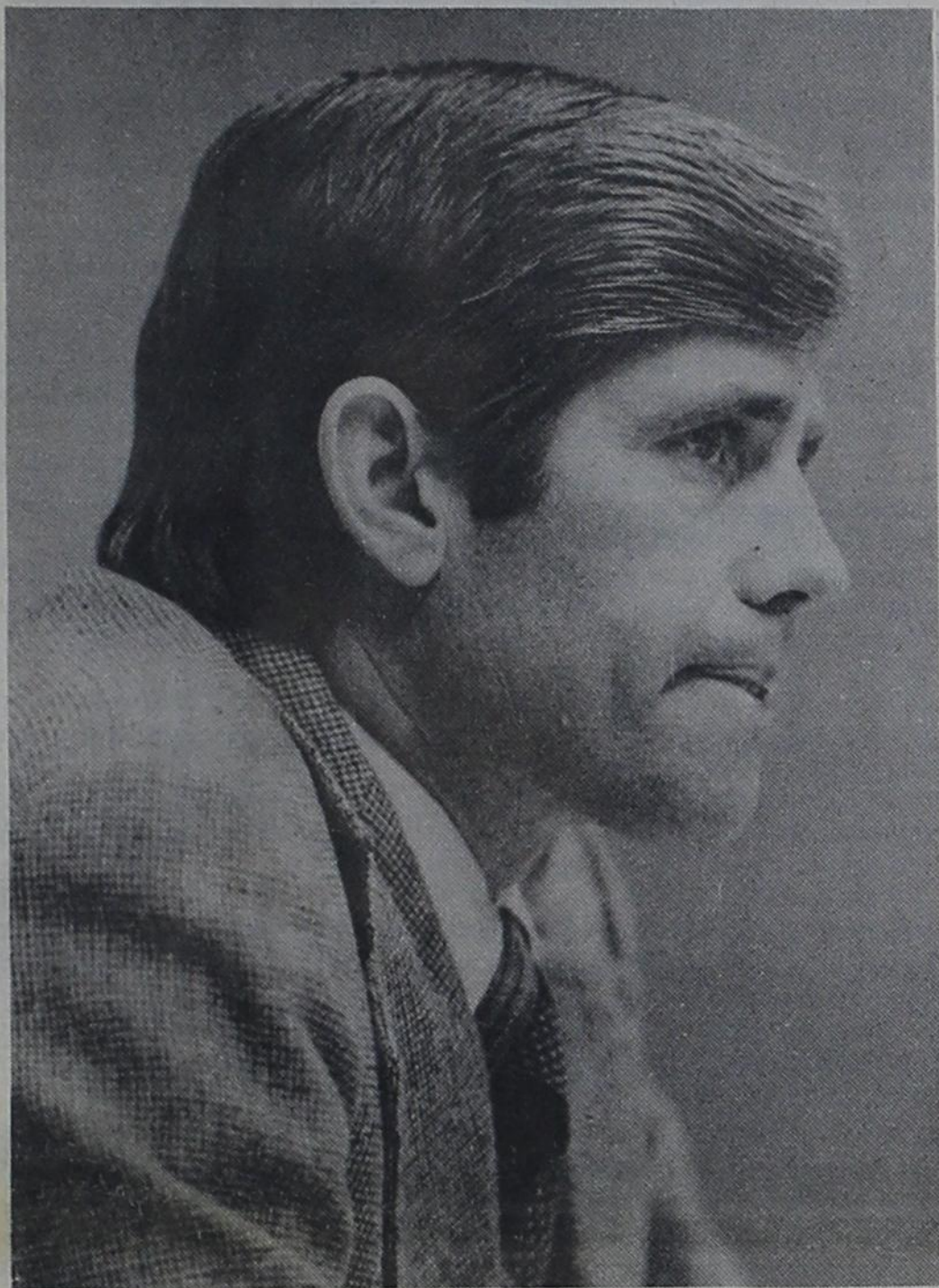




# Railroad Commission Candidate Hits Utility Companies



Labeling utility rate pass-through costs to consumers a "state and national scandal," Lane Denton, democratic candidate for the Texas Railroad Commission, Tuesday said he would conduct an independent study to audit utility company books to see if such fuel adjustment passthroughs were justified.

"The only figures we have are the ones who are being supplied by the industry," the three time Waco legislator said at the Southpark Inn. "No one knows whether the cost passthroughs are justified. Making the utilities open up their books and present the whole facts, that's where the railroad commission has to step in."

Last year, Denton said, the rate passthroughs cost Texans \$1 billion. Consumers are being charged for administrative, entertainment, and travel expenses for company executives, he said. Fuel adjustment passthroughs have been banned in 11 other states, and four attorney generals have ruled the cost passthroughs unconstitutional.

"In many places, farmers cannot afford to run their irrigation pumps by natural gas power because of its outrageous cost," the legislator said. "During the current period of drought, the situation becomes an emergency for the farmer."

"It has been a blanket unregulated passthrough of fuel costs," he said. Because the companies are not regulated, they do not have to negotiate for the cheapest source of fuel oil, Denton said, and they can be "wasteful and inefficient" in their handling of the energy source.

The former school teacher said he would go to Washington, if elected, to lobby for Texas' railroad interest.

"We don't have anybody pushing to develop our railroads in Texas," Denton said. Citing a proposed Amtrak route between Atlanta and Los Angeles, the one-time all-district basketball player said the route "should go through Lubbock."

"It's important to go to Washington and lobby for Texas' railroad service."

Denton also said he would sponsor attempts to obtain federal money for alternative energy sources.

"No one is lobbying to get funds for solar energy," he said. Denton said West Texas was ideal for such research with its climate and the location of Texas Tech University. In addition, he described a method for solid waste disposal currently being used in St. Louis which mixes the trash with lignite for a cheap energy source.

Another alternative energy source Denton said he would try to develop was the use of geothermal energy in the valley which leads to El Paso.

Denton will continue on to Morton and Turkey in West Texas before returning to Waco.

Lane Denton has sponsored legislation during his three terms dealing with agricultural reform, utility regulation, better ethics in government, and educational improvements. In 1975, he received the "Outstanding Legislative Award in Agriculture",

## Open House Set March 4th For Public Schools Week

The first week in March is Texas Public Schools week, and Shallowater Schools will have open house Thursday evening, March 4, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in observance of Public Schools Week.

The public is cordially invited to visit their school anytime, especially during the open house.

All the buildings on campus will be open for the parents and other interested persons to tour during these hours and teachers and administrators will be present to answer any questions concerning the student's work and activities.

Each teacher will be in their homeroom and the students work, textbooks and activities will be displayed and the parents will have the opportunity to meet the teacher and visit their child's classroom.

The remodeled administrative office building, facing the circle drive between junior high and the elementary buildings will be opened for the public to tour.

The building consists of offices for the school superintendent, bookkeeper, tax-assessor collector, board meeting room, kitchenette, work room, storage and the reception area.

The Shallowater FHA department will serve refreshments to the public during the open house.

So, remember Thursday, March 4 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. and drop by Shallowater schools, meet the

teachers and observe what the children are accomplishing in their school work.

Shallowater merchants are behind the local schools 100% and to show their interest in Public Schools Week, they are sponsoring a signature page this week in this issue of Suburban Today urging the public to support their school by visiting during public school week and attend open house.

Our thanks to all who participated on the signature page in observing Public School Week. Without help from you and the

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## First Baptist Acteens Attend Lubbock Meeting

The Acteens from the Shallowater First Baptist Church attended a special "Acteen Yak" in Lubbock, Saturday, Feb. 21.

Approximately 45 girls from Baptist Churches in Lubbock County met for study and fellowship at the Association Center.

At noon the girls all gathered at the Pizza Hut for lunch.

Girls attending from Shallowater were Tari Semsack, Celeste Potter, Sonja Gilmore, Dianne Dypler, Lisa Bartlett, and their sponsor, Mrs. Boyd Pearce.

## Cindy Cowart to Play in Region V NJCAA Basketball Tournament Soon

Western Texas College will host the second annual Region V National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA) women's basketball tournament Feb. 26-28, with plenty of action on tap.

Region V is considered to be one of the four strongest regions in the country, Dr. Sid Simpson, WTC Athletic Director and women's coach, said. The winner of this tournament will be a heavy favorite in the national women's tournament scheduled March 8-10 in Kansas City.

All games in the tournament will be played in the Scurry County coliseum (Snyder). Tickets will be available at the door.

Play will begin at 1:30 p.m. Thursday (Feb. 26) when Ranger Junior College meets Clarendon College. At 6 p.m., South Plains will meet McLennan Community College. Howard County will play Weatherford College at 8 p.m.

The WTC Dusters, seeded first in the tournament, drew a bye in the opening round and will meet the winner of the Ranger-Clarendon game at 8 p.m. Friday (Feb. 27). Winners of the Thursday games are scheduled to play at 6 p.m. Friday.

Cindy Cowart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cowart, and a 1975 graduate of Shallowater High School, is a member of the team.

While attending school, Cindy was a star basketball player her junior and senior year, playing forward position. She won All District honors both years.

Cindy was also a member of the National Honor Society and was Queen of the Shallowater Lions Club her senior year.

The championship game is set for 7:30 p.m. Saturday (Feb. 28).

The WTC Dusters clinched the conference title for the second



consecutive year when they defeated South Plains 76-58 on Feb. 16. The Dusters have a 22-3 record for the season.

## Piano Students Place in Contest

The Lubbock Music Teachers Association held a concert last Tuesday night in Lubbock, featuring 39 first place sonatina winners, with 450 piano students from Lubbock and surrounding towns competing.

First place winner from Shallowater was Lana Massey, with Dianne Dupler, Robin McMenamy and Amy Taylor placing second.

Others entering were Cheri Massey, Debra Crowther, Sonja Gilmore and Angie Taylor. All are piano students of Mrs. Burt Sinclair.

## Four Seeking to Fill School Board Vacancies in Shallowater District

Four men had filed Monday morning as candidates for the three vacancies on the Shallowater School Board of Trustees.

The four men who have filed are Joe Randolph, Clyde Wyche, Billy Hayslip and Bryan Burgett.

The deadline for filing, according to the election division of the secretary of state's office in Austin, is March 3rd.

Absentee voting in the election will be March 15 through March 30. Those wishing to vote absentee may do so during regular school hours. Mrs. Mary Ruth Walker will serve as absentee clerk.

The election will be held on Saturday, April 3, at the Community Building with Bob Grice serving as election judge.

## Shallowater Little Dribblers Program Presently Underway with Ten Teams

The Little Dribbler program got underway last week and several games have been played. Complete details of coaches and standings will be published in next week's issue of Suburban Today.

There are 10 teams in the program: Shallowater Shetlands, Short Shots, Green Hornets, Swampers, Green Giants, Kool and the Gang, Raiders, Magnifi-

cent Seven, Sandstorms, and Stars.

Practice is held every Saturday. In the old gym from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, teams 1 and 2; teams 3 and 4 from 1 to 3 p.m. In the new gym, teams 5 and 7 from 9 to 11 a.m., teams 6 and 8 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., and teams 9 and 10 from 1 to 3 p.m.

The playing schedule is listed below:

Monday & Thursday games in the Old Gym. Tuesday & Friday games in New Gym

	23	24	26	27	TIME
FEBRUARY					
Teams	2 vs 3 1 vs 4	8 vs 5 6 vs 7 9 vs 10	3 vs 4 1 vs 2	5 vs 6 7 vs 8 10 vs 9	6:00 to 7:00 P.M. 7:00 to 8:00 P.M. 8:00 to 9:00 P.M.
MARCH					
Teams	1 2 vs 4 1 vs 3	2 5 vs 7 6 vs 8 9 vs 10	4 1 vs 4 2 vs 3	5 8 vs 5 6 vs 7 10 vs 9	6:00 to 7:00 P.M. 7:00 to 8:00 P.M. 8:00 to 9:00 P.M.
MARCH					
Teams	8 3 vs 4 1 vs 3	9 7 vs 8 6 vs 5 9 vs 10	11 2 vs 4 3 vs 1	12 6 vs 8 5 vs 7 10 vs 9	6:00 to 7:00 P.M. 7:00 to 8:00 P.M. 8:00 to 9:00 P.M.





# Party Line

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Vaughan are in Dumas visiting their daughter, the Jimmie Clark family.

The M.T. Stantons and A.C. Wages returned home last Wednesday from fishing at Lake Corpus Christi, north of Mathis. The group reported a nice trip, bringing back a large amount of fish they caught while there.

The Joe Martinez family from Mineral Wells, along with Sandra and Moses Pena from Lubbock, were visitors for the weekend in

the homes of Tom Walker, Inez Redwine and Bill Walker families. They will be moving to Terra Haute, Indiana to open up a neuro surgeon's office soon.

Mr. and Mrs. M.T. Stanton, Jay Stanton and daughters Terri, Patti and Camie, were in Dimmitt Thursday and Friday of last week where they attended the Castro County Livestock Show. The M.T. Stanton's grandson, Adrian Stanton, won honors on two lambs and two pigs he entered in the show.

A.C. Wages suffered a heart attack Monday morning and was admitted to the West Texas Hospital.

Jake Powell was admitted to

the VA Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday for treatment.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Henry Krey were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Penner and Donald, from Rayton, Mo.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Hice was their son-in-law, Dee Roy Lemons and children, Debra, Diane and Dave of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Annie Dale visited in Littlefield Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Cecil Johnson.

T.H. Mandrell of Route 4, Lubbock, father of Mrs. Dora Greenway and Robert Mandrell, underwent surgery in Methodist Hospital Tuesday. His condition was not known at press time.

Debbie and Andrian Hillin of Abilene spent the weekend with their aunt, Mrs. Annie Dale and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Williamson returned home Saturday night from Visalia, Calif., where they were called to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Alice Williamson who was ill. At the present time she is reported doing very well.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. A.C. Woodrubb and other relatives over the weekend was her niece, Mrs. Annie Mae Fulmer, Dwain and Allen from Fannin Co.

## Women of Shallowater First Baptist Church Attend Brunch Meeting

Women from the Shallowater First Baptist Church met Tuesday, Feb. 17, at the church parsonage for brunch, with the pastor's wife, Mrs. Boyd Pearce, serving as hostess.

The meeting was on a time of recounting the role women have had in mission work through the years. Pictures, year books and clippings of past activities were collected to be put into a WМУ scrapbook.

Some of the women attending dressed in styles of past years,

wearing longer dresses, bonnets, and bobby sox, etc.

As the women remembered achievements of the past, they were challenged to make plans for future mission needs.

A delicious brunch of orange juice, egg and ham souffle, sweet rolls, coffee and tea was enjoyed by Mrs. Alice Adams, Jan Sherman, Cynthia Thornell, Sarah Masten, Marion Johnson, Bonnie Howard, Jo Hardy, Jolene Shropshire, Fay Oldham, Doreen DuLaney and the hostess.

## Father - Daughter Banquet Held at First Baptist Church Here Friday

The fathers of Acteen members were honored with a father-daughter banquet, Friday evening, Feb. 20, at the Shallowater First Baptist Church.

The "International Supper" was planned by Seena Conner as part of her studiac work.

The tables were set in an "F" formation, laid with red cloths with red, white and blue top hats for place cards. Red, white and blue streamers and white candles completed the patriotic decorations.

Each girl who attended prepared and served food prepared from recipes from Italy,

Germany, France, Russia, Mexico and Hawaii.

A very enjoyable program, planned by Seena Conner was presented with Mrs. Wana Beth Cook and Linda Burgett singing three lovely songs.

The speaker, Dalton Potter, challenged the girls to look on the inside rather than be influenced by appearance of a person only.

Fathers and daughters attending were Dalton Potter and daughter Celeste, John Ritche and Kathy; Leonard Gilmore, Sonja and Dianne; Clifford Conner and Seena; Roger Pettit and Vickie; Jim Bartlett and Lisa; Rev. Boyd Pearce and Tari Semsack.

## Rites Held for Relative of Shallowater Couple

Funeral services for 85 year old Mrs. Lillie Minton of O'Donnell, cousin of George and Elton Blackmon, were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in the O'Donnell Church of Christ with burial in the O'Donnell Cemetery.

Other survivors included four sisters and a brother.

George and Elton, accompanied by another brother, Glen Blackmon of Littlefield, attended the funeral.

## United Methodist Meet

The United Methodist Women of Shallowater met Monday evening, February 23 in the church parlor. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. R.R. Warren. Role call was answered by reading a verse from the Bible containing the word "do."

A very inspirational devotion was brought by Mrs. Robert Chandler.

The third session of our Bicentennial study was led by Rev. Tommy Ewing. The topic "Church and State," was taken from the book *The Nation Yet to Be* by Bishop James Armstrong. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Raymond Mackey.

Mrs. Tommy Ewing was hostess. Ten members attended. The next regular meeting will be March 8th.

### Open House . . .

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# SPORTS

by Joe Kelly

In a family, when a child misbehaves, father takes said child into the woodshed, or the equivalent, and chastises said child. Usually, he meets out some additional punishment.

For years the Southwest Conference was a family. It took great pride in telling everyone that it didn't need outside assistance or direction, it would take care of its own problems. And for years it did deal directly with problems within the circle.

At the same time, member institutions stayed pretty much in line. If they strayed outside the bounds, the conference pulled them. Punishment was doled out in accordance to the rules. Guilty members swallowed and accepted the decision.

The NCAA respected the Southwest Conference and usually went along without additional investigation or punishment. It knew that the conference ran a good operation.

Everyone in the United States, under our judicial situation, is considered innocent until proven guilty. This is the way our founding fathers saw fit to rule and succeeding generations have gone along with this as being fair.

For years in the SWC the ruling fathers dealt with problems on this basis. After a closed door hearing had been held, action was taken. The innocent were cleared, or the guilty accepted their punishment.

Texas A&M has defied this and, in the process, dirtied the "family" operation. A&M defied the conference, took the case of two ineligible-ruled basketball players to court and, in the process, probably opened Pandora's box.

What is most disturbing is the arrogance shown. Not only has A&M defied the conference, it has openly sneered at the ruling and, in effect, said that it is bigger than the conference.

The tragic thing is that intercollegiate athletics have been dragged into the courts, thus bypassing both the ruling conference and the overall judicial body, the NCAA. If you don't like rules and regulations, get out, but don't bring the courts into it.

There is no place in so-called amateur athletics for courts to become involved. Both the conference and the NCAA have the authority, and the ability, to judge honestly.

In drawing down the opposition of the conference, A&M has virtually invited the NCAA to make an investigation, providing the SWC is unable to convict on evidence it has.

And the NCAA is likely to go farther afield than just basketball. It might well dig deep into the overall program. Indeed, such delving might be similar to dynamiting an iceberg after the top of the berg had been exposed.

The word we have is that the conference is on solid ground. We will, of course, find out later if this is true. And the whole affair may surface—if politics doesn't enter into it.

Back in 1967 Texas blew the whistle on A&M, but when the conference considered the matter, Texas reversed its position and A&M was cleared. The story was that politicians, to whom intercollegiate athletics means little, entered the picture.

The politicians, in effect, told Texas that they held sway over the purse strings, and what was good for one, was good for another. In other words, back down or else.

Texas yielded to that pressure, which brings up the question, can lightning strike twice? This time a Texas coach, Leon Black, admitted disclosing "facts" to the conference office. And that, friends, took GUTS, in capitol letters.

Leon Black went up 100 percent in our estimation for doing what he thought was right, whether he is substantiated or not. He has been, and will be, villified by many who share the philosophy that winning, at any expense, is the only way.

Leon may well lose his job. If so, it will be a rotten miscarriage of justice. But he will be the winner in the long run. He should be praised, and defended, for his stand.

How the A&M action contrasts with Texas Tech. The Raiders played an ineligible man, Norman Reuther, by irony an assistant coach now at A&M.

When the conference office informed Tech that it had found Reuther ineligible, Tech investigated, found the evidence correct, and forfeited games in which Reuther had played. It cost Tech the championship, but Tech gained respect.

The basketball Raiders close out their conference season tonight against Houston and I, for one, hope that every seat in the Coliseum is filled. It should be.

There's no disgrace in finishing second, especially this year, and West Texas fans ought to give a rousing ovation to the seniors who have been the backbone of this outstanding club—Rick Bullock, Grady Newton and Rudy Liggins.

It's been a great season and the tournament is still to come. And, if Tech wins tonight, it will make only the fourth Tech squad ever to win 20 games in a season, maybe the first ever to win 20 during the regular season, excluding post season play.

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## Juniors Display Talents

by Laura Walker

This week's coming attraction in Shallowater High is the delightful and suspenseful, "The Greenlight." It is one of the few comedy-dramas that has been presented in the past years.

The cast consists of ten juniors who were selected earlier in the school year. Throughout the past two weeks, they have been working exceptionally hard in order to present you with a play well worth your money.

What is the secret of the old Long's ancestral Mansion? Why is Uncle Gregory so cross to his long lost niece? Who are the Heupals and where did they come from? Will Sylvia and her friends solve

the mystery or ... ?

Find out the answers to these questions March 1st and 2nd, Monday and Tuesday night. Tickets are \$2.00 for adults and \$1.00 for students. The play starts at 7:30 p.m. See you there!

## NHS Heart Fund Drive

Members of the National Honor Society spent their Sunday last week knocking on doors and collecting money for the National Heart Fund. The latest total of contributions collected is \$218.72 and money is still coming in. The NHS thanks all those who helped make this year's Heart Fund Drive a success.

**MUSTANG STAFF**  
Chris Hutchings — Senior  
Kim McMenemy — Senior  
Anita Alvarado — Senior  
Melissa Martin — Senior  
Sue Wall — Senior  
Laura Walker — Junior

## Open House At School

The first week in March is Texas Public School Week. We would like to invite you to come to school Thursday evening, March 4 from 7 to 8:30 p.m. for an Open House.

All buildings on campus will be opened on this evening, and teachers and administrators will be present to answer questions concerning your child's work or activities. Each teacher will be in their homeroom and will have a display of the students' work, textbooks, and activities. This evening open house will give all parents a chance to meet their child's teacher and visit his classroom. Although there will not be time for conferences with the teacher, appointments could be arranged for some future time.

The FHA will serve refreshments.

Even an intelligent man makes a fool of himself about some things.

Most events aren't as important as those involved consider them.

## 1976 Track and Field Rules Changed for Contests

from Interscholastic Leaguer  
1-7-3: NOTE: Beginning in 1978, requires the stopboard be placed 105 degrees with base of pole vault planting box.

1-10-5: Specifies the circumference of the relay baton must be a minimum of 4 inches and a maximum of 5 inches.

3-1-10: Authorizes the games committee to suspend a meet because of emergencies, and provides competition interrupted for these reasons shall be continued from the point of interruption unless state association rules apply.

4-2-1: Requires the referee to notify or cause to be notified, a competitor who has been disqualified.

4-3-1: Clarifies the starter, or any other official designated by him, shall give a signal at the beginning of the last lap at each individual race of 880 yards or more.

4-6-4: Includes the referee as one of the officials who may over-rule a judge's decision.

4-7-3: Provides that if only two watches record the winning time, the slower time shall be recorded.

9-3-10: Provides relay runners may use acceleration zones when both the incoming and outgoing runners are running lengths of 220 yards or less.

10-1-3: Permits the referee to alter the established order of trials in the field events when conditions might result in unfairness to any competitor.

10-1-8: In two session meets, it is recommended all competition in a field event be conducted in one session.

10-4-4: Prohibits the moving of the high jump standards, once the competition has begun.

10-4-5: Authorizes the games committee, or meet management, to specify the marking material, if any, which may be used on the high jump apron for the purpose of aiding the jumper.

10-9-1: Requires the shot to touch, or be in proximity to the chin during the act of putting.

## Shallowater School Lunch Menu

Monday, March 1

Sloppy Joe  
Buttered Corn, English Peas  
Apple Crisp, Milk

Tuesday, March 2

Pigs In A Blanket  
Green Beans with Bacon  
Tossed Salad with Dressing  
Peach Halves, Milk

Wednesday, March 3

Beef Stew with Fresh Vegetables  
Corn Bread, Crackers, Spinach  
Strawberry Short Cake, Milk

Thursday, March 4

Hamburgers on Toasted Bun  
Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickel, Onion  
French Fries with Catsup  
Peanut Butter Cookies, Milk

Friday, March 5

Burritos with Chili  
Pinto Beans with Bacon  
Corrott and Celery Sticks  
Corn Bread, Butter, Milk  
Cranberry & Applesauce Gelatin

Breakfast

Monday—Dry cereal, bananas, milk.

Tuesday—Hot biscuits, scrambled eggs, orange juice, milk.

Wednesday—Cinnamon toast, oat meal, prunes, milk.

Thursday—Sweet rolls, 1/2 orange, milk.

Friday—Buttered toast, bacon, applesauce, milk.

## Band Members Enter Regional

The Region Solo and Ensemble Contest was held last Saturday, February 21. Three Shallowater Mustang band members participated in this contest; Geniese Grawunder, George Parsley, and Alison Terry.

Ratings and medals were awarded to the participants on the basis of poise, musical interpretation and overall performance. Ratings are on the scale from I to V, with a rating of I as superior.

Alison Terry, flute; George Parsley, clarinet; and Geniese Grawunder, oboe, played a trio in the competition. They received a I rating.

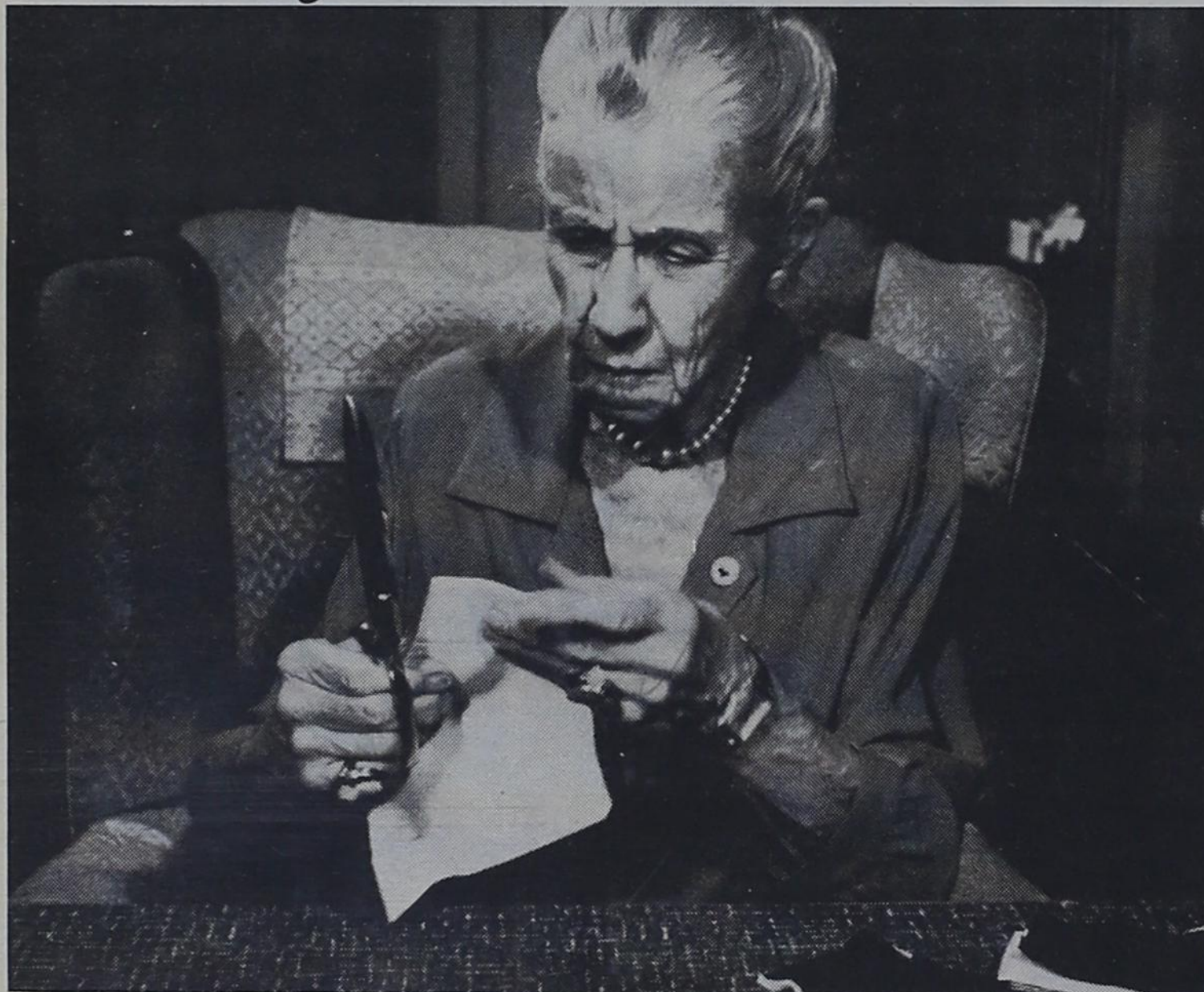
George and Geniese also played solos in the competition. Geniese received a I on her solo.

The superior ratings entitle the students to participate in the state contest May 29 and 31.

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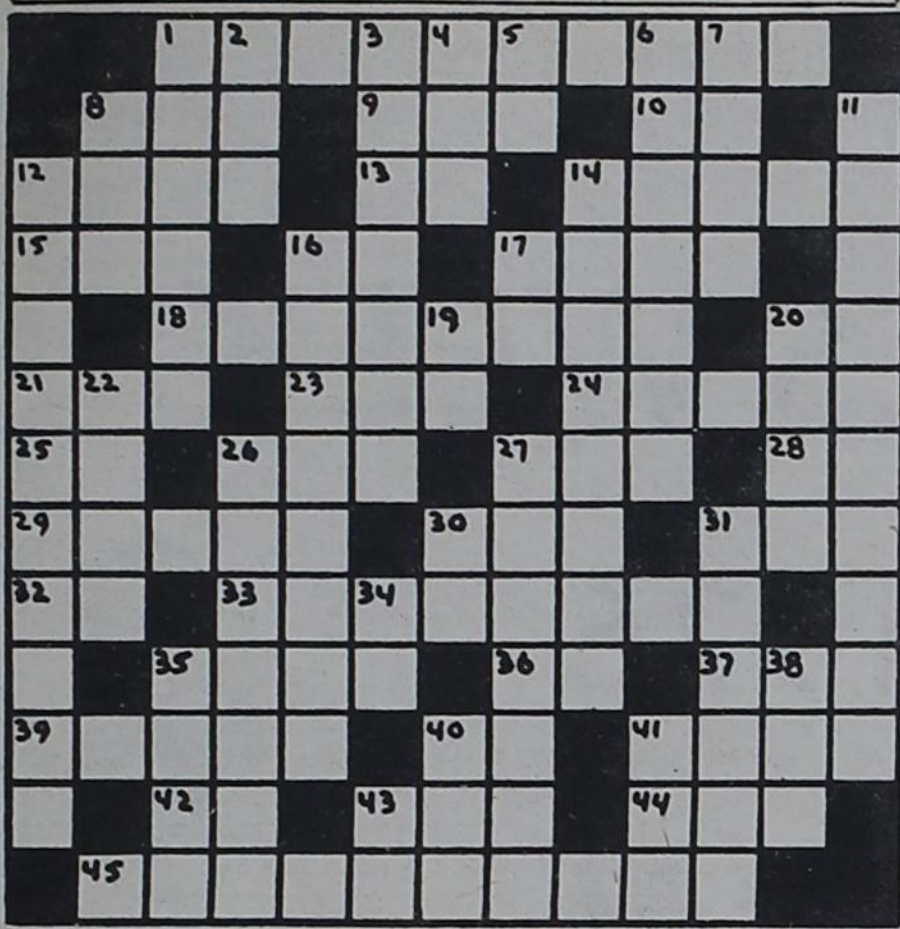
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**CROSSWORD** ~ ~ ~ By A. C. Gordon



**ACROSS**

- 1 - Striving for agreement
- 8 - Hawaiian dish
- 9 - Bomb
- 10 - Pronoun
- 12 - Small glass vessel
- 13 - Have being
- 14 - Meager
- 15 - That thing's
- 16 - Printer's unit
- 17 - Mimicker
- 18 - Malignant
- 20 - Iron (chem.)
- 21 - Men of medicine (abb.)
- 23 - Japanese coin
- 24 - Himalayan country
- 25 - Inter-American (abb.)
- 26 - Equality in a contest
- 27 - To supplement
- 28 - Ilinium (chem.)
- 29 - Slug with feeling
- 30 - ...cycle
- 31 - Before
- 32 - Tellurium (chem.)
- 33 - Reciprocated

- 35 - Church part
- 36 - Silver (chem.)
- 37 - Protagon...
- 39 - Ballots
- 40 - Indefinite article
- 41 - Man's name
- 42 - Overdraft (abb.)
- 43 - ... iron
- 44 - Lair
- 45 - Displayed repressed feelings

**DOWN**

- 1 - Proclaims proudly
- 2 - Be indisposed
- 3 - Spanish noblema



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**PUBLIC NOTICES**

**PUBLIC NOTICE FOR CITIZEN HEARING**

The city of Shallowater, Texas anticipates applying for a \$148,000 Community Development Block Grant under the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974. The City of Shallowater will hold two public hearings at 7:00 p.m. February 23 and March 1 in the City Hall, Shallowater. These meetings will be used to gain citizen input concerning the preapplication that will be submitted to the Department of Housing and Urban Development prior to March 15, 1976. Following the second hearing, the City Council will determine the projects to be submitted. Further information and assistance may be obtained at the City Hall, Shallowater, Texas, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

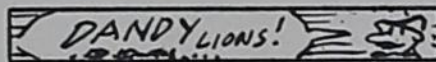
The public is encouraged to attend these meetings and participate through them in the development of the application.

**LOST AND FOUND**

LOST—Near Wolfforth, 4½ month old black bald-faced heifer. Also 450 pound Hereford type steer, yellow tag in ear. Call 866-4675.

**NOTICES**

Income Tax Service—Individual returns, \$4.00 and up; business and farm, \$20 and up. Free estimates. Call 799-5051.



Leaves and dandelions are good in salads and can be cooked as well. Some people prefer them to spinach, and they're just as rich in vitamins and minerals.

**AUTOMOBILES USED**

Pickups—1974 Chevy Cheyenne Super 350 V-8 LWB, air, auto., power, auxiliary gas tanks!!! 1972 Chevy LUV only 24,000 miles, radial tires, 4-sp. transmission!!! 1974 Chevy SWB 6-cyl. std. NEW engine!!! 1970 Chevy El Camino. NEW engine!!! Bains Motor Co., 4301 Ave. Q, 763-8823.

1960 Chevrolet pickup, LWB, \$295; 1965 Chevrolet Impala 4-Dr., \$395; Camper for LNB pickup, \$75; 1969 Ford 4-Dr., 1968 Impala 4-Dr.; Set of Chrome Wheels. Garage Sale Center, 3102 Avenue H, 744-5621.

1971 Toyota Corona Mark II, new paint, only 23,000 miles. Nice!!! 1971 Chevy Nova 2-Dr.!!! 1971 Plymouth Satellite Sebring!!! 1972 Dodge Colt, Nice!!! See at Bains Motor Co., 4301 Avenue Q, 763-8823.

1973 Pontiac Grand Prix. 1974 Chevy Monte Carlo, 15,000 miles!!! 1967 Mustang, 6 cyl., 3 speed, good!!! 1973 Mustang!!! 1972 Dodge Challenger!!! 1973 Maverick!!! See at Bains Motor Co., 4301 Avenue Q, 763-8823.

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**Frenship School Lunch Menu**

- Monday, March 1**  
Fish, Catsup  
Pinto Beans, Cornbread  
Peaches, Milk
- Tuesday, March 2**  
Stew, Pear Half  
Hot Rolls, Butter  
Oatmeal Cookie, Milk
- Wednesday, March 3**  
Hot Dog with Chili  
French Fries, Yellow Squash  
Peanut Butter Cake, Milk
- Thursday, March 4**  
Bean Chalupe, Tossed Salad  
Corn
- Friday, March 5**  
Pineapple upside down cake, Milk  
Sloppy Joe  
Potato Chips, Green Beans  
Cherry Cobbler, Milk

**Rays of Hope**

by Pat Stanton  
The Bible gives many examples of praise from man toward God. Grateful believers need to have a life style of praise.

A man who continually offers up praises to God will be a man who has a merry heart. The Proverbs say that a merry heart does good like medicine. We are strengthened as we release praises and thanksgiving.

You will also find that as you are busy praising the Lord with your lips that you will not be destroying or hurting another person with your words.

Praises belong to God. He is worthy to be praised.

Ps. 100:4, "Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise, be thankful unto him and bless his name."

Ps. 99:5, "Exalt ye the Lord our God, and worship at his footstool; for he is holy."

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