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Eagles Win Third in Tournament

The Sterling City Basketball Tournament was won by Clint, both boys and girls divisions.

The Clint teams were two of the friendliest and well-mannered and best coached basketball teams that have ever been in a tournament here, said local coach Crisp Williams.

In the girls division, Loraine won second place. Sterling third place and Paint Rock consolation. The all-tournament girls were Sandra Rayburn, Wall; Ruth Beach Paint Rock; Debra Brog, Paint Rock; Sanford, Eden; Bingham, Eden; Kim Rich, Sterling; Patti Bynum, Sterling City; Dora Garcia, Loraine; Jackie Rose, Loraine; Brenda Smith, Clint; Lisa Carson Clint; Heidi Ingram of Clint.

The boys division was won by Clint and second by Westbrook. Sterling City was third and consolation winner was Water Valley.

The all-tournament boys were Randy Appleton, Eden; Derek Barnett, Water Valley; Darrell, Andrews, Loraine; Tommy Williams, Loraine; Mike Bowen of Sterling City; Lee Fleming Sterling City; Bobby Matlock, Westbrook; Darrell Riih, Westbrook; Scott Smith, Clint; and Pablo Munoz of Clint.

BASKETBALL NOTES

STERLING WINS THREE FROM MILES

The Sterling B team started the Eagles on their way to 3 straight wins Monday night by downing the Miles B boys 53 to 35. Scoring for the Eagles were Colvert with 16; Thompson 6, Medina 14, Dodds 2, Demere 2, Phillips 6 and Winton with 7.

The B team is now 7-0 for the year.

The Sterling girls then added the second win of the night by beating the Miles girls 40 to 30.

The Sterling guards limited Miles to just 10 points the first half. Made up of Kim Rich, Debra Watson and Patti Bynum did a fine job on Miles. On the other end scoring for Sterling were Gaston 4, Kilpatrick 18, Rich 7, Terry 9, and Greenfield 2. This win brings the Sterling girls record to 7 wins and 8 losses.

The Sterling boys A team rounded out the night for the Eagles by downing Miles by a score of 58 to 53.

Scoring for the Eagles were Bowen 8, Fleming 6, Jones 14, Medina 4, Hoover 10, Currington 2, Dodds 4, Watson 10.

Their record for the year now is 8 wins and 5 losses.

Toastmaster's Club

David Foster, education vice-president, called the regular meeting to order Tuesday morning. Traugott Vogel gave the best table talk of the day. Bill Watts was Toastmaster for the meeting. Reynolds Foster gave the primary speech.

Dan Glass was evaluator and Chesley McDonald acted as over all evaluator. Aven Shipman was wordmaster. Jim Davis acted as topicmaster.

Also present were Darwin Schrader and Albert McGinnes.

Vernon Asbill, son of the Tom Asbills, is an assistant coach of football at Artesia, New Mexico. The Artesia Bulldogs won the New Mexico state championship in football for the third consecutive year when they beat Socorro at Artesia 46 to 7.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Louis Bernal

Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week were;

Mrs. Bertha McCabe
Herbert Henkhaus

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

George Case

Mrs. Lucy Chaney
Mrs. Blanche Copeland
Mrs. Luther Hallmark
Mrs. Lura McClellan
Mrs. Edith Hudson
Mrs. Ida Brown

Mrs. Jim Duke

Jim Duke

Mrs. Lucy Norman

Mrs. J. E. Bynum

Noble Read

Mrs. Minnie Pinson

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Mrs. O M. Cole

Mrs. Mabel Martin

Mrs. Clifford Carpenter

Mrs. Iyer P. Mercer

Mrs. Lena Key

Mrs. Walsie Gibbs

Mrs. Tiny Longshore

Mrs. Nora Dunn

Mrs. Mandy Abernathy

Roy Foster

SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM MENUS

(All Type A lunches served with 1/2 pint milk, bread and butter.)

LUNCHES

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20

Hamburgers
Lettuce
Tomatoes
French Fries

TUESDAY DECEMBER 21

Cheese Enchiladas
Pinto Beans
Cole Slaw
Cookies

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22

Sandwiches
Lettuce
Tomatoes
Potato Chips
Brownies

BREAKFASTS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 20

Scrambled Eggs
Biscuits
Orange Juice

TUESDAY DECEMBER 21

Pancakes
Pears

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22

Cereal
Peaches

Noratadata Club

The Noratadata Club held its Christmas party Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winn McClure. Mrs. J.I. Cope and Mrs. McClure were hosts to the members and their husbands.

A Mexican supper was served to Messrs. and Mmes. Dayton Barrett, Jim Davis, Worth B. Durham, Reynolds Foster, Ross Foster Dean Johnson, Foster S. Price, Bill Watts, and Hubert Williams and gusets Mr. and Mrs. Jim McClure of California.

Prizes went to Mrs. Worth B. Durham, Jim Davis, Dean Johnson, Foster S. Price, Mrs. Hubert Williams and Mrs. Jim McClure.

JOYCE CRADDICK'S FATHER DIES IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Raymnd Craddick of the City Cafe here, and her husband left for Lubbock Tuesday afternoon late, because of the sudden death of her father.

The Craddicks had just last weekend attended funeral services for a brother-in-law of Raymond's, closed their cafe again for a death in the family.

REV. VOGEL HAS BOOK OUT IN PRINT

"Under the SS Shadow"

The Rev. Traugott Vogel, the pastor of the First Baptist Church here and lately from Germany, has a book now in print, called UNDER THE SS SHADOW. It has been published by the Broadman Press and will go on sale at bookstores on January 2.

In conjunction with Shirley Stephens, the book is a hardback and is now being distributed to bookstores over the nation for stocking.

There will be an autograph sale party at the Bible Book Store in San Angelo early in January. Also others follow in Dallas and Nashville, and even others.

The book is the story of the Rev. Vogel's life in Germany, a former Hitler Youth, an SS Major's son, runs for his life in wartorn Europe...sees his father shot down by guerrillas...rebuilds his life from the ruins...and leaves the mark of the SS for another symbol.

There are 27 illustrated photographs in the book.

Following the fall of Germany and the killing of his father by guerrillas, the 15-year-old boy went on to make a life for himself and is now in America as an immigrant with his family, a wife, two sons and two daughters, Emanuel, Michael, Dolores and Johanna.

Pasture Management Pays

PUT LOW COST POUNDS ON STEERS

The deflated cattle market situation these days is forcing many ranchers in the Sterling County area to consider overwintering steers in hopes of a market recovery next spring. These additional livestock numbers will put considerable pressure on native forage despite the excellent growing season we've experienced this year.

Supplemental protein feed will take a big bite of the hoped-for profits unless a healthy reserve of high protein green forage is maintained on the ground.

Winter groceries such as Texas wintergrass, Canada wildrye, Rescuegrass, Filaree and Tallow weed are the primary plants that cattle will be looking for. These plants are green during the winter months and high in protein and Vitamin A. Dormant warm season plants that retain some protein through curing such as Vine mesquite and Sideoats are next in preference followed by less desirable plants like Threeawns and Bitterweed. Problems with poisonous plants often develop when livestock try to satisfy their need for Vitamin A and protein by grazing Bitterweed, Broom snakeweed, Thread leaf groundsel, and Sacahuista.

How do we reduce the losses to poisonous plants and increase winter feed reserves?

Winter forage plants have the same needs for growth as summer feed. They must have enough leaf surface area to convert sunlight, water, and nitrogen into stored food for reproduction and energy to start growth next year. If the leaves are continuously removed the plant gets weaker because it can't manufacture food to grow. It literally starves to death.

A periodic rest from grazing and some fair weather to regrow the lost leaves and store some food for the next grazing period will stretch the value of each one of the forage plants in a pasture for many years.

It is particularly nice to have

Bank Declares 30% Dividend

The directors of The First National Bank of Sterling City met Tuesday and declared a 30% dividend on the shares owned by stockholders. There are 2,000 shares of stock outstanding with par value of \$100 each.

The bank also declared a bonus of 20% of salary to employees, said H. L. Hildebrand, president.

The directors also voted to split the stock shares 10 for 1. This would mean 20,000 shares of stock rather than the 2,000 now outstanding. Par value of the new shares would be \$10 instead of the present \$100.00.

President of the bank is Mr. Hildebrand. Worth Durham is vice-president and D. Kirk Hopkins is executive vice-president and cashier. Hank Watson is a vice-president and Mary Helen Reed and Bill Watts are assistant cashiers.

Directors are Flavy E. Davis, Worth B. Durham, Clyde Ross Foster, Royal T. Foster, Jr., H. L. Hildebrand, D. Kirk Hopkins and Roland Lowe.

MEMORIALS AID IN CANCER FIGHT

When Cancer causes the death of someone close, the loss is painful. The local chapter of the American Cancer Society says, however that many Sterling City persons are turning these losses into victories by making memorial gifts in memory of loved ones.

These donations are called living memorials, according to Bill Brooks, memorial chairman of ACS, who said the memorial gifts received by the local unit are made, not only as remembrances of those who have died from cancer, but frequently honor happier events such as birthdays and anniversaries.

Each memorial gift is acknowledged with an appropriate card, naming the person in whose memory or memory the gift is made. This card is sent to the person designated by the honor, but it does not state the amount of the contribution. In turn, the donor receives an official receipt for his donation.

These memorial funds are used to support the society's three-fold attack on cancer—research, education and service to cancer patients.

The process of making a memorial gift is simple. According to Mr. Brooks, special envelopes are available from him and may be obtained by phoning 378-2301.

Those so desiring may send a memorial directly to the American Cancer Society in care of Mr. Bill Brooks, P.O. Box 697, Sterling City, Texas 76951.

GARAGE SALE — All day Friday, across street from Viola Gaston's Beauty Shop. Ladies western pants and tops, coats, dresses, evening dresses, white uniforms, shoes, miscellaneous.

WANT TO BUY—3 to 5 acres on one of the highways just outside city limits. Contact Don Pierce as Sweetwater Pump and Supply, 378-3301 or 378-3311.

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a fresh ungrazed pasture to move into around the middle of January when cattle need some green feed the most.

The extra half a day it may take to shuffle some livestock around when you have them up to work anyway will pay off many times when those cattle go through the auction ring.

If we can help you in figuring out a deferrment program tailored to your operation; contact the local Soil Conservation Service.

PTA Musical Program Monday

The December P.T.A. program will be held in the school auditorium at 2 p.m. The program will be a musical one put on by elementary students under direction of Mrs. Mildred Mitchell, music teacher. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

School will let out for the holidays on Wednesday at 2 p.m. said principal Bobby Dodds this week. Classes will resume on Monday, January 3.

Historical Marker for Sterling County

An official Texas Historical Marker for Sterling County will be erected on January 12, 1977, it was announced by Dan Glass, chairman of the Sterling County Historical Commission.

The marker will be placed on the Courthouse Square in Sterling City. The plan now is to have the marker erected on the date (Jan. 12) at 11 a.m. that day.

Made of cast aluminum with Swedish steel effect, the marker measures 27 by 42 inches and is sponsored by Sterling County Commissioners Court. The inscription on the marker reads:

STERLING COUNTY

This prairie region split by the North Concho River is old Comanche, Kickapoo, Kiowa, Lipan, and Wichita hunting ground. Possibly it was crossed by six or so Spanish Explorations between 1540 and 1654. In the 1860s and 70s, Anglo-Americans hunted buffalo commercially in this area. An 1860s hunter, Capt. W.S. Sterling, had a dugout home on the creek that bears his name. In the 1870s bandits Frank and Jesse James kept horses on a tributary of Sterling Creek. In 1874 the United States Army occupied Camp Elizabeth, a Fort Concho outpost hospital, about ten miles west of here. Ranchers from other counties began to bring in large cattle herds in the 1870s, to capitalize on free grass. After keeping out small herds for a time, they permitted actual settlers to share the range. Family men staked land claims, grew crops in the valleys, and opened stores, schools and post offices. On March 4, 1891, on the petition of 150 citizens, the county was created out of part of Tom Green County, and named for its first regular resident. Sterling City became the county seat.

Petroleum production has been important to the economy since the 1950s; yet the land essentially remains range country, grazed by cattle and sheep.

The marking of local historic sites and landmarks is part of the Texas Historical Commissions program of preservation activities. These include archeological investigations, history museum consultation, and administering the National Historic Preservation Act in Texas. As of 1975 the Historical Commission had erected more than 7,200 official markers.

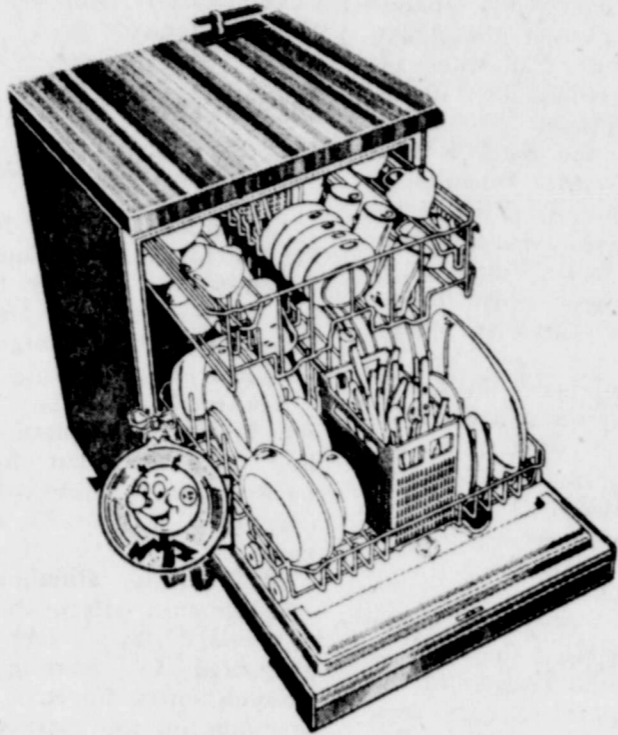
SON TO THE JOE SANCHEZES

A son, named Joe Sanchez Jr. was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sanchez on Dec. 1. The baby was born in the Shannon Hospital and weighed eight pounds and five ounces.

The Sanchezes have three other children, Diana, Catherine and Vivian.

The Raymond Craddicks attended funeral services for Raymond's brother-in-law in Lubbock last week. The man had fallen out of a pecan tree and was critically injured about a week earlier.

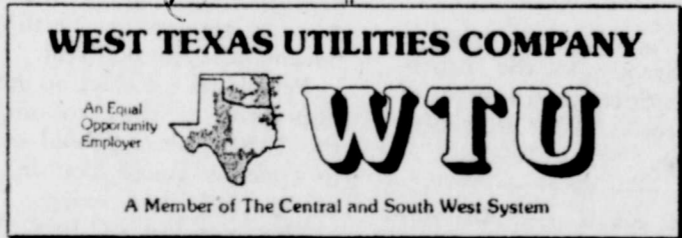
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STERLING COUNTY

Social Security

Social Security benefits were being paid to residents of Sterling County at a rate of \$30,913 a month at the start of 1976, Frank Upp, social security manager in San Angelo, said.

Of the 194 social security beneficiaries living in Sterling County, 104 are retired workers and 7 are disabled workers. Another 83 are receiving benefits as the dependents of workers who are retired, disabled, or deceased.

In Sterling County, 47 people under age 65 and 147 people age 65 and over are receiving monthly social security benefits. Of total beneficiaries 74 are men, 93 are women, and 27 are children. The children receive payments because a working father or mother has died or is getting social security disability or retirement benefits.

History Book Information

The Sterling County Historical Commission has been notified that the Sterling County History book, MILLING AROUND STERLING COUNTY, will not arrive from the publisher in November as had been announced. The books will arrive in March.

MILLING AROUND STERLING COUNTY has 400 pages and 424 pictures. Photos of Sterling County, and many other interesting photographs, maps, and drawings are included.

Gift certificates for \$15.75 plus \$1.00 for mailing) can be purchased from Mrs. L.C. McDonald, Mrs. Danny Stewart or Dan Glass. Checks should be made payable to STERLING COUNTY BI-CENTENNIAL FUND.

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Social Services Schedule

Beginning October 13 a variety of social service agencies will implement a common service schedule in Sterling County.

Effective that date, representatives of the following agencies will begin a schedule of being in Sterling County the 2nd Wednesday of every month:

- Social Security
- Department of Public Welfare
- Food Stamps
- Department of Public Welfare
- Adult Social Services
- Department of Public Welfare
- Child Social Services
- Department of Public Welfare
- Financial Services
- Department of Public Welfare
- Medical Services
- Texas Rehabilitation Commission.

The Social Security representative will be located at the County Courthouse Library.

The Department of Public Welfare Food Stamps representative will be located in the County Commissioner Courtroom.

LEGAL NOTICE

The Texas Department of Health Resources has established, in accordance with the Federal Public Health 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 of 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 St., 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 compliance guidelines of the Federal regulation.

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Sterling City

1976-1977 S.H.S. Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place	Time
Nov. 2	Loraine	T Girls	6:30
Nov. 9	Loraine	H Girls	6:30
Nov. 16	Mertzton	T Boys, A&B, Girls	5:00
Nov. 19	Paint Rock	T Boys A, Girls	6:00
Nov. 23	Mertzton	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Nov. 29	Miles	T Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Nov. 30	Paint Rock	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Dec. 2, 3, 4	Forsan Tour.	Boys and Girls	
Dec. 7	Christoval	T Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Dec. 9, 10, 11	Sterling Tour.	H Boys and Girls	
Dec. 13	Miles	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Dec. 14	Eden	T Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Dec. 16, 17, 18	Robert Lee Tour.	Boys and Girls	
Dec. 21	Eden	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Jan. 4	Christoval	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Jan. 7	Forsan	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Jan. 11	Water Valley	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Jan. 14	Grady	T Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Jan. 18	Greenwood	T Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Jan. 21	Garden City	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Jan. 25	Forsan	T Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Jan. 28	Water Valley	T Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Feb. 1	Grady	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Feb. 4	Greenwood	H Boys A&B, Girls	5:00
Feb. 8	Garden City	T Boys A&B, Girls	5:00

(District Games Start on January 7 with Forsan Here at 5:00)

Insur-Mation

By Waldon Millican

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SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS

Social Security will be sending its representative to Sterling City on the second Wednesday of the month, starting in October—same time, same place. Only the day has been changed.

THAT'S A FACT

WEIGHTY MATTER

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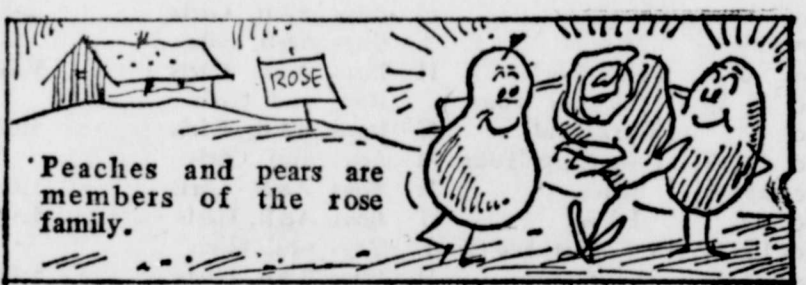
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Behind the 8-Ball



By the editor.

As Orrie Deal used to say—Tempus is fugiting. Time is moving on or passing.

Early next year I will begin my 33rd year here. Uncle Bill Kellis sold out the paper to me and moved to Arizona with his son Pat, and family.

The town has grown smaller through the years. So has the county. In population, that is.

Land has not shrunk or gotten smaller. Only people.

Businesses have dropped off—and even out of sight. The Santa Fe has pulled out. the Palace Theatre is no more, the Chevrolet, Ford, Mercury, Pontiac—and all car agencies folded, the mens store is gone, the dry cleaning place is no more, the pool hall dropped out, the Gulf distributorship is no more, and of course lately, the highway engineers folded.

And others that skip my memory, like the hotel, the frozen locker plant, the lumber yard, and others.

Course, some have been added and some changed hands. The school got a new building the hospital and nursing home have added immeasurably to Sterling, the oil and gas production has picked up immensely and added lots of related businesses, Two and 1 new one) gas plants have been built, and things picked up in that line.

Sterling has added a water system, a natural gas system, and the streets were paved and are kept up. The Horace Bateses renovated the hotel building and many things would look different to a person returning here after a 25 or 30 year absence.

The Church of Christ and the Presbyterian Churches are new, the Methodists are talking of a new building, some beautiful homes have been built, the Mexican Baptists have a new building, as well as the Catholics, highway 87 is divided all the way to San Angelo, the highways to Robert Lee, Colorado City and to Barnhart are well paved and there are many good things that have happened through the three decades.

The old timers most responsible for the early day Sterling have gone on. You'll have to buy a History of Sterling County—Called MILLING AROUND STERLING COUNTY to see and read about the early day Sterling people. It will come out from the publishers in February or March. Reserbe your copy—now from Dan Glass or Cecile McDonald. Once the thousand copies are sold, there won't be any more. Too much work and stuff involved. Along with responsibility and worry about details. Order yours now!

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From June through September, you can ride the Veteran Railway every Sunday from legendary Elsinore (site of Hamlet's castle) to the resort of Gilleleje, and there's a parade every Friday by the Elsinore Girl Guards.

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