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AROUND  
THE  
COUNTY  
by



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Activity in the screwworm eradication program picked up in this area during the last few days. On Friday of last week, the first case in Sterling County was confirmed on the Claude Collins, r. ranch in the northwest part of the county. It was sent in from the area known as the Douthit sections. There is a full story on this case elsewhere in this week's paper.

On Monday, Forrest Smith, the inspector in this area, was notified of three confirmed cases elsewhere in his eight-county area. One case came from Tom Green County just out of Water Valley. Another case was sent in from Irion County. This case came from just west of highway 163, the Barnhart road, near the Middle Concho. It was just about five miles from a previous case in Irion County. The 3rd case Forrest was called on about Monday came from Schleicher County.

All livestock producers are being urged by the program officials to check their livestock regularly. Dope the shearing cuts on sheep and spray your livestock with either Corral or Korlan.

These steps will aid the program immeasurably in doing away with the screwworm. This year, according to Del Deterling, information specialist at Mission, there were only three hundred cases of screwworms confirmed in the state by the Mission laboratory. Last year during the month of April there were 2,600.

Above all, call Mission on all samples. They will probably advise you to send them in and this is vital to the program. The general practice now is to hotspot areas having confirmed cases where these areas are outside the release area. This consists of dropping 100,000 sterile flies twice a week in a three to five mile radius of the infested premises.

James Morgan of the Sterling County 4-H Club range judging team was sixth high individual in the Crockett County range contest last Thursday afternoon and received a rosette. James scored 348 points out of a possible 400 in the contest. There were about 100 boys and girls participating in the contest.

Sterling County's senior team was sixth high team in the contest. Other than James, those on the team were Larry Stewart and David Foster. A second team made up of Tommy Foster, Jack Clark and Wayland Foster also participated in the contest. These three are the 4-H Club grass identification team and have not concentrated on range. All six boys received a good work out that will be of value to them in preparing for the state contests in June at College Station.

Notice has been received from Dr. R. M. Zirkle, federal veterinarian with the Animal Disease Eradication Laboratory in San Angelo that Sterling County will be recertified for the brucellosis program before December of 1963. Our certification expires in March of 1964 but the officials are trying to keep well ahead of the expiration dates so that ranchers will not be pressed for time.

According to Dr. Zirkle, there are nine herds in the county that were either suspect or reactor herds in 1961. These herds must be tested. In addition, cattle from at least twenty other herds must be tested; as before however, they will test all cattle that the owners desire.

Cattle from nine herds in the county were market tested

## HIGH WINDS SUNDAY

High winds and some rain hit Sterling County and West Texas Sunday afternoon. A norther blew in with winds up to 65 miles per hour and more, brought dust first and then rain. Here in town about a quarter of an inch fell but the rain was quite heavy in some areas of the county.

No heavy damage was done here but some was reported over West Texas. Some house shingles were blown off and minor damage was observed in town. Trees lost some of their fruit and shrubs and flowers suffered in the wind.

No hail was reported here. More than two inches of rain fell at Bubba Fosters in very short time.

## Screwworm Lab Acts Fast

Less than 24 hours after the Mission laboratory of the screwworm eradication program positively identified a sample as screwworms, sterile flies were dropped in Sterling County according to Arthur Barlemann, Jr., county agent. The first case of screwworms in Sterling County in 1963, the sample came from the northwest part of Sterling County, on what is known as the Douthit sections.

On Wednesday, May 1, Bubs Gressett who lives on the place, mailed the sample through the Big Spring county agents office since he happened to be in Big Spring. The sample arrived at the Mission laboratory for identification on Friday morning. By eleven o'clock, the sample had been positively identified as screwworms.

At 11:45 A.M., Del Deterling, area information specialist with the Extension Service whose job it is to coordinate information between the eradication program and the Extension Service county personnel, called Barlemann in Sterling City, who contacted Forrest Smith who is an inspector on the program. Smith's superiors were contacting him at the same time.

Smith and Barlemann contacted Gressett at the ranch shortly after 1:00 P.M. for further information on the case. The sample had been taken from rams in a one section pasture. On the basis of the information furnished, Smith phoned Dr Ted Rea in Austin at 3:00 P.M. Dr. Rea told Smith that sterile flies probably would be dropped in the area on Saturday morning; Smith had marked the pasture on a map on the ground with lime for the pilot.

Before 9:00 A.M. Saturday morning, a plane had flown up from Del Rio, air dropped the sterile flies, and already left for the return trip to Del Rio.

According to Deterling, the general practice of hotspotting areas outside the release area is now in effect. This calls for the dispersion of 100,000 sterile flies twice a week within a three-to-five mile radius of the infested premises.

In addition to the fly drop, Smith furnished Gressett Corral to spray the animals in and around the infested area. He also contacted all the neighbors and informed them of the case and furnished several of them with spray and urged all to spray, particularly sheep that are being sheared.

The fast action of the eradication program officials and the cooperation of livestock producers is necessary to achieve the aim of all who are involved: the eradication of the screwworm, a pest which annually costs livestock producers many millions of dollars. The Sterling county case illustrates the fast action and cooperation of all.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis attended the Texas Federated Rock Show in Amarillo last weekend.

## Lions Hear About Weather U.S. Bureau

Otis Bobbitt of the U. S. Weather Bureau at San Angelo was speaker at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. He told of the work of the bureau both here and over the country. He said we were in a transitory area, between the arid area of West Texas and the humid area east of here. Bobbitt said the average rain fall for here was 18.63 during the past 100 years. But the median or more near average fall was about 14 inches. The extremely high years which put the average up so high should not be used in getting the median.

The weather man said that there had been no appreciable change in the rain picture over the southwest for the past 1,000 years, and too he said there had been no swing to hotter or colder weather during the last 1,000 years.

On forecasting, Bobbitt said they could make good forecasts on a 24 hour basis, but not too good on a five day or 30 day outlook.

Guests at the luncheon included Bobbitt, Duard Grosshans, Troy Templin, and James Crook.

Lee Douthit thanked the club for the privilege of being the Queen Contestant representing the club at the district convention. The prize went to Bobbitt.

## Attend District Lions Convention

Attending the District Lions Convention in Midland last weekend were Frank Jackson, president elect of the Sterling City Lions, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Douthit and, daughter, Lee. Lee was the Sterling club's entry in the Lions District Queens Contest.

The entrants in the Queens Contest had a full day at the convention. They registered before ten o'clock that morning and were welcomed and briefed at the host hotel, the Scharborough. They (32 of them) were guests at the official luncheon at the hotel at noon. A rehearsal was held in the high school auditorium that afternoon. A reception followed at the country club, and the contest was held on Saturday night in the school auditorium.

A girl representing the club at Buchanan Dam won the contest.

## District Court Opened Here Monday

The spring session of 51st District Court got underway here Monday morning with the convening of the grand jury. Judge Joe Mays of San Angelo presided and the new district attorney, Frank Dicksey, Jr. acted as prosecutor.

In criminal court action following indictment, and on a plea of guilty, E. F. Keener was fined \$200 and costs. He was charged with driving while intoxicated with subsequent offenses.

Leon Willis Waiker was fined \$160 and costs following indictment and on a plea of guilty. He too, was charged with felony DWI.

In civil action Montgomery Sand and Gravel Co was granted a default judgment against Duncan Construction Co.

In further civil action in the case of Norene G. McGill vs. T.D. McGill, there was entered preliminary agreements in a suit for divorce and a restraining order issued by the court.

Court will be resumed on the 20th with some possible jury trials. The grand jury adjourned about 5:30 p.m. with perhaps some further deliberations later in the term.

Attending a science symposium in Dallas this weekend are Lee Douthit and Troy Murrell, high school students accompanying them were Earl B. Seago, high school principal and Mrs. Jack Douthit.

## End of School Exercises Set

Baccalaureate May 19;  
Commencement May 21

## Awards Banquet To Be Saturday Night

The annual spring or awards banquet at the high school is to be held here Saturday evening at the community center.

The cheer leaders, twirlers, the other awards that go to high school students will be announced at that time. The meal is to be catered by Zettlers Restaurant and the 7th and 8th grade girls will serve, it was said.

Sid B. Stevenson, dean of students at San Angelo College will be the main speaker of the banquet.

## Rock Show Next Friday at School

The fourth annual Sterling Rock Show will be held at the school here next Friday, announced Mrs. Bena Davis this week. Seven classes of exhibits will be displayed. The public is invited, said Mrs. Davis.

Classes of rocks and exhibits will be Igneous Rocks, Sedimentary Rocks, Metamorphic Rocks, Minerals, Fossils, Indian Artifacts and Special Display.

There will be ribbons given for the first four places and two honorable mentions said the sponsor.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Mrs. Tom McGill  
Leroy Butler  
Mrs. Sam Nance  
Mrs. Melvin Foster and infant daughter, Sheri Lynn  
Mrs. Jack Muston  
Joe Williams  
Mrs. O. V. Anderson  
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week included—  
Mrs. George Case  
Mrs. J. R. Dillard  
Mrs. Andrew Coronado and infant daughter, Loraine, born April 29  
W. J. Williams  
Mrs. Lupe Trevino  
Mrs. Jimmy Dan Hipp and infant daughter, Tammy Kay, born April 29

The Jake Crossnos of Fairfield were visitors here over the past weekend.

Superintendent of schools O.T. Jones said this week that the end of school exercises had been set and that the Baccalaureate Service would be in the school auditorium on Sunday evening, May 19 at 8 o'clock. Marion Hays, Church of Christ minister would bring the sermon that evening.

Commencement exercises of the high school will be held at 8 p. m. Tuesday evening, May 21 in the auditorium with the Rev. James Puckett of Big Spring being the main speaker.

The eighth grade graduation exercises will be held on the evening of May 23 in the auditorium.

High school graduates are Billy Blair, Edna Davis, Bonnie Gartman, Algerine Tomlinson, O. C. Estes, Vernon Asbill, and Jerry Payne.

## Open House, Shower At Hospital Sunday

There is to be open house and a linen shower for the Sterling County Hospital Sunday afternoon from two till five o'clock. The affair is being sponsored by members of the Epsilon Zeta Club of Sterling City.

Any kinds of linens, sheets, pillow cases, towels, wash cloths, blankets, etc, will be welcomed, said Mrs. Jodie Blanker for the club.

Sunday is National Hospital Day over the country and the day was picked for local citizens to honor their hospital with a linen shower.

It was suggested that if you preferred, money can be given instead of linens.

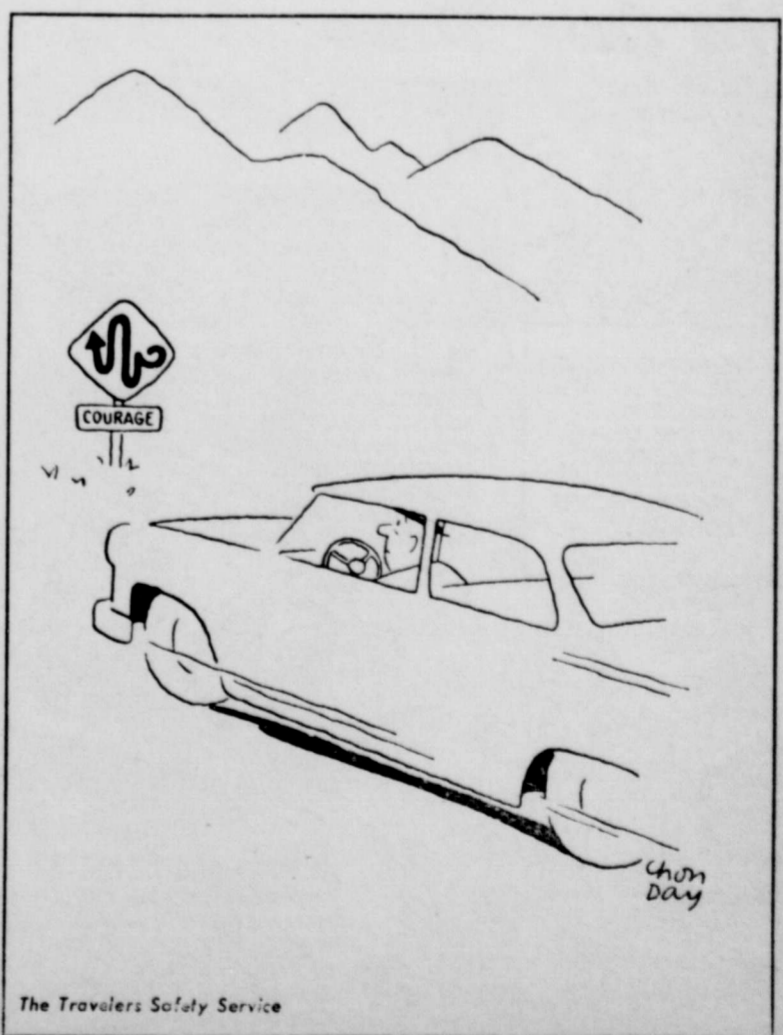
## DAUGHTER TO THE MELVIN FOSTERS

A daughter, named Sheri Lynn, was born to Mr and Mrs. Melvin Foster at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday. The baby, the first for the Fosters, weighed seven pounds and five ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Giddens of Rio Vista and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Foster of Sterling City. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Temp Foster of Sterling City, and Mrs. Berd Stigall of Dallas.

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PRETTY-AS-A-PICTURE Summer refresher for the sub-tent crowd is the "Halter Look" expressed by Erlanger of Texas in checked cotton gingham. Noteworthy is the interwoven embroidered flower pattern and large, longitudinal pockets. Also attention-getting is the halter neckline, rick rack accents and use of mitered stripes in the bodice.

**SPRINGTIME DELIGHT**



It's a rule in most homes to end a dinner with a dessert. For most family meals a taste-tempting dessert like fruit is the perfect answer. Fruit desserts are always refreshing, and there is no end to the dessert goodies you can make and serve with your favorite cookies. Here's a fresh-as-spring idea for "Party Fruit Trio" ... a dessert with a subtle delicate flavor ... just mix it up and match with NABISCO cookies.

**Party Fruit Trio**

- 1 13 1/2-ounce can frozen pineapple chunks, thawed and drained
- 1 11-pound can dark, sweet pitted cherries, drained
- 1 8 1/4-ounce can apricot halves, drained
- 1/2 cup Port wine
- 1 cup heavy cream, whipped
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon rum extract
- 1/4 cup currant jelly, cut in small pieces

**Lorna Doone Shortbread Cookies and Oreo Creme Sandwich Cookies**

Combine fruits, add wine, cover and marinate several hours or overnight, then drain fruit. Whip cream with sugar and rum. Carefully fold in diced currant jelly and drained fruit. Serve with cookies. Makes 8 servings.

**Wheat Referendum Vote May 21**

The marketing quota referendum for the 1964 wheat crop will be held Tuesday, May 21, from 7:00 a.m.-7 p.m. The polling place for Sterling County will be in the local ASCS office. All eligible voters are urged to make their wishes known on this issue, as this is the time for wheat growers to decide whether or not they want marketing quotas to be effective for the 1964 wheat crop. To be effective, it must be approved by a two to one majority of those voting.

The program being voted on provides the following features for the coming year:

1. Farm allotments equal to about 90% of the 1963 allotment on the average - a national allotment of 49.5 million acres.
2. A national marketing quota of 1.2 billion bushels.
3. Payment for diversion from wheat to conservation uses as a result of complying with the 1964 wheat allotment.
4. An opportunity for each wheat grower to voluntarily reduce below his allotment and devote the acreage to conservation. This acreage will also be eligible for diversion payments.

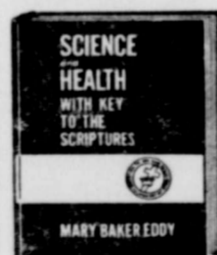
5. A two price arrangement whereby most of each grower's wheat would be eligible for a price support at \$2.00 a bushel and the balance at \$1.30 a bushel on a national average basis.

Over fifty million people have worked long enough under social security to qualify for cash disability benefits if they become disabled. This means that they have social security credits for five years (20 quarters) out of the past ten years, Floyd B. Ellington, district manager of the San Angelo Social Security office said. In the case of a severe disability, the worker and his dependents may be eligible for monthly cash social security disability benefits if he meets this work requirement.

It is not necessary to be completely helpless to qualify for social security disability benefits. These benefits are payable to those who suffer from a crippling disease or a severe impairment which makes them unable to do any substantial work.

Disabled adult sons and daughters of retired, deceased, or disabled workers may also receive childhood disability benefits if they become disabled before they reached age 18.

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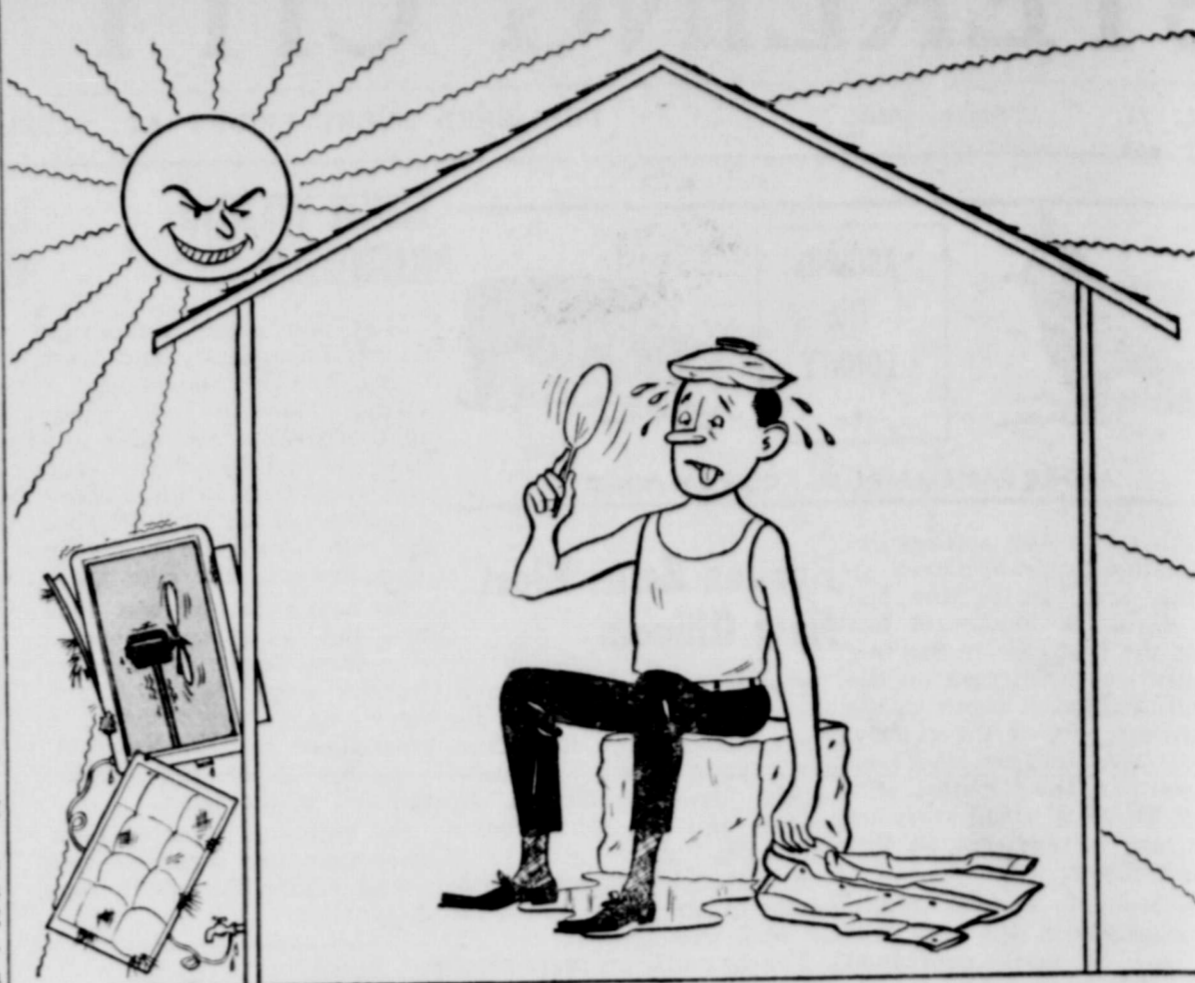
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**Comment from the Capital -**

**FALSE FACE**  
by Vant Neff



Recently Harry Van Arsdale, business manager of Local 3 of the International Electrical Workers, appeared on a radio question and answer show. You may recall Van Arsdale is the union leader who won a 25-hour week for the electricians in New York City a little more than a year ago.

When questioned about the union and its activities, Van Arsdale, the union chief, spoke as if he were the ideal union leader and Local 3, a model union.

Van Arsdale, told about all the good that the union does: operating apartment buildings at modest rentals for the union members, medical and dental care plans, pension plans.

He also said that his men worked for more efficient ways to save money for contractors, that he only wanted the 25-hour week to keep his members working and put additional men on despite automation, that he runs a democratic union local, and that the shorter work week hasn't caused any inflation that he could see.

Then the M.C. of the radio show asked listeners to call Van Arsdale with questions and both sides of the phone conversation went out over the air.

Many of Van Arsdale's answers didn't sound as though they came from the same man. The voice was the same, but what he said was directly opposed to his union talk on the first part of the show.

One electronic technician called to ask why he couldn't join the union. He had good vocational schooling and 5 years' experience in electrical work. Van Arsdale said the technicians didn't qualify.

A housewife wanted to know why qualified electricians from other parts of the country couldn't get a Local 3 card and work in New York City. She said union members were working 7 and 8 hours a day on jobs. If Van Arsdale wanted the 25-hour week to provide more work, how come he had his own men working overtime, while other electricians were shut out.

Van Arsdale said this wasn't

true. Every week, the Los Angeles local called about jobs in New York, because 800 electricians were out of work on the West Coast. The union chief, however, didn't say that he had put any out-of-town electricians to work. He claimed that most of the local jobs his members worked were short-time contracts employing 30 men or less.

A 24 year old veteran called about joining the union's apprentice program. Van Arsdale told him he was too old.

Not too long ago, the union boss announced he was opening union membership to 1,000 apprentices who would work 5 years to qualify as mechanics or full-fledged electricians. Age limit on this deal was 18 to 21. But everyone who called about this program was either too old or didn't qualify.

A doctor called and asked



Van Arsdale about allowing a third party to settle labor disputes, when businesses and unions reached a dead end in negotiations. Van Arsdale said that was the way they did things in Russia. He was not turning the Union's bargaining rights over to any third power, if he could help it. He admitted the government did step in in labor-management conflicts, but he didn't like it.

Another housewife called to ask if the 25-hour work week hadn't raised prices. Van Arsdale said union wives hadn't complained and after all they were consumers, too.

The union chief said when wages go up, people always blame the unions for the increase in the cost of living. But when businessmen raise prices, no one says anything. He didn't bother to say that labor is the major cost of pro-

ducing most items and that if the cost of labor goes up, prices must rise.

Listeners to this radio show were pretty mixed up when it was over. Was the union a democracy? Nobody seemed to be able to join it.

Did the electricians cooperate with contractors to work more efficiently? This reporter read in a national magazine that members of Local 3 insist on rewiring fixtures that come already wired from the manufacturer, a form of featherbedding. Other listeners, undoubtedly read the same article.

Are more electricians working due to the 25-hour work week? Van Arsdale didn't say. The same electricians appear to be working more overtime at higher rates.

Van Arsdale said too that when the electricians won their reduction in working hours, they also cut their pay.

Did the electricians take a pay cut for the shorter work week? You figure it out.

Under the old rates, an electrician got \$165 for 30 hours at regular time and 5 hours at time and a half. This was \$4.40 an hour at regular rates and \$6.60 an hour overtime.

The new contract calls for \$161.20 for 25 hours on regular time and five hours of overtime or \$4.76 an hour and \$8.44 an hour overtime.

The weekly difference in pay is \$3.80 between old and new contracts. But if an electrician works his former 35 hour week, he makes \$211.84 with the new rates.

This looks like a pay increase to me, how about you? You must also figure in fringe benefits which cost an additional \$2.20 per hour.

If this contract hasn't raised the price of construction in New York City, no wage raise will ever raise the price of any item.

One fact was clear to people who listened to this broadcast. Local 3 is not the model union it appears to be and Harry Van Arsdale seems able to change faces instantly, depending to whom he talks.

You decide: which face is false?

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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Hubert C. Travis, Minister  
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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.

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**WHOLESALE**

**PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS, the sheep industry is a primary industry in Sterling County, and wool and lamb production is one of the most important factors in the economy of the residents thereof; and

WHEREAS, to feature such products and to remind our area people that "NOTHING MEASURES UP TO WOOL" and "EAT MORE LAMB" are more than mere slogans, persons interested in the sheep industry have scheduled a Lamb-O-Rama, where the preparation, use and enjoyment of the same will be demonstrated;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it officially proclaimed by The County of Sterling and The City of Sterling City that Friday, May 10, 1963, be known as LAMB-O-RAMA DAY so that its citizens, friends and guests may have and hold its benefits and enjoy the hospitality of all our people.

THE COUNTY OF STERLING  
By W.R. Brooks, County Judge  
THE CITY OF STERLING CITY  
By L. R. Reed, Mayor

**Today Is Lamb-O-Rama Day Here**

**In Sterling High School**

The Lamb-O-Rama is a joint effort of several groups and many individuals. Planning and setting up the event are the local directors and members of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association and its ladies auxiliary, the County Extension Program Building Committee, the local instructors in the high school homemaking and vocational agriculture departments, local sheep producers, local merchants, and the West Texas Utilities Company.

The first part of the program beginning at 2:00 p. m. will be a lamb killing, dressing, and cut out demonstration. This demonstration will be conducted by Frank Orts, an instructor in the Meats Laboratory of the Animal Husbandry Department of Texas A&M College. Mr. Orts will demonstrate the best way to slaughter lambs for home consumption; he will also show how to make the various cuts of the carcass.

As Orts demonstrates the various cuts from the carcass, Mrs. Ruth Clampitt and Mrs. Betty Coker, home economists with West Texas Utilities will demonstrate these cuts already cooked and ready for the table. In addition they will demonstrate how to use the entire lamb carcass. Most homemakers are familiar with the preparation of such cuts as the leg or chops but are at a loss as to how to prepare the other cuts.

The home economists, assisted by local housewives, will give a demonstration on how to prepare the various dishes using lamb. They will give tips on seasoning, cooking, and serving the various dishes.

A lamb dinner will be served in the school gymnasium at 6:30 p.m. Feature of the meal will be different dishes of lamb featuring some of the lesser known cuts of lamb.

The evening program in the auditorium will spotlight wool. Local girls who entered the Make It Yourself with Wool contest a few months ago will model their wardrobes. In addition, Miss Wool of Texas, Anne Spence of Austin, Miss Mohair of Texas, Nancy Friend of Ozona, will also model. Miss Wool of America, Carolyn Barre of Yoakum, may also appear if her studies will permit.

Others on the evening program include James L. Powell.

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R. L. Cole, district manager of the General Telephone Co. notified the city secretary, Mrs. Horace Donalson, that there are some fake ad solicitors selling ads purported to be printed in the yellow pages of the telephone directory, but they have no connection with the company.

**RANCHMEN—**

The farmers and ranchers of Sterling County who agreed to divert acreage under the wheat or feed grain programs are reminded that grazing the diverted acreage anytime between May 1 and November 1 will automatically disqualify the land from receiving any diversion payment.

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**Bilingual Drivers License School Set**

Sheriff Cecil Turner of Tom Green County, Chief of Police Melvin James of San Angelo and the South Side Lions Club of San Angelo in cooperation with the Texas Department of Public Safety will conduct a bilingual Drivers License School on May 20th through May 23rd at the San Angelo Coliseum. The School will be taught in English and Spanish for those persons who do not have a Texas Drivers License. The Sheriffs Department, the City Police Department and the South Side Lions Club are joining in this effort to aid citizens in this area in obtaining a Texas Drivers License.

This is an opportunity for those persons who do not read or write English or Spanish to secure a license. It is realized that many of our citizens need and want a license, but feel they are not qualified to pass the Drivers License Test. Everyone should feel free to attend this school, as it is an unusual opportunity to secure a Drivers License.

The School will be conducted from 7:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. at the San Angelo Coliseum, beginning Monday, May 20th and ending Thursday, May 23rd. Examinations will be conducted in English and Spanish, both written and oral. The School is free and the only expense involved is the cost of the Drivers License.

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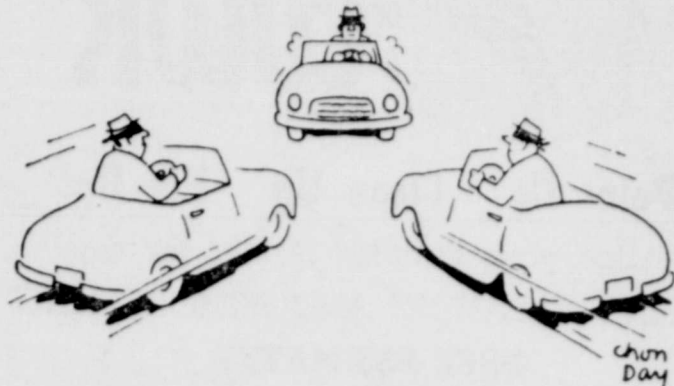


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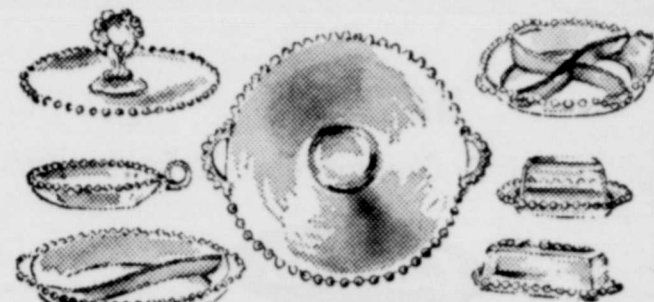
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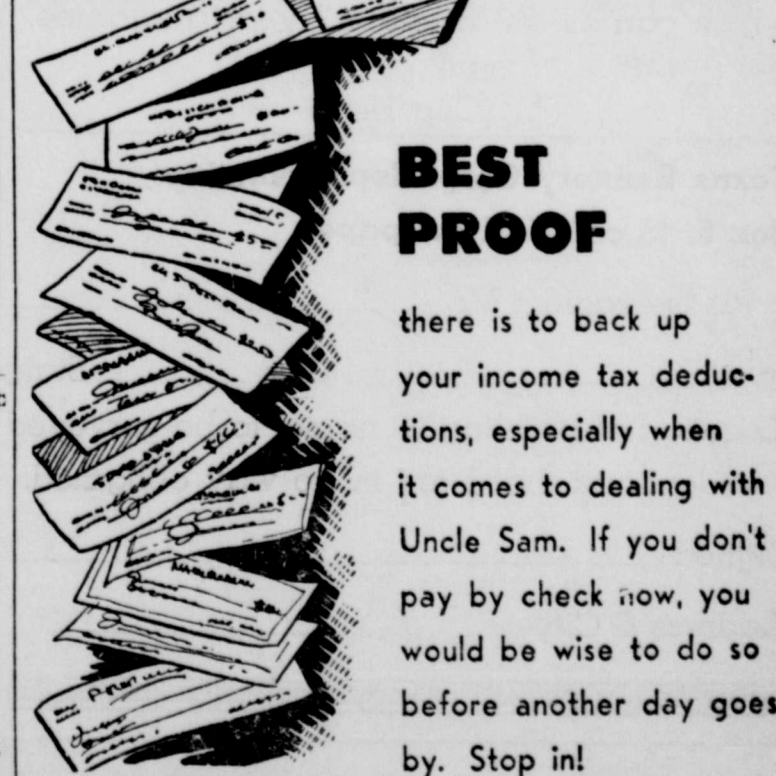


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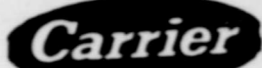
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**Traylor to Ballinger**

Jake Traylor, service man of the West Texas Utilities here for the past several years, has quit and gone into business in Ballinger. There he bought a store and service station, it was said. Troy Templin has taken his place with the utilities company here, announced Wayne Loury, local manager.

Visiting the R. P. Browns last weekend were Mr and Mrs Bill Ballard and little son, Mark, of Roswell, N. M.

**Social Security Tips**

Many people age 65 or over who are still working don't realize that under the law they are "partially retired" and can receive some social security payments. It is possible to receive social security retirement benefits even if earnings go over \$1200 a year, according to Floyd B. Ellington, social security district manager in San Angelo.

Mr Ellington gave an example of a 65-year-old man and his wife eligible for a monthly social security payment. If the man earns \$2,500 in a year, he and his wife could receive \$1,110 in social security payments.

More than a million people over 65 have not yet applied for social security benefits. Many could receive benefits even though they are working. Some of these million people are probably living right here in the San Angelo area.

Mr Ellington suggested that employed persons 65 or over visit, phone, or write the San Angelo Social Security office at 204 Continental Building to find out whether or not they can receive some social security payments.

**THANK YOU**

I want to thank my friends for the flowers, gifts, cards and phone calls I received while I was in the Shannon and Sterling hospitals.

MARIE DILLARD

**CARD OF THANKS**

We want to express our thanks and appreciation to everyone for their thoughtfulness and kindness at the death of our loved one. The flowers, the food, etc. were sincerely appreciated. Your kindness will always be remembered.

The family of Will Grosshans

**ALUMNI BANQUET SET FOR JULY 27**

The annual Sterling City Alumni association banquet has been set for Saturday, July 27, said president Mrs. Billy Ralph Bynum recently. She said the affair would be held in the Town and Country Club in San Angelo on that night.

The theme for this year is to be Western, said Patsy. Official invitations will be made up soon for mailing to members, she said.



Announcement by Albert Thomas of Houston that he plans to retire next year, has given rise to a new look at the line-up of Texans in Congress. Thomas, a veteran of 26 years in the House, ranks third (along with Bob Poage) in delegation seniority, and fourth in seniority on the powerful Appropriations Committee. George Mahon of Lubbock ranks second on Appropriations.

Because of committee seniority both Mahon and Thomas are ranked among the most influential members of the House. Thomas, Chairman of the Sub-committee on Independent Offices, handles appropriations amounting to some \$4 billion per year. He is known here as a hard task master who insists upon the agencies justifying every dime they spend, although in general he likes to line up with the party leadership on partisan issues. By and large, he is rated a valuable member from the standpoint of the taxpayers.

With Albert's retirement, I will then be fourth in our 23-member delegation seniority rating. Wright Patman of Texarkana is first, with 35 years of continuous service. George Mahon will be second, with 30 years, and Bob Poage of Waco will be third with 28 years.

There has been quite a turnover in the Texas delegation during my 21 years here. When I was first elected in 1942, the delegation had reached its peak of influence, sparked by an impressive array of members who were widely recognized for seniority and statesmanship. Looking back, there were such powerful figures as Hatton Sumners of Dallas, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, an independent who wielded tremendous influence in behalf of Constitutional law and good government. Fritz Lanham of Fort Worth, also a committee chairman, belonged to the old school of southern gentlemen. He voted independently and was highly respected. Joseph Mansfield of Columbus, Chairman of the Committee on Rivers and Harbors, was likewise one of the most respected and influential members in the House. Then, there was Ewing Thomason of El Paso, a ranking member on Military Affairs and likewise highly regarded. Luther Johnson of Corsicana was a tower of strength, serving on the Foreign Affairs Committee. Paul Kilday of San Antonio was just beginning to develop stature which later made him one of the most effective members of the House.

Milton West of Brownsville was one of the real solid pillars in the conservation cause, along with Dick Kleburg, Ed Grossett, Sam Russell and Martin Dies. Dies at that time Chairman of the House Un-American Activities Committee, was an orator and a thorn in the side of the communists and the liberals.

Sam Rayburn, the Speaker, busied himself with the promotion of the party, although at that time his influence with the members of the Texas Delegation was not felt as much as latter in his career. In general, Texans in those days were much more independent than were many of their replacements who succeeded them.

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