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## WOODWORK BY DALTON

IT IS IRONIC that mobs should march in Viet Nam screaming "Americans, Go Home!" when there's nothing that the Americans in Viet Nam would like better.

If those who are conducting the anti-war demonstrations all over the country have any argument—at all on their side, this is the best one.

It is peculiar, too, in a way, to consider the feelings that a person with some loved one in Viet Nam may have toward these draft-card burners and demonstrators.

If you fought in Viet Nam, or your son or brother or husband is over there fighting, you naturally are enraged by a bunch of young punks burning their draft cards and carrying Viet Cong flags. But if these same demonstrators had as their main goal getting the boys already there brought home (instead of their apparent object of trying to stay out of the fight themselves), you'd likely be all for them, because that would mean your own loved one would be returned safely from what must appear to most people to be a rather hopeless conflict.

I imagine that anyone going up and down the line among the troops fighting in Viet Nam with the question "Would you like to go home?" would get a unanimous answer --- if he got any answer at all. More likely, the first guy he asked would blast him, on the assumption that complete idiots are dangerous on the front lines, even if they're on your side.

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THE FEDERAL government is seeking to halt a decline in milk production by raising the price supports. This should work well, providing they can get the idea across to the cows.

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A NEWS STORY reports that Billy Sol Estes has lost 40 pounds and looks 15 years younger than he did at the time of his trial. Prison apparently works even better than Metreacal, but it's more restrictive.

That may be my solution, though. Quit drinking out of the can and get thrown into one.

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THERE'S at least some evidence that an Amarillo auction has come up with some items that really move.

It seems that after a big blow from the north, a couple of weeks ago, which left this area covered in dirt, one fellow in Plainview found in his front yard a pair of lampshades marked "Amarillo Auction".

He didn't have the nerve to come right out and say so, but he was intimating that these lamp shades blew down from Amarillo during the wind storm, a distance of about 75 miles.

How's that for a windy?  
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THE ABOVE, unverified and passed along strictly as a topic for breezy conversation, inspired me to write the following, uh, poetry, which can, if desired, be sung to the tune of "Louise".  
Every little breeze  
Seems to bury the trees;  
We're up to our knees  
In dirt and debris;  
Each little gust fills us with

## EASTER MORN



## EASTER

Like many holidays, Easter comes once again with emphasis in many quarters on material rather than spiritual values.

The donning of new attire for the Easter Parade actually may date back to the days of Emperor Constantine, but regardless of the origin of this custom, it seems that today there is much commercialism in what should be a purely religious day.

While the traditional custom of rolling Easter eggs does not have any particular religious significance, in itself, it does carry out a symbolism and tradition that reminds the entire family of the joyous celebration—that is Easter.

When we don our finery, this Easter Sunday, and attend the services of our choice, let us not forget the true significance of the day. And let's reflect and be thankful that the American tradition of freedom of worship remains inviolate.

## Spanish Mission Revival Slated

A revival will begin April 10 and close April 17 at the Sudan Baptist Spanish Mission.

Services will be held each night at 7:30 p. m. with the Rev. Ed E. Thomas as evangelist.

Rev. Thomas, who spent seven years in Old Mexico working with the people, has dedicated

his life for work with Latin American people.

He is now serving as pastor at Nalco.

All area Latin Americans are urged to attend these services.



REV. ED E. THOMAS

dust,  
We're filthy, filthy.

Every time it blows  
It stops up my nose;  
Whenever I'm seen,  
Folks holler "Unclean!"  
Way up in the sky, an acre  
went by,  
We're filthy, filthy.

## Banquet Honors Senior Class

The Senior class of Sudan High School was honored with a Western banquet Thursday evening in the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church with the WSCS as hostess.

"Round-Up" was the program theme and a covered wagon highlighted a western scene.

Mr. Frank Lane, president of the WSCS, gave the welcome, with Rickie Humphreys, president of the honored class, giving the response.

"Campfire Rhythm" was presented by a group composed of Brenda Drake, Sheila Baker, Jan Harper, Danny Martin.

Guests present included members of the Senior class, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ham, Mr. and Mrs. Wix Gaston, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hancock, Ralph Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lane, the Rev. and Mrs. Jack Riley.

## CITY ELECT INCUMBENTS; TWO ELECTED FOR SCHOOL BOARD

# Local Election Returns Counted

In the City Election held here Tuesday, all three incumbent city officials were re-elected to their positions.

Joe Rone received 42 votes for mayor, but was almost upset by a write-in candidate, Weaver Barnett, who received 40 votes.

In the city commissioners race

Marvin Tollett received 73, Wayne Broward 54 and Kenneth Burgess, also a write-in candidate, received 36.

Joe West served as election judge.

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Two school board members for

the Sudan Independent School District were named in the election held here Saturday. Wiley Mudgett, president of the board, was re-elected for another term; and Dexter Baker, local farmer, was elected to fill the other vacancy.

W. E. Hancock, school super-

intendent, announced that 176 votes were cast with Mudgett receiving 124, Baker 99, Dick West 78 and Byron Ford, 44.

The new board will be set up at the meeting tonight (Thursday) when new officers will be elected. Other board members are W. C. Masten, Leroy Fisher, Frank Lane, Marvin Bowling and Guy Walden.

Board members accompanied by Superintendent Hancock attended a School Board Workshop in Lubbock Monday afternoon.

Local board members attending were Mudgett, Baker, Lane and Bowling.

## Rogers Files For Re-Election

State Senator Andy Rogers of Childress who recently filed for re-election in the enlarged 30th Senatorial District has now authorized the Beacon-News to place his name in our political calendar.

Senator Rogers now ranks sixth in seniority in our State Senate and is now in his 14th year as a Senator after serving 4 years in the State House of Representatives.

He is currently Chairman of the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Livestock, Vice Chairman of the Committee on Constitutional Amendments and a member of nearly every major committee in the Senate. Only one other Senator serves on more committees.

At present he is also chairman of a special joint Senate-House Committee to study Faculty Compensation in State Supported Colleges and Universities.

Rogers said, "My full formal announcement to the people of your area will follow within the next few weeks."

## HIGHTOWER ANNOUNCES FOR SENATE

State Senator Jack Hightower of Vernon today formally announced his candidacy in the Democratic Primary for re-election to a second term in the Texas Senate. He seeks election in the new 30th Senatorial District which includes Lamb County.

Senator Hightower, 39, was the choice of a wide margin of voters in 1964 to succeed the well-known Sen. George "Cotton" Moffett of Chillicothe, longtime agricultural leader.

During his first term in the Senate, Sen. Hightower became well known as an effective and dedicated legislator. He has achieved



SENATOR JACK HIGHTOWER

the enviable record of appointment as chairman of an important committee and a member of twelve of the Senate's committees, some of the most important of which are: Water and Conservation; Finance; State Affairs; Counties, Cities and Towns; and Agriculture and Livestock. He has been named by the Lieutenant Governor to two interim committees to make studies of the Texas Election Laws and the needs of the Nursing Profession in Texas. The findings and recommendations of these committees will be made to the next legislature.

Senator Hightower's distinguished service earned his appointment by Governor Connally as a dele-



"STUBBORN FELLOW ISN'T HE,  
SWORE HE'D NEVER CONTOUR."

## THE NEED FOR SOIL CONSERVATION

### SUNRISE SERVICES TO BE HELD HERE

The Youth of the First Baptist Church will host Easter Sunrise Services to be held Sunday morning at Bull Lake.

The services, directed by Richard Powell, will include a devotional, a song service and breakfast, will be served to all attending.

The group is scheduled to leave the church at 5:45 a. m. All local youth are invited to attend. Transportation will be provided from the First Baptist Church.

### PERSONAL

Mrs. Lena Rollins has returned home after a vacation of some ten weeks. She visited in Maywood, Calif. with Mr. and Mrs. George Burke and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. (Buddy) Rollins and family in Las Vegas, Nev.

### COFFEE TO HONOR SENATOR SPEARS

A coffee will honor Senator Franklin Spears, Democratic candidate for Attorney General, here Thursday (today) in the DeLuxe Cafe from 10:15 a. m. to 11:15 a. m. The public is invited to meet with the Senator at all stops as he continues his 3000 mile, 29 county campaign tour of West Texas. He will travel by car on an extensive handshaking tour through this area which will include the stops in both Sudan and Amherst.

gate to the Southern Regional Education Board Conference on Higher Education. His effectiveness has been fully demonstrated in his support of important legislative measures concerning water and soil conservation, education, law enforcement, water and air pollution, health, etc.

Senator Hightower has an impressive record of public service. He served two years in the Texas (continued on page 5)



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. John Underwood announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mamie Sue, to Kenneth Richards, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Richards of Sudan. Wedding vows will be exchanged May 29 at 2:30 p. m. in the home of the bride-elect's grandmother, Mrs. K.O. Pollard, 2405 33rd Street, Lubbock.



# TRACK TEAM BREAKS RECORDS

The Sudan Junior High Track team set two new records at the Kitten-Cub Relays held in Clovis Saturday, March 26, Coach T. P. Wingo announced.

Larry Hanna broke the track record of 15.3 in the low hurdles with his time of 15.1 seconds.

Jerry Bellar's time of 10.5 seconds in the 100 yard dash broke the existing track record of 10.8 seconds.

The 880 yard relay team came

within one-tenth of a second of tying the track record. Sudan's time was 45.8 seconds.

Jerry Bellar tied the record in pole vaulting with 9' 3 1/2" but another contestant broke the record by soaring to the height of 10' 1/2".

The Sudan team placed third in a field of 15 teams.

They won first place ribbons in 120 yard low hurdles, Larry Hanna; Jerry Bellar, 100 yard dash; Jeff Thompson, Billy Gore,

Hanna, Bellar, in 880 yard relay.

Second place ribbon was won by Billy Gore in the 220 yard dash. Bellar won third in pole vaulting, and the relay team won fifth in the 440.

In the Freshman Division, Damon Provence won fifth in pole vaulting and Mike Hanna, Provence, David Williams and John Stanley won fifth in the 880 yard relay.

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# PTA Meeting Tuesday

The PTA met Tuesday afternoon for an executive meeting and a regular program. Mrs. Jack Riley presided at the executive meeting held at 2:30, prior to the program at 3 p. m.

Present for the executive meeting were Mrs. Wayne Swartz, Mrs. Harold May, Mrs. Richard Black, Mrs. Bob Drake.

The Rev. Willie Hazel gave the devotional and discussed the "Responsibilities of the Development of the Child in the Home, Church and School".

Appearing on the program and speaking on "Promoting Opportunities for Children and Youth" were Mrs. Doyle Watkins and the Rev. Jack Riley, who gave a synopsis.

Rev. Riley discussed the two phases "Optimism and Pessimism" and Mrs. Watkins gave some advantages of smaller schools and stressed striving for excellency in education.

Eighth grade parents were hostess and served refreshments. Mrs. Riley presided at the business meeting when Mrs. Noble Dudgeon, school nurse, reported the recent inoculations program was a success and those who did not receive their shots will at a later date.

During the business session Mrs. Riley announced the District meeting to be held in Lubbock April 26 - at which time a life membership will be presented a local PTA member. Those wishing to go must make reservations by April 19.

Also the Bi-County Council Workshop is scheduled for May 3 in Littlefield.

Classes winning first and second prize for the best parent attendance at the meeting Tuesday afternoon included these second grade class of Mrs. C. E. Nichols, first; and the third grade class of Mrs. Evelyn Thomas, second.

The next monthly meeting of the PTA will be held May 10 when an installation of officers will be held and fifth grade parents will be hostess.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell had dinner Friday evening at the El Monterey in Clovis.

Larisa West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Audrey West, who had been ill and confined to her home, returned to school last week.

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So if the trend you really dig, You'll don your granny dress and wig, Pick up your pail, your box of sal And be an "in" spring cleaning gal.

## F.H.A. Banquet Held Here

The F.H.A. Sweetheart banquet was held Saturday evening in the school cafeteria and the Springtime theme was used with touches of yellow highlighting decorations. Floral arrangements of daffodils centered the tables.

Cynthia Parrish gave the invocation, Paula Chisholm gave the welcome and introduced the guests including chapter parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fisher. Also receiving special recognition was Bill Black, F.H.A. beau.

Mrs. Wix Gaston, F.H.A. sponsor and instructor, made the awards presentation when Cindy Masten received her Junior Degree Chapter award; Debbie Nix received a Junior degree certificate.

Musical selections were presented by "The Fiends", a musical group from Amherst.

Paula Chisholm spoke on the F.H.A. Creed.

Concluding the evening's program was the closing ceremony and benediction.

## FFA LAND JUDGING

### CONTEST SET TODAY

The Lamb County Soil and Water Conservation District is sponsoring a Land Judging Contest for Area FFA Chapter on Thursday, April 7, at 1 p. m. in the Littlefield High School. Awards will be presented by the District to the three top teams and three top individuals.

Land is judged and its capability class and treatment needs are determined. Last year 11 area teams entered.

Four sites have been selected to be judged with the Young Farmers Organization providing transportation to the locations. Pioneer Natural Gas Company is providing a machine to dig the test holes at each site.

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## FARWELL PARTIES HONOR MRS. J. E. DRYDEN

Mrs. J. E. Dryden was honored Friday afternoon with a farwell courtesy at the home of Mrs. A. Pinkerton with Mrs. Roy Day as co-hostess.

Guests were members of the Good Will Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church.

A book, "Treasure Island", composed of poems and other works was presented Mrs. Dryden. Punch, coffee; cookies and banana bread were served those present including the honoree, Mrs. Dryden; Mrs. J. S. Smith, Mrs. A. W. Ormand, Mrs. Griff Boyles, Mrs. Frances Blair.

Mrs. J. E. Dryden was honored with a buffet luncheon Saturday in the home of Mrs. John Tucker.

Present for the luncheon were Mrs. Lena Rollins, Mrs. W.H. Qualls, Mrs. Tom Kent, Mrs. J. T. Henderson, Mrs. Annie Chester, Mrs. Mike Carter, Mrs. Martin Maxwell, Mrs. Tucker and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Dryden are planning to leave this week for Seattle, Washington, to make their home.

## WMU NEWS

Mrs. James P. Arnold Sr. led the Royal Service program at the meeting Monday of the WMU of the First Baptist Church, when a covered dish luncheon was served.

Mrs. Max Bulloch, president, presided at the business meeting.

Present were Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Bulloch, Mrs. John Butth, Mrs. Halbert Harvey, Mrs. Oscar Vinson, Mrs. T. W. Dunaway, Mrs. Christy Rudd, Mrs. L. F. Meeks, Mrs. C. C. Ritchie.

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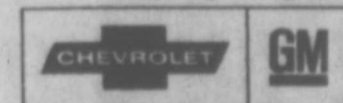
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H. N. SMITH

## Soil Conservationist Comments On Projects

"Texas-size progress is being made in the small watersheds program," says H. N. Smith, State Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service, in commenting on the status of such projects

in the State as of January 1, 1966.

### Precision Planting Boosts Yields

Lamber Wilkes, agricultural engineer at A&M, designed both a bed shaper and the planter to pave the way to the higher cotton yields.

Wilkes uses the bed shaper about a month or more before planting. It smooths and levels the beds table-top flat for faster, more accurate seed placement.

Then, he uses his new precision planter on the flat beds. Since the shaped beds are level on top, the usual sweep which runs in front of the furrow opener on a conventional planter, is eliminated on Wilkes' model.

His precision planter has a curved, runner-type furrow opener that forms a narrow "V" shaped furrow. It slices cleanly into the soil, leaving a neat seed trench about an inch and a half wide for the seeds to drop into.

Wilkes says the old-type sweep and chisel furrow opener

"This progress is possible only because of the teamwork by dedicated local people working through soil and water conservation districts, county commissioners courts and municipalities" Smith added. "Federal and State organizations can and do give considerable help but the real prime movers are the local people". Smith went on to say that watershed planning is completed or under way on 95 Texas watersheds involving 13,800,000 acres, 8 percent of the State's total land area.

Almost a million acres of productive land subject to flooding will be protected, including urban and built-up area.

More than 1060 floodwater retarding structures and 100 miles of channel improvement have been completed to date.

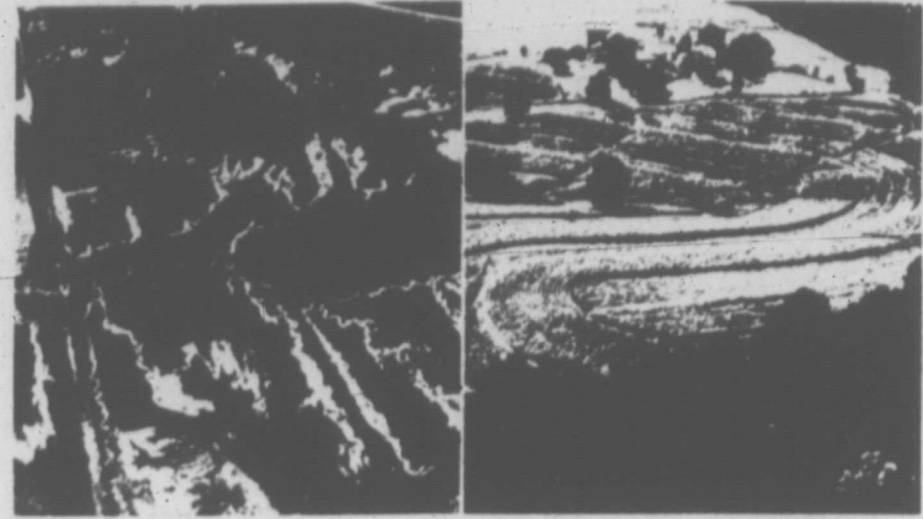
usually leaves a ragged, wide, uncertain furrow, where some seed will be deeper than others. Also, seed is usually scattered from one side to the furrow to the other.

But not so with the precision planter. Each seed is dropped neatly into the seed trench at a uniform depth, in a straight line.

The shaped beds are from 1 to 3 degrees warmer at planting time because the flat top absorbs more direct sun, he says.

This combined with precision placing of the seed, promotes faster germination and emergence. In A&M tests, a 70 percent stand was up on shaped beds in 6 days, while it was 11 days before a stand was up on conventional beds.

As a result of the rapid



## SOIL EROSION—

### The Work of Uncontrolled Water

By R. D. HOCKENSMITH and J. G. STEELE, soil scientists, Soil Conservation Service

When rain falls or water from any source runs downhill on bare soil, it moves soil particles, organic matter, and soluble nutrients. That is soil erosion.

Soil erosion by water may occur anywhere there is enough rain to cause runoff, or where land is flooded by irrigation, snowmelt, or other causes. To avoid erosion, the soil must be protected from moving water. Dense vegetation cover crops, mulches, grasses, or trees will intercept rain and slow runoff. Where tillage leaves the soil exposed, barriers like terraces or sown strips of different crops can help control runoff. Otherwise, tillage needs to be confined to nearly level soils where water moves slowly.

Land used for grazing or wood crops also may be eroded by water if harvesting leaves the soil exposed. Too-heavy grazing or careless cutting and burning can do this. But with good management, grasslands and woodlands usually are safe from erosion.

Erosion by water has already damaged much of the farmland in the United States. Some soils inherently unsuited for cultivation, or so badly damaged they cannot be restored, need to be converted to other uses.

On soils kept in cultivation, the prevention of excessive erosion is a major conservation objective. Positive steps to improve the soil and use it efficiently are a part of modern soil conservation. But without protection from erosion, soil improvement efforts fail.

Erosion control requires the attention of each farmer to his land acre by acre. It also requires cooperation between farmers on adjoining land, for water knows no property boundaries.

### ASK YOUR ASCS COUNTY OFFICE FOR DETAILS

Your ASCS County Office will be glad to furnish you information about your county ACP, including eligible practices, rates of cost sharing, and specifications for each practice. Take along any written farm conservation plan you have and visit the county office.



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germination, says Wilkes, in A&M tests 72 percent of the precision planted cotton was ready to harvest on September 9. But only 54 percent of that planted with regular methods was ready. And precision planted cotton yielded one-fourth bale per acre more.

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## GRASS PLANTING TIME IS HERE

Sherman Inman, Chairman of the Blackwater Valley Soil Conservation District, said this week that grass planting time is here. He said grass seed may become scarce this year and said "If you have not bought your seed, it may be time to start looking for a seed supply."

George W. Sultemeier of the Soil Conservation states that the best time to plant most warm season grasses is from March 1 to May 15. He also said the kind of seedbed that is prepared may mean the difference between success and failure. Sultemeier said where land is being converted to grassland from cropland, for best results on this kind of land, drill a cane crop for a dead litter crop this year, and then plant the grass in the cane stubble the following year. If a litter crop is not grown, then the next best thing to do is to mulch the area to be seeded with cotton burs or old hay. Planting the seed is only the beginning. After the grass becomes established, proper management of the grass is a must. A man must be a grass farmer

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Dent are visiting relatives in California.

Wanda Maxwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Maxwell, has been ill and confined to a hospital in Littlefield.

Clifton Gregory was confined to the hospital in Lubbock this week from injuries received Saturday in a motorcycle-pick up mishap. Driver of the pickup was Edward Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Drake visited Sunday afternoon in Tulia with his brother and family, the L.H. Drakes, and with his mother, Mrs. H.H. Drake.

Mrs. Matt Nix Sr. and Mrs. Gladys Glem of Amherst were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Nix Jr. While here they attended services at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Willie Hazel was ill and confined to her home the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dryden were honored with a going away party Thursday afternoon by members of the Sudan Eastern Star Chapter. Coffee and cookies were served to fifteen present and the Drydens were presented with going away gifts.

before he gets into the livestock business. Livestock is only a method of harvesting what has been grown.

Technical help is available in selecting the kind and amount and how to plant the grass seed, at the Soil Conservation Service office in Muleshoe, Texas.

## LEGAL NOTICE

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GREETINGS: You and each of you, are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court, for the 154th Judicial District of Lamb County, Texas, to be held at the Court House of said County, in the City of Littlefield, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before, 10:00 o'clock A.M., of Monday the 9th day of May, A.D. 1966, and answer the petition of Plaintiff in cause No. 5956, in which LOLA POTEET of Lamb County, Texas, is Plaintiff, and each of the above named Defendants are Defendants, filed in said Court on the 28th day of March, A.D. 1966, and the nature of said suit is as follows:

Being an action and prayer for judgment in favor of Plaintiff and against Defendants for title to and possession of the following described lands and premises lying and being situated in Lamb County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Lot One (1), and Two (2), Block Forty-seven (47) of the Original Town of Olton, Lamb County, Texas according to the map or plat of said town recorded in Volume 4, page 180, Deed Records of Lamb County, Texas.

Plaintiff alleges that on March 1, 1966, she was and still is the owner in fee of the above described lands and premises, and was in peaceful possession of said land on said day, and that afterwards, on the 2nd day of March, 1966, the Defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed Plaintiff of such lands and premises, and withheld from Plaintiff the possession thereof; Plaintiff further alleges that Plaintiff have title to said lands and premises under and by virtue of the five (5) and ten (10) year Statutes of Limitations as is more fully shown in Plaintiff's Original Petition on file in this suit; and Plaintiff further

prays for relief, general and special;

All of which more fully appears from Plaintiff's Original Petition on file in this office, and to which reference is here made for all intents and purposes;

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

WITNESS, the undersigned, CLERK of the 154th District of Lamb County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Littlefield, Lamb County, Texas, this 28th day of March, A.D., 1966.

ERNEST L. OWENS  
Clerk of the 154th District Court  
Lamb County, Texas  
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SENATOR JACK HIGHTOWER (continued from front page)

House of Representatives and seven years as District Attorney. In 1957 he was appointed by the Governor to the Texas Law Enforcement Study Commission, and at the time of his election to the Texas Senate, was vice chairman of the Board of Regents of Midwestern University.

A native of Memphis, Texas, where his mother, Mrs. Walter Hightower, still resides, Senator Hightower moved to Vernon in 1951 to begin the practice of law upon his graduation from Baylor University. He served in the U. S. Navy during World War II.

He is a leader in civic, religious and fraternal affairs on the local and state level. His wife, the former Colleen Ward, is a native of Tulia, Texas, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ward of that city. They have three

daughters, Ann, 13, Amy 9, and Allison, 6.

The recent Supreme Court decision concerning redistricting caused a major rearrangement of Senatorial Districts in West Texas. The new 30th district now contains 90 thousand voters, approximately 60% of whom live in that part of the new district heretofore represented by Senator Hightower and approximately 40% live in that part of the district heretofore represented by another Senator.

"In order to properly represent the people a Senator should know them, their problems and their needs. I have been privileged to know many people all over the wide area that is now the 30th District. I hope to become better acquainted with many hundreds more during this campaign. My promise is to serve you sincerely," Senator Hightower said.



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## PERSONALS

Rev. and Mrs. Willie Hazel and children will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Alexander of Evansville, Indiana during the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Bobby Jack Markham has been ill and confined to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Markham are vacationing at Commanche.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Williams

are fishing at Lake Proctor.

Mrs. Mary Olds was in Tulia Sunday to attend a Plainview District Officers Planning committee meeting of the Wesleyan Service Guild.

Miss Bertha Vereen was home from Dimmitt to spend the weekend.

Mrs. W. H. Lyle spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting her sisters, Mrs. C. E. Dean and Mrs. Edna Kerley.

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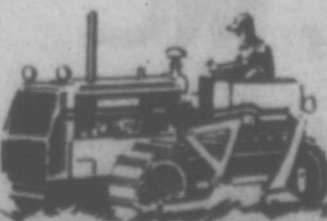


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THE SUDAN BEACON-NEWS

# CONSERVE OUR SOIL

## YOUR SOIL— CRUMBLY OR CLODDY?

By A. M. O'NEAL and A. A. KLINGERIEL,  
soil scientists, Soil Conservation Service

Why do crops often suffer from lack of moisture in midsummer, even when rainfall is normal? Why does level land stay wet longer in the spring than it used to? Can anything be done to make soil dry out faster after heavy rains and at the same time store moisture for those hot, dry days in July and August? What can be done to prevent soil and plant food from washing away? There are answers to these questions; a great deal can be done to improve poor soil conditions.

Nearly everyone recognizes the importance of fertilizers and limestone in growing good crops. Soils should be tested to see how much fertilizer and lime the crops will need. When these needs have been filled, then water and air become limiting factors affecting crop growth and yields on many soils. If it were possible to conserve the rain that falls during the summer months the chances of getting a "bumper crop" would be greatly increased.

### Plants Need Air and Water

Soils need a certain amount of air if plants are to grow. If soils are saturated with water or have "run together" at the surface, air cannot get in. As a result, poisonous gases may accumulate, less plant food may be available, and plant growth and yields are reduced. Plants, like people, require air, water, and food. Reducing the amounts of any one of these will cut growth and yield of crops.

If you can make more water enter the topsoil, a number of problems will be solved. In the first place, the more water that enters the soil the less there is to run off. Less runoff means less erosion of soil and less loss of plant food by erosion. Secondly, if most of the rain that falls in July and August soaks into the soil, there will be more water available for plant growth during this critical period. Thirdly, since air and water movement in soils are closely related to each other, any condition that causes more water to move into the topsoil will also insure better air circulation.

### Tilth Affects Air and Water Movement

The physical condition of the soil that has most to do with air and water movement in the soil is called "soil tilth." A soil in good tilth breaks up easily into crumbs, or granules, about the size of wheat grains or soybeans. These crumbs are porous. They are made up of tiny bits of soil linked together something like popcorn in a popcorn ball. They hold this structure even when soaked. Because of the pores in the crumbs themselves, and because the size of the crumbs keeps them from fitting together as tightly as smaller bits of soil, there is space for air and water. In other words, to have good soil tilth is to have proper air-water relationships in the soil.

Respect for good soil tilth is nothing new. Agriculturists centuries ago said that good soil tilth was essential if the highest yields of crops were to be grown.

## Wind Erosion Is Problem

The effects of wind erosion are serious and extensive. Many crops are lost, and soil fertility is greatly reduced. Railways and highways are sometimes buried under drifted soil. Traffic accidents are common during duststorms. Insects and weed seeds are blown far and wide with drifting soil. Fences, hedges and shelterbelts are sometimes buried or ruined. At times, farm buildings are ruined by drifts and sandblasting. Duststorms are disagreeable or unbearable both to farm families and to town and city people.

The most serious effects of wind erosion are the loss of fine soil fractions that are gradually sorted and moved to distant places.

The wind acts like a sieve on some soils. It removes the fine fractions and retains the coarse ones. The coarse fractions are not fertile and are little more than the soil skeleton. The plants get their food from the finer soil particles.

Each shift of soil by the wind removes more plant nutrients. After the soil has been moved a number of times, the remaining soil that forms the hummocks and fence-row dunes is mainly sand, regardless of the original texture.

The finer textured soils (loams and clay loams) are least affected by wind erosion because tillage usually roughens and clods them so that they can resist blowing.

One of the least noticeable yet most damaging effects of wind erosion is the blowing of clay and silt from cultivated land to rangeland. These materials are carried many miles and deposited as a thin mantle on the rangeland. It increases runoff and water erosion and thus takes greatly needed moisture from the good grasses.

The best way to control wind erosion is by maintaining a vegetable cover or by properly managing crop residues. If adequate residues are not available, emergency tillage should be used to produce roughness and clods. The rougher the surface, the higher the wind needed to start soil blowing.



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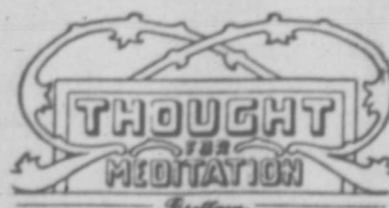


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Re-Election For  
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RAY LYNN BRITT  
Candidate For  
DISTRICT CLERK  
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ERNEST L. OWENS  
Re-Election For  
DISTRICT CLERK  
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**ILLEGAL LOANS** — Rep. Robert Michael (R.-Ill.) said that despite the ruling of unconstitutionality on the Colorado-Ute Electric Association loan, Norman Clapp Rural Electrification Administrator "is now in the process of making the same mistake" by proving a \$60.2 million loan to the Cooperative, Inc., of Indiana, even though legal questions are pending before that state's highest court.

♦ ♦ Sen. Strom Thurmond (R.-S.C.) said, "There is considerable evidence the new look in foreign aid is little more than a 'face lifting' in the hope of hiding the same amounts of give-away funds and many of the old objectionable features behind a fresh paint job."

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