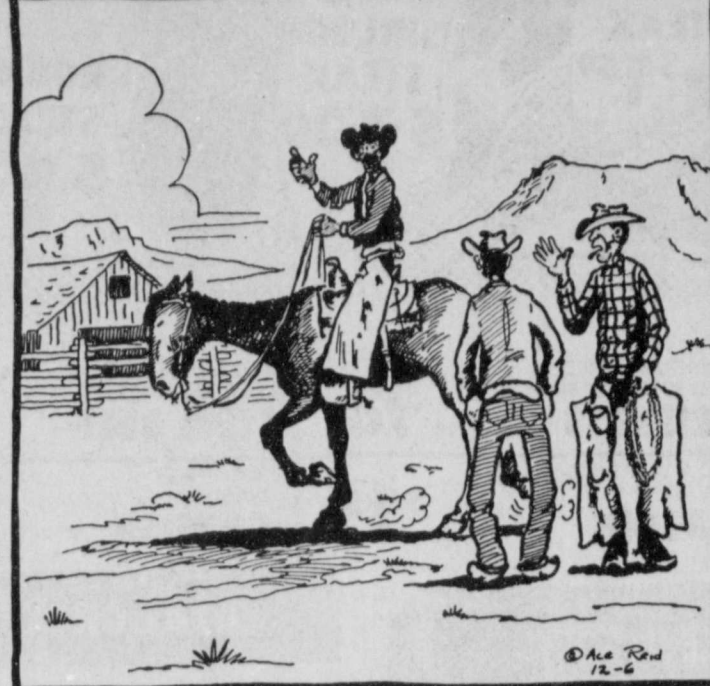
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