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FFA Boys Contract Sale of Feed Lot Stock

Sixteen FFA boys who have been feeding 58 head of Hereford heifers, contracted the sale of & Co. Wednesday of last week. The heifers will be delivered to the Santa Fe stock pens Monday morning, May 12. They will be shipped immediately to Oklahoma City where they will be slaughtered.

Thirty-five of the heifers were contracted at \$25.75 with a 2% shrink, while five of the heifers are contracted at \$25.25. The remainder of the heifers will either be sold through local auctions, or consumed locally. Neil Harris has sold his 14 heifers to local cafes for \$25.00. Some of the cattle have been sold to neighbors of the boys. According to the Armour buyer, the 35 heifers on the top end of the contract will grade high choice, while the lower end of the contracted heifers will grade low choice.

Those interested in commercial feeding are invited to see the cattle at the Santa Fe stock pens on the morning of delivery.

FFA boys participating in the program are: Cagle Kendrick, Garry Dettle, Neil Harris, Jimmy Cameron, Hal Bennett, James Spurlock, Joedale Reasing, Garry Mathews, Leon Eden, Karl Kirkwood, Kenneth Knight, Charles Clements, Stephen Cleavinger, Jerry Davis, Robert Ritchey and Joe Ray Brown.

Miss Davis Plans June Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Davis of Conlen announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jessie Mae, to Gerald Preston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Granvil Preston.

The wedding will take place at 4:00 p. m. Thursday, June 5, in the First Christian Church in Stratford. Friends of the couple are invited. No invitations will be mailed.

The bride-elect and prospective bridegroom are students in Stratford High School.

Clyde Tharp Succumbs To Ill Health

Clyde Tharp, 60, died April 20 in Ann Arbor, Michigan, after a prolonged illness. He lived in Stratford as a young man and left the county when he was called into military service in World War I. After the war he made his home in Kansas, and moved to Michigan about 15 years ago.

Tharp is survived by his wife of Ann Arbor, Michigan, and three sisters, Mrs. Homer Smith of Stratford, Mrs. John K. Shaw of San Diego, California, and Mrs. Delbert Michaels of San Pedro, California.

Lt. Bill Kennedy Leaves For Service In Korea

Lt. Bill Kennedy, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton, left Monday of last week for Oakland, California. He was in Oakland for five days for processing before leaving Saturday night for Pusan, Korea where he will be assigned to duty for the next 16 months. His wife, Julaine, and son, Greg, will be with her parents while he is away.

Miss Mitts Will Marry In June



Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Mitts announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Yvonne, a senior in business administration in Texas Tech at Lubbock.

The prospective bridegroom is James P. Prichard, son of Sherman Prichard of Pampa. He is a junior at Texas Tech.

Bruce Clark, minister of the First Christian Church, will officiate at the wedding which is scheduled to take place at 9:00 a. m. Sunday, June 15, in the church sanctuary.

Miss Mitts is a graduate of Stratford High School. In her high school years she took an active part in FFA activities, was a member of the press club, took roles in both the junior and senior play, and served as a member of the annual staff and was secretary and treasurer of the pep club during her senior year.

Mr. Prichard is a graduate of Pampa High School and served two years with the U. S. Marine Corps before entering Texas Tech.

High School Band Holds Top Rating

Stratford High School Band members won their second first division rating of the year at the state regional meeting in Canyon last week. The band received a first division rating as a concert band and a second division rating in sight reading. Stratford and Spearman were the only bands in class B to win first division ratings. Memphis and Panhandle bands were the only class A bands winning the coveted rating.

Band At Festival

Stratford band members left this morning for Enid, Oklahoma to attend the Tri-State Band Festival for bands, orchestras and choruses. Bands from 11 states will attend the festival.

Stratford will compete in concert music, sight reading and stage band events. Twelve members of the band and chorus have been invited to play with the Tri-State Band, a group selected from the 100 bands which will attend the festival. Plans have been made for 600 musicians to play in this mass band concert.

The horned toad is not actually a toad; but a lizard.

Pup Wells Is Candidate For Commissioner

C. W. (Pup) Wells announces his candidacy for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct four. He appeals for the consideration and support of the voters in precinct four subject to the action of the Democratic primary election to be held Saturday, July 26.

This is Mr. Well's first experience in asking for a public office. He has been a resident of the county for eight years. During this time he has been engaged in the enterprises of a farmer-stockman and feels that he is familiar with the problems which face the citizens of this locality. Mr. Wells believes that the interests of every person should be considered with equal fairness in every decision that is made in county government, and if elected to the office he seeks, he will exert his ability to carrying the responsibilities of the office in a profitable manner for the taxpayers he serves.

In his closing remarks, Mr. Wells said, "I will appreciate the consideration and support of the voters in the coming election. If elected, I will do my best to perform the duties of the office in such a manner that my services will justify the confidence placed in me."

Plan County CROP Wheat Program

Plans for contributing Sherman County wheat for distribution in distressed countries by missionaries working in the field in cooperation with the Christian Rural Overseas Program were made in a meeting held Tuesday afternoon in the study of Rev. Charles R. Gates in the First Methodist Church.

Jim Houston, state director of CROP, and Rev. David Hamblin, district representative of Sunray, met with Ernest Goule, Conrad Riffe, Cone Donelson, F. B. Mullins and Rev. Gates, for an early discussion of arrangements.

Under the welfare program, any individual delivering wheat to an elevator, may designate an amount to be placed to the credit of CROP. Cash contributions to the drive will make possible the purchase of \$30.00 in government surplus stocks for every \$1.00 that is donated. Grain purchased for CROP will be taken out of government storage.

Tickets authorizing the donation of wheat to CROP by Sherman County producers may be secured at the elevators at Stratford, Kerrick and Conlen. Two cars of wheat has been set as the county goal for a contribution to distressed countries to be distributed by field missionaries in the Christian Rural Overseas Program.

CROP Meeting May 8

A meeting to better acquaint producers and the general public with the plans of the wheat for the CROP program will be held at the court house Thursday, May 8, at 8:00 p. m.

The Sherman County steering committee is composed of Conrad Riffe, chairman; Cone Donelson, vice-chairman; Ernest Goule, secretary; and F. B.

Pvt. Spurlock Has Completed Combat Training



Army Pvt. William A. Spurlock, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Spurlock, Sunray, recently completed basic combat training with the 2nd Armored Division at Fort Hood, Texas. Spurlock is a 1953 graduate of Sunray High School.

Spanish Classes Start Friday

Spanish classes will open Friday night of next week in the school building at 8:00 p. m. Twenty-six adults attended the meeting held in the school cafeteria Tuesday night when final arrangements were made. 40 adults have enrolled in the proposed classes.

Plans are for the classes to be held in the school building on Tuesday and Friday nights. The manager of the North Plains Immigration office will teach the classes in Spanish. He will have the aid of a lady assistant who is said to be able to speak the Spanish language fluently.

Two Officers Fly Plane To Abilene Base

Two Air Force officers flew a burning B-47 jet bomber to its home base in Abilene Monday night after the aircraft commander and one other crewman bailed out.

Lt. James E. Obenauf, 24-year old pilot, and Major Joseph B. Maxwell, a navigator, took the \$2,500,000 plane to its base. They finally extinguished the flames caused by the internal explosion in one engine. The explosion occurred as the plane was flying over Stratford about 10:30 p. m. Monday.

Major James M. Graves, 34, the aircraft commander, gave the orders to bail out. He parachuted to the Rollo Newman farm. Lt. John P. Cobb, 25, followed his commander's orders and landed in the Wilco community, not far from the Myles Floyd residence.

Graves and Cobb were taken to Coon Memorial Hospital in Dalhart for a medical examination before being released to return to their base.

A B-47 must maintain a flying speed of about 300 miles an hour to stay aloft.

An investigating board of officers has been formed to investigate the explosion that caused the loss of one engine, and why the two officers stayed aboard the damaged airplane after the aircraft commander and a navigator left the disabled plane.

Obenauf was decorated for bravery Wednesday.

Mullins and Rev. Charles R. Gates.

Demonstrate Safety For Student Drivers

Miss Palmer Gets Naval Citation

Miss Ernestine Palmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Palmer, has been awarded a \$100.00 superior accomplishment award for her work as a civil service employee at the U. S. Naval Construction Battalion Center at Port Hueneme, California.

In making the presentation of the award to Miss Palmer, Captain C. E. Spellman, commanding officer of the center, made the following comment:

"It gives me a great deal of pleasure to approve your superior accomplishment award of \$100 recommended by the material officer and endorsed by the incentive awards committee.

I have been informed that this recommendation was based on the very efficient manner in which you set up the routine and procedures for the conduct of preparing requisitions in the material department. During the period of January 1 to February 15 the \$51,000,000 procurement program was accomplished at this Center, an assignment that would have ordinarily necessitated ten months to accomplish. Your training and supervision of the additional personnel provided to perform this work resulted in the highest degree of accomplishment; an achievement that may well be considered over and above the normal job expectancy of an employee who had not previously been experienced in the supervision of such a program.

It is gratifying to know we have employees of your calibre at this activity.

As Commanding Officer I offer my personal congratulations for a job well done."

Junior-Senior Banquet Held Saturday

Stratford Juniors honored members of the Senior Class with a banquet and prom in the school cafeteria Saturday night. Bruce Clark, minister of the First Christian Church, gave the invocation. Holly Harrington, president of the junior class, spoke for the juniors in extending the welcome address. Tommy Lavake, president of the senior class, made the response. Nellie Johnson read the class history. Joedale Reasing read the class will. Glenda Green made the class prophecy.

An elaborate French menu of eight courses was served as the Stork Club presented an Ed Sullivan Variety Show composed of songs, dance acts and humorous selections.

Honor senior guests included: Paul Aduddell, Elliott Crabtree, Marvin Cotton, Bill Dyess, William K. Gamble, Larry Herald, Henry Harrisop, Tommy Lavake, Richard McMinn, Bill Minkley, Glen Naugle, Robert Ritchey, Gary Steinberger, Gracie Brooks, Mary J. Boren, Betty Bradley, Jessie Davis, Sharon Hampton, Alice Hayse Harding, Nellie Johnson, Gradene Parvin, Wilma Sneed, and Mary Lou Wells Albert. Carroll Gribble and Johnny George are the senior class sponsors.

Junior hosts at the banquet (Continued on Page 8)

Miss Johnson Bride-Elect Of O. J. Ingham



Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nellie Marian, to Orris James Ingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Ingham. The wedding will take place on June 8 in the First Baptist Church in Stratford.

Alma Casey Plans May Wedding

C. H. Casey announces the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Alma Estelle, to Douglas Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis of Quanah. The wedding will be solemnized Friday, May 23, in the First Baptist Church. Rev. M. E. Upchurch will read the wedding service.

Harrington Wins Award At PAMC

Lance Harrington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Harrington, a freshman at Panhandle Agricultural & Mechanical College in Goodwell, was honored as one of the outstanding members of the student body of the college at the Fifth All-College Recognition Day held last week on the Aggie campus. Harrington was presented the Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Graham award.

Miss Helen Muller, dean of students was the principal speaker at the Assembly held Wednesday in Hughes-Strong Hall.

Carroll Reed Initiated Into Sigma Pi Sigma

Robert Carroll Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Reed, and a senior math major, was one of 20 Texas Tech students initiated into Sigma Pi Sigma, national honorary physics society at 6:00 p. m. Friday in Science Building 44 in Lubbock.

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Safe driving must be made a personal habit of every motorist if the slaughter on America's highways is to be curbed, Vernon Gayle, safety director of the Texas Farm Bureau Safety Department, declared Friday as he spoke prior to conducting driving tests at Stratford High School.

"Excessive speed is the greatest single cause of automobile accidents," Gayle said. In the demonstration which followed, he pointed out the conditions under which even 20, 30 or 40 miles per hour can be excessive speed, he added:

"When drivers know the true facts and base their driving on those facts, highway accidents will drop sharply."

Students and teachers took part in the tests which were conducted in a specially equipped car. The test driver was signalled to stop by an electrically controlled detonator. As the shell was fired, the street was marked with yellow paint. A second bullet was fired as brakes were applied and a third after the car came to a complete stop. Distances between the spots were carefully measured to determine in feet and inches how far the car traveled before the driver applied the brakes, or the reaction distance, and how far it traveled after the brakes were applied, or the braking distance.

Gayle emphasized the fact that a driver who observes the speed laws carefully is not a safe driver if he neglects many other items such as proper signaling for turns, approaching an intersection in the proper lane for a turn, the proper way to turn around, and many other things which he demonstrated in the test car.

Friday's safety demonstration which was brought to Sherman County under the sponsorship of the Sherman County Farm Bureau as part of a long range program of traffic safety now being conducted by the Texas Farm Bureau Safety Department.

Test Results

A boy student driving at 20 miles an hour, applied his foot to the brakes after the car had traveled a distance of 26 feet and brought the car to a stop after it had traveled a distance of 30 feet and 4 inches from the time the brake was applied. The total distance the car traveled from the time of the first signal was 56 feet and 4 inches.

A girl student driving at 20 miles an hour, allowed the car to move 13 feet before applying the brakes, and stopped the car after it had traveled an additional distance of 20 feet and 3 inches. The car moved 33 feet and 8 inches after the warning signal had been fired.

A boy student driving 30 miles an hour, allowed the car to move 16 feet and 9 inches after the warning signal before applying the brakes. It required 41 feet to stop the car, the car traveling a distance of 57 feet and 9 inches after the warning signal to stop had been fired.

An adult member of the faculty driving at 40 miles an hour, allowed the car to move 21 feet and 9 inches before applying the brakes. The car moved 64 feet and 2 inches after the brakes made contact. The car moved a distance of 85 feet and 11 inches before it was brought to a standstill.

Floyd Brannan, president, Sherman County Farm Bureau, thanks the Stratford School for their cooperation in the demonstration, the students and faculty members who participated in the test and the State Department of Safety for their efforts and contribution through

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Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that the following rules are to be effective within the limits of GROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO. 2, NORTH OF THE CANADIAN RIVER as of the 17th day of May, 1958, and thereafter, in accordance with resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of said District, to-wit:

RULES OF GROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO. 2, NORTH OF THE CANADIAN RIVER.

THE RULES OF GROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO. 2, NORTH OF THE CANADIAN RIVER ARE HEREBY AMENDED, EFFECTIVE MAY 5, 1958, AS FOLLOWS:

In accordance with Section 59 of Article 16 of the Texas Constitution, and with the Statutes of the State of Texas pertaining thereto, the following rules are hereby adopted as the rules of the District by its Board of Directors. All rules or parts of rules in conflict with these rules are hereby repealed.

The rules, regulations and modes of procedure herein contained are adopted for the purpose of simplifying procedure, avoiding delays, saving expense, and facilitating the administration of the ground water laws of the State and the rules of this District. To the end that these objectives be attained, these rules shall be so construed.

These rules may be used as guides in the exercise of discretion, where discretion is vested. However, under no circumstances, and in no particular case shall they, or any of them, be construed as a limitation or restriction upon the exercise of any discretion, where such exists; nor shall they in any event be construed to deprive the Board of an exercise of powers, duties and jurisdiction conferred by law, nor to limit or restrict the amount and character of data or information which may be required for the proper administration of the law.

Rule 1 - Definitions
Unless the context hereof indicates a contrary meaning, the words hereinafter defined shall have the following meaning in these rules:

(a) The "Board" shall mean the Board of Directors of the "District," as herein defined, consisting of five (5) duly elected members as provided in Section E (3) of said Article 7880-3c.

(b) "District" shall mean Ground Water Conservation District No. 2, North of the Canadian River, maintaining its principal office in Dumas, Texas.

Where applications, reports and other papers are required to be filed with or sent to "the District," this means the District's headquarters in Dumas, Texas, P. O. Box 935. The District shall also be known as "North Plains Water Conservation District."

(c) "County Committee" means a committee of five persons elected in each county of the District which will perform such duties as the District Board may require.

(d) The term "Well" or "Water Well" shall mean and include any artificial excavation constructed to produce or which produces more than 100,000 gallons of water per day.

(e) "Water" shall mean underground water.

(f) "Owner" shall mean and include any person, firm, partnership or corporation that has the right to produce water from the land either by ownership, contract, lease, easement, or any other estate in the land.

(g) The word "waste" as used herein shall have the same meaning as defined by the 51st and 54th Legislature, as follows:

(1) The withdrawal of underground water from an underground water reservoir at such rate and in such amount so as to cause the intrusion therein of water not suitable for agricultural, gardening, domestic, or stock raising purposes;

(2) The flowing or producing of wells from an underground water reservoir when the water produced therefrom is not used for a beneficial purpose;

(3) The escape of underground water from one underground water reservoir to any other reservoir not containing underground water, as defined in said section 3c of Article 7880;

(4) The pollution or harmful alteration of the character of an underground water within the boundaries of the District by means of salt water or other deleterious matter admitted from some other stratum or strata of from the surface of the ground; and

(5) Willfully causing, suffering, or permitting underground water produced for irrigation or agricultural purposes to escape into any river, creek, or other natural watercourse, depression, or lake, reservoir, drain, or into any sewer, street, highway, road, road ditch, or upon the land of any other person than the owner of such well, or upon such public land.

(h) An "Authorized well Site" shall be:

(1) The location of a proposed well on an application duly filed until such application is denied, or

(2) The location of a proposed well on a valid permit. (An authorized well site is not a permit to drill)

(i) "Person" shall mean any individual, partnership, firm or corporation.

Rule 2 - WASTE
(a) Water shall not be produced within, or used within or

without the District, in such a manner or under such conditions as to constitute waste as defined in section (g) of Rule 1 hereof.

(b) Any person producing or using underground water shall use every possible precaution, in accordance with the most approved methods, to stop and prevent waste of such water.

RULE 3 - POLLUTION
No person shall pollute or harmfully alter the character of the underground water reservoir of the District by means of salt water or other deleterious matter admitted from some other stratum or strata or from the surface of the ground.

Rule 4 - Permit Required
(a) No person shall hereafter begin to drill or drill a well, or increase the size of a well or pump therein, which well could reasonably be expected to produce, or a pump designed to produce, in excess of 100,000 gallons of water per day, without having first applied to the Board, and received a permit to do so, unless the drilling and operation of the well is exempt by the law or by these rules. Provided that, as set out in Rule 5d hereof, and under certain conditions, an applicant may commence the drilling of a well where his application therefor has been recommended by the proper county committee.

(b) No permit shall be required for the drilling of temporary wells exempt by subsections 3 and 4a of Section D, Article 7880-3c (being generally wells used for the production of oil, gas, or other minerals and water wells used in conjunction therewith).

Rule 5 - County Committees
(a) Each County in the District shall have a County Committee composed of five members. Each portion of the County is to be represented by a County Committeeman, if practicable.

The term of the Committeeman shall be two years.

Each County shall elect two County Committeemen in January, 1960, for a term of two years on the same day the District Directors are elected. On the same day in January, 1961 each County shall elect three County Committeemen for a term of two years. Thereafter, each County shall elect County Committeemen when a term of such Committeeman expires and such election shall be held in the same day each year fixed for the election of District Directors.

Any qualified property tax paying resident voter within any commissioners precinct, may have his name placed on the ballot by being nominated by the County Committee or by petition signed by not less than five qualified voters of the commissioners precinct, which petition shall be filed with the District Board at least 20 days prior to the date of such election.

(b) The County Committees are authorized to accept applications for permits to drill wells and to perform such additional duties as are set out in these rules. The committee may designate a secretary or other person to receive and file such applications, accept deposits, to give information, issue forms, keep records, receive well logs, reports, and other information, and to perform other administrative duties. The Secretary or other authorized person who received an application for a permit shall note on the face of the application the date and time of day on which such application is received and shall give any application a serial number showing its relative priority as to time to applications later filed.

(c) It shall be the duty of the County Committee to recommend to the Board the granting or refusal of applications for permits to drill wells. The committee may hold hearings or meetings for this purpose. The signature of three County Committeemen on an application shall constitute a recommendation that the permit be granted. The refusal of three or more committeemen to sign the application shall constitute a recommendation of rejection of the application.

(d) If the County Committee shall recommend the granting of the application, and if there be no contest thereon or conflicting application, such recommendation shall be noted on the application by the County Committee. The applicant may thereupon proceed at his own risk to drill such well. The application shall not, however, be officially granted until the same shall have been passed upon and granted by the Board.

(e) If, before the Committee's recommendation of approval of an application shall have been noted on an application, a contest shall arise over the application, or if another owner shall within such time file an application for a well permit within less than the minimum spacing distance for such wells, the County Committee may conduct a hearing, upon due notice to both parties, to hear and determine the contest or to determine which of the applications should, in its judgment, be granted. In the event of a contest or such a conflicting application, no well shall be commenced until the matter is passed upon by the Board. A contest shall be deemed filed when written notification is filed with the proper County Committee. The County Committee or such person designated by it to receive such applications or notices of contests shall receive

the same and note thereon the date and time at which they were received.

The County Committee shall, in any event, forward both applications to the Board. Thereafter, both applicants, or the applicant and the contestant or contestants, after due notice, shall be entitled to a hearing before the Board. At such hearing, all parties may introduce pertinent evidence as to why the particular application of applications should be granted or denied, including evidence as to the effect on the water reservoir, the conservation and preservation of water, the prevention of waste, the protection of property rights, and other pertinent matters, which evidence shall be taken into consideration by the Board. The Board shall also take into consideration which of the applicants duly filed his application first.

(f) The County Committee shall not be authorized to receive or pass upon an application for a permit to drill a well as an exception to the spacing rules of the District. As herein stated in these rules, such applications shall be filed directly with the Board at its district headquarters.

(g) The County Committee shall receive and file applications for permits to drill recharge wells. If such applications are filed with the County Committee, the same shall be acted upon by the County Committee in the same manner as set out above for a well application and its recommendations shall be forwarded to the Board with the application. Provided, however, that if the Committee recommends that the application be granted, the drilling of such recharge well shall not be commenced until the application shall have been granted by the Board under such directions and regulations as it may provide.

(h) If any application is not favorably recommended by the County Committee, the applicant shall have the right to appeal to the Board. Such appeal must be filed with a member of the Board or the manager of the District or written notice by registered mail given to the Board within fifteen (15) days from the time that the action of the County Committee denied the applications. Such time shall begin to run from the date of the meeting of the County Committee at which such action is announced. If there be no meeting of the Committee but three members thereof decline to sign the application, then the time shall begin to run from the date on which the third member refuses to sign the application. If no such appeal is taken, the application shall be deemed to have been abandoned by the applicant, and the action on the Committee shall be final. Upon receipt of such appeal the Board shall fix a time and place for such hearing and notify the necessary parties thereof.

(i) If any County Committeeman shall resign, become incapacitated, or in the judgment of the District Board has failed to fulfill the duties of his office, then the District Board may declare a vacancy and appoint a successor to complete the unexpired term.

(j) The County Committee also:

(1) Shall hold meetings as needed to carry on the District business at the office of the County Secretary or other designated location.

(2) Shall receive, file and transmit to the District office all applications.

(3) May nominate candidates for the office of District Director for the District precinct in which such county is located.

(4) May nominate candidates for the office of County Committeeman.

(5) Shall communicate to the District Board any information concerning the wishes of the people of the county.

(6) Shall report to the District office any violations of the District rules with the Committee's recommendations.

RULE 6 - DEPOSITS
Each application for a permit to drill a well shall be accompanied by a \$25.00 deposit which shall be accepted by the County Committee of the County in which the well is to be drilled. Said deposit shall be returned to the applicant by the District if (1) the application is denied, or (2) if the application is granted, upon receipt of corrected, completed registration and log of the well, or (3) if said permit location is abandoned without having been drilled, upon return and surrender of said permit marked "abandoned" by the applicant. In event neither the registration and log of the well nor the permit marked abandoned is returned to such District within one year after the approval date of the permit or the extension date thereof, the said deposit shall become the property of the District. All deposits heretofore made or which shall hereafter be made shall become the property of the District, if such registration and log or permit has not been returned or is not returned to the District office within one year from the approval date of the permit.

Rule 7 - Issuance Of Permits
(a) The Board shall issue or cause to be issued a drilling permit for a well properly spaced upon proper application executed and filed by the owner or his authorized agent with the proper County Committee and containing the matters specified below. An application shall be

considered filed when properly made out, completed, and signed and tendered to a member of the County Committee or a person duly designated by such committee to receive the same. Such application shall promptly be given a number as provided for in Rule 5d above.

Such applications shall be on forms provided by the District and shall be in writing and shall be prepared in accordance with and contain the information called for in the form of application, if any, prescribed by the Board, and all instructions which may have been issued by the Board with respect to the filing of an application. Otherwise, the application will not be considered.

(b) Information as to the exact location of the well to be drilled, including the section, block, survey or league and exact number of yards to the two nearest property lines; or other legal description; and the county in which the land is located.

(c) A statement as to the proposed use of the well to be drilled, whether municipal, industrial, or irrigation.

(d) The name and address of the driller or contractor and the date drilling operations are to begin.

(e) A statement as to the exact location of the three (3) closest adjacent wells within half a mile of the proposed location, together with the names and addresses of the owners.

(f) An agreement by the applicant that a complete well registration and log will be furnished to the District by the applicant upon completion of this well and prior to the production of water therefrom.

Rule 8 - Requirement Of Driller's Log, Casing And Pump Data
(a) Complete records shall be kept and reports thereof made to the District concerning the

SIZE PUMP
(Inside Diameter of Column Pipe)
4-inch or smaller pump
5-inch pump
6-inch pump
8-inch pump
10-inch or larger pump

(b) It is contemplated that the pumps of the respective sizes set out above shall refer to the inside diameter of the pump column pipe and shall produce water at the ordinary

SIZE OF PUMP:
(Inside Diameter of Column Pipe)
4-inch or smaller pump
5-inch pump
6-inch pump
8-inch pump
10-inch pump

If the pump which is to be used by the applicant is of a different size or type, or is to be operated at a different rate in gallons per minute from the pumps in general use as set out above, such fact shall be made known in the application; and in such case, the actual rate at which the well is to be pumped shall be the determining factor in the spacing for such well instead of the size of the pump. A pump to be operated against an artificial head in a closed or semi-closed system shall be given special consideration.

(c) It shall be considered to be a fraud upon the District and on the adjacent landowners for any applicant to willfully give erroneous information in his application. If any operator willfully produces his well at a higher rate than represented in his application and/or approved in his permit, such action may be enjoined by the Board.

Rule 10 - Exception To Spacing Rule
(a) In order to protect vested property rights, to prevent waste, to prevent confiscation of property, or to protect correlative rights, the Board may grant exceptions to the above spacing regulations. This rule shall not be construed so as to limit the power of the Board, and the powers stated are cumulative only of all other powers possessed by the Board.

(b) If an exception to such spacing regulations is desired, application therefor shall be submitted by the applicant in writing to the Board at its District Office on forms furnished by the District. The application shall be accompanied by a plan or sketch, drawn to scale of one (1) inch equaling two hundred (200) yards. The plan or sketch shall show thereon the property lines in the immediate area and shall show accurately to scale all wells within a quarter mile of the proposed well site. The application shall also contain the names and addresses of all property owners adjoining the tract on which the well is to be located and the ownership of the wells within a quarter mile of the proposed location. Such application and plat shall state that all facts therein are true and correct.

(c) Such exception may be granted ten (10) days after written notice has been given to the applicant and all adjoining owners and all well owners within a quarter mile of the proposed location and after a public hearing at which all interested parties may appear and be heard, and after the Board has decided that an exception should be granted. Provided, however, that if all such owners execute a waiver in writing stating that they do not object to the granting of such exception, the Board may thereupon proceed to decide upon the granting or refusing of such application without notice or hearing except to the

drilling, equipping and completion of all wells drilled. Such records shall include an accurate driller's log, any electric log shall have been made, and such additional data concerning the description of the well, its discharge, and its equipment as may be required by the Board. Such records shall be filed with the District Board within 30 days after the completion of the well.

(b) No person shall produce water from any well hereafter drilled and equipped within the District, except that necessary to the drilling and testing of such well and equipment, unless or until the District has been furnished an accurate driller's log, any electric log which shall have been made, and a registration of the well correctly furnishing all available information required on the forms furnished by the District.

Rule 9 - Spacing Of Wells
(a) Wells to be drilled after the effective date of these rules shall be spaced as follows:
A well to be equipped with a 4-inch or smaller pump shall be located at least 200 yards from the nearest well or authorized well site; a well to be equipped with a 5-inch pump shall be located at least 250 yards from the nearest well or authorized well site; a well to be equipped with a 6-inch pump shall be located at least 300 yards from the nearest well or authorized well site; a well to be equipped with an 8-inch pump shall be located at least 400 yards from the nearest well or authorized well site; and a well to be equipped with a 10-inch or larger pump shall be located at least 500 yards from the nearest well or authorized well site. An authorized well site is not a permit to drill.

(1) The location of a proposed well on valid permit.

MINIMUM DISTANCE
(From nearest well or authorized well site)
Minimum distance: 200 yards
Minimum distance: 250 yards
Minimum distance: 300 yards
Minimum distance: 400 yards
Minimum distance: 500 yards

or usual pumping rates of pumps of such sizes. The ordinary or usual pumping rates of such pumps are to be regarded as follows:

ORDINARY PUMPING CAPACITY
70 to 265 G. P. M.
265 to 390 G. P. M.
390 to 750 G. P. M.
750 to 1200 G. P. M.
More than 1200 G. P. M.

applicant. The applicant may also waive notice or hearing or both.

Rule 11 - Place Of Drilling Of Well
After an application for a well permit has been granted, the well, if drilled, must be drilled within ten yards of the location specified in the permit, and not elsewhere. If the well should be commenced or drilled at a different location, the drilling or operation of such well may be enjoined by the Board pursuant to Article 7880-3c, Section B (9).

Rule 12 - Reworking Or Replacing Of Well
(a) No person shall rework, redrill, or re-equip a well in a manner that would increase the rate of production of water from such well beyond any previous normal rate of production of such well without first having made an application to the Board, and having been granted a permit by the Board, to do so. Nor shall any person rework or replace a well without a permit from the Board. A replacement well, in order to be considered as such, must be drilled within one hundred fifty (150) feet of the old well and not elsewhere. It must not be located toward any other well or authorized well site unless the new location complies with the minimum spacing requirements set out in Rule 9 (a); otherwise the replacement well shall be considered to be a new well for which application must be made under Rule 9 above.

Immediately upon completion of a replacement well, the old well shall be:

(1) Filled and abandoned; or
(2) Properly equipped in such a manner that it cannot produce more than 100,000 gallons of water a day; or
(3) Closed in accordance with Article 1721, Texas Penal Code, being Acts 51st Legislature (1949) p. 509, Ch. 281. Violation of such Article is made punishable thereby by a fine of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$500.00.

An application to rework, re-equip, redrill, or replace an existing well may be granted by the Board without notice or hearing.

(b) The size or capacity of the pump on a well shall not be hereafter changed to a larger size or capacity so as to substantially increase the rate of production of a well without a permit from the Board. (For example, changed from a 6-inch to an 8-inch pump, as set out above). Such permit may be granted only after written notice to adjacent owners and owners of a well within a quarter of a mile from such well and a public hearing, as provided in Rule 10 (c) above, and after an decision by the Board that such change will not cause unreasonable interference between wells,

waste, or confiscation of property. Provided that if the adjacent owners and owners of a well within a quarter of a mile indicate to the Board in writing that they have no objection to the proposed change, then the Board may proceed to decide such matter. Provided that if the well is a sufficient distance from other wells to comply with spacing regulations for new wells of the desired capacity the Board may proceed to act on such application.

(c) In the event the application meets all spacing requirements and no contest is filed, the Board may grant such application without further action.

Rule 13 - Time During Which A Permit Shall Remain Valid
Any permit granted hereunder shall be valid if the work permitted shall have been completed within four (4) months from the filing date of the application. It shall thereafter be void. Provided, however, that the Board, for good cause, may extend the life of such permit for an additional four (4) months if an application for such extension shall have been made to the County Committee during the first four (4) months period. Provided, further, that when it is made known to the Board that a proposed project will take more time to complete, the Board, upon receiving written application may grant such time as is reasonably necessary to complete such project.

Rule 14 - Recharge Wells
Applications shall be made to and permits must be obtained from the Board to drill and complete recharge wells. Applications therefor shall state that it is an application for a recharge well. It shall be filed with the proper County Committee and shall contain the information required herein for new wells insofar as is applicable. After the well shall have been drilled, the owner shall promptly furnish the District with a completion report.

Recharge wells shall be completed and equipped in such a manner as to protect human life. The owner of such recharge well shall assume and shall be charged with full responsibility for the prevention of pollution from such well.

Rule 15 - Final Orders Of The Board
The orders of the Board in any non-contested application or proceeding shall become the final order of the Board on the day it is entered by the Board. All orders of the Board in contested applications, appeals or other proceedings shall contain a statement that the same was contested. In such event the order will become final after fifteen (15) days from the entry thereof and be binding on the parties thereto unless a motion for rehearing is filed under Rule 15 hereof.

Rule 16 - REHEARING
(a) Any person whose application is denied, whose contest is overruled, or who is not granted the relief desired, may file with the Board a motion for rehearing within fifteen (15) days from the announcement by the Board of its decision or action. The Board shall act thereon within a reasonable time. If such motion for rehearing is filed and is overruled, the order of the Board shall file on the date the motion is overruled.

(b) The Board may, in a proper case, find that an emergency exists and that substantial injustice will result from delay. In that event, and upon the recitation of such finding, the order of the Board will become final on the date of the announcement of the order by the Board, and no motion for rehearing will be considered thereon.

(c) If an application or a contest is denied by the Board or adverse recommendations made by the County Committee and if the applicant or contestant shall not have had and shall not have been afforded an opportunity for a hearing before the County Committee or the Board, as elsewhere provided by these rules, the applicant or contestant shall be entitled to a hearing before the County Committee or the Board, as elsewhere provided by these rules, the applicant or contestant shall be entitled to a hearing before the Board. A written request to the Board for such a hearing, stating such facts as shall be filed with the Board within the above fifteen (15) days period. If such motion is in order and is duly filed, the Board shall give notice to the applicant and all proper and necessary parties of the time and place of such hearing, and shall proceed to conduct such a hearing.

Rule 17 - Right To Inspect And Test Wells
Any authorized officer, employee, agent, or representative of the District shall have the right at all reasonable times to enter upon lands upon which a well or wells may be located within the boundaries of the District, to inspect such well or wells and to read, or interpret any meter, weir box or other instrument for the purpose of measuring production of water from said well or wells or for determining the pumping capacity of said well or wells; and any authorized officer, employee, agent or representative of the District shall have the right at all reasonable times to enter upon any lands upon which a well or wells may be located within the boundaries of the District for the purposes of testing the pump and the power

unit of the well or wells and of making any other reasonable and necessary inspections and tests that may be required or necessary for the formulation or the enforcement of the rules and regulations of the District. The operation of any well may be enjoined by the Board immediately upon refusal to permit the gathering of information as above provided from such well.

Rule 18 - Rules Governing Protests
(a) NOTICE OF PROTEST: In the event anyone should desire to protest or oppose any pending matter before the Board, or desires to prosecute his appeal from the action of a County Committee, a written notice of protest or opposition shall be filed with the Board on or before the date on which such application or matter has been set for hearing. For the convenience of the Board, it is urged that protests be filed at least five days before the hearing date.

(b) PROTEST REQUIREMENTS: Protests shall be submitted in writing with a duplicate copy to the opposite party or parties and shall comply in substance with the following requirements:

(1) Each protest shall show the name and address of the protestant and show that protestant has read either the application or a notice relative thereto published by the Board.

(2) There shall be an allegation of injury to protestant which will result from the proposed action or matter or to be considered by the Board.

(3) If the protest is based upon claim of interference with some present right of protestant, it shall include a statement of the basis of protestant's claim of right.

(4) Protestant should call attention to any amendment of the application or adjustment which, if made, would result in withdrawal of the protest.

(c) CONTESTED APPLICATIONS OR PROCEEDINGS DEFINED: An application, appeal, motion or proceeding pending before the Board is considered as contested when either protestants or intervenors, or both, files the notice of protest as above set out and appears at the hearing held on the application, appeal from a County Committee, motion or proceeding and present testimony or evidence in support of their contentions, or present a question or questions of law with regard to the application, motion or proceeding. Where neither protestants nor intervenors so appear and offer testimony or evidence in support of their contentions, or raise a question of law with reverence to any pending application, motion or proceeding, the same shall be considered as noncontested.

(d) In the event of a contested hearing each party shall furnish other parties to the proceeding with a copy of all motions, amendments or briefs filed by him with the Board.

Rule 19 - Changed Conditions
The decision of the Board on any matter contained herein may be reconsidered by it on its own motion or upon motion showing changed conditions, or upon the discovery of new or different conditions or facts after the hearing or decision on such matter. If the Board should decide to reconsider a matter after having announced a ruling or decision, or after having finally granted or denied the application, it shall give notice to persons who were proper parties to the original action, and such persons shall be entitled to a hearing thereon if they file a request therefor within fifteen days from the day of the mailing of such notice.

Rule 20 - General Rules Of Procedure For Hearing
(a) Hearing will be conducted in such manner as the Board deems most suitable to the particular case, and technical rules of legal and court procedure need not be applied. It is the purpose of the Board to obtain all the relevant information and testimony pertaining to the issue before it as conveniently, inexpensively and as expeditiously as possible without prejudicing the rights of either applicants or protestants.

(b) WHO MAY APPEAR: Any party at interest in a proceeding may appear either in person or by attorney or both in such proceeding. A party at interest is any person owning a water right within the bounds of the District who is or may be affected by such proceeding. At the discretion of the Board anyone not a party at interest in a proceeding may appear.

(c) ADMISSIBILITY: Evidence will be admitted if it is of that quality upon which reasonable persons are accustomed to rely in the conduct of serious affairs. It is intended that needful and proper evidence shall be conveniently, inexpensively and speedily produced while preserving the substantial rights of the parties to the proceeding.

(d) TESTIMONY SHALL BE PERTINENT: The testimony shall be confined to the subject matter contained in the application or contest. In the event that any party at a hearing shall pursue a line of testimony or interrogation of a witness that is clearly irrelevant, incompetent or immaterial, the person conducting the hearing may forthwith terminate such line of interrogation.

(e) A STIPULATION: Evidence may be stipulated by agreement of all parties at interest.

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School Committee Completes Study

The Sherman County Hale-Aiken Committee has been meeting since mid-February studying and analyzing the educational system of this county. The committee of 24 permanent

members and approximately 15 to 20 invited members have met 8 times. Each meeting has usually taken approximately three hours.

The four phases studied were: the school program, teachers supply, school construction, and finance.

Permanent committee members are: Aubrey Rasor, Gruver, Terry House, Texhoma, George Riffe, Texhoma, George Derryberry, Texhoma, Mansel Roach, Texhoma, Bill Worley, Texhoma, Ralph Renner, Texhoma, Mrs. J. E. Crabtree, Conlen, Mrs. Earl Riffe, Stratford, George Jeffcoat, Stratford, Cone Donelson, Stratford, Kenneth Kendrick, Stratford, John Knight, Stratford, F. B. Mullins, Stratford, A. L. King, Stratford, A. E. Pronger Jr., Stratford, R. W. Standefer Jr., Stratford, Mrs. Herbert Folsom, Stratford, O. L. McMinn, Stratford, W. O. Bryant, Stratford, Clyde M. Hudson, Stratford, H. T. Galloway, Stratford, Mrs. Arlyn Haile, Stratford, and Rev. M. E. Upchurch, Stratford.

The committee found all four phases studied in very good order. However, certain recommendations were made in all four phases of study. The recommendations were:

- School Program**
- 1. The state program should allot money to help pay qualified physical education teacher as a part of the teacher allotment for schools.
- 2. That vocational agriculture I be put on a one period basis, abolishing the double period required.
- 3. All subjects by law to be taught

HANK'S INVENTION

By Lyle Pace

EVERYBODY in Plainville said Ellen Mason was a sweet girl. No one could deny she was also the most beautiful young woman in town. She had money, too, or rather old man Mason, as they all called him, did. He was Ellen's father and owned the big factory that spread itself nearly over half the town. But that wasn't all he owned. There were other enterprises John P. Mason had his fingers in. So many, in fact, that the boys down at the barber shop joked about how John P., himself, didn't know how many things he was running at the same time.

But about Ellen. Just nineteen and fresh as a new peach. She'd never been serious about any of the boys in town, and some said Ellen didn't know how to be serious about anything. That is, until Hank Lawson came to town to sell John P. on an idea.

Hank Lawson had come to town just to see Ellen's father, but he didn't make a very good impression on John P. that first day.

To sort of give you some background a minute, old man Mason was sort of eccentric. I mean in the way he dressed and turned up at the oddest places. Like meeting the train.

Well, the day Hank came into town, John P. was just standing there on the platform watching the cars slow down, and as Hank stepped off the train he motioned to John P., thinking that Ellen's father was just hanging around the station, hoping to get a bag to carry and make himself a tip.

"Say, old timer," Hank said. "Here's a quarter. How about you taking this bag down to the hotel for me?"

Well, John P. never had lacked a sense of humor and so he went along with the idea. He took the quarter, picked up the bag and carried it down to his own hotel. The boys around the station got quite a kick out of it, and as John P. went out of sight, one of

then went up to Hank and grinned. "You picked a distinguished porter, son. You know who that is carrying your bag?"

"First time in this town, mister," Hank said. "Can't say as he looks very distinguished to me."

The boys chuckled over that and turned away. Hank scratched his head for a second, and walked to the hotel.

He found out about John P. down there. He was all for taking the next train out of town. But of course he didn't, because that was when he ran into Ellen. He just about knocked her down as she was turning the corner from the hotel and he was on his way out with his bag.

Hank put up in the hotel for a couple of days, and he managed to see Ellen quite a bit, too. They took a canoe up the river and went on a picnic together.

It was about two thirty on that Saturday afternoon, and the day was getting hotter. There hadn't been a cloud for weeks, and all of a sudden there was a million of them and it started to pour.

About that time, Hank and Ellen were out on the river in a canoe. When the rain was over about an hour later there wasn't a thing on the river, and everybody gave them up for drowned.

Just when things got organized to drag the river and find out for sure, Ellen and Hank came walking into town.

Hank and Ellen got married soon after that. They live up on Maple Street now and have a couple of fine little boys. John P. Mason's got a new business, too. He paid his son-in-law plenty for the idea Hank had come to town to sell him.

Maybe you've seen it in the stores. You carry it in your pocket like a handkerchief. It inflates like a balloon, and in case you find yourself in water you can't get out of, you just blow it up. They call it Mason's Jiffy Life Raft.



by LYN CONNELLY

EVER since Tommy Sands made his big TV splash, replete with movie and TV offers galore, we wondered whether the sudden success might have gone to his head. . . . We knew Tommy when he was 12 and doing a local TV show called "Lady of the Mountain" . . . He was an appealing youngster who could sing folk songs the way they should be sung and played the guitar well . . . He idolized Eddy Arnold then and we idolized him for his refreshing little-boy qualities . . . It was with much nostalgia that we rejoiced at his jet-like spurt in the entertainment field.

Several weeks ago, Tommy came back to Chicago, his home town, to meet the press and publicize his first movie, "Sing, Boy, Sing" . . . Joy Layne, 16-year-old Mercury Records artist, who is another refreshing sweet-natured and completely natural person, wanted to meet him . . . and did . . . Had he changed? Not from the report garnered from Joy who was very impressed with the 20-year-old Tommy, just as we had been with the 12-year-old.

He invited her to his press dinner and they discussed their respective careers . . . He is down-to-earth, modest and very frank, Joy said—and she should know, because she's the same way . . . When he promised to call her up and say goodbye to her she thought he would surely forget in the rush of activities planned for his three-day visit . . . But bright and early on Monday morning, just before she left for school, he was up and on the telephone.

It is extremely gratifying to find such likeable youngsters getting a good break and we hope they stay on top for many, many years . . .

to be continued. Cotton grading to be left on required list, even so it has no place in this area. 4. A foreign language to be required for high school graduation. 5. Speech to be added and required for high school students. 6. That Spanish be added to the list of subjects taught in grade school. 7. That the state legislature provide for guidance and counselor need in sparsely populated areas. 8. Children to be divided on basis of teachers diagnosis and reliable test into groups so that individual differences can be adequately met. 9. Evidence of instances where children are required to take vocational courses when the student has no other alternative. 10. That driver training course not be a part of the school curriculum, but be done in connection with the highway department. 11. Inadequate library for elementary school. 12. Additional money be used on library books, films, and teaching aids. 13. Transportation is adequate.

Teachers Supply

Three additional teachers for Stratford School as follows: 1. One teacher for upper elementary, so as to departmentalize. 2. One physical education teacher. 3. One additional teacher for high school. That local board consider payment of rent or provide low cost housing for teachers. A higher salary for teachers. Study be made for need of tenure law for teachers. Study be made to eliminate some required educational courses for teachers on college level.

School Construction

The committee was unanimous that additional classrooms were needed for the Stratford School. The committee felt the minimum number of rooms would be six classrooms, four in the high school and two in the elementary school. Several felt that a provision should be made for the future by the addition of up to 10 classrooms at this time.

Finance

1. Against accepting state aid for building. 2. Against accepting federal aid for any use except lunchroom purposes. 3. Enable school district to be able to utilize the permanent school fund of Texas to build facilities by borrowing from this fund. 4. That the state per capita be distributed on an average daily attendance basis rather than on a per capita population basis. 5. If additional taxes on the

state level are needed, a sales tax is recommended rather than a state income tax or heavier additional ad valorem.



CHERRY BLOSSOM QUEEN . . . Actor Wm. Bendix crowns Carolin Drigotas of Auburn, Maine, at Washington, D.C. festivities.

Nickel, which was first isolated as an element only in 1751, has been found to be present in significant amounts in certain bronze tools and implements made almost 6,000 years ago.

Among the smallest political bodies in the world are Vatican City (890 inhabitants in 1948), Andorra (5,000), Monaco (22,000), Liechtenstein (14,000), and San Marino (13,000).

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FOR SALE: Pair of boys cowboy boot overshoes, size 5 1/2. — Mrs. Grover Keown. 13-tfc

FOR SALE: Good clean cotton mattress, almost new, \$15; light bed springs \$1.00; 3-piece Bedroom Suite \$20.00; 3-piece Living Room Suite, bargain at \$15.00; 1 sofa, real good, \$17.50; 1 good large Servel Refrigerator \$35.00; 2 chairs, cheap, need repairs; 1 cook stove \$2.50. — See Chas. S. Jacobs. 17-3tp

FOR SALE: Practically new varnished Kitchen Cabinets and Sink. — Lone Star Motel. 18-2tc

FOR SALE: Modern Furnished House and Modern unfurnished House. Call Mrs. R. B. Terrell, Phone 2491. 44-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 6-room Brick home, A-1 condition, well located, will finance. — Mrs. Joe Bass, Dalhart, Texas. 16-4tc

FOR SALE: 1949 model 30 Oliver Combine, in good condition, electric lift. — Jack Detle, Box 201, or phone 3866. 17-tfc

FOR SALE: 1956 Singer Portable with attachments, like new. Guarantee still in effect for person with good credit, for 3 payments of \$6.64 each. Write Credit Manager, Box 1344, Enid, Oklahoma. 18-2tc

Kimball Consoleletto Spinnet Piano, slightly used, will sacrifice price rather than return to our Garden City store. Terms available. If interested, write or call collect to Clark Music Co., 609 N. 8th St., Garden City, Kansas. Phone Bridge 6-7362. 18-2tc

FOR SALE: Section 224, Block I.N.O. Dallam County, 400 acres good land to irrigate with irrigation water under it. One mile from paved road with road easement to get to this section. — J. E. Crabtree, Conlen, Texas. 18-1tc

Wanted

WANTED: Custom Plowing — William G. Hart, Box 761. 17-tfc

Announcements



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I will continue writing State Farm Insurance although I am working at the Sherman County Abstract Co. — Mrs. R. B. Terrell. 30-tfc

"ITS IN THE BAG," your opportunity to win up to 50% of \$100.00 May 7th and 8th. — Roxy Theatre. 18-1tc

EXTRA 10% discount on spring sale of Arzberg China. — Bonar Gift House. 18-tfc

I WILL be in Stratford next week. Persons in need of piano tuning please leave word at the Star office. — John Mauser, Guymon. 18-1tc

For Rent

FOR RENT: Three room furnished apartment. — Paul Aduddell, Phone 2846. 26-tfc

FOR RENT: Furnished 3 room modern House, Frigidaire and Shower, \$40.00 month. See Mrs. R. B. Terrell, Phone 2491. 32tc

APARTMENT for rent. — C. T. Watson. 21-tfc

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Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Ballengee, Phillips, visited relatives and friends in Stratford Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Ouin and daughters and Mrs. T. L. Wakefield were in Guymon for dental appointments Saturday.

Millard Dovel, Muskogee, Oklahoma, who came to be with his sister, Mrs. E. Hill, who is ill, is also visiting another sister, Mrs. E. H. Hudson and a brother, Bernard Dovel and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Lyons, Canyon, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton Sunday.

Mrs. C. T. Watson and Mrs. Houston Cates were visitors in Dumas Tuesday.

Harold Roberts attended the Texas Lumbermen's convention in Houston the first of the week.

Homer Blake was a business visitor in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ramey, Hereford, were guests in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Caraway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. June Renfro, Channing, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Massie Sunday.

C. L. Roach, Texhoma, was a business visitor here Monday.

L. J. Davis attended a Chevrolet dealers meeting in Oklahoma City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Chisum and daughter, Edna, their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Wayne Chisum, and Mr. Chisum's mother, Mrs. T. J. Chisum, all of San Jon, New Mexico, were guests Saturday night and Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake in the Blake home.

Arthur Ross and son, Bill, attended the funeral of a cousin in Copeland, Kansas Monday.

Mrs. Lelah Boney, Mrs. Russell Beall, H. M. Flores, Earl Riffe and Graydon Gamble appeared as witnesses in federal court in Dallas Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Baker and sons, E. H. and Billy, visited in the home of Mrs. Baker's mother in Amarillo Saturday.

John Lavake attended the sale in Dalhart Thursday.

Mrs. Lester Hurst was in Boise City for a dental appointment today.

Karen and Donnie Woolsey went by train to Liberal, Kansas Saturday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Garoutte. Mr. and Mrs. Woolsey drove to Liberal and brought them home Sunday.

Mrs. L. E. Bonar, returned Thursday of last week from Wichita, Kansas, where she had visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Skillman and daughters. Little Stephanie Skillman returned home with her grandmother for a visit.

Rev. Gene Harrison, Boise City, visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton, Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Arthur Lee Ross, Allen and Jean Anne, were dental patients in Boise City, Saturday.

Henry Yates, Texhoma, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton have as a guest, their daughter, Mrs. Helen Forester, of Niles, California.

George Jeffcoat was a business visitor in Pampa Monday.

M. H. Harrison transacted business in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum and Mrs. Homer Blake and Tommy went to Halstead, Kansas Friday, where Mrs. Chisum had a medical check-up.

Mrs. Elma McDaniel returned home Monday from Houston where she went for an annual medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton visited relatives in Dumas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wohlford were visitors in Plainview Sunday.

Mrs. Lorraine Mehner and Dolly, Mrs. Arthur Ross and Bonnie Ross visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ross and attended the celebration in Spearman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Halle, Plains, Kansas, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton over the week end.

Mrs. Dorothy Slay is visiting in the home of her daughter in Dallas.

Mrs. Lelah Boney spent the week end in Amarillo visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Marjorie Rayburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Riffe and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Riffe attended the grainmen's convention in Dallas Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Post-Nuptial Shower Saturday For Mrs. Albert

Mrs. Raymond Albert was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. H. B. Norris Saturday from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m.

Miss Nellie Johnson registered about forty guests and Mrs. George Harding assisted the bride in showing the many lovely gifts. Miss Mary Janice Boren, a close friend of the bride, served the guests from a lovely silver coffee service.

The brides chosen colors of yellow and white were used to decorate the lovely serving table, where a large yellow satin bow made a pathway leading to a white floral arrangement with a miniature bride standing among the flowers. The table appointments of silver were highlighted by the beautifully embroidered nylon cloth over yellow. The napkins of white were printed in silver with the bride's nickname, "Shorty and Raymond."

Many lovely and useful gifts were received by the bride and groom.

Mrs. Earl Kirkwood Is Star Club Hostess

The Star Home Demonstration Club met April 15 in the home of Mrs. Earl Kirkwood. Nine members enjoyed the slides of South Texas and Mexico, taken by Mrs. Willard Searth. The program, given by Mrs. Kirkwood, was on shrubs and trees.

The next regular meeting will be at 11:30 a. m. on May 6 in the home of Mrs. Roscoe Dyess.

Celebrate Birthday With Mrs. Snodgrass

Mrs. S. N. Snodgrass, Dumas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton, was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening of last week, when family members arrived at her home to help her celebrate her birthday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sutton and Lynda, Mrs. Helen Forester of Niles, California, who is visiting her parents, the A. L. Suttons and other relatives, and a cousin, Rev. Gene Harrison of Boise City.

THANK YOU

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'88' Club Has Fish Fry At Wells Home

Several friends gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pup Wells for a fish fry Monday evening. The fish were caught by the men a week ago at Possum Kingdom lake. The evening was spent playing "88."

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Plunk and children, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Cotney and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and Dewayne, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Mitts and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Leeman Underwood and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Woolsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Steinberger and children, Slavin Rhea, Mr. and Mrs. Wells and Allen Wayne.

Housewarming At Roy Roper Home Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roper greeted guests who called at their country home Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock for an informal chicken spaghetti dinner and housewarming.

The buffet dinner included chicken spaghetti, broccoli, a tossed salad, hot rolls, relishes, coffee and tea. The dessert course was served after party games.

Guests showered Mr. and Mrs. Roper with gifts for the newly completed home.

Attending were Messrs. and Mesdames John Boney, Henry Wyatt, Ben Archer, Dean Cluck, Vance Morris, J. R. Morris, Sidney Park, and Orville Matthews, Mesdames Luther Vaughn and Kay Bain of Clarendon, and James Washburn.



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M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.
Intermediate Fellowship 6:00 p. m.
Junior additional session 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
Wesleyan Guild meets fourth Monday night of each month at 8:00 p. m.
W. S. C. S. Circles meet Wednesdays.
Official Board meeting second Tuesday of each month.

Assembly Of God Church

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Young People 6:00 p. m.
Children's Church 6:00 p. m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday night service 8:00 p. m.
The public is invited to all services.

Wednesday afternoon the Womens Missionary Council opened their meeting with prayer in the council room of the church. A short business meeting was held after which the ladies worked on a quilt to be given to a missionary.
Sunday night the C.A. group opened their meeting with prayer followed by a song service. The theme of the service was entitled, "Know The Lord." Two poems entitled "He Stumped His Toe," and "A Stranger," were read. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Catholic Chapel

(Rev. James W. Sonderman, Mission Pastor, Phone Dalhart 235)

Masses: Sunday 9:00 a. m.
Confession: Sunday 8:15 a. m.
Catechism Classes: Sunday 8:15 a. m.
Altar Society: Wednesday 8:00 p. m. (Stratford ladies to be hostesses.)

The annual spring meeting of the Amarillo District DCCW was held Tuesday in St. Joseph's Church in Amarillo. One of the highlights of the meeting was the four workshops on the subjects of spiritual development and youth, rural life, legislation, and literature and libraries.

Two skits about organization and development showed the do's and don'ts of making parish work successful. Holy Mass was offered just before the noon luncheon.

The luncheon hour was highlighted with addresses from Auxiliary Bishop J. L. Morkovskiy and Bishop Fitzsimmon.

After lunch a playlet portraying the Message of Lourdes, the theme of the meeting, was acted out by St. Mary's Parish in Amarillo. This was followed by a traffic safety talk given by Hal Wyck, traffic safety manager for Amarillo. The pupils of Blessed Martin Mission School in Amarillo gave a skit and songs entitled "The Seven Sacraments." This was followed by a business meeting and the election and installation of the new officers for the next year. The meeting was closed with the benediction in St. Joseph's Church.

Mrs. Joe Walsh, Mrs. Ray Doerfler, Mrs. Jack Pugh and Mrs. Teddy Irbeck attended the meeting and enjoyed it and the delicious luncheon very much.

Church of Christ

(L. L. Thornton, Minister)

Sunday Services
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Worship 10:55 a. m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.
Tuesday
Ladies class 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday
Bible study 7:30 p. m.
A friendly welcome awaits you at all services.

Study Club To Collect Costumes Saturday Afternoon

Costumes which have served their usefulness to the owners may be placed in the Prospectus Study Club costume room to be used at a future time by others, according to an announcement made this week.

Representatives of the Study Club will be at the costume room on the third floor of the courthouse to accept costumes from 3:00 to 5:00 p. m. Saturday.

Costumes will be stored and classified by study club members. The costume property will be available for the use of anyone desiring it on future occasions.

Mrs. Joe Everett Entertains Southside Club

The Southside Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday of last week in the home of Mrs. Joe Everett. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Don Ellison.

Roll call was answered with flowers suitable for the county. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. John Lavake May 1.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Meritt Sweny, Neal Spurlock, Laurence Sweny, Neal Spurlock, Lawrence Naylor, Don Ellison, Vernon Tor, Mrs. Roberta Ford.

The Welland Canal carried ships around Niagara Falls.

Authorized Political Announcements

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Saturday, July 26.

For County Commissioner of Precinct 2:
E. W. CARTER

For County Commissioner, Precinct 4:
F. M. KEENER
C. W. (Pup) WELLS

For Justice of the Peace of Precinct Four:
E. B. McQUEEN
BURK GREEN
MRS. ETHEL SKILLIN

For County and District Clerk:
MRS. LELAH BONEY

For County Treasurer:
MRS. DOROTHY R. SLAY

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent of Schools:
CLYDE HUDSON
SAM L. CUNNINGHAM

For District Judge, 69th Judicial District:
HARRY SCHULTZ

For State Representative, 95th District:
J. W. (Buck) BUCHANAN
BOB PORTER

Miss Taylor Is Honoree At Prenuptial Shower

Miss Patricia Taylor was honored with a bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Leslie Parker, Saturday, April 19.

As guests arrived, each made a wish in writing for the bride, and put the wish in a small blue china wishing well placed near the entrance.

Mrs. Bob Newman of Borger presided at the guest book, and also assisted Mrs. Elwood Gillis in serving refreshments to approximately 100 guests. The serving table was covered with white net over blue satin, and centered with a wishing well made of blue net, made by Mrs. Kenneth Kendrick and Mrs. Cone Donelson.

Hostesses were Mesdames O. H. Ingham, Ben Biddy, Cone Donelson, Don Riffe, Louie Green, George Jeffcoat, Leslie Parker, H. L. McMahon, Elwood Gillis, Kenneth Kendrick, L. L. Grimes and Bob Newman.

Professional Womens Club Entertains

The Stratford Business and Professional Womens Club entertained several prospective members with a tea Thursday, April 24, at 7:30 p. m. at the school cafeteria.

Miss Ann Hastings, district director of Plainview, spoke to the group on "Membership values."

Those present were the guests, Mesdames Bessie Stone, Ruby Neal, Rex Hudson, Harold Roberts and Sam Lasley, and the members, Mesdames Jim Quisenberry, Clyde Hudson, Fred Mercer, Charles Cameron, R. B. Musick and Jack Davis.

Mrs. F. A. Judd Is Embroidery Club Hostess

The Embroidery Club met with Mrs. F. A. Judd April 17. After a season of sewing and conversation, delicious ice cream and cake were served to Mesdames C. W. Moon, Roy Allen, E. C. Buckles, Agnes Foster, J. G. Cummings, Zelda Dunlap, Grover Keown, Royal Pendleton, A. E. Pronger, D. D. Woodall, H. M. Williams, H. L. Vincent, G. L. Taylor, Paul Aduddell, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Sallie V. McAdams Thursday, May 8, at 12:30.

APPRECIATION

I wish to express my appreciation to my many friends for the flowers, cards and visits which I enjoyed while I was in the hospital.
Bill Garrison

Among the Sick

Mrs. King Fike took her mother, Mrs. V. M. King, to her home in Dalhart Sunday. Mrs. King became ill Saturday.

J. C. Muir was brought home Wednesday morning from Dumas Memorial Hospital where he has been under medical care.

Mrs. E. Hill, a surgical patient in Dumas Memorial Hospital, was expected to be well enough to be brought home today (Thursday).

Barry Kent and Tana Gail Smith, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith, had their tonsils removed in Dumas Memorial Hospital Monday.

Mrs. Granvil Preston was brought home Wednesday from Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo where she underwent major surgery.

J. P. Cameron is on the sick list this week.

Philip Blanck was brought home Monday from Dumas Memorial Hospital where he has been a medical patient.

Mrs. H. J. Cooper was brought home Saturday from Dumas Memorial Hospital. She was a medical patient.

Jim Oquin underwent a major operation on his left eye in St. Anthony Hospital in Amarillo Wednesday. Mrs. Oquin and her aunt, Mrs. Katy Rogers, are in Amarillo with him.

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Cities To See

St. Augustine Retains Old World Charm



OLDEST HOUSE—ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA.

IN THE pages of Americana, many cities are associated with the words "romantic" and "historic." And, when such is mentioned, one city comes immediately to mind—St. Augustine, Florida.

Rich in historical interest and Old World charm, St. Augustine is the nation's oldest city. It was on August 28th (St. Augustine's Day), 1565 . . . some 42 years before the settlement of Jamestown and 55 years before the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock . . . that the Spaniards arrived at Indian Village of Seloy, renamed it St. Augustine and claimed "the land of Florida," for Spain.

Prior to Florida's annexation by the United States in 1821, the city was ruled for two centuries by the Spanish. It was an English colony for twenty years and then reverted to Spain again.

The sound of musket and cannon have many times echoed over historic St. Augustine. In 1586 the city was attacked and burned by Sir Francis Drake. Eighty-two years later, Capt. John Davis and his British buccaneers pillaged the city, but left without burning it. After this attack, the Spaniards built a citadel of stone—the Castillo de San Marcos. This fort withstood many attacks, and remains today as the oldest standing fortification in the U. S.

Oglethorpe Failed
British General Oglethorpe of Georgia twice attacked St. Augustine without success. In 1817 General Andrew Jackson invaded West Florida and on July 10, 1820, the

Stars and Stripes were raised over St. Augustine, following cession of Florida from Spain.

Almost immediately after it became a part of the United States, St. Augustine began to slowly gain renown as a health resort. Early visitors included Prince Achille Murat (nephew of Napoleon), and Ralph Waldo Emerson, a promising young writer.

In the 1880's, Henry M. Flagler, a visiting millionaire, was captured by the old-world charm and flavor of St. Augustine. His vision and efforts brought great hotels, the extension of the railroad, and an influx of tourists that has continued to this day.

City of Charm
The charm of St. Augustine is found in its climate, a wealth of sub-tropical flowers and foliage, and the many revealing evidences of its storied past.

Mrs. Scarth In Body Cast

Mrs. Willard Scarth has been placed in a body cast with her right arm raised in order to allow ligaments torn loose in a car accident near Oklahoma City Sunday of last week, an opportunity to heal. Mr. and Mrs. Scarth were visiting relatives in Oklahoma City at the time of the accident. Six were in Mrs. Scarth's brother's car at the time of the accident. She was the most seriously injured.

Mrs. Chisum Breaks Left Arm In Fall

Mrs. T. D. Chisum fractured bones in her left arm just above the wrist and sustained a deep laceration in her left knee Saturday when she fell down a flight of stairs in a Halstead, Kansas hotel. Mrs. Chisum was in Halstead for a medical examination at the time.

Mr. Chisum, and their daughter and her son, Mrs. Homer Blake and Tommy, brought Mrs. Chisum home Sunday.

THE ELK

Menu May 5-9

(By Betty Bradley)

Monday: Wieners and kraut, mashed potatoes, peas, carrot sticks, rolls, butter, fruit and milk.

Tuesday: Hamburgers, cheese, potatoes, salad, banana cake, and milk.

Wednesday: Smothered steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, celery, rolls, butter, apple cobbler and milk.

Thursday: Stew, lettuce and tomato salad, cornbread, butter, peach cobbler and milk.

Friday: Roast, gravy, dressing, green beans, carrot sticks, rolls, butter and milk.

Coming Events

(By Betty Bradley)

On Friday, May 9, at 7:30 the senior class will present their play, "Desperate Ambrose." It

is a three-act comedy. The admission prices are adults 50c and ages 6 to 12, 25c.

Saturday night, May 10, the F.H.A. girls will give the Mother and Daughter banquet.

Raise \$170 For Crippled Children

Stratford Lions raised \$170 for the Crippled Children's Home in Kerrville, Texas at the breakfast they sponsored at the Lions District Convention in Dalhart Saturday morning. The money was raised by the sale of bandanna handkerchiefs to guests at the western style breakfast.

The Lions served 236 people. George Dick led the group singing. Kay Jacobs, Frankie Aduddell and Glenda Lee Green

SPORTS CORNER



MASTER GOLFER . . . Arnold Palmer, 28, of Latrobe, Pa., won Masters Golf tournament at Augusta, Ga., with 72 hole score of 284. His money prize was \$11,250.

Derby Time
Many roads lead to Louisville each May for the famous racing event, the Kentucky Derby. The thriving city bustles at its seams with visitors from all over the world. People come to see the famous "run for the roses," but they come for fun, too. Louisville's efforts to provide entertainment is making the event a springtime spectacular. Derby Day, 1958: May 3—but Derby visitors have a habit of coming early and staying late. For early arrivals, there is sport car racing in Louisville, an A.A.U. handball tourney, fireworks show, the Pegasus Parade, square dancing exhibitions, an all-star basketball game, Country Music Show, and boxing. As to the race itself, the 1958 Derby will be the eighty-fourth running of the event. Nineteen winners of the race are still living. Omaha, 1935 winner is the oldest. Bold Venture, 1936 winner, died recently at King Ranch Farm outside Lexington, Kentucky.

sang two numbers.

Billy Hunter, a member of the South Amarillo Lions Club, was elected governor of District 2-T1.

Lions approved the division of the state into 15 districts. Previously the state has been divided into 8 districts. The change in districts will become effective in 1959.

Plainview was selected as the 1959 convention city.

Larry Seaman Plans La Rel Drive-In Opening

Larry Seaman is making plans to open the La Rel Drive-In Theatre located on U.S. 287 in the northwestern edge of Stratford, the latter part of next week.

Sound and projection equipment is scheduled to arrive Monday, and weather conditions permitting, installation will be completed within a few days.

Lions Entertain Play Cast

Members of the cast of characters who took part in the Lions club play, "Sunkissed," were guests of the club Monday night. Cagle Kendrick, an FFA speaker, and Ann Caraway, a junior declamation contestant, entertained the group with their speeches.

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2. Fulgurant means (a) overflowing; (b) sallow; (c) flashing.
3. The saluki is (a) an African Gazelle; (b) hunting dog; (c) conveyance.

ANSWERS

- 1. Bird.
2. Flashing.
3. Hunting dog.

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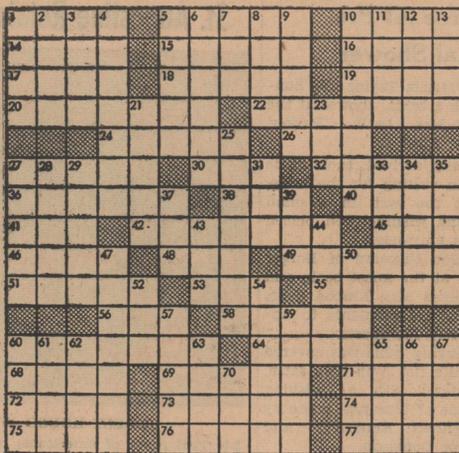
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BEAUTY PIERCES CURTAIN... First "Iron curtain" delegate to compete in "Miss Universe" contest at Long Beach, Cal., will be Alice Bobrowska, 21, of Krakow, Poland.

Lake Superior is the world's largest fresh-water lake. It is 603 feet above sea level. Its waters drain into the Atlantic through Lake Huron, Erie, and Ontario, and the St. Lawrence River.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE



PUZZLE No. 495

ACROSS
1 Homeless child
5 Delicacies
10 Not subject to fading
14 Vedic fire
15 Bay window
16 Singing voice
17 Transgressions
18 Theater passageway
19 Burden
20 Own
22 Bird dogs
24 Speak
26 Pedal digit
27 Arms
30 Place
32 South Seas canoe
36 Foreigners
38 Edible seed
40 Satisfy
41 Glove (var.)
42 Accompanies
45 Male offspring
46 Scotch for own
49 Protect
51 Asterisk
53 Creek
55 Tied to letter
56 Pair (abbr.)
58 Furlong

DOWN
1 Stinging insect
2 Exchange discount
3 Hotels
4 Fish (cont.)
5 Shore line
6 Gets up
7 It is
8 Finless fish (pl.)
9 Shower
10 Wavers
11 Succulent plant
12 Asterisk
13 Bushy clumps
21 Tied to mount to heaven on eagle
23 Child's toy

25 Does penance for
27 Domestic cat
28 To nullify
29 Ceremonies
31 Number
33 Fertile spots in desert
34 Make explosion for
35 Dispatches
37 As a
38 Sum up
43 Cravat
44 Part of flower
47 Old movie starring Norma Shearer.

50 Tails
52 Indeed (Anglo-Irish)
54 Be present at
57 Gut line attached to fishhook
59 Alewives
60 Ointment
61 Lamb's pen name
62 Breathe in quick gasps
63 Silkworm
65 Arrow poison
66 Heating vessel
67 Drunkards
70 Scotch for John

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Answer to Puzzle No. 494



From The Barnesboro Star, Barnesboro, Pa.: A firm and emphatic two-pronged policy is needed by the present administration to bring the United States out of its present business doldrums and restore a semblance of prosperity to this greatest of nations in the world.

The first and easiest step is currently being taken by both the state of Pennsylvania and the federal government. This is the promotion of job-producing projects, such as the building of highways, schools, recreation parks, and other government-sponsored projects.

The second step is one that will take some "grits" in the part of the politicians, many of them facing reelection this year. It is for Congress to tell labor and industry that they must hold the line on wages and prices. If wages and prices are not stabilized, then the pump-priming will bring further inflation and the nation will be worse off than ever.

given a rousing welcome on either side. But it should be given serious consideration at this stage of our battle to stem the growing tide of unemployment. There is absolutely no point in the government spending money on job-producing projects if the fruits of the campaign are to be devoured by higher prices.

Labor leaders should consider the welfare of the entire nation, not just of their union coffers, and temper their demands to meet present conditions. By the same token, industry must hold the line on prices. But too often we find unscrupulous ones in both camps who will take advantage of the situation. These, in turn, prompt others to follow suit. That is why we recommend federal control of prices and wages at this time.

From the South Pasadena Review, South Pasadena, Calif.: It's an ill wind that blows nobody good, and even the scientific hurricane stirred up by Russia's space satellites may puff a few benefits the American taxpayers' way.

If the reports are verified by future events, Comrade Khrushchev may inadvertently and ironically have made of himself a capitalist hero.



IN HISTORY books, 1958 will go down as the year that man penetrated outer space.

In science books, it could well be the year that man first penetrated international boundaries for his common good.

This is the International Geophysical Year. I-G-Y are the magic initials for the world's greatest cooperative effort since time began—the exploration and measurement of all the large-scale aspects of the Earth, the major land and sea areas, the core and crust, the deep ocean currents, the tides, weather and climate, high atmosphere, and surrounding space.

One of the reasons this particular period was chosen for these studies is that this is a time when activity on the sun, which has great effect on meteorological conditions, is expected to reach a maximum, says C. Charles Miesse, supervisor of combustion research at Armour Research Foundation of Illinois Institute of Technology.

While there exists rivalry in the satellite race and there are ominous military overtones of space advantage, the avowed purpose of IGY itself is completely devoid of either political intrigue or military strategy, Miesse said.

The IGY studies should provide valuable information in many fields. Man will probably learn more about the electrified layers of high air above the earth (from about 40 miles to 400 miles) which reflect radio waves. The grand cycle which carries water from

ocean to atmosphere to land and back again may be better understood. The shape and size of the earth is still not accurately known. In experiments with satellites, scientists hope to discover the strength of the Earth's gravitational pull in remote, uncharted areas, and hence the corresponding slight distortions made on the satellite's orbit.

Cosmic rays, the mysterious particles that constantly bombard our world from outer space have energies greater than ever produced by man, and there is much to be learned about them. Investigation of cosmic rays before they are filtered and absorbed by the Earth's atmosphere should provide valuable understanding of the underlying nature of matter.

One per cent of the world's water supply is locked in thick ice fields which cover one-tenth of the Earth's surface. Since there seems to be a trend towards a warmer climate, shipping in often ice-locked ports of the far north, and conceivably, flooding of important coastal cities are possibilities that man must consider.

Although three-quarters of the Earth's surface is water, efforts have so far failed to produce any appreciable change in the distribution of rainfall. The satellites which now are racing around the world, and the men and machines which work on the ground—in this International Geophysical Year they are working together for the future welfare of mankind.

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(a) **COMPUTING TIME:** In computing any period of time prescribed or allowed by these rules, by order of the Board, or by any applicable statute, the day of the act, event or default from which the designated period of time begins to run is not to be included, but the last day of the period so computed is to be included, unless it be a Sunday or legal holiday, in which event the period runs until the end of the next day which is neither a Sunday nor a legal holiday.

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Legal Notice

MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE

(Construction and Maintenance Agreement)

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE PORTION OF (Highway 54) Texas Avenue in the City of Stratford, between the following limits, to-wit: from Poplar Street to Spruce Street, herein after referred to as "the project" and authorizing the mayor of the city to execute and the city secretary to affix the corporate seal and attest the same, a certain contract between the city and the State of Texas providing for the construction, maintenance, existence and use of said project; and determining the liabilities and responsibilities of the city and the State of Texas with reference thereto; and declaring an emergency and providing that the ordinance shall be effective from and after its passage.

STATE OF TEXAS
County of Sherman

I, Dan Foreman, the duly appointed, qualified and acting city secretary of the City of Stratford, Texas hereby certify that the above caption constitutes a true and correct copy of an ordinance duly passed by the City Council at a meeting held on April 28, A. D. 1958, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

To certify which, witness my hand and seal of the City of Stratford, Texas, this 28th day of April, 1958, at Stratford, Texas.

DAN FOREMAN
City Secretary of the City of Stratford, Texas.

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MUNICIPAL MAINTENANCE ORDINANCE

An ordinance providing for the maintenance of certain State Highways and/or portions of State Highways in the City of Stratford, County of Sherman, Texas, hereby referred to as municipal maintenance project and authorizing the Mayor of the City or other authorized city official, to execute and affix the corporate seal and attest same. A certain agreement between the city and the State of Texas, providing for the maintenance and use of the said maintenance project; and declaring an emergency and providing that this ordinance should be effective from and after its passage.

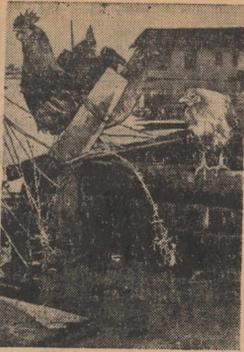
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WATER COVERS BAY AREA
... Only a few chickens remain as floods hit Alviso, Cal., where 400 people fled, abandoning homes and livestock.

Lee DeForest carried on his first successful wireless telephone experiments, which pioneered modern radio, in a laboratory on the campus of Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago.

Between 1939 and 1952 air passenger mileage increased about twenty times in the United States and Switzerland, almost twenty-two times in the United Kingdom, more than thirty-six times in Canada and more than 40 times in Brazil.

CHATTER OF THE Plainsman

(By Brown Ross)

It has been said, "If you can keep your head while others around you are losing theirs, there is a possibility you just don't understand the situation."

We need help say the farmers. The cattlemen, expecting a turbulent market in the fall, wants help. The businessman, with his credit overextended to customers who spend their cash elsewhere, is in a dilemma, and wants help.

If you have a premonition that something is in the offing, perhaps you can interpret this directive from the metropolitan press I received this week as an on the spot news reporter in this locality, "News of illness, deaths and church news are not being used at this time."

Members of Congress were admonished this week before the U. S. Chamber of Commerce to stop fighting for preservation of the small, marginal farm and accept the trend toward large well-capitalized agricultural units. Criticism of farm belt politicians for their defense of the small one-family farm as against larger and more efficient operations came from Dean Earl L. Butz of Purdue University College of Agriculture, who was assistant secretary of agriculture until recently. Butz said it is impossible for hundreds of thousands of U. S. farms to yield their operators a decent standard of living. He said the marginal farmer should either be helped to become more efficient or encouraged to seek work elsewhere.

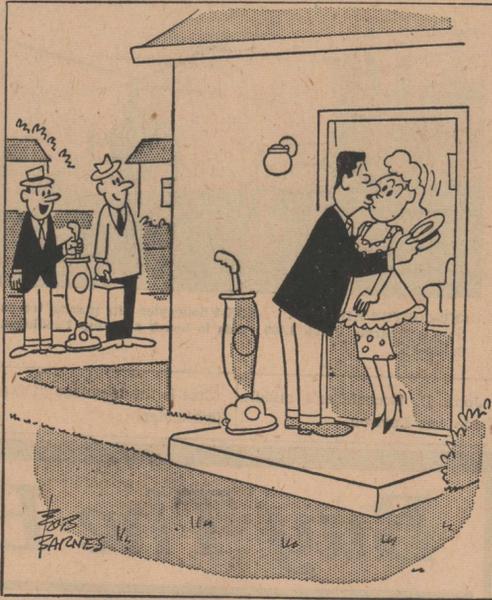
According to one of the highest paid news reporter of this nation, the continued cry for federal aid for schools has resulted in the formation of a plan which would do away with the problem of segregation and the shortage of school teachers. By acquiring a television network the federal government using only a few hundred "Master Teachers," who are perfectionist in authority and who have acquired the greatest ability in conveying knowledge to others, would be quite capable of teaching all interested students in the nation. If the reporter is correct, and the present trend continues, the vocations of the country and urban educators has a life expectancy of 3 to 5 years.

This master plan, closely associated to the social life of the American people, would be placed at the disposal of religious organizations two days a week, dissolving the need for local churches and the expense of the local clergy.

From all indications the greatest need of this locality at the present time, is the ability to establish itself in a position of some usefulness to this country.

No, it isn't a time to lose your head, there is still a possibility we just don't understand the situation. Reservations were established for the Indians. There is just a possibility the master minds of the advisory council might turn this one over to us.

LAFF OF THE WEEK



"Thompson operates on the theory that a good salesman must sell himself first."

The 52-card deck is standard only in England, France and America. The Tarot deck of 78 cards is used in the Mediterranean region; an Italian deck of 40 cards is still popular; the Spanish deck is only 48 cards and the German deck is 32 cards.

Automation, rather than eliminating the human being in the production process, is creating the need for more college-trained people and for technicians trained in the complexities of new processes.

Within the next 10 or 15 years, Americans may be able to place telephone calls to Europe by dialing the number directly on their own phones.

Washington's route of presidents and visiting celebrities stretches along Pennsylvania Avenue for a mile and a half between the Capitol and White House. When Charles Dickens came to the young city in 1842, he called it one of the capital's "spacious avenues that begin in nothing and lead nowhere."



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"I REMEMBER" BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Florence Palmer, Fort Wayne, Indiana: I remember walking to and from school. On the Illinois prairie where I lived, most of us walked approximately two miles to and from the little district school each day.

In September when school started, decked in a new calico dress (a must for the first day in school) and with our round tin dinner pail we gladly took off early in the morning. Summer, warm and hazy, still hovered over the landscape and the roads were dusty and full of yellow butterflies.

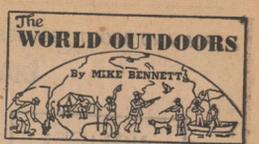
October was a brisk, pretty month and we welcomed the first frosty morning. Then came winter. The snow drifted, sometimes covering the hedge fences. We loved this. Dressed in leggings that buttoned well over our knees and with four buckled overshoes, we walked on top of the hedge to school, had snow fights and, though the oldsters grumbled about the snow, we were sorry when the spring thaw began.

There was fun in the spring, too. Most of us had rubber boots to travel the wet, muddy roads and how we enjoyed wading in the little rivers and ponds melting snow and spring rains provided. I can remember that your feet were often cold but we would venture as far as possible into the water and take as long as we possibly could to get home in the evening.

I am sure the school bus is most convenient but today's children miss something too, for we really had fun walking to and from school.

(Send contributions to this column to The Old Timer, Community Press Service, Box 39, Frankfort, Kentucky.)

An anemometer measures the velocity of the wind.



OUTDOOR activity on the move: water skiing. This year, according to the prediction of at least one expert, some two million people will learn to water ski. Such is the forecast of James Rusing, of Florida's Sunshine Springs Water Circus, himself a pioneer ski school operator and one of the all-time greats of the sport.

The two million figure becomes more impressive in view of the estimate that three and a half million people now water ski. This means that an increase of over 50 per cent is expected in 1958.

How could one account for such rapid growth? It has to be partly due to increased leisure time for the average citizen and the trend to some sort of outdoor activity to occupy that leisure time.

Much of the credit for the popularity of water skiing must go to outboard motor manufacturers who have developed motors having sufficient performance in pulling power and speed for water skiing.

Too, water skiing is as easily learned by the old as the young. It is also a group activity, in which the entire family can participate.

Man-made lakes in practically all sections of the country have opened up new water playgrounds and the trail-ability of the outboard boat has increased the number of different places the family can go to ski.

Until the modern outboard, families had to do their water skiing almost entirely with the expensive inboard-powered boats. Today, satisfactory outboard power has brought the price of the ski package of boat, motor and trailer within reach of the average family pocketbook.

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THE STRATFORD STAR

FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS

By Clare D. Smith

'Grounding' Is Disciplinary Measure

NOTICE:
YOU ARE
'GROUNDED'
TIL REPORT
CARD IS
BETTER!



Mrs. J. W. S. of Decatur, Ill., writes: "We have a teenage son (16½ to be exact) whose primary interest seems to be the family automobile and his 'steady' girl friend. The young lady is very nice and we are delighted that they enjoy each others company. And we don't mind our son having the au-

tomobile for dates. "It seems to me, though, that he is spending too much time with these new interests. As a matter of fact, we have noticed a definite drop in his grades. He doesn't seem to study as much as he did. How would you handle the situation?"

All teenage boys are interested in automobiles and girls. That's a normal and healthy attitude for this century. From the tone of your letter, I can't believe you are too concerned.

However, if you think he is spending too much time in the family car and with his girl friend, and that his grades are dropping as a result, tell him flatly you are going to "ground him." He'll get the point.

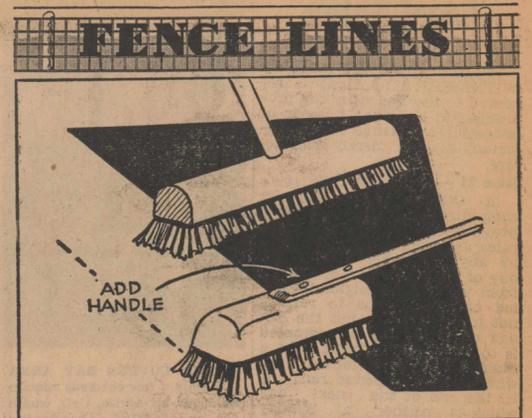
A word of caution, however. Don't "ground him" until you have given him another chance. If he gets the car once or twice a week, maintain the status quo for the time being. But tell him the next six-week report card had better meet your standards or he's grounded until it does. You won't have any trouble if you stick to it.

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



SUB-COPTER AIRLIFT . . . HOK-1 helicopter lifts marine troops from submarine Perch 4,000 yards to beach at Camp Pendleton, California.

John D. Rockefeller's middle Erse is the language of Scotch name was Davison. Highlanders.



BENCH DUSTER . . . Worn push brooms that have been replaced can be put to use as bench dusters. Cut broom in half and attach handle as shown above.

Hail Damages Wheat South Of Conlen

Hail damaged several fields of wheat south of Conlen Saturday night. Heaviest damage was reported in a field of early wheat belonging to Bill Lowe, located about 12 miles south of Conlen. An estimated 95% damage of part of the field was reported. Hail damage was also reported in the fields of Edd Garoutte, V. W. Foreman, A. C. Cleavinger, H. B. Norris and Jim Mitchell.

Pvt. Marston Has Completed Basic Training



Army Pvt. Billy B. Marston of Sunray recently completed eight weeks of basic combat training with the 2nd Armored Division at Fort Hood, Texas. Marston, whose wife, Mary, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence L. Marston, live at Sunray, is a 1953 graduate of Sunray High School. He also attended Texas Technological College. The 22-year old soldier was formerly employed by Shamrock Oil & Gas.

Demonstrate—

(Continued from Page 1) their safety program to make our highways more safe.

Buddy Hedges, district 1 field representative of the Texas Farm Bureau, of Olton, is in charge of arrangements for Safety Demonstrations in the Panhandle.

Disabled May File For New Benefits

June 30 is a very important date for many disabled people, John R. Sanderson, District Manager of the Amarillo Social Security office says.

Many people who are disabled have already filed for disability insurance benefits under the provisions of the Social Security Act, Sanderson said. There may still be some who have not applied for benefits to which they may be entitled and if not applied for before the June 30 deadline will lose them.

Workers both men and women, who have been disabled for over a year have until June 30 to file application for the disability freeze or for disability benefits if they are 50 or older. Those who have been disabled for a prolonged period and wait until after June 30 may forfeit their rights to disability benefits at age 50, to old-age benefits, and to benefits for their survivors.

Sanderson pointed out that there is no deadline for those who file for a freeze within a year from the time they become disabled. The June 30 deadline applies only to those who have been disabled for a prolonged period and who file for a freeze, not disability payments after age 50.

In addition to being "disabled," a worker must have worked under social security for some time in order to be eligible for disability insurance benefits or to have his social security record frozen. A worker must have social security credit for work in 5 out of the 10 years before he became disabled, including a year and a half out of the 3 years before the disability began.

Sanderson pointed out that there are no benefits for temporarily disabled workers under the provisions of the social security act.

Junior-Senior—

(Continued from Page 1) and prom were Bobby Burkham, Houston Cates, Larry Goule, Kenneth Knight, Cagle Kendrick, Dwayne Plunk, Gerald Preston, Robert Ragsdale, Joe-dale Reesing, James Skillin, James Spurlock, Fred Sanders, Frankie Aduddell, Ann Bradley, Ann Caraway, Alma Casey, Sharon Davis, Dorene Davis, Sonja DeBord, Sue Flores, Glenda Green, Holly Harrington, Patty Hamilton, Kay Jacobs, Pat Newman, Linda Riffe, Martha Stone and Mary Sue Taylor.

Carroll Reed—

(Continued from Page 1) Dr. Ivan L. Little, associate professor of educational philosophy, spoke on "Science and values" at the banquet which followed the initiation.

Bill Pendleton

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Safety Council Hears Governor

A safety council composed of Dan Foreman, R. W. Standefer Jr., Waylon Brown, Harold Oquin, Ross Turner, Charles Rogers, E. E. Coons and Clyde Hudson listened to the safety address of Gov. Price Daniel by radio in the county judges office Wednesday morning of last week. Coffee and doughnuts were served by the county judge during a discussion of proposed plans for a local safety program.

Slippery Anne is another name for the Queen of Spades, who is also known as Black Lady, Calamity Jane, Black Maria and the Black Widow. Slippery Anne is also a variation of the original game of Hearts where the Queen of Spades is counted as a minus card, thirteen points against the holder.

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TUNA 17	TEA — Lipton 39
Hi-Note	1/4 pound box
APRICOTS 85	P-R-O-D-U-C-E
WAPCO — WHOLE No. 2 1/2 Tin — 29¢	SPUDS \$1.39
3 Tins for 85	No. 1 Red or White
KRAFT ORANGE DRINK \$1	25 lb. bag. 1
46 Ounce Tin — 26¢	ONIONS 8
4 Tins for 1	NO. 1 — NEW CROP
CORN 85	CRYSTAL WHITE — POUND
KOUNTY KIST 12 Ounce Tin — 15¢	CUCUMBERS 19
6 tins for 85	U. S. No. 1 Slicers POUND
GREEN BEANS 35	RANCH STYLE BEANS 45
Wapco Cut NO. 303 TIN	LARGE 24 OZ. TIN
2 Tins for 35	2 tins for 45

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