

# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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## Amendment Vote Is Light Here

### Voters Favor Three of the Issues Here in Sterling

Sterling voters went to the polls here Tuesday and voted for three of the constitutional amendment changes offered. The local voters favored the huge water development plan 61 to 57. (Most of West Texas voters were in favor of this but it was defeated by voters from east Texas where water is somewhat abundant.)

Local voters approved state assistance to families of men killed in line of duty as they carried on their work of volunteer firefighting, law enforcement, etc. This amendment carried statewide.

Sterling voters approved a big fund for additional loans to students in colleges and universities, 62 to 57. This one carried over the state, too.

Local voters were tied on the very first amendment on the ballot, that of cleaning up some of the old obsolete provisions of the state constitution. The vote here was 58 for and 58 against.

Sterling voters, 123 of them, voted against letting legislators raise their own salaries, 96 to 23. They were against the one to raise welfare payments 64 to 57. Also they turned down 80 to 47, the amendment that would tax exempt properties that would help in non-pollution of water supplies. They were against the raising of bond interest, 75 to 40. They did not favor annual sessions of the legislature, 87 to 30.

### Statewide Voters Favor Four of the Changes

State voters approved the cleaning up of the constitution, for raising welfare payments, for the survivors assistance of workers killed in line of duty, and for higher loans to students in colleges.

The master plan of water engineers to provide water for the dryer portions of the state had been backed by a committee of 500, headed by the present governor, former governors and other men over the state, had been widely advertised and advocated out in the western part of the state. Voters in deep east Texas and the south defeated the measure, which would have allowed the state to issue up to \$3½ billion in water bonds. The federal government would have borne the highest cost of the program through the years. The planners envisioned the piping, pumping and canals for water from perhaps the Mississippi River, or even at some future date, from Canada. Or even later pumping of desalted sea water up into the water-short areas of Texas.

### Recent Bride Honored With Gift Tea

Twelve were hostesses at a gift tea honoring Mrs. Tim Duncan here Monday evening at the community center. She is the former Karen Gaston. Hostesses were Mrs. Foster S. Price, Mrs. W.Y. Bengel, Jr., Mrs. Mildred Emery, Mrs. Beth Kilpatrick, Mrs. Riley King, Mrs. D.D. Nichols, Mrs. Cotton Frizzell, Mrs. T. J. Finnegan, Mrs. Delmar Radde, Mrs. Jack Peel, Mrs. Merton Ferguson and Mrs. Chesley McDonald.

The honoree and Tim Duncan were married recently, and plan to make their home in Lubbock.

### Behind the 8-Ball



By the editor.

If nothing happens to prevent, we will take off next week for a week's vacation. A number of small papers in the state just close up for a week's (or more) vacation in the summer months. In fact, some large businesses do the same thing. Anyway, that is our plan at present and the shop will be closed for a week if all goes well.

### 8-BALL

A number of fireless days have gone by. Last Saturday, a trash fire was put out back of the Stan Horwood house—and a car burned up on highway 87 north Tuesday morning. But there haven't been any big grass fires at this time (of printing).

We hope it stays that way until the fall rains begin.

### 8-BALL

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hays returned home Thursday evening of last week from a three week trip up in Montana and Wyoming. They said the Black Hills of South Dakota were the most outstanding sight they'd seen on the trip. Marion preached for two meetings at churches in Wyoming and Montana while gone.

### 8-BALL

A new fire truck (tank or grass fire type) has been added to the Sterling Volunteer Fire Department. The county commissioners court bought the truck. It arrived and was put into service last Friday.

### 8-BALL

Albert McGinnes, local manager of the West Texas Utilities Company, and his family are on vacation this week.

### 8-BALL

Attending a 30 hour workshop sponsored by the TEA at San Angelo Central school this week are Mrs. Dayton Barrett, Mrs. Thomas Asbill, Mrs. Juanita Johnson and Mrs. Jack Douthit.

Course of study is linguistics.

### Noratadata Club

MRS. DAYTON BARRETT IS HOSTESS

Mrs. Dayton Barrett entertained the Noratadata Club in her home on Thursday evening, July 24, with dinner and bridge. The program was presented by Mrs. Chesley McDonald.

Mrs. Charles Allen, a former member, was reinstated to the club.

At bridge, Mrs. Alvie Cole won high club score and Mrs. David Marx high guest score. Mrs. Hubert Williams and Mrs. Henry Bauer won bingo.

Guests present were Mrs. Marx, Mrs. Clinton Hodges, and Mrs. Juanita Johnson. Club members present included Mrs. Bauer, Mrs. Bill Brooks, Mrs. Cole, Mrs. J. I. Cope, Mrs. Worth Durham, Mrs. Joe Emery, Mrs. D. Kirk Hopkins, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Foster S. Price, Mrs. Charles Probandt, Mrs. Martin Reed, Mrs. Danny Stewart and Mrs. Hubert Williams.

E. E. Garnett, 89, of San Diego, California, died in San Diego Monday and was buried there Wednesday. He owned property here in Sterling City and in San Angelo.

### LIONS CLUB

The Sterling City Lions Club held the regular weekly luncheon meeting Wednesday noon in the community center.

Chairman Jim Davis of the Old Settlers Reunion and the Junior Rodeo here, reported that a meeting was held Monday evening to plan for the joint affairs set for August 16 in the city park. Davis said the junior rodeo or play day for youngsters would be held at the roping pens at 2 p.m. on Saturday; a supper would be served in the park at 7, and a dance follows at 9:00 that night on the slab in the park.

President A.C. Lively said the city council had been investigating the possibilities of a sewer system here. He said a system large enough for the city would cost in the neighborhood of \$275,000. A grant of about half might be secured from the federal government. He said a city sales tax of 1% could be levied and the money put on retirement of the bonds and the nominal charge for sewage connections could retire the cost over 30 years—without a tax on property. A revenue bond issue could be voted, not a tax bond.

Lively also said he was in favor of a community chest—or one fund drive here to raise money for all the various drives. Then the money would all be raised at once and the money allocated to the various funds, such as March of Dimes, Cancer Fund, Heart Fund, the Boy Scouts, Salvation Army, the Little League, and Junior Rodeo. In that way, said the president, some of the approximately \$12,000 raised for outside funds here each year, a portion of the funds could stay "at home."

Need for a two-way radio on the new fire truck was discussed. The president asked H. L. Hildebrand, Jeff Davis and Dan Glass to be a committee to ask the county to purchase a radio for the new truck.

Jim Davis asked that the club promote the idea of a permanent resident type man be stationed here (live here) by the telephone company, and the REA. He said that if trouble develops the company has to send a man up from San Angelo to remedy the trouble.

Jack Peel, chairman of the committee to promote the summer programs of baseball here, reported that his com-

### FOOTBALL PEP SQUAD BARBECUE AUGUST 23

Barbecue at 7:30 in Park

The Annual football- pep squad kick-off and barbecue has been set for August 23 in the City Park. (If it is raining the community center will be used, said Debbie Hopkins).

The annual affair signals the fall football season and the coach, Sam Barnett, will introduce the boys on the local squad and the pep squad girls will be on hand for some yells and songs.

The school faculty will be introduced to the crowd and school announcements will be made.

The affair is sponsored by the high school mothers club and everyone is invited. Everyone is asked to bring a cake, or a salad or a relish dish.

### Church of Christ VBS August 11-15

The local Church of Christ will hold its Vacation Bible School here August 11-15, it has been announced. Classes will be held each night from 7:30 to 9 o'clock.

There will be classes for all ages from the nursery class and adult classes.

Teacher of the adult class will be Dub McClish, minister of the San Angelo Colorado and Jackson Street Church of Christ. Teacher of the high school class will be David Westminster, minister of the Western Hills Church of Christ in Angelo. Junior high teachers will be Danny Stewart and Jim Davis. Teachers of the primary and junior age group will be Chris Frizzell, Mrs. Foster S. Price and Mrs. Mert Ferguson. Handling the teaching in the nursery and pre-school group will be Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. Jim Davis and Mrs. Beth Kilpatrick.

Mrs. Riley King will be in charge of the refreshments.

Committee thought that the Lions Club should name all officers of the association and prepare a folder or brochure outlining the program before next summer, and give every interested person one. The committee thought all officers from the president, secretary, treasurer, etc. should be elected by the sponsoring club.

## Sterling Reunion August 16

### STERLING COUNTY OIL-GAS ROUNDUP

Sterling County oil and gas wells pumped some \$8.4 million into the county's economy last year, according to a study just released by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

Value of production from oil wells was \$7.9 million and from natural-gas wells \$467,000, based on the most recent U.S. Bureau of Mines figures compiled by the Association. The county ranked 106th in the state in value of production.

"Output from Sterling County is part of this country's domestic oil supply which is endangered by some of the proposals now before Congress," commented Corbin J. Robertson, Association president. "Attempts to destroy percentage depletion provisions of our income tax laws and to nullify present controls over imported oil could discourage further development of Texas oil resources. Eventually oil markets now shared by the county would be given over to foreign producers."

Last year, the county produced 2.7 million barrels of crude oil and 3.6 billion cubic feet of natural gas.

Of this total, county landowners and others with mineral interests received royalty payments of \$1.1 million.

The state received \$398,000 in production taxes with crude oil accounting for \$365,000 and natural gas \$33,000. A number of school districts in the county lean heavily on oil production for ad valorem tax support, such as Sterling City, 49.2%.

Drilling expenditures were an estimated \$4 million. Of the 51 wells drilled in the county, 21 were completed as oil wells and 1 as a gas well, according to Ira Rinehart's Yearbook. The 29 dry wells or holes cost \$2.2 million. There were 18 wildcats drilled.

The Texas Employment Commission lists 23 workers on oil and gas payrolls, which totaled \$138,000.

MEMBERS of the House family are having a two-day reunion in Sterling City on August 15-16. It will be at the Community Center. We would like to have all of our friends come by and visit with us.

MRS. W. R. HENRY

### Water Rights Filing Deadline Sept. 1

The Texas Water Rights Commission announced that final notice of the recording deadline under the Water Rights Adjudication Act of 1967 has been given. Everyone who is using water from a public stream who does not claim under a certified filing or a permit from the State must record his claim by September 1, 1969. Users of water for domestic and livestock watering purposes are exempt from this requirement.

Failure to timely record the claim will "extinguish and bar" the claim of water right according to Section 4 of the Adjudication Act. All affected water users who have not already filed their claim are urged by the Commission to do so as soon as possible.

Valid claims will be recognized to the extent of maxi-

### Junior Rodeo That Day, Too

Jim Davis, general chairman of the Sterling County Old Settlers Reunion and get-together here, announced that plans for this year's event were underway and the reunion would be held here at the city park on Saturday, August 16. A junior type rodeo or play day for juniors would be held that afternoon at 2 in the roping pens west of the city.

Plans were talked at a planning meeting here Monday evening. Cotton Frizzell and John Blair were asked to help the roping association officers—Cliff Carpenter and John Blair, in running the junior rodeo or play day for youngsters.

The rodeo would be held at 2 p.m. Saturday and the Old Settlers Supper (barbecue) would be served in the City Park at 7 p.m. Davis said it was planned to buy the goats this year and have them butchered. No donations of goats would be asked for but persons can donate money to the Reunion fund.

Delmar Radde is in charge of getting a dance band for the 9 o'clock dance that evening, said Davis. The dance will be held on the concrete slab at the park, it was said.

Davis said that this year no one would be asked to bring salads to the supper. He said that barbecue, beans, pickles, onions, bread and drinks were all that would be served.

Everyone is invited to attend the reunion and also the junior rodeo. Present day residents and former residents can get in a weekend of visiting and reliving old times.

Davis said he was planning to feed one thousand persons at the barbecue.

### HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. D. C. Durham  
Mrs. D. O. Mercer  
Mrs. John I. Blair  
Mrs. Marsh Gonzales and infant daughter  
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include—  
Wilmer Balkum  
Mrs. Tim Selman  
Mrs. L. A. Griffin  
Dorothy Stall

Mr. and Bobby Clanton of Clint attended the coaches' school in Dallas this week. They left their children here with the grandparents, the C. J. Dunns and other relatives. Bobby coaches at Clint. Mrs. Clanton is the former Barba Dunn.

MAKE YOUR PLANS TO attend the Sterling Reunion here August 16. See and visit with former residents and old friends.

Maximum use of water without waste during any year between 1963 and 1967. Where the user was in the process of constructing a system or had facilities to use a larger amount of water on the effective date of the Act than he had actually used, use from 1968 to 1970 may be recognized.

Further information and forms for recording claims under the Water Rights Adjudication Act may be obtained from the Texas Water Rights Commission, P. O. Box 12396, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

### In Our Time



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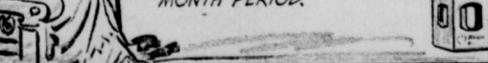
THEIR CAPACITY FOR MULTIPLYING IS INCREDIBLY GREAT...

THE U.S. BUREAU OF ENTOMOLOGY HAS DEMONSTRATED THAT ONE HIBERNATING FEMALE FLY COULD EASILY PROVIDE 5½ TRILLION MORE FLIES FROM APRIL 15 TO THE END OF SEPTEMBER.

FLIES, LIKE MOST INSECTS, ARE BORN EDUCATED. NO ADULT NEEDS TO FEED THEM. WHEN THEIR LIFE PURPOSE HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED, THEY DIE.

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## Social Security Tips

A number of widows and surviving children of deceased workers in this area could be missing out on social security money due them, according to Ted F. Moellering, district manager of the Social Security Office. Many changes have been made in recent years concerning benefits for widows and children. Some who would be eligible do not know about the new rules, Mr. Moellering said. Mr. Moellering further noted that at present there are over three million young widows and children receiving a monthly social security check.

A widow who is completely disabled and over age 50 can receive reduced widow's benefit if she becomes disabled within seven years of her husband's death or the time she last had a child entitled to benefits in her care. Also, widows who remarry after age 60 may retain a part of the widow's benefit.

Children who would be otherwise entitled because of the death, disability, or retirement of a parent except for being over age 18, can now receive student benefits if they are in full-time school attendance, unmarried, and under age 22.

Children also have full protection now on their mother's account under the same rules that apply to a father's account. This present law will result in a number of children being able to receive social security benefits when their mother dies or becomes disabled, including some who were previously turned down under the old law, Mr. Moellering said.

Anyone knowing someone who might qualify for benefits under these provisions is urged to have them get in touch with their Social Security Office at 300 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

Want to get that first social security on time?  
"Everyone does, but not

enough people do anything about it," says Ted F. Moellering, District Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office.

According to Mr. Moellering, every person who files an application for social security benefits will be asked to present certain proofs. Most applicants will also be asked to give the exact amount of earnings for the past year and for the current year.

Most persons do not bother to find out ahead of time exactly what they will need. "George waits until the day he files an application," said Mr. Moellering. "Then he has to go back home and dig around for records, or write letters requesting the necessary documents, causing a delay in the processing of his claim."

A claim for social security benefits may be filed as early as three months before entitlement to benefits.

Mr. Moellering suggests that claimants get in touch with the social security office several months before this three month period to find out ahead of time what proofs and information will be needed.

"The satisfied applicant," continued Mr. Moellering, "is the one who does this, and consequently has all necessary proofs and information with him. The result—everything is completely taken care of during this one visit at the social security office, and he gets that first check right on time."

"Social security relies to a great extent on each beneficiary's ability to report events which will affect his monthly payments," said Ted F. Moellering, Social Security District Manager. Among those events that the beneficiary should report are changes of address, stopping or starting work, changes in estimated earnings during the year, and a beneficiary's death, marriage, divorce, or annulment.

Each beneficiary receives a special card to fill out and send to his local social security office when a report must be made. Reports are relayed to the paying office by electronic means to avoid delays in updating records.

Those needing to report a change should request form SSA-1425 from the Social Security Office at 3000 West Harris in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area. Any of our representatives will be glad to give you the necessary forms.

The traditional retirement age in private industry is 65. The gold watch is presented at farewell ceremonies, the company pension begins, and social security and Medicare become a part of the person's life.

But what is a person wants or needs to retire earlier? Recognizing that for various reasons employment cannot always continue until age 65, social security provides for early retirement at age 62.

Benefits which begin before age 65 are reduced proportionately month by month for each month before age 65. The full reduction at age 62 is 20 percent.

However, a person who begins receiving checks at age 62 would be about age 77 before he begins losing money by having taken the smaller amount at age 62 rather than waiting until age 65.

Any person approaching age 62 who is contemplating early retirement or partial retirement, or whose earnings have been rather low in recent years, should get in touch with social security to explore the possibility of getting early retirement insurance payments.

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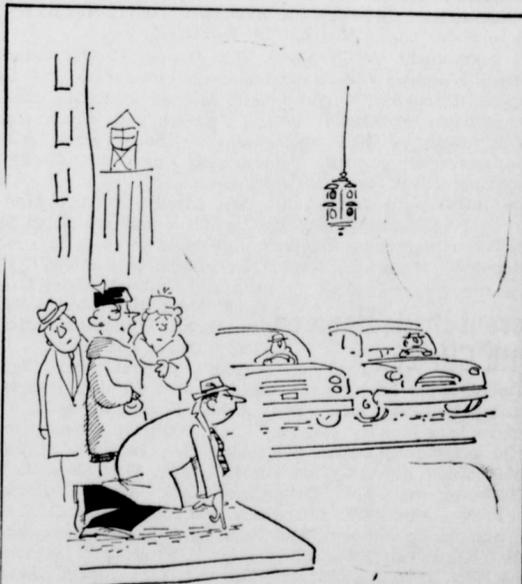


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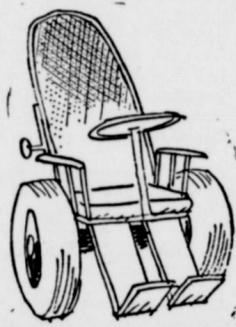
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Interested applicants can get the announcements from Federal Job Information Centers in many large cities, from many post offices, except in cities where Federal Job Information Centers are located or from the Interagency Board of U.S. Civil Service Examiners, 1900 E St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20415.

The announcements are:

1. Professional Opportunities for Social Scientists. GS grades 9 through 12. Covered are such positions as Economist, Social Science Analyst, Social Science Program Specialist, Sociologist, Historian, Anthropologist, Manpower Analyst, Social Work Program Specialist, and additional closely related positions in other social science fields. Many of the opportunities are in various Federal agencies in Washington, D. C. and vicinity and in foreign countries. Some are in other parts of the United States. Annual starting salaries currently range from \$8,462 to \$12,174. They are expected to increase by about 9 percent in the middle of this year.

There are no written test requirements. Applicants will be rated on the basis of professional experience, education, and training. Work descriptions and the necessary qualifications, along with special credit provisions for graduate study, superior undergraduate academic achievement, subsequent work experience including part-time or unpaid experience, and certain teaching experience, are detailed in Announcement No. WAS-827, Professional Opportunities for Social Scientists.

2. Professional Opportunities for Social Worker and Social Service Representative. Social Worker positions, GS grades 9 through 12, are in the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the U. S. Public Health Service, and the Veterans Administration, throughout the United States and Puerto Rico; and in agencies of the District of Columbia Government and other Federal agencies located in Washington, D. C. and vicinity.

Social Service Representative positions, GS grades 8 through 12 are primarily in the D.C. Government and other agencies in the Washington metropolitan area. Annual starting salaries currently range from \$7,699 at GS-8 to \$12,174 at GS-12; they are expected to increase by about 9 percent in the middle of 1969. No written tests are involved. Applicants will be rated on the basis of education, experience, training and personal aptitude for the nature of the work. Most of the professional Social Worker positions call for successful completion of all requirements for a masters degree. Full details of training and experience qualifications for the various grade levels are in Announcement No. WAS-904, Professional Opportunities for Social Worker and Social Service Representative.

3. Professional Careers for Educators and Librarians. This announcement will be used to fill positions of Education Specialist and Education Services Officer, GS grades 9 through 12; Program Specialist and Advisor (Education) GS grades 9 through 12; Public Health Educator GS grades 9 through 12; Librarian, GS grades 7 through 12; Job Corps Teacher, GS grades 5 through 11 and Job Corps Guidance Counselor, GS grades 7 through 11. Annual starting salaries for these positions range from \$5,732 at

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5. IF IT IS A HOUSE FIRE CLOSE ALL DOORS AND WINDOWS YOU CAN GET TO SAFELY, THEN GET IN THE CLEAR AND STAY AT THE SCENE. ONCE YOU ARE OUTSIDE THE HOUSE, DO NOT GO BACK IN THE BUILDING!

WHEN THE SIREN BLOWS

1. STAY OFF THE STREET OR ROAD BEING USED BY THE FIRE TRUCKS AND FIREMEN.

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3. NEVER, NEVER RUN OVER A FIRE HOSE, EVEN IF IT IS FLAT.

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### Civil Service

Federal agencies, principally in the metropolitan area of Washington, D. C., need Electronics Technicians. The work involves maintenance, testing, and development of various electronic equipment, ranging from radio, radar, and sonar devices to computer systems.

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Starting annual salaries range from \$5,331 to \$10,927. Ask for Announcement No. WA-7-19.

Additional information on these and other Federal jobs may be obtained from the Civil Service Commission in Washington, D. C., 1900 E Street, NW, 20415.

A golden opportunity in law enforcement awaits qualified young men. Get in touch with your Texas Department of Public Safety office or patrolman.

GS-5 to \$12,174 at GS-12. They are expected to increase by about 8 or 9 percent in the middle of this year. Many positions are located in various Federal agencies in Washington, D. C. and vicinity. However, certain Federal agencies have needs throughout the United States. Examples: Program Specialist and Advisor (Education) U.S. Office of Education Job Corps Teacher and Guidance Counselor, National Park Service and National Forest Service; Public Health Educator, Health Services and Mental Health Administration. Qualifying education and experience for all of these positions vary considerably. For details, consult Announcement WAS-908, Professional Careers for Educators and Librarians.

All qualified applicants will receive consideration for Federal employment without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, politics, or any other non-merit factor.

When asking for announcements and application forms, applicants are advised to ask at the same time for Civil Service Commission Pamphlet No. 4, "Working for the U.S.A." which provides important general information about the kinds of appointments, the physical abilities required, veteran preference, and other conditions of Federal employment.

## SCIENCE SKETCHES



A NEW PROCESS for preserving siliceous stones, developed at New York University, may permanently preserve monuments such as the Pyramids and Sphinx of Egypt. The specialist says test results suggest that treated stones are highly resistant to the action of water and salts, the principal causes of deterioration.



A COOL NOSE might make a difference on whether your brain performs properly! Iowa State University researchers say a relationship exists between brain temperature and temperature of blood flowing from the nose toward the brain. Anger generates a full head of steam and people in a rage cannot think properly. The fellow who can keep a cool nose also can keep his brain alert and functioning normally.



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**Social Security Tips**

The least understood service under Medicare is home health benefits, according to Ted F. Moellering, social security district manager in San Angelo, Texas. Mr. Moellering explained that these benefits are available to home-confined Medicare beneficiaries in most localities, when ordered by a doctor and when furnished by a participating home health agency. These agencies send skilled people to the home to provide health care, such as part-time nursing; physical, speech and occupational therapy; use of medical appliances; and part-time services of home health aides.

Home health benefits are furnished under both parts of Medicare: Part A, hospital insurance, and Part B, supplemental medical insurance. Part A takes care of all of the costs of up to 100 visits for up to a year after the most recent discharge from a hospital or participating extended care facility, under these conditions:

1. The beneficiary was in a participating, or otherwise qualified, hospital for at least 3 consecutive days;
  2. He is confined to his home;
  3. A doctor determines the need for home health care and sets up a plan for it within 14 days after discharge from the hospital or participating extended care facility; and
  4. The home care is for treatment of the same condition for which he was hospitalized.
- There is no requirement of prior hospitalization for these services under Part B. Up to 100 home health visits each year are covered, if:

1. The patient is confined to his home;
2. A doctor determines the need for home health care; and
3. The doctor sets up a home health care plan and reviews it periodically. Part B pays all but the first \$50 and 20 percent of the remainder of the costs of covered medical services in a calendar year.

A record \$11,000 in monthly social security benefits was being paid to residents of Sterling County at the end of December, 1968, according to Ted F. Moellering district manager for social security. "Throughout the country, monthly benefits payable at the end of 1968 amounted to nearly \$2.1 billion, some \$350 million higher than at the end of 1967," Mr. Moellering continued. "Approximately three-quarters of the increased monthly amount resulted from higher benefit rates authorized by the 1967 Amendments to the Social Security Act. The remainder of the increase was simply due to a greater number of beneficiaries."

Be the end of May, 1969, social security will be paying monthly benefits to more than 2 million people — 1 out of every 8 Americans. Although retired workers comprise the largest group of beneficiaries, almost one-fourth of all people receiving benefits are under 60. There are currently more than 3.8 million children and 5 million young widowed mothers receiving payments. Yet the public continues to think of social security as a program for old people.

In Sterling County, 22 people under 60 are receiving benefits. That figure breaks down into 16 under 18, none from age 18 to 21, and 6 from age 22 to 59.

Many students would have been unable to continue their educations were it not for the 1965 Amendments to the Social Security Act which extended survivors and dependents insurance benefits to students until their 22nd birthdays. In 1968, that provision resulted in continuing benefits for 470,000 students.

Monthly payments to the family of a worker who dies

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Sept. 19 — Union H  
Sept. 26 — Smyer H  
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\*Nov. 14 — Loop H  
Nov. 21 — Open  
\*District Games  
\*\*Homecoming

leaving a widow and two or more children range from \$82.50 to \$434.40 a month, depending on the workers average earnings under social security. Payments to the young family of a worker who dies at an early age could total as much as \$85,000 to \$100,000.

Mr. Moellering also pointed out that by the end of 1968, approximately 90 percent of Americans 65 and over were either receiving cash benefits or would have been eligible for such benefits if they or their spouses had not been working.

In terms of Medicare, almost all people in the country 65 or over are eligible for hospital insurance benefits. Likewise, 95 percent of all older persons in the country have elected coverage under the voluntary supplementary medical insurance plan which pays physicians' fees.

If you have any questions, please contact the Social Security Office at 300 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

**HOSPITAL INSURANCE BENEFITS**

The hospital insurance benefits of Medicare provide for services of three types, according to Ted F. Moellering, manager of the San Angelo social security district office. Benefits are possible when you are (1) a bed patient in a hospital, (2) a bed patient in an extended care facility (skilled nursing home) assigned there by your physician as a follow-up to hospital care, and (3) a patient at home receiving home health services, Mr. Moellering continued. There has been some thought that because you are covered under Medicare up to a certain maximum number of days, you can automatically count on that number of days regardless of your condition. Mr. Moellering went on to say that this is a misunderstanding and that when your condition improves to the extent you no longer require the level of care provided, then your eligibility ceases.

An example of this misunderstanding is the 100 day eligibility in an Extended Care Facility. We are sometimes asked why a certain person was told Medicare would no longer pay for his stay in an Extended Care Facility when he had only been there 50 days and still had 50 days coming. The condition of the patient rather than the number of days is the controlling factor up to the point that the maximum number of days is reached. Coverage ends when his condition is such that he no longer needs the level of care provided by the Extended Care Facility.

Any question about this or any area of Medicare or Social Security should be resolved by a visit or contact with the Social Security Office located at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

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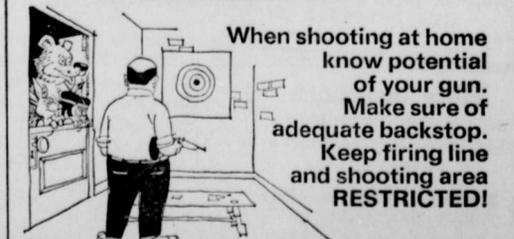


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