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A Fine Paper For Fine People



Jerry Gage

Jerry Gage, manager of the Donley County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation office at Clarendon, is the new president of the West Texas State University Agricultural Development Association. Gage is a native of Afton and a 1967 graduate of West Texas State University. Gage assumed his duties at the local ASC office in early March.

The association was organized five years ago to support the WTSU School of Agriculture in its growth and service to the region and over the past three years has raised \$15,000. A budget of \$6,000 has been approved for 1972. Officers and directors will hold their next meeting in June, the date to be announced.

TPCAC Now Working In Eleven Counties

The Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation is currently sponsoring vocational and skill training courses in the Panhandle area. Since the beginning of these courses in November, 1971, eleven Panhandle counties are now participating in 35 classes and new classes are to begin in 6 additional counties in late April.

A wide range of courses are available in such fields as Auto Mechanics, Farm Mechanics, Basic Electronics, Technical Office Training (typing, bookkeeping, general clerical training). This training is designed for under-qualified or under-educated individuals; and the course content, is designed to suit the particular needs of the students.

Students in many communities use the Technical Office Training courses to upgrade themselves in their present job, learn to keep records for income tax purposes for small businesses and farm operations and for many other reasons. Age requirements are 18 years old and/or must be out-of-school. This does not necessarily mean they must have received their high school diploma.

All such training is made possible through the joint cooperation of Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation, Texas State Technical Institute and Amarillo College. The program is coordinated by John Tyler, Director of Education/Training Programs. If you are interested in participating, please call Mrs. Edna Osburn 874-2573, Courthouse. Additional information may be obtained by writing to John Tyler, 1605 W. 7th, Amarillo, Texas 79102 or Jimmie Sessions c/o Collingsworth County Courthouse, Wellington, Texas 79085.

SBA WORKSHOP HELD HERE TUESDAY

Approximately fifty business and professional men from over this entire area were present for the SBA Workshop held at Clarendon College Tuesday afternoon and night. The workshop was sponsored here by the Farmers State Bank and Trust Co. and the West Texas Utilities. Those attending were connected with the various categories discussed during the workshop. All reported a very informative and fruitful event.

Leader Out-of-County Rate \$5.50

Clarendon College Exes Reunion Held

Clarendon College Ex-Students and Teachers met for their annual reunion on the campus of Clarendon College this past week end with some 150 registering.

Ernest Kent, president of the Ex-Student Association, and Darlene Spier, Secretary-Treasurer, are to be commended for their outstanding work in providing a well-rounded program offering a variety of activities throughout this year's gathering.

During the business session held Sunday afternoon James Stavenhagen of Quail was elected President; Don Lyles of Panhandle, Vice-President; Darlene Spier, Secretary-Treasurer; Assistant Secretary, Liz Britten of Lubbock; and Parliamentarian, Mrs. Lucille Polk Naylor. Directors for one year terms will be Oran Watson of Hereford, Ernest Kent of Clarendon, Charlie Johnson of Matador, and Gene Alderson of Clarendon. Directors for two year terms will be W. B. Swain of Plainview, Jessie Ingram of Amarillo, and Mrs. J. N. Weaver of Dumas.

At the Saturday night banquet in the College Cafeteria, Mrs. Lalar Wilkerson was recognized as representing the oldest class, that of 1915. F. T. Carpenter of Phoenix, Arizona traveled the greatest distance. Clyde I. Price, who instigated the first reunion and who has worked with the organization since its inception, was presented a plaque in recognition of his service.

Winner in the Golf Tournament held Saturday afternoon at the Clarendon Country Club was Irvin Mears of Clarendon with 76. Mears was also credited with the longest drive on No. 1 and James Stavenhagen of Quail was recognized as closest to Hole No. 6.

Perhaps the highlight and most outstanding part of the entire program was the address given by Dr. Charles W. Ferguson visiting professor at SMU, who was guest speaker at the Saturday night banquet. Dr. Ferguson's address was titled "Words." He stated that words to the wise provide an invitation to learning and serve as a gateway to culture dealing with the love of language and the stairway to wisdom.

Dr. Ferguson highly recommended to everyone that each enjoy the use of words pointing out that Shakespeare, a brilliant man, had over a 15,000 word vocabulary, a small number in present day terms. He also mentioned the many advantages in the use of words in comparison to the limitations by use of pictures.

Dr. Ferguson has written many books among which is "Organize To Beat The Devil" and a best seller entitled "Naked To Mine Enemies." An ex-student of Clarendon College, it was indeed a privilege to have Dr. Ferguson take time from his busy schedule to return to Clarendon College as guest speaker for this occasion.

Closing the program for the week end was the performance of a musical trio from West Texas State University. This concert was presented at the First United Methodist Church and featured Byron Walton, cellist, a native of England, a professor at West Texas State University, and assistant conductor of the Amarillo Symphony; George Eason pianist, WTSU; and Dr. Donald Todd, violinist, also of WTSU.

SYD BLUE'S LIQUORS OPEN THIS WEEK

An advertisement in this issue of the Leader is announcing Syd Blue's Liquors Now Open with a friendly welcome to everyone. This is the first time in the 43-year history of the Leader that such an advertisement of this nature has appeared. There were advertisements of this nature in other local publications around the turn of the century, which was over seventy years ago. This new establishment is being operated by Jack Boling.

SPEAKER



Dr. Chas. W. Ferguson

District Track Meet Held At Panhandle

The District Track Meet was held at Panhandle this past week end. Clarendon came in second with 103 points. The first two places in District will go to Regional at Lubbock Friday and Saturday of this week.

Results in the District Meet follow:
440 Relay — T. Shields, K. Reese, E. King, S. Carter 2nd.
880 — D. Holland 6th.
100 — L. Holland 5th.
440 — E. King 1st, J. Holland 3rd.
220 — K. Reese 1st, T. Shields 3rd.
1 Mile — T. Hill 5th.
1 Mile Relay — T. Shields, J. Holland, K. Reese E. King 7th.
High Jump — J. King 2nd.
Broad Jump — T. Shields 1st, E. King 3rd.
Discuss — T. Shields 4th, E. King 5th.

Annual PCA Meeting Set For April 22

The 38th Annual Stockholders Meeting of the Rolling Plains PCA will be held Saturday, April 22, in the High School Auditorium at Stamford. Registration will open at 11 a.m. to be followed by a luncheon in the High School Cafeteria.

The business session will open at 1 p.m. with various reports being given. Terms of two directors expire at this time. Cash prizes will be awarded at various times during the meeting. W. C. Mann of Clarendon is serving on the present Board of Directors.

KIWANIS CLUB IS ORGANIZED RECENTLY

After several preliminary meetings a Kiwanis Club has now been organized in Clarendon. Territorial limits are those of the Clarendon Independent School District. Breakfast meetings are held weekly at 6:30 a.m. each Monday at the Kozy Korner Cafe. A Charter Night is planned for the near future.

ALL SPORTS POT LUCK SUPPER APRIL 25

It was announced this week that an All Sports Pot Luck Supper will be held Tuesday evening, April 25 at the school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. There will be no admission charge and all booster club members and others interested are invited and urged to attend.

LEADER CLASSIFIEDS GET RESULTS

Aggie Club Rodeo Draws 170 Entries

The Annual Clarendon College Aggie Club Rodeo held Thursday night, Friday night, Saturday afternoon and Saturday night was the best yet. An all-time entry record was established. Some 170 area High School and College age young people performed.

Miss Deannetta Peoples was named 1972 Aggie Club Rodeo Queen. Deannetta is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Peoples of Lelia Lake.

All-Around Cowboy was Walter Thoms. Named the All-Around Cowgirl was Connie Lee.

Over-all winners in Bull Riding were Frankie Ellis, 1st; Randy McCracken, 2nd; and Dean Peoples 3rd. Bareback honors were taken by Harry Clements 1st, Pat Moore 2nd, and Larry Long-3rd. Tie Down, Lee Elliott 1st, Randy Stalls 2nd, and Rex Hand 3rd.

Ribbon winners were Lee Elliott 1st, Walter Thoms 2nd, and Gus Timmons 3rd. Carol Willis took 1st in Goat Tying. Sandra Smith 2nd and Connie Lee 3rd. First place barrels went to Connie Lee, 2nd to Geneva Miller and 3rd Carol Willis.

Breaking down winners for each performance the record follows:
Thursday night: Barebacks — Steve Patterson, Walter Thoms; Tie Down — Walter Thoms, Rex Hand, Goat Tying — Sandra Smith, Connie Lee; Ribbon Roping — Walter Thoms, Frankie Ellis; Barrels — Connie Lee, Geneva Miller; Bulls — Lee King, Sam Betts.

Friday night: Barebacks — Paul Brasler, Pat Moore; Tie Down — Lee Elliott, Randy Stalls; Goat Tying — Monica Richardson, Sandra Smith; Ribbon Roping — Bill Griffin, Lee Elliott; Barrels — Beck Felts, Geneva Miller; Bull Riding — Frankie Ellis, Reese Bowen.

Saturday afternoon: Barebacks — Billy Hubbard, Mike Arnold; Tie Down — John Eiland, Neal Short; Goat Tying — Connie Lee, Carol Willis; Ribbon Roping — Walter Thoms, Gus Timmons; Barrels — Connie Lee, Carol Willis; Bull Riding — Dean Peoples, Jim White.

Saturday night: Barebacks — John Halton, Danny Naylor; Tie Down — Tripp Braden, Bill Griffin; Goat Tying — Carol Willis, Paula Cornett; Ribbon Roping — Tripp Braden, John Eiland; Bull Riding — Randy McCracken, Jimmy Gattin; Barrels — Geneva Miller, Sharon Miller. Jerry Hawkins, chairman of the Ag Department of Clarendon College, expressed his sincere appreciation to everyone for their help and cooperation in making the College Rodeo most successful this year.

Greenbelt Electric Membership Meeting Friday April 28

The annual meeting of Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc., will be held in the Bura Handley Community Center in Wellington, Texas at 2 p.m. Friday, April 28.

Directors from districts one and four will be elected this year. The nominees are: District one, T. B. Henderson and Paul T. Macina Jr.; District four, Fred Bourland, Roy Canada and Travis McGuire.

Entertainment will be furnished by the Fine Arts Division of Clarendon College, under the direction of Mrs. Norma Selvidge. George Henry, Manager, reported that numerous door prizes will be given throughout the occasion. All members are urged to attend. A. J. Garland of Clarendon is president of the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc.

CALIFORNIA VISIT

Mrs. Alma Cross returned home by plane last week from Anaheim, Calif., where she had visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cross, Jr. and family. She has spent the past four weeks there.

RODEO QUEEN



Deannetta Peoples

Efforts Being Made To Harmonize County Hospital Board

The Donley County Hospital District Board met Tuesday night in a highly publicized session with all old board members present along with new appointees.

There were many interested citizens from the Hedley and Clarendon area on hand for the meeting and heard Jim Lovell Hospital District lawyer explain the various suits that had been filed in connection with the hospital question.

It was announced that all members connected with the hospital board would meet in closed session Wednesday afternoon and Thursday morning to discuss the suits.

It is the general contention that any new appointees to the Board could not be seated at this time until action had been taken in District Court. Citizens interested in the hospital getting into operation and the acquisition of new doctors to staff the Medical Center, are hopeful that this objective may be obtained within the very near future.

The closed meeting executive session Wednesday afternoon was still in session at press time and no report was forthcoming.

ARCHDEACON WILSON ASSIGNED TO NW TEX.

Appointment of the Very Rev. Richard W. Wilson of Monroe, La., to be archdeacon of the Episcopal diocese of Northwest Texas has been announced by the Rt. Rev. Willis R. Henton, bishop of Northwest Texas. Now rector of St. Thomas' Episcopal Church of Monroe, Archdeacon Wilson will assume his duties in Texas on June 1. His headquarters will be in the diocesan office at 1520 Bryan St. in Amarillo.

A native of New Orleans, Archdeacon Wilson is a 1950 graduate of Tulane University in New Orleans. He was graduated from the General Theological Seminary in New York, N. Y., in 1954.

CAP MEETING THURSDAY NIGHT OPEN TO PUBLIC

There will be a meeting in the County Courtroom, Thursday night at 7:30, open to the public. There will be a business meeting and a general discussion to acquaint the public with the Community Action Program in Donley County. An agenda will be available at the door. Let's get our community in action.

SHOWING IMPROVEMENT

Friends will be happy to learn that Barcus Antrobus is improving nicely and is hoping to get to come home before many more days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Mann, Camille and Mark, and Mrs. J. D. Wood attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary celebration of Mrs. Wood's sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Bain of Sunray, Sunday.

Office Supplies at The Leader

Clarendon College Drama Department Plans Spring Musical

Clarendon College Drama Department under the direction of Mrs. Norma Selvidge will present to the general public the annual spring production entitled "Color My Country-Red, White and You."

This extravaganza will reflect America as well as all true Americans should live and abide by their country's success and freedom.

The Clarendon College Players and Mrs. Selvidge extend to all a cordial welcome to view this production at the Harned Sisters Fine Arts Center April 27 and 28 at 8:00 p.m. Admission will be \$1.00 for adults and 50c for students.

Attendance Grows At Motorcycle Races

There was a good turnout for the Motorcycle races held Sunday afternoon across the highway east of Greenbelt Lake Dam. Some 65 out-of-town riders came in for the races bringing with them the fans who follow them. This helps business in town.

Races are held in all classes. Winners Sunday were as follows: Mini-Man—Sandy Cheek, Guy Smith, and Tom Johnson.

100 Class — Mike Blackwell, Robbie Carter, and Sandy Smith. 125 Class — Clyde Barker, Jr., Tommy Brown, and Jack W. Moss.

250 Class — Mike O'Neal, Don Shawbark, and John Mays.

Open Class — Roger Hester, Eldon Barker, and Glen Leonard. The next Motorcycle Races will be May 7. Operating the races in Clarendon are Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bohanon and Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Johnson. Make your plans to attend these races. You will have a most enjoyable afternoon.

LOCAL TEACHER CHANGES POSITIONS

Joan Noonkester, who has been employed by Clarendon College for the past eight years, has resigned to accept a teaching position in the Clarendon Public Schools.

Mrs. Noonkester, who taught at the junior high level at Colorado City, Texas prior to coming to Clarendon, will be teaching language arts in the Clarendon Junior High School next fall.

Mrs. Noonkester received her Bachelor's Degree from North Texas University and her Master's Degree from Texas Tech.

LEADER—Local Rate \$4.50 A Year

Clarendon Public Housing Gets \$376,331 For 20 New Units Here

Pastor Observes 13th Year In Clarendon

Number thirteen is a lucky one for Wm. R. Lawrence, pastor of First Baptist Church, Clarendon. This week completes that many years in Clarendon, and contrary to superstition, it has been one of the best he has spent here, since the Lawrences moved April 23, 1959. The church's mission gifts, new members, and community ministry have grown each year.

The outstanding monument to the efforts of church and pastor is the new \$250,000 church building opened three years ago.

Though not a native of the Panhandle, the Rev. Lawrence is affectionately called "The Elder Statesman" by his fellow Baptist pastors in the Panhandle, since his tenure as a pastor exceeds any other in the area. He has served as pastor of 9 churches, among them the First Baptist Churches of Lefors, Dumas, Dalhart and Clarendon. In addition, he has conducted revivals and Bible conferences in many of the other communities. As a result of this, he has baptized, married, or conducted funerals for someone in every section of the Panhandle.

Along with his church activities, Rev. Lawrence has found time to participate actively in community work. His philosophy is, "If Christianity won't work every day, it won't work on Sunday either." He is a past president of the local Lions Club, current president of the Satellite Unit of the Amarillo Chapter of Human Development, and treasurer of the local Ministers' Alliance.

He has taught Bible in the Clarendon Junior College the past twelve years and has seen the department grow from 8 students to a peak of 60. Currently there are 40 students in the class. Some commute as far away as Borger, Matador and Paducah to attend his classes.

In addition to his church and community work, Rev. Lawrence is active in Texas Baptist Denominational. He served 21 years on the Executive Board of the Baptist Convention of Texas, 9 years on the board of Trustees for Wayland College, Plainview, and has been on the board of High Plains Baptist Hospital since it was in the blue print stage. Currently he is president of the Pan Fork Baptist Youth Camp located northeast of Wellington. The Camp enrolls more than 500 children and teens each summer.

We at the Leader Office join with members of the First Baptist Church and area residents in expressing appreciation for all of the work and contributions Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence have made to our community. This is indeed a better place to live for having them in our midst.

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Work is expected to get underway just as soon as we receive final plans, the money and bids for the construction, Estlack added. This report from Cong. Bob Price will culminate 5 years of work and planning on the project, he concluded.

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This man, Rev. W. R. Lawrence, has made a place for himself and Mrs. Lawrence in this community where they are loved and honored for the many things they have contributed to help make this a better place to live and enjoy life in so many ways. This coming Sunday, April 23rd marks his 13th anniversary here as pastor of the First Baptist Church. We all look forward to many more years of pleasant relations.

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More about New Orleans and the wonderful tour and visit which we truly enjoyed. As we expected Jack and Edwina were the perfect guides. Their two years of study of the city was given to us in seven glorious days of sight-seeing. Their love and kindness along with expert driving made it the most wonderful trip we ever had.

No one could visit New Orleans without a trip or so to famous Bourbon Street. This landmark with its variety of just about everything you wouldn't expect to see is a world within itself. The barkers call out about the topless dancers, but of course in this day this is not so unheard of. But day and night the show goes on. Even in the early hours of the morning things are still happening. Artists working undisturbed on their paintings were paying little attention to the passersby unless you looked a little bit too long and they thought you might want to buy a souvenir to take back home. . . . Public drinking has been uncontrolled for all these years but due to several persons being injured during Mardi Gras this year a new ordinance was passed the week we were there making it unlawful to have open liquor on the sidewalk or streets. Too many had gotten tipsy and started throwing

the containers into the air. By the way Bourbon Street got its name from an old French family rather than the liquor that is so plentiful there now. Museums and shops are for your entertainment and of course the shops vie for your loose dollars.

The ferries still carry some of the traffic across the river but mostly the bridges carry the crowds to and fro. The ferry is the one free thing and the bridges such as the one built by the well known Huey P. Long were built amidst charges of political graft. His influence is still felt in local politics and some still argue whether supposed friend or known foe actually killed him. He was buried in a public place and many still cherish him as having the "Good Ole image."

Speaking of Huey P. Long he was selected governor in 1928 and senator in 1932. His two most famous speeches rang into the ears of a poverty stricken public in the thirties with such reassuring subjects as A Chicken In Every Pot and Every Man Is A King. He meant to be elected president and even wrote a book about it. He always promised to keep Franklin Roosevelt on in the cabinet as Secretary of the Navy. Through his appointees his influence is still to be reckoned with in Louisiana politics.

Many well known names remain in the news. Dist. Attorney Jim Garrison is said to have a suit against him as an outcome of the Kennedy assassination charges brought against Clay Shaw. The latter is also active in New Orleans life and was mentioned in the news from day to day. Lately, our state has had its charges in high places.

The cemeteries are a story within themselves. People are buried in concrete vaults above

the ground. . . . When people were buried in the swamp land the cemeteries were called floating bodies and when the floods came bodies would come out of the ground. Anyway, we were told that at a very high price if you can afford the best you are put in these fancy concrete graves. Some can be bought but many are leased or rented. It is said that after awhile your bones are pushed farther back and a new arrival moved in. Hence we find several names on one such vault.

The religion is mostly Catholic, with a sprinkling of all others including Jewish. The Mardi Gras which has some tie-in with Catholic ceremonies brings charges from other religious groups of money being spent on a special group. Some of the natives go on vacation during this time because of drinking carousing. But the tourist swarms on them from everywhere and many such as we did choose some other time to see the city. A large percent of the people are negro with many French and some Indian along

with all sorts of mixtures. As we flew away from our loved ones—from Ole Miss' and this strange and alluring world we brought with us a treasure of memories but with the firm assurance the Panhandle Of Texas with its 18 inches of rainfall and its good schools and churches is a more solid place to put down roots and build a permanent home. It was fun, anyway.

Goldston News

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ledbetter visited Sunday night with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hulsey and family of White Deer. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith of Pampa visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ledbetter. Mrs. Hubert Rhoades of Ashtola spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown. Mrs. Harvey Lockwood of Amarillo spent Wednesday and

Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield and family visited Sunday evening with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Littlefield and children of Tulia.

Those who spent Sunday in the Skeet Brown home were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lockwood and Johnny and Vickie Jones, all of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades of Ashtola, and Donnie Joe Davis of Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan, Tojuana and Jon Roy of Groom spent Saturday night and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Roy Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Roberson and children had dinner Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Roy Roberson.

Mrs. Roy Roberson visited Monday with her sister, Mrs. Leonard Dozier.

We are glad to report that Roger Stevens' hand has improved and the cast has been removed.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bob Adams and Becky of Alanreed visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield.

Howardwick

By Dot Doty

Ella and Kay Chamberlain were in Amarillo recently for the wedding of a granddaughter, Barbara Ware. The groom was Dennis Little of Dimmitt.

Alice Wilson's guests at last week's ceramic class were Rosie Harper and Missy Morrow of Clarendon.

Hazel Smith and Genevieve Jones went to High Plains Anesthesia Convention in Amarillo last week end. They report the meeting well attended by people from Colorado, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Texas. The main speakers at the convention were from the University of Texas, University of New Mexico, and Brooks Army and Navy Hospital at San Antonio.

Tuesday John Collins and Corky Wilson were in White Deer on business. They spent Tuesday and Wednesday of last week

in Dalhart. Viola and Elmer Heiskell of Dalhart spent 3 days with John and Velma Collins last week. They had a big fish fry.

Wednesday of last week Velma Collins visited with a granddaughter, Sue Norrell, in Quitaque. Thursday her granddaughters, Jacky and Kay Blum of Quanah, also Rita and Timmy Fowler of Memphis were here for the day.

Weekend guests of John and Velma Collins were Jerry and Sam Putts of Dalhart, Lena and Estell Collins, John Cousins of Estelline, their son and daughter-in-law, D. A. and Betty Collins of Memphis; also friends Dorothy and Clark Rickman of Memphis.

Neta Harmon found a birthday twin last Saturday night at Lions Club Game Night when she found out Tillie Anglin of Clarendon was also celebrating the day.

Neta and Lon Harmon's two daughters, sons-in-law, and five grandchildren from Amarillo were here to help NeNaw Neta celebrate last week end.

John and Velma Collins were in Childress yesterday for the funeral of Jack Hardin, a cousin of Velma.

Ruth, Melville, and Sharon Mills' guest this week is Bill Wallace of Muncie, Indiana.

Ella and Kay Chamberlain went to Borger Sunday for a visit with her sister, Laverne and Al Tekell.

Alice, Barbara, and Dwight Wilson were in Memphis Sunday visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Stephens.

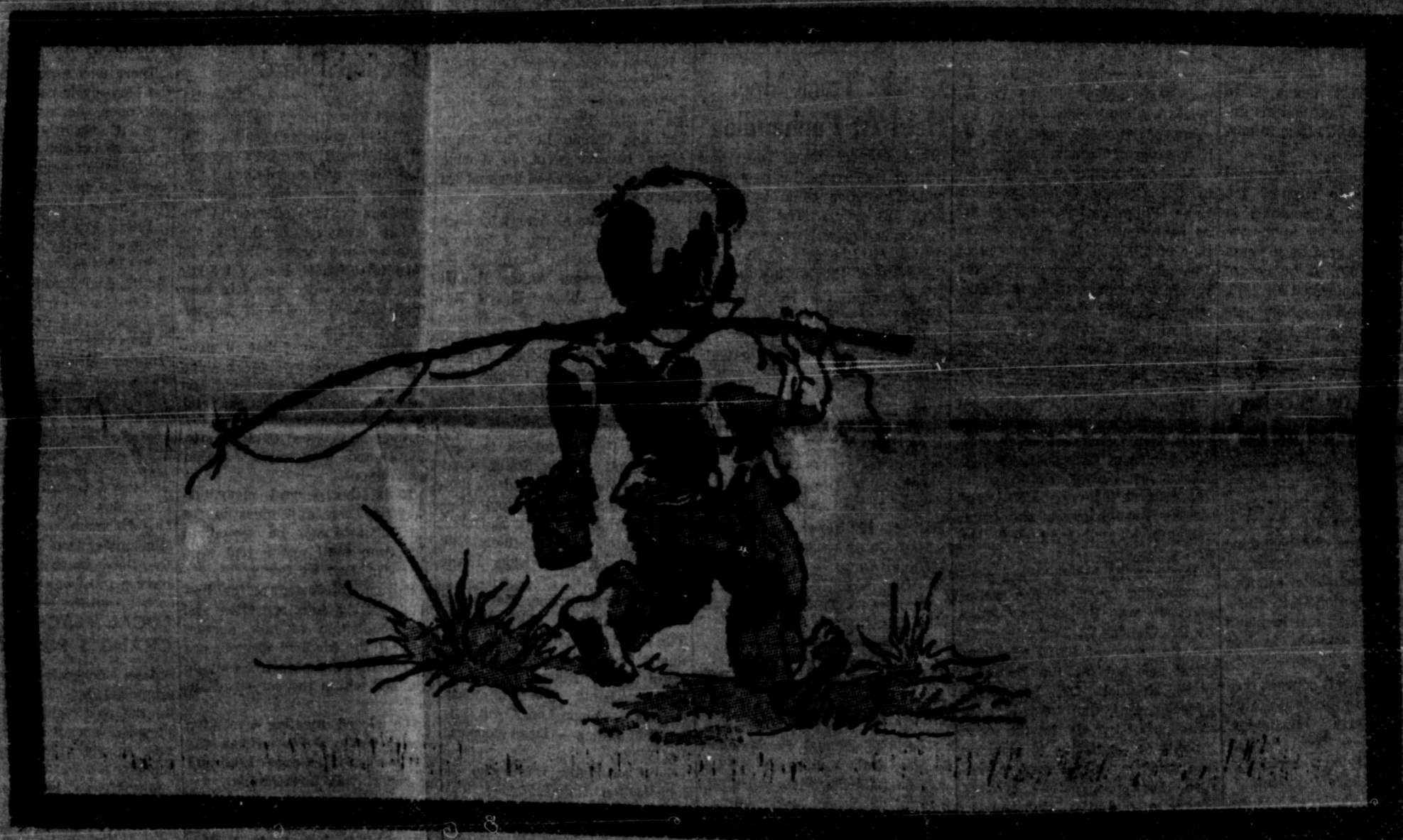
Ruth, Melville and Sharon Mills were in Fort Worth last Friday for the funeral of Mrs. Mary Hood, Melville's sister.

Lions Club Ladies Night Dinner will be Saturday night, 6:30 p.m. at Clarendon Country Club.

Third Thursday Birthday Party for April will be tonight, 7 p.m. Community Building.

Lions Club Game Night time has been changed to every Tuesday and Friday night, 8 p.m. at the Community Building. You all are invited to come play with us.

DON'T GO FISHIN' APRIL 28, 1972



ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING OF GREENBELT ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE WELLINGTON, TEXAS

The annual meeting of Greenbelt Electric Cooperative will be held in the Bura Hendley Community Center in Wellington, Texas at 2 P.M. Friday, April 28.

Directors from districts one and four will be elected this year. The nominating committee for this year consists of John P. Ambler, district one, and Loyd Langley, district four. The nominees are as follows:

NAME	ADDRESS
District One	
T. B. Henderson	Rt. 1, Twitty, Texas
Paul T. Macina Jr.	Rt. 2, Shamrock, Texas
District Four	
Fred Bourland	Rt. 1, Quail, Texas
Roy Canada	Rt. 1, Quail, Texas
Travis McGuire	Rt. 2, Wellington, Texas

Shown here are some of the prizes to be given away at the annual meeting. Heading the list is the GRAND PRIZE—a WASHBURN ELECTRIC DRYER. We also have a Norplex Triple-headed razor, a Mirro electric fry pan, a Procter-Kyle electric ice cream freezer, and many more wonderful prizes.

Please bring your registration cards. Our friendly office staff will be on hand to register you.

Entertainment will be furnished by the Fine Arts Division of Clarendon College, under the direction of Mrs. Norma Selvidge. Refreshments will be served by the wives of Co-Op employees. So be sure to make a special effort to attend!

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- Preston Smith stopped an increase in the gasoline tax.
- Preston Smith rejected an unnecessary personal income tax.

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Re-elect

Governor Preston Smith and help him keep your taxes down.

(Pol. Adv. Pd. by — Committee to Re-Elect Preston Smith, Mickey Smith, Chairman)

Hedley News
Mrs. Mabel Bridges

Mrs. C. L. Johnson is reporting news this week for Mrs. Mabel Bridges.

The Hedley Lions Club will be 30 years old this month. The 30 year members are Hobart Moffitt, Clifford Johnson, Ray Moreman, and Herlie Moreman.

Mrs. Martha Harding of Boys Ranch visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boatright this week.

Mrs. Alva Simmons is at home after a two week visit with sisters in Dallas and Texarkana.

The Nominating committee for the new officers and directors of the Hedley Lions Club consists of five past presidents. They are H. L. White, C. L. Johnson, Doyle Messer, Herlie Moreman, and Jack Stafford. They will re-

port to the club at an early meeting.

Paul Dishman of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jewell Monday night.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boatright Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Page of Amarillo.

Mrs. Eva Hill is at home from hospitals in Amarillo and Memphis. Her daughter, Mrs. Edith Cunningham and husband of Enid, Okla., are here with her.

There will be a Voting Box in Hedley for the May 6th Democratic Primary Election. Mrs. Myrtle Kirkpatrick will be the Election Judge.

The Hedley American Legion Post's 93 members for 1972 will allow their five voting delegates to the 4th Division Convention. The convention will be held in Lubbock April 29-30.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boatright in the

death of his sister, Mrs. Anna Coyne of Redding, Calif.

Mrs. Roy Jewell and Mrs. Alva Simmons were guests at a meeting of the Pathfinder Club in Clarendon Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Myrtle Kirkpatrick joined the Randall Brice family of Amarillo in an outing at Greenbelt Lake.

Mrs. Ross Springer is in Hall County Hospital where she underwent Surgery Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Fred Carter of Panhandle visited her mother, Mrs. W. A. Pierce, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Spalding spent the week end in Clayton, N. M. with the Bill Mathews family and Mrs. Sara Messer and family.

Mrs. Flossie Wood is at home from Hall County Hospital.

Mrs. Lucy Bishop and Lelia Moffitt had as guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bailey of Kross. Mr. Bailey is a brother of Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Moffitt.

Mrs. Peggy DeBord is at home from Hall County Hospital in Memphis.

We wish to extend sympathy to the family of Rev. Billy Wilson in the death of Bro. Wilson's mother. She died Monday, April 10. Funeral services were conducted at the Sardin Baptist Church near Reby, Texas.

Mrs. Mabel Bridges left last Wednesday to join Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bridges of Amarillo in Farmington, N. M. They attended the wedding of Mrs. Bridges' granddaughter, Cherrie Jeffries, to Bill Gatis. Cherrie is the daughter of Mary Rains Jeffries.

Gene Bolin has been released

from the hospital after heart surgery and will recuperate for two weeks with his daughter in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boatright made a business trip to Hollis, Okla., last Wednesday.

The Hedley Lions Club will meet Thursday night of next week at 7 p.m. Items to be discussed will be the changing of the meeting time and setting a date for the club's 30th Anniversary Ladies Night Banquet. There will also be a report from the Nominating Committee.

baseball bat. Correct casting with proper equipment calls for wrist motion.

An old standby formula is to put a book under the casting arm, holding the upper arm firm against the book and casting with forearm and wrist only. If you start this way, casting will come easy and you'll be doing it correctly. On the other hand, if you learn to cast by "throwing" the entire arm, it's not only a very difficult habit to break but dangerous to those in the boat or around you.

Another very effective method is flip casting. Here you point the red tip straight out, instead of up. Use the same motion, except in reverse, for releasing the plug. In conventional casting the lure is released on the downward motion. In flip casting it is released on the upward motion. This permits you to shoot the plug pretty much on a line and only slightly above the water, back up under low hanging limbs and branches.

Save this for last, for it's tricky. But, don't let anyone tell you that flip casting is for exhibition purposes only. It can be most effective in brushy water and many times will account for more fish in the boat than the one-method-caster can deliver.

However, regardless of the method, cast, cast and cast some more until you have achieved perfection.



MINIATURE CITY—M/Sgt. Cabot Wilkinson (USA, Ret.) looks over the 40-foot long scale model German "city" he and his wife are creating in their garage. The former sergeant and his wife have invested more than \$6,000 in the project over the last 20 years. The intricate model represents a typical urban center in Germany about 12 miles long and three miles wide. Mr. Wilkinson is a civilian audio-visual supervisor with the Office of Logistics, Quartermaster School, Ft. Lee, Va. The Wilkinsons live near Petersburg, Va. (U.S. Army photo by Sp4 D. McDonald)

DOLPH BRISCOE FOR GOVERNOR

Dear Donley County Neighbors:
It was our privilege to know Dolph Briscoe when we lived in Uvalde.

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Sincerely,
David and Canzada Bray
Goodwin and Mary Bray

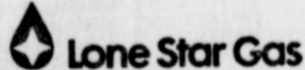
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OUTDOORS in TEXAS

By Vern Sanford

Some of the best fishermen in Texas have caught their biggest bass by casting in their own backyard. "Practice" casting, I mean.

Learning to drop the lure exactly where they want it . . . in the center of the favorite hide-away of the fish . . . comes from practice, practice, practice.

There are numerous inveterate, successful fishermen who spend hours just dry-casting practice plugs into flower pots, dishpans, water buckets, inflated inner-tubes, old tires, and what have you.

Naturally, they get lots of kidding comments from the neighbors who always want to know "how's fishing?" Nevertheless they keep on casting, year after year . . . striving for perfection. This dry casting makes them better fishermen and there's no doubt about that.

In the first place, they learn distance, how to control their casts, various methods of casting, and how to use their equipment properly. This is a most important feature, because if you don't know your equipment, you are likely to lose the best fish you ever hooked.

Dry casting in the back yard (or front) is very simple. There are casting rings which can be bought from most sporting goods stores. Lacking these some anglers use hula hoops or plastic laundry baskets. Still others try their hand at tossing a practice plug into empty flower pots or gallon cans. All these make good targets.

Hours of practice are well worth the time of any fisherman who wants to return from an outing with a string of fish instead of a long list of alibis.

For practice casting your needs are simple, especially if you have available as much as 50 feet of open range. Use the same rod you use in fishing so you may become thoroughly familiar with it and what it will do.

Type of equipment and the weight of the line will determine how heavy a plastic plug you should use. It should be either a 3/8 or 5/8 oz. In fact it is well to have both and to learn the effect of their different weights. But, stick with one until you have mastered it, then acquaint yourself with the other.

Your back yard is not the place to try for distance. So, work on accuracy. Learn first of all to drop the lure into a two-foot circle, some 15 to 20 feet away. When you've done this long enough, try flipping the plug into gallon cans. When you've learned that don't stop, just keep on practicing, improving your form and gradually increasing distance.

Perhaps the major mistake of all beginners is "thrusting" the casting arm, swinging it like a

marriage to avoid an overpayment by social security to your son.

Q—I am a widow 63 years old and I receive monthly social security benefits based on my husband's social security work record. I have never worked under social security. Will I be eligible for Medicare when I am 65?

A—Yes, you will be eligible for full Medicare benefits. Since your entitlement is based on your husband's record, no social security work is required of you.

Q—I just found out that my mother never signed up for the doctor-bill part of Medicare. Some people say it's too late now for her to sign up but I want to be sure. She was born June 15, 1901. Can she ever enroll?

A—She can sign up right now. January 1 to March 31 is an open enrollment period. Incidentally, for anyone born between October 2, 1903 and October 1, 1904, this is the last chance to enroll so she should see about this without delay. Call the office for the form she'll need.

Accent On Health COSMETICS AND HEALTH

Ninety-nine and forty-four one-hundredths percent pure? When it comes to cosmetics, scientists now believe that contamination, even a little bit, may pose a potential hazard to health.

Cosmetics have been under control for many years in Texas and the nation under the authority of state and federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic laws. The Texas Health Department has an entire division devoted to enforcement of these laws as one tool to provide product safety and better public health protection for each of us.

Health authorities and research scientists are now deeply involved in studies to determine the correlation between cosmetics and health problems. One such effort has been underway for the past two years investigating the causal relation between eye makeup and eye diseases.

The study, as reported in the American Journal of Ophthalmology, concludes that microorganisms present in mascara, eyeliner, and eye shadow "constitute a potential hazard" because they can invade a scratched eyeball and cause infection or even loss of vision.

Eye injuries from microbial contamination of makeup are one of the most common complaints cosmetics manufacturers receive, along with skin reactions to bubble baths containing harsh detergents, and hair and scalp damage from shampoos and other hair preparations. While no breakdown is available, the National Commission on Product Safety estimates that cosmetics in general injure 60,000 persons in this nation each year seriously enough that they must see a physician or be restricted in their activities for at least one day.

Cosmetics fresh from the factory were found generally pure. Contamination can come from keeping the makeup a long time, letting someone else use it, and mixing saliva or even tap water in mascara to thin it. Heat, body chemistry, and the type of preservative used in makeup are also determining factors. A high incidence was observed in nurses wearing eye makeup in germ-filled hospitals.

The resulting bacteria can invade a cornea which has been scratched by a contact lens or other foreign matter, cause crusting of the eyelids and even a loss of eye lashes. Two cases of loss of vision have been reported, but the Food and Drug Administration has not positively pinpointed the cause as contaminated makeup.

Social Security

Q—My son, age 20, receives a social security check on my record while he is attending college. He is planning to marry next month but will continue to be a student. Will he continue to receive a social security check after he is married since he will still be going to school?

A—Your son's eligibility for social security will end the month he marries. You should telephone your social security office immediately following his

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Society NEWS

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Miss Pat Hastey Is Honored With Shower In Blackman Home

Miss Pat Hastey, bride-elect of Steve Allen, was honored at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Roy Blackman Saturday, April 15, 1972. Receiving hours were from 3 to 5 p.m. Guests were greeted by Mrs. Blackman and presented to Miss Hastey, her mother, Mrs. Henry Hastey and the mother of the prospective groom, Mrs. Mark Allen. Guests were registered by Miss Shellah McAnear at a table marked by a blue crystal bud vase with white iris. The bride-elect's colors of blue and white were carried out in the decor. The refreshment table was laid with a white linen cloth and silver and crystal appointments. The centerpiece was of white roses with blue and green accents. Miss Jennie Barbee poured punch while Miss Wanda Trout served cake. Forty-five guests registered

throughout the afternoon. Background music was provided by Miss Nelda Allison during the receiving hours.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Mesdames Roy Blackman, Lloyd Risley, Earnest Barbee, W. O. Elliott, A. S. McAnear, Joe Robinson, John Garner, Frank Thomson, Bob Trout, Don Thornberry, Naomi Gilbreth, and Miss Lynn Bourland. Rep.

CHAMBERLAIN CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Muse will host a fish fry and 42 party Friday night, April 21, at the Chamberlain Community Center. Ladies bring trimmings for the fish fry. Meeting time will be 7:30 p.m. Rep.

ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

A good crowd came out to the Candidate Rally Friday night, April 14. Fourteen Candidates and their families were present. We appreciate the help of everyone who contributed in any way to its success. We raised \$330.50 in sales. Rep.

Mrs. W. N. Varble To Tell Of Gaza Pyramid At Ashtola Today

Ashtola Needle Club will meet at the Ashtola Community Center Thursday afternoon, April 20, at 2 p.m. Members of the club will hear Mrs. W. N. Varble tell of the Pyramid of Gaza which is the oldest pyramid in the world.

Mrs. Varble has made an extensive study into the subject and presents the latest beliefs according to Biblical scholars, Astrologers, Mathematicians, and Scientists.

It is almost unbelievable that such a huge structure could have been constructed so perfectly so many years ago without the help of our modern scientists, engineers, and equipment.

If you would like to hear Mrs. Varble please contact Mrs. Clovis Bible, president of the club, or some member. We want you to enjoy this hour with us. Rep.

CANDIDATE RALLY AT LELIA LAKE CENTER

We will have a Candidate Rally and Pie Supper Saturday April 22 at 7:00 p.m. All Candidates are invited to attend. Hostesses are Maxine Denton, Wilma Reynolds, and Rita Shields. Rep.

NEW AND USED TYPEWRITERS & ADDERS AT THE LEADER

1926 Book Club Guest Day Tea Held Tues.

Mesdames Fred Chamberlain, Jack Clifford, and Milton Jochetz were hostesses for the 1926 Book Club Guest Day Tea held Tuesday afternoon at Patching Club House.

Entertaining rooms were made gay with colorful spring flowers. The president's table was covered with pink net over pink satin. The dining table had an identical cloth and was centered with an arrangement of spring flowers. Appointments were crystal and silver.

Mrs. Frank White, Jr., president, welcomed members and guests. Mrs. Otis Naylor introduced the guest reviewer, Mrs. Belva Clayton Nelms of Fort Worth, Texas who gave a delightful review of one of her recent books, "The Fern Gatherer."

The setting for Mrs. Nelms' story was in the mountain country of the Arkansas Ozarks and was the childhood home of the author who was Bobbit, one of the mischievous Thomas twins in the story. The book is mainly about early settlers in the Ozarks. The central theme of the story is how Beth and Dr. Ken Richards came to "belong" in the mountain community. It is also the warm and affectionate story of a woman's discovery of herself and gives readers an opportunity to weigh in comparison the worth of our own lives.

During the social hour refreshments of lemon and chocolate tarts, nuts, mints, coffee, and tea were served to 40 members and guests. Rep.

Prune And Train Ornamental Plants

Ornamental plants in your home should be pruned annually and trained to insure a more beautiful plant.

County Agricultural Agent Donald Gooch says that the type and amount of pruning and training will vary greatly. It's important for ornamental plant growers to know how to prune each plant on their property.

His first suggestion is to study the growth habits and flowering characteristics of the plant. Practice removing stems and branches. Then observe the effect of your pruning on the shape, vigor and flowering of the plant.

"Proper pruning makes for a young and beautiful plant for many years," points out Gooch. "Think of your plants in groups rather than as individuals. Group plants according to similar flowering habits, growing conditions or those which have similar uses."

Each group requires a special type of pruning. It's easier for the grower to remember special pruning methods for particular groups of plants than for each individual group.

All plants can be classified as evergreen or deciduous. Evergreens retain their leaves or needles throughout the year while the deciduous plants drop their leaves in the fall and replace them in spring.

Evergreens are divided into narrow-leaf and broad-leaf plants. Deciduous plants are divided into groups which produce flowers in early spring on stems grown in the past year, and those which bloom later on new wood, explains, Gooch.

He suggests light pruning of broad-leaved evergreens anytime during the year; however, severe pruning should be done during winter. Narrow-leaved evergreens such as pines and junipers should be pruned during the late spring following the first flush of growth.

Spring-flowering deciduous shrubs should not be pruned in the winter before flowering as this will reduce their flowering. They should be pruned after they finish blooming in the spring. Summer flowering deciduous shrubs should be pruned during the dormant or winter season, adds Gooch.

Treatments Used In Control of Soil Insects

With the recent emphasis on environmental quality, many seed dealers are caught in the middle because of the need to treat planting seed for control of soil insects.

The seed companies often sell seed in several states and find that each state has different requirements and restrictions, says Dr. Bill Clymer, area entomologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"For this reason, many companies no longer use chlorinated hydrocarbon insecticides for seed treatment," he adds, "instead, some have substituted short residual compounds such as methoxychlor and malathion."

But the problem is that these alternate chemicals are not as effective against soil insects such as wireworms. Grain sorghum is a good example of a crop that needs maximum protection against soil insects; although commercially treated seed may not be available.

Clymer urges producers to check the seed tag to find out what seed treatment has been made. If the seed has not been treated, the producer has several alternatives. He may treat the seed before planting or use a planter box treatment.

"If either of these methods is used, care should be taken to assure even treatment of all seed," Clymer emphasizes.

Aldrin, chlordane, dieldrin, heptachlor and lindane are legal in Texas at a rate of two ounces per bushel of grain sorghum seed to be planted. But the entomologist adds that these chemicals are currently under review by the Environmental Protection Agency.

If they have a history of white grub problems, producers may want to use a row band, in-furrow or preplant broadcast soil treatment. These same methods can also take care of wireworms and other soil pests.

"Whatever treatment is used, the producer should read and very carefully follow label instructions," Clymer warns, "although the two ounces may seem like a very small amount, this is the maximum legal rate."

He adds that by following label instructions, the producer will insure that the treatments are within legal tolerances. This will lessen the danger of damage to seed germination or potential insecticidal accidents.

products ever complain because they want to avoid ridicule from their friends and neighbors for having been taken by such a scheme," notes Horne. "Unfortunately, promoters prey upon the consumer's attribute of hope and faith that miracles do happen."

Consumer protection and regulatory agencies are doing much to curb quack products, but they can perform only with the framework of their resources and supportive legislation, explains the plant pathologist. Each consumer must do his share by refusing to buy unproved products and by actively supporting regulatory activities that offer consumer protection.

"When purchasing products to care for your lawn and garden plants, ask your nurseryman or garden store operator for official recommendations that are based on research and are kept current each year. Such information is provided by the Extension Service and is available at no cost at any county Extension office," adds Horne.

HOUSING SUB-STANDARD—Nearly 350,000 Texas housing units need replacement or major repair, a statewide study informed the governor.

The survey showed the highest percentage of poor quality housing in rural areas, some in urban centers and moderate-sized cities and the lowest percentage in suburban areas. Mexican-Americans and blacks live in most of the low quality residences. Only 4.5 per cent of white households live in inferior quarters, the survey showed.



BOBBY MARTIN NAMED OUTSTANDING ATHLETE

Bobby Martin of Clarendon College has been named to the 1972 edition of Outstanding College Athletes of America. In addition to athletic abilities, those named are considered on the basis of strength of character, leadership, and scholarship.

Martin has recently signed with Tarleton State College, Stephenville. He has been named to the Junior College All-Conference team two years and Regional team one year, averaged 17.8 points per game last season and served as team captain at C.C.

Among other honors Martin has been named to Who's Who in Junior Colleges, is a member of Phi Theta Kappa, National Junior College Scholastic Society, and is an ordained Nazarene minister.

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Mr. and Mrs. Crain To Celebrate 50th Anniversary April 30

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Crain will be honored on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary Sunday, April 30, 1972, at an open house in their home, 307 Pratt, Claude, Texas.

Friends are invited to call between the hours of 2 and 5 p.m. Hosting the party are their daughters: Mrs. B. W. Conrad of Raleigh, North Carolina and Mrs. E. F. Hazlett of Phillips, Texas.

Mrs. Carrah Mixon Entertains Good Neighbors Club Friday

The Good Neighbors Club met in the home of Carrah Mixon Friday, April 14, for an all day meeting. One quilt was quilted.

A covered dish lunch was served at the noon hour to members: Florence Harp, Cora Hearn, Alta Spradlin, Jewel Sickles and Bessie Helton, by the hostess, Carrah Mixon. One guest, Mrs. Lois Hutchins, came in the afternoon.

The next meeting will be with Jewel Sickles Friday, May 12. Each one bring your own work. Rep.

H. D. CLUB TO MEET

The Home Demonstration Club will meet Friday, April 21, with Mrs. G. L. Green. Meeting time will be 2:30 p.m. All members are urged to try to be present. Rep.

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Six Rural Accidents Reported In County

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated six accidents on rural highways in Donley County during the month of March, according to Sergeant Rex Smith, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and three persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first three months of 1972 shows a total of 15 accidents resulting in two persons killed, and nine persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for March, 1972 shows a total of 420 accidents resulting in 23 persons killed and 218 persons injured as compared to March, 1971 with 521 accidents resulting in 20 persons killed and 251 persons injured.

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Beware Of Quack Plant Care Products

Consumer protection is in its heyday! And consumers can help their cause by being cautious of quack products that offer miracle cures of plant diseases and other maladies.

Although difficult, it's important that consumers be able to weed out products that do not meet all the advertised claims, contends Dr. Wendell Horne, plant pathologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. He advocates being suspicious of the following advertising approaches:

1. Manufacturer or promoter claims that the product will cure all difficulties associated with plants.
2. Claims are made that are not shown and supported in the product's label.
3. The product is so new and revolutionary that research agencies have not tested it.
4. Active ingredients of the product are not shown. If this is the case, it probably has none.
5. Promotion is supported only by testimonials, with no research-backed data.
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Lelia Lake News

Pauline Roberts

Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Sanchez and boys returned home Monday from New Mexico where they attended the wedding of her brother Johnny Jaramillo and Della Lucerio.

Mrs. J. H. Bowling and Gail spent Sunday with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Head and family in Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tucker of Dimmitt visited with her brother Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nelson Wednesday.

Miss Lynn Bourland and Mrs. Naomi Gilbreth visited Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shields Sunday.

Mrs. N. W. Altman of Memphis is visiting this week with her son Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman and girls. Don and Jan took her to Lubbock for a medical check-up Monday.

Mrs. Hollis Banister and Mrs. Jack Leeper shopped in Amarillo Saturday. They then met G. L. Leeper at the airport. Mrs. Leeper had returned from Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Castner were in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Foster Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Turpin of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McCracken and Leann and Larry Wetzel of Vega; Mrs. Estelle Foster and Mrs. Ethel Hewett of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shields shopped in Amarillo Thursday. Visiting during the week with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tyler were their grandson Keith Tyler of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Silvers of Goodnight.

R. O. Nelson visited Sunday in Estelline with his mother Mrs. R. O. Nelson, Sr. and other relatives.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomas and Mike were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Thomas and daughters Cynthia and Jeannine of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shields

and Mrs. Alton Hawthorne attended funeral services Thursday in Farwell, N. M., for Mrs. Shields sister-in-law, Mrs. A. N. Walls. We extend our deepest sympathy to Sue and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Usrey Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Usrey and daughter Zeta; Mrs. Laverne Banister; and Mrs. Bonnie Usrey and daughter Thelma of Amarillo. Mrs. Cleo Crutchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Price, and Tom Waters of Clarendon. Mr. Usrey is reported to be doing real well at this time.

Mrs. E. H. Moore spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Wilma Jean Magum at Texhoma.

Joe Burnett of Plainview visited his grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Mace Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smith shopped in Pampa and Perryton Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman and Mrs. W. W. Altman made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Banister went to Wellington on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Castner of Lubbock visited several days with his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Castner and Kathy.

Mrs. Elmer Dishman visited her mother, Mrs. W. H. DeBord in Claude Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Joe Selvidge of Happy visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Hopper.

Bill Pool was in Memphis Tuesday on business.

We would like to say "Welcome Home" to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones. It's nice to have you back in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Denton shopped in Amarillo Tuesday.

Ashtola News

Mrs. Hubert Rhoades

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley returned home Monday after spending the week end with the Robert Finley family in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rhoades, Barry and Rhonda of Amarillo visited Monday afternoon with



ARMY IGLOO SLEEPS FOUR—Lt. Col. John Todd sets in place one of the last blocks of snow while helping build an igloo at Ft. Richardson, Alaska. Col. Lowell Landre stands inside the structure to guide the final critical blocks into place. The igloo can sleep four or five men and can be used as an emergency shelter in areas where snow building blocks are available. Colonel Landre is head of the U.S. Army Alaska Combat Developments Section (CDS). S/Sgt. Eugene Schreyer and Pfc Ronald Wallace, both from CDS, also took part in building the igloo.

her father, Clyde Butler of Clarendon, and the Hubert Rhoades.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grimsley of Hedley made a business trip to Ashola Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Estes of Weatherford spent Monday night with Mrs. Watt Hardin enroute home from Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley made a business trip to Amarillo Monday afternoon.

Herbert Shields, Hubert Rhoades, C. C. Ayers of Lelia Lake, and Clinton Pierce of Hedley attended a TASCOCO business meeting and supper at Howard Johnson East in Amarillo Monday evening.

Mrs. Ben Lovell visited Monday afternoon with the Nuford Dills.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Caffee of Panhandle visited a while Tuesday night with the T. A. Nelsons.

Willie Brandon of Plainview visited Wednesday with the Frank Mahaffys.

Danny Naylor of WTSU, Canyon, and James Hall spent Thursday night with the Horace Greens.

Mrs. Ella Beggs of Dallas came Thursday for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Ollie Nelson, and others.

Eugene Bolin of Hedley was released from the hospital Thursday to recuperate at the home of his daughter, the Wendol Cumbs, in Amarillo.

Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey and Mrs. Emma Shannon of Guyton, Oklahoma, made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday.

Mrs. Verna Bible and Dale

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of Charlotte, Ark., came Thursday to spend a few days with the Clovis Bibles.

Mrs. Hubert Rhoades visited Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Merle Thompson of Wichita Falls and Laura Mae Harp, who are spending a few days in Clarendon.

Harold Green, Janice and Cheryl of Phillips made a business trip to Clarendon Saturday and stopped by the Hubert Rhoades.

Mrs. Billy Bible visited Saturday evening with her dad, Eugene Bolin, at the Cumbe home in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Moffett visited Saturday night with the J. B. Lanes.

Mrs. Maxine Hardin of Clarendon and Mrs. Watt Hardin were in Groom Friday afternoon.

H. S. Mahaffey attended a Greenbelt Cotton Producers meeting in Memphis Saturday.

John Just of Lelia Lake visited Sunday morning with the T. A. Nelsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster of Clarendon visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill.

Mrs. Verna Bible and Dale left Sunday morning for their home in Charlotte, Ark.

Ellen Green and Terri Sparks spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Green.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey had Sunday dinner with Mrs. Kate Jones in McLean.

Houseguests in the Horace Green home for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Eadens of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Green and Jason of Panhandle, James Hall and Danny Naylor of West Texas State University.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Bible and Terry spent Sunday in Amarillo with the Wendol Cumbs. Eugene Bolin continues to improve.

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Chamberlain News

Mrs. D. R. Lindley

Hawley Harrison and Dennis Harrison attended an Implement Fair in Wichita Falls Tuesday. Mr. Harrison reported they enjoyed the fair very much.

The L. V. Risleys called on her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardin Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barbee of Quitaque were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Barbee Monday night.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haste Sunday to attend the bridal shower for their daughter, Pat, were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jones, Mrs. Bill Watson, Mrs. Jewell Haste, and Jonna of Plainview, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Haste of Oklahoma.

Liz Bromley visited Sunday afternoon with Ava Haste.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haste and Barry visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ballew visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Carter in Sherman and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Darby in Ft. Worth over the week end.

Louise Fricks ate lunch Friday with Ruth and Nell Corbin.

Mrs. Ronnie Ward and son and Mrs. Marie McCreary of Gruver spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ritchie.

Brenda Ritchie spent Thursday night with Patti Page and attended a skating party in Memphis sponsored by the Church of Christ.

Brenda, Mike, and Diana Ritchie went fishing Saturday with a group from the Calvary Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Weaver of Dumas were visitors in the home of Mrs. W. W. Raney from Thursday until Sunday. They attended the College reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bradlock and children of Clarendon were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lindley.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cash, Tammy and Gina of Topeka, Kan., spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingler. They visited in Amarillo Saturday with Richard Dingler's daughters and Gilbert Mann, Jr. and also attended the wedding of a granddaughter Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lindley, Jay and Ray visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cash in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingler.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haste and Barry, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bradshaw, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Emmons called on Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lindley Sunday afternoon.

Chester Mann of Canyon visited Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. Mary Mann, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lindley.

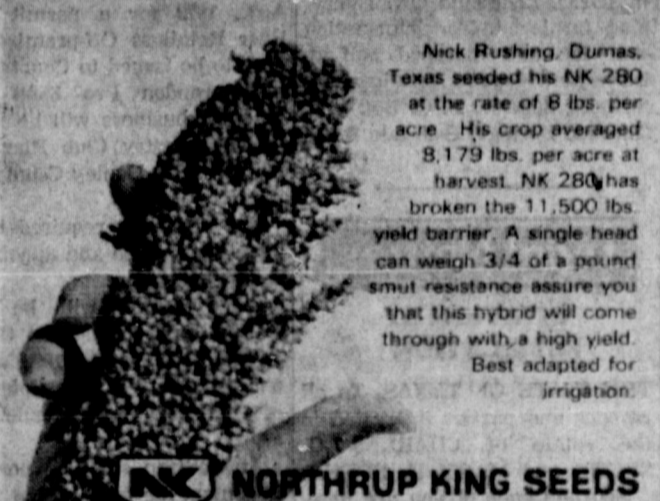
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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reeves and boys of Amarillo spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Koontz ate lunch Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Koontz. They all visited the R. G. Eddlemans at Claude in the afternoon.

Alford Ivey and Janie Crump spent Sunday afternoon visiting with the Wyles of Pampa who

were picnicing and fishing at Greenbelt Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Leeper and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Harrison and Anna.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To all persons and parties interested in the estate of CHARLES G. SPEED and MARY E. SPEED. You and each of you are hereby cited, required and commanded to appear before the County Court of Donley County, Texas, to be held in the County Court room in the courthouse of said county in the Town of Clarendon, in said county, such appearance to be at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say at or before 10 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 29th day of May, 1972, and contest, by filing written answer of contest, if they or any of them see proper to so do, a verified account, the nature of which is an account for final settlement of such estate, which has been filed by HOMER CHARLES SPEED, the Guardian of the estate of CHARLES G. SPEED and MARY E. SPEED, and is now pending there, in a probate proceeding on the probate docket of said court styled: In The Matter of Charles G. Speed and Mary E. Speed, Non Compos Mentis, the file number of which account and the docket number of which proceeding is No. 1653, which account will at such 10 o'clock hour, on such day, and at such place be considered by such court.

The officer serving this citation, who shall be any sheriff or any constable of the State of Texas, shall, in compliance with the law, serve it by publication once in a newspaper of general circulation in this, the county in which such proceeding is pending, for not less than 10 days before the return day hereof, exclusive of the day of publication, and the date of publication said newspaper bears shall be the day of publication.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance it shall be returned unserved.

Herein such officer shall fail not but shall have before said court at or before 10 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday after such service is perfected, which will be the 29th day of May, 1972, and which will be not less than ten days after such publication, this citation with his return, thereon, showing how he has executed the same.

Witness County Clerk of the County Court of Donley County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the Town of Clarendon, this 11th day of April, 1972. (SEAL)

P. C. MESSER, Clerk of the County Court of Donley County, Texas.

NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, DONLEY COUNTY To All Persons Interested:

The County Club of Clarendon, Inc. has filed a petition with the County Judge of Donley County, Texas, on the 7th day of April A.D., 1972 for a permit for a Beer Retailers Off-premises License to be issued to Country Club of Clarendon Pro Shop which place of business will be located at 116 Country Club Plaza, Howardwick, in Donley County, Texas.

The affidavits required by law have been made and appended to said application.

Said petition will be heard by the County Judge on the 28th day of April A.D., 1972 at 1:00 o'clock p.m., at the Courthouse of said County in Clarendon, Texas.

Any citizen shall be permitted to contest the facts stated in said petition and applicant's right to secure said permit upon giving security for all costs which will be incurred in such suit, should the said suit be decided in favor of the applicant.

Witness my hand and official seal at Clarendon, Texas, this 7th day of April A.D., 1972.

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The Informed Consumer

by Attorney General Crawford Martin

WELCOME TO RAINBOW CITY! Recreational land promotions always increase during the spring as companies selling lake lots, wilderness lots, and speculative land investments begin to advertise. Direct mail promotions for local developments encourage personal visits by the whole family by offering "discounts" off the "regular" price of the lots. Some companies conduct contests while others speak of the investment potential inherent in land—particularly their land.

If you are considering the purchase of a lake lot or a small tract of land as an investment, then you should be cautious. The following guidelines are worth reading before you sign the contract:

1. Make a personal visit to the property to see for yourself the overall condition of the land, access roads, improvements and the specific plot you will be purchasing. Every year thousands of people purchase land they have never seen and are often disappointed when they later visit the land development.
2. Ask the salesman for a copy of the Property Report which many land developers are required to file with the Office of Interstate Land Sales Registration, U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Washington, D. C. 20411. This report will furnish information regarding the existence of liens on the property, availability of recreational facilities, availability of water service and utilities, the type of title the buyer will receive and the distances to nearby communities over paved or unpaved roads.

Don't fall for the "free lot" sales pitch or its companion the "discount check." These pitches are merely designed to encourage people to purchase a lot on their first visit to the development. Land developers are going to make a profit on the sale of their lots. If the development advertises a country club, golf course, boat marina, water district or other improvements which would enhance the value of the land, check on the status of these items to determine whether or not they are still in the "planning stage."

In summary, the most important first step you should take before purchasing land would be to make a personal visit to the land to see for yourself what you are buying. But just as important would be to ask the right questions regarding the availability of the items necessary to insure your enjoyment of the property. If good quality drinking water is not available at an economical rate, septic tanks are not permitted, or electric power cannot be obtained at a reasonable cost, then the progress of the development may be very slow. Think about these problems before signing up for a lot in Rainbow City.

Veteran News

Q—Is the educational assistance allowance I get from VA taxable?
A—No. VA benefits are not taxable or assignable, and are exempt from claims of creditors, attachment or seizure.

Q—I hear VA has a new insurance policy called Modified Life 70 Plan. How can I find out more about this insurance?
A—Your local VA office will be happy to provide information on that insurance of any other VA benefit.

Q—Can I buy a VA repossessed home if I am not a veteran?
A—Yes. VA sells repossessed homes to any credit-worthy individual, veteran or non-veteran.

Q—If Social Security benefits

are increased again this year, will it affect my VA pension?
A—Yes, but not during the current year. Any required pension adjustments are made effective the first of the year following the year Social Security increases are received.

Q—If a veteran has provided for a lump sum payment of proceeds from his National Service Life Insurance, may the beneficiary select payment under another option?
A—Yes. A beneficiary may elect payment of all or part of the insurance under one of three monthly installment plans.

Q—I'm drawing monthly educational assistance checks from the Veterans Administration, and would like to have them continued when I go to summer school. How can I accomplish this?
A—After you enroll for the summer session, notify the school of your continued eligibility for VA education benefits. The school will certify your re-enrollment to VA, and you will receive your payments effective the date of re-enrollment.

Q—As the widow of a World War I veteran drawing a VA pension, can I also receive Social Security benefits?
A—Yes, so long as you do not exceed income limitations.

Q—I'm going to college under the GI Bill and having trouble with one of my courses. Is it true that VA provides tutorial assistance in such cases?
A—Yes. VA will pay up to \$50 monthly in tutorial fees for a maximum of nine months to prevent a veteran studying above high school level from failing in a subject essential to his educational objective. If you need this assistance, get an application form from your nearest VA office, complete it, and mail it to the VA office which has your educational records.

Q—A few years ago, I was receiving compensation from VA based on the death of my husband who was killed during World War II. These payments were discontinued when I remarried. Since my second husband died recently, I am wondering if VA compensation can be reinstated?
A—Yes. There is a law which allows reinstatement of this benefit if the remarriage of the veteran's widow ends in death or divorce, provided she is otherwise eligible.

When will I receive the divided check on my G. I. insurance?
A—Dividends ordinarily are due on the anniversary date of the policy. However, VA plans to mail current dividends during the first six months of 1972.

Q—I draw a VA pension for a total and permanent nonservice connected disability and have been rated as in need of aid and attendance. Am I also eligible for outpatient medical treatment for any condition?
A—Yes, you are eligible for any medical treatment required, except for dental conditions.

Q—I hear VA pensioners over 72 years of age don't have to file annual income questionnaires anymore. Is that true?
A—Yes. A recent law excludes persons 72 years old and older who draw pensions for non-service connected disabilities and parents receiving indemnity compensation during two consecutive years from filing annual income questionnaires. However, they still must report changes in income.

Social Security

by Travis C. Briggs

Q—I signed up for social security three years ago but I've never gotten checks as I was still working full time. Now I'm ready to retire. How can I get

them?
A—You should contact your local Social Security office. They will determine if you are eligible for retroactive benefits.

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Goodnight News

Lee Ann Palmer

Lanny Edwards of Dallas spent last week visiting his folks, Rev. and Mrs. O. C. Edwards.

Mrs. Lynn Boomer of Claude and friends dined in Clarendon Monday.

Mrs. Alda Hudson was a recent guest in the Blankenship home. We are glad to report Mrs. Myrtle Reed is feeling much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Peden moved to Fort Worth some time ago. The Pedens now are permanent residents of Ft. Worth and are living in the Jack Kelly home.

They write they miss being at home here and we miss having them in our community.

Mrs. H. M. Horschler and her guest, Mrs. L. S. Newberry, called on Mrs. G. A. Blankenship and Miss Inez Blankenship last week.

Poodle Eddleman attended Saturday night's College Rodeo and dance.

The Leo Smiths of Lelia Lake were guests of the O. C. Edwards Sunday.

The H. M. Horschlers made a business trip to Wellington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lovell, Leah and Sheila spent last week end in the home of the Ben Lovells.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Middleton and Mrs. McMillan of Amarillo spent Saturday with the Blankenships.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lawrence of Claude called on the H. M. Horschlers last Sunday evening. Lee Palmer and Lee Ann were in Amarillo Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bramon and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barrow of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Helton.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cook and son of Shamrock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Waldrop.

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Duane Lamberson visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lyles and Melinda.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Watson took Mrs. Rosie Watson back to her home in Groom Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Happy Watson and family.

Lorene Helton visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Nell Cornell and Dianne.

Martin News

Mrs. Raymond Waldrop

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Helton visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott.

Mrs. Don Helton, Mrs. Glenn Helton, and Mrs. Bobby Leeper visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Tom Waldrop and Colby.

Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Lyles of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. Lane Bell and son of Adrian spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lyles and Melinda.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor visited Saturday morning with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Risley and Jim.

Mrs. Alice Fuston, Mrs. James Fuston and Charmaine of Turkey visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lyles and Melinda.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jackson went to Memphis Thursday.

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Bro. and Mrs. Bryan Knowles and boys have a new mobile home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Risley attended the ice cream supper and party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Hodge Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Webb of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mrs. Eita Reynolds.

Monty McAnear visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Risley and Jim.

Mrs. Mae Wilkinson and Mrs. W. D. Higgins went to the Candidate Rally at Ashtola Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Helton and Brad spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Helton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Casteel and Steve Phillips of Amarillo visited

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Watson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jackson visited Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mack Baird and family.

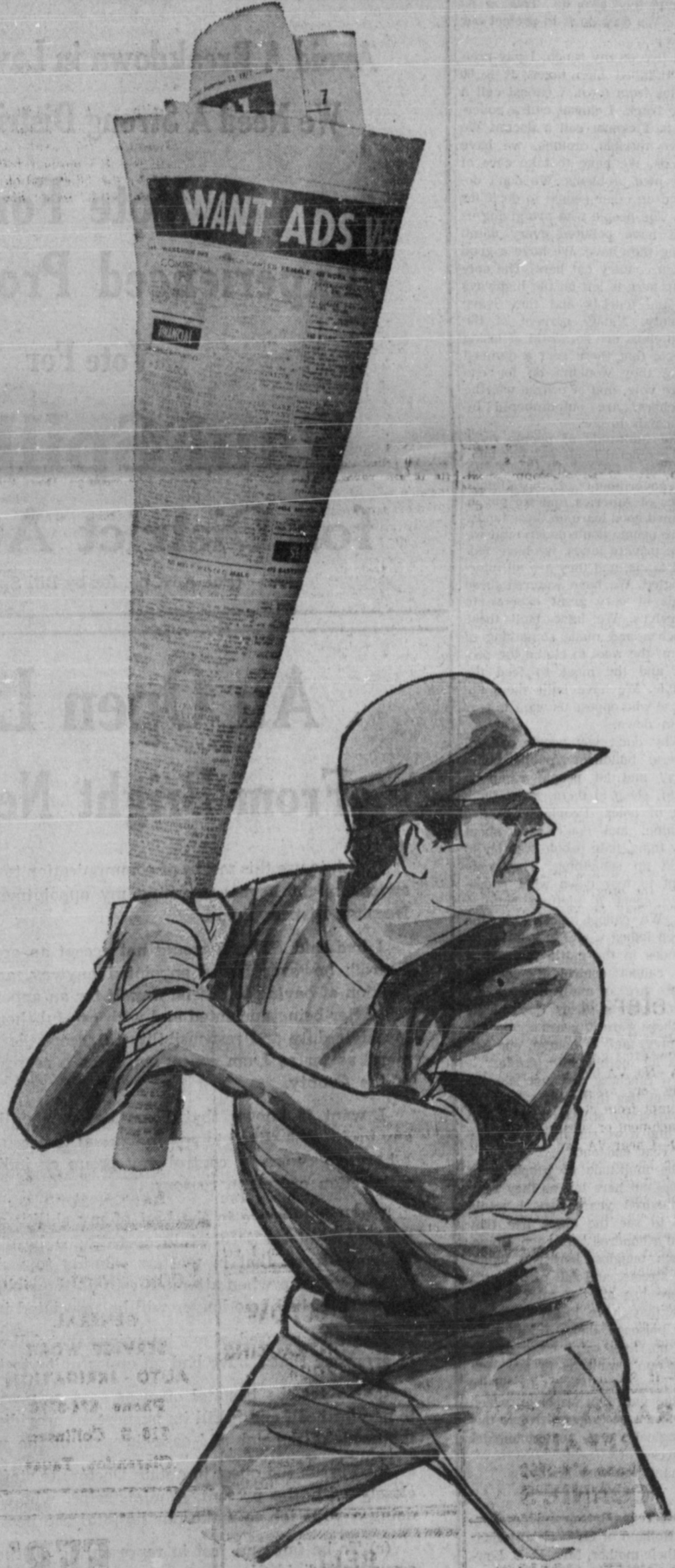
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hearn had a cook-out for his Sunday School Class Friday night. There were 16 present.

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An acorn was frequently used as a design on Colonial furniture because it was considered a symbol of hospitality.

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Highlights and Sidelights From Your State Capitol By BILL BOYKIN Texas Press Association

An ancient legal dispute involving Texas' sovereignty over its tidelands is in court again.

The U. S. Justice Department has filed a suit against Texas, challenging the state's regulation of fishing within the farthest two leagues (six marine miles) of the historic three-league (nine-marine-mile) boundary.

Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin has requested President Nixon to intervene in the latest federal attack.

The Attorney General further requested an opportunity for the state to present its position to the State Department and Justice Department. The state, he noted in a letter to Nixon, was not notified prior to filing of the action.

Martin claimed the new action is contrary to the position taken by the Eisenhower-Nixon administration in 1953 and in 1957.

He submitted to the President excerpts from the state's brief filed in the original boundary suit which was decided in Texas' favor by the United States Supreme Court in 1958. He also included a 1967 letter from the late President Dwight D. Eisenhower to then-Gov. Price Daniel. Eisenhower expressed the opinion that Texas should "have the right to explore and exploit the submerged lands extending seaward of (its) coastline for a distance of three marine leagues into the Gulf of Mexico."

Martin urged Nixon to inform him if his position as president is the same as that expressed by President Eisenhower.

COURT REVISION URGED—A Supreme Court justice and president of the Texas Civil Judicial Council says it's time the legislature submits to voters a constitutional amendment on judicial reform.

Associate Justice Tom Reavley said Texans are demanding "major surgery" on the court system. Suggested Reavley:

The State Supreme Court and Court of Criminal Appeals should be merged into a single court of last resort.

Fourteen Courts of Civil Appeals should be given jurisdiction over criminal as well as civil cases.

There should be fewer levels of lower courts with less overlapping jurisdiction.

Appeal procedure should be "simpler and speedier."

Judges and cases should be transferred to match resources with needs in keeping with better management of the court system.

The 63rd Legislature, Reavley said, should be asked next year to submit the constitutional amendment proposing court reorganization and modernization.

SPECIAL TRAINING APPROVED—The State Board of Education approved contracts for special training next school year of 2,611 children in non-public schools.

Largest single group involved is the trainable mentally retarded category, with 1,887 youngsters.

Pupils, from pre-school age

through high school level, will attend 12 schools operated under the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation and 35 independent non-public schools.

The State Board of Education also reviewed a \$1.1 million research program supported by 90 per cent federal and 10 per cent local funds.

Board members voted to uphold orders of Education Commissioner J. W. Edgar sustaining local school board "haircut rules" and dress codes.

COURTS SPEAK—The Court of Criminal Appeals refused to go along with an argument that the aggravated assault law discriminated against men—and concluded it's still worse for a man to hit a woman than the other way around.

Texas Supreme Court held a county judge can't prevent a township incorporation election if 200 residents present the required petition. The decision upheld an Athens district judge and the Tyler Court of Criminal Appeals.

The High Court sustained lower courts and refused to knock out of operation a Houston legal aid service for the poor in spite of objections to it by some lawyers who claimed it is costing them money.

APPOINTMENTS—James W. (Jack) Ward of Amarillo has been named by Gov. Preston Smith as a member of the Texas Mass Transportation Commission for a six-year term.

Smith also named eight to the Real Estate Research Advisory Committee. They are Joe W. Loper of San Antonio, Glenn W. Justice of Dallas, Mrs. Katherine Boyd of Arlington, Dr. Walstein Smith Jr. of Waco, John A. Worley of Dallas, George O. Yamini of Dallas, Julio S. Laguarda of Houston and R. L. Pardue of Houston.

HEALTH STUDY LAUNCHED—State, local and federal health officials this week began an intensive study to determine if health hazards exist for workers in the American Smelting and Refining Company plant in El Paso.

Air samples will be taken within the plant to discover possible toxic materials, and blood and urine samples will be taken from about 800 employees.

The survey will complement a comprehensive health study to evaluate lead hazards in the plant vicinity which was initiated by local health officials several weeks ago in cooperation

with the State Health Department: A. S. R. C. is cooperating in the survey.

PARTIES SLOW—Secretary of State Bob Bullock complained about early response to his request that county political party officers submit early estimates of May primary election expenses.

Bullock said a week after he asked for the estimate only 99 (of 254) counties were represented in replies. He warned again no state funds will be allocated to local parties until estimated expenditures are submitted on prescribed forms.

Some county chairmen explained they were taking their time since the new state primary financing act makes them responsible for inaccuracies in their figures.

JUNE 1 PUPIL TRANSFER DEADLINE—Texas Education Agency has held parents who want to transfer their children from their home school to a nearby district must submit requests by June 1.

Once approved by the receiving school board, the request must also be cleared by T.E.A. State approval is a term of a U. S. District Court order filed in Tyler relating to desegregation of schools. Under the order, transfers are not to be permitted to reduce or impede desegregation or encourage discrimination.

Greenbelt Cotton Producers Directors Meet April 15

A meeting of the Board of Directors of the Greenbelt Cotton Producers, Inc. was held on April 15 in Memphis, Texas. The main objective of this meeting was to finalize plans for the 1972-73 collection program. This will be necessary for the maintenance of the Memphis Cotton Classing Office. Each operating gin in the eighteen counties served by the Memphis Cotton Classing Office will be contacted during the month of July, 1972.

Two guests were present in addition to the directors. Mr. C. E. Cox, Officer in Charge of the Altus Cotton Classing Office and Mr. Wiley Cain, Officer in Charge of the Memphis Cotton Classing Office attended the meeting. They discussed with the Directors the operation and needs of the Classing Office. The directors were unanimous in their praise of Mr. Cox and Mr. Cain in the management of the office. The officers and other employees of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture have cooperated fully with the Directors and with the cotton producers of this area.

The Greenbelt Cotton Producers, Inc. was formed in 1959 for the purpose of establishing a cotton classing office in Memphis. Since 1959, the Memphis Office has classed 2,000, 198,000 samples of cotton. The office serves cotton farmers in Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hemphill, Hutchinson, King, Lipscomb, Motley, Ochiltree, Roberts and Wheeler Counties. The Memphis office is considered one of the most modern and up-to-date in the cotton producing industry.

Directors currently serving are President Jerrel Rapp of Estelina; Vice-President Ernest Rea of Tell; Secretary A. J. Garland of Goodnight; D. D. Pennington of McLean; J. R. Hefley of Twitty; H. S. Mahafey of Clarendon; D. E. Brunson of Quitaque; Dudley Chewning of Cee Vee; L. B. Collis of White Deer; Joe Degan of Flomot and W. R. Breeding of Samnorwood.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

April 24-28 MONDAY—Fried Fish, Black-eyed Peas, Scalloped Potatoes, Fruit, Cookies, Cornbread, Milk. TUESDAY—Corn Dogs, Macaroni with Tomatoes, Greens, Brand Pudding, Milk. WEDNESDAY—Chicken Salad, Potato Chips, Pork & Beans, Bread, Berry Pie, Milk. THURSDAY—Beef and Gravy, Whole Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Honey Butter, Milk. FRIDAY—Hamburger on Bun, French Fries, Relish, Onions, Strawberry Cake, Milk.

Mrs. Loreann Pond and Mrs. Lucy Toler of Amarillo visited in the home of their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Percival, Sunday afternoon. They also visited their sister-in-law, Mrs. Herman Percival.

Rancher Asks Why Government Can't Control Coyotes

Lloyd Treat, longtime rancher west of Hope, is known as a man who, since boyhood, has been a good hand at anything to be done around a range livestock operation. He's a rider, not a writer, but last week he mailed the following letter to Washington.

The Director (210) Bureau of Land Management Washington, D. C. 20242 Subject: Rule Making 36 FR 8336 regarding Chemical Toxicants on Public Lands.

Dear Sir: I am opposing the new regulations on the grounds that it is absolutely ridiculous that our government which can't even control crime in the U.S.A. even takes an issue on such a thing as the common coyote.

I have been in the sheep business the past 35 years, and have fought all kinds of varmints, and we could never rid the country of them if we tried all-out. Some people think we like controlling them. We do not. It is a very costly operation—men have lost \$40 per hour to hire a plane, and if you run them in cars they are completely torn up. This is no fun. We only do it to protect our sheep.

I live on my ranch. I pay pretty damned high taxes. It is 60 miles from town. I cannot call a fire truck. I cannot call a policeman. I cannot call a doctor. We have terrible droughts, we have floods. We have to take care of our own problems. We don't depend on other people to do it for us. The people who are giving us hell have polluted every damn thing they have. We have a good clean country out here. The only crap here is left on the highways by the tourists and they leave aplenty. Ninety percent of the politicians are so afraid of losing a vote that there isn't a damned thing they wouldn't do for one more vote, and of course we, the ranchers, are outnumbered by thousands to one.

The multitude of people refer to the federal lands as "our public lands." I'd say they belong to the government of the United States of America and we pay a damned good lease on these lands. Some people don't understand we have private lands, we have federal lands, and they are all intermingled. We have watered these lands at very great expense to ourselves. We have built these ranches and made something of them, the wool to clothe the people and the meat to feed the people. We have built them up. Those who oppose us want to tear them down.

Why don't you people call all federal buildings "public buildings" and let people camp in them, sleep in them, shoot them full of holes. People who have nothing, and don't care about anything, hate people who try to build up something. They only want to tear down what people have spent a lifetime building up. We cannot survive in the sheep industry and in a lot of instances in the cattle industry if we cannot control the coyote. There are as many coyotes, eagles, bobcats, foxes, jackrabbits as there were 30 years ago in this country, and, of course, one hell of a lot more idiotic people.

We ranchers are just like the country dog that went to town—if we stand still they will rape us, and if we run they will chew our rear end out.

The multitude of people want things out here left as they were a hundred years ago. I would like to see the cities like they were a hundred years ago. Horse-drawn buggies, kerosene lights, dirt streets, and full of big rats. Where are all the rats? I suppose they have killed them all and poisoned them. I like rats. But no, they want progress but they don't want us to progress. But please explain to us where all the varmints we have, which they want us to keep, fit into this ecological and environmental progress.

Thank you very kindly.

Mrs. Texas Batson and Mrs. Lorene Holland of Lubbock are visiting their mother, Mrs. E. L. Lewis.

Earl Butler has returned home after visiting with Bryan and Nina Faye Burton in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Dorothea Ledbetter of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Watson.

Durward Posey Rites Held Wednesday p.m.

Funeral services for Durward Earl (Pete) Posey 56, a resident of the Goodnight area for 25 years, were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 19, 1972 in Murphy Memorial Chapel with Rev. J. J. Allison, a Baptist Minister from Amarillo, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

Mr. Posey died Saturday evening, April 15, in the Veterans Hospital near Lynwood, California. He was born in Claude and attended the Goodnight Schools before entering the Armed Services during World War II. He has resided in California since being discharged from the service, and worked as an X-Ray Technician for North America Aviation. He married Ruth Savor in 1954 at Los Angeles, California. He was a Baptist and a Veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth Posey of the home in Lynwood, California; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Posey of Amarillo; two step-sons, Vaun and Rodney Savor both of Phoenix, Arizona; one sister, Mrs. Milton

Davis of Amarillo; three brothers, Morris Posey of Albuquerque, N. M., Jack and Doyle Posey both of Amarillo; and five grandchildren.

Bearers were A. J. Garland, Davis Burrow, Alba Shores, Clarence Shores, J. D. Holtzclaw, and Roy Vaughn.

G. E. D. ENROLLMENT OPPORTUNITY TO MANY

Anyone interested in earning their G. E. D.—General Education Development (test) used for qualifying high school diploma, may contact Mrs. Edna Osburn at the Community Action office in the courthouse, 874-2573. This is opportunity that will benefit many of our citizens, especially high school drop outs.

HOSPITALIZED

Friends will be sorry to learn that Mrs. Kenny Lane, the former Alta Lewis and a former resident of Clarendon, underwent surgery at Highland General Hospital in Pampa Tuesday morning. At last report she was doing as well as could be expected. She is in Room 223 at the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lewis were in Pampa to be with her and her husband Tuesday.

Farm News from County ASCS Com.

Certification Date Changed The final date to certify cotton and feed grain along with all set-aside for the farm is August 1, 1972, instead of July 15 as previously announced.

May 1 is the last date to certify wheat and barley acreage. Zero acreages must be certified if you have a wheat allotment or barley base and have none planted.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hicks of Longview announce the arrival of a daughter, Tina Renea, March 16, 1972. Tina weighed 8 lbs. 14 oz. and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otace Hicks of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Davidson of Memphis.

Mrs. Hicks has returned home after spending a month with the Jerry Hicks getting acquainted with her new granddaughter and helping care for her little brother and sister.

Leader—Local Rate \$4.50 A Year

Avoid A Breakdown in Law Enforcement We Need A Strong District Attorney Vote For Experienced Prosecution Vote For Paul Spillman for District Attorney (Pol. Adv. pd. for by Bill Spillman)

An Open Letter From Bright Newhouse I wish to use this means of communication to clarify any misconceptions anyone might have concerning my appointment to the Donley County Hospital District Board. I had said, "That I would not accept an appointment to the Hospital Board"; however I was appointed anyway, and now find myself in a position of having to defend myself for an appointment that I did not ask for. After being appointed and with careful thought, I then decided it was my civic duty and responsibility to accept the appointment. My appointment, as far as I am concerned, is as a representative of all the people of the County. I want it known that I am not, nor will I ever be obligated to any group or inclined to any individual to carry out their personal wishes. I have no desire to control any group or individual for personal gain, satisfaction or selfish reasons. I will only serve to the best of my ability and for the interest of all the people of the District in operating a hospital. I strongly believe as I always have, that in matters relating to welfare of people one can't make a mistake when attempting to do the right thing. When this cannot be accomplished I no longer will be associated in an effort to this end. Please be assured of my intentions that follow, based upon the desires of everyone that I have had an opportunity to talk with: (a) To get the hospital open as soon as possible, so that it can begin to pay for itself and fulfill its purpose, of providing a facility to administer the needs of the sick and ease the pain of the suffering. (b) Pursue the quest to obtain Doctors to staff the hospital, by working closely with the present Administrator, who is working diligently and doing a good job to make our hospital the best possible. (c) To be fair and just in representing all the people and not any one group or individual. I do make this appeal and ask for your help in accomplishing this end and to work for unity among the people who live in Donley County which is the hospital district. To my knowledge I have not offended or deliberately wronged anyone. If this has happened unknowingly to me I stand ready to make amends. We can make this a better place to live, and I believe this is a God given responsibility for both you and me and all of us. (Paid Advertisement) BRIGHT NEWHOUSE

SERMONETTE BY JOHN HANSEN— PASTOR OF CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE "And now abideth FAITH..." Faith is like writing a check and obtaining the amount in cash. However, in relation to prayer, many people write checks to God but never obtain because they don't believe that God will pay off. Why not have the Faith that actually obtains.

38th ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING ROLLING PLAINS PCA Saturday, April 22 - Hi-School Auditorium STAMFORD, TEXAS Noon Bar-B-Que -- 1:00 p.m. Business Session \$400 In Cash Prizes!! Reports From Board and Management Election of 2 Directors Election of Nominating Committee Entertainment by Stage Band from Hamlin Hi-School Have A Part in the Affairs of Your PCA SHOW YOUR INTEREST BY BEING PRESENT PCA The Go Ahead People Leader—Local Rate \$4.50 A Year