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#### Democratic and Republican Primaries Here Tomorrow

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Texas voters will go to the polls here Saturday, May 1, and select nominees for many offices over the state. Both Democrats and Republicans vote in most counties.

In the Democrat primary voters will name delegates for presidential candidates Lloyd Bentsen, Jimmy Carter and George C. Wallace. Also they can vote for a slate of uncommitted delegates. (They may vote for any candidate at the convention.)

Listed as candidates for U. S. Senator are Leon Dugi, Phil Gram, Lloyd Bentsen and Hugh Wilson.

Congressman Bob Krueger has Joe Sullivan for an opponent.

Eight men are running for Railroad Commission, being Jerry Sadler, Jon Newton, Terence L. O'Rourke, R. R. Williams, Robert (Bob) Wood, Lane Denton, David Finney and Woodrow Wilson Bean.

Jack Pope is uncontested for the supreme court place 1, while Don Yarborough and Charles W. Barrow are vying for place 2. James G. Denton is the only one trying for place 3.

John F. Onion is the only candidate for presiding judge of the court of criminal appeals; and two are vying for a place on that court, being Truman Roberts and Jerome Chamber-

Three hopefuls are running for the unexpired term on that court, being Jim Vollers, Carl Dally and W.T. Phillips.

Closer to home, Mize Ezzell, incumbent legislator, has Bill Atwood, Jr. for an opponent.

Jimmy Elrod is unopposed for the state board of eduaction, as is Bob Shannon for associate justice of court of civil appeals.

51st district court judge Earl Smith is unopposed for reelection, but there are three names on the list for district atorney—Gerald Fohn and F. W. Ferrell are really the only two candidates as Thomas M. Goff could not really meet the residence requirements. He has pulled out.

Locally incumbent county attorney Worth B. Durham has an opponent, Howard V. Cudd.

Jim Cantrell, incumbent sheriff, tax collector and assessor, is unopposed as are commissioners Cledis W. Smith for precinct 1 and Billy R. Bynum for precinct number 3.

Voting will be in the usual 4 boxes over the county for Democrats and one box in the court house for Republicans. Both the Republican chairman Latry Glass and Democratic chairman Jack Douthit, urge voters to go vote and express their choices on May 1. Be sure and take your blue registration slip with you to show the election judge, or you will have to sign an oath that you realy have one somewhere or have lost it.

#### Rains Here 1 Inch

General rains over this area of West Texas fell Wednesday night, bringing more needed moisture to ranges and farms.

About an inch fell here in town and amounts varied over the county. Coupled with th .75 inch of last week, things are looking up, moisture-wise for the area.

Although late this year, the rains have made a great improvement and the country is greening rapidly.

#### Republican Primary in One Box

The Sterling County Republicans will hold a primary here on May 1 in the commissioners courtroom in the courthouse. Presiding judge will be Larry Glass.

Besides delegates for Gerald Ford and Ronald Reagan, the Republicans will vote on three candidates for U.S. Senator—Louis Lehan, Alan Steelman and Hugh Sweeney.

They have two candidates for U.S. Representative—C. J. Calnan and Bobby Locke.

They have one running for the Railroad Commission — Walter Wendlandt. Running for the State Board of Education is H. Dell Foster.

There are five propositions or items for Republicans to express themselves on-one favoring a constitutional amendment to deny bail to repeat felons who are awaiting trial, and one-favoring legislation which would require mandatory, non-parolable prison sentences for felony offenses involving the use of deadly weapons or resulting in bodily injury. And-would you favor a constitutional amendment which would allow the use of oral confessions in a trial. And-Do you favor a constitutional amendment allowing the use of electronic surveillanc to fight organized crime?

And finally—would you favor an amendment banning the use of forced busing of school children for purpose of achieving a racial balance?

#### Brush and Weed Control Meeting

Sterling County ranchers and other interested persons are invited to a meeting on brush and weed control Wednesdy, May 5 at 2:00 p.m. The meeting will be held in the community center in Sterling City. It was planned by the County Program Building Committee and the local Extension office to provide information on the control of brush and weeds on rangeland.

Program speakers are Dr. Robert Steger and Dr. Bob Ragsdale. Both are with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of Texas A&M University. Steger is Area Range Specialist with headquarters in San Angelo while Ragsdale is State Range Specialist with headquarters at

College Station.

They will present information on the current prospects for aerial spraying of mesquite based on local conditions. In addition, they will discuss the hand control methods. They will also cover the herbicides that are currently cleared for use on rangeland and their restrictions.

Some broomweeds are making their appearance again and after last year,s heavy infestation on much of the rangeland, and there is some concern about their control this year. The two men will discuss controlling these weeds alone and in combination with brush spraying. Ragsdale has done much work on this particular plant and will be able to provide some much needed information on its control.

If you are concerned about the current prospects for controlling these two range invaders, come to the meeting and get the best information available. There will be time for

#### Rose-Badger Rites in San Angelo

Miss Lee Eleanor Rose and Bertrand Brandt Badger were married April 16 during a ceremony in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Badger of San Angelo. The Rev. Morris Elliott, rector emeritus of Emmanuel Episcopal Church officiated.

Frank W. Rose of San Angelo and Anne Weaver Rose of Albuquerque, N.M. are parents of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Copeland of Sterling City are parents of the bridegroom.

Serving as maid of honor was Melinda Anne Rose and Cari Binette served as bridesmaid. Marion D. Badger was best man and Jeff Copeland of Sterling City served as groomsman.

A reception followed the ceremony in the Badger home. Parents of the bridegroom hosted the rehearsal dinner in the Santa Fe Junction.

Mrs. Badger is a graduate of Manzano High Schol and attended Flair Modeling College in Albuquerque. She is presently a freshman in Angelo State University. Badger is a graduate of Sterling High School and is a senior at ASU majoring in business.

Following a wedding trip to Austin, the couple resides at 1000 Rio Concho Circle No. 283.

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On March 27 a gift tea was given honoring Miss Rose in the Sterling City Community Center.
Hostesses for the shower were Mmes. D. K. Hopkins, R. T.

Mmes. D. K. Hopkins, R. T. Foster Jr., Neal Reed, Foster S. Price, Bill R. Bynum, Winn McClure, Curtis Wilson, Danny Slaughter. Bobby Dodds, Jody Blanek, George Turner, Rance Hord, Lynn Rich and Miss Debbie Hopkins.

On April 7 three were hostesses at a brunch honoring Miss Rose. They were Mrs. William Gordon Jr., Mrs. William Crisp and Mrs. Richard Davis. The affair was held in the home of Mrs. Gordon.

Attending the brunch from here were Judy Copeland, Mrs. C. J. Copeland and Mrs. Nora Cooke.

#### Rawlings-Honea Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Rawlings of Water Valey announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruth Alice Rawlings to Mr. W. Murphree Honea. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Honea, Jr. of Fort Worth, Texas.

The couple plan a wedding on August 21 in the Water Valley United Methodist Church.

Grandparents of the bride-tobe are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Humble of Sterling and Mr. Carter Rawlings of Water Valely.

Alice is a graduate of Water Valley High School, attended A. S. U. in San Angelo, and is now a senior nursing major at Texas Christian University.

The bridegroom-to-be graduated from St. Paul's School in Concord, New Hampshire; attended University of Texas and is presently attending college in Fort Worth.

questions so if your question is not answered during the meeting, you can bring it up during the question and answer period.

#### Firemen Attend Hill Country Association

Members of the Sterling Volunteer Fire Department and the Ladies Auxiliary attended the Hill Country VFD Association in Mason on April 10.

Twelve towns were represented at the meting for a full day of activities.

During the business meeting San Angelo was voted into the Hill Country Firemans Association.

Tom Asbill conducted the memorial service with the assistance of Lois Maricle. On behalf of all members of the Sterling Fire Department and the Auxiliary, we would like to thank Tom for one of the most moving services ever held.

After the business meeting the races were held.

In the ladies pumper race, the locals were first and brought home the first place trophy. The team members were Lois Maricle, Gwen Templin, Jane Moore.. Virgie Craig, Alys Fincher and Cathy Wililams. Time was 22.1.

The firemen won a third place trophy in the mens pumper race with time of 25.5. Team members were Cecil Craig, Gary Maricle, Troy Templin, Frank Stewart, Dub Fincher and John Wil-

In the three ladies race the Sterling Auxiliary members, Lois Maricle, Carolyn Stewart and Gwen Templin won second place with time of 13.0.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Dan Glass and children were present to give support and help.

This was Troy and Gwen Templin's last convention representing the Sterling VFD. They have given much of their time and help to the fire department and as always such help is appreciated—and needed. The department wishes them the best of luck in their new home in San Angelo.

#### Bridal Shower for Debbie Hopkins

Miss Debbie Hopkins was the honoree at a gift shower here last Saturday in the home of Mrs. Stan Horwood. Over 200 persons took part in the shower.

In the receiving line were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. D.K. Hopkins and Mrs. June Hellman of San Marcos. At the registry book were Julie Hodges of Abilene, Sandra Hopkins of Midland while Susan Tom of Corpus Christi and Mrs. Ronnie Hirt of St. Lawrence poured punch. Serving cake were Kenna McGee and Mrs. Craig Frizzell.

Hostesses for the shower were Mmes. Bill R. Bynum, Charlie Davis, C.J. Copeland, Worth B. Durham, Ross Foster, R.T. Foster, Harvey Glass, Ronnie Hirt, Stan Horwood, Foster S. Price, Martin Reed, Neal J. Reed, William J. Swann, Hank Watson and Bill Watts.

#### Linen Shower in May for Hospital

The Epsilon Zeta Club is sponsoring a linen shower for Sterling County Hospital during the month of May. This is an annual affair for the club.

Items needed are listed in the Brock Grocery and Brooks Dry Goods, it is said. Such items are the kind used by the institution and the most desirable.

DON'T FORGET THE LIONS CLUB FISH FRY AT SCHOOL ON FRIDAY, MAY SEVENTH. Only \$2.50 per plate for adults.

Kay Beth Kilpatrick was 3rd in the high jump at the district meet, with a jump of five feet.

#### School Honor Roll

School principal Bobby Dodds this week released the honor students for the fifth 6th weks period as follows: SEVENTH GRADE—

None

EIGHTH GRADE—	
Gary Maricle	. 95
Russell Jones	92
June Humble	_ 91
NINTH GRADE—	
Hermelinda Hernandez	. 95
TENTH GRADE—	
Susie Humble	94
Joe Trevino	
Patricia Jordan	
Leslie Rich	
Ricardo Hernandez	
ELEVENTH GRADE—	
Melinda Terry	
Patti Bynum	
Dow Ferguson	. 94
Rosa Hernandez	. 91
Ross Hord	91
Kim Rich	. 90
TWELFTH GRADE—	
Amy Hodges	. 95

#### Henry Zettler Buried in Hamilton

Funeral services for Henry August Zettler, 51, of Sterling City were held last Saturday at Riley Funeral Home in Hamilton with burial in the Shive Cemetery, St. Paul's Lutheran Cemetery there.

Henry was born August 10, 1924 in Shive. He was a World War II veteran. He was married to Ruby Wagner in Shive. He was a well-known resturant man in West Texas, owning restaurants in Sterling City, Robert Lee and Garden City. He was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in Big Spring.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ruby Wagner Zettler, his mother, Mrs. John Zettler of Shive; six sisters, Mrs. Willie Bubert, Mrs. Ernest Waedekin and Mrs. Johnny Gromatzky, all of Hamilton, Mrs. Robert Johns of Arlington, and Mrs. Lawrence Nichter of Arlington and Mrs. Edwin B. Bossie of Shive; two nieces and six nephews.

STERLING JUNIOR HIGH FOURTH PLACE AT DISTRICT TRACK MEET

Water Valley took first place, in the District Track 10-B meet in Junior High, with Garden City second, Grenwood third, Sterling City fourth, Forsan fifth and Grady sixth.

Sterling's track team was paced by Allen Phillips with a first in the pole vault and second in high jump and a fifth in the 100 yard dash.

Bruce Myrick had a 6th in the long jump and a 6th in the 100 yard dash and 6th in shot put. Tony Dodds had a 2nd in the pole vault. Dusty Demere had a 5th in the pole vault and a 6th in the 880 yard run.

Wesley Hodges had a 4th in the 60 high hurdles and Gary Maricle had a 6th in the 60 yard high hurdles.

The 440 relay team, composed of Dodds, Hodges, Myrick and Phillips finished 6th. The 880 yard relay team, composed of Dodds, Hodges, Myrick and Phillips finished 5th.

Other team members who participated were R. Jones, S. Griffin, D. Harmon, L. Greenfield, D. Radde, M. Hinklin, M. Brown, P. Posey, L. Horwood, C. Foster, K. Hinklin and Lenard Horwood who did not make the trip due to a broken arm.

SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL

There will be a meeting of all persons who want to play Slow Pitch Softball, Wednesday, May 5, 1976 at 7:30 p.m. at the ball park. Bring gloves as we will start playing that night.

to the American Cancer Society in memory of your loved one will help support a program dedicated to the conquest of cancer. Your memorial gift will not only do honor to the dead. It could help provide a gift of life.

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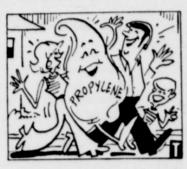
application of propylene is isopropyl alcohol. Whether it's called 2-propanol, dimethyl carbinol, isopropanol fact, the rubbing alcohol in your medicine chest.

#### The Many Uses of IPA

IPA, in addition to its use as a household antiseptic, is also an important ingredient in the manufacture of hydrogen peroxide, solvents, anti-

movers, latex paints and fuel made of it.

Another major use of pro-



strength, resistance to work fatigue, chemical and heat resistance, colorability and flex strength-polypropylene is finding its way into applications that dispell the myth that plastics are only good for

lene-derived product is, in other medical uses such as holders.

these days. For example, American industry.

What do a washing ma- stalling agents, dyes, aspirin, washing machine agitators, chine agitator, dog food, aspi- de-icing agents, surface coat- dishwasher innerliners and ings, insect repellent, printing many other parts for major ink, paint and varnish re- and small appliances are

When the Going is Tough

One of the most revolution pylene is to make polypropy- ary uses is in car batteries. lene, one of the most versatile Most of the 1974-model U.S. plastic resins. Because of its cars now have batteries superior physical properties - and numerous other parts such as steering wheels, bucket seat backs and accelerator pedals - made of tough polypropylene.

Polypropylene fibers are being also used by the furniture and carpet industries because of their resistance to stains. And its toughness is causing polypropylene to become widely used in making cordage. These are just some of the many ways polypropy. lene is being used to provide better quality products for American consumers.

In addition to IPA and polypropylene and their many end-uses, propylene finds its cheap toys and olive stabbers. way into synthetic rubbers, The medical field recently medicines, cosmetics, safety has discovered the many as- glass, food flavoring agents, sets of polypropylene. Pace- adhesives, photographic chemakers and artificial hearts micals, epoxy resins, leather A very significant end-use now have parts made of poly- tanning products, perfume, propylene. It is also used as antifreeze, brake fluids, herthrough-the-bone marrow bicides, dog food and poulpins, screws, staples, and as try feed additives, nylon, sutures to close contaminated wood preservatives, polishes, or just plain IPA, this propy- wounds. Polypropylene has explosives and paper coatings.

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Steak Potatoes Green Beans

Ginger Bread THURSDAY, MAY 6 Spanish Rice and Meat Pinto Beans

Salad Peach Crisp

FRIDAY, MAY 7 Fish Sticks Macaroni and Cheese Sweet Peas

BREAKFASTS

Cake

MONDAY, MAY 3

**Pancakes** 

Apple Sauce TUESDAY. MAY 4 Scrambled Eggs

**Biscuits** 

Orange Juice

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5 Cheese or Cinnamon Toast

Peaches THURSDAY, MAY 6

French Toast Orange Juice

FRIDAY, MAY 7

Cold Cereal

Bananas

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#### HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week include:

Mrs. Owen Armstrong Marcus Estrada Juan Torres

Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week were;

Walter McBride Betty Mitchum

Patients in the Sterling County Nursing Home on Thursday morning of this week were;

George Case Mrs Walsie Gibbs Virgil Brownfield Mrs. Lucy Chaney

Mrs. Blanche Copeland Mrs. Luther Hallmark

Mrs. Lura McClellan

Mrs. Edith Hudson Mrs. Ida Brown

Mrs. Jim Duke

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Mrs. Lucy Norman W. J. Williams

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All games will start at 7:30 p.m. No inning will start after 10:00 p.m.

MAY 4 Bronte at Robert Lee Sterling City at Carlsbad

MAY 7 Sterling City at Robert Lee

Bronte at Carlsbad MAY 11 Robert Lee at Carlsbad

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#### Social Security News

Social security checks should be cashed within a reasonable time to prevent loss or theft, even though there's no time limit on cashing them, according to social security officials here.

'If your check is lost or stolen, get in touch with your nearest social security office at once,' a spokesman said. 'The check can be replaced, but it takes time. Handle your check carefully when you get it and you won't have to wait while it's being replaced.'

Social security pays over \$4 billion a month in benefit checks to almost 29 million peopleeligible retired and disabled workers and their families and families of deceased workers who worked long enough under social security.

#### REWARD NOTICE

A reward of \$500.00 will be paid by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association to any person (other than law enforcement officers) giving information causing the arrest and first conviction of any person or persons found butchering or stealing any sheep or lambs or goats belonging to any Association member in good standing. When 2 or more persons give information, the above sum will be divided at the discretion of the Board of the Association. When two or more defendants are involved in a single crime, the total reward is limited to \$500.00, but the conviction of one defendant, even though the other defendants are acquitted will entitle the claimant or claimants to said sum of \$500.00. All claims must be submitted within ninety (90) days following conviction. If upon conviction, a defendant confesses other thefts, no additional rewards will be paid. All decisions concerning the payment of such reward and the conditions of payment will be made by the Board of Directors of the Associ-

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I do not believe, as my opponent believes, visiting with a few groups and sending a few documents to county libraries, which they would receive anyway, is representing the people. Our main industries in this district are agriculture, cattle and oil. These industries produce employment for our citizens, support our businesses and schools. Every citizen in this district plays an important role towards the betterment of our district and our state.

Constructive Legislation is what we need—we have not received it in the past What we do TODAY should be for our young people TOMORROW. This can be obtained by working for pasage of a bill that would allow exemptions to be raised from \$60,000 to \$200,000 on the inheritance tax. As for Women's Rights, I believe that every woman has the right to receive equal pay for the job she chooses and is qualified to perform. My opponent is chairman of a committee to study the advisability of creating a commission on the Status of Women. As you know, bureaus result in too many rules and regulations. In talking this over with many women, I find they do not want a ridiculous bureau of this type. I have contended during this entire campaign that our country was formed on the basis of free enterprise and not bureaucratic monopolistic views. If we do away with our unneeded bureaus and agencies, we will cut the cost of our Government and help put the Government back into the hands of the people.

All of a sudden two years later (three weeks before the election) my opponent has become concerned about the high price of natural gas. Why wasn't he concerned with this when he voted in the last session?

Yes, I believe I can accomplish more than just visiting with a few groups and sending documents to libraries. I will help to keep and upgrade the quality of our education for our children, help to save the taxpayer's dollars, and help to insure our senior citizens the social security to which they are entitled. I will help find doctors for our counties in this district that need them, as I have been asked to do. I will help bring a suitable water program to West Texas.

You CAN have strong representation in our State Capital. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

Thank you, BILL ATWOOD JR.

# Please Vote for Bill Atwood, Jr.

Your State Representative on May 1st

Paid Pol. Adv. by Bill Atwood Jr.

#### History of Sterling County Books

Memorial Pages to be Sold

The History of Sterling County is in the hands of the publisher. The book is much larger than anticipated at the begininng and aditional funds are required to finance the book. The response to our requests for material has been tremendous. Due to increased publication costs the price of the book will be raised to \$15.00 (fifteen dollars) beginning May 1.

It has been suggested that memorial pages be included in the book to aid in financing its publication. The memorial pages are being offered at \$100.00 (one hundred dollars) each. The 81/2 by 11 inch page will accomodate from one to four members of a family. Pictures or written memorials are considered appropriate. We urge your immediate response in this matter as the number of pages is limited and the deadline for publication draws near. Please contact Alta McGibany at the What Shop (3785181) or LeRuth Stewart (378-2531) if you are interested.

The book will contain the History of Sterling County by Ira Lee Watkins, family histories, histories of clubs, churches, transportation, industries, city and county government, and a fascinating section of reminiscences. The book will be enhanced throughout with old pictures. A special section has been designated for memorials. Your memorials need to be turned in immediately. Books may be purchased at the What Shop.

#### NOTICE

The Texas State Department of Health has established, in accordance with the Federal Pub-flic Health Service Act, the current annual level of uncompensated services for Sterling County Hospital and Nursing Home, Sterling City, Texas to be that the facility does not intend to deny anyone admission to the facility or any o its services because of an inability to pay. The documents upon which the determination was based are available for public inspection at the Texas State Department of Health, 1100 West 49th Sq., Austin, Texas from 9:00 A. M. to 4:30 P.M. on regular business days. The level of services set out meets the presumptive complaince guidelines of the Federal regulation.

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#### 1975-76 School Calendar

August 11 Teacher Inservice
August 12 Teacher Inservice
August 13 Teacher Inservice
August 14 Teacher Work Day
August 15 No School
August 18 School Year Begins
(for students)
October 27 District TSTA (A

student holiday)
November 7 End of 1st Quarter
November 10 Teacher Work
Day (student holiday)
November 11 Holiday-Armistice
Day

November 27 and 28 Thanksgiving Holidays December 24, 25, 26, 29. 30, 31,

January 1 & 2 Christmas holidays January 19 Holiday, Local Stock Show

February 20 End 2nd Quarter February 23, 24, 25, Inservice (student holidays)

March 12 Holiday (San Angelo Stock Show March 19 & 22 Spring Holidays April 15, 16, 19, Easter Holidays

May 23 Baccalaureate
May 26 Graduation
May 27 Teacher Work Day
May 26 End 3rd Quarter

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#### **Judge Truman Roberts**

TRUMAN ROBERTS has established an outstanding record over the past five years as judge of the state's highest court in criminal matters. Before election to the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals he served 11 years as County Attorney and District Attorney, then 10 years as Presiding Judge of the 52nd Judicial District.

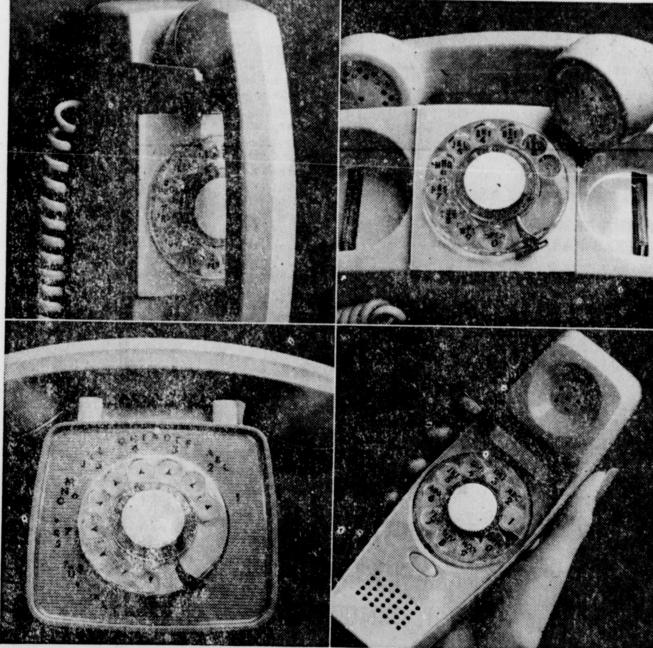
Judge Roberts has been endorsed in his race (over a Dallas opponent) by 76.4 percent of more than 11,000 attorneys voting in the State Bar of Texas poll.

Vote to keep a man with this excellent experience and recognized ability. Vote in the Democratic Primary on May 1 to re-elect Judge Truman Roberts to a second term on the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

#### **Texas Court of Criminal Appeals**

Pol. adv. paid for by Truman Roberts Campaign, Truman Roberts, Treasurer, 112 East 8th Street, Austin, Texas 78701

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#### LEADING JOURNALISTS AGREE:

"The public will expect and demand of the commission a performance more judicious and exacting than ever before in its 85-year history. Of all the candidates in this important race, we believe Jon Newton is best qualified to meet the needs of this new day for the commission." Dallas Morning News, April 19, 1976.

"Jon Newton is an unusually well-qualified candidate for this office which today is of tremendous and growing importance to our state and nation." Kilgore News Herald, April 18, 1976.

"He has worked successfully for consumer and environmental causes, he is for a realistic and wise use of our state's resources and he has spoken out in federal forums for adequate energy policies." Port Arthur News, April 20, 1976.

"If a voter wants to do something about solving energy and transportation problems, one effective way would be to vote for Jon Newton for Texas Railroad Commission." Houston Chronicle, Feb. 15, 1976.

"Newton talks common sense on energy and is ready to go to bat for all Texans . . . (his) views are sound, his goals admirable and his qualifications superior." Victoria Advocate, Feb. 15, 1976.

"We need men like Jon in every capacity in state government." Beeville Bee-Picayune, Jan. 19, 1976.

"'Ask Jon Newton' is becoming the byword around the Capitol when it comes to energy and utility regulations." Houston Post political column, Feb. 15, 1975.

#### JON NEWTON HAS THE ANSWERS.

VOTE FOR THE RESPONSIBLE DEMOCRAT FOR THE TEXAS RAILROAD COMMISSION.

Pd. Pol. Adv., Jon Newton Campaign Committee, Tom Hagan, Treasurer, P O. Box 1952, Austin, Texas 78767

#### MCT Sets "THE FANTASTICKS"

Midland Community Theatre is planning a FANTASTICK birthday celebration beginning on Friday, April 23. The Midland Theatre was chartered 30 years ago this month, and to mark the occasion, MCT has revived one of its most popular productions, THE FANTASTICKS. This remarkable little musical by Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt is still running in New York, nearly 17 years after it opened. MCT first did the show in the summer of 1964.

Highlighted by songs such at Try to Remember and Soon It's Gonna Rain, THE FANTAS-TICKS is really a simple story of a boy and a girl in love, yet it is told with great wit and style. Sherri Reeves (of Odessa) and Kenneth Hunicutt will portray the sweethearts in the Midland production. Their fathers will be played by Dee Rose and Bill Shaner. The role of El Gallo, the show's narrator as well as a participant in the action, will be handled by Jim Salners. Bill Adam and George Lindsey will appear as two wandering actors, one a Shakespearian, the other a specialist in dying. Lisa DeMasi has the show's most unique role, that of the Mute, an on-stage prop person.

Art Cole is director-designer for the production. Paul Laverty, Jr., is Musical Director and Loree Fitz-Gerald serves as stage manager.

The opening night performance of THE FANTASTICKS will be followed by a gala birthday party at the Midland Petroleum Club.

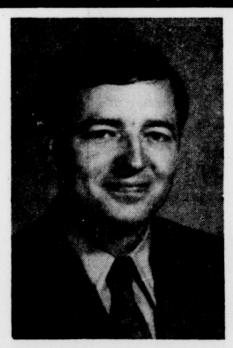
Ten performances of this musical have been scheduled, including matinees on April 25 and May 2. Tickets are \$4 and \$5 to non-members of Midland Community Theatre, and the box office will accept reservations beginning Monday, April 19.

Box office phone, 915-682-2544, P. O. Box 4847, Midland.

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REPRESENTATIVE

MAY 1, DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

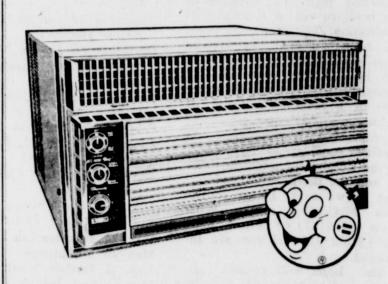
"Two years ago I made a promise in campaigning to be your State Representative that I would look out for the best interes of the 63rd District and keep the voters informed of what was being done in Austin. I will continue to keep that promise if re-elected May 1."

-MIKE EZZELL

Pd. by Mike Ezzell Re-election Committee, Rex Robinson, Chairman

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AND SAYE

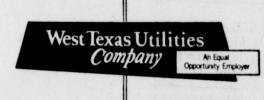


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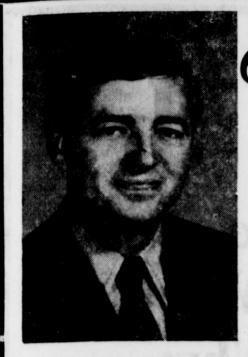
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- 1. Works to keep the voters informed of the issues.
- 2. Makes himself available to the people.
- 3. Has the diverse background of experience needed to represent the people of the 63rd district.
- 4. Currently serves on two of the three busiest legislative committees.
- 5. Endeavors to represent the views of the district in Austin and solicits their opinions and advice.
- 6. Has been a full time representative of the people.

MIKE EZZELL IS WORKING FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE 63rd DISTRICT

#### Reelect MIKE EZZELL May 1st Democratic Primary

Pd. by Mike Ezzell Re-election Com. Rex Robinson, chrm.

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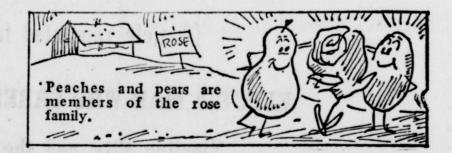
### Fish Fry

Sponsored by the Sterling Lions Club

May 7, 1976

6 p.m. 'till in School Lunchroom FISH, SLAW, HUSHPUPPIES COFFEE OR TEA

\$2.50 PER PLATE



#### **Insur-Mation**

By Thurston McCutchen

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ALPHABET SOUP- It's not enough everyone else has has been cramming alphabet titles down our throats, now the insurance industry comes along with IRA, HR-v0, etc. What's it all about?

Okay. Let's forget the alphabet. 82% of the adult population in the United States is now at work. Most work because of necessity and most, when they quit work, need and want retirement income a result of their past efforts. Unfortunately, a high percentage of this work force either change jobs before becoming eligible for retirement or work where there is not retirment plan. On September 1, 1974 the President signed into law a portable retirement plan, making it possible to have a retirement income even if you change jobs frequentily or work where there is no retirement plan. Portable retirement plans that work for the earning individual is what the alphabet ..... IRA (Individual Retirement Account) and HR-10 (Keogh) are all about. Learning your ABC's planning for the fuVOGEL PREACHES HENRY ZETTLER'S FUNERAL

The Rev. Traugott Vogel, the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Sterling City, officiated at the funeral service for Henry Zettler in Hamilton last Saturday. Rev. Vogel was a family friend. He and his wife and two sons, Emmanuel and Michael attended the services.

Over twenty persons from Sterling City were in attendance for the services.

GOLF TOURNAMENT HERE SATURDAY

It was announced this week that there would be an ABC Golf Tournament on the local golf course. Play is scheduled to begin at 12:30 and everyone is welcome to enter. Tournaments are held every other Saturday by the Sterling Bolf Association.

TOASTMASTERS

Another meeting of those men interested in forming a Toastmasters Club will be held Tuesday, May 11. Those of you who are interested-circle this date on your calendar. More information about this meeting will be announced later.

#### 4-H Club Column

Ten Sterling County 4-H Club members have completed a project called Exploring 4-H, according to Mrs. Jean Holland, County Extension Agent at large. This 4-H project group met 6 times to complete lessons on 6 different subjects. The purpose of this project was to acquaint youngsters with the wide variety of projects available through 4-H. Girls completing the project are as follows:

Jerri Greenfield, Pearl Garcia, Virginia Mirales, Lesa Delgado, Johanna Vogel, Deane Bautista, Letzia Zapata, Lynn Medina, Kim and Kyla Davis.

Project group leaders are Mrs. Jim Davis (Kay) and Mrs. Mackey McEntire (Kathy.)

Certificates of completion were presented to the girls at a party on April 22.

HOSPITAL AND NURSING

HOME NOTES

An Easter Egg hunt was held at the hospital-nursing home on Easter Sunday. Prizes were donated by the Noratadata and Epsilon Zeta Clubs.

Also the Epsilon Zeta Club has donated a rose hedge for the hospital, down by the highway side. of the building.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and apreciation to everyone who extended comforting sympathy in our recent sorrow. Our gratitude is indeed great to those who sent the lovely flowers, food, cards and every kind expression of thoughtfulness.

May God bless each of you. Mrs. Ruby Zettler and the family of Henry Zettler.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Robert Allen of California visited the Bob Allens here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Compton of El Paso visited Mrs. Compton's sister, Mrs. Claude Collins, here last week.

VOTE FOR OUTSTANDING CITIZEN OF STERLING

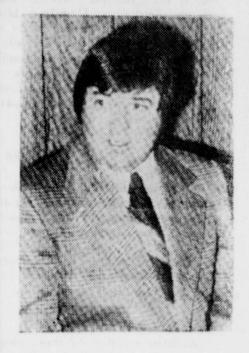
The Lions Club is again giving an outstanding citizen award to a Sterling resident this year.

The club wants all people in Sterling to help pick the deserving citizen (man or woman) and if you will use the ballot below and mail in to the Lions Club of Sterling City, votes will be counted in time for such a presentation of the plaque at a Lions Ladies Night Banquet.

I vote	for	Sterling	County's
Outsta	nding	Citizen:	

Voter's signature

Last year the winner was Dr. Wm. J. Swann.



### Bill Atwood, Jr.

# The People's Choice I Sincerely Want Your Vote Here Are the Reasons Why:

- -I will work to get better telephone service.
- —I have written 5 different brochures for the people of District 63.
- —Have discussed on several occasions the problems facing our Highway Department personnel and have got proposals to be made in the next legislative session to help Texans continue driving on good highways.
- —Agriculture is the backbone of your economy. I have ranching interests and will work for improvements in ranching.
- —I believe I can get legislation passed that will lower our utility costs.
- —Will work for a program to bring water into West Texas for our farm and ranch land.

- —Will work for constructive legislation today for the benefit of our children tomorrow.
- —I will work at the state level with U.S. Representative Bob Krueger on de-regulation of gas.
- —I will again work at the state level to get passage of the Curtis-Burleson Bill. This will raise exemptions from \$60,000 to \$200,000 on inheritance tax.
- —YES, I will do more for the citizens of Sterling County than just visit a couple of times in a two year period, and send papers to county libraries. This is not good representation.
- —I will do you the same good job at the state level as Bob Krueger has done for you at federal level.
- —I want to thank the citizens of Sterling County for their warm welcomes.

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#### FURNITURE

The term 'furniture' first came into use around the legislature to describe members who, by virtue of their ineffectualness or stupidity, were indistinguishable from their desks, chairs, and inkwells. It is now used, casually and more generally, to identify the most inconsequential members.

The Furniture List for the 64th Legislature:

#### HOUSE

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Tony Dramberger San Antonio Michael Ezzell Snyder Tony Garcia Pharr Forrest Green Corsicana Don Henderson Houston Joe Hernandez San Antonio Sam Hudson Dallas Elmer Martin Colorado City Ed Mayes Granbury Robert O'Kelley El Paso Tony Polumbo Houston Don Rains San Marcos David Stubbeman Abilene Por Isabel Ruben Torres Kenenth Vaughan Garland

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(Article reprinted from Texas Monthly)

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PLEASE ELECT BILL ATWOOD, JR.

Your State Representative on May 1st

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#### STERLING CITY NEWS---RECORD

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Phone in your personal items of news—your visits, your visitors, your parties, etc. News-Record, 378-3251.

#### NOTICE-

COST OF ENGRAVINGS -Due to the high cost of cuts or engravings of pictures, we are now forced to charge for all society type pictures run in the paper. The costs have always been an item to be considered, but now the cost makes a charge necessary. Cuts or engravings run from \$2.75 for a one column cut to around \$6 for a two column cut. This is actual cost and will be charged for from now on.

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#### Democratic Political Announcements 1976

The following announce their candidacy in the Democratic Primary May 1, 1976:

For County Attorney, HOWARD V. CUDD WORTH B. DURHAM For Sheriff, Tax Collector and

Assessor:
F. J. (Jim) CANTRELL
For County Commissioner Prc. 1
CLEDIS W. SMITH

For County Commissioner Prc. 3
BILLY R. BYNUM

For State Legislature, 63rd District: MICHAFI. H. EZZELL

BILL ATWOOD JR.

For District Attorney, 5st Judicial District: F. W. FERRELL GERALD A. FOHN

LEGAL NOTICE ORDER RE: LAND VALUES FOR TAXATION

The Commissioners' Court of Sterling County Texas, in special session on this 15th day of March A.D. 1976, in order to achieve a more equitable tax valuation base and remove the great variation in existing valutions for the agricultural lands of Sterling County, it was moved by Commissioner C.W. Smith and seconded by Commissioner Billy R. Bynum, and unanimously adopted by the Court that, effective for the tax year 1976, no agricultural acreage land shall be assessed at a value less than \$7.50 per acre, and that all other agricultural acreage lands having an assessed value of \$7.50 per acre or more, shall remain at their present assessed value.

Sterling County
Sterling City, Texas
This 15th day of March, A.D.
1976.

#### CERTIFICATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF STERLING

I, W. W. Durham Clerk of the County Court in and for Sterling County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of 'ORDER RE; LAND VALUE FOR TAXATION' as passed by the Commissioner's Court of Sterling County, Texas, in special session on March 15, 1976, and is recorded in Vol. 10, Page 192 of the Commissioners' Court Minutes of Sterling County.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE, this the 29th day of March A. D.

W. W. DURHAM
W.W. Durham, Clerk,
County Court, in and
for Sterling County, Texas
By Sandra Peel, deputy.

RODENT CONTROL SPECIALIST AVAILABLE

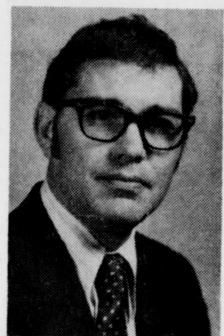
Serling County is one of 19 area counties selected to be serviced by an urban Rodent Control Specialist, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and Texas A&M University cooperating.

Larry J. Killgo, a native of Snyder, will be stationed in the County Extension Office in Abilene. He is the son of C. J. Killgo of Snyder and has a B. S. degree in Wildlife Management from Texas Tech University.

He will give talks, demonstrations and help where needed on rodent control—like mice, rats, and even sparrows, starlings, skunks, armadillos and racoons.

He can be contacted through the local County Extension Office or by writing him Care of County Extension Office, County Courthouse, Abilene, Tex., 79602 or phone 673-0331.

The Texas Department of Public Safety is offering immediate career employment to qualified young men. Contact your nearest DPS office or patrolmen for more information.



WE NEED TO KEEP-

### Gerald Fohn

BECAUSE:

- --- The only issue in the District Attorney's race is the EFFECTIVE prosecution of FELONY cases.
- —In only 6 months since Governor Briscoe appointed him, GERALD FOHN has earned 41 felony convictions—that is 25% of ALL the felony convictions for BOTH District Courts for the past 3 years.
- —Additionally, only GERALD FOHN has the valuable experience of working with Sterling County Grand Juries and law enforcement personnel to serve our area's needs.

THAT'S AGGRESSIVE, CAPABLE LAW ENFORCEMENT LEADERSHIP.

That's why Governor Briscoe chose GERALD FOHN over a field of applicants INCLUDING HIS OPPONENT.

On Saturday, May 1st, vote to continue the work Gerald Fohn has begun—

**KEEP** 

## Gerald Fohn Our 51st District Attorney

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AROUND THE COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR.

COUNTY AGENT

Twenty-one Sterling County 4-H Club members will be competing in the District 7 2-4 Elimination Contests in San Angelo Saturday. All of the contests with the exception of the rifle contest will be held at Angelo State University with the majority being held in the Science Building. The rifle contest will be held at the San Angelo Gun Club on the Knickerbocker road.

There are two senior divisions entries from Sterling. Senior club members are those who had reached their fourtenth birthday

before January 1 of this year. First and second place winners in the senior division have the opportunity to compete in the State 4-H Contests at Texas A&M University on June1-2-3.

Seniors in the Electric Demonstration Team contest are Lenard Horwood and Alan Phillips. Their coach is Mrs. S.K. Horwood.

Senior entry in the Swine, Sheep or Goat Demonstration Contest is Amy Hodges. She is being coached by Mrs. Clinton

Junior contestants do not participate in the State 4-H Contests. The disrict contest gives them experience in preparaion for their entry in the senior division.

Cynthiajean and Margaretann Schovajsa are competing in the Clothing Educational Activity Demonstration contest. They are being coached by Mrs. Calvin Schovajsa.

Junior Range Judging team members are Wesley Hodges, Lenard Horwood and Joe Sanchez. Their coach is the county extension agent.

Six boys are practicing their rifle marksmanship under the coaching of Mrs. Marvin Foster and Bill Watts. Four members of the team will be selected in an elimination contest later this week. The six sharpening their shooting are Loren Cantrell, Jim Copeland, Carey Foster, Craig Foster, John Foster and Reed Stewart.

Nine members are working on their entertainment talents for the Share the Fun Contest under the direction of Mrs. Charlie Davis and her heleprs. The nine are Greg Davis, Sherri Drennan, Sheri Foster, June Humble, Vickie Lawson, Brandon Miller, Deborah Miller. Donna Moore and Audrey Thompson.

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Last week in reporting the results of the District Horse Judging Contest in Abilene, we omitted the name of Melvin Foster who was fitfh high individual in the Open Division. Some thirty coaches, extra members of county teams, and others took part in the Open Division.

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The number of confirmed screwworm cases by Friday of last week totaled 588 in Texas with another in Arizona. While the location of confirmed cases did not move much nearer Sterling County, a positive case in Concho County north of Eden did mark the northernmost advance of the pests. This one was in a shearing cut. Sutton County joined the list of counties with confirmed cases with a sample from a calf's navel. These cases

in navels are almost guaranteed to be positive.

Dr. M. E. Meadows, director of the Screwworm Eradication Program, was both pessimistic and optimistic in the latest news release from Mission. On the pessimistic side, he says there is no doubt that screwworms are already bad in Texas and are going to get worse.

He is optimistic though about a new strain of flies being released now. The new strain is larger and more vigorous and their performance in the field is promising.

#### THANKS, FOLKS:

Thanks to everyone who came to see me when I was in the hospital. To Dr. Swann for being Dr. Swann, Elton and Mildred for finding out that I am a freak. To Mac and Rachel Benge for being so kind. I love you all.

Thanks again, saw bones, for cutting me off my drinks. Your friend,

GEORGE GARNER

**AN OPEN LETTER** TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 21ST DISTRICT

Two years ago you gave me one of the greatest opportunities for service that could be given to any person-that of representing you and our part of Texas in the U.S. Congress. When I sought this high office I pointed out that I would be only one of 435 Congressmen, and that I could promise no specific legislative accomplishments. I pledged, instead, only my hardest efforts to work in Washington for all the people of this broad District, to have my door open to them, to remember the people who had sent me there, not to forget them. I have tried to do that, and I hope, in the process, to have made some small contribution toward re-establishing the trust of our citizens in this great nation.

In this work, I have sought to keep before me, above all, my responsibility not just to vote for the most comfortable, or the most politically popular policy today, but for the policies that will strengthen the long-range goals of the American people, and make this a better land for the next generation. I am an American, a Texan, and a Democrat, in that order--proud to be all three, but convinced that America should be put above state or party in our

I deeply appreciate the privilege of representing you in considerations. Washington, and hope to be worthy of your support on May 1st so that I can continue to represent you there.

Sincerely,

ROBERT KRUEGER Member of Congress



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