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Local Elections Set For Saturday

Tennis Meeting April 8th.

You are interested in tennis, there will be a meeting at the First National School room Thursday, April 8, 8:00 p.m.

There will be an organizational meeting to help improve tennis courts. One has been provided for, but another is for two. Bring your enthusiasm and your money for fund raising.

The tennis club will be meeting at a later date, with members having priority courts at specific times. Everyone is invited, including students. For further information call Larry Pollock or Gerald Moore.



MRS. LLOYD BENTSEN VISITS TAHOKA - Pictured above is Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen, who is campaigning for her husband, Senator Lloyd Bentsen, and Gerald Huffaker, Lynn County Democratic Chairman for Lloyd Bentsen. Mrs. Bentsen made a whistle stop in Tahoka last Monday.

City School & Hospital Election This Saturday

Voters will go to the polls this Saturday at the Tahoka Community Center to elect 3 city councilmen, 2 school board members and 3 Hospital board members.

In the City election 4 candidates have filed for three places on the council. Filing for re-election are James F. (Sonny) Roberts, Jesse Dorman and John Ed Redwine, while the fourth candidate is Tom Cloe. Holdover members of the Council are Mayor Meldon Leslie, H. B. McCord and Ed Hamilton.

The names of six candidates have been filed to fill two places on the Tahoka school board. Those filed are: Lyndell Wood, Billy Tomlinson, Jacky Henry, A. E. (Bob) Haney, Jay Dee House and Kenneth Farr.

Vacancies to be filled are those of Dayton Parker and Roy Stephens. Holdover board members are Kenneth Turner, Othell Meeks, Joe Brooks, Mrs. Mary Brecheen and Marlin Hawthorne. The Lynn County Hospital Board election will also be held Saturday. The terms of Larry Hagood, Roy Lynn Kahlick, of Wilson; and Elvin Moore of O'Donnell. Moore is not seeking election and Julian Pirtle is seeking election in his place. Hagood and Kahlick are seeking re-election. Other members of the board are Dr. David Midkiff, Monte Dodson, Joe D. Unfred and Betsy Wells.

Be sure and go VOTE this Saturday.

Dr. Bill McCollough To Head Campaign For Rep. E. L. Short

Dr. Bill McCollough of Levelland has been named to head up the campaign of Representative E. L. Short in his bid for Re-Election.

Dr. McCollough said "It is my belief that we, in this our Bicentennial Year, must continue to strive for a truly Democratic and fiscally responsible Government."

"E. L. and I have been friends for many years and I am his personal Physician. His proven ability and record toward good Health Care Services for our people is probably unsurpassed by any of his colleagues."

"More common sense is needed in Government and my candidate with his Agriculture and Business background has continued to oppose special interest and has applied PRACTICAL

JUDGEMENT to the Issues."

Dr. McCollough has for 16 years had a family practice in Plains, Seagraves and Levelland.

He is presently Chief of Staff of Cook Memorial Hospital in Levelland, Director of South Plains Health Service Agency, and Committee Advisor of Hujan Resources to South Plains Council of Governments.

Besides being a very vocal advocate of Good Government, he has also achieved National recognition as a Judge of National Aerobatics and is the reigning Aerobic Sportsman Champion of the United States.

Sincerely,
Bill L. McCollough,
M.D.



John Redwine

State Farm Appoints New Agent

Tom Boone, Agency Manager of State Farm Insurance Companies is proud to announce the appointment of John Ed Redwine as new representative for the companies in Tahoka. John Ed is a long time resident of Tahoka as his grandfather settled on Tahoka Lake in the late 1800's and the family has been there ever since. He and his wife, Donna and children, Norma Jo and Randy reside at 2028 North First St. John Ed has been active in Civic and Community Affairs and is currently serving as President of the Tahoka Lions Club, City Councilman, and is Scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop 721.

They will open their office at 1505 Avenue J, on the square in Tahoka on April 1. The office phone will be 998-5250. John Ed will be handling a full line of insurance for the State Farm Companies and will be able to handle your every insurance need. Give him a call or drop by for a better buy on your insurance.

Stott Shows Serve Grand Camp of Show

Stott of Tahoka showed the reserve champion of the San Junior Barrow Show. He showed a heavy Hampshire, which heed 1st. He is the son of Mrs. Raymond

Countians also in the show were: Stephens, 1st light Tahoka FFA; Randall 2nd light Duroc, Lynn 4-H; Randy Meeks, 1st Hampshire, Tahoka; Belinda Williams, 1st Hampshire, Lynn 4-H; John Douglas 2nd Cross, Lynn 4-H; and Roddy 2nd Cross, Lynn 4-H.



LOCAL RESIDENTS WELCOME MRS. LLOYD BENTSEN - Pictured above is a group of local residents welcoming Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen to Tahoka last Monday. Shown left to right are Mrs. E. L. Short, Pete Hegi, Mrs. Clint Walker, Gerald Huffaker, Mrs. Bentsen and Clint Walker.

Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen Visits In Tahoka



Kurt Groves, Jr.

Lynn Led State In 1975 Cotton Ginnings

Lynn County led the state in 1975 cotton production, according to figures just released by U. S. Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, report on ginnings up to Feb. 1, 1976.

The report shows Lynn had ginned 162,872 bales up to that date, compared to 147,538 in Lubbock County, the usual state leader.

Furthermore, the report shows Lynn as the seventh leading 1975 cotton producer in the nation, being exceeded only by four large California and two Arizona irrigated counties.

Of interest is the fact that Lynn ginned more cotton than both North and South Carolina combined, 25,000 bales more than did Georgia, more than twice the entire state of New Mexico, and was close to the production of Oklahoma, Missouri and Tennessee.

Although these figures are not final and are due for some adjustments, the

report shows these figures for counties in this area:

Lynn 162,872; Lubbock 147,538; Dawson 123,210; Gaines 106,503; Hockley 97,497; Martin 95,944; Crosby 95,645; Lamb 78,199; Hale 77,953; Howard 61,984; Terry 59,297; Floyd 51,713; Garza 20,944; Yoakum 20,091.

School Finances For 1976-77

The School Finance Bill passed by the State Legislature has placed more responsibility for financing Public Education upon the local school districts. For the school year 1975-76 the increase for Tahoka Independent School District was \$70,747, and for the 1976-77 school year the local district will be required to raise an additional \$70,747.

The only source of Revenue for meeting this obligation is the local maintenance tax. A maximum Maintenance Tax rate of \$1.50 per \$100 of assessed value is allowed by law and the assessed value of Tahoka I.S.D. is approximately \$23,000,000.

In order to meet the required \$70,747 increase in local funds the present tax rate of \$1.34 must be increased by 30 cents or to \$1.64 which exceeds the maximum Maintenance Tax rate allowed by law by 14 cents.

The Lynn County News was honored Monday afternoon with a visit from Mrs. Lloyd Bentsen. Mrs. Bentsen was invited to visit in Tahoka by Gerald Huffaker, Lynn County Campaign chairman for Senator Lloyd Bentsen. Also greeting Mrs. Bentsen was Lottie Jo and Clint Walker, Mrs. Dink Short and Pete Hegi. The group discussed the upcoming election to be held May 1st and the changes in voting procedure. Mrs. Bentsen, who currently maintains homes in both Texas and Washington, is a native of Lufkin. She was named Beryl Ann for her parents and has become popularly known as B. A.

B. A. and Bentsen were married in 1943 when he was taking primary Air Force training in Columbus, Mississippi. They have three children, Lloyd III, Lan Chase and Tina Ann.

Mrs. Bentsen made whistle stops in Brownfield, Lamesa and Tahoka campaigning for her husband's re-election to the United States Senate.

Students To Transfer By May 1st.

Students wishing to transfer into the Wilson Independent School District should make application in the school administration office before May 1, 1976. These transfers will be submitted to the Texas Education Agency for final approval.

Bob Spence, Superintendent

Junior High Girls Track

The Tahoka Junior High School girls competed in a track meet held in Frenship. Eight teams participated.

The 7th grade girls placed third. Girls placing were as follows: 440 yard dash, Teresa Arellano, 5th, 220 yard dash, Sandra Womack 2nd; Amy Porterfield, 4th, 880 relay, 1st, Nancy Lawson, Teresa Arellano, Amy Porterfield and Sandra Womack, 100 yard dash, Stina Bryson, 5th, 660 yard dash, Cathy Meeks, 2nd, Mile relay, 2nd, Teresa Arellano, Gloria Gutierrez, Denise Dodson and Maritita Fowlks, Long jump, Amy Porterfield, 4th, Shot Put, Delorse Evans, 2nd, Discus, Suzanne Brooks, 3rd.

The Tahoka 8th grade girls came in last place. Girls placing were as follows: 440 yard dash, Cheri Bragg, 4th, 60 yard dash, Jackie Nance, 6th, 880 relay, 6th, Diana Calvillo, Cheri Bragg, Melonie Tekell and Jackie Nance, 220 yard dash, Melonie Tekell, 4th, Mile Relay, 5th, Starlyn Knox, Melonie Tekell, Jeannie Isbell and Cheri Bragg, Long jump, Helen Payne 2nd.

The district track meet will be held April 8th at Frenship.

Revival At Assembly Of God Church

The Tahoka Assembly of God Church will hold their annual spring Revival beginning April 5, thru April 11, with services being held at 7 p.m. nightly. "The Singing Be Bey's" will be in charge of each service.

Everyone is invited to attend any or all of these services.



Rev. & Mrs. Larry George & daughters

Missionary Conference At Methodist Church

The second annual Missionary Conference will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Tahoka, April 2-3-4. A nursery will be available at the church for all the activities. The activities are as follows: Friday 1 p.m. to 6 p.m., Prayer Vigil; 6:30 p.m. Churchwide dinner, Missionary program; Saturday, 7:30 a.m. Men's breakfast, 9-10 a.m. Coffee at the Elmer Owens home, 10-11 a.m. Coke party grades 1-6, 12 noon, Ladies salad luncheon, 6:30 p.m. Churchwide dinner, Missionary program, Sunday, 9-11 Senior and Junior High breakfast and program, 10-11 a.m. Adults meet in sanctuary, 11 a.m. morning worship, Rev. & Mrs. Larry George, 12 noon Churchwide dinner, 6:30 p.m. Evening worship, Rev. Jacinto Alderete.

Rev. Larry George is Associate Minister for pastoral care at the First United Methodist Church in Denton, and Mrs. George is serving as leader of United Methodist Women. Rev. Jacinto Alderete is working at the Wesley Community Center in Amarillo.



Rev. Jacinto Alderete

Art Association Met March 23

Leo Smith, well known West Texas Water Color Artist gave a start to finish demonstration for the Lynn County Art Association Tuesday, March 23.

Leo is president of the West Texas Water Color Society. He holds a Masters Degree in Art, from Texas Tech; and teaches Art, at Dunbar High School.

Mrs. Finney was the lucky winner of the finished painting.

There will be a business meeting of the Lynn County Art Association Tuesday, April 6 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Donna Roberson, 2401 Lockwood. All members are urged to attend.

New Rotary Club Officers Named

New Rotary Club officers to be installed in June have been named with Gerald Huffaker succeeding Dayton Parker as president, and Horace Rogers advanced to vice president.

Elected as new board members are Monte Dodson, Don Boydston, and Jay Dee House. Holdover board members include Parker, Rogers, Rev. Frank Oglesby and Cap Whorton. Retiring from the board are Billy Davis and David Sprayberry.

Robert Abbe was re-elected secretary and George McCracken was re-named treasurer.

Dr. David Midkiff presented last Thursday's program, a taped recording with slide pictures made by a Floydada dentist of the recent earthquake devastation in Guatemala the treatment of victims and scenery of the land.

The week before, District Highway Engineer George Wall of Lubbock spoke at the club telling of planned work in the district and the financial bind the department has been put in by inflation and the energy crisis.

Dance Saturday

The Tahoka Rodeo Association is sponsoring a dance Saturday night, April 3 at 9:00. "Bob Suggs and The Rangers" will be playing. Admission \$2.50.

Come out and have a good time!

Sherry Etheredge Says

Redoing kitchens and bathrooms is one of the best improvement investments that homeowners can make.

Homeowners can avoid financial disaster in remodeling their houses by understanding what kinds of improvements add to the house's value on resale.

The cost of tearing materials out to install something new may not be recoverable. So consider how much of the improvement will not be seen.

Old fashioned kitchens and bathrooms which are replaced with functional, attractive areas will justify the cost and bring the price you would expect. But

replacing cracked or patched wallboard is an improvement which may not bring any additional money to the homeowner when he sells the house.

Also consider how big an expenditure is involved. There may be no way to recover the total cost of too deluxe an improvement job. Consider whether your standards are higher or lower than the average buyer who will be looking at the house. Buyers may not want -- or be willing to pay for -- your expensive tastes.

Quality and location of the neighborhood makes a difference in the value of a remodeling job. In an area

where the cost of housing is decreasing, remodeling will not pay. And remember not to over-improve a house in comparison to other houses in the neighborhood.

For example, a homeowner might recover improvement costs of \$1,000 or \$2,000 to a \$29,000 house in a neighborhood of \$26,000 - \$30,000 homes. But it would be unwise to make \$10,000 improvements to that same house.

Over-investing in a house can be a real mistake. Investing \$10,000 to remodel a \$30,000 house on a block of \$25,000 - \$30,000 homes will not make the house sellable at \$40,000. The improvements may be there, but prospective buyers will not pay that much for a house in a neighborhood of lesser quality homes.

Also, some improvements including additions and renovations cause the property to go up in tax valuation and increase tax assessments.

Currently, most appraisers note that homeowners will earn the highest return on dollars spent for a modernized kitchen and modernized bathroom, or additional bathrooms, and for a ground floor family room.

Although the family may enjoy a sauna, greenhouse, or photography darkroom, probably there will not be any financial rewards on resale for those kinds of improvements.

Vote For Kenneth Farr

School Board Member Saturday, April 3, 1976

Kenneth is presently the manager of Piggly Wiggly Continental in Lubbock. He is 46 years old, married to the former Wanda Faye Smith, and is a graduate of the University of New Mexico, with a Bachelor of Business Administration.

He has four children in school: Janet 17, Cheryl 15, Mark 14, and Debbie 12.

Kenneth is an avid supporter of the athletic programs of our school, but is also a staunch believer in the academic phase of our educational system.

Paid Political Adv.

Try This Recipe
Quick Pineapple Upside-Down Cake
1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar, 1/4 cup melted margarine, 1 1/2 cups crushed pineapple, 1 cup sifted cake flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 3/4 cup sugar, 1/4 cup oil, 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/2 cup skim milk, 2 egg whites, unbeaten, 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Pour the melted margarine into an 8 - inch square pan. Sprinkle with brown sugar and line bottom of pan with crushed pineapple.

In a mixing bowl, sift together the flour, salt and white sugar. Add the oil and 1/4 cup of the milk. Stir until the flour is dampened, then beat 1 minute. Stir in the baking powder and the remaining milk, the unbeaten egg whites and the vanilla. Beat for 2 minutes. Pour batter over the crushed pineapple in the cake pan and bake 35 to 40 minutes, or until a toothpick inserted in the cake comes out clean. Remove from the oven, cool slightly and invert onto a serving plate.

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Texas FHA-Hero Week April 4-10, 1976

The Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America will observe Texas FHA-HERO Week, April 4 - 10, 1976. There are over 75,000 members in 2,160 chapters who are saluting America's Bicentennial with their special activities related to FHA's involvement with our Nation's birthday.

For over thirty years, the organization, through its FHA and HERO-FHA chapters, has provided worthwhile experiences which have helped young men and women prepare for the important responsibilities of their future as parents and adult citizens.

The results of their efforts are active involvement in home, civic and school projects, growth in individual leadership, team work experience and vocational orientation.

Carolyn Robinson, State Future Homemakers of America President, Quitman, points out that several million young people have been challenged by the unlimited opportunities offered through membership in Future Homemakers of America since its establishment as the national organization for high school students in homemaking education and occupational programs. "FHA - HERO plays an effective role in the educational system," she stated, "by keeping us involved in activities that benefit us not only as individuals but as family and community members. In

other words, FHA serves as a bridge between the classroom, the home and the community, and is the key for developing the potential of each individual member for a productive life in our society."

Future Homemakers of America is a nonprofit, self-supporting organization officially sponsored by the United States Office of Education, through the Division of Vocational and Technical Education and the American Home Economics Association. It encompasses two types of chapters: FHA chapters for students in homemaking education and HERO - FHA chapters for students enrolled in home economics related occupation courses. National headquarters are located in Washington, D. C.

The Texas Association is sponsored by the Texas Education Agency, Austin.

Texas. Mrs. Elizabeth Smith is the State Director of the Texas State Homemaker Education Association. Mrs. Betty Roman is State Advisor of the Association.

High school home teachers and member state homemaker staff serve as advisors to local chapters and state and national offices.

10 Lbs. Lost Last Week

Five members were at Tuesday's meeting with a total loss of 10 pounds. Wilma was queen with a 7 pound loss. Members lost one each.

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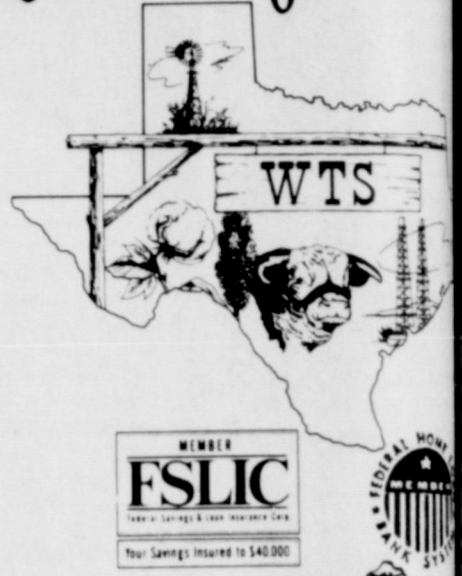
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Support Urged For 1976 Easter Seal Appeal

A further request for support of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults and its program of services to the handicapped was issued today by W. H. Eudy of Tahoka, who is the County Easter Seal Representative, for Lynn County.

The Easter Seal Society provided treatment and services for 10,768 physically handicapped children and adults in Texas last year, and this program needs to be expanded. Many people are doing without services that would increase the productivity of their lives and make them happier. Increased public support of the Easter Seal Society will enable more and more of these people to be reached.

The Society is carrying out a continuing program to seek out the disabled who are doing without services and see that they receive the help they need. The Easter Seal Representative is the person to contact for services from the Easter Seal Society in Lynn County.

The Easter Seal Society of Texas helps support treatment facilities in Texas where crippled children and adults who are not eligible for help from any other source are treated, regardless of their ability to pay. A complete referral program to ensure equal rehabilitation services to every person in Texas is a major Easter Seal service. Physical, occupational and speech therapy and orthopedic equipment purchases are also offered to help the handicapped overcome their disabilities.

The Easter Seal Appeal continues through Easter Sunday, April 18.

AROUND TOWN

By Leona Waldrip

998-4496

Visiting here on Tuesday afternoon with their sister-in-law Corine Izard, were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Izard of Colorado City and Mrs. Lucy Izard of Lubbock.

Visiting with the Gale Hartmans and Mrs. Edna Lancaster last week were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Higgins and baby. Taking advantage of the school holiday, they all visited other relatives in Tatum, Ft. Sumner and Clovis.

Beatrice Loyd had a surprise visit on Thursday afternoon when her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Loyd and family from Denver, Colo., stopped by for a short while. They had been to Midland and were on the return trip. Glenn a 1941 graduate of Tahoka High School, recently retired from a 20 year span in the Armed Forces.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fleming and other relatives here, were Mr. and Mrs. Laylan McMahan and two daughters Kimberly and Alicia Michelle. He is vice-president of the management Recruiters with officers in Twin Tower North, in Northwest Dallas.

Mrs. Faye Thayer had as

her guests on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Suerseder and two children of Telluride, Colo., who had been vacationing in Florida. Also Mrs. Thayer's daughter Betty Williams and her 2 daughters of Lubbock visited with them here. Late in the afternoon she accompanied them to Lubbock for the weekend and on Saturday attended a "pink and blue" shower given for her granddaughter, Mrs. Ersa Egnew. She returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. Jean Harvick and Beverly visited in Athens and other east Texas points last week. On the return trip they stopped in Gainesville and spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harvick and boys then came home Saturday.

Camping at White River Lake on Friday night and Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lee Holden and 2 boys and her mother, Mrs. Tom Smith of Lubbock. Also at the lake were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dunn and children.

Mrs. Pat Bickham, 5th grade teacher was out of school Monday after having had four wisdom teeth extracted on Thurs.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wyatt visited in Houston and Port Arther last week, with their daughter, Jerri Ann and other relatives. While there they toured a large Indian Reservation near Houston and saw many interesting things pertaining to Indian Customs. The dances were particularly colorful. Coming home on Thursday they stopped over for a visit with a former teacher friend of Mrs. Wyatt's that she taught with in O'Donnel who lives at Albany.

The Pioneer Club will meet at the Community Center Friday for a covered dish Luncheon. A permanent meeting place is to be decided upon. The Club has been offered a building so all members are urged to attend and express their opinion.

Mrs. Edna Brasher entertained the 88 Club in her home on Friday night.

Jane Mitchell, kindergarten teacher, was out of school Tuesday because of an allergy in her eyes.

The most deadly tornadoes in Texas history have occurred between May 6 and 15. Since 1891, there have been 30 tornadoes in the state which have resulted in the deaths of ten or more persons. Of these, 13 have occurred in May and 11 in April.

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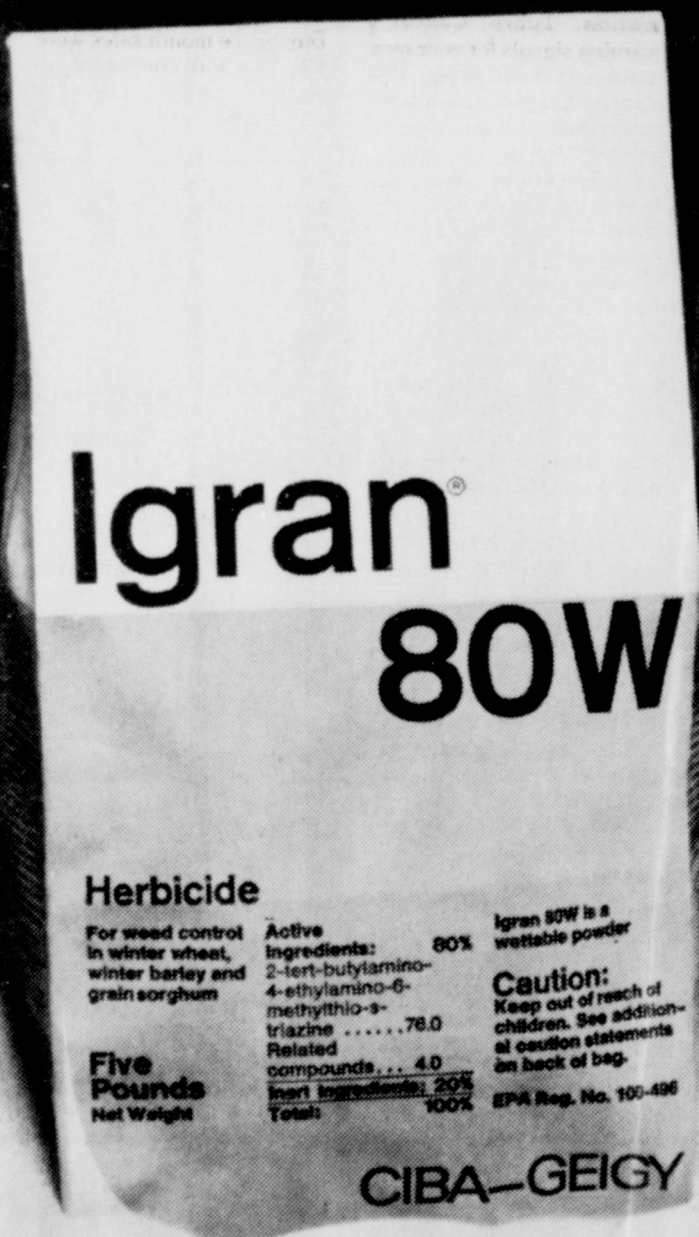
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Mrs. Bill Griffing ...nee Rubeth Hollingsworth Hollingsworth-Griffing Exchange Marriage Vows

Miss Rubeth Hollingsworth and Bill Griffing exchanged marriage vows at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, March 20, in the United Methodist Church of Tahoka.

The Rev. Frank Oglesby, minister, officiated the double ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollingsworth of Hale Center are the parents of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Griffing of Tahoka, are the parents of the bridegroom.

The Church was decorated with a large arrangement of yellow roses placed on the altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length gown of white satin fashioned with wide lace accenting the empire bodice, scoop neckline and short sleeves. Her veil of long net illusion streamers was floor-length and accented with a bond of yellow rosebuds.

The bride carried a cascade arrangement of yellow roses and staphantias. She wore a blue garter belonging to her new mother-in-law, Virginia Griffing.

Lynn Long of Rockport, Texas was matron of honor. She wore a formal length dress of yellow chiffon and carried a nosegay of yellow

flowers. Mr. Roy Perschke of Hayden, New Mexico, acted as bestman. Joe and Dennis Cheyney of Canyon seated guests.

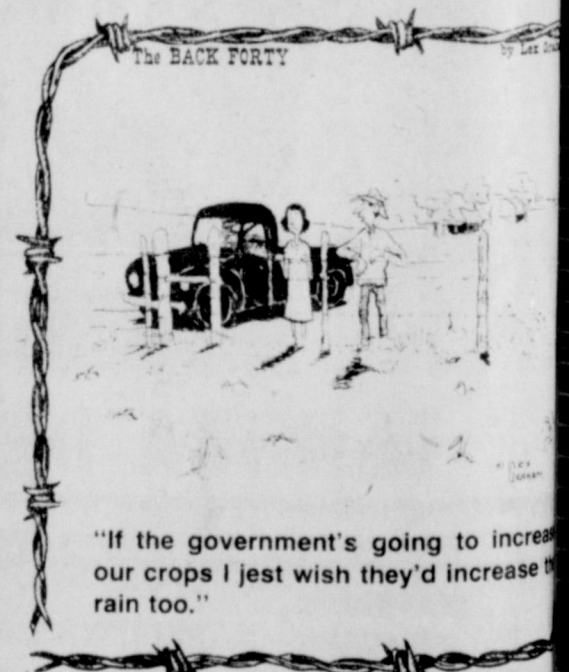
Mr. Gary White of Lubbock accompanied Mrs. L. Kirkpatrick of Lubbock. She sang "I won't Let Day Without You" and "Lord's Prayer". Mr. King of Canyon accompanied her husband as he played a horn solo of "Sunset".

A reception followed the ceremony in the fellowship hall. The bride's table was centered with yellow dils, featured a three-tiered cake decorated in yellow roses. The groom's table served coffee and tea. Chocolate cake was served. Misses Susan and Kathy Griffing, sisters of the groom.

Mrs. Griffing graduated from Texas Tech and is a teacher in Tahoka School. Griffing graduated from West Texas University and is a farmer and cattle raiser.

After a wedding reception in New Mexico and Oklahoma the couple will make their home in Tahoka.

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POCO the clown walking the tight wire.

Circus In Tahoka Monday, April 5

Ladies and Gentlemen, POCO the clown will appear with the Franzen Bros. Circus at the City Park in Tahoka, Monday, April 5. There will be two performances, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

The Franzen Bros. Circus 1975 tour actually began in February when the brightly painted circus caravan headed south so that the animals could continue their daily rehearsals. It was too cold at the circus' winter quarters in Central Wisconsin for Okha the elephant, Sophie the lion, Chico the Llama, Tonto the horse, Buddy and Fritz, the Circus dogs, and the seven performing goats, Billy, Snuff, Spike, Flop, Day, Star, and Hank to continue their work out there. The show opened in Texas in March.

Wayne Franzen, owner, is proud of the show's ace animal acts, astounding aerial acts, and the clown commanders of comedy, Mr. Franzen was a school teacher at Stevens Point High School in Stevens Point, Wisconsin, before he realized his lifelong dream of owning a circus.

Mr. Franzen, a competent and imaginative animal trainer, heads the list of the show's performers. He gets substantial support from POCO, the wire-walking clown, Miss Elizabeth, ring mistress and organist, and Miss Katrina, who does acts on the Spanish web and spinning ladder.

The show travels on a spool truck. The bleachers and tent poles and stakes are loaded on a flatbed trailer, and the organ and ticket wagon have a truck of their own.

The Franzen Bros. blue and white Big Top seats 1200 people. It measures 120 feet by 60 feet making room for the ring and stage where the action takes place.

The Franzen Bros. Circus trucks will be pulling into Tahoka for 2 performances at 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the City Park, Monday, April 5.

Tickets for the performances are available from any Rotarian and at many store locations. Look "Circus Tickets on Sale Here."

See ad in this paper. Advance tickets from a Rotarian will be Children \$1.25, Adults \$1.75. Tickets at the gate will be Adults \$2.25, Children \$1.75. Advance tickets must be

purchased by Sunday, April 4. No advance tickets will be sold on day of Performance.

Children under 2 years of age will be admitted free. Childrens tickets good thru 13 years of age. Adults 14 years of age and older.

Cancer Society Crusade To Begin April 6

The American Cancer Society will begin a door-to-door crusade on Tuesday, April 6 in Lynn County. Approximately 200 volunteer workers will be making an effort to educate the public about cancer and to raise funds for research, public education, and patient services.

Cancer is the common foe of every man, woman and child, and will strike 32,500 Texans this year. According to present rates, 2500 people in Lynn County will develop cancer this year. However, cancer is most curable when caught early and treated promptly. For this reason many volunteers will speak to friends, neighbors, and business associates during the April Crusade teaching them the importance of cancer's seven warning signals. Hope for a cure of cancer is in the air, but Lynn County's support is needed. Please be receptive and generous when a volunteer calls on you.

Cancer Crusade chairman for Lynn County are as follows:

Tahoka - Mrs. Mike Huffaker, Mrs. Clifton Hamilton, Mrs. Isidro Fuentes, Mrs. Julia Denzy and Mrs. Ester Green.

Wilson - Mrs. Gilbert Steinhauser.

New Home - Mrs. Lit Moore.

O'Donnell - 1946 Study Club, Mrs. Howard Moore.

Grassland - Mrs. James Aten.

Draw - Mrs. Cecil Kizer, Mrs. Robert Williams.

West Point - Wells and New Moore -

If you are not contacted by a volunteer between April 6-9, please call one of the Crusade chairmen for information. Learn Cancer's warning signals for your own sake, and support the Cancer Crusade for everyone's sake.

Esteban Cruz Services Held

Esteban Cruz, 81, died Sunday morning at Lynn County Hospital at 1 p.m. after an extended illness.

Cruz had lived in Tahoka approximately 2 months moving from Cotulla. Services were held in Cotulla.

Cruz was born in Mexico Sept. 26, 1894.

Survivors include a daughter, Everarda Aguilar of Adrian, Mich., two sons, Raymon Cruz of O'Donnell and Paul Cruz of Dilly; 2 sisters, 2 brothers and 24 grandchildren.

New Blood Analyzer At Hospital

Lynn County Hospital District recently purchased a new Clay Adams Automated Blood Analyzer. This new unit incorporates special counting and digital circuitry, designed to automate and simplify Blood Analysis in the Laboratory. Advanced features include provisions for threshold adjustment, automatic flow rate correction and automatic incidence correction. A special internal electronic reference system is provided for instantly checking the calibration of the unit. Test results on specimens are displayed in digital form for direct reading by the technician.

Services for Luther Ellis

Services for Luther C. Ellis, 68, of Hereford were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Avenue Baptist Church in Hereford. Officiating was the pastor, the Rev. John Johns, Ron Harpster of Pampa and Don Larkin of Houghton, Kan.. Burial was in Hereford's Rest Lawn Memorial Park.

Ellis died at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in Deaf Smith General Hospital.

A native of Goldthwaite, he was married there to Opal Collier on Dec. 21, 1934. They moved to Deaf Smith County from O'Donnell in 1948. Ellis was a retired farmer and World War II veteran.

Survivors include his wife of Hereford; five brothers, Bill and Dick, both of Hereford, Johnnie and Ardell, both of O'Donnell, and Buck of Lamesa; and two sisters, Mrs. Eula Wagner of Hamilton and Mrs. Jessie Garner of Tulia.

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- Tuesday**
Tacos, Pinto Beans, Veg. Salad, Jello w/ Fruit, Milk.
- Wednesday**
Meat and Spanish Rice, English Peas, Buttered Potatoes, Hot Rolls, Milk, Sweet Potato Cake.
- Thursday**
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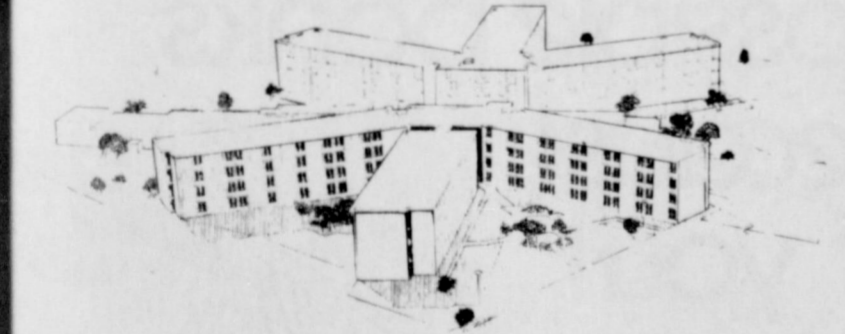
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 John C. White, Commissioner

Bah, Bah, Bah... Moo, Moo, Moo... Chirp, Chirp, Chirp.

Sheep and lamb feeding is up 10 per cent from a year ago and up 17 per cent from a month ago in Texas.

Drylot sheep feeders with a lot capacity of 2,000 head or more had 68,000 sheep and lambs on feed as of March 1, according to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

Current intentions to market the 68,000 head are 28,000 this month, 25,000 in April and 15,000 in May. The April and May intentions are subject to change since additional lambs could be placed on feed.

CATTLE FEEDING is continuing to surge ahead, too. There were 1,810,000 head of cattle and calves on feed for slaughter in the state's feedlots as of March 1. This is 68 per cent above a year ago, although it is 5 per cent below a month ago.

In the seven major feeding states of Texas, Arizona, California, Colorado, Iowa, Kansas and Nebraska, the number of cattle on feed is up 48 per cent from 1975.

Texas cattle feeders placed 293,000 head into their lots during February. This is 119 per cent above a year ago but 10 per cent under a month ago.

BROILER PRODUCTION in Texas during 1975 shows a 3 per cent decline compared to 1974.

Texas continues to be seventh in the nation in the number of broiler chicks placed during 1975.

Gross income from broilers was \$167,424,000 during the past year compared to \$140,502,000 a year ago. Average price received for 1975 was 27.8 cents a pound live weight compared with 21.3 cents per pound a year ago.

Nationwide, the gross income from broiler production in 1975 at \$2.8 billion set a new record high level; it was 19 per cent above 1974.

The average broiler price in Texas was about a cent and a half higher than for the nation.

BASED ON MARCH 1 CONDITIONS, the 1975-76 citrus crop is now estimated at 5.3 million boxes more than last season's crop.

Grapefruit production is expected to total 11 million boxes, up 3.7 million boxes from last season.

Early and mid-season oranges are estimated at 3.8 million boxes, which is 870,000 more boxes than last year. Valencia oranges are expected to fill 690,000 more boxes than last year.

Citrus trees are in good to excellent condition though many groves required heavy irrigation because of the extremely dry winter season.

RECEIPTS OF ALL LIVESTOCK at auction markets inspected by the Texas Animal Health Commission during 1975 totaled 9.9 million head compared to 7.8 million head a year earlier.

The 1975 receipts for cattle, calves and goats were up compared to 1974, while receipts for sheep, lambs and hogs were down from a year earlier.

Words on Water
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ALL TO TAKE A RIVER'S PULSE

In Texas there are more than 3,500 rivers and streams with a combined length of about 80,000 miles. So think how busy the TWQB field people were back in 1967 when there were only 20 people to gather samples from those miles of water in order to determine whether a stream was sickly or in good health. That's the way it was for a while after the TWQB became a bona fide state agency.

But things improved as time went by. From the 65 sampling stations throughout the state in 1967, the number has grown to 650 and samples are taken on a regular basis to "feel the pulse" of the rivers which, incidentally, are in better health now than they were nine years ago. Some tests can be performed in the field, such as rate of flow, dissolved oxygen, pH (for acidity or alkalinity), temperature, turbidity (signifying clarity of the water), chlorides and conductivity.

But there are some tests which require laboratory equipment in order to make the picture complete. So additional samples are taken and sent to authorized labs to provide still more scientific information regarding the health of Texas streams.

Water sampling is done on all 15 of the state's rivers and their tributaries every three months, except for the densely populated areas such as Houston, Dallas and San Antonio where sampling is done more frequently.

Then there are the 92 reservoirs in Texas whose health also must be guarded and where sampling is done by TWQB field personnel on a quarterly basis. The quality

of the water in Texas reservoirs (nearly all of which are man-made) is considered very good.

In addition to the scientific factors (pH, oxygen, etc.), the biologists, chemists and other scientific types who do the water sampling, take note of the fish species in the streams, as well as plant and animal life growing along the river beds, to provide still another indication of the health of the water in which they're found.

Then, added to regular sampling activities, Intensive Monitoring Surveys are being conducted throughout the state, taking the rivers and streams, segment by segment, for really detailed studies of the state's waters. Reports on the surveys are printed as they are completed and become a permanent record of the improving condition of our rivers and streams.

So, if you see two or three people in hip boots wading in a stream, check to see if they're driving a TWQB vehicle. If so, they're not after a fish for supper. They're feeling the river's pulse.

Micronaire readings in the premium range of 3.5 to 4.9 accounted for 11 percent of this crop while 21 percent registered premium last year.

Pressley strength averaged 85,000 pounds per square inch this year and 83,000 last year.

Farmers averaged about \$87.50 per ton for their cottonseed this year compared to \$122.50 per ton last season.

Samples from 1,228,000 bales were classified for High Plains farmers this season while 1,110,000 was the total the year before.

Fred McGinty Attends Meet

Mr. Fred McGinty of Tahoka, Texas, has just returned from Houston where he represented the Federal Land Bank Association of Tahoka at the annual stockholders meeting of the Federal Land Bank of Houston. The meeting held at the Houston Oaks Hotel, was attended by members of 66 Federal Land Bank Associations in Texas. There were about 550 persons in attendance.

George W. Cunningham, President, in his annual report to stockholders, reported that the demand for new loans declined from the previous two years; however, 1975 was still the third largest year in the bank's history and also the third consecutive year that loan closings has exceeded \$200 million. Dr. Phil Gramm, Economist on leave of absence from Texas A & M University and B. K. Johnson, a prominent South Texas rancher and director of the King Ranch Corporation, also addressed stockholders and guests during the meeting.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston makes long - term loans on farms and ranches

Cotton Prices Steady To Weaker

Grower prices were 75 cents to \$1.50 per bale lower during the week ending March 26, according to Paul R. Dickson, in charge of the USDA's Cotton Classing Office in Lubbock. Farmers sold mixed lots of mostly grades 32, 42, 33 and 43; staples 29 through 31, mikes 3.2 and lower for 42.50 to 44.00 cents per pound.

The USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service reported trading was slow and growers offered cotton in light volume.

Demand was light, Dickson said.

Predominate High Plains Cotton grades this season were 41, 42 and 52. Grade 41 accounted for 14 percent, 42, was 35 percent and 52 tallied at 13 percent. Last year's predominate grades were 41, 51, and 42. Grade 41 accounted for 20 percent, 51 was 26 percent and 42 registered 25 percent of samples classed.

Twenty - three percent of this crop was reduced one grade because of bark. Bark effected 35 percent of last season's samples.

Average staple length of the 1975 - 76 crop was 30.3 thirty - seconds of an inch compared to 31.8 thirty - seconds for 1974 - 75.

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1976

throughout Texas and recently has 35,000 loans more than \$1,145,000 standing.

Moore's Dog Places At Dog Show

An eleven month old Pointer female owned and handled by Gerald Moore of Tahoka won first place in amateur puppy stakes Pampa, Texas this weekend. This field trial was sponsored by the High Plains Field Trial Club. The male Pointer owned by Werner of Abilene won derby stakes and a female Pointer owned by George Miller of Amarillo won all age stakes. A total of 14 bird dogs were entered in this trial.

The Moore puppy expected to run in the puppy stakes sponsored by the New Mexico Field Trial Association in Albuquerque on April 3rd. Her handler that stake will be C. Jones, a professional handler from Big Spring, Texas.

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COTTON TALKS
 FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

"Don't wait! Get estate tax guidance now." This is part of what W.B. Criswell of Idalou, President of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., will tell High Plains cotton producers and business people at PCG's annual membership meeting April 7 when he reports on the organization's activities for the past year. The meeting will begin at 1:30 p.m. at Lubbock's Southpark Inn.

Criswell recently spoke in Washington on behalf of PCG members, supporting passage of legislation to lighten the estate tax burden for farm and small business heirs, but he doesn't think it likely that a new law will be passed in this session of Congress. "So unless we all avail ourselves of sophisticated tax counsel, some surviving families will be forced to sell all or part of the family holdings to pay an unreasonable tax."

The estate tax exemption should be increased from the present \$60,000 to at least \$200,000, Criswell told the House Ways and Means Committee March 15, and the taxable value of farm land should be its value for farming, not a so-called "fair market" value which often reflects its potential or speculative value for other uses, he continued.

I believe the unfairness of the IRS estate tax code as now written can be shown along with the undesirable effects it is having in this country on producers and consumers alike, Criswell said on his return from Washington, "but with the pressures of an election year and the broad concern in Congress over a possible loss of Federal revenue, it doesn't look like Washington will do anything about it before next year."

Meanwhile, notes the PCG President, there are trust arrangements and other legal means to reducing the otherwise bitter consequences of heavy estate taxes. "Death is always an unpopular subject," he concedes, "but it behooves all of us to plan for it in such a way as to preserve for our heirs as much of our estates as possible."

Criswell, along with PCG Executive Vice President Donald Johnson, also will report on the association's work on farm legislation, regulations and administration, natural gas priority and pricing, boll weevil protection, cotton production research, the establishment of textile manufacturing on the Plains and other activities.

Featured speaker for the half-day affair will be Richard Bell, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for International Affairs and Commodity Programs.

Other "out-of-townners" on the program, PCG officials have announced, will be David Cox, Director of Economic Research and Development for Cotton Incorporated, and Kim Dawson, Fashion Director of the Dallas Apparel Mart.

"We think we have arranged a worthwhile program," Criswell says, "including a period in which questions may be asked of the invited speakers and PCG officials concerning any aspect of raw cotton marketing, retail sales of cotton apparel, USDA operations, or PCG activities."

"These are subjects that have a significant effect on the lives of every High Plains resident, so the public is invited and urged to attend," he emphasized.

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Official Political Announcement

The Following have authorized the Lynn County News to announce that they are candidates for office subject to action of the Democratic Primary Election on May 1, 1976.

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Are Farmers to Blame For High Food Prices?

AUSTIN—It won't come as a surprise to farmers, but consumers paid 1-1/2 percent more for farm-produced foods in December 1975 than they did in September while farmers got about 7 percent less for the same foods.

"It's the same story—marketing costs, which occur after the food leaves the farm, have kept consumer prices up," Agriculture Commissioner John C. White said.

Inflation increased costs of packaging, transportation, energy and labor used in food marketing. White explained.

So while farm prices for several foods have been decreasing in recent months, mainly because of record grain harvests and rising production of meat and other livestock products, consumer prices for the same agricultural products have declined very little, if any.

A comparison of farm prices and consumer prices for hogs and bakery and cereal products between September and December illustrates how consumers are

Softball April 4th.

There will be a softball workday Sunday, April 4th at 2:00 p.m. at the softball park. Anyone interested in softball is urged to attend. To sign up and get the ballpark in shape.

A person can also sign up at Chancy and Son. We would like for people to sign up as early as possible because the softball league is going to have an interleague tournament before the start of the softball season.

Texas Feedlots Begin 1976 With 42% More Livestock

AUSTIN—Texas feedlots started out the New Year with 1,882,000 head on hand, a 42 percent increase over the depressed situation a year ago, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White said.

However, sheep and lambs on feed in Texas totaled only 188,000 head, down eight percent from a year ago and the smallest number on feed for January 1 since 1966.

"While the decrease in sheep and lamb feeding reflects the general decline in their numbers in the state, the cattle situation points up the abundance of beef animals in Texas and the move to feed out more of them now that grain prices have stabilized," White said.

He added that some increases in feeding at the

beginning of the year may be due to lack of winter pasture due to extremely dry weather conditions in many parts of the state.

Even though feeding of cattle has increased over a year ago, the large feedlots—those with a minimum capacity of 1,000 head—were still only 70 percent occupied.

According to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, 179 large lots marketed some cattle during 1975, compared with 199 in 1974.

Fourteen percent of the large lots were vacant on January 1, 1976.

Placements of cattle into feedlots from October 1 to January 1 were also up in Texas by 65 percent over a year ago. Feedlot operators reported intentions to market 1,050,000 cattle between January 1 and March 31, 56 percent of the number on feed January 1 and 20 percent higher than marketed during the same quarter last year.

Sheep and lambs on feed during November and December have shown an increase, up 30 percent from the previous year, to 136,000. Marketings of fed sheep during this period, estimated at 118,000 head, are 24 percent above the same period a year earlier.

Phebe K Club Met March 23

Phebe K Warner Club met Tuesday, March 23 in the home of Mrs. Emil Prohl. Mrs. Oscar Rutledge served as co-hostess. Mrs. Pat Hutchinson, a former Tahoka Teacher, was a guest of Mrs. K. R. Durham.

Mrs. Mike Huffaker reported on the recent Caprock District Convention, and noted that Phebe K. Warner won many honors.

The program was on Expressions of Freedoms Through Education, and the speaker was Mrs. Melvin Burks. In keeping with the Bicentennial she gave an inspiring message on "Steps on the Road to the War". She listed and explained each proclamation, Act, and tax that led up to the revolution.

For roll call members told a memorable experience from their early school days.

Many books were brought for the Lynn County Library, and contributions were also made to the Library.

Auditors from the Comptroller's Office have determined that millions of dollars of public money may never be accounted for in Duval County.

Checks and balances that normally keep public officials accountable in their handling of the public's money have broken down or don't exist in Duval County.

Our auditors found that a lot of public money has simply vanished. And they listed some fiscally hair-raising transactions. The auditors discovered that people were just walking off with public money, leaving no record or accounting of whether it was intended for public or private use.

The auditors found the financial condition of Duval County to be a gloomy one. The reasons are many. A few comparisons with neighboring Webb County are helpful. Duval County's population of 12,400 is one-sixth that of Webb County, which has 81,200 residents. Yet Duval County has more than half as many county employees. One of every 57 residents of Duval County is on the county payroll. The ratio of county employees to citizens in Webb County is one to 231.

Our auditors believe Duval County will be broke and unable to meet its payroll around August 1 unless expenditures are drastically reduced. With most of the county's revenue pledged to service bonds, there is only about \$400,000—plus whatever late tax payments come in—to pay all operating expenses until new tax payments begin to arrive in October.

Although the Texas Constitution requires that all taxation be equal and uniform and that property be taxed in proportion to its value, our auditors found that various property owners, including the Coastal States Companies (Lo Vaca Gathering Company and others) the Driscoll Foundation, and Duval County Ranch, Inc. have been excused from paying hundreds of thousands of dollars in taxes on property in Duval County.

By law the Comptroller has authority to prescribe forms and specify the manner of accounting used by counties in collection and disbursement of public money. We intend to do just that in Duval County.

The Comptroller has agreed to lend assistance to Duval County District Attorney Arnulfo Guerra in the examination of county records. Information regarding mishandling or misapplication of county funds will be taken to a grand jury for possible criminal prosecution or civil recovery action.

As a result of our auditors' visit to Duval County, we have recommended that the State Banking Department establish special rules governing the handling of public funds in state banks to prevent a reoccurrence of various abuses discovered at the First State Bank of San Diego.

The bank acted as depository for funds of Duval County, the Duval County Conservation and Reclamation District and certain of the County-Wide Vocational School Funds.

Our auditors discovered that funds of the water district had never been deposited in interest bearing accounts. Over the past 10 years the district has lost—and the bank has saved—about \$250,000 in interest. In December, 1975, for instance, the water district had \$849,177.48 in the bank. None of this money was earning interest.

In November, 1967, the bank did not require a signature on a \$678,985.11 check from the county to the water district and in effect allowed an unidentified individual to walk off with a quarter million dollars worth of public money with no accounting of where it went or who took it.

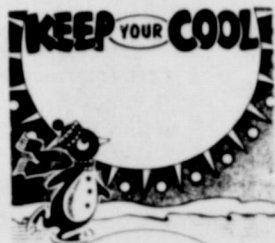
Suffice it to say that we are going to see to it that they keep their books right in Duval County from now on. We can and we will make it a lot harder for anyone to steal public money.

Certainly while we don't anticipate a need for similar action in the great majority of Texas's 254 counties, we will make every effort to insure that the taxpayers' dollars are properly collected, managed, disbursed and accounted for. In other words, in any county where we find no accounting system, or an inadequate one,

Texas Taxes

By BOB BULLOCK
State Comptroller

The Comptroller's Office recently completed a thorough audit of the handling of public money in Duval County which not only revealed widespread corruption and mismanagement of the taxpayers' dollars, but also indicated the likelihood that the county may be broke by the end of the summer.



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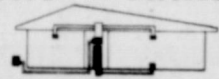
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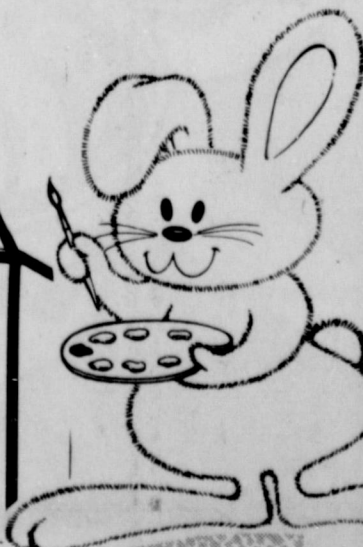
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High School Essay Winners

The following essay and poem were chosen as winners in the Bicentennial essay and poetry contest: Senior - Cole Brecheen; Junior - Beverly Harvick; and Sophomore - Jodie Brecheen; Poetry - Jr. - Linda Saldana.

The Greatest Moment in Life of Our Country

By Cole Brecheen Senior

July 20, 1969, was the greatest moment in the life of our country. And it will continue to be so, regardless of how long the country survives. On July 20, 1969, the first human to ever set foot on another planet stepped out into the lunar surface.

It is the greatest moment because the first lunar landing heralds a new age. It is too early to give the age a name, but it will not be the age of man. It will be the age of man's descendants, but they will not be men. They will be as inconceivable greater than man, as man is greater than the fishes.

On the time - path of each of the myriads of races in the universe, and on the time - path of each member of every race, God sets certain tests. To pass the test means continued progression towards the sublimity of universal perfection. To fail it means stagnation, and stagnation is by far a worse fate than death.

One such test occurred three hundred million years ago, when, in a time of seasonal drought, a kind of

fish was faced with the choice of either staying safe and comfortable in the water, or invading the land to become the first air-breathing animal. Another occurred between five and ten million years ago on the plains of Africa when, in another time of dry climate, as the forest retreated, most of the primate retreated with it. But some of them stayed behind and tentatively probed the opportunities and dangers of the new environment.

Not all the fishes passed their test three hundred million years ago. Those who did not, stagnated. They are the same now as they were then. But from those few who passed, those few favored with an unusual measure of curiosity and fortitude, are descended all the air-breathing animals that now inhabit the earth. And not all the apes emerged from the forest. Only a venturesome minority dared leave the safety of the trees for the exposed terrain of the savannah. Those courageous primates were the ancestors of man.

As most fish remained in the water, and most apes remained in the forest, just so, if man passes his test, in tomorrow's world most of us will remain on the earth. Space is not a comfortable place for earth-adapted life, no more than the land was comfortable for the early amphibians. But a small percentage of the human species is equipped -- by the random variations from one individual to another that provide the raw material on which natural selection acts -- to function better in the environmental of space than the majority of human beings. That fraction will leave us, and their descendants will spread out into the galaxy.

They will soon find the earth and its debilitating gravitational pull as difficult a place in which to survive as today's land-adapted men find the water out of which the ancestral fishes emerged three hundred million years ago. Eventually, they will constitute a new species, evolved out of Homo Sapiens, but linked to the ancestral planet only by sentiment.

On that day, many millennia from now, the political structure we call "America" will probably not even be remembered. But if it is, it will not be remembered for its wealth or its democracy or its power. It will be remembered for July 20, 1969 and the words, "One small step for a man,

one giant leap for mankind."

Has Success in America Been Equated With Economic Success?

By Beverly Harvick Junior

What is success? Is it measured in the number of dollars a person has in a bank, or the amount of things that person possesses?

Webster defines success as "a favorable result; wished - for ending; good fortune; the gaining of wealth, position, et cetera." "Successful" is a common adjective used to describe wealthy, influential people. Yet, must success be measured in the wealth of a man?

The greatest strides our country has made in the field of economics have often been the only things considering in determining the success of our country. The United States is universally thought of as "Successful", yet within its borders there is political, racial, and economic unrest. America is not really a happy nation, although it is economically affluent. Because any nation is as its people are, let us take a look at the citizens of the United States of America.

Many very miserable people are considered successful. During the Great Depression of the 1930's, many rich, aristocratic citizens committed suicide because their "Success" depended on Wall Street, and when the stock market crashed, so did their prosperity. Thus, they took their lives when they lost their affluence. In spite of the fall of Wall Street and the great financiers, there were many poor people who, though they did not have great monetary wealth or great quantities of valuables lived and were happy. They learned to rejoice in the simpler pleasures of life. Who, then, was really successful?

Economic success is only one of the many different types of success. Though it is necessary, economic success should, therefore, cease to be the standard by which we measure the success of our country.

"...one nation under God?"

By Jodie Brecheen Sophomore

Does our great land continue to stand as one nation under God, or do rampant stages of unrest plague our country? Is the foundation of our land decaying from lack of sound morals and solid government at home and abroad? Let's ponder these ideas from three standpoints, beginning with the basic and progressing to the broadest.

Through quite basic, the American family unit is the foundation on which the clockwork of our nation stands. As has been revealed through surveys and studies, the American family shows signs of deterioration. It's members, in widespread general, have moral problems that cause a vicious cycle; one problem causes another problem, which in turn causes additional problems. When the foundation trembles the entire structure weakens.

Unrest in the working of our home government has served to add problems, also. Local, state, and national governments are constantly making changes in our laws and order that often do little more than upset the citizens. It is possibly not the laws but the lawmakers that breed upset in our government.

Political problems with our foreign neighbors are helping to tear down our unified stronghold. If the various nations of the world could and would agree on at least a few things, relations would be smoother, and upsets would be decreased. Each nation strives so hard to achieve power and security that communications and negotiations are often lost in the shuffle.

These brief views at the forces that constantly pick at the "oneness" of our nation, show that the image of America as "one nation under God" is fast becoming a thing of the past.

Bicentennial '76

By Linda Saldana Junior

America, two - hundred years great.

God Almighty did this country create

Many famous people we do appreciate.

And to honor them is not

Lynn County News

too late.

Betsy Ross, we thank for making our flag;

Red, White, and Blue and no longer just a rag;

Thomas Paine, the master of persuasion;

George Washington, a man of dedication;

For the Constitution are we grateful

And for men who gave their lives at War.

Many other people I did not mention.

But the Bicentennial year brings them to attention.

Yes, America is our country's name

And we bear it in our hearts without shame.

Rites For Mrs. Davis

Services for Mrs. Lillie Mae Davis, 84, of Floydada were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in Sweet Street Baptist Church in Tahoka with the Rev. Lee R. Jones, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Davis was born Oct. 12, 1891 in Keosau. She was married to Matterson Monroe Davis on Sept. 19, 1907 in Benjamin. They moved to Lynn County in 1916 from Vera. Mr. Davis died March 4, 1962. She was a long time member of Sweet Street Baptist Church. She had been a Floydada resident for the past three years.

Survivors include nine sons, Aubrey of Tahoka, Cecil of San Angelo, Arta Lee of Elk Creek, Calif., Orville, Floyd, Forrest and Marlo, all of Lubbock, J. D. of Floydada and Thomas of Dallas; two sisters, Mrs. Lena Day of Willows, Calif., and Mrs. Thelma Hodges of Dallas; three brothers, Claude Reagan of Brownfield, Charlie Reagan of Dallas and T. J. Reagan of Mesquite; 44 grandchildren, 64 great-grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Leon Williams, Gonzalo Gonzales, Henry Finely, Dickie Self, Coy Smith and Fidel Martinez.

Jehovah's Witnesses Assembly

The presiding overseer of Jehovah's Witnesses in our local area announced plans for the congregation to attend their semi-annual circuit assembly in Arlington. About 10 are expected to attend from here when the assembly, scheduled April 3-4, commences.

The theme of the assembly is "Become Doers of the Word" taken from the Scriptural thought in James 1:22. The assembly will be designed to help all see the need of applying the Bible's counsel in every activity of day-to-day living.

Highlighting the assembly program will be the public talk given by District Supervisor, W. S. Brandozzi, entitled "Are You Doing What God Requires of You?" This will be delivered on April 4th at 2 p.m. The talk is slanted for self-examination of all in the light of the Bible's standards for true Christians. The public is invited to attend all sessions.

In the pursuit of happiness, the difficulty lies in knowing when you have caught up.

Faith Circle Met Monday

Faith Circle met Monday, March 29, in Fellowship Hall to continue the study of the Prophets. Monday's lesson was on Amos, a champion of justice and righteousness, and Hosea, who plead with his people effectively to return to their God who loved them.

Next Monday the study will be on Isaiah. All women of the church are invited to come.

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The show will be held in the Abilene Civic Center from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, April 3; and from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, April 4, with a special preview sale Friday, April 2, from 6 to 9 p.m. Admission

THURSDAY, APRIL 3 is 50 cents for Adults free for Children under 10. Nothing in the sale over \$10.

The West Texas Arts and Crafts Sale has received national publicity, considered one of the shows in the state. It will be juried this year. Judging held during preview sale Friday. Craig will show his pottery and metal sculpture.

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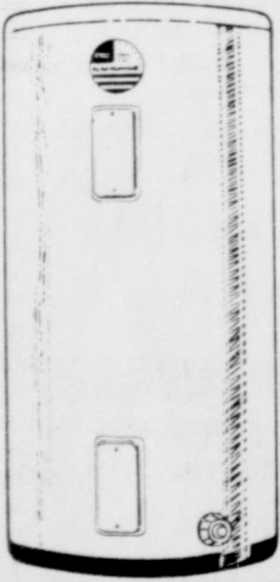
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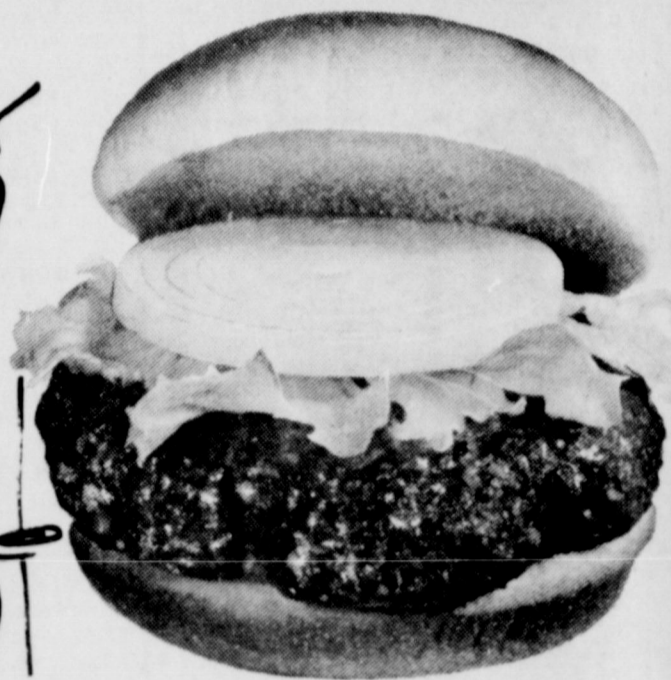
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