

# Voter Registration Deadline Near

## Friday Is Registration Deadline For Voters

Friday, January 31, is the deadline for voter registration in Texas. Last year there were 1,580 persons registered to vote. Early this week, only 820 had registered. You are urged to protect your right to vote by registering before the Friday deadline.

## Lions Club To Have Ladies Night

The Silvertown Lions Club will host Ladies Night Thursday, January 30, in the City Cafe dining room beginning at 7:30 p.m. Dale Carey of American General Life Insurance Company in Lubbock will be the speaker. Admission will be \$5.00 per couple.

## License Tags Go On Sale February 1

Automobile license plates go on sale Saturday, February 1. When you go to the sheriff's office to register your vehicles, you are asked to take your title and last year's registration papers with you.

## NEWS FROM THE COUNTY AGENT'S DESK

### AREA COTTON MEETING SLATED FOR FEBRUARY 5

The third annual meeting on the production of quality cotton sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will be held at the KoKo Palace in Lubbock at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, February 5. A top slate of speakers will be on hand to discuss the current cotton production situation for the South Plains.

Headlining the event will be a discussion by Dabney S. Wellford, top economist with the National Cotton Council. Wellford's address will touch on the overall outlook picture for cotton in 1969 to include domestic and foreign consumption as well as mill demands and promotional efforts to increase the consumption of this area's top cash crop.

Of vital interest to area cotton producers is the development of new and better adapted, high quality producing varieties. Discussing this aspect will be Dr. Levon Ray who is in charge of the cotton breeding program at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Center north of Lubbock. Ray will stress the need for continued production of a high quality cotton which South Plains producers are quite capable of growing as shown by the tremendous change to long staple varieties in the past two years.

Dr. H. O. Kunkel, Dean of Agriculture, Texas A&M University, will be the featured speaker at the noon luncheon. He will discuss the role of Texas A&M University in the improvement of quality and lowering of production costs of Texas High Plains cotton.

Production of broadcast cotton is still in its infancy but it is a means of boosting production. Research in this method of production has been conducted at the A&M Center for a number of years and Elmer B. Hudspeth, agricultural engineer, will be on hand to discuss some of this work. Experimental results with broadcast cotton have been good and this method of production shows promise for the future.

Other topics of interest to South Plains producers will include marketing, lowering of production costs and use of scientific instruments for measuring the various quality characteristics of cotton. All cotton classing will eventually be done by instruments, and the effects of such classing on cotton producers will also enter into the discussion.

The meeting is open to all area cotton producers, ginners and agribusinessmen.

## McMurtry Addresses Survey Committee

The Briscoe County Historical Survey Committee met Thursday night in the PCA community room with Mrs. C. O. Allard presiding. It was decided not to accept the program for the year, but to keep that part of the money in the county to be applied toward museum improvements.

Judge M. G. Moreland is to appoint a new county chairman and eight members to serve on the committee soon.

The Briscoe County Historical Survey Committee and chairman were first appointed by Judge Moreland in April 1965. Mrs. Allard has been serving as chairman for four years. This year begins her fifth year of service to the Survey group. Mrs. Allard has expressed her appreciation for the cooperation she has received from all the officers and sub-chairmen during the past four years.

Mrs. Moreland, program chairman, introduced Merle D. McMurry of San Jacinto, who gave a talk on the Navajo Indians, largest tribal group in the United States. The Indians have 15 million acres on which to graze sheep and each person gets \$800.00 a



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## New H. D. Agent To Serve Briscoe County

A new Home Demonstration Agent has been appointed to serve Briscoe County. She is Mrs. Naomi Hunt, a native of Colorado.

Mrs. Hunt will assume her new duties on February 1, according to a joint announcement by the Briscoe County Commissioners Court and Mrs. Aubrey W. Russell of Lubbock, District Home Demonstration Agent.

The new agent replaces Mrs. Sydney E. Hall, who transferred to Randall County in August 1967.

A graduate of Colorado State University, Mrs. Hunt received a B. S. degree in home economics. In college she was on the Dean's List, a member of the Women's Council and was active in church work. She was active in both FHA and 4-H Club work in her youth.

Mrs. Hunt had been previously employed as director of the Baptist Student Union at Colorado State. After moving to Claude, where she presently resides, she has worked in an Amarillo hospital. Her husband, William K.

Hunt, is engaged in farming. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt have one child.

Mrs. Hunt will work with County Agricultural Agent Kenneth Cook in conducting adult and 4-H educational programs in Briscoe County.

## John Deere Day Program Planned

Ray Thompson Implement Company will sponsor a program of special interest to farmers and agribusiness people beginning at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, January 30, in the school cafeteria.

"Farming Frontiers," a management-oriented film event about subjects which could affect the farm and its crops, will be shown.

Door prizes will include a Roll-Gard with canopy and seat belts. Roll-Gard was pioneered and developed by John Deere to help save lives. To promote and encourage the use of this protective device throughout the United States and Canada, a Roll-Gard is being given away at each of some 3,000 Farming Frontiers '69 programs being held this winter. Roll-Gard will help the lucky winner "play it safe."

## Walter M. Watters Buried Here Sunday

Funeral services for Walter M. Watters were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Sunday in the First Baptist Church in Silvertown, with the pastor, Rev. C. H. Murphy, jr., and Earl Cantwell, minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in the Silvertown Cemetery, with arrangements under the direction of the Silvertown Funeral Home. Pallbearers were C. A. Tipton, E. A. Birdwell, Charlie Payne, Vinson Smith, J. C. Fowler and Jack Strange.

Mr. Watters died at 8:30 a.m. Friday at the Heritage Home in Plainview following a lengthy illness.

He was born in Haskell, Texas, December 22, 1888. At the age of 12, he moved with his parents to Briscoe County and they settled in the Lakeview community seven miles south of Silvertown. In 1908 they moved to the Haylake community east of Silvertown, and it was there that he grew to manhood and met Miss Bula Welch. They were married in Silvertown in April 1919, and to this union were born two children, Maxine and Lige.

This companion preceded him in death on December 20, 1922.

He was then united in marriage to Miss Dorothy Roberts on August 7, 1927, in Plainview, and to this union were born two daughters, Carrie Dell and Bonnie June.

On June 18, 1944, he was preceded in death by this companion.

Mr. Watters was a farmer, and spent his life in this occupation, living on his farm in the Haylake community until 1949, when he moved into town. He had spent the past year in the Heritage Home in Plainview.

Survivors included a son, Lige (Dud) Watters of Silvertown; three daughters, Mrs. Maxine Morris and Mrs. Carrie Dell Dickerson, both of Silvertown and Bonnie June Watters of Yuma, Arizona; two sisters, Mrs. Ora Lovett of Plainview and Mrs. Blanche Newman of Silvertown; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.



JACKIE CAROL TATE

## Miss Tate Installed as Worthy Advisor Here

Miss Jackie Carol Tate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Tate, was installed as Worthy Advisor of the Silvertown Rainbow Assembly No. 304 in a public ceremony held Saturday, January 25, at the

## Mental Health And Retardation To Be Discussed Here

Anyone who is interested in the problem of mental health and mental retardation problems in Briscoe County is asked to meet with the members of the newly-appointed Briscoe County Advisory Council for Mental Health Monday, February 10, at 3:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria building.

Elizabeth Woodley of the High Plains Training Center in Plainview will be guest speaker for the meeting.

## Revival In Progress at Assembly Of God

The Assembly of God Church in Silvertown is in a revival meeting which is running every night except Saturday with Evangelist and Mrs. Gerald Middaugh.

The public is invited to hear the anointed preaching of God's Word.

pear. Their sheep are of the best quality, and they make rugs in brown, black and neutral colors.

This tribe lives mostly in Arizona and New Mexico. Mr. McMurry brought samples of the Indian rugs in various shapes, sizes and colors to show.

He went on to say that the Pueblo Tribe lives in the Rio Grande area, and make jewelry. He showed several pieces of jewelry, including necklaces, belts, pins and ties in beautiful Indian colors.

Coffee, cold drinks, cake and cookies were served to Judge and Mrs. M. G. Moreland, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Allard, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Montague, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Elms, Mrs. Berton Hughes, Mrs. A. L. McMurry, Mrs. Tina Schott and the guest, Mr. Merle McMurry.

masonic hall here. Miss Tate chose "Faith and Love" as her theme, and shades of pink as her colors. Her flower, the Forever Yours rose, was used in decorating the hall. The scripture she selected was from Matthew 17:30, "If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, nothing shall be impossible unto you."

Miss Tate was installed by her aunt, Mrs. Ray C. Bomar, a member of Silvertown Chapter No. 900, Order of the Eastern Star. Other installing officers were Barbara Davis, Worthy Advisor; Peggy Phillips Miller, Marshal; Carron Montague, Chaplain; Carol Ann Montague, Recorder; LaRue Garvin, Musician.

Other officers who were chosen to serve during the winter term are Nancy Reid, Worthy Associate Advisor; Janet Montague, Charity; Pat Jarrett, Hope; Lois Stephens, Faith; Carron Montague, Recorder; Louise Croft, Chaplain; Paula Montague, Drill Leader; Connie Dudley, Choir Director; Barbara Davis, Musician; Colene Culwell, Love; Denise Culwell, Religion; Pam Vaughan, Nature; Jane Self, Immortality; Vickie Vaughan, Fidelity; Paula Birdwell, Patriotism; Ian Lanham, Service; Laquita Croft, Outer Observer; Judy Stephens, Confidential Observer; and Mrs. Sheryl Breedlove, Mother Advisor.

The new Mother Advisor is a Past Worthy Advisor of the Silvertown Rainbow Assembly.

Following the installation of the new officers and advisory board, and the presentation of the Worthy Advisor's family, Mrs. Mary Ann Rauch sang "Eternal Life," accompanied by Mrs. Garvin.

Miss Tate and the other officers were honored at a reception following the installation. Refreshments were served by Misses Nancy Reid and Janet Montague.

Members of the Rainbow Advisory Board are Pat Whitfill, Lily Wofford, J. V. Self, LaVerne Long, Carolyn Self, E. C. Newman, Lola Mae Stephens, Annell Davis, Dorothy Bomar, Elaine Forbes, Carver Monroe, Sheryl Breedlove, Merlene Stephens, Doyle Stephens and Walter Fleming.

## Owls, Owlettes Take Wins From McLean

The Silvertown cagers took a pair of wins from McLean in games played here Tuesday evening.

The Owlettes earned a 49-37 victory by outscoring McLean in each period except the last.

The locals caged 9 points in the first frame, 13 in the second, 15 in the third and 12 points in the fourth quarter. McLean scored 5, 13, 16 and 15.

Leading the Silvertown scoring was Evelyn Wood, with 18 points. Paula Birdwell dumped in 16, Diana Strange netted 8, Cecilia Garcia caged 5, and Barbara Davis sank 2 points.

The Owls roared to a 73-54 win over the Tigers, led by Jimmy Walker, who ripped the cords for 27 points. Alvin May scored 13, Paul McWilliams dumped in 11, Finas Ivory caged 9 and Bob Hut-sell sank 7 points for the winners.

The Owls held a slim halftime lead, but poured it on in the third and fourth quarters to finish way out in front.

## "Law and Order" To Be Meeting Topic

Charles Sadler of the Potter County Sheriff's Department will make a talk on "Law and Order" at the Silvertown Masonic Lodge Hall Thursday, February 6, 1969.

It will be an open meeting, and the public is invited.

Refreshments will be served beginning at 6:00 p.m. and the address will begin at 7:30 p.m.

The Grand Master of Masonic Lodges in Texas has "Law and Order" as his special emphasis for the year.

Mrs. Len Koslowski was a visitor in the home of her mother, Mrs. Josephine Anderson, from Sunday until Saturday of last week. Joe Anderson visited in the Anderson home here from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Daniel has returned to the Tulia nursing home after having been a patient in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Tony Burson has been a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital for several days.



Mrs. Bud Couch, treasurer of L. O. A. Junior Study Club in Silvertown, is shown presenting a check for \$580.00 to School Superintendent J. S. Hinds. The check represented the amount of donations to the club's Christmas Greeting Page project, and will be used for the purchase of equipment for the school. (Briscoe County News Photo)

## Immunization Program To Begin Here Soon

Mrs. Delphine Klemman, R.N., Silvertown school nurse, has announced plans for four immunization clinics to be held here.

Purpose of the clinics will be to provide immunization against several diseases for children who have never been immunized.

The clinics will be sponsored by Century of Progress Study Club

and club members will assist with registration at the clinics. Mrs. Klemman will also be assisted by Mary Miller, R. N., who is with the State Department of Health.

The first clinic will be held on February 20, and immunization given will include polio (1), TD and DPT (1).

Immunization against measles, DT (2) and DPT (2) will be given March 20.

On April 17, students will receive polio (2) and DPT (3).

The May 15 clinic will be for smallpox, measles, DT and polio for those who missed one of the previous clinics.

There is a large number of students in the Silvertown schools who have not been vaccinated against one or more of these: smallpox, diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, polio and measles.

Mrs. J. W. Lyon, sr. of Quitaque has been a patient in Swisher Memorial Hospital for several days.

Mrs. Alma Brannon has continued to receive treatment at Swisher Memorial Hospital this week.

A native of Lockney, Mrs. Campbell had been a Panhandle resident since 1937, when she moved there from Lockney.

Survivors include her husband, Bob; a daughter, Mrs. James Downs of Pantex; two sons, Jay Howe of Folsom, New Mexico and Johnny Ed Howe of Mineral Wells; three brothers, Charles and Ben Whitfill, both of Silvertown, and Billy Ed Whitfill of Lockney; and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill of Rockport.

## Mrs. Campbell Buried at Panhandle

Funeral services for Mrs. Glenna Campbell, 51, were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Panhandle Thursday. Mrs. Campbell, a long-time resident of Panhandle, died Wednesday morning at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo following a lengthy



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**Time To Spare**

By GERALD ANDREWS - Retirement Adviser

**The Versatile Tape Recorder**

Last week I was at a tea in the community center when someone put a record on the player. Usual enough, except that this time no music came out.  
 Instead of Mozart or Victor Herbert or Duke Ellington, we heard a long, loud, high-pitched hoot, plus the clash of wheels thundering down a track. The sound emerged from the distance, careened past, and diminished until it was but a faraway echo: a locomotive going through a whistle-stop.  
 You might consider this a strange kind of recording to play at a community tea. And, in fact, it's not my cup of tea — if you'll forgive the expression. Still, many members like those sounds which don't ordinarily make the grade as entertainment.  
 This might be called the age of the tape recorder. You find all kinds of people in various odd situations waiting to immortalize their favorites on the gamut of sound waves.  
 One of our members spends one morning a week record-

ing the frogs in a nearby pond. And I know a number who do their bird watching with recorder as well as binoculars. Then there's the devotee of the whizzing locomotive.  
 When it comes to capturing the present moment in a permanent form, the tape recorder is challenging the camera. Faces of friends and relatives have long been standard items in the family album... now their voices are being added.  
 We can bring home not only the sight of ducks on a lake, but also the sound of their honking as they descend from the sky or rise from the water.  
 This development is, of course, a matter of technology. People have found that tape recording is as easy as handling a camera. More and more of them, after exposure to the results, are taking up the hobby.  
 If your taste runs to more musical sounds than the ones I've mentioned above, well, you can have them too. Tape recordings of choice portions of Beethoven symphonies are not unknown in this fraternity of sound aficionados.

**NFO-The Farmers' Most Important Tool**

Submitted by Mrs. Robert H. Hill, Publicity Chairman

The NFO is continuing to make progress. This progress can only be as fast as the farmers unite their strength and their production.

The progress is evident. NFO has pioneered collective bargaining in agriculture. Today, almost everyone realizes that collective bargaining is necessary in agriculture. The NFO has now established organizations in 41 states.

The progress in bargaining has been from the point where no one thought the program would work until now NFO members are bargaining and selling together and dealing with many of the largest companies that buy or process milk, grain and meat.

The NFO has just reached a historical landmark. For the first time in the history of agriculture contracts are being activated by organized farmers with meat packers. These contracts have been and must be approved by a vote of the members. The members after having studied these contracts voted overwhelming approval of activation. The contracts are supply contracts with pricing formulas based on volume.

The holding action is the most misunderstood part of the NFO collective bargaining program.

Farmers must realize that the holding action is nothing more than a businessman's way of putting a price tag on his products. Processors, buyers and commission men are kept jittery and are pressed to do a better job because of the determined efforts of the NFO. Without the NFO fighting for farmers, no one would know that there were low farm prices.

The holding actions have shown buyers that farmers mean business. During the livestock holding action processors buy and slaughter lightweight hogs and cattle. This leaves a vacuum. The prices have gone higher after the last three livestock holding actions than anyone had predicted. Milk prices started up only after NFO had the milk holding action. Grain prices must be raised and can only be done through united action.

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Randy Hughes, a student at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview spent the weekend at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes. Ken Taylor, Ken Jourdan, Richard Grisham, all students at Wayland, and Norman Price of Denver, Colorado, were visitors in the Hughes home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hutsell were in Amarillo Thursday to visit John Minyard, a patient at High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer were in Austin to attend the inauguration activities.

Mrs. Annie Grabbe suffered a broken ankle Saturday. Her son, Joe Grabbe, took her to Tulsa for treatment, a cast was placed on the break, and Mrs. Grabbe returned home the same day.

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**SUNDAY'S SERMON**

**YOUR FELLOW MAN**

One-way streets help move traffic in the city. The only inconvenience is that sometimes you must drive around the block to reach a particular address.

One-way people, on the other hand. They will run over you if you get in the way. More often than not, they're moving against the grain, forcing others to make room for them as they charge blindly about.

Successful living must take into account some consideration of the other fellow. If this is not true, then the road of life leads to no worthwhile destination.

No man is an island. No one can really walk alone. Choose your own road, uphill or downhill, along the crowded streets or off the beaten pathways and you will meet someone along the way.

Nowhere on this earth can you really get away from your fellow man. Doesn't it make sense that you should recognize him when you see him? He shouldn't you acknowledge that he has a destination of his own — and the right to travel his own way so long as he shares the road with you?

**\* NEW BABIES**

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nourse are parents of a baby girl born Saturday, January 25, at the Lockney General Hospital.

The baby weighed six pounds and seven ounces, and has been named Lois Ann.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Noble of Chesapeake, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Wilcox and Mr. Harold Casewell of South West Port, Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grabbe are parents of a son, Mitchell Sloane, born Thursday, December 26, in Swisher Memorial Hospital. He weighed eight pounds and one-half ounce.

The couple has another son, Kevin Brent, who is 5½.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stewart of Claude; Richard R. Holt of Canoga Park, California; D. M. Grabbe of Vigo Park, and Mrs. Annie Grabbe.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Alta Holt of Shata, Nebraska; J. C. Lowrey of Hart, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lawrance of Amarillo.

Mrs. Berton Hughes' sister, Mrs. Billie Overmyer and Patti from Lubbock visited in the Hughes home Friday night.

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# State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford

AUSTIN, Tex.—Immediate implementation of the Texas Water Development Board's \$10-billion Water Plan (to take water to every part of Texas), lowering the voting age to 18, lifting the constitutional ceiling on state public welfare contributions, and a gradual revision of the State Constitution were some of the surprises Gov. Preston Smith offered the legislature.

All 181 Legislators had been facing themselves for the first two weeks of the session, waiting to see what their new governor wanted from them, and now they know his aims. But he has yet to reveal his budget and tax recommendations, which will have tremendous bearing on whether his programs are enacted.

Governor Smith lauded the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System's plan to provide upper-level senior colleges in Midland-Odessa, Corpus Christi, Houston and Dallas and a four-year college in San Antonio, but he did not adopt it specifically. However, he did embrace the board's recommendation for new state medical schools in Houston and Lubbock, a new dental school in San Antonio, and state participation in Baylor University's dental and medical schools.

to merge South Texas College of Law at Houston with Texas A&M University.

**DIES SECRETARY OF STATE**  
Governor Smith's first official appointment was his secretary of state. He selected former Lufkin Sen. Martin Dies, Jr., and Dies was immediately confirmed by the Senate.

Smith described Dies, who did not seek reelection in 1966 after eight years in office, as one of the most popular senators in recent history. His main work has been in the areas of retardation in children and parks development.

"I have turned to one of the most able and dedicated men in public life during this era of government," Smith said. "I am sure Senator Dies is destined to become one of the great secretaries of state in Texas history."

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT**  
Freshman Rep. Lynn Nabers of Brownwood plans to introduce a proposed constitutional amendment to allow the state to give aid to private colleges and universities.

In the proposal, a committee would determine what it costs to educate the average student at state-supported schools. State then

would deduct from that the tuition students pay at state institutions—now \$100 per year—and send the rest to the private schools as credit toward the educational costs.

System would be complicated at those private schools which teach religion courses. Some state aid would have to be deducted for that, because of the constitutional provision on separation of church and state.

**ETHICS CODE**  
Rep. Jim Nugent of Kerrville is making another run with a bill he has carried some 10 years. It is designed to improve and strengthen the Code of Ethics for state officials. Every session, Nugent's ethics bill has been passed by the House, but failed in the Senate. He is optimistic this time, since so many senators—and Lieutenant Governor Barnes—are former House members who have voted for the proposal in past sessions.

**COURTS SPEAK**  
A San Antonio Negro got a new trial for robbery because the prosecutor asked a witness if the defendant was a Black Muslim. Court of Criminal Appeals said a mistrial should have been granted.

State Supreme Court turned down a suit for damages by a man who claimed he developed cancer from handling radioactive material at the nuclear weapons assembly point at the Medina Base.

High court threw out the state's appeal from an Amarillo court finding that the guilt of juvenile offenders must be proved beyond

"reasonable doubt" as is the case with adults.

**AG OPINIONS**  
Texas Technological College may create a medical school on the Lubbock campus without passage of implementing legislation. Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin said in an opinion requested by Governor Smith.

Martin warned, however, that the legislature, through its control over appropriations of funds, has the power to "accept or reject this method" of creating medical facilities.

In another opinion he also ruled that a school board has the authority to expel a student for violation of a published policy against drug use, after fair hearing. But he said an indictment alone is not grounds for expelling.

**REGISTER CARS PROPERLY**  
Auto registration regulations will be enforced tighter due to computerization, Highway Commission and Department of Public Safety warns.

Highway Department says that many motorists have cars registered illegally in counties where they do not reside. Others who live in cities show only a post office box number instead of the required residence address.

Computerization also will aid in law enforcement, and reduce the waiting-in-line time to obtain a license. Motorist will get forms to fill out in advance, saving typing time at busy license distributing points.

**SDEC EXPANDS ACTIVITIES**  
State Democratic Committee, which took in a tidy sum from its inauguration-eve victory dinner, has approved plans to expand work in three fields and to publish a monthly political magazine.

New committees were authorized on youth activities, woman's organization and communications. Latter department will supervise the magazine.

**SHORT SNORTS**  
Rep. L. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi and Sen. A. R. Schwartz of Galveston will handle the legislative program for the Governor's Committee on Public School Education.

Texas Farm Bureau unveiled a legislative program which includes opposition to minimum wage and compulsory collective bargaining for farm workers.

A fire insurance rate hearing is scheduled for February 10 by the State Board of Insurance.

December's activity in Texas unemployment-insurance claims increased over the previous month by 7,684 due mainly to unfavorable weather conditions, says the Texas Employment Commission.

Thirty Texas colleges will share a \$818,531 federal grant for laboratory and special equipment, including closed-circuit tv gear.

House Water Study Committee headed by Rep. Bill Clayton of Springlake has recommended that Texans support a \$3.5-billion bond issue to help finance the \$10-billion Texas Water Plan.

Texas Liquor Control Board announced that 1968 saw an all-time high in the number of juveniles arrested for possessing or buying

## IT'S AN IDEA HOME DECORATIONS



Lacy design of wrought iron seating units combined with glass-topped tables adds a new dimension of space to a small living room. Comfortable sectional unit features soft foam cushioning and the fine fabric upholstery in a combination of a colorful print with a solid tone.

alcoholic beverages—some 14,186 above the 1967 arrest figures.

Rep. John Hannah of Lufkin plans to introduce a bill to set up presidential primary elections for Texas whereby delegates to national party conventions would be elected and instructed as to which candidate they like.

Rep. Charles Fennell of Holliday has introduced a resolution inviting former President Lyndon Johnson to speak to a joint session of the Legislature and House. Speaker Gus Mutscher says the former chief executive is "interested."

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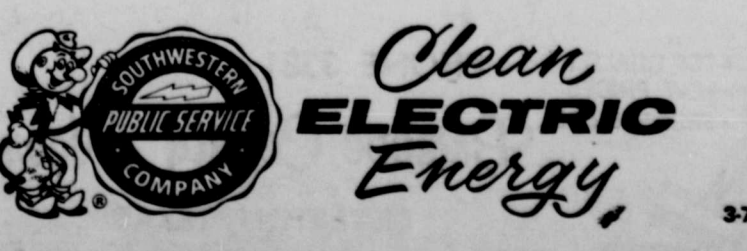
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VENITA TEEPLE

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Teeple announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Venita Faye, to Mr. Johnny D. McGavock, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McGavock.

A February 14 wedding is being planned.

Mrs. Bud McMinn honored her husband with a birthday dinner Sunday. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins, Gail, Anita and Melanie of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Owens and Eddie of Quitaque; Mrs. Odie Dorman of Aiken; Dwan Henderson and Eural Vaughan. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter visited in the McMinn home in the evening.



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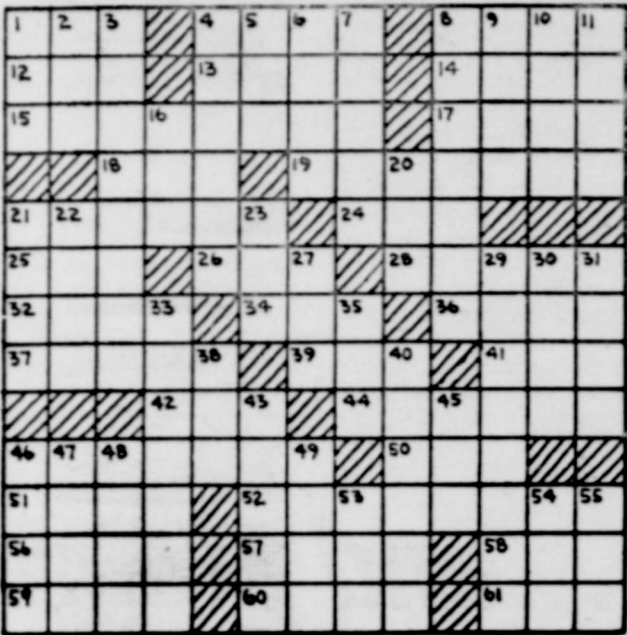
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29. Newsmen  
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**Last Week's Answer**

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**National Youth Week Observed By Club**

National Youth Week was observed by members of L. O. A. Junior Study Club at 3:45 p.m. Tuesday, with a program, "How To Rear a Juvenile Delinquent," by Mrs. Charles Sarchet.

The devotional was "Prayer For My Son," given by Mrs. J. E. Patton, Jr. Roll call was answered with "Out of the mouths of babes."

Mrs. Robert H. Hill presided over the business meeting. Due to a conflict which would have prevented the attendance of some of the members, it was decided to change the date of the Valentine Supper to Saturday, February 14, at 7:30 p.m. Members suggested the names of several guests to be invited to the party.

A special education project was adopted, to be participated in as individuals. It was also decided that the club will have as a fine arts project assistance to the Floyd County Fair Talent Show.

A workshop for writing club reports was scheduled for Thursday, February 8, at 7:00 p.m. in the P. C. A. community room. Each member is asked to bring a typewriter if she has one.

Mrs. Jerry Miller gave a report on Project Concern.

Donna Sue Gidden was welcomed as a new member of the club. Mrs. Patton served refreshments from a table decorated with a boys football jersey, helmet, basketball, spaceship and flowers to Mrs. Bud Couch, Mrs. Fred Edwards, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Champ McGavock, Mrs. Jerry Miller, Mrs. Steve Miller, Mrs. Dean Rowell, Mrs. Sarchet, Mrs. Wayne Stephens and Miss Gidden.

**FOR THE FAMILY MANAGER**

**ITEM:** Bleach helps to keep white garments right, if it is the correct bleach. A chlorine bleach can leave yellow and brown spots on fabrics if there is iron in the water. With an oxygen type bleach, there should be no staining in water that contains iron. A bleach, however, doesn't take the place of enough detergent to prevent a buildup of soil.

**ITEM:** Study the hangtags when you buy a new garment. The tags give the licensed trademark of the fabric, instructions for proper care of the garment and usually, a guarantee the item will last for a certain length of time under normal wear.

**ITEM:** Regular planning is the best way to insure interesting meals for the family table. A meal plan helps you determine that each meal has flavor interest, variety in color, and texture contrast. Plan dinner meats first, then build around the main dish.

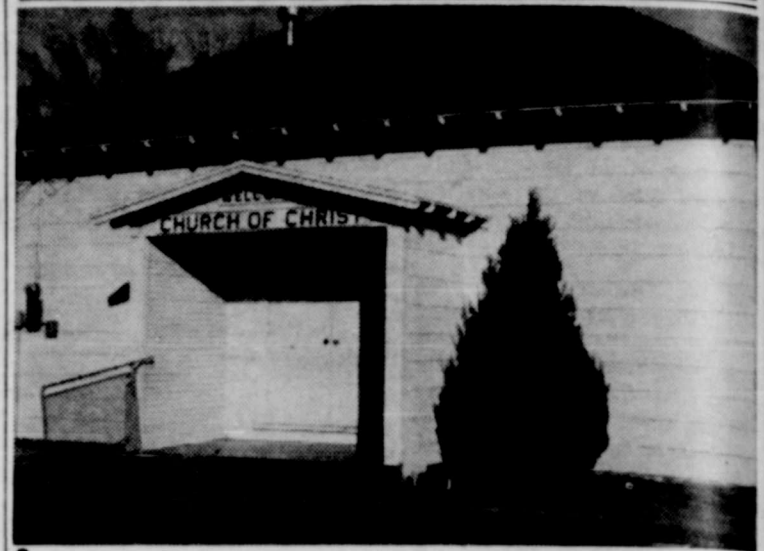
**ITEM:** Permanent press accounted for 300 million yards of woven fabric in 1965, 600 million in 1966, and is expected to hit one billion yards in 1970.

**ITEM:** A recent survey showed that 40 per cent of all the bathrooms in this country are decorated in pink.

Dock Wallace was returned to the Plainview Hospital over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins, Gail, Anita and Melanie of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn.

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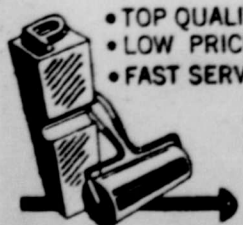
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has been requested that the members of L. O. A. Junior Study publish the names of servicemen so that it will be easier to remember them with letters, gifts and cards.

If you know of further corrections to this list, please contact Charles Sarchet, Phone 3381.

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### Basketball Schedule

Feb. 1—Wheeler\*, there, 6:30, Varsity  
Feb. 4—Claude\*, there, 6:30, Varsity  
Feb. 7—Happy\*, here, 6:30, Varsity  
Feb. 11—Clarendon\*, here, 6:30, Varsity  
Feb. 14—McLean\*, there, 6:30, Varsity  
Feb. 18—Wheeler\*, here, 6:30, Varsity

**Flax Suit**  
One of the earliest plants to be raised for use in clothing is flax. From flax, linen was made, and this cloth was held in high regard by ancient people.

## SPORTS CORNER



### LET'S LOOK AT THE RECORDS

Two bright American stars of the world of opera are heard on Angel Records for the first time: soprano Reri Grist and baritone Cornell MacNeil star in Verdi's Rigoletto as the naive Gilda and her haunch-backed court-jester father... New York born Reri Grist appeared in Broadway musicals before she made her opera debut in Santa Fe and Cologne, both in 1959... Since 1960 she has been associated with the Zurich Opera, singing frequent engagements in San Francisco, Chicago, Glyndebourne, Covent Garden, Spoleto, LaScala, Vienna, Salzburg and the Metropolitan Opera (since 1964).

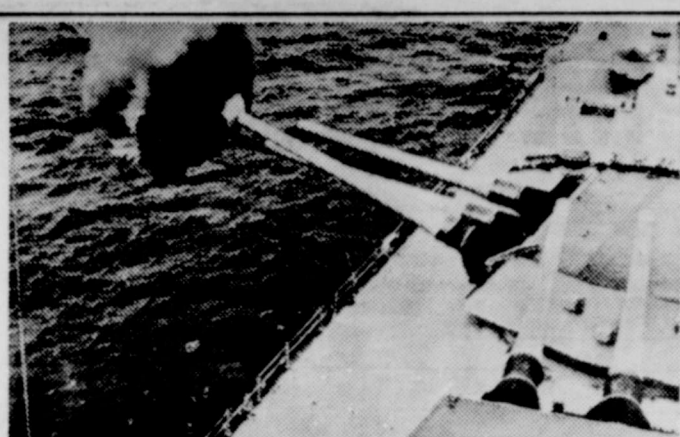
Beyond a particularly distinguished gift for the high soprano roles in Mozart and Strauss, she has proven amazing versatility in operetta and French and Italian repertoire... Reri Grist's partner for highly acclaimed performances of "Rigoletto" at London's Covent Garden in 1966 (as in the new Angel Recording) was Cornell MacNeil, born in Minneapolis... He, too, had experience on Broadway, later graduating to the New York City, Chicago Lyric and San Francisco operas... A few days after his debut at LaScala in 1959, he was called upon to substitute as Rigoletto at the Metropolitan, where he has been a regular member ever since.

The complete opera is on three records, stereo only and sells for \$17.37... It is the first new recording of the famous opera in four years... MacNeil and Grist are magnificent in their Angel debuts and the immensely versatile Swede Nicolai Gedda sings a vocally brilliant and irresistibly handsome-sounding Duke of Mantua... The Pradell chorus and orchestra are in top form for Verdi's most melodious creation and Angel's sound and stereo-staging are on the very highest level.

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**BACK IN ACTION...** The battleship New Jersey fires its 16-inch guns in a training exercise off the California coast in June of 1968. The New Jersey is now operating off the coast of Vietnam where its big guns were fired in battle for the first time since the Korean War.



**FRIENDLY CHAT...** Aboard the USS Eldorado, Navy Chaplain LCDR Lyle Baird chats with visiting Vietnamese children gathered around a Navy helicopter on the ship's helo pad.



### There's Action A-Plenty In Weeds

Remember the last time you were out on the water on a dead-calm, blistering-hot day? The early-morning action probably persisted a bit later than usual. And before you knew it, your watch said it was 11 a.m. and you realized it had been 30 minutes or more since your last nibble or strike.

So you just packed up your gear and went in for lunch—right? Well, I'm afraid that's what most of us do, and as a result, we lose hours of potentially great fishing time out of our too-few summer days.

Many long years ago, I used to advise fishermen to knock off during midday hours in hot weather. But that was before my "Weedbed Education" was complete!

There's a better way! First, let's assume you have spotted the weedy areas in that favorite lake, or that a local angler can point them out to you. Next, you've got to have a weedless Johnson Silver Minnow and pork rind in your tackle box.

Matter of fact, there ought to be two of these spoons—one silver and one purple—and some purple or black pork as well as white rind, frogs, or rubber skirts.

Move to the outer edge of the weedbed and anchor to get absolute control of the lure. Snap on a silver-finished Silver Minnow and a white pork strip.

Now cast inshore a couple of dozen times; later casts can be parallel to the shore. Let your spoon sink, but don't begin the retrieve. Count to 10 first, then start an extremely slow retrieve.

Turn the reel handle only a few times, then stop. Repeat the count, and once more move the lure.

This is the secret to weedless, productive weedbed fishing!

That Silver Minnow, even though it's the best weedless lure I've ever used, can't work miracles if it's ripped through the weeds with a hell-for-leather retrieve.

So if many casts fail to bring a lunker out of his weedy den, dig your purple Silver Minnow and a purple or black pork rind out of the tackle box. Then cast and retrieve as we've suggested, and watch for action!

For reasons that fish alone seem to understand, the combination of a dark lure and trailer on a hot, bright day seem somehow irresistible.

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Personal property taxes are NOT paid by the various loan companies.

## CITY OF SILVERTON



## From The Principal's Desk

According to a national survey, Texas this year dropped from 33rd to 38th among states in the average annual salary earned by its public school teachers.

Texas' 38th-place ranking is the lowest it has held since the Gilmer-Aiken school program began in 1949. Lowest previous ranking was 35th in 1960-61. Texas is now \$1,289 below the national average, and Texas teachers can earn more in three neighboring states: New Mexico, Louisiana and Oklahoma.

L. P. Sturgeon, the new TSTA Executive Secretary, said: "The continuing shortage of trained, qualified teachers in Texas is caused to a great degree by our not-very-competitive ranking on teacher salaries. We need to attract and hold capable public school teachers. One of the first questions they ask in deciding where to teach is, 'How much can I earn?' Statistics indicate that they can expect more in 37 other states than they can in Texas."

In addition to its low rank among states on the average teacher pay scale, Texas ranks 50th among the 50 states in the amount of salary increase paid its teachers this year, compared to last.

The annual increase in teacher pay across the nation ranged from \$43 in Texas to \$1,087 in Mississippi. Other states making large increases for 1968-69 were Alaska, with a \$958 increase; Michigan—\$995; Maryland—\$958; Florida—\$914; Iowa—\$824; Wisconsin—\$708. Oklahoma, which ranked well below Texas last year, has raised its average teacher pay \$600 to climb above Texas.

With its land and natural resources, Texas should be one of the better-paying states in the Union, instead of \$1,289 below the national average. It is no wonder that we have trouble keeping good teachers. Salary alone will not cure all of our problems, but we would all be better teachers if we had more competition.

# THE OWL'S HOOT



Official publication of the students of Silverton High School, compiled and edited by the members of the Future Business Leaders of America.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1969

## Owlettes Take Win From Clarendon

The Silverton Owlettes defeated the Clarendon girls at Clarendon Friday night. The Owlettes popped the net for nineteen points in the opening period, and added another eighteen points in the second period.

After the half the pace decreased and the Silverton girls added only eight and six points in the third and fourth periods.

The final score was Silverton 51, Clarendon 37.

### OWLS DEFEATED

The Owls took their third conference loss last Friday night against Clarendon. The Bronchos bewildered the Owls with an 83-47 victory.

Bob Hutsell led the scoring against the Bronchos with 11 points. Paul McWilliams was next high scorer with 9 points.

### GAIL'S IDEAL BOY

Hair—Bill S.  
Eyes—Max H.  
Nose—Terry  
Teeth—Johnny Roy  
Smile—Paul Ray  
Laugh—Steve  
Personality—Nicky  
Dress—Max W.  
Feet—Cletus  
Hands—Bob  
Wit—Jay  
Handsome—Lannie  
Cute—Nicky  
Sweetest—Johnny G.  
Legs—Mike



BARBARA DAVIS

Barbara Davis has been named 1969 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow for Silverton High School on the basis of her score in a written knowledge and attitude test on homemaking given senior girls here December 3.

Barbara's achievement has made her eligible for state and national scholarships. She also has been awarded a specially-designed silver chaf from General Mills, sponsor of the Betty Crocker Search for the American Homemaker of Tomorrow.

A state Homemaker of Tomorrow and Runner-up will be selected from the winners of the schools in the state. The state winner will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship, and her school will be awarded a complete set of the Encyclopaedia Britannica. The runner-up will earn a \$500 educational grant.

The Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow from this state, together with those from all other states and the District of Columbia, each accompanied by a school advisor, will join in an expensive educational tour of Washington, D. C. and Colonial Williamsburg, Virginia, next spring.

The national winner—the 1969 All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow—will be announced at an American Table dinner in Williamsburg. The choice will be on the basis of her original test score plus personal observation and interviews during the tour, and her scholarship will be increased to \$5,000. Second, third and fourth ranking Homemakers of Tomorrow in the nation will have their original scholarship grants increased to \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000, respectively.

This is the 15th year of the Betty Crocker Search, initiated in 1954-55 by General Mills to emphasize the importance of homemaking as a career. More than six million senior girls have participated in the Search program since its inception, and 1,460 winners will have earned scholarships totaling \$1,591,500 at the conclusion of the current program.

The 630,564 girls from 15,116 schools registering for the 1969 Betty Crocker Search established a new record for the program.

Barbara is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Davis.



## HONOR ROLL

### THIRD SIX WEEKS

JUNIORS  
Roy Dale Garrison, Katy Minyard, Janet Montague  
SENIORS  
Crockett Grabbe, Johnnie Roy Weaver

### First Semester

FRESHMEN  
Cindy Cross, Colene Culwell  
JUNIORS  
Gary Martin, Katy Minyard  
SENIORS  
Crockett Grabbe, Paul Ray McWilliams, Carron Montague, Kathy Self, Betty Weathered, Johnnie Roy Weaver

### GRADE SCHOOL

#### Third Six Weeks

First Grade: Todd Hamilton, Nicky McJimsey, Marilyn Hardin, Melissa Porter, Brenda Yanney, Tracy Gill, Diji Couch, Michele Porter

Second Grade: Mark McWilliams, Jennifer Martin, Paula Verden, Paul Brannon, Rebecca Reid, Karen Ziegler, Twila Wood, Thomas Perkins, Rhonda Grabbe

Third Grade: Colleen Hutsell, John Ledbetter, Brenda Cantwell, Kimberly Hutsell, Rebecca Perkins, Brent Brannon, Beverly Bowling

Fourth Grade: Susan Grabbe, Susan Northeutt, Debbie Verden, Gary Turner

Fifth Grade: Debra Strange, Doris Cantwell, David Lewis

Sixth Grade: Brenda Payne, Mikel Griffin, Ruth Ann Cline, Jean Reeves, Scott Hutsell

Seventh Grade: Wendell Hardin, Barry Francis, Lori Francis, Ty McMurtry

Eighth Grade: Amy Birdwell, Laura Arnold, Rhonda Sutton, Debra Cantwell

### Semester Honor Roll

First Grade: Melissa Porter, Diji Couch, Tracy Gill

Second Grade: Mark McWilliams, Jennifer Martin, Paul Brannon, Paula Verden, Twila Wood, Thomas Perkins

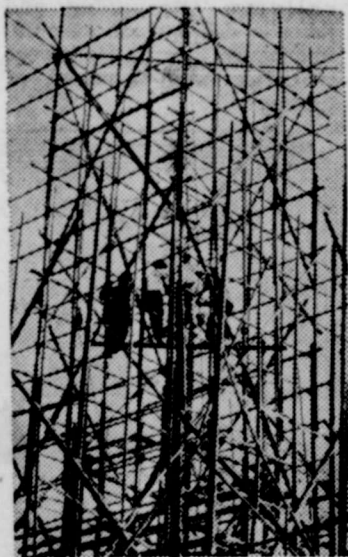
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Fourth Grade: Susan Grabbe, Susan Northeutt, Debbie Verden

Fifth Grade: Debra Strange, Doris Cantwell, David Lewis, Ann Hardin, Becky Francis

Sixth Grade: Ruth Ann Cline

Eighth Grade: Amy Birdwell, Debra Cantwell



**POP ART CONSTRUCTION . . .** It looks like modern art, but it's really just construction men standing atop huge bamboo poles. The workers, some 150 strong, were in the midst of preparing the stands and exhibitions for the Chinese Manufacturers' Association Fair in Hong Kong.



**MEAL TIME . . .** Modern conveniences? This New Delhi, India housewife knows nothing about such things. She adds water, drains and strains and her meal is prepared.

### DEAR STEVE,

All of us miss you, your great personality, and your cackling laugh in the halls of old SHS. But, we certainly envy you getting to miss report card day.

The chemistry department is going bezerk with your absence; nobody else can balance the equations like you can.

Without you competing in the College Bowl in history, it was a landslide win for the other team. We're sure Mr. Pearson could use your mathematical genius in algebra right now.

We know for sure, too, that the little P. E. boys you play "mother" to sure wish you would hurry and get back.

It's just not the same for us, without your presence and corny jokes. Steve, we just want you to know that our prayers and good wishes are with you every minute of every day for a complete and speedy recovery. Be sweet to those pretty nurses, and get well soon.

Silverton High School Students

## CALENDAR

### OF EVENTS

Jan. 30—Junior High Basketball here with Wheeler, 6:00 p.m.  
Jan. 31—Varsity Basketball at Wheeler, 6:30 p.m.  
Feb. 4—Varsity Basketball at Claude, 6:30 p.m.  
Feb. 7—Varsity Basketball here with Happy, 6:30 p.m.

## Song Dedications

The Game of Love—To all couples  
Two Girls For Every Boy—Stephen F. Austin College  
He Walks Like A Man—Gary M.  
I'm A Soldier Boy—Randy  
I Need Someone—Gail Ann Hootenanny—Sweetheart Prom  
Memory Lane—College Students  
North To Alaska—Randy  
Twist and Shout—Marsha  
I Like Rock 'N Roll Music—Marsha and Perry  
Teach Me Tiger—Cynthia to Thurman  
Summer Place—Alvin and Donna  
Smile For Me Diane—from Tim to Diana  
World Without Love—Vietnam  
Did You Ever Have To Make Up Your Mind?—Bill Strange  
My Guy—Kathy Self to Lynn

### HAVE YOU NOTICED . . .

There have NEVER been any Sophomores on the Honor Roll this year?

The date list in the office for the Sweetheart Banquet is growing lately?

Any new couples in the halls?

How many Senior boys suddenly have to go to the library when Pam Hutsell comes over from Junior High during activity period?

Nicky hasn't talked in five-minute typing records anymore?

That classes are boring since Steve's not here?

That everyone loves Mr. Pearson?

Faye Gene still thumps people on the ear?

### OWL'S HOOT STAFF

Co-editors — Kathy Perkins  
Gail Mayfield  
Sponsor — Mrs. Faye Rampley  
Sports — Jim McWilliams  
Organizations — Jerry Bean  
Gayla Tate  
Roy Garrison  
Teresa Martinez  
News — Cathy Jones  
Paula Birdwell  
Fun & Nonsense — Lannie Arnold  
Ricky McWilliams

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BY TOM DORR



## HALF-PAST TEEN



## For And About Teenagers



**THE WEEK'S LETTER:** "I am 15 years old. I don't know if you can solve my problem but I will try anything. I am in love with this girl but she is going with someone else. We go to school together and in one class she sits next to me. Every time I look at her, I want to kiss her. I am afraid to ask her for a date because she is going with someone. Please send me an answer I can live with."

**OUR REPLY:** We aren't sure just what kind of an answer we might give that you could live with. We would first say that you should do a little more concentrating on this

class and less on the girl or next year may find her an upper-class student you won't even sit in the same room with. Don't build up emotion this way. Concentrate on other things. It isn't easy, we agree, but you will have to learn to control your emotions more and more if you are to become a well-adjusted adult citizen. There's no reason to be "afraid" to ask the girl for a date — if you are both dating. The worst thing that can happen is that she will say, "no."

If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, COMMUNITY AND SUBURBAN PRESS SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY.

## LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Hello . . . Betty how would you like to have a big date?"

### MAKE YOUR OWN TV TEST

1. Afternoon "talk type" show host.  
Hugh Downs  
Merv Griffin  
Ernest Borgnine
2. Alexander Munday of "It Takes a Thief."  
Robert Horton  
Robert Taylor  
Robert Wagner
3. Popular ABC late-show host.  
Aldo Ray  
David Niven  
Joey Bishop
4. Star of movie, "For Those Who Think Young."  
Elvis Presley  
Ann Margaret  
James Darren
5. Johnny Lancer, of popular Western series.  
James Drury  
James Stacy  
Stacy Adams

ANSWERS: Griffin, Wagner, no fan.  
Bishop, Borgnine, Stacy.  
SCORE: 5 — expert; 4 — frequent watcher; 3 — sometime viewer; 2 — hardly ever; 1 — no fan.

## 4-H'ers Win Trips and \$50 Bond for Project Work



A youth who built up a herd of 125 cows in 4-H and a girl who got her classmates to eat better breakfasts attended the recent National 4-H Congress in Chicago. Another lad who specialized in capons captured a bond award.

Eldon McClurg, 18, of Tulia, and Kathy Hinton, 17, of Happy received expense-paid trips to the congress as state award winners in their 1968 club projects.

James Randolph, 17, of Wickett, the poultry expert, won a \$50 U.S. savings bond from Heisdorf & Nelson Farms, Inc., program sponsor.

McClurg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McClurg, swept to top honors in the agricultural program and had his trip sponsored by International Harvester Company.

Miss Hinton, the health award winner, was the guest of 'Eli Lilly and Company.

The two 4-H'ers attended a pop concert played by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, conducted by the noted Arthur Fiedler. They also attended a horse show and went sight-seeing, with a stop at the famed Chicago Museum of Science and Industry.

McClurg showed the reserve champion heifer at the El Paso Fair this year and the first-place heifer at the Houston Show. He was superintendent of his community's livestock show.

In 1967, he was named the outstanding senior boy and high point boy at the county fair. He won the county agricultural, grain, sorghum and cotton trophies in 1966.

"My field crops demonstrations have helped me learn the latest farming methods, especially concerning fertilizers and chemicals," McClurg said.

Miss Hinton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hinton, took a survey of what members of her class ate for breakfast and then organized a demonstration entitled: "Wake Up to a Good Breakfast."

She also was instrumental in having the girls in her club keep charts to encourage better health habits.

Randolph, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Randolph, has specialized in capons during his seven-year in the program, and has had three grand champions. His poultry demonstrations have taken first place in county competition four times. His capons have won poultry awards at the county level every year, in addition to winning four times at the district level and once at the state level.

As well as raising 90 capons he now has 100 hens.

Some of Randolph's greatest satisfaction has come from junior leadership. "I really enjoyed this since someone else was learning something that I had already learned," he said.

He also has engaged in research, setting aside a pen of capons to study the effect of prolonged exposure to light, and another pen to study the effect of wet mesh feed.

He, Miss Hinton and McClurg were selected as state award winners by the Cooperative Extension Service which directs her class ate for breakfast and 4-H work.



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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF LEE D. BOMAR, DECEASED**  
Notice is hereby given that original letters testamentary upon the Estate of Lee D. Bomar, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 20th day of January, 1969, by the County Court of Briscoe County, Texas. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same to either of us within the time prescribed by law. My address is Jessie M. Bomar, Silverton, Texas. My attorney is: J. W. Lyon, Jr., Box 625, Silverton, Texas.  
Jessie M. Bomar  
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We would like to thank our friends for the many kindnesses extended to us during the illness of our father and at the time of our bereavement. We deeply appreciate the cards, calls, flowers, memorials, food, and your every expression of sympathy and condolence.

We shall always be grateful for your friendship.  
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Mrs. Maxine Morris  
Bonnie Watters  
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dickerson and families

I would like to thank everyone for the cards, visits and gifts while I was in the hospital. All are greatly appreciated.  
Mrs. Mary Daniel

I would like to express my thanks for the visits, cards, telephone calls, food and other expressions of kindness received during my "bout" with the "flu."  
Sincerely,  
Mrs. E. D. Wilmeth

I would like to thank everyone for the cards and visits I received during my stay in the hospital.  
Mrs. M. B. Self

I want to thank the ones who gave me my prize money at the Silverton Fat Stock Show.  
Van Martin

Thank you, friends, for the cards, flowers, phone calls and every expression of interest in me while I was in the hospital and since I have been home. All have been appreciated very much.  
Sylvia Fogerson

I would like to thank all my friends for the cards, flowers and visits while I was in the hospital and since I've been home.  
Suzette

We would like to express our appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during our recent bereavement. The many flowers, cards, messages of sympathy and memorials will always be remembered.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitfill  
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitfill and families

I would like to thank everyone for the get well cards, flowers and visits while I was in the hospital and since I came home. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.  
Pauline Chitty

Thank you so very much for your thoughtfulness while I was in the hospital and since I have been home. Your cards, visits and prayers were greatly appreciated.  
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A very special thank-you to everyone who helped in any way to make the County Stock Show possible. Also to the merchants for buying our steers. Your interest and encouragement makes it all worthwhile.  
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Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available at the office of V. L. Castleberry, Resident Engineer, Childress, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. 3-2tc

**NOTICE TO BANKS**

On Monday, February 10, 1969, at 10:00 a.m., the Commissioners' Court of Briscoe County, Texas, will open applications by any banking corporation, association or individual banker of such County, for designation as depository of County and County School Funds.

Applications shall state the amount of paid up capital stock, permanent surplus and financial condition of said bank, and shall be accompanied by a certified check of one half (1/2) of one (1) per cent of \$155,027.00 (which is the amount of receipts of the County, and

County School for the year 1968 as a guarantee of good faith. All negotiations to comply with Article 2544, Texas Civil Statutes, and any other statutes governing county depositories.  
M. G. Moreland  
County Judge  
Briscoe County, Texas

Mrs. R. E. Stephens was admitted to Swisher Memorial Hospital late Sunday evening. Mrs. McMinn and Mrs. Paul Ledbetter visited her there Monday afternoon.

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