

# THE ROPES PLAINSMAN

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## NEWS BRIEFS . . .

from  
around the world

Shriver proposes curbs on business abroad.

Supreme Court affirms 1969 I.C.C. ruling.

Colts oust McCafferty and name Sandusky.

7 Soviet religious leaders to visit U.S.

Communist party buying network radio time.

Politics has low priority in ethnic areas.

Soviet designer predicts new rocket engines.

Tito, at 80, seeks to revitalize his party.

Teen-agers are dressing up again for school.

Tanaka defends doubling of defense budget.

Senate-House talks on military aid end.

Egypt asks U.N. to consider sanctions on Israel.

Massachusetts orders auto insurance rebate.

Shriver exhorts youths to help the poor.

Wallace says he might endorse a candidate.

A.B.A. head sees tighter money in 1973.

U.S. in U.N. opposes Soviet satellite TV treaty.

Irate students mob Queen Elizabeth in Scotland.

To B-52 men it is an "im-personal war."

Thieu bars coalition, would kill all of enemy.

Demands for corporate credit begin to grow.

Super Bowl to be on local TV if sold out.

Soviet believed preparing to deploy first carrier.

U.S. protests Soviet curbs on newsmen.

Attacks on free Congressional mail are rising.

California warned to curb electricity use.

## Texas Farmers and Ranchers May Be Eligible For Benefits

Texas farmers and ranchers who have suffered crop, live-stock, or property losses from a natural disaster since June 30, 1971, may be eligible for benefits from Public Law 92-385 J. Lynn Futch, State Director of Farmers Home Administration, Temple, Texas, announced today.

Provisions of this law, signed by President Nixon on August 16, 1972, are now fully operative, Futch said.

Benefits are divided into two time frames:

1. Farmers and ranchers who received loans from Farmers Home Administration as the result of losses due to a natural disaster that occurred between June 30 and December 31, 1971, may be eligible for a cancellation of up to \$5,000 of the principal of the loan. Interest on the remaining loan would be three percent.

2. Those who received loans as the result of losses from a natural disaster that occurred after December 31, 1971, are also eligible for a cancellation of up to \$5,000. Interest on the outstanding balance would be charged at one percent.

Futch emphasized that it is not necessary for those who are entitled to benefits to contact the local FHA office. These are blanket provisions applicable to all who have received loans, and each will be contacted and told of the action he should take.

Futch also advises that any farmer or rancher who receives an Emergency loan from Farmers Home Administration between now and June 30, 1973, may have up to the first \$5,000 of the loan cancelled, with the balance at a one percent interest rate. The amount of cancellation is limited to the loan or damage not compensated by insurance or otherwise.

## Pioneer Natural Gas Company Declares 21¢ Div'n.

The board of directors of Pioneer Natural Gas Company, at their regular meeting, declared a quarterly dividend of 21¢ per share on the outstanding common stock, according to Burton P. Smith, president and chief executive officer. The dividend will be payable December 1, 1972, to stockholders of record on November 15, 1972.

Consolidated net income of Pioneer Natural Gas Company and subsidiaries for the quarter ended September 30, 1972, amounted to \$1,591,903. This compares with \$1,665,135 for the third quarter of 1971. Consolidated net income for the first nine months of this year amounted to \$7,409,550 compared to \$6,836,757 for the same period in 1971.

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## Farm Bureau Ask USDA To Purchase Cotton

The Texas Farm Bureau is requesting the government to purchase cotton to relieve "critically depressed" prices for cotton.

In a telegram sent October 20 to Senator John Tower, Texas Farm Bureau President J. T. (Red) Woodson said, "Texas Farm Bureau cotton producers respectfully request your personal assistance in expediting USDA purchases of cotton for current and future export sales."

The leader of the 135,000-member Texas Farm Bureau said export sales in volume are "urgently needed to relieve critically depressed prices for all grades and staples, and particularly for the shorter staples which predominate in Texas."

"Your positive response to this request," Woodson continued, "should prove extremely beneficial to Texas cotton producers and will be deeply appreciated."

## Cotton for Christmas Promotion At Lubbock Garden & Art Center

The Lubbock County Women's Cotton Promotion Association is sponsoring "Cotton For Christmas" at the Lubbock Garden and Art Center on November 6 from 9 until 5 o'clock.

Each Community in Lubbock County will have tables with displays showing how cotton can be used in decorations for the home and many items of toys, robes, dresses, shirts thus giving the public many hints in making and buying gifts for Christmas. The public is invited to visit and enjoy the displays.

In charge of Idalou Community is Mrs. W. B. Criswell; Mrs. Doug Wienke, New Deal Community; Mrs. R. B. Boyd, Cooper Community; Mrs. Bobby Joplin, Slaton Community; Mrs. James Mitchell, Wolforth Community; and Billie Burgett, Shallowater Community.

## Field Day On Flail-Type Cotton Shredders

The St. Lawrence Cotton Insect Control Association and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service will host a field day on flail-type cotton shredders at St. Lawrence in Glasscock County at 9 a.m. on November 15, 1972, according to Roy Childers, area agricultural engineer-cotton mechanization, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Lubbock. The field day will be held at the St. Lawrence Community Center, located 10 miles south of Garden City on FM 33 and then 5 miles west of FM 2874.

The field day has been scheduled as an effort to demonstrate the use of flail-type shredders

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## 99 Hockley County Accidents In First 9 Months of 1972

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated ten accidents on rural highways in Hockley County during the month of September, according to Sergeant H. E. Pirtle, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

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

The rural traffic summary for this county during the first nine months of 1972 shows a total of 99 accidents resulting in two persons killed and 93 persons injured.

Region 5 of the Texas Department of Public Safety shows a total in September, 1972 of 561 accidents resulting in 21 persons killed and 335 persons injured as compared to the same month in 1971 with 499 accidents resulting in 33 persons killed and 268 persons injured. This was 62 more accidents, 12 less fatalities and 67 more injured in 1972 at the same period of time.

The Highway Patrol supervisor reminds you that speed is one of the main factors in accidents on the highway. Slow down a little and live a lot. Drive friendly the Texas way!

The 21 deaths for the month of September, 1972 occurred in the following counties: Oldham, Knox, Lamb, Wise, Yoakum and Young, two each; Childress, Deaf Smith, Hartley, Potter, Randall, Wheeler, Palo Pinto, Terry and Wichita one each.

## Ada Kimberlim Celebrates 83rd. Birthday

Sixty-one attended Mrs. Ada Kimberlin's 83rd birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kimberlin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kimberlin, Ropesville; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Flake and Shawnee, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Hank Connell and Chris Mrs. Donna Crawford and daughter, Sundown; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Jones, Mrs. Jessie Brown Lula, Roy Gonzales, Elaine Manning and David, Jaquita Parker, Stacy and Missy, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson, Ron and Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Will Watson, Sherry and Fifi, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pickeral of Lubbock.

Donnie Watson, Albuquerque, Mrs. Elsie Small, Rhonda, Mike Tonya, and Penny, Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kimberlin from Goldwithe; Kristy and Karen Kimberlin, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Webster, Dan and Cheryl Odessa.

## U.S.-SOVIET TRADE

The United States and the Soviet Union have signed historic agreements settling Russia's debts from World War II while opening a new era of bilateral trade. Preliminary agreement was reached during the Moscow summit in May.

## CONGRESS ADJOURNS

The 92nd Congress finished its business and adjourned October 18th after two years of work which was highlighted by enactment of a \$20-billion revenue-sharing bill and giving 18-year-olds the right to vote.

## Anton Beats Ropes 36-6

The Ropes Eagles put forth a good effort Friday night, but Anton managed to come out on top of the 36-6 score.

In the middle of the second quarter came the Eagles lone score. After driving the ball to the 3 yard line, the Eagles fumbled but Danny Curry recovered the fumble in the end-zone for a touchdown. The score at half was 22-6.

Outstanding defense for the Eagles went to linebackers Marty Salinas with 12 tackles and Clyde Parker with 11 tackles.

Ropes meets Shallowater at 7:30 here this Friday night. Be sure and support the Fighting Eagles.

## Spade Ranch Historical Marker Dedication

HISTORICAL MARKER DEDICATION ANNOUNCEMENT

Spade Ranch Historical Marker, located 2.4 miles west of Smyer, Hockley Co., Texas, will be dedicated November 11, 1972 at 10:30 a.m. O. R. Watkins, Chairman of Hockley County Historical Survey Committee will be in charge. Honorable James A. Ellis, chief justice, 7th Court of Civil Appeals, Amarillo District will address the dedication.

The 18" x 28" Official Texas Historical Marker WA Hockley County-8/10/72-SH 116, 2.4 Mi W of Smyer reads as follows:

THE SPADE RANCH  
FOUNDED BY ISAAC ELLWOOD (1833-1910), INVENTOR WHO MADE A FORTUNE IN BARBED WIRE, AND BOUGHT (1889) FROM VETERAN CATTLEMEN D. H. AND J. W. SNYDER AN 8 x 25-MILE RANGE (128,000 ACRES) IN HALE, HOCKLEY, LAMB AND LUBBOCK COUNTIES. THIS RANGE WAS USED FOR SPADE-BRANDED CALVES FROM RENDERBROOK SPRING, HIS SOUTHWEST RANCH, IN MITCHELL COUNTY. HE CONTINUED BUYING SOUTH PLAINS LAND UNTIL SPADE RANGE WAS 54 MILES LONG. HEADQUARTERS (ORIGINALLY IN LAMB COUNTY) WAS MOVED TO SOUTH CAMP (3/10 MI. N OF HERE) AFTER FARM-LAND SALES IN 1920's.

ELLWOOD'S DESCENDANTS STILL OWN AND OPERATE THE SPADE. (1972)

## Strong Protest By Farmers Union To Earl Butz

Farmers Union registered today a strong protest with Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz over his failure to raise the cotton price support loan in the 1973 program.

In a letter to the Agriculture Secretary, Texas Farmers Union President, Jay Naman, said that "maintaining the same program and price supports for the '73 season that have caused below production-cost prices this year indicates a callous disregard for the nation's cotton producers. Your decision to retain the 19.5¢ per pound price support is clear evidence that, once again, your administration of the cotton program is based on the welfare of the cotton trade at the expense of cotton producers."

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## Ropes Housewives Bowling League

Standings as of October 26, 1972

TEAM	WON	LOST
Mansfield's Service	25	11
Bower's Butane	22 1/2	13 1/2
Ropes Co-Op	20 1/2	15 1/2
T & M Trucking	19	17
Opdyke Co-Op	11	25
Jackson Insurance	10	26

High Game of the Week - Levette Bradshaw (208)

Bowlers of the Week: Bobbie Perry and Levetta Bradshaw



"If you must know, I'm using a Want Ad to replace someone - you know!"

# Looking at WASHINGTON

Nixon's Press-  
The Editors-  
Working Press-  
Mafia Hurt-

Washington, D. C.--The overwhelming support President Nixon has received from the nation's editors is unprecedented in the history of America.

Daily editors have favored Mr. Nixon about 12 to 1 and the margin may be higher among the weekly press. Although many favorites of the editors have lost in recent years (about as many as have won) never has the margin of support from editors been so great.

Yet Mr. Nixon remains the object of savage depreciation by much of the working press in Washington, New York and abroad.

The line pushed by these writers is almost identical; they claim the President is all politician, and a good one, but that he isn't really leveling with the voter.

Of course, this failing is attributed to all Presidents. But the ironic part of today's political picture is that so much of the working press damns Mr. Nixon on a bitter,

personal basic while editors support him 12 to 1.

The working press is traditionally made up of hard nosed liberals. (Some say the most successful are the most repulsive and aggressive.) Editors tend to be less toward the left. That presumably accounts for some of the contrast.

The Nixon Administration's crackdown on the Mafia in New York City was timed nicely for the election, admittedly, but it has been in progress for more than a year.

The mass serving of subpoenas and grand jury proceedings are described by those in the know as the heaviest blow the federal government has ever struck at the famed gangster organization.

Republicans, of course, like to note that gang support in most cities in the past has usually gone to Democrats.

## 12 To 1

U.S. newspapers are endorsing President Nixon in preference to Senator George McGovern by a 12 to 1 ratio, according to Editor and Publisher, weekly publication of the newspaper world.

This is so much greater than the Richard Nixon margin in 1960, 4 to 1, it is probably significant. One can't claim editors vote as the electorate, however, for quite often the voters react differently.

In 1948, for example, newspaper editors endorsed Tom Dewey by a 4 to 1 margin and he lost. In 1940 they endorsed Wendell Wilkie 3 to 1 and he lost. And in 1936 they endorsed Alfred Landon 1 1/2 to 1 and Franklin Roosevelt won by a landslide.

Even though editors have often chosen the loser in the past, however, never has the margin been so one sided as the present Nixon margin and this logically encourages Republicans. While metropolitan newspapers are considered to have limited influence on readers, smaller papers, as Dwight Shumway, of the Committee for Reelection of the President says, exert a greater influence on their smaller, local family of readers. This is even more true of weeklies, of which there are some 10,000--and which have also presumably endorsed President Nixon by a heavy margin.

## On To Mars?

George Mueller, former head of NASA, said at a recent gathering of scientists in Vienna that man can travel to Mars.

He said the trip would take eighteen months, that he favored sending mixed crews of men and women and that they could remain on Mars several months.

Mueller said, further, that the money "is there. Getting it allocated for the project is what's difficult."

Just where all the tens of billions are that Mueller says only need to be allocated is a mystery. Certainly most Americans think there are many more urgent needs for these billions at home. Maybe that kind of thinking is why Mueller no longer heads NASA.

## Spoiled Moderns

Though baseball is over for 1972, a retroactive comment is in order--to help today's young players avoid the mental state and pampered martyrdom of certain moderns in the game today.

Sourest scene of all this season came from Vida Blue, paid \$60,000 this year and given the Cy Young award last year, when his club was celebrating winning the pennant. He sat pouting, bitching about his \$60,000 salary, knocking his manager and the team owner.

No sense of appreciation, no loyalty, no team spirit seemed to affect him. He told a reporter he pitched for himself and that he was going to make the owner come to him in next year's signing. In view of the fact that Oakland won with little help from Blue this year (he was 6-10) one finds it difficult to see any logic in his utterances. Rather, they sound like noises from a pampered, confused child.



# State Capital NEWS

By: Bill Boykin



BOYKIN

Rising welfare costs will demand another \$60.9 million increase in the state budget during the next two years, the State Board of Public Welfare concluded last week.

The Board also approved a budget request asking an additional \$71.1 million in federal matching funds for the 1974-75 biennium.

State Welfare Commissioner Raymond Vowell blamed the increase on congressional regulations and two per cent cut in the federal government's share of welfare program costs for Texas.

Welfare Board member Louis Sarazan of Corpus Christi also pointed to increase in medical care for welfare beneficiaries.

Even with the increase recommended, benefits would be cut at least temporarily next fall. State funds for welfare totalled \$212.5 million in 1972 and \$267.8 million in 1973.

The Texas constitution limits money actually paid to welfare recipients (not including medical assistance, operating costs, special services, food stamps, counseling, child care and job training) to \$80 million a year.

Voters last year rejected a proposal to remove state aid to the aged, blind and disabled from the ceiling. If President Nixon signs the revised welfare reform bill, only aid to families with dependent children would be left under the state ceiling by Jan. 1, 1974. The federal government would assume the cost of aid to the aged, blind and disabled, although the states would administer programs until July 1, 1975.

The federal act, if signed, would also phase back into the medicare program 19,000 old folks who lost their eligibility when social security benefits were raised October 1.

**UNITARY PRIMARY URGED--** Secretary of State Bob Bullock recommended unitary primary elections to replace the old system of separate primaries for Democrats and Republicans.

At the same time, the state chief election officer advised a Senate election law study committee that unless the legislature enacts new legislation next year there will be no laws

on the books for financing 1974 primaries.

Bullock estimated the state could save at least \$800,000 under the \$2.8 million spent on dual primaries this year if it uses the same polling places and officials for both major parties.

The Secretary recommended state and local officials, rather than county political party chairmen, be designated to hold primaries. He also urged re-evaluating the whole Texas Election Code's provisions on political advertising and campaign expense-financing reporting. He said the election code should be recodified.

**RATE STUDY ASKED--**The House sponsor of competitive home and auto insurance rates in the recent special session announced he will ask the House speaker to direct a committee to make a rate study.

Rep. Don Cavness of Austin said he hopes his bill, which died in conference committee last month, will be revived by the 63rd Legislature next year.

Cavness said he does not think lawmakers received an accurate analysis of competitive rates from the State Board of Insurance. He said he hopes to obtain more nearly accurate facts on auto insurance costs. He said he also wants some meaningful comparisons on premiums for homeowner's rates, which "on routine examination appear extremely high."

**ODOMETER ABUSES HIT--**Fifteen hundred car dealer and leasing companies in Texas signed voluntary agreements not to "roll back" odometers (mileage indicators) on used cars in Texas, Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin said.

Earlier, the attorney general's Consumer Protection Division obtained 39 permanent injunctions against El Paso firms and individuals for turning back the odometers so used cars would seem to have "low mileage."

Martin claimed substantial progress in the odometer control era after the 1,500 who handle the bulk of used car business in Texas filed voluntary compliance assurances.

**COURT'S SPEAK--**An Austin district court denied former West Texas State Sen. David Ratliff's plea to have his trial for two state paycheck thefts moved from Travis County.

Texas Supreme Court set arguments December 6 on whether Denton County Judge Tom Todd could cancel an election he set earlier to incorporate Corral City in the county.

Supreme Court upheld lower court decisions that Houston was liable for damages for injuries to a child who fell on sharp rocks

# Editorials

## African Justice

In several African nations justice seems to be marching backward. There were public hangings of robbers in one country recently and in nationalist Libya it has just been announced thieves will have their hands cut off--as in the old days--hereafter.

Thieves and robbers in Libya are henceforward to be punished under Islamic law, according to a government announcement. Those over eighteen guilty of theft will have their right hand cut off. Those guilty of robbery will have their right hand and left foot severed.

American citizens who complain about justice here, admittedly not perfect, might think a bit about the public hangings and Islamic justice reintroduced in African countries, and feel a little better about it all.

in a drainage ditch.

**AG OPINIONS--**Atty. Gen. Martin said an 82-acre tract of land owned by the Church in the Hills, Inc. in Kerr County is not exempt from taxation.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded:

\*County tax office motor vehicle license receipt records are public records and must be preserved for five years. They may be examined by interested persons, and telephone questions about them can be answered at discretion of the tax office.

\*A water supply corporation establishing a drinking water supply for public use is subject to State Department of Health jurisdiction.

\*Unexpended balance of a Ford Foundation grant for a state legislative intern training program which has been terminated must be returned to the Foundation. Interest earned on investment must be deposited to the state's general revenue fund.

\*An act to abolish the Hutchinson County school superintendent's office is unconstitutional.

\*Texas Cosmetology Commission does not have authority to renew licenses, and can't issue two separate renewal licenses together for combined time span of more than one year.

**RURAL AID HEARINGS SET--**Texas Industrial Commission will hold public hearings in four cities during November to determine which areas are eligible for industrial development aid under a new law.

Hearings will be held in Austin November 9, Big Spring November 14, Kingsville November 16 and Henderson November 21.

The program provided under the Texas Rural Development Act will help 230 non-profit industrial foundations get up to 40 per cent of cost of financing a new or expanding industry in rural areas.

**REVENUE SHARING PLANNED--**Gov. Preston Smith formed a council to plan for orderly administration of the new federal revenue sharing act.

The law provides an estimated \$244.5 million for Texas state and local governments during calendar year 1972. During its five-year life, Texas governments are expected to get \$1.3 billion. Local governments will receive \$183 million and state government \$81.5 million (estimated) in calendar 1972, \$185 million and \$92.4 million in calendar 1973.

State Sen. Charles Wilson of Lufkin will serve as acting governor December 2 in ceremonies at the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation near Livingston in his district.

Governor Smith traveled to six cities -- Palestine, Fort Worth, Lubbock, Kingsville, Houston and San Antonio -- to sign acts of the special legislative session important to those communities.



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**LOCAL & SOCIAL**

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Walling visited in Lovington, New Mexico, Friday with Mr. and Mrs. John Faris.

Mrs. Bob Whitlock has been spending time in Lubbock helping her daughter, Mrs. Betty Jane Lamb, who has been ill, also sick was the baby of Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitlock.

Lynn Cox and Rhonda Brantley of Plains visited in the home of his parents Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mayfield visited in Amarillo over the week end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Morehead and the Mayfield's daughter Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boles and Denise.

Mrs. Vera Kline of El Paso visited over the week end with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. David Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Whitehead of Plains visited Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Whitehead.

Mrs. Bob Thomas and Mrs. Ruby Drake visited in Levelland last Tuesday with Mrs. Willie Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Ward of Plainview visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Riney.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs Friday night for Dominos.

Saturday night visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory's were: Lillian Gryder and Billy and Mark and Steve Dorsett.

Visiting Sunday in the Emory Hobbs home was: Joyce Dorsett and Bruce of Brownfield, Iva Roberson of Lubbock and Nell Hobbs and children.

Mable Hobbs, Nell Hobbs and Melody and Inez Price were in Brownfield Thursday attending the Tops Halloween Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were in Littlefield Monday visiting his sister Alpha McCarty, she is in the hospital because of a light heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Willis were in Levelland Sunday afternoon visiting with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Bevers and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bevers.

Our sympathy goes out to Mrs. J. C. Pointer who lost a cousin Jack Edgemon of Duncanville.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Briggs and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Briggs, Jay and Dee Dee spent the weekend in Sherman with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Moody.

Visitors Sunday in the Noel D. Flowers' home were: Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Milford Byrd and family all of Meadow, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Martin and family.

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WORSHIP SERVICES ..... 11:00 a.m.  
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EVENING WORSHIP ..... 6:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY PRAYER SERVICE ..... 8:30 p.m.

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TRAINING UNION ..... 6:00 p.m.  
EVENING WORSHIP ..... 7:00 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY PRAYER SERVICE ..... 8: p.m.

**Tattle Tale**  
"What's Caroline so mad about?"  
"She stepped on one of those scales with a loud-speaker and it called out, "One at a time, please."

**Tough**  
Judge--Only married a week and beat your wife? A month's imprisonment will cure you.  
Husband--It's a bit tough spoiling our honeymoon like that."

**Not Like the Flood**  
An American died and went to Heaven, and promptly started to boast about his native land. "Do you know," he told a group of spirits, "that at Niagara Falls eight billion cubic feet of water flow over the cliffs every second!"  
"Poof!" said Noah, scornfully, "Dew-drops."

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The letter noted that under the law, the Secretary of Agriculture can, at his discretion, set the loan at 90% of the 2-year average world market price, which is this case would be 24¢ per lb. Naman said that both the cotton trade and the USDA had urged farmers to increase cotton acreage this year and gave assurances that prices received would permit a reasonable profit. "Following that advice," he said "farmers produced a large surplus and now cannot sell their cotton even at the present loan level of 19.5¢ per lb."  
"An increase in the price support loan level is clearly possible under existing law. As your own spokesmen have indicated, the loan level could be raised to 24¢ per lb."

Naman said, "Failure to increase the cotton price support loan level will assure the cycling of all unsold cotton through the Commodity Credit Corporation at great cost to taxpayers and to the disadvantage of producers. By increasing the loan level prices would be stimulated and producers would be able to market their crop this year through traditional trade channels."

The protest to Secretary Butz expressed strong agreement with the view of House Agriculture Committee Chairman W. R. Poage who personally urged an increase in the price support loan level and who said, "In January, Congress must begin work on a new farm bill. The Department can do a better job with some of the freedom of action Congress has granted it. But if that freedom is to be abused at the expense of producers, Congress may consider taking this discretion away."

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Earnings per share for the third quarter amounted to 21¢ on 7,468,132 shares outstanding during this period. This compares with 22¢ per share on the 7,468,132 average number of common shares outstanding at the end of the same period last year. Earnings per share for the first nine months of 1972 are 99¢ compared to 92¢ per share for the same period in 1971.  
The report for the third quarter operations of the company will be mailed to the stockholders about November 9.  
The redeeming feature about building castles in the air is that they still remain untaxed.

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**Our Boys In Military Service**



Airman Steven D. Wright

Airman Steven D. Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale A. Wright of Route 3, Levelland, Texas, has been assigned to Lowry AFB, Colorado, after completing Air Force basic training.

During his six weeks at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB, Texas, he studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

The airman has been assigned to the Technical Training Center at Lowry for specialized training in the munitions and weapons maintenance field.

Airman Wright, a 1971 graduate of Levelland High School, attended Airlines Technical Training Inc., Denver.

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on destruction of cotton stalks and of overwintering pink bollworm larvae in seed cotton residue left in the field after harvest. The flail-type shredders will be on display and then taken to the field for a performance demonstration. The flail-type stalk shredders have been superior to the conventional rotary-type shredders on destruction of overwintering pink bollworms left in the field after harvest.

Cotton producers have not utilized flail shredders in the past because of initial cost, maintenance, and operation cost, time required to shred an acre of stalks, etc. However, implement companies have made many improvements on operation and performance of flail shredders in the past few years.

"We will have several implement companies on hand to demonstrate their flail-type shredders at the field day. The field day program has been arranged so that interested people may come in the morning or in the afternoon or come and spend the day", the specialist added.

Cotton producers in the area will be interested in attending this field day. The field day will be very informative and of great interest to cotton producers who want to destroy pink bollworms this winter, rather than during the 1973 cotton season.

People who live on velvet are soon called on the carpet.



WEEK OF NOVEMBER 6-10, 1972

- MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6th:  
Chicken Fried Steak/Gravy  
Creamed Potatoes  
English Peas & Carrots  
Pudding  
Rolls - Butter  
Milk
- TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th:  
Fried Chicken & Gravy  
Macroni & Cheese  
Green Beans  
Cobbler Pie  
Rolls - Butter  
Milk
- WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8th:  
Tacos / Tossed Salad  
Pinto Beans  
Fruit Jello  
Cornbread  
Milk
- THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9th:  
Hamburger On Bun  
Pickles, Onion, Tomato and Lettuce  
Buttered Baked Beans  
Potato Chips  
Fruit Cup  
Milk
- FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10th:  
Meat Loaf & Tomato Sauce  
Candied Sweet Potatoes  
Blackeye Peas  
Buttered Corn  
Rolls - Butter  
Peaches  
Milk

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**Blue Monday**  
Monday is a terrible way to spend one-seventh of your life.  
-Record, Columbia, S.C.

**Talking Point**  
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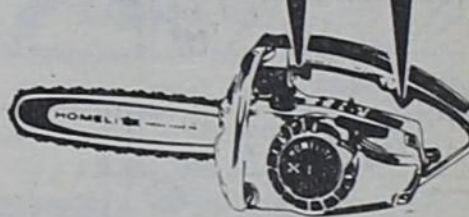
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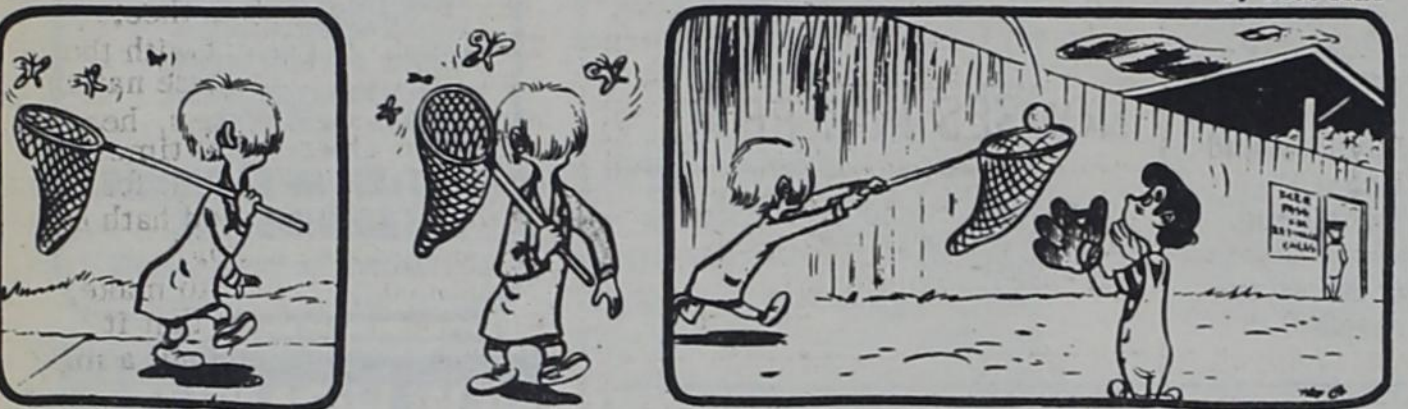
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By Warren Sattler



DEEMS

By TOM OKA



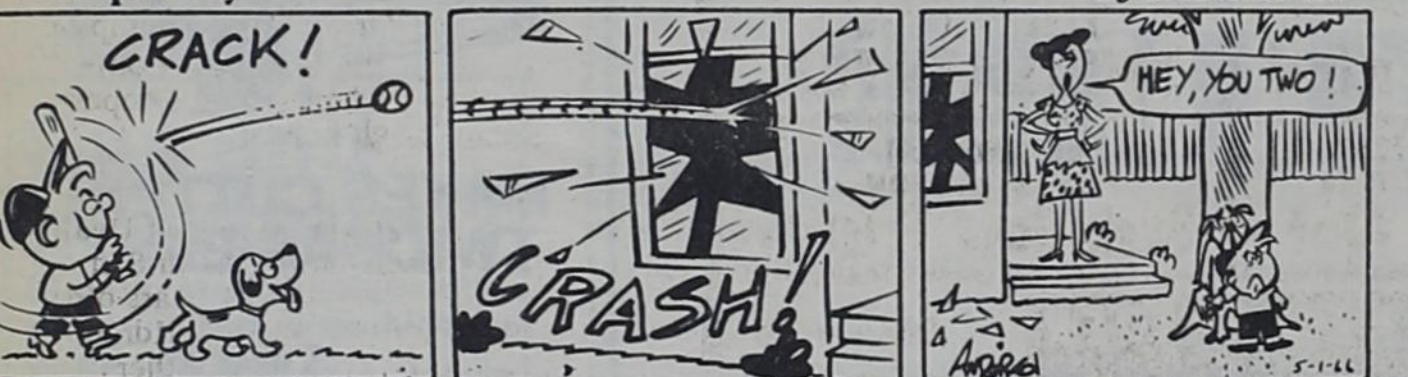
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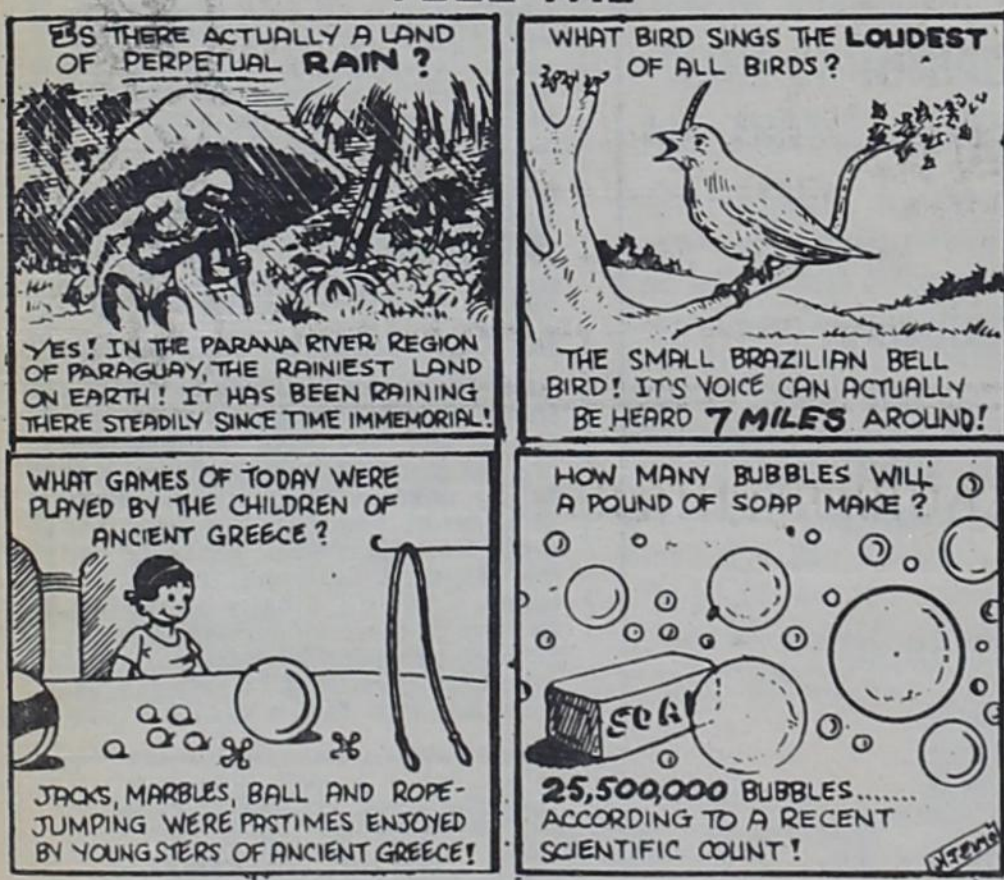


THOSE WERE THE DAYS

By ART BEEMAN



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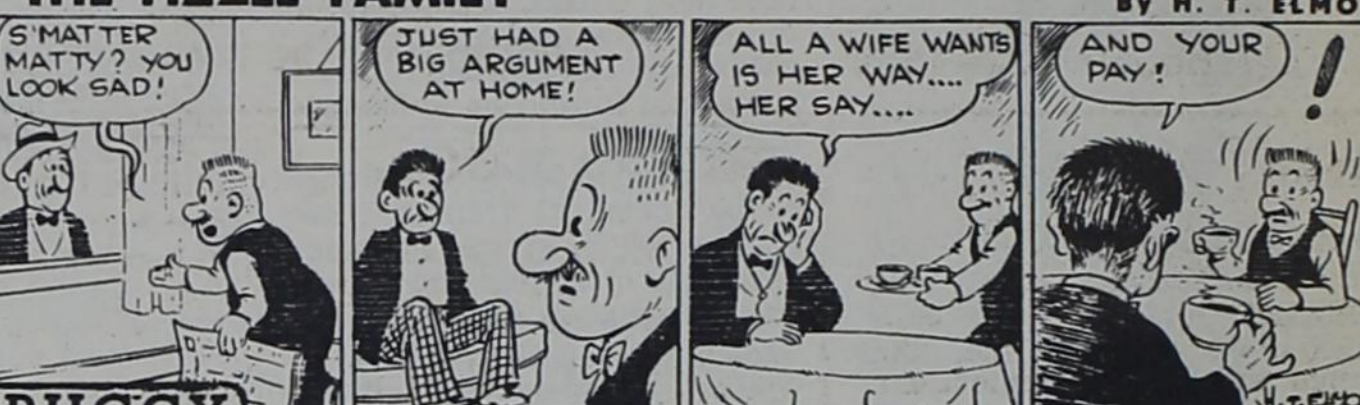


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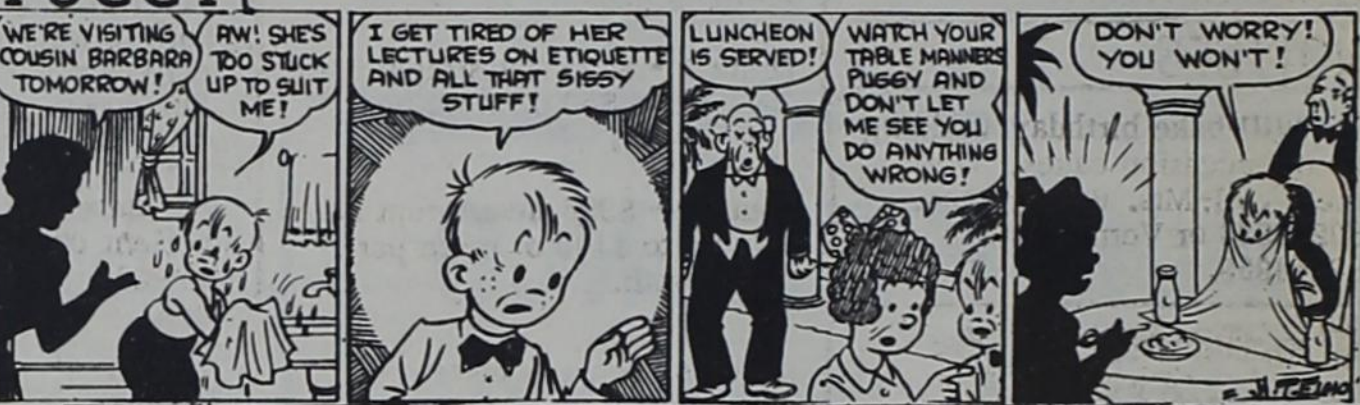


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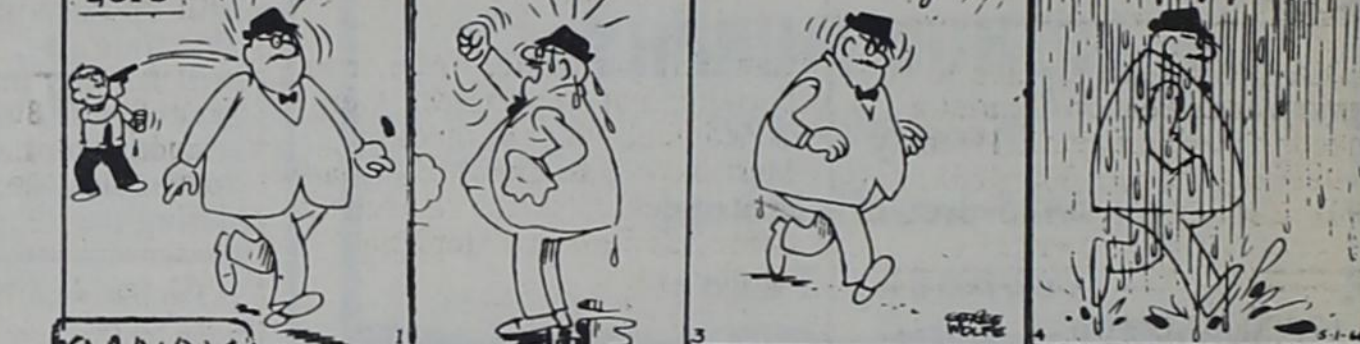
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FOR SALE: House on lot, size 50' x 140'. Call 562-4232 or 562-3561. Ropesville. 9-16-ch

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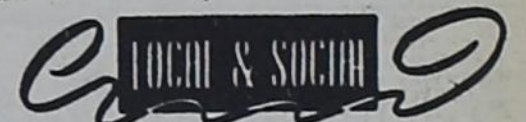
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people. (Deut. 18: 9-14) "When thou art come into the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee, thou shalt not learn to do after the abominations of those nations. There shall not be found among you any one that maketh his son or his daughter to pass through the fire, or that useth divination, or an observer of times, or an enchanter, or a witch, Or a charmer, or a consulter with familiar spirits, or a wizard, or a necromancer. For all that do these things are an abomination unto the Lord: and because of these abominations the Lord thy God doth drive them out from before thee. Thou shalt be perfect with the Lord thy God. For these nations, which thou shalt possess, hearkened unto observers of times, and unto diviners; but as for thee, the Lord thy God hath not suffered thee so to do." The choice is ours to make, and there is no doubt that it must be a choice and not a mixture.



Billye McElroy's granddaughter, Jeri Boyd and great niece, Janet Thompson were Tapped Monday for the National Honor Society. Jeri is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Boyd. Janet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melba Thompson Jr. all of the Woodrow Community. They attend Cooper Senior High School.

Mrs. Matilda Havens of Uvalde Texas died October 14 in San Antonio. She was 94 years old and is survived by 10 children Eda Flynt, Arlington; Esther Rucker of Shallowater; Vida Helms of San Antonio; Bessie Beck of Barksdale, Texas; Erma Tucker of Corpus Christi; E. W. of Slaton; R. M. of Abilene; G. A. of Pasadena; C. C. of Cureo; and L. A. of Bradley, Oklahoma. She is also survived by 33 grandchildren and 52 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild.

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