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It Depends on How You Look At It!

Almost daily our community has been encountering sad news of the death of some resident or former resident, or the member of a family of some resident.

Maybe soon we will all hear some good news!

Governor Dolph Briscoe's effort to help citizens of the state may be of benefit to citizens of Terrell County who were in favor of the acquisition of a referral clerk. We have absolutely no idea if some of that information may be obtained by the use of the "Tex-Help" telephone number, but it is worth a try for someone wanting information from the state government.

There is a public service ad in The Times this week that gives the number, but we'll use it here in an effort to catch the attention of readers twice. The number is toll-free: 1-800-292-9600.

If you have some question to ask of a state agency, try the number and let us know if it works. There will be no one to help in filling out forms or applications for the various helps available from the state, but possibly the phone call will help otherwise.

From the helpful to the useless: - -

A review of the state legislature's fun and folly does not often hit the presses or come in on the TV tube, and when it does, it's so ridiculous that the Texas voters who read about it often pass it up as a once-in-a-lifetime occurrence and let it pass. These ridiculous activities occur far more often than you might think!

Here's the latest one: A bill was introduced to change the name of "ladybug" to "person-bug" and to name the "person-bug" as the state bug. And at times the legislators wonder why constituents are not in favor of their voting themselves a raise.

Our neighbor paper "The Oena Stockman" jokingly (we think) said something about changing their name to "Stock-person" and got all kinds of letters objecting even to the idea.

We don't blame them! But that's just the way we look at it!

We have two announcements for the school board this week. Evidently there is to be some interest expressed in this race this year. We have heard some interest expressed in other ways, but we had not heard about the new candidates. The duties of the school board are a wide range of activity and some thought should go into the plans of voters before they make up their minds.

Most of the voters realize that the school board is responsible



Symbolizing his service as chairman of the intergovernmental relations committee of the Texas Senate, Senator W. E. (Pete) Snelson was presented a gavel by Lt. Governor William P. Hobby Jr. during opening ceremonies for the 64th Legislature. Senator Snelson represents 35 counties including Terrell County, and also serves on the finance and education committees.

Two Announce For School Post

Alex Escamilla and George C. Eggleston filed for posts on the board of trustees of the Terrell County Independent School District. This is the first political venture for both men.

Each expressed a desire to serve in that job because of an intense interest in the affairs of the school and ask for the support of the electorate on April 5.

Both men pledged to be active members of the board if elected.

Deed Records

Alicia Ochoa Garza, Pablo Ochoa Jr., Aurora Ochoa, Ophelia Ochoa, Josepha Ochoa, Manuel Ochoa, Elvira Ochoa to Eddie Ochoa and Luisa Ochoa Ball, Lot 12, Blk. 112, Wilson Addition. Vol. 65, pp. 307-309.

Rosalio Sanchez to Armando Esqueda and wife, Lot 17, Blk. 3, Newberry Addition. Vol. 65, p. 310.

Mark Van Overborg to J.E. Welch and wife, Sect. 6, Blk. D-11, TCRR. Vol. 65, pp. 311-313.

Samuel Barton Massey and wife, easement to Terrell County, Texas 20.08 acres relating to Site 11 of Sanderson Canyon Watershed. V. 65, pp. 314-315.

Send some friend The Times

Amounts Noted For Area Schools Emergency Funds

The amount of money that the Terrell County Independent School District is expected to receive, along with sums for other counties in West Texas, were released last week as a matter of public knowledge.

For Terrell County, the Average Daily Attendance was 390 for the period involved, with \$4,562.00 expected to be received from the emergency funding, and this is an average of \$11.68 per pupil.

For comparative purposes: Alpine ISD 1,275 - \$46,910 - \$36.78; Marathon ISD 203 - \$6,061 - \$29.87; Crockett County ISD is budget balanced; Fort Davis ISD 228 - \$7,256 - \$31.78; Valentine ISD 84 - \$2,804 - \$33.21; Marfa ISD 700 - \$22,181 - \$31.68.

The tax revenue of a school district is also a consideration in computing the needs of a school district for the emergency appropriation.

School Election Causes Controversy

The school board named the polling places for the school district trustee election at their regular meeting Monday night. The polling places for the election will be at the courthouse, at the Dryden Methodist Church, at the Herman Couch ranch, and at the El Paso Natural Gas Plant.

The Times was advised Tuesday afternoon that the school board had called a special meeting for Wednesday evening to consider changing the polling places for this election. The outcome was not available for this week's paper.

Judges and clerks for this election had not been named at this writing.

Other action by the school board included:

Approval of the minutes, financial report and paying the bills; ordered the trustee election; called a meeting for March 5 for drawing names of candidates for places on the ballot; designated Don Malone as driver education teacher for the summer course; purchased a new sprinkler system for the football field; renewed the contracts of the two principals, James I. Payne and Jack Cosby, and of the tax assessor-collector E.E. Harkins Jr.; authorized the razing of the old Lamar Ward School building next to the band hall.

Willie Banner has a big catfish hanging on his belt for the picture shown below. The Banner ranch near the Pecos River had a large spring, below which was built a large lake to impound water before it overflowed into the Pecos. Cy Banner, a nephew of the late Willie Banner, loaned us the picture.

Markers Planned To Mark Flood Victims, Grave

The Young People's Chamber of Commerce has gone into the planning of markers to be erected in Sanderson in connection with the flood of 1965.

One marker will be put up in the cemetery to mark the common grave of bodies disinterred by the flood in June of 1965, the other marker will be placed somewhere along the highway through Sanderson to commemorate the occasion and name the victims of the flood.

The YPCC is seeking help of other organizations in the county to finance the purchase and erection of the two markers.

Send The Times to someone!

Girls Win District Crown

The Sanderson High School Eaglettes claimed the district championship in basketball this year with their win over Grandfalls there last week. The score was 47-19.

Elaine Brown led the Eaglette scoring with 16 points, JoAnn Hagelgans 13, Bryanann Stavley 10, Gay TenEyck 4, Tammy Moses 3, and Alice Montalvo 1. The guards were Vonda Wallace, Linda Hagelgans, Janet Harrell, Patti Hope, Yolanda Rodriguez, and Cynthia Allison.

Jack Cosby, coach of the Eaglettes, took the girls to Fort Davis Tuesday night for the bidistrict game. The results of that fray could not be printed in The Times this week due to our deadline.

The Sanderson Junior High girls' basketball team won the district championship by defeating the Grandfalls team two of three games.

Mrs. Tommy Arthur, coach of the girls' team, stated that the district title was a "first" for the team and the girls were thrilled with their success, as was Mrs. Arthur. Their trophy is on display in the trophy case at the junior high school building.

The members of the team are Paula TenEyck, Lori James, Tammy Hagelgans, Paula Castro, Kathleen Cosby, Lisa Stavley, Roberta Bell, Sonja Allison, Diana Westbrook, and Jeanine Carter.

There is no further competition for the junior high school.

Special Election Set For April 22

A special election will be held over the state on Tuesday, April 22, to consider two proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution.

More details of the proposals and the election will be given at a later date.



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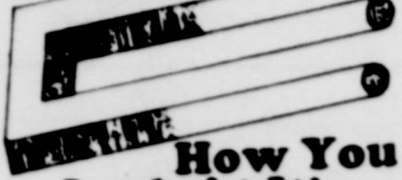
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ultimately for the hiring of teachers, administrators, tax collector-assessor, secretarial personnel, custodial personnel; they also are the final say in school policies concerning students, teachers, travel, dress, hours of school; bus routes; purchases of all supplies, material, etc., for the operation of the school; they set salaries of the employees of the school district; name voting places, election judges, etc., for the school board elections; specify the things that are to be on and off of the tax rolls, set the valuations to be affixed to certain properties, set the tax rate, work up an operating budget.

The Terrell County Independent School District is without a doubt the largest business in the county. It touches the lives of all people in the county either directly or indirectly, and its operation is far more important than most of us realize until we settle down to thinking about it.

At times some people think of the school board only as a body elected to hire teachers; then on another occasion, their duties solely are to govern the athletic teams, or to make a decision on curriculum, or govern the actions of the pupils. In other words, sometimes school patrons or parents become upset about some ruling or decision and action, and all of their interest in the school is wrapped up in that activity, and they think the school board's interest is the same. And maybe it is - but it should not be that way.

It appears to us that the school board is an important post.

Santos Rios, Buried February 10

Santos Rios died Tuesday of last week in a Fort Stockton hospital. He was 64 and had been ill for an extended period according to reports.

Services were held Wednesday in St. Joseph Catholic Church with Fr. Alvin Wilde officiating. Burial was in St. Agnes Cemetery under the direction of the Fort Stockton Funeral Home.

Rios was a retired ranch worker, having moved to Fort Stockton from Sanderson six months ago. He was born July 28, 1910 in Marathen.

Survivors include Cruz Rios of El Paso, a son; and two daughters, Mrs. Santa Gomez of El Paso and Mrs. Antonia deLeon of Balmerhea; three brothers, Eulalie Rios and Magdalene Rios, both of Fort Stockton and Juan Nunez of Sanderson.

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Mrs. C. G. Riggins Dies Monday Here

Funeral services were in Gonzales Wednesday morning for Mrs. Charles G. Riggins, 64, who died at her home early Monday morning, apparently of a heart attack. She had been in ill health in recent months, but seemed to be improved last week and able to be at her place of business.

Janes Funeral Home of Orona was in charge of arrangements. Burial was in Gonzales.

Mrs. Riggins was born in Gonzales on December 16, 1910, the former Cecilia (Teeler) Ebel. She was married to Mr. Riggins in Gonzales October 16, 1938. They came to Sanderson in 1948, opening the Riggins Jewel & Gift Shop after buying the jewelry business from Max Bogusch, later adding a florist business. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Sanderson.

Besides her husband, she is survived by five sisters, Miss Leda and Miss Olga Ebel, both of Gonzales; Miss Pauline Ebel of San Antonio; Mrs. Arthur Adolf of Three Rivers; Mrs. Harold Warwood of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton White took Mr. Riggins to Gonzales Monday afternoon and remained for the funeral services.

L.E. Muller and Ray Hodgkins went to Gonzales Tuesday evening and were among the pallbearers.

R. B. Mussey Interred Here Tuesday Afternoon

Reuben B. Mussey, 87, died in a Pecos hospital Sunday afternoon after suffering several strokes that day, according to reports. After fracturing his hip in a fall at his home in Pecos early in December, he had been in the hospital in Odessa and Pecos and later in a Pecos nursing home.

Funeral services were in the First United Methodist Church here Tuesday afternoon with Rev. David Treat, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Cedar Grove Cemetery.

He was born in Bexar County on January 9, 1888, and had lived in Pecos for the past 12 years. He was reared in Fort Stockton, but later moved to the ranch at Longfellow where

he worked not only as a cowboy, but also as a railroad water pumper from Longfellow to Sierra Blanca. He moved to Sanderson in 1912 and opened an automobile and blacksmith shop.

He was married to Stella Inez Parker in Sonora on November 12, 1915. She preceded him in death in 1960.

Survivors include two sons, R. B. Mussey Jr and Joe Mussey of Pecos; a daughter, Mrs. Enos Prejean of Oak Grove; a brother, Gayle (Cap) Mussey of Fredericksburg; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ervin Grigsby, Pat Harris, Jack Hays, R. S. Wilkinson, Edward Kerr, Jolly Harkins, Willis Harrell, and Albert Dale of Odessa.

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Mrs. Jay Boyd Wood
...wedding recently in Austin

Miss Joan Marion Blanton of Carrollton and Jay Boyd Wood were married recently in a ceremony at Lakeway Church in Austin.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Blanton of Carrollton and Mr. and Mrs. F.M. Wood Jr. of Sanderson.

Mrs. David Symmank, the bride's sister from Arlington, was matron of honor. Miss Nancy Hasty of Conroe and Mrs. Brucks Bader, sister of the bridegroom from Houston, were bridesmaids.

The bride chose an ivory formal gown of chiffon and re-embroidered alencon lace. The fitted bodice featured a shir yoke of lace and tiny bridal pearls, which also adorned the bodice with v-shaped wedding collar. The full bishop sleeves were of chiffon and appliqued with matching lace cuffs. The full circular skirt fell softly from the empire waistline, which flowed into a chapel-length train. She wore a caplet of matching lace which framed her face and held soft illusion falling around her shoulders.

Best man was the bridegroom's brother, J. Michael Wood, of Sanderson. Grooms-

PARTY FOR GREENE COOKE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Sunday was Greene Cooke's birthday and relatives gathered in his home to celebrate the occasion Sunday afternoon.

Ice cream and coffee were served with the birthday cake.

Those attending were his son and daughters and some of the grandchildren, including Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Harrison and Amy, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cooke and Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lowrance, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Golden and Traci, and Mr. and Mrs. Damon Harrison of Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Werneck and children of El Paso were weekend visitors with his mother, Mrs. Pat Harris Jr., and family.

Fuentes Villarreal Wedding Saturday

Miss Inez Villarreal became the bride of Jessie Fuentes in a double-ring marriage ceremony in St. James Catholic Church Saturday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

The bride is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Villarreal. Mr. and Mrs. Bernardo Fuentes of Alpine are the parents of the bridegroom.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of red and white checked taffeta overlaid in red chiffon. Her short veil of red tulle was attached to a coronet of white daisies. Her bridal bouquet was of crystal flowers trimmed in red and white.

Mr. and Mrs. Eutimio Rodriguez were the attendants for the couple.

The bride's sisters, Misses Elida and Minerva Villarreal, were hostesses for the reception in the Legion Hall following the wedding. Red and white streamers decorated the hall. Adelina Fuentes, sister of the bridegroom, and Norma Arredondo presided at the bride's book to register the guests.

A centerpiece of red and white flowers was on the table covered in a crocheted cloth over white for the serving of cake, punch, sandwiches, and wedding cookies.

The couple is residing in Sanderson where he is employed by the Southern Pacific Railroad. He is a graduate of the Alpine High School.

The bride, a graduate of the Sanderson High School, has been working as a beautician.

On Sunday, February 9, the bride-elect was honored at a shower in the Legion Hall with Mrs. Johnny Anderson as hostess.

After the honoree had opened her gifts and they were played, bridal bingo was played.

Salads, party crackers, punch,

Layette Shower For Mrs. W.O. O'Rourke

Mrs. W.O. O'Rourke was honored at a layette shower last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Tommy Arthur invited the teachers of the junior high school and high school to come by her home after school for the informal party.

Cake and coffee were served and the 15 guests visited after the honoree had opened her gifts which had been placed in a play pen which was a gift also.

White and yellow daisy mums were used for floral decorations.

Thursday, Mrs. Skily Schuch entertained with a luncheon at her home honoring Mrs. O'Rourke. Mrs. Bert Bell was co-hostess.

A high chair was presented to the honoree.

The guests included Mmes. Charles Stavley, Weldon Cox, A.K. Bradford Jr., Joe Brown, Carlos Kothman, and J.M. Davis.

and coffee were served.

Valentine hearts and red and white streamers decorated the hall.

Miss Minerva Villarreal registered the guests in the bride's book.

Guadalupe's Reunion Friday

The Guadalupeans held their monthly reunion on Friday of last week. All members will be notified of the next reunion.

Frefreshments of pecan pie and hot chocolate were served by Mmes. Pete Olivares, Joe Martinez, and Yolanda Rubio to the following members: Mmes. Antonio Calzada, Alejandro Marquez, Nati Venegas, E.R. Montalvo, Paul Guadarrama, Petra Garcia, Basilia Barron, Leonardo Pena, Otilio Escudero, Jose Garcia, and Ruperto Perez.

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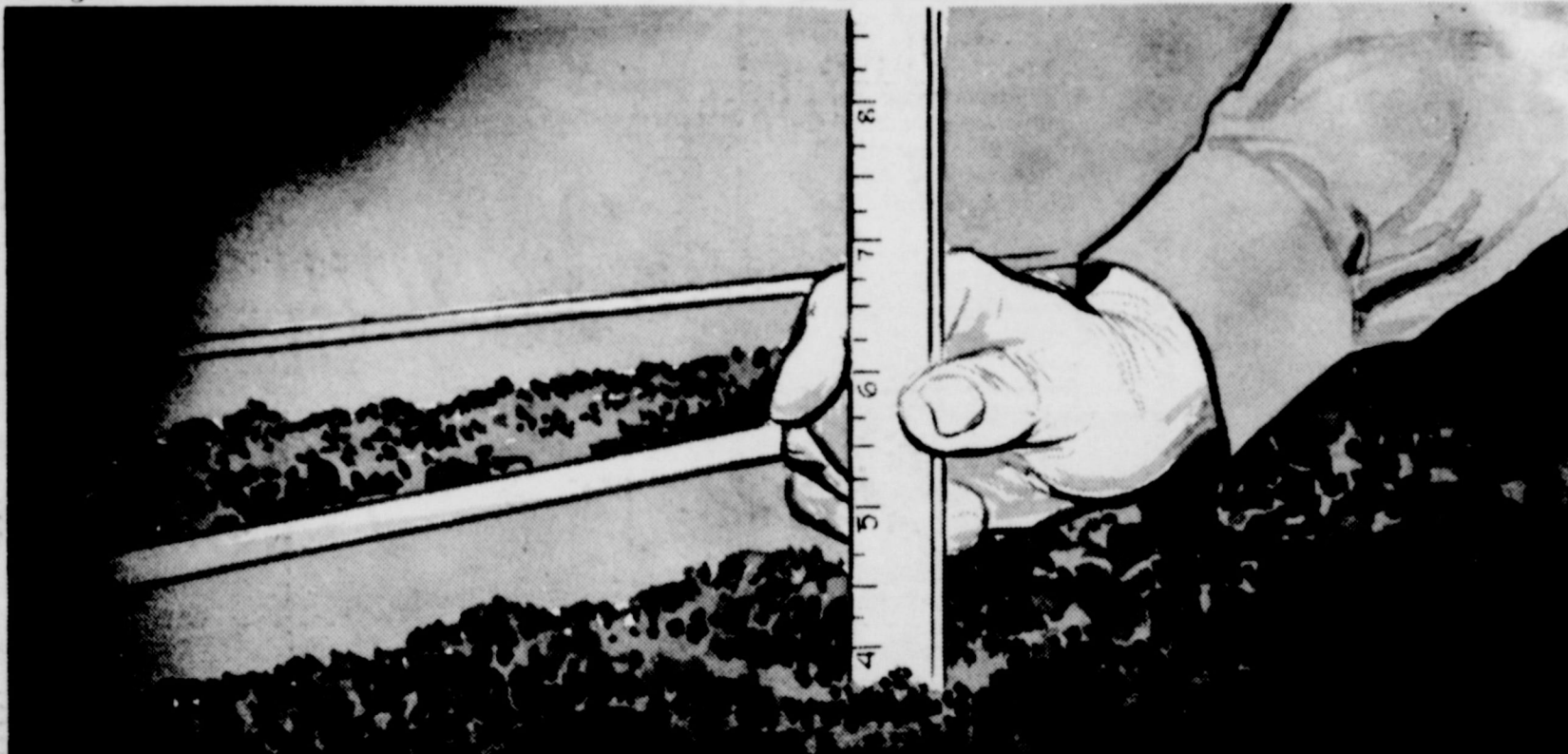
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Miss Yolanda Rodriguez
...V.F.W. Queen

There was a Valentine dance at St. James Parish Hall Saturday evening. It was sponsored by the Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars and a V.F.W. Queen was selected.

Miss Virginia Falcon was 4th runner-up, Miss Ninfa Ybarra was 3rd runner-up, Miss Cristina Escobar, 2nd runner-up, Miss Susan Corbett, 1st runner-up, and Miss Yolanda Rodriguez was named queen and she was escorted by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eutimio Rodriguez.

Necho Venegas was master of ceremonies. The judges for the

queen's contest were Mike Calderon, Isau Garcia of Midland, Alejandro Marquez, Oscar Marquez and Mrs. Alvira Melendez.

Oscar Marquez, V.F.W. commander, crowned Miss Rodriguez and Mrs. Natividad Venegas, the oldest member of the auxiliary, presented her with a bouquet of red carnations. The other contestants received a single red carnation tied with red satin streamers, presented by Mrs. Eleno Marquez, auxiliary president.

Music for the dance was provided by a Del Rio orchestra and a large crowd attended.

Legion Auxiliary Names Delegates To Girls' State

Thirteen members attended the meeting of the Legion Auxiliary last Tuesday evening in the Legion Hall with Mrs. Dalton Hogg presiding.

Following the opening ceremony, there was a business session when the group voted to send the second girl to Bluebonnet Girls' State if there was a vacancy. The names of three girls from the junior class submitted for delegates by the high school faculty were Bryann Stavley, Joanna James, and Patti Hope. The Auxiliary accepted the nominations in the order in which they were submitted and Miss Stavley will be the delegate and the other two girls the first and second alternates.

A memorial was voted to the department scholarship fund for L.H. Gilbreath. Mrs. A.C. Garner and Mrs. H.E. Ezelle were named on a committee to be in charge of getting new light fixtures put in the Legion Hall. A contribution to the Heart Fund was voted.

Mrs. Hogg expressed her appreciation for her nomination as "First Lady of 1975", the project sponsored by Alpha Theta Alpha.

Mrs. Farley reported on several articles in the current issue of "The Firing Line"

"America, the Beautiful" was sung and Chaplain Ezelle closed the meeting with a prayer.

Since February is "Americanism" month, Mrs. Farley gave some interesting facts on the subject, stating what it meant to be a "square".

Mrs. Johnny Hogg and her grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Abbott, were hostesses and used a Valentine motif with red cloths on the table and valentine napkins. Cherry tarts, candy, cookies, nuts, coffee, chocolate, and tea were served.

Also present were Mmes. L.E. Muller, Clyde Higgins, Mark Duncan, Carlton White, Ruby McSparran, L.H. Gilbreath, and Jim Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Grigsby went to Fort Stockton Friday for him to have a medical check-up and then went to McCamey to visit his brother, L.R. Grigsby, and family.

Hobby Club Meets On February 11

The members of the Langtry Hobby Club held their monthly meeting on February 11 in the home of Mrs. Guy Skiles with Mrs. W.N. Barnes as co-hostess.

Door prizes were awarded to Mrs. Kelly Goble and Mrs. B. C. Babb Jr. with Mrs. Andy White winning the traveling gift.

Mrs. Newman Billings gave the invocation before lunch. Each member brought a covered dish to add to the chicken dinner that was served.

Mrs. Babb presided during the business session in the absence of the president, Mrs. Ed Lillie Jr. Plans for a Mexican supper were discussed.

A social hour followed the meeting.

Mrs. Andy White and Mrs. Kelly Goble will be hostesses for the next meeting.

Guests attending were Mrs. Buddy White, Mrs. E.L. Babb, Guy Skiles, J.J. Billings, and Mrs. Elmo Arledge.

Other members present were Mmes. Monk Cain, W.A. Arledge, Billy Foster, Neal Billings, W.M. McBee, and Dot Peters.

W.M.U. Has Meeting In Bracy Home

The Baptist W.M.U. met in the home of Mrs. O.D. Gray for a Royal Service program Tuesday morning.

Mrs. H.H. Pipes, president, opened the meeting, calling upon Mrs. H.G. Cates for the opening prayer, the call to prayer - John 14:1-14, and to read the missionary calendar. Mrs. Cates also brought the program - "Lay Volunteers for Home Missions" assisted by Mrs. V.E. Keyes.

The group decided to accept the opportunity to go to Alpine on Friday and label medicine for the river ministry.

The hostess served chocolate sheet cake, cherry tarts, pound cake, nuts, coffee, and tea to the following members: Mmes. R.F. Kuethe, Keyes, Cates, A. D. Brown, Pipes, A.N. Farley, Fred Prano, and Paul Tatum.

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AOA Donority

The pledge ritual for Mrs. Thomas Earle and Mrs. Larry Seymore was held at Alpha Theta Alpha's meeting on February 11 at the courthouse.

A memorial service for Mrs. Louise Causey was also held.

Mrs. Kenneth Shurley was elected recording secretary to replace Mrs. Ronnie Minica who is moving.

A musical program was presented by Mrs. Bill McDonald. Dick Ramey, school band director, conducted a four-corner section composed of junior high school students - Aubby Black, Charlie Brown, Rudy Licon, and Milby Winn. The boys played "Triolet".

Refreshments provided by Mrs. A.N. Farley consisted of apple spice cake, heart-shaped pimiento cheese sandwiches, mixed nuts, spiced tea, and fruit punch.

Other members present were Mmes. Bill Russ, Charles Stavley, Burt Williams, Kenneth Shurley, B.A. Pendleton, M.E. Morris, L.J. Hartzog, W.O. O'Rourke, Chris Hagelstein, and L.M. Choate, and Miss Linda Ball.

Rev. and Mrs. David Marx and David Charles were in El Paso the first of the week for him to attend a Presbytery commission meeting. They returned to Sanderson via Odessa to visit Mrs. Tommy Couch and her family in Odessa.

Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Austin Nance entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club and several guests with a desert-bridge in her home last week.

Those attending were Mmes. James Caroline, Mark Duncan, F.J. Barrett, Diane Andrews, T. W. McKenzie, Jim Kerr, H.E. Ezelle, and Carlton White.

High score prize went to Mrs. Barrett, second high to Mrs. Ezelle, who shared slam with Mrs. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. C.J. McAughan of Houston visited here with friends the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert D. Dunn of Abilene were weekend visitors with their daughter, Mrs. David Treat, and family. Mrs. Treat's niece, Jennifer Jeter, of Amarillo accompanied them on the trip.

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FHA Beaux Named Saturday At Banquet

The members of the local chapter of the Future Homemakers of America had a "Sweetheart" Banquet Saturday evening in the homemaking cottage with 90 attending, including the members, their dates and guests. Miss Judy Justus is the FHA sponsor. The room was beautifully decorated in the Valentine motif with streamers of red and white crepe paper crisscrossing the ceiling and hanging from the north wall; Valentines on the other walls; and in the south wall was a huge heart made of crepe paper with a white background, in front of which those attending stood to have their pictures made after the banquet. Hearts also were hanging from the ceiling. The decorations on the U-shaped table, covered in white cloths, included red hearts on which was printed in white: "Sweetheart Banquet, February 15, 1975", valentines, red and white candles, Cupids decorated the mint and nut cups and the red napkins were tied with white yarn.

The invocation was given by Herman Smith. The menu consisted of ham, baked potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, and iced tea. The dessert was cake which had been baked in a sheet, decorated in white and pink, with two heart-shaped cakes similarly decorated, on top. The servers were Messrs. and Mrs. Don Malone, George Black, Paul Cantrell, and Manuel Vejil, and Mrs. Tommy Arthur.

The guests included Messrs. and Mrs. W.E. TenEyck and Frank M. Lopez, chapter parents, and Mrs. Donald Tulk, chapter mother, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Draper. Mr. Draper, minister of the church of Christ, and guest speaker, used "sweethearts" as the subject of his remarks.

The FHA beaux were selected, Kevin Farley and Elia Calzada, and Miss Justus presented a gift to each. Other nominees for beaux were Tony Calzada, Ja Chriesman, and Carlos Amor.

Each year the incoming president of the FHA chapters attends the state convention and another girl is selected by the faculty after papers are written telling why they would like to attend the state meet. Mary Scudero's paper was selected the best and so she will accompany the local chapter president to the meeting in San Antonio this year.

Before the benediction by Mr. Draper, a bouquet of a dozen carnations was presented to Miss Justus.

V.F.W. AUXILIARY PREX MEETS WITH LOCAL GROUP

Mrs. Joetta Dunn of Fort Stockton, district president of the V.F.W. Auxiliary, visited with the local Auxiliary when they met in regular monthly session on February 5 in the V.F.W. Hall.

Plans were made for the Valentine dance that was held last week. After adjournment, cake and coffee were served to 14 members.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Hernandez and boys of Odessa were weekend visitors here with relatives, including her father, Tony Calzada, and family and her father, Miguel Hernandez, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hardgrave returned home Friday from San Angelo where she had been a medical patient in the hospital here for eight days.

Miss Yolande Escamilla and Miss Lupe Garza went to Andrews Sunday and returned Miss Garza's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Salvador Garza Sr., who had visited with their son, Leocire Garza, and family for two weeks.

Historical Group Tours Dryden

A group of members of the Terrell County Historical Survey Committee traveled to Dryden Saturday, February 15. The purpose of the trip was to view some of the old buildings that are going to be torn down. While they were there, some items for the museum were collected.

W.E. TenEyck conducted the tour and Mrs. E.E. Farley, W. H. Grigsby, Pat Harris, L.G. Hinkle, Cruz Marquez, W.O. O'Rourke, Charles Stavley and Maisie Lee of Marathon, a guest of Mrs. Harris; and Skipper Harris made the trip.

The chairmen of the various committees of Terrell County Historical Survey Committee met Monday evening at Admiral's Steak House. The purpose of the meeting was to exchange ideas and have an explanation of the duties of the various committees.

Those present at this meeting were Mrs. E.E. Farley, Grigsby, Harris, O'Rourke, C.C. Mitchell, W. H. Savage, and W.W. Sudduth; also Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rose, and Skipper Harris.

Welcome To This World

To Mr. and Mrs. James I. Payne Jr. was born a daughter, their first child, in an Alpine hospital on Tuesday, February 12. She weighed seven pounds, 11-3/4 ounces and her name is Jennifer Ann.

Mrs. Payne is the former Janice Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. James I. Payne are the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Carter the maternal grandparents, and Mrs. Olin Cooper, the maternal great-grandmother.

Mrs. Payne Sr. has been in Alpine with her son and family.

TREE PLANTINGS ON COUNTY PROPERTY

Seventeen trees have been planted on county property in recent days. The work is being done under the supervision of W.W. Sudduth, commissioner of precinct 1.

In front of the courthouse nine pecan trees have been planted, and two Arizona ash trees have been planted at the library.

Four Arizona ash trees have been planted on the north side of the Trans-Terrell Medical Center property, and two of the same kind of trees in front of the building on the east side.

The trees in front of the courthouse were paid for by Terrell County, Mrs. Michael T. Longley purchased the trees on the east side of the medical center building, and the others were paid for by an anonymous donor, according to Sudduth.

Rev. John Pierce, priest of St. James Catholic Church, is in a San Angelo hospital for medical treatment. A priest from Fort Stockton has been coming over to hold services.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. O.T. Sudduth were their daughter, Miss Nelda Kay Sudduth, and her fiance, Tommy McGovern, both of San Antonio.

Mrs. Ben Martin returned home Friday after visiting for several days with her grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin, in Odessa and with Mrs. Mary Coker in Midland. Mrs. Bob Martin accompanied her home and when Mr. Martin came Saturday, they went to Marathon for a weekend visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Edward Martin.

Chili Supper
TONIGHT
ST. JAMES HALL

Funding Area Medical System Is On 50-50 Basis

Ernie Crawford, executive director of the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission, was authorized to apply for a federal grant that would fund a comprehensive emergency medical system in this area. The authorization for application was made by the directors of the PBRPC at a meeting in Midland Wednesday of last week.

According to information received, the grant application to the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare for funding the emergency medical service project would involve approximately \$250,000 in federal funds for a year.

HEW would split the cost of the project with communities who participate in the program on a 50-50 basis.

Communities that wish to participate in the program must submit a letter to PBRPC expressing their desire. The letters will be submitted with the final revised application to HEW for this year's grant, and if a community does not participate this year, next year they will not be eligible for any EMS funds, according to the information received.

Crawford stated that the Permian Basin was in competition with the rest of Texas and five other states for the HEW grant, but he was confident that this region would receive the grant.

THREE ATTEND PBRPC MEETING IN MIDLAND

County Judge Charles Stavley, County Commissioner W.W. Sudduth, and Carlton White attended the meeting of the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission directors in Midland Wednesday of last week.

They reported an interesting agenda and particularly the part of the meeting pertaining to the emergency medical aid program proposed by the PBRPC, details of which were printed in a recent edition of The Times, and further information is given in this week's paper.

White is a member of the Health Planning committee of the PBRPC.

Mrs. Bob Henderson and son, Mike, of Del Rio were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Dishman, and Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Qualtrough of Ingram visited here last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laughlin. They spent Sunday in Fort Davis.

WHERE IN THE WORLD? Little Known Facts About Other Lands

In London, at one of the best Indian restaurants in the world, the wine steward will pour first for the lady if a couple is American, but first for the gentleman if the diners are from Europe.

Have you ever noticed that the water spins clockwise when you open the drain of a basin or tub? South of the equator, the water spins counterclockwise!



If you're an average American, you put on quite a spread — "from soup to nuts" — on special occasions such as birthdays and holidays. A festive meal in the United States would include a big meat entree, perhaps turkey or a beef roast, vegetables, side dishes, salad and dessert. At today's prices, you could easily spend \$25 or \$30 or more on the food for a homecooked feast for four or six people. And if you eat out, the sky's the limit.

Although in the U.S.A. we think of an eight or nine course dinner as quite a substantial meal, at the Bali restaurant in Holland they serve a dinner of more than 20 courses!

The statue of the classical beauty, Nefertiti, is not in Egypt but at the Dahlem Museum in Berlin. And the famed Elgin marbles — carvings that adorned the Greek Parthenon atop the Acropolis in Athens — are found not in Greece, but in the British Museum in London!

In popular Japanese restaurants on the Ginza in Tokyo, Japan, the fish is served raw and the fruits are served cooked!



For indigent people in the Third World there can be very little feasting. A bowl of rice or gruel and perhaps a vegetable if they're lucky, comprise their daily — and holiday — fare. Helping these people to help themselves to a better life is the aim of Catholic Relief Services, which maintains more than a thousand development projects around the world. Contributions to CRS should be made to the American Catholic Overseas Aid Appeal at a local Catholic Church or sent to ACOAA, 1011 First Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022.

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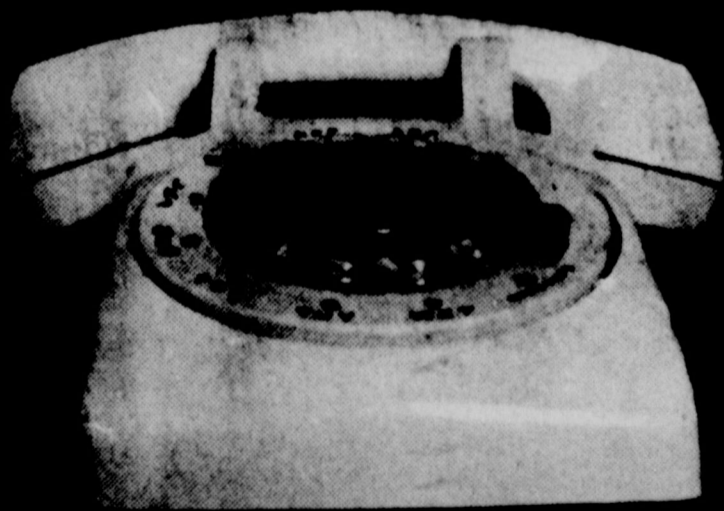
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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Although, the 64th Legislature has done little that is spectacular, it has managed to spend about a million dollars a day on the average during its first month of operation.

Since reporting for duty here January 14, lawmakers have passed so-called emergency measures totalling \$314.8 million. And work on the new biennial budget is just getting started good in House appropriations and Senate finance committees!

A significant part of the total—\$123.8 million for increased retirement benefits for state employees and school teachers—is contingent on adoption by voters of a Constitutional Amendment April 22.

The amendment would raise the ceiling on state matching contributions to the retirement systems. If voters won't permit that, the appropriation voted by lawmakers this month will be nullified.

One of the first of the appropriations bills speeded through both houses provides \$93 million for immediate pay raises to state employees. More raises will be included in the budget for the new 1976-77 fiscal period.

Another \$80 million was allocated as an emergency grant fund to aid school districts which are having a hard time making ends meet.

Another \$18 million went to the junior colleges which have been experiencing unexpected growth.

A variety of other smaller appropriations measures, totalling several million dollars more, are being acted on speedily.

HIGHWAY FUNDS FREED

President Ford announced he would free \$2 billion worth of impounded federal interstate highway funds to help provide jobs and fight the recession.

State Highway Department officials estimated \$150 million worth of projects can begin soon when the money is received.

Texas ordinarily contracts for \$30 million to \$50 million worth of projects monthly, but may take bids on \$150 million worth in March and April to get the newly-released funds.

Meanwhile, a federal judge in Washington held the President does not have the power to impound money appropriated to the states for highways by Congress.

Texas and 11 other states filed the lawsuit which brought the new ruling.

HILL BACKED

Atty. Gen. John Hill's lawsuit to block a \$45 million intrastate long-distance rate hike by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company won House of Representatives support.

Representatives voted 87-48 for a resolution encouraging Hill to push forward with the action.

Rep. Jim Nugent of Kerrville said Hill is acting in an area without "specific statutory authority" and needs all the backing he can get.

Hill has challenged the increase on grounds that the rates proposed are too high. He won a temporary restraining order to halt the hike, and the case was set for hearing on his request for

injunction early this week.

ENERGY PLAN OFFERED

Gov. Dolph Briscoe offered his own energy plan to President Ford in a meeting at Houston.

Included in the Briscoe plan are deregulation of the price of "old" oil, coupled with an excess profits tax. A "plowback credit" would be given on funds used to develop new energy. Briscoe also suggested invoking the Defense Production Act of 1950 to increase the supply of tubular steel needed for drilling.

COURTS SPEAK

A federal district judge in Dallas refused to grant a temporary injunction to prevent the airline pilots union from ordering pilots to honor picket lines of Texas International Airlines strikers. The airline appealed to higher court.

The State Supreme Court held invalid an incorporation attempt of Tucker in Anderson County.

Texas Court of Criminal Appeals turned down the appeal for new trial of an osteopath in Garland who was convicted of selling barbiturates.

A pollution fine assessed an oil trucking company was reversed by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

The Third Court of Civil Appeals reversed a \$241,875 default judgment against an out-of-state man sued for failure to deliver diesel fuel on grounds he was not properly served with legal citations.

Probation and enforcement officers must make a diligent effort to arrest a probation violator before revoking his probation.

AG OPINIONS

Attorney General Hill held Texas Youth Council must accept juvenile aliens properly committed to its custody by courts as delinquents.

In other opinions, Hill concluded:

A county cannot contribute public funds for construction of a facility to be operated by a private livestock show corporation.

Department of Labor and Standards officials have authority to arrest for Labor Agency Law violations but are not "peace officers" with right to carry pistols.

Valueless records may be disposed of by county clerks and recorders and those which are not confidential can be transferred to a private party.

Information in a university student's job placement office must be disclosed to the student concerned.

NEW APPOINTMENTS

Governor Briscoe appointed Dee S. Osborne of Houston to the West Texas State University board of regents.

Among a long list of other Briscoe appointments last week were Dr. J. E. Miller of Dallas to Texas Rehabilitation Commission; Jim D. Bowmer of Killeen, Gordon R. Wynne Jr. of Willis Point and James Ralph Meadows of Columbus to the Texas Conservation Foundation;

Dr. Gerald E. Mann of Austin to the State Commis-

sion for the Deaf; Benjamin B. Prigues of Mineola to the Sabine River Authority; Preston A. Stofer of Long Mott and A. C. Schwethelm of Comfort to the Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority board of directors and Donald W. Harris of San Antonio to the Advisory Council on Community Affairs.

State Rep. Anthony Hall of Houston and Nancy Perkins of Abilene were named chairman and vice chairman of a new State Democratic Affirmative Action and Voter Participation Steering Committee. State Party Chairman Calvin Guest announced the appointments.

John Albach is the new regional director of the Texas office of the National Council on Crime and Delinquency.

SHORT SNORTS

Governor Briscoe, estimating Nacogdoches County flood damages at \$7 million, requested designation of the county as a major disaster area. Bowie, Deaf Smith, Motley and Ellis counties disaster area designation was also asked.

A bill to lift the \$300 million Lower Colorado River Authority bond debt ceiling has been given Senate committee approval as an emergency.

A four-installment Senate committee hearing on a bill to raise interest rates on loans up to \$5,000 finally concluded, with the measure (SB 69) referred to subcommittee.

Z WINS BICENTENNIAL ART SHOW PRIZE

Mrs. J.A. Gilbreath had one of six paintings awarded the purchase prize at the bicentennial art show in Odessa last weekend. The show was for area artists and the paintings were in the theme of the 200th birthday of the nation.

The purchase prize is the willingness of the judge to back up his opinion with the purchase of the picture at a stipulated price.

Mrs. Gilbreath signs her paintings with Z.

PERSONALS

Mrs. R.A. Gatlin had surgery in a San Angelo hospital last Friday afternoon for a detached retina and is making satisfactory recovery, according to reports. Her son, Kip Gatlin, of Phoenix, Ariz., has been with her and will probably bring her home tomorrow. Mrs. Kip Gatlin and their two sons have been staying at the ranch with Mr. Gatlin who is recuperating from an illness.

Mrs. Karol Malone and daughter, Michele, of Corpus Christi, returned home Monday after visiting her mother, Mrs. Patty Phillips, and her brother, Kevin Phillips, a Sul Ross State University student, who was here for the holidays.

Mrs. Ray Clifford received word that her mother, Mrs. H. M. Flagg, of Kerrville, was to be taken home from the hospital and was in satisfactory condition. Mrs. Flagg fractured her arm in three places in the elbow after a fall at her home and she had orthopedic surgery.

Mrs. W.V. Munsen left Thursday for El Paso to be with her sister, Mrs. Margie Inmon, who broke her leg in a fall last week.

Mrs. T.J. Couch took her baby and her mother, Mrs. Resa Benavidez, to Alpine Monday for medical check-ups.

Mr. and Mrs. K.H. Stutes made a business trip to Del Rio Thursday and she also visited with Mrs. J.F. Tronsen.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Harkins returned home Wednesday from Odessa where they visited with Mrs. Tommy Couch, who is hospitalized there. Mr. Couch, and his mother, Mrs. Herman Couch,

Drilling News—

Mobil 2 Mitchell was last reported at 5,426 feet in shale and lime.

Skelly 1-7 Culbertson, bottomed at 13,085, drilling below 10,865 feet in a sidetracked hole after hitting bridge. It flared gas at the rate of 20,000 cubic feet daily prior to hitting bridge.

Superior 1 Bassett Trust, 13,728 feet in sand and coal.

Hytech 1 Rashap, testing, no gauges, through Devonian perforations at 11,143-212 feet which had been acidized with 2,000 gallons.

HERE FOR FUNERAL

Among out-of-town relatives and friends here for Reuben Mussey's funeral were Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Mussey Jr., Joe W. Mussey, and Mr. and Mrs. R.V. Gibson, of Pecos; Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Slover and Mrs. John E. Robbins of El Paso; Mrs. Zola Bode and Pat Jung of Sonora; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dale Jr., Odessa; Daphne Wheatley, Orange; Mrs. Enos Prejean and Judy Richard, Groves; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Mussey, Houston; Jack Taylor and Barbara of San Antonio; Edward Strain and Jack Ferguson, Pecos.



Mrs. Tol Murrah and her son, Will J. Murrah, returned home Thursday from Dallas, leaving her sister, Mrs. Ivy Draper, of Del Rio in a hospital there for treatments and therapy for back trouble. They also visited with Mrs. Murrah's brother, Hugh Rose, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Carter took their daughter, Miss Brenda Carter, to Houston for a medical check-up and surgery.

Mrs. Joe Penney returned Wednesday morning from Irving where funeral services were held for her late husband Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Penney Jr. of Beeville and their son brought her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sullivan and Hanna went to San Angelo for the weekend returning home Monday night. Mrs. Sullivan had her eyes checked and they also visited in Miles with Mr. and Mrs. Ken McAllister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jolly Harkins went to San Angelo Friday for her to have a medical examination. They visited with Mrs. R.A. Gatlin and Rev. John Pierce who were hospitalized there, and Mrs. Gatlin's son, Kip Gatlin.

Mr. and Mrs. O.T. Sudduth left for San Antonio Monday after receiving word of the illness of her mother, Mrs. H.D. Price.

APPLE FACTS

"As American as apple pie," the saying goes, and the apple probably IS the country's favorite. But the apple can be used in many other forms: apple upside down cake, apple dumplings, apple strudel, apple muffins, apple pancake, applesauce cake and many delicious others. Thriftily, apples require little or no sugar in cooking. Too much spoils natural flavor and makes them mushy.

Apple varieties do not grow true from seed. Consequently, each seedling rootstock has to be grafted with live buds of the desired variety. Varieties have been perpetuated for hundreds of years by grafting buds from old trees to young trees.



The pectin in apples helps keep the cholesterol count down, and many doctors believe this to be a big boon to your heart.

Imagine picking 270 bushels of apples in eight hours. Harold Oaks, 22, did it on Sept. 30, 1972, at his father's ranch in Hood River, Oregon. It's the best performance on record. He didn't even stop to take a delicious bite.

THOUGHTS

From The Living Bible

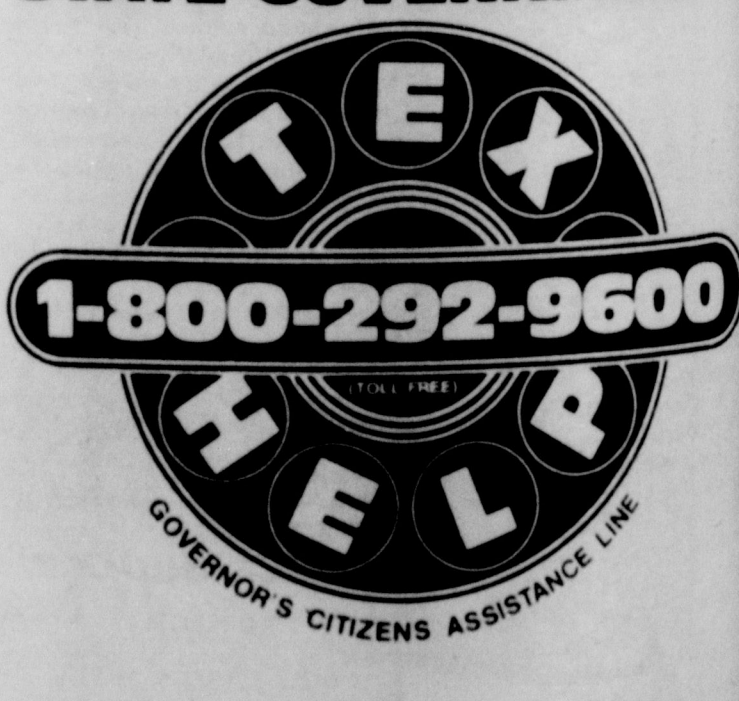
And the king and his nobles sent this message throughout the city: "Let no one, not even the animals, eat anything at all, nor even drink any water. Everyone must wear sackcloth and cry mightily to God, and let everyone turn from his evil ways, from his violence and robbing. Who can tell? Perhaps even yet God will decide to let us live, and will hold back his fierce anger from destroying us." And when God saw that they had put a stop to their evil ways, he abandoned his plan to destroy them.

Jonah 3:7-10
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JR. HIGH BOYS LOSE

The Sanderson Junior High School boys lost to Grandfalls here Tuesday night of last week by 18-41. Abel Marquez led the scoring with 6, Hector Galvan, Joe Eckert, and Julian Martinez 4 each. Other players were Craig Cooke, Malone Mitchell, Gib Bell, Gary Allen, Wade Sumrall, Sandy Silvas, and Xavier Lopez.

JV EAGLES LOSE TO COWBOYS

The junior varsity Eagles lost to the Grandfalls Cowboy JV team here Tuesday night of last week by a 38-42 score. Clay Mitchell was high scorer with 13, Bernie Castro had 8, Ricky Munoz 6, Johnny Couch and Bobby Hunn 4 each, Tom Whistler 2, and Conn Sumrall 1. Other players included Marvin Davis, William Corbett, Jesse TenEyck, Kevin Vincent, Mark Ke, Mark Condes, Conn Sumrall, and Billy Walton.

GRANDFALLS BEATS EAGLES

The Grandfalls Cowboys won over the Sanderson Eagles here Tuesday night of last week by 61-40. Donald Jones scored 10 points, Ricky Marquez and Charlie Munoz 8 each, David Carter 5, Kendall Billings 4, Paul Hinkle and Ja Chrisman 2 each. Kevin Farley and Tony Calzada also saw some action.

REP. McBEE NAMED SEC'Y OF WEST TEXAS DELEGATION

District 70 State Representative Susan Gurley McBee from Del Rio was elected secretary of the West Texas delegation of the Texas legislature at its organizational meeting in Austin last week.

The 57-member delegation is made up of all members of the House and Senate who represent districts in West Texas.

Rep. Dave Finney of Fort Worth was elected president and Rep. Elmer Martin of Colorado City is vice-president.

CHILI SUPPER TONIGHT

The annual chili supper given by the Band Boosters will be tonight (Thursday) in St. James Parish Hall beginning at 5:30 o'clock.

Tickets have been on sale and prizes will be given to the student selling the most tickets.

The charge for the supper is \$1.25 for all children through the fourth grade, and \$2 for all persons older than fourth grade students.

The fourth grade music class, the fifth grade beginner's band, the junior high band, all directed by Dick Ramey, will perform during the supper.

DEBRA DRUSE ENTERS OFFICIAL EMBLEM CONTEST

Debra Druse has entered a contest to design the official emblem to be placed on the Viking, a spaceship that will land on Mars. The results of the contest will be released in April.

The Viking will be the first spacecraft on another primary planet besides our own in our solar system. It will be for purposes of scientific investigations.

The contest for the emblem is sponsored by the National Science Teachers Association and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. National winners will be invited to the Viking Educational Conference and the Kennedy Space Center where the awards will be presented.

NEWS FROM FELIX VALLES

Felix Valles Jr. has completed his work toward his master's degree in science education and will graduate in May from the University of Texas in El Paso.

He is also a basketball official in Arizona and has been refereeing semi-pro, junior college, and high school games the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Welch of Junction were weekend visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Couch, and family.

JIM TERRY RANDLE WINS TOP JR. EXHIBITOR AWARD

Jim Terry Randle, Fort Stockton High School FFA member and son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Randle, former Terrell County ranchers, won the Silver Shears award which is presented to the top junior exhibitor at the San Antonio Livestock Show each year. The award is given by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Richardson of Iraan in memory of their son, Leonard Richardson. Randle had the champion ram and ewe and also the reserve ram and ewe of the Junior Registered Rambouillet division.

Tate Randle, his brother, had the champion and reserve ram and reserve ewe of the open Registered Rambouillet division.

MATIAS GUTIERREZ HAS OPEN-HEART SURGERY

Matias Gutierrez, a former resident of Sanderson, had open-heart surgery February 4 in a Lubbock hospital and is recuperating satisfactorily at the home of his son, Armando Gutierrez. He had been ill and hospitalized several times in Andrews and Lubbock.

GUTIERREZ RECEIVES AWARD

Ray Gutierrez of Del Rio has received a computer watch as a 20-year service award presented to him on his 22nd anniversary with a furniture store there when he was honored at a dinner party. Reared in Sanderson, he is the son of Mrs. P. B. Gutierrez of Del Rio and a brother of Mrs. Indio Calzada. He went to Del Rio 25 years ago and began working with the furniture store as a delivery driver and has advanced to assistant manager.

He and his wife have a son, Ray Gutierrez Jr., and a daughter, Nelda Annette Gutierrez.

Mrs. David Marx and children returned home Monday from Dilley where they had spent the weekend with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McDonald are visiting relatives in Big Spring.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The following motor vehicle was abandoned at Speedy's Body Shop, Sanderson, Texas: 1972 Chevrolet Pick-up. The owner and any lien holder have the right to claim said vehicle within 30 days after the date of this notice upon payment of all towing, preservation, and storage charges resulting from placing the vehicle in custody.

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CARD OF THANKS

We are so grateful for the considerations shown to C.G. Riggins and those of us who are trying to carry on the business. Sonny Aduato, Mary Rodriguez, Janie McDonald.

CARD OF THANKS

A special thanks to friends from Sanderson who have remembered me during my illness and delicate operation. Matias Gutierrez, c/o Armando Gutierrez, 2121 73rd St., Lubbock, Texas 79423.

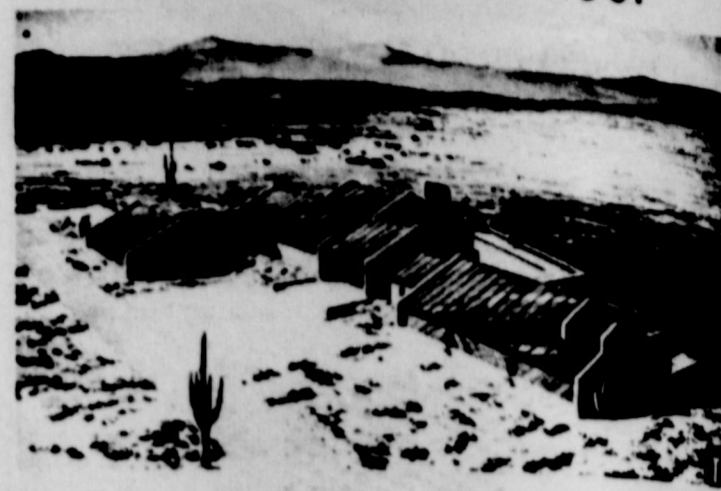
CARD OF THANKS

We are grateful to our friends in Sanderson for their thoughtful kindnesses at the time of the loss of our loved one. The family of Jesus Trevino.

CARD OF THANKS

For those who came to our shower and wedding, for your gifts, for your assistance and help in so many ways, we are most grateful. Friends are wonderful. Please accept our sincere thanks. Inez and Jesse Fuentes.

SOLAR HOME: CLIMATE CONTROL UNDER A COPPER ROOF



Most home owners aren't aware of it yet, but man's oldest source of heat, the sun, is now the newest way to keep a house warm-and cool.

For eons before man discovered fire, he only had the sun to warm him. Now that the fossil fuels that have kept us comfortable are running low, man once again is beginning to look to the sun.

The first "practical" home to be fully climate-controlled through solar energy has just been completed in Tucson, Arizona, with nearly 100% of its heating and about 75% of its cooling supplied by the sun.

Called the "Decade 80 Solar House," this home utilizes a copper roof system to collect power from the sun. The copper roof is glass-skinned-for the "greenhouse" effect-and integrated with copper tubing through which circulates water, the home's chief energy transport and storage medium. This is the first totally integrated solar collector-roof system that is commercially available to the building industry, and can be installed in the normal course of construction with the skills of today's tradesmen. Described as long-lasting, maintenance-free, easy-to-install and reasonably priced, this new roofing and energy system can heat water more than 100 degrees F. above the surrounding air temperature. Highly versatile, the combination copper roofing and energy system can be used to cover either the entire house-or a single room such as a new or remodeled family room, for example.

Befitting its description as the first solar home fulfilling an American family's highest expectations of comfort, convenience, and even luxury, the "Decade 80 Solar House" is an elegant, sprawling desert home complete with swimming pool

with sweeping mountain view, a copper-clad master bath, and a guest wing with its own private entrance. Conceived by the Copper Development Association Inc., the Tucson solar home will include a number of furniture pieces fabricated in mirrored copper or brass including a series of cocktail cubes, Parsons tables, pedestals, and reflective walls.

Copper is the quality choice for solar collector panel systems such as used in the Tucson solar house for a number of reasons. For one, copper conducts heat up to eight times better than any other material feasible for solar panels. Also, no other metal that could be used has a higher resistance to corrosion. Copper is in dependable supply too-the U.S. is 95% self-sufficient in copper. In addition, copper is highly recyclable, and easily fulfills plumbing codes.

The "Decade 80 Solar House" also will get energy from the sun through solar cells located on the copper roof, and these will run the family's various TV sets, sound system, stand-by security system, and small kitchen appliances such as the blender.

This kind of house doesn't have to be built in Arizona, either. It needs only a small fraction of the total energy expended by the sun on a given area to provide energy so it can be located almost anywhere.

With the "Decade 80 Solar House" as the proving ground, solar energy seems to be a good idea about to take its place in the sun.

Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Gilbreath went to Odessa Friday on business and visited Mrs. Tommy Couch and Mrs. Herman Couch.

Mrs. Hollis Haley of Marathon visited here Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Billings and family.

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