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**Doctor To Be Here  
Two Days A Week**

Dr. Eva DeHemsi has announced plans to open the Silverton Clinic Saturday afternoons, from 1:00 until 5:00 p.m., in addition to her regular Thursday schedule.

Dr. DeHemsi is at the clinic from 2:00 until 6:00 p.m. on Thursdays.

**AVAILABLE AT NEWS OFFICE  
HOMECOMING SUPPLIES STILL**

Letters, envelopes and the address list of the Silverton Ex-Student Association are now available at the office of the Briscoe County News, and may be picked up by the various class representatives who have been asked to contact those in their class before the homecoming on Saturday, November 30.

The reunion of ex-students will be held in the school auditorium, with registration beginning at 1:00 p.m. A Hospitality Committee will be on hand to greet those attending.

The program starts at 3:00 p.m., to be followed by a dinner in the school lunchroom at about 5:00 p.m.

the above-named people as well as to those who came to eat.

JUST ARRIVED!  
Large Size  
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CHESTER STRICKLAND

**To Retire After 41  
Years Of Service**

Chester Strickland, Superintendent of the Denton Public Schools for the past 22 years, has announced that he will retire on June 30, 1969, after 41 years of service in the public schools of Texas.

Strickland started his teaching career in this area, teaching in Silverton in 1929 and 1930.

With health and circumstances permitting, Mr. Strickland now is looking forward to traveling and

**Pancake Supper Is  
Well Attended**

The Pancake Supper sponsored by Century of Progress Study Club Tuesday night was well attended, and the organization takes this opportunity to express appreciation to all who helped make it a success.

The main purposes of the supper were to help get out the vote and to earn some extra money for the club's community projects. Apparently both aims were achieved with an additional benefit—that of providing a time of community fun and fellowship.

Special thanks go to Agnes Bingham, who made the City Cafe available to the study club, and to Mayor Jimmie House who cooked the pancakes. Clubwomen's husbands who assisted with the kitchen detail were Jack Strange, Jack Robertson, Pat Northcutt, Flute Hutsell and Wayne McMurry.

The organization is grateful to spending more time in church and community activities.

Superintendent Strickland recently was permanently memorialized when the beautiful new Chester O. Strickland Junior High was named for him. Dedication of the new building was held November 3.

**Shop in your home community**



**Community confidence  
is a form of insurance**

Friendliness in our community is a matter of local pride. Pride quickly translates into community confidence. And confidence means security.

Half of the people in big cities are afraid to go out after dark. They live in a jungle of concrete, billboards and bandits.

At home you come and go as you please. Both young and old wave and say "hello".

Money spent at home means increased community prosperity, confidence and security. It's the best insurance you can buy.

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SILVERTON, TEXAS

**CARNIVAL  
of 1968**  
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**MARGARINE** Shurfresh 1 Lb. **6 FOR \$1**

SHURFINE **COFFEE** VP REGULAR DRIP 1 POUND **59**

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**PRODUCE**

**CABBAGE** Texas Lb. **7c**

**CELERY HEARTS** Calif. **29c**

**SWT. POTATOES** Lb. **13c**

Shurfresh **CRACKERS** 1 lb. **19c**

Shurfine Pineapple **JUICE** 46 oz. **4 FOR \$1**

Shurfine **PINEAPPLE** Crushed No. 2 **3 FOR 89c**

Shurfine **SALAD DRESSING** 32 oz. **39c**

Shurfresh **FLOUR** Paper Bag 10 lbs. **79c**

**MEATS**

**STEAK** CLUB 1 Lb. **85c**

**BACON** Shurfresh 1 Lb. **57c**

**PORK CHOPS** Lb. **59c**

Shurfine **CHEESE** Sl. Am-Pim. 12 oz. **59c**

SHURFINE **ASPARAGUS** Gr. cut 300 **35c**

SOFLIN ASST'D COL. 2 PLY **Bath Tissue** ass'd col. 2ply **79c**

SHURFINE **CATSUP** 14 Ounce **55c**

SHURFINE **CORN** Golden CS-WK 303 **65c**

ROXEY **DOG FOOD** No. 1 **125c**

SHURFINE **FLOUR** Print Bag 25 lbs. **\$1**

SHURFINE **GRAPE JELLY** 18 oz. **35c**

SHURFINE FANCY **Tomato Juice** 46 oz. **389c**

SHURFINE **MILK** Evaporated Tall Can **65c**

SOFLIN WHT. ASST'D CELLO WRAP **NAPKINS** 200 ct. **259c**

SHURFINE **OIL** Vegetable 24 oz. **289c**

SHURFINE **PANCAKE MIX** 2 lbs. **35c**

SHURFINE **PEACHES** Sli.-Hlvs. Y.C. 2 1/2 **45c**

SHURFINE CREAMY **Peanut Butter** 12 oz. **35c**

SHURFINE **PEAS** Early Harvest 303 **55c**

SHURFINE **PUMPKIN** 300 size **75c**

SHURFINE **SHORTENING** 3 lbs. **59c**

SHURFINE **SPINACH** 303 can **75c**

SHURFINE **Waffle Syrup** 32 oz. **279c**

SHURFINE PEELLED **TOMATOES** Whl. 303 **55c**

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SILVERTON, TEXAS





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 a goat display.  
 Golden punch, pastries, mints  
 nuts were served by Misses  
 Montague, Barbara May and  
 Montague. The centerpiece  
 an arrangement of bronze  
 and gold daisies from which  
 gold streamers embossed  
 "Becky" and "Carl" in a  
 and crystal footed vase.  
 Members of the houseparty who  
 Mrs. Burson as hostesses  
 Mrs. C. L. McWilliams, Mrs.  
 Caraway, Mrs. Pete Chitty,  
 Allena May, Mrs. Bill Self,  
 Johnnie Lanham, Mrs. Jo  
 Anderson, Mrs. Charles  
 Mrs. Marvin Montague,  
 Mrs. Roy Montague. Also ser-  
 as hostesses for the shower  
 Mrs. Doyle Stephens, Mrs.  
 Hill, Mrs. Shafe Weaver,  
 Roy S. Brown, Mrs. W. E.  
 jr., Mrs. Fred Brannon and  
 L. D. Griffin. The hostess  
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 of her pottery.  
 Special guests at the shower  
 Mrs. E. E. Woods, Mrs. Duke  
 Mrs. J. C. Hamilton and  
 Preston Woods, all of Quita-  
 grandmother and aunts of  
 prospective bridegroom, and

**Miss Thomas Honored At Bridal Shower**

At the home of Mrs. Tony Burson was the scene of a miscellaneous bridal shower honoring Miss Elizabeth Janette (Becky) Thomas, bride-elect of Carl Wayne Woods, 3:00 until 5:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, November 2.

Receiving guests were Miss Thomas and her mother, Mrs. Tony Thomas, jr., and Mrs. Carl Woods of Quitaque, mother of the prospective bridegroom. Each wore a corsage of gold daisies, which carried out the bride-elect's colors of gold and bronze.

Golden punch, pastries, mints and nuts were served by Misses Barbara May and Montague. The centerpiece was an arrangement of bronze and gold daisies from which gold streamers embossed "Becky" and "Carl" in a gold and crystal footed vase.

Members of the houseparty who acted as hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Doyle Stephens, Mrs. Richard Hill, Mrs. Shafe Weaver, Mrs. Roy S. Brown, Mrs. W. E. Brannon, jr., Mrs. Fred Brannon and Mrs. L. D. Griffin. The hostess to the honoree was four place setting of her pottery.

Special guests at the shower were Mrs. E. E. Woods, Mrs. Duke Woods, Mrs. J. C. Hamilton and Mrs. Preston Woods, all of Quitaque; grandmother and aunts of the prospective bridegroom, and

**Engagement Announced**



RUBY IONE PITCHFORD

Mrs. Mart Norris announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Ruby Ione Pitchford, to Mr. Kenneth Earl Hutson of Clarendon.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hutson of Clarendon.

Mrs. Pitchford graduated from Silvertown High School last May, and is a student at Clarendon Junior College. Mr. Hutson attended Clarendon schools.

A December 6 wedding is being planned.

Mrs. Bertha Pavlicek, aunt of the bride-elect.

Other guests from out of town were Velda Sue Woods of Quitaque; Mrs. W. D. Inglis, Marcia and Marta of Tulia.

**VETERANS' INCOME QUESTIONNAIRES DUE EARLIER THIS YEAR**

For nearly two million totally disabled veterans and veterans' dependents on the Veterans Administration's pension rolls, the end-of-year annual income questionnaire from VA will come a month early this year.

Instead of being enclosed with the pension checks which will go out around December 1, the check-sized income report cards will be sent with the pension payment mailed about November 1, according to Jack Coker, manager of the VA Regional Office in Waco.

The deadline for returning the questionnaire to VA has also been moved up from January 31, to January 15.

VA is mailing the income questionnaire a month early to insure that the pension checks it will send out at the end of January reflect the new pension rates and income limits that go into effect the first of the year, Coker said.

The amount of each pensioner's check under the new pension system that starts on January 1, will be based upon the estimated income in 1969 reported by the pensioner on the VA income questionnaire. Without the returned questionnaire containing the estimate of income for next year, VA, by law, cannot pay a beneficiary a pension.

Beginning January 1, 1969, the annual income limitations governing the entitlement to VA pensions and dependency benefits will be raised \$200. Further, the present income levels, with three graduations, used in determining the amount of benefits a recipient may be paid, will be restructured to provide a range of 13 to 23 income levels graduated in \$100 increments, the VA manager pointed out.

As a result of these changes, more than 1.1 million pensioners will receive approximately \$120 million in increased pension next year, he estimated.

**CREATIVE LOAFING**

Down under the conscious mind is the subconscious mind . . . It is the mental fireless cooker where our ideas simmer and develop, while we are loafing. Newton was loafing under an apple tree when he saw an apple fall and got the gravitation idea. While loafing and finding peace for his soul, Galileo watched the great swinging lamp. It gave him the idea of a pendulum swinging to and fro as a means of measuring the passage of time. Watt was loafing in the kitchen when he noticed the steam lifting the top of the teakettle and conceived the idea of a steam engine . . . Many times we will get more ideas and better ideas in two hours of creative loafing than in eight hours at a desk.

VA pensions are payable to war veterans with limited incomes and total non-service-connected disabilities and to widows and other dependents of war veterans who meet established income limitations.

Approximately 575,000 pensioners continue to receive VA benefits under an "old law" in effect prior to July 1, 1960, when the "new law" covering nearly 1.4 million beneficiaries was enacted. However, because it may now be to their advantage to come under the new law, these old law pensioners will be given another opportunity between February 1, and May 1, next year to change over, Coker said.

If they elect to change before May 1, any additional benefits due them under the new law will be paid retroactive to January 1, 1969.

Information explaining the benefits of the new law together with a sign up card will be mailed to them at the end of January. Meantime, VA will send a notice with the pension check and income questionnaire mailed about November 1, advising them in advance of the upcoming conversion opportunity.

**THOUGHT FOR TODAY**

Fix your eyes upon the greatness of your country and, when you are impressed by the greatness of her glory, reflect that it has been acquired by men who knew their duty and had the courage to do it.

Any man worth his salt will stick up for what he believes is right, but it takes a slightly bigger man to acknowledge instantly and without reservation that he is in error.

Three kinds of people. Rowboat people need to be pushed or shoved along. Sailboat people move when a favorable wind is blowing. Steamboat people move continuously, through calm or storm. They are usually masters of themselves, their surroundings, and their fate.

**THREE KINDS OF PEOPLE**

A wise man of the Orient once said: "There are three kinds of people in all types of organizations—rowboat people, sailboat people, and steamboat people. Rowboat people need to be pushed or shoved along. Sailboat people move when a favorable wind is blowing. Steamboat people move continuously, through calm or storm. They are usually masters of themselves, their surroundings, and their fate.

**ON THE SAFE SIDE**

ACCIDENTS CAUSE MORE DEATHS AMONG INFANTS AND YOUNG CHILDREN THAN DIPHTHERIA, WHOOPING COUGH, SCARLET FEVER, PNEUMONIA, AND POLIO COMBINED—AND THESE ACCIDENTS COULD HAVE BEEN PREVENTED! WHITE LABORATORIES SUGGESTS THESE SAFETY TIPS FOR CHILD-PROOFING YOUR HOME, INDOORS AND OUT.



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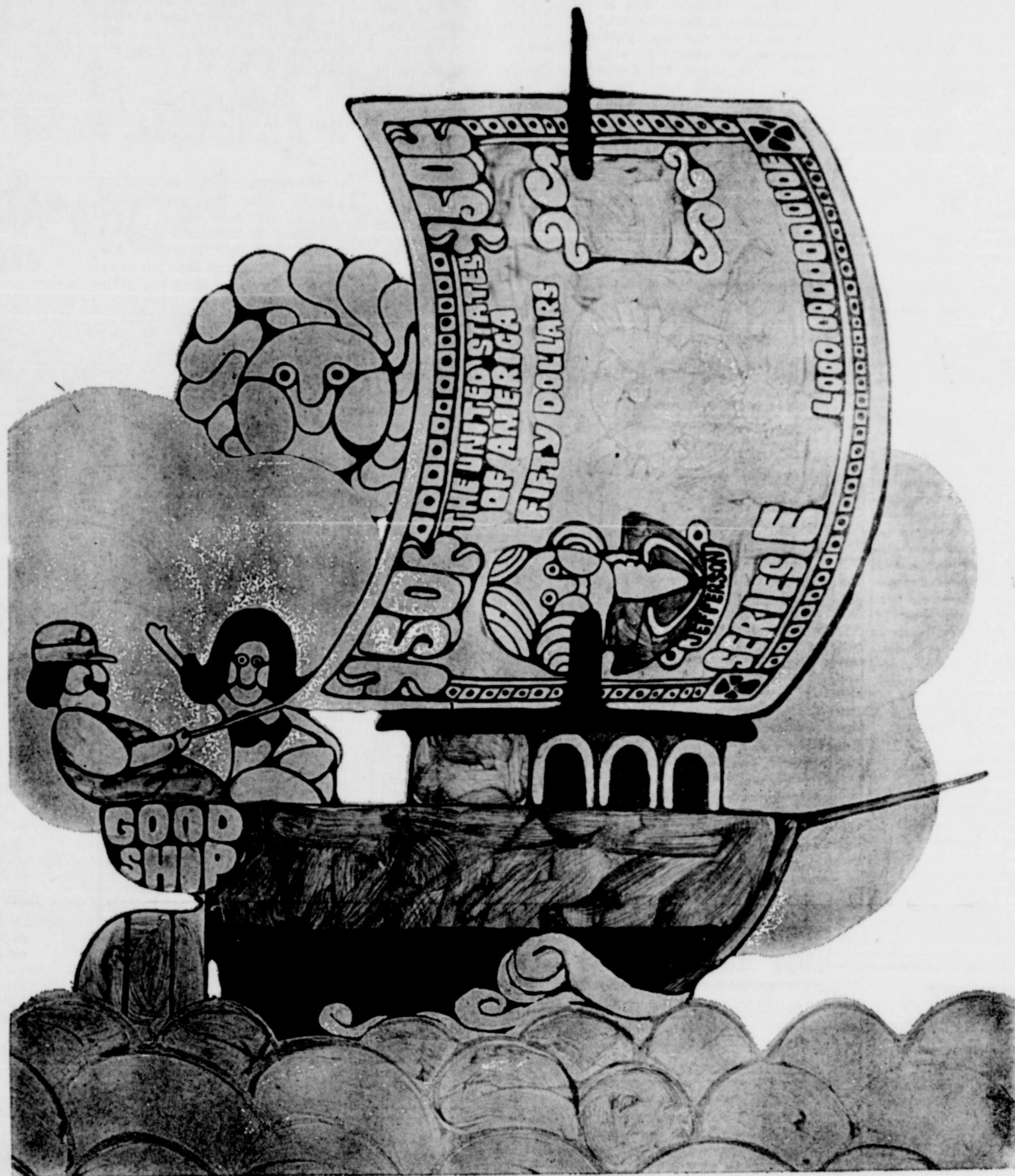
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