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WOODWORK BY DALTON

I KNOW OF only a few people in this West Texas area who would refuse to help someone in trouble. But I know of many who are opposed to various types of welfare programs because they are suspicious of the way they're being handled.

I have to admit to being one of these myself. Like many others, I have heard stories of persons driving off with free goods in their new cars, and of persons refusing legitimate job offers because it would take them off the free handout rolls, and they'd rather get it for nothing than work for it.

There perhaps is no way to keep some lazy louts from getting welfare aid along with the help that is given the really needy who can't work, but one thing that will cut down on the abuses is close checks on families and individuals receiving assistance.

Significant proof of this is seen in a story from Dallas the other day, reporting that applications for family assistance grants have dropped sharply since the Texas Department of Public Welfare announced it was investigating fraud cases.

The report said the number of requests for aid to families with dependent children dropped from 1,018 in January to 765 in February, after it was reported that 10 staff members were probing welfare grants.

The Dallas County grand jury has indicted three welfare recipients on felony charges of false pretenses and three other cases are pending.

The publicity is scaring off some of the guilty ones. It's kind of like the story about the minister who announced at church that "I saw one man sitting out there go into a bar last night. If he doesn't want me to announce his name right here in church, I suggest he put a \$20 bill in the plate." And when the collection was taken, there were 15 of those \$20 bills.

SURVEY TO BE CONDUCTED

The Bureau of the Census will conduct a survey of employment and unemployment in this area during the week of April 19, Walter A. Freeman, Jr., Director of the Bureau's regional office in Denver, announced today.

This survey is conducted monthly by the Bureau for the U. S. Department of Labor. A scientifically selected sample of households throughout the entire United States is interviewed. The employment and unemployment statistics that are based on the results of this survey provide a continuing measure of the economic health of the Nation.

In February, for example, unemployment edged down for the second straight month on a seasonally adjusted basis, 5.8 percent of the labor force was out of work as compared with 6.0 percent in January and 6.2 percent in December.

Facts supplied by individuals participating in the survey are kept strictly confidential by law, and the results are used only to compile statistical totals.



APOLLO 14 ASTRONAUTS - Shown above, from left to right, are Apollo 14 astronauts Stuart Roosa, Alan Shepard and Edgar Mitchell as they visited recently with Congressman Bob Price, shown second from the left.

Little League Try-Outs Held

Try-outs for the Sudan teams of the Inter-City Little League were held Thursday afternoon when coaches of the three teams chose the 12 players needed to complete their teams.

Some 20 boys signed-up and participated. In the try-outs with only 12 being chosen to play due to the ruling that a Little League team can have only 15 members.

It was brought to the attention of those attending that another team is needed in Sudan for all the local boys to be able to participate in the sport during the summer months.

Chosen as team members were Angels - Mike Read, Paul Couch, Billy Dail Williams, Ray Dudgeon.

Dodgers - Troy Wayne Moss, Mark Allen Warren, Victor King, Ronald Johnson, Pete Edwards, Ricky Moore.

Cardinals - Terry Nash Sterling.

1971 CANCER DRIVE SET

Plans for Cancer Crusade Week in Lamb County are being finalized and workers are making last-minute preparations for canvassing the various cities and communities.

The national drive has been scheduled for April 25-30. Chairman for Sudan is Mrs. Adrian Martin.

Guild News

Ramona Ingram was hostess to the W. S. G. in the parlor of the First United Methodist Church April 6. Glynna Harrison said the invocation. Easter poems were read by Eleose Curry. The program was given by Anita Wallace.

Those present were Glynna Harrison, Romona Ingram, Betty Masten, Eleose Curry, Mary Tollett, Frances Potter, Lois White, and Anita Wallace. Next meeting will be April 20 in the home of Dorothy Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin and family of Albuquerque, N. M. visited recently with her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Provenca and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Carson.

PRE-SCHOOLERS FETED AT EASTER EGG HUNT

Pre-school children of the First Baptist Church were entertained with an Easter Egg hunt Wednesday afternoon at the city park.

Attending were David Harper, Sherbob Taylor, Kimberly Powell, Lisa Wood, Bryan Burns, Tommy Ray, Blake Laceywell, Lee Ann Ellison, Michelle Burns, Shawn DeLoach, Perry Kent, Debbie Hill, Jon Ann Williams, Missy Fisher, Keevin Masten, Shawnda Masten, Linda Read, and sponsors, Mrs. Raymond Harper, Billy Chester, and Pete Lance.

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM HELD

A disaster preparedness practical work night was conducted in Littlefield Tuesday night.

A mock disaster situation was set up by John W. Guckian, disaster director of the West Texas Division of the American Red Cross.

In a simulated disaster area in the northeast section of Littlefield, survey team members were told what to look for in making a direct on-the-spot survey.

The mock disaster included the area bordering the schools on West First going north to the radio station and VFW Hall.

Survey teams were asked questions like: "Was the nursing home hit? How badly? Did the home need to be re-located immediately and where would be a good place for re-location? Is the school with the cafeteria damaged too much for use as a shelter? Can the VFW building be used for open shelter? How long will it take to get generators in here to supply power? Are gas facilities out?"

Many questions for thought were posed to the 35 persons attending before four survey teams, two each representing the local Red Cross and two from the civil defense, went to the mock disaster area.

In the Littlefield area, the community center and large churches were designated tentative food and shelter areas.

In the near future, Guckian will be back for a workshop with

SARA WOODS NAMED CHAIRMAN

Sara Woods, vice president of the First National Bank, Sudan, is among the prominent Texas bank-women planning the 1971 Southwestern Regional Conference of the National Association of Bank-Women Inc. Mrs. Woods is serving as chairman of the Hospitality Committee for the Conference, which is scheduled for the KoKo Convention Center in Lubbock, April 22-24.

Keyed to the theme, "Decade of Discovery," the Conference is expected to attract some 250-300 women bank executives from Texas, Arkansas, and Oklahoma to Lubbock for a diversified program that will include an address by Miss Jean E. Spencer, assistant to Vice President Spiro Agnew.

Miss Joy L. Lambert, assistant cashier of the Lubbock National Bank is serving as general chairman of the Conference. Co-chairman is Mrs. Jeanette Bagwell, assistant to the president, Citizens National Bank, Lubbock.

The National Association of Bank-Women Inc. is an organization of women who hold executive positions with banks, savings banks and trust companies. There are more than 8,000 members throughout the United States, Canada, and other foreign countries.

MRS. NIX FAVORED BY EASTER BUNNY

Some dumb Bunny, wanting to get his work done early, no doubt, left a yard full of eggs Saturday at the Matt Nix home.

Having no children at home, "What to do, was the question. Bring in help, was the obvious answer so off to Muleshoe Mrs. Nix went to pick up grandchildren, Marleea and Brandon Cox and their cousins Gary and Tisha Cox. Back in Sudan they found other willing workers, Angie Carson, Sharla Harrison, Angie and Terrie West of Odessa and Kevin and DeAnna Robison of Fort Worth.

Ice cream cones were served to all after the hunt. Mrs. Nix would like to take this opportunity to thank all for the help!

the shelter committee. Sudan civil defense members attending were Orville Hill, Philip Gordon, and Weldon Wiseman.

CONTROVERSY CONTINUES OVER HAIL-RAIN PROGRAM

Temperatures are reaching a peak as high and with as much velocity as a West Texas thunderstorm over the proposed controlled weather program. The Hail Suppression was introduced into the Lamb County area last year in the midst of a record-breaking drought when moisture was needed from every possible source.

The "aggrainers" report that they believe that seeding the clouds with the silver iodine crystals not only suppressed the hail but broke up the clouds before rain could form. Spokesmen for the Better Weather Inc. of Lamb County reported that the same crystals will help produce rain when seeded into clouds.

The battle continues with both groups forming organizations to fight for their beliefs. The Better Weather Inc. plans to join with Hale County and portions

of Lamb, Floyd, Crosby, Castro, Swisher and Lubbock counties in a continuing hail suppression and rainfall stimulation program to begin May 1 and continue until the 1971 harvest is completed. The current program will include some 2,000 square-mile-area where the rainfall stimulation will be in addition to the hail suppression.

The rainfall stimulation program will be conducted similarly to the hail suppression with aircraft applying amounts of silver iodine crystals into updrafts of air feeding into the clouds, except that more clouds are expected to be seeded. The crystals, which are reported to warm the suspected hail and turn it into beneficial rain, are also supposed to induce moisture in cloud formations.

The Lamb County Better Weather Inc. reports that funds are being solicited only from farmers and land owners in the Amherst-Spade-Fieldton area with the program covering an area south to the Santa Fe Railways which stretches across the county, and west to the Sudan city limits.

Farmers in the Amherst area feel that they cannot farm without the program as many of them harvested their first crop, free

from hail, in six years. Meanwhile, the farmers in the western and southern part of the county feel that the program deprived them of the much needed moisture last summer and several report there will be no crops of any kind unless they do get rain, hail or no hail.

However the battle goes, the wind and sand continues with no rain forecast and very few clouds of any nature have been seen so far this spring in the area.

A late development in the controversy appeared this week when a hearing was set for April 20 at the Texas Water Development offices in Lubbock to decide whether to grant an operational permit to atmospheric, Inc. The company was expected to carry-out the program this year.

Expected to be present for the meeting are members of the Better Weather Inc. and the Natural Weather group who has solicited over 1,000 signatures on petitions calling for the denial of the permit.

The outcome of the hearing will decide the fate of the 1971 Hail Suppression and Rainfall Stimulation program for several South Plains counties including Lamb.

Tax Deadline Today!

Today, April 15, the dreaded day for many tax payers has arrived and the Form 1040, along with that check must be in the mail by midnight tonight or a penalty will be added to the Balance Due.

Last year residents of Lamb County contributed some \$9,398,000.00 to the federal coffers in the form of personal income taxes. And this year, for those who were fully employed throughout 1970 and who earned higher wages for the most part, the tax payments are being somewhat higher.

If you have not filed your tax return, be sure to check all the figures before mailing.

YOUTHS NAMED HONOR STUDENTS

Judy West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick West, was among the more than 1,650 students in the College of Arts and Sciences at Texas Tech University to be named to the Dean's List during the fall semester.

To qualify for the Dean's List a student must have a grade point average of 3.0 or more and must be taking as many as 12 hours of work.

Enrollment during the fall semester passed the 20,000 mark for the first time since Texas Tech was founded in the mid-twenties.

Miss Sharon Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard M. Wilson of Sudan, was one of 11 Abilene Christian College students who recently attended a student meeting of the Independent Colleges and Universities of Texas, Inc.

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes, House Speaker Gus Mutscher, Senator J. P. Word of Meridan, Senator Ralph Hall of Rockwall and Representative Menton J. Murray of Harlingen spoke to more than 150 students from private Texas institutions during the one-day meeting in Austin.

Miss Wilson graduated from Sudan High School in 1970 and is a freshman music major at



NO "19" - Angela Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wood of San Antonio, is shown pointing to the missing digit 19, on the 1971 Texas license plate on the car belonging to her father. She visited in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. House Jr. during the weekend.

Abilene Christian. She serves as a freshman senator and is a member of the ACC Big Purple Band and the varsity chorus. Miss Wilson is one of eight students recently chosen as freshman class favorites at ACC.

Richard Lee (Dick) Black, sophomore student at the University of Texas was named to the Arts and Sciences honor roll for the 1970 fall term.

A minimum of 52 grade points is required for a student to be placed on the honor roll. The list was made public by Dr. Stanley R. Ross, Acting Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences and provost-designate.

Black, a 1969 graduate of Sudan High School, attended Austin College of Sherman, Texas his freshman year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Black.

TOPS Club

The Sudan TOPS met Monday afternoon in the Community Center when eight members were present reporting a combined weight loss of 5 pounds.

Thettie Walker was awarded the weekly pin with Oleta Reece and Letha Gordon tying for second place. Mayfair Graves continued her reign as three-month-queen.

Verdie Gann read the treasurer's report and the meeting was adjourned following the reading of "Ten Ways to Let Your Appetite Know Who Is Boss".

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Glover and sons returned home Tuesday after vacationing at the lake during the holidays.

Mrs. W. L. Rice, Willie Mae and Kathy were in Plainview Sunday afternoon to visit with relatives there.

Texas Tech To Sponsor Senior Day

High school seniors from a wide area of Texas and New Mexico including Sudan and Amherst are invited to find out for themselves "what it's like" at Texas Tech University Saturday, April 17.

The university will conduct an open house from 8 a. m. to 12 noon for visiting seniors, who later will have an opportunity to attend one or more events scheduled during the afternoon and night.

"The purpose of the open house," said Dr. Owen Caskey, associate vice president for academic affairs, "is to acquaint high school students with the services and educational opportunities offered at the university. "Choosing the university where he will spend the next few years of his life is one of the biggest decisions a high school student will make. Often this decision is made without the benefit of even seeing the campus he will attend."

The open house will afford interested high school students a chance not only to view the campus but also to visit with the departments in which their educational interests lie, he said.

The University Center—the student union of Tech—will be

open to the visiting students as will the bookstore, Residence Halls Housing Office, The Museum of Texas Tech, and the academic and administrative offices of the university.

Caskey also announced that the office of admissions in West Hall will be open where visiting students may pick up catalogs, permits to enroll, and other materials of interest to them.

Information booths to accommodate students will be manned in the Administration Building,

REPORT ON AMMENDMENT 3

Delegates from over 100 state and local campaign groups affiliated with Texas Citizens for Welfare Reform will gather in Austin April 16 for final clearances in the educational campaign pushing passage of Constitutional Amendment #3 on May 18.

The purpose of the meeting will be to further strengthen and expand cooperative efforts already underway, to educate voters and review various actions taken to date by both state and local groups.

The amendment would change the constitutional ceiling on assistance payments -- taking the adult programs for the aged, blind and disabled out from under the ceiling and keeping the Aid for Dependent Children program under a \$55 million limit.

The twelve-member Coordinating Committee will serve both as a sounding board and the nerve center for what has been described as "the last big push" before the Special Election May 18.

the University Center and in West Hall.

Another aspect of Tech's growth can be seen when its present enrollment of more than 20,000 is compared with its first class in 1925 of 910.

Students will be able to visit any of the different colleges which make up Texas Tech University -- the colleges of Agricultural Sciences, Arts and Sciences, Engineering, Education, Home Economics, and Business Administration and the Law School and Graduate School. A new School of Medicine is scheduled to accept its first class in the fall of 1972.

A variety of events will take place on the Tech campus during the day. The Texas Tech Rodeo, widely-known as one of the biggest and best of the collegiate rodeos, will have two performances Saturday at 2 and 8 p. m. Featured entertainers will include actor Dale Robertson and singer Jody Miller. Rodeo contestants are college and university students.

"The Lion in Winter" a truly moving play, will be presented in the University Theater at 8:15 p. m. and the Moody Planetarium of The Museum of Texas Tech will also present a show, "Jupiter, the Giant Planet" at 3 p. m.

Texas Tech has a faculty of more than 1,360 professors and instructors and a staff and supporting personnel of 1,960 who "make it possible for our university to offer the best in educational opportunities," said Caskey. "We urge all interested high school students to take advantage of this opportunity to get acquainted with Texas Tech."

plans finalized for attending the Council-wide event in Lubbock, April 24. Sherrie Ray was selected as troop representative.

Other activities planned include a Mother-Daughter Tea, Pre-Brownie Day, and Fly-Up Ceremonies.

Eighteen Brownies and four leaders attended.

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	March 31, 1970	March 31, 1971
RESOURCES		
Loans and Discounts	1,380,494.29	1,437,479.12
Banking House	28,500.00	27,310.72
Furniture and Fixtures	27,400.00	29,684.84
Other Real Estate Owned	10,361.96	9,381.00
U. S. Government Bonds	906,972.80	1,076,787.30
Other Bonds and Warrants	296,821.79	224,859.08
Federal Funds Sold	400,000.00	None
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	6,000.00	7,500.00
Cash and Exchange	1,207,972.81	1,729,368.79
Other Assets	None	3,787.08
TOTAL	4,264,523.65	4,546,157.93
LIABILITIES		
Capital Stock (Common)	50,000.00	50,000.00
Surplus Fund	150,000.00	200,000.00
Undivided Profits	95,541.61	64,503.03
Deposits	3,968,982.04	4,231,654.90
TOTAL	4,264,523.65	4,546,157.93

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PERSONALS

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. House during the Easter vacation were Mr. and Mrs. John Wood and children of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Wood and children of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mahan of Grandfalls, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Mahan of Hobbs, N. M. Also visiting in the House home Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox and children of Bula.

The Glen Cardwells visited relatives in Odessa, Andrews, Plains and Lubbock on Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donny Ford of Lubbock and Billy John Ford, Tech student, were weekend visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Fisher of Petersburg and Miss Kathy Fisher of Ranger Jr. College have been visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Fisher and Missy.

Joe West is a medical patient at the Amherst hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Harvey and children were in Las Vegas, N. M. during the Easter weekend.

Mrs. H. P. West, mother of Mrs. Rubilee Walser and Mrs. Burnice May, is a patient at the Amherst hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haley and children of Denver City were recent visitors in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Nelson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Carpenter and family are visiting relatives this week in Rising Star, Mason, and London.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Turner are visiting this week in Odessa with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Height and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Chester and girls and Mr. and Mrs. Dick West and girls are vacationing at Lake Brownwood this week. The Chesters were in Houston Wednesday where their daughter, Terri, underwent medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Olds left

Thursday for Lake Brownwood for several weeks of fishing. Joining them for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Fields and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chester and boys are fishing at Port Aransas this week.

Among other Sudan families fishing at the coast during the Easter holidays are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bowling, Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeLoach, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Dudgeon, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Ingle, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Eving, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Reid, and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindel Harlin visited in Kansas during the Easter holidays.

CONWAY TWITTY TO APPEAR IN LUBBOCK

Conway Twitty and the Twitty Birds will appear in concert Thursday, April 22 in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium at 8:00 p. m. In appearance also will be Anthony Armstrong Jones.

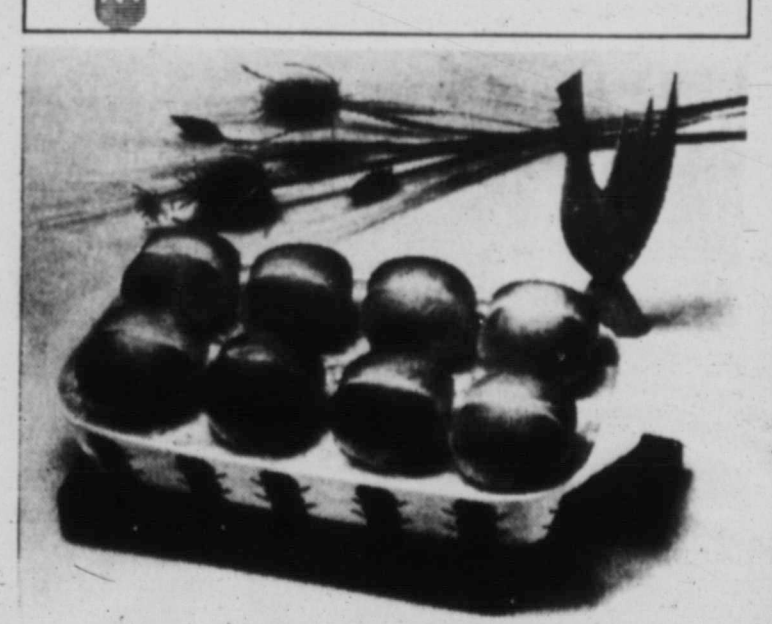
Conway, who is generally considered one of the nicest and most respected artists in all of Country Music, as well as one of the most talented, is a proven giant in his field.

Advance tickets are available at Montgomery Ward and B&B Music in Lubbock. Tickets will also be available at the door.

READ THE ADS!

GOLDEN TOUCH OF HOSPITALITY

BY JANE ASHLEY



Consider the Casserole

Casseroles using convenience foods and leftovers are a boon to a busy housewife and a strained budget. This casserole is topped with packaged brown and serve rolls. The cooked diced chicken can be a leftover or prepared especially for the casserole. Add a tossed green salad and a fresh vegetable to complete the meal.

Easy Chicken Casserole

4 tablespoons margarine 1 1/2 cups cooked chopped chicken
2 tablespoons corn starch 1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon pepper 6 to 8 brown and serve rolls
2 cups milk Melted margarine

Melt margarine in saucepan. Mix in corn starch, salt and pepper. Remove pan from heat. Gradually stir in milk mixing until smooth. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens, comes to a boil and boils one minute. Add chicken. Cook until chicken is hot. Pour into 1 quart casserole. Brush tops and sides of rolls with melted margarine. Arrange on top of chicken mixture. Bake in 450 degrees F. (hot) oven until rolls are golden brown, about 6 to 8 minutes. Makes 3 to 4 servings.

School Menu

MONDAY — Fish portions with tartar sauce, garden peas, cream potatoes, rolls with butter, honey cup, milk.

TUESDAY — Pizza, blackeyed peas, baked corn, peanut butter cake, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Pinto beans, buttered spinach, macaroni with tomatoes, cornmeal muffin, pineapple pudding, milk.

THURSDAY — Meat loaf with catsup, green beans, potatoes in sauce, rolls with butter, orange-grapefruit sections, chocolate milk.

FRIDAY — Beef-vegetable stew, crackers, cheese sticks, doughnuts, milk.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Lendle McCarty and granddaughters are in Austin this week to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lendle Fair and boys.

Mrs. R. B. Knox and Celia, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Knox and Curtis Wayne, and Mrs. Daisy Ford were in Dallas during the weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. James Raspberry, Mr. and Mrs. Troy McHenry, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edwards and family visited Sunday in the home of his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davenport of Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Churchman and family visited relatives in Colorado this week.

Dennis Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Harvey, was honored on his 11th birthday Tuesday with a get-together. Attending were Darren Provence, Donald Doty and Steve Ritchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Morris will leave next week for several days fishing at Lake Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Cowart and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Humphreys and family are among some of the Sudan residents who are vacationing at Lake Brownwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Noles and family returned Wednesday from Port Aransas where they spent several days fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gilreath and family are vacationing at Lake Brownwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harper have been fishing and vacationing at Lake Buchanan and Toledo Bend. They returned home Saturday.

Lisa Bishop flew to Dallas for the Easter holidays.

Kathy Minyard, Tech student, spent the Easter weekend in Sudan with her parents.

Among the Boy Scouts attending the Shrine Circus in Amarillo Saturday were Brian May, Gary Ham, Terry Swart, Craig Doty, Larry Bishop, Tony Lopez, Larry Bellar, James Graves, and

Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeLoach and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylan Beavers and girls visited recently with their parents in Quanah.

Larry Hazina, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hanna, is home during spring vacation from UNM in Albuquerque.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Adams and Donna are visiting in Dallas, Lubbock and Brownwood for a few days.

Mrs. Bob Nelson and children are visiting relatives in Whiteface and Denver City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and children are visiting friends and relatives in Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chappel were in Lockhart during the weekend to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Coppedge. Donna Provence accompanied them.

Susan Cardwell was in Muleshoe during the holidays to visit friends there.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Bellar are their sons, Mike of College Station and Jerry of UNM in Albuquerque. Also visiting were Miss Jeryl Henvey and Craig Methason, UNM students. Steve Martin and Linda Lane were dinner guests on Sunday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Gordon and Jeff during the Easter weekend were her mother, Mrs. Vera Thomas of Olney, and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cordie Thomas and Wesley of Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Corley of Albuquerque, N. M. visited this week with his sister and family, the G. C. Ritchies.

LOCAL FISHERMEN HOST WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

Five fishermen shared their catch with family and friends at the Matt Nix home Wednesday night, April 7.

The fishermen were W. C. Masten, Reagan Cox, Jim Ricketts, Raymond and Matt Nix.

Those enjoying the good eating were Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walden, Curtis Savage, Bill Nix, Albert Harrison and daughter Sharla, Danny Masten and children Kevin and Shawnda, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Eady of Amherst; Mrs. Charles King of Muleshoe, Mrs. Gladys Glenn, Sandra Robison and children, Kevin and DeAnna of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. James Cox and children, Gary and Tisha of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sanderson of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Schroeder, Chadd and Jason of Lubbock, Mrs. Reagan Cox and children Marleea and Brandon, Mrs. W. C. Masten, Dale Masten, Mrs. Raymond Nix, Mrs. Matt Nix and the fishermen.

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Young sheep
- Exists
- Supports
- Greed
- Reject
- Tower
- Granular compound
- Boy's name
- Fish
- Celestial body
- Fowl
- Function
- Platform
- Traveling chest
- Metric measure
- Groove
- Grate
- Silkworm
- Conjunction
- Smooth
- Palm's fruit
- Bleed
- Allow
- Orient
- Wipe
- Sound of laughter
- Contaminate
- Director
- Therefore
- Inherent
- German city
- The: Fr.
- Novice
- Strike
- Bay window
- Pungent
- Great Lake
- Fall
- Atmosphere
- Negotiate
- Gleam
- Consume
- Posture
- Leave
- Hindrances
- Lengthy
- Long hair
- Inheritor
- Italian river
- Article
- Bronze: Rom.
- Measuring unit
- Merry

DOWN


- In:rm
- Eager
- Human being
- Supports
- Frosted
- Fix
- Feign
- Observe
- Musical drama
- Through
- Crafty
- Golf-club
- Touchwood

Answer to Puzzle

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VHJOWMSVE
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BLESLKEDVLE
DALSIRNTRQ
RREKTRNTRQ
EDGODS
AVRICE
LWELM

DAVE LLEWELLYN

Prophets — Who Needs Them?



Believing the Bible, these days, is very difficult. Because some theologians are adding to that the Bible does not really mean what it says.

How can anyone believe in the Bible when he has to have some technical training to interpret it for him? And if he chooses to believe, in spite of such a difficulty, which of the contradictory experts should he trust? And if he is able to make a decision, isn't he really believing in a man, rather than in God? And what will happen to him when that man dies?

A Christian may, of course, ignore the theologians and enter his life by his own study of the Bible as the direct word of God to him. That may be acceptable to some, but others have questions and doubts — and need assurance.

The Christian revelation needs proof.

We Have Prophecy
Prophecy is that which does not contain prophecies, and many of the prophecies are demonstrably true. The most salient example is the prophecy of Daniel, since it is most subject to attack.

The best archeological and linguistic evidence dates Daniel's writing in the sixth century B.C. Yet in his prophecy, chapters 8 and 11 (see especially 8:21, 22), Daniel describes clearly events concerned with the conquests of Alexander the Great, and especially the events following Alexander's death in 323 B.C. Compare Daniel with any history of Greece.

Theologians who want to deny that God ever gave man supernatural guidance have been claiming that Daniel actually wrote around 165 B.C. and composed his "prophecies" after the events were completed. But they now cannot say that Daniel lived more recently than circa 200 B.C. because we now have a copy of Daniel's prophecy among the Dead Sea scrolls and almost everyone dates them around 200 B.C. — and some, considerably earlier.

The Dead Sea scrolls make it difficult for those who want to discredit revelation, because the prophecy of Daniel also includes the prediction that the city of Jerusalem would again be destroyed (Dan. 9:26), as it was by the Romans in A. D. 70. Other verifiable prophecies are abundant, including many that predicted that the Jews would recover Israel, which they did in 1948.

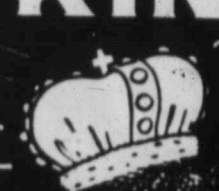
The Christian revelation has proof in prophecy. But it needs something more.

We Need Prophecy
Christian revelation needs new proof, living proof. Prophets are that proof. Who is a prophet? A prophet is a man who has heard God and has a message for men. Prophets proclaim, rather than argue. They demand decisions. They are direct and simple, giving to the world the words of God without apology because they are convinced that "the Word of God is alive and powerful" (Hebrews 4:12) and that "it should not stand on the wisdom of men but on the power of God."

Are there prophets today? Yes. God promised them to the church as a special gift. But not enough believers who have been given prophetic power are exercising it. Copyright Dave Llewellyn 1971

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