

STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD



AROUND THE COUNTY

ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Eleven samples of worms have been sent to the Mission laboratory of the screwworm eradication program thus far in 1969 by Sterling County livestock producers. Ten of the samples were identified as nonscrewworm while one was positive as screwworm.

The only positive sample thus far this year was sent in by Martin and Cantrell. It was taken from a calf in early June.

The latest nonscrewworm sample was sent in by Bill and Wayland Foster in October. It too was taken from cattle.

Cold weather such as we have had the last few days should lessen the screwworm threat in this area. Producers are urged to keep up their watch for all suspected cases, take samples of them, and send them to the laboratory. This is a crucial time in the eradication program as a case missed now and allowed to overwinter could bring an outbreak next spring.

Texas continues to grow as a cattle-feeding state with the majority of the increase coming on the plains or panhandle. More and more lots are going into operation; the capacity of existing lots is also being increased.

The industry received an added boost late last month when it was announced that the world's largest meat packing complex would be built in Plainview. Missouri Beef Packers, Incorporated, will install a packing plant with a capacity of 10,000 head per week. The plant will employ 350 persons and have a payroll of \$2 million annually. A total of \$135,000 for the purchase of land for the plant has been pledged by the Plainview Industrial Foundation.

How much does the average American eat? How much will he consume by the time he reaches age seventy? Make a guess.

The amount the average American eats, or its equivalent, is quite large. Gwendolene Clyatt, Extension consumer marketing specialist with A&M, has compiled the figures and provided them.

She says that the average person in America will, by the time they reach age seventy, consume the equivalent of 10 head of cattle, 24,000 chickens, 225 lambs, 26 sheep, 310 swine 26 acres of grain, and 50 acres of fruits and vegetables. That's the equivalent of the annual production of a pretty fair sized farm or ranch.

Saturday marks the opening day of deer hunting season in Sterling County. A supply of a new leaflet, "To Age a Deer," by Charles Ramsey, Extension wildlife specialist, is available in the county agent's office. If you would like to determine the age of the deer you kill or would like some for hunters you are leasing hunting rights to, they are available now.

The age of a deer cannot be determined by tooth replacement as in sheep and goats, but can be determined by the wear on jaw teeth. As a deer grows older, certain portions of its teeth are worn enough to show definite differences from the teeth of other age classes. These differences are

Son to the Bob Burnetts

A son, named Randolph Ernest (Ernie), was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burnett in Montpelier, Vt. Sunday afternoon at 5:44. The baby weighed eight pounds and nine ounces.

This is the first child for the Burnetts. Mrs. Burnett is the former Edna Davis of Sterling City.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nunnally of Sterling City and Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Burnett of Barre, Vermont.

Daughter to the Lee Fosters

A daughter, named Mary Frances, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Foster of Midland on October 30 in the Midland Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and fifteen ounces.

This is the first child of the Fosters. "Papa" Reynolds Lee is employed by Peat Marwick, Mitchell and Co., C.P.A. firm of Midland. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Foster of Sterling City. Great grandparents are Mrs. Lena Foster of Sterling and Mrs. Roy B. Davis, Sr. of San Angelo.

Ordination Service AT BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY AT 2:30 P. M.

A special service is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Sunday, November 9 in the First Baptist Church. Four men of the church have been selected to be ordained as deacons. The men are Bill Humble, Nolan Stewart, Andy Anderson and Fred Igo.

Pastors, deacons and the people of sister churches have been invited to come and participate in this service, said local pastor Andy Daniels.

The questions will be asked by Rev. Leslie Johnson of Christoval; the charge to the deacons and churches will be given by Rev. Bryan Ross of San Angelo; the message will be delivered by Rev. Frank Ratcliff of Big Spring.

The public is invited to attend this special service.

The Rev. Kermit Gibbons of San Angelo, Methodist District Superintendent, preached at the Methodist Church here at last Sunday morning's service. Tom Asbill, local layman, was speaker for the evening service, in the absence of the local pastor, Harold Orr.

illustrated in the leaflet.

The massiveness of the antlers, not the number of points is generally related to age but is more strongly influenced by nutrition. A well-fed yearling could be an eight point buck, but a poorly fed seven-year old could be a four point buck.

Deer are aged in fractions, according to Ramsey, because they are usually born around July and killed during the hunting season which is in the fall or winter. However, it seems that some fawns have been born very recently locally. According to a couple of reports, fawns were seen within the last month that were just about a week old.

Parties Fete Miss Betty Jo Barrett

Miss Betty Jo Barrett, who is to be married to Charlie Wright on November 15, has been honored in a round of teas and parties the past two weeks.

On October 25 ten were hostesses at a gift tea held in the home of Mrs. Stan Horwood. The hostesses were Mrs. Horwood, Mrs. Frank Milligan, Mrs. Reynolds Foster, Mrs. Jack Douthit, Mrs. Ray Lane, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Arthur Barlemann, Jr., Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand, Mrs. Hubert Williams, and Mrs. Early Barton.

In the receiving line were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Dayton Barrett, Mrs. Mary Wright of San Angelo, mother of the bridegroom to be, and Mrs. L. F. Hodges of San Angelo.

Aunts of the honoree, Mrs. Ross Huffman of Brady, Mrs. Bill Brooks and Mrs. Clinton Hodges poured and serving were Mrs. Joe Walraven and Mrs. Ricky Wright of San Angelo. At the register book were Lou Huffman, Beverly Brooks, and Amy Hodges.

One hundred and fifteen persons called and 250 took part in the gift shower.

On Saturday, November 1 Mrs. Charles Speck and Mrs. George Scott hosted a kitchen shower for Miss Barrett at the Massie Clubhouse in Angelo. Punch and cookies were served and games played by the guests.

On Tuesday afternoon three hosted a "spice and advice" shower for the honoree at the home of Mrs. I.W. Terry. The other hostesses were Mrs. Bill R. Bynum and Mrs. Ross Foster.

Miss Barrett was showered with gifts of spice, accompanied by words of advice.

Coffee, drinks and cookies and fruit bread were served.

Eagles To Klondike Tonight for Game

The Sterling City Eagles football team go to Klondike tonight for the fourth conference game of this season. After this week, coach Sammy Barnett's boys have only one more game scheduled—a conference setup with Loop here next Friday night.

Lose To Wellman Last Week

The locals dropped a conference game to Wellman last Friday night (there) 52-20.

Mrs. Joe Emery Is Noratadata Hostess

Members of the Noratadata Club met Monday evening in the community center with Mrs. Joe Emery as hostess.

Mrs. Dayton Barrett and Mrs. Bill Brooks provided the program. The club placed a memorial plaque in memory of Mrs. Robert Foster in the club room.

Bridge and bingo were played following the business meeting. High score was won by Mrs. J.I. Cope, high cut by Mrs. Worth Durham and bingo by Mrs. Ed Nunnally.

Other members present were Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. Stanley Horwood, Mrs. D. Kirk Hopkins, Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. Reynolds Foster, Mrs. Forrest Foster, Mrs. Bobby Dodds, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Henry Bauer, Mrs. Charles Allen, Mrs. Hubert Williams, Mrs. I. W. Terry, Mrs. Danny Stewart, Mrs. Martin C. Reed, Mrs. Charlie Probandt, and Mrs. Foster S. Price. Guests present were Mrs. Jim Davis, Mrs. Marvin Foster, Mrs. Melvin Foster and Mrs. Jodie Emery of San Angelo.

High School Honor Students List

High school principal James Thompson this week gave out the list of honor students in the high school, with their 9-week averages:

SENIORS—	
Ginger Jones	96
Carolyn Cole	91
Tim Duncan	91
JUNIORS—	
Janis Igo	92
SOPHOMORES—	
Allen Price	93
Clark Kilpatrick	91
Marilyn Foster	91
FRESHMEN—	
Gail Currington	96
Dusky Wells	95
Lee Igo	91
Steven Foster	91
Tomy Bynum	91

HILDEBRANDS TO GO ON CARRIBEAN TOUR

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand plan to leave on a two weeks tour of the Carribean on November 16. They will leave Port Everglades, Florida on November 16 and get back to Florida on December 1. They will spend a few days in Florida and a few days in New Orleans before returning home.

PIANO ENSEMBLE IN MIDLAND SUNDAY Six Locals to Play

Six piano pupils of Mrs. Mildred Mitchell will play in the Ten Piano Ensemble in Midland at 2 p.m. Sunday. The recital is sponsored by the Midland Music Teachers Association and will be held in the Midland High School Auditorium.

The local pupils of Mrs. Mitchell who will play in the ensemble are Dow Tanner, Melinda Terry, Sherri Kay Blank, Phyllis Johnson, Mary Powell and Jay Clark.

JAMES INFANT DIES

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S.T. James died shortly after birth Monday in Midland Memorial Hospital.

Graveside rites were held in Midland Tuesday morning in Fairview Cemetery, Midland.

Other than the parents survivors include grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.Y. Bengt, Jr., of Sterling City and Mr. and Mrs. J.T. James of Rankin.

REPORTS NEEDED FROM STERLING COUNTY FARMERS AND RANCHERS

During the last half of October some 35,000 Texas farmers and ranchers received a crop and livestock questionnaire from Cary Palmer, State Statistician for the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service in Austin. This is a joint endeavor of the Texas Department of Agriculture and the Statistical Reporting Service, U.S.D.A., to provide a program of county estimate for Texas.

There are 254 counties in Texas and each farmer and rancher in each county is an important part of the State's agriculture. Reports are needed from farmers and ranchers receiving questionnaires to provide accurate estimates for Texas crop and livestock.

We urge each farmer and rancher to fill out his questionnaire carefully and return it promptly to the Agricultural Statistician. This will do much to provide the accurate data needed for the State.

Your local ASCS office will assist you with acreages and any other information that may be of record in the Sterling County ASCS office. Any questions you may have concerning the report may be directed to the local ASCS office and personnel in the office will be glad to assist you with the report.

Lions Hold Turkey Shoot Saturday

The Sterling City Lions Club held its annual turkey shoot at the rifle range west of town last Saturday. The club netted approximately \$91 at the shoot.

Twenty turkeys were given as prizes in the events, which included matched rifle shooting, running deer, and skeet shooting.

The affair was under the direction of Jim Davis and Dan Glass of the club.

WINNERS—
Winners in the matched rifle shooting were Charles Allen and James Heffernan. Allen made a score of 30-2X and Heffernan 3-1X. (Maximum possible score is 30-3X; this was a 100-yard match.)

In the running deer matches winners were (maximum possible score 10 points)—

Herb Senne	10 points
Jim Davis	8
M. V. McMurtrey	9
Royce Murrell	9
Danny Glass	4
Herb Kothmann	7
Leslie Cole	5
Skipper Lively	6
Larry Blackburn	4
Jimmy Piper	5
Ray Piper	6
Gordon Carpenter	4

Winners in the skeet shooting events were Stan Horwood, Glenn Schneider, Bobby Blair, Skipper and Jim Davis—who won two events.

The Winchester Automatic .22 rifle and scope that was given away by the club was won by L. C. Alexander of Sterling City.

The Lions Club members and the committee in charge of the shoot expressed thanks and appreciation to all who helped and all who participated.

Money raised by the club is to be used for community projects in coming months.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

- L. McCarty
- Mrs. Ella Ligon
- A. L. Jackson
- Pedro de'Hoya
- Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week included—
- Earnest L. Turner
- Pearl Sheppard
- Antonio Munoz
- Mrs. Mike Foster
- Ricordo Martinez

LIONS CLUB

A number of guests were present at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. Among the guests were Foster Sims Price, Bill Barrett, Lowe Slaton, Ross Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murrell, Montie Stokes, Walter Eubanks, Bob Lambert and Elmer Martin.

Martin, county judge of Mitchell County and a vice-president of the West Central Texas Council of Governments, had two of that body's staff members with him, who explained the workings of a Council of Governments.

Lambert explained the scope of COG, its aims, its purpose and duties. He said that the state had been divided into areas or regions for such councils and the councils promote common goals for all parts of its district. He said that the council could help counties, cities, schools, water districts, etc. make application for any worthwhile projects—where federal or state grants were concerned. Eubanks talked on law enforcement coordination in the COG districts.

The Lions secretary reported that \$297 had been made on the rifle given away at the turkey shoot and \$91 was cleared on the turkey shoot itself.

FIRST METHODISTS TO HOLD MEETING HERE NOVEMBER 16—20

A meeting will be held at the First United Methodist Church here November 16—20, announced pastor Harold B. Orr. Sunday services will be held at the hours of 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Week-day services will be at 7:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

The Rev. John Gibbs, who pastor here 1960-63 will do the preaching and Stan Horwood will lead the singing and provide special music, said Orr.

Coffee and donuts will be served at the morning services. Gibbs, who is now Associate Director of Conference Program Council, is a native of Seguin. He got a B.A. degree from the University of Texas and a B.D. degree from Perkins School of Theology (SMU) in 1951.

His appointments include—Wesley Foundation at Texas A and I, Bandera, Wesley Foundation at University of Texas, Sterling City, Coker—San Antonio and now his present position with the Southwest Texas Conference.

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Social Security Tips

People who sign up for social security only to gain Medicare coverage are often amazed to learn that they will also be drawing some checks for the year, according to Ted F. Moellering, District Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office.

For instance, a person entitled to a monthly benefit of \$122.90 who expects to earn \$3000 in 1968 would draw a check of \$17.40 for June, 1968, and full checks for the rest of the year.

"This is possible because of the liberalized retirement test under the present social security law," Mr. Moellering said.

"A social security beneficiary can earn \$1680 per year and draw his checks every month. If his earnings are \$2880 or less, an amount equal to one-half the earnings between \$1680 and \$2880 is subtracted from total benefits payable for the year. If earnings are over \$2880, an additional one dollar for every dollar over \$2880 is subtracted from benefits payable.

"There has been no change in the provision that a person can draw a check for each month that he is age 72, regardless of his total earnings for the year."

For further information, contact the Social Security Administration at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Tex. or see the representative when he is in your area.

The "length of marriage" requirement in social security's definition of "widow", "widower", and stepchild of a deceased worker" has been changed, reports Ted F. Moellering, District Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office. A widow, widower, or stepchild may now qualify for social security benefits based on a marriage that has been in existence for only 9 months just before the death of the worker.

Mr. Moellering added that in some cases a marriage that has lasted for as little as 3 months may qualify the survivor. These are cases involving accidental death or death in the line of duty in the uniformed services.

Benefits under this change in the law were first payable in February, 1968. Any person who has been previously disqualified because a marriage had not been in effect long enough should contact the Social Security Office at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San

Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

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.

Questions that pop up frequently at the San Angelo Social Security Office are: "Do social security benefits for children stop at age 18?" "Do student benefits continue during the summer vacation?"

Ted F. Moellering, District Manager said until 1965 a child's benefits were stopped at 18 unless the child was severely disabled.

Since 1965 benefits have

been available to a child of a retired, disabled, or deceased worker who is a full-time, unmarried student between the ages of 18 and 22. Mr. Moellering added that this not only applies to high school and college students, but also to those attending approved vocational or trade schools. Examples are barber schools and schools of nursing.

Student benefits continue during the summer vacation if the student meets two additional requirements. The period of non-attendance must not be more than four calendar months, and the student must intend to be a full-time student immediately following this period.

When a child who is receiving benefits reaches age 17½ a notice is sent to the adult who receives the benefits for the child. The notice tells the adult to contact the social security office immediately if the child will be a full-time student at age 18.

Failure to contact the office will cause his checks to stop the month before the child is 18.

Student benefits are terminated when a student marries, dies, is no longer a full-time student or becomes 22

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 pro-

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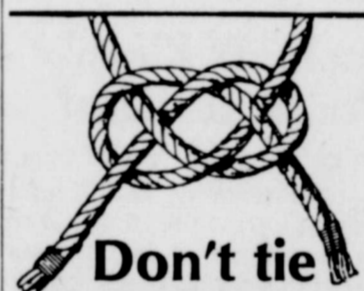
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tection now on their mother's account under the same rules that apply to a father's account. This present law will result in a number of children being able to receive social security benefits when their mother dies or becomes disabled, including some 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.

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At the Churches

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

David Marx, Pastor
Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Harold Orr, Pastor
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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
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Marion H. Hays, Minister
Bible school 10:00 a.m.
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Night Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-Week
Mid-week Service 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Andy Daniels, Pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
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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 physical abilities required, veteran preference, and other

er 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. W-AS-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 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.

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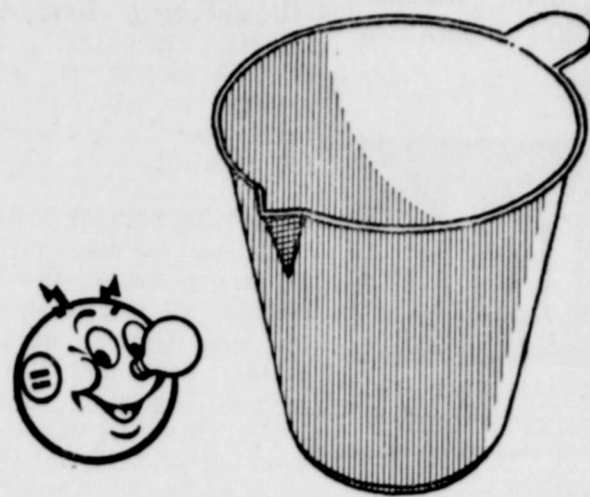
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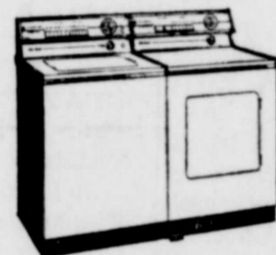
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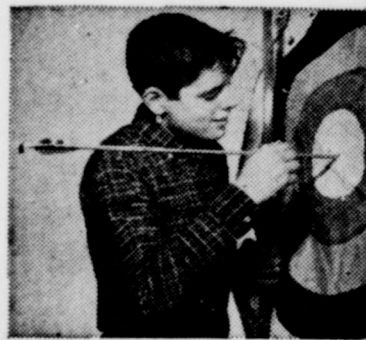
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C.G. TITSWORTH DEAD
Charles Gervase Titsworth, 77, of San Angelo died Friday morning of last week in the Shannon Hospital. Burial was in the Fairmount Cemetery in San Angelo.
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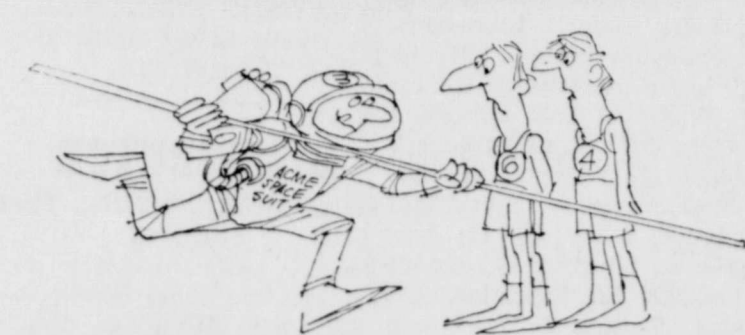
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Social Security News

Persons receiving social security disability benefits must report improvement in their condition to the Social Security Administration. Ted F. Moellering, social security district manager, stated that disability beneficiaries must also report a return to any kind of work.
Mr. Moellering made the announcement because of several recent cases in which beneficiaries were overpaid because these two events were not properly reported and benefits not due were continued. Overpayments have to be refunded and this can work a financial hardship on those having to repay benefits.
Mr. Moellering explained most overpayments in these cases occur because beneficiaries misunderstand the requirements of the law. Disability benefits can be paid only if an individual is so disabled he can't do any kind of a job, not just his regular job. Therefore, any improvement in the disabling condition has to be reported. Too, when a disabled worker does some work, even if it is sheltered or light work, it must be reported so that a determination can be made immediately about whether benefits should continue.

Mr. Moellering pointed out that in some cases, disabled workers can get benefits can get benefits up to nine months while they try out some job to see if they can do it, but their work still must be reported.
For more detailed information check 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.

DISABLED WORKER NEWS

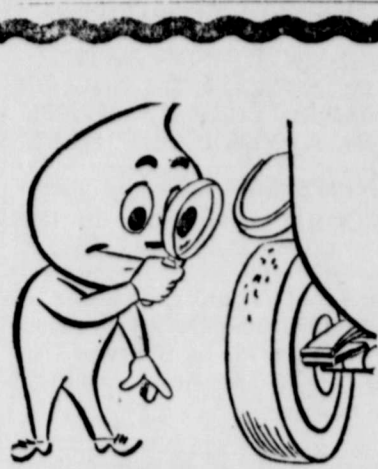
Disabled workers should file their social security applications early, according to Ted F. Moellering, social security district manager. Although benefits for disability cannot be paid until after a worker has been disabled for six months, an application can be filed any time after a disability begins.
Mr. Moellering explained that the process for determining eligibility for disability benefits can sometimes be rather long and complicated. Therefore, no one should delay applying until the six months waiting period expires. Applying early permits the claims process to begin so that a decision can be made early enough to mail the first check on time.
Mr. Moellering reminded Sterling City readers that social security benefits are payable to workers when they have become too disabled to do any substantial work. The disability must be expected to last at least 12 months. A disabled worker's children under age 18 (and those 18 to 22 who are full-time students) and his wife may also qualify for benefits.
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