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THE
COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMAN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Fleeces entered in the 1973 National Western Wool Show at Denver by Foster S. Price placed quite well. Results of the show held January 20-21 were received this week.

In the finewool ewe class, fleeces grading 64s through 80s, Price's two entries placed first and fifth. His entries in the finewool ram class placed second and third. Price also had an entry in the breeder exhibit of five fleeces—his group placed third in this class.

Apparently there were more entries in the wool show at Denver this year than there has been at times past. From the results, all classes were filled which has not always been the case. Better prices for wool last year and the better prices indicated this year may have stimulated interest in the wool show.

Beef cattle producers throughout Texas now have an opportunity to participate in a new service that will enable them to obtain important value determining characteristics of the carcasses their cattle produce. The program, called the Beef Cattle Carcass Data Service, is a joint effort of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The service involves the use of specially designed ear tags which the producer applies to those cattle on which he wants to obtain carcass information. This can be done when the calves are weaned, when they are sold to the feeder, or any other time. When the ear tagged cattle are slaughtered, a meat inspector will remove the tag and attach it to the carcass. Then the USDA grader assigned to the slaughter plant will evaluate and record the quality and yield grade factors. This information will be sent to the Agricultural Marketing Services' Carcass Data Center in Washington, D. C. Once the data is processed and returned to the ear tag owner, he will be billed \$1.50 per head.

Eartags for the service will cost 50c each plus 75c for the tool to attach the tag. Thus, the total cost per animal, exclusive of the one-time cost for the tool, will be \$2.00 per head.

The Beef Data Service Center will provide producers with the following information—conformation grade, maturity, degree of marbling, quality grade, fat thickness, rib-eye area, yield grade, hot carcass weight, and percent of kidney, pelvic and heart fat.

This service can provide beef cattle producers with more information on their cattle and in turn be an aid in their breeding program. Interested producers should contact the county agent's office for more information and help in securing eartags.

Fruit and nut tree owners are reminded that now is the time to spray for the control of scale, an insect which affects many of the pecan trees locally. This is especially important this year following the late freeze which hurt the trees last spring. Severe cases of scale could result in the loss of the trees.

Control measures call for the application of a dormant

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week include:

Mrs. Juan Arizola and infant son
Mrs. A. C. Lively
Mrs. Early Barton
Angela Atkins
Mrs. Lula Gonzales
Jose Ramirez
Mrs. Henrietta Long
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week were—
Mrs. Myrtle Cox
Pete Estrada
Morgan Cox
Mrs. Mary Helen Reed
Lloyd Murrell
Mrs. Jim Cantrell
Mrs. Larry Glass
Mrs. Jimmy Hubbard and infant daughter
Robert Foster

Patients in the Sterling County Nursing Home on Thursday morning of this week were:

Mrs. Cliff Carpenter
Mrs. Lucy Norman
Mrs. Lilly Revell
Mrs. Henry Merrell
B. O. Bailey
Mud Allen
Larkin Longshore
Mrs. Allie Foster
Earnest Turner
Mrs. J. E. Bynum
Mrs. Larkin Longshore
W. J. Williams
Mrs. John Lane
Mrs. Robbie Grace
W. R. Morgan
Noble Read
Julius Olson
Mrs. Noble Read
J. B. Ratliff
Mrs. Minnie Pinson
J. B. Sites
Mrs. Maude McMillan

Baptist Men's Day Sunday

The First Baptist Church is one of approximately 15,000 churches throughout the Southern Baptist Convention that will recognize their men on Sunday, January 28. Sponsor of this day long emphasis is the Brotherhood led by the president, Tommy Roger and vice-president and R.A. leader, James Salvato, secretary Danny Slaughter, and mission action leader Dub Fincher.

Features of this special day will include a speaker for the morning service—Ray Pearce, a deacon in the Baptist church of Roscoe, Texas and lay witness worker. The men of the church will be involved in the services throughout the day including the afternoon service at the rest home.

There will be a chili supper during the Church Training hour at 6 p.m. followed by evening worship at 7.

WOULD like a good home for a nice old Doberman Pinscher (dog) Mrs. Margaret (R.V.) Blackman.

oil spray during the winter months. Use 3½ gallons of a 97% oil emulsion in one hundred gallons of water. Spray the entire tree, limbs and trunks, making sure to get good coverage.

Scale is a tiny insect under the scale covering; the covering is usually dark gray and about an eighth of an inch long, resembling the tree bark. The insect sucks the sap from the trees and devitalizes them.

Midland Community Theatre Sets "1776" Musical

Roll the drums and play the fifes. "1776", one of the most original, tuneful, witty and beguiling musicals ever to delight Broadway, opens at Midland Community Theatre on February 2nd.

Based on the signing of the Declaration of Independence, the show opened in New York March, 1969, where it played for three years. During the first season it received the Best Musical Award by the New York Drama Critics Circle and the Tony Award for the Best Musical of 1969. When it opened in London in 1970, it was billed as "the new hit from the colonies" and won the Best Foreign Musical of the season.

Touring companies have performed the show in every major city and many smaller ones. It was the first complete stage musical ever presented at the White House—and, it was found equally stirring and admirable when performed before an audience of young radicals activists (anti-Establishment from head to toe.)

Those who think they know both the story and its outcome are in for some surprises. The show is exciting and it is funny. It is very real human beings grappling with with some of the most controversial and prophetic problems of their century. The playwrights have shown what actually took place, but they also show such major figures as John Adams, Benjamin Franklin and Thomas Jefferson as highly fallible men who often bickered over decisions they had to make in Philadelphia in 1776.

Art Cole is designer and director, Paul Laverty, Jr., will direct the orchestra and Cherry Jones will choreograph the dances for MCT's production of 1776 which opens February 2 and will run through February 24. Special student performances are scheduled for February 11, 13 and 18 with a study guide relating the show to history and government courses available to all teachers in the area. Student price on these dates is \$1.50. Reservations must be made in advance.

"1776" is the first of six productions which MCT members may enjoy at low cost during 1973. Box office prices for non-members to the musical are \$4 and \$5, while memberships amount to only \$1.50 per ticket. Other plays to be presented during the year are THE WOMEN, THE CRUCIBLE, BUTTERFLIES ARE FREE, SLEUTH and THE MAN WHO CAME TO DINNER. Now is the time to buy your 1973 membership to MCT. Call 682-2544 or write Box 4847. The box office for 1776 opens January 26.

Johnny Augustine Finishes U.T. Law School

Johnny Augustine has finished law school at the University of Texas and has gone to work as assistant county attorney for Travis County.

Johnny and his wife and a daughter, Carol Ann, live in Austin. He is a graduate of Abilene Christian College and then he served as an officer in the U.S. Marine Corps in Viet Nam before entering law school.

Johnny is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Augustine.

In case of fire dial 8-4771.

Heart Fund Drive to Start in February

The Sterling City Chapter of the American Heart Association met last week to formulate final plans for the February Heart campaign. Bob Nowlin, the district representative from San Angelo, was present to give all volunteer instructions.

It is hoped that the community will welcome the volunteer workers, volunteering his services against the NUMBER 1 killer.

The Kick-Off breakfast will be in the community center February 1 at 7 a.m. There will be a benefit bake sale and points for Heart Basketball Game at the gym on Friday, February 2 with our local teams playing Bronte. You will be called on to contribute to the sale—and we hope you will help us make this the best year yet for Sterling County. For the past three years we have been the highest county per capita in the state of Texas, exceeding our fair share.

The volunteers who will be working in the 1973 campaign according to Mrs. Marie Finnegan, local campaign chairman for the fifth year, will be Mr. and Mrs. Riley King, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Finnegan, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Dodds, Mr. and Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGinnes, O. T. Jones, John Brock, Bill Watts, Seth Bailey, Mmes. Odessa Atwell, Margaret Blane, Mary Helen Reed, Lola Smith, Virgie Garrett, Nan Davis, Margaret Atkins, Aleen Glass, Celia Ruth Colvert, Barbara Schneider, Carolyn Stewart, Mary Gonzales, Ora Medina, Bennie Munoz, and Connie Amador; and Jack Douthit, publicity and Dr. W.J. Swann, consultant.

Anyone desiring to give memorials to the Heart Fund in memory of loved ones or for one in Intensive Care for Heart Trouble, may contact Mrs. T. J. Finnegan at the West Texas Utilities office, and a card will be sent immediately.

So, look for a volunteer Heart worker on February 2.

Noradata Club

Mrs. Alvie Cole was hostess to members of the Noradata Club January 18 in the community center. Mrs. Cole presided.

Mrs. Bill Brooks announced that Mrs. Gene Steakley of Colorado City would give a book review on BURY MY HEART AT WOUNDED KNEE by Dee Brown on Tuesday, Feb. 13; 7:30 p.m. in the community center. Everyone is invited to hear Mrs. Steakley.

Mrs. F.S. Price gave Morality U.S.A. and Mrs. D Kirk Hopkins gave Meeting the Challenge.

At bridge Mrs. Bill Watts won high, Mrs. Henry Bauer low and Mrs. Hubert Williams bingo. Table cuts went to Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Hopkins and Mrs. Joe Emery.

Others present were Mrs. J. I. Cope, Mrs. Danny Stewart, Mrs. James Thompson, Mrs. Dayton Barrett and Mrs. Nan Davis.

You Can Have Your Lot Burned Off

The Sterling Volunteer Fire Department will burn off vacant lots and the like (weeds) on Saturday afternoons for those wanting it. All burning will be closely supervised and controlled by the men.

If you want your lots or lot burned off—call the department at 378-4771. A donation to the fire department will be in order for such burning.

School Closed Here Thursday

Due to the national day of mourning set by President Nixon for the late President Lyndon B. Johnson, Sterling schools were closed Thursday. The county, state and federal offices here closed in observance of the day.

The Texas Education Agency gave every school the privilege of closing without having to make up the day.

With the heavy snow of the early morning and day, school very well could have been called off due to the condition of the streets and roads.

Six on ASU Honor Roll

January—Six Sterling City students are listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at Angelo State University in San Angelo.

Kathleen Swan Probandt is listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll.

The others are listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll. They are Keneth Ewing Blane, Carolyn Sue Cole, Margaret Terry Collins, Elena Bernal Coronado and Clark Gene Kilpatrick.

Four Garden City students are listed on the honor roll at ASU.

Judy Ann Halfmann and Johnny Lee Schafer are listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll.

Kervin John Frysak and Jose Andres Garcia are listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll.

Sara Alice Thomas of Carlsbad an ASU student, is listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll.

Sharon Marie Currington of Sterling City has been named in the 1972-73 edition of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Miss Currington is a junior at ASU.

TWO ON TEXAS TECH HONOR ROLL

Lubbock—Dean Anson R. Bertrand of Texas Tech Agricultural science, has told of 2 Tech students who qualified for the dean's honor list. They are Frank S. Price and Ewing McEntire, Jr.

To make the dean's list at Tech students must take at least 12 hours of courses and have at least a 3.0 grade point average.

New Registrar for Eighteen Year Olds

Mrs. Sandra Peel, who is in the county clerk's office, is now the registrar for the boys who have to register as they become 18 years old. Such announcement was made by James Thompson, who is a member of the Selective Service Board serving this county.

Mrs. Virgie Garrett has been the registrar for years, as she served in the local postoffice as a career clerk, but she retired earlier this month.

Food and Nutrition Demonstration February 6

Mrs. Jean Holland, CEA-at-Large, will be in Sterling City on Tuesday, February 6 to present a Food and Nutrition Demonstration. The emphasis of this demonstration will be on the use of low-cost foods featuring "Potato Soup". Principles of cookery and nutrition information will be presented. Everyone who is interested in learning more about cooking and nutrition is invited to attend.

The meeting will be at 10:00 a.m. in the kitchen of the community center. Open to the public.

LIONS CLUB

A. M. Richardson became a new member at the luncheon meeting of the Lions Club Wednesday. Allen Turner of San Angelo was a guest.

The club members voted to buy some senior little league equipment. The club voted to put \$500 in the athletic fund to begin the little league year.

Members voted to raise the cost per plate of meals to the hostess, Mrs. Bess Blagg, to \$1.65 from \$1.50.

It was announced by school principal Bobby Dodds that Thursday, January 25, was to be a day of national mourning for the late president Lyndon Johnson and that the school would observe a holiday.

County judge Roland Lowe also told that the county employees would have a holiday due to the day of mourning.

Jack Peel told of plans by the Sterling Volunteer Fire Department to have a district convention here, possibly in a year from April. Some community effort would be needed if such convention is held here.

President James Thompson appointed a committee to look into a bus trip to El Paso on a weekend this spring. He named Roland Lowe, Skipper Lively and H. L. Bailey.

Wet Snow Falls in Sterling

Heavy, wet snow began falling in Sterling shortly after midnight Wednesday and by mid-morning Thursday an inch or two or three (depends on where it fell) covered the ground. With somewhat high temperatures, the snow melted rather than build up during the day.

School was called off due to the day of mourning set by President Nixon.

Former President Lyndon B. Johnson was buried at the old family plot near the LBJ ranch near Johnson City.

Funeral services were held in Washington, D.C. and also eulogy services were held in Austin. Evangelist Billy Graham preached at the graveside rites Thursday.

FHA News Column

The Sterling City Chapter of Future Homemakers of America met in the homemaking department at school on Monday.

Guest speaker was Elton Hull, lab technician at the local hospital. Amy Hodges gave the devotional. Cathy Frizzell and Linda Currington served refreshments.

Members present were Gailann Lively, Juanita Munoz, Linda Currington, Sherri Blane, Jeannie Wells, Lisa Horwood, Cathy Frizzell, Amy Hodes, Rachel Coronado and Mrs. Edna Barton, sponsor.

The chapter is selling Aloe Vera handcream for \$2.98. It usually costs \$4.25. Contact any member if you are interested in buying.

John C. Hughes Jr. To Lometa

John C. Hughes Jr. has accepted a job as inspector with the Texas Animal Health Commission and the Hughes family has moved there. Actually, John will work out of Lampasas, but the family will live in Lometa.

While here John worked at or with Bill Barrett at the Fina Truck Stop and cafes.

A Viet Nam veteran, John was an agricultural major in West Texas State University and is now in his field.

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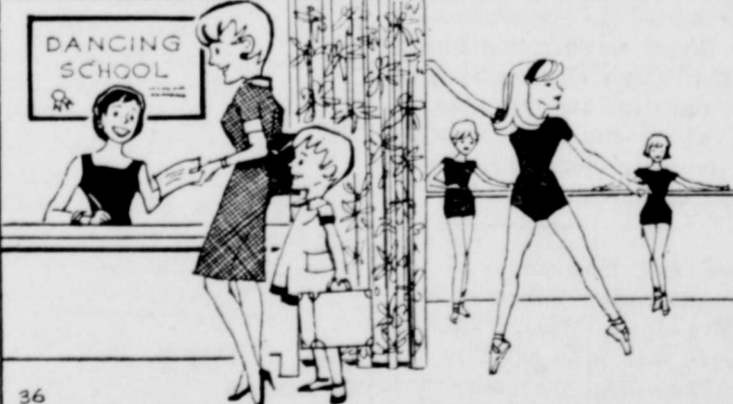
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The Border Patrol is the mobile, uniformed enforcement branch of the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Its principle purpose is to prevent the smuggling and illegal entry of aliens into the United States. The border patrolmen, called Immigration Patrol Inspectors, work along international boundaries, although their duties are not necessarily confined to these areas. They work in jeeps, cars, on foot, in boats and even in airplanes. Officers investigate violations of the immigration laws and frequently make arrests. They are often required to work irregular hours, under all weather conditions. These duties demand mental alertness as well as exceptional physical vigor and stamina.

The entrance salary of an Immigration Patrol Inspector is \$7,639 a year (Grade GS-7). There are promotional opportunities up to executive levels in the Immigration and Naturalization Service. On-the-job training offers splendid opportunities for promotion to positions of greater responsibility.

No experience is required for these positions. To qualify, applicants must pass a written test of verbal abilities, judgment, and aptitude for learning a foreign language. Candidates who pass the written test are called for oral interviews in the order of their standing on the list. The oral interview is designed to determine if the candidate has the personal qualities needed for the work. Applicants must also pass a rigid physical examination. Candidates who are selected for appointment are assigned to the Border Patrol Academy for a period of intensive training in such subjects as immigration laws, Spanish, physical training and marksmanship. Trainees receive full pay while in the academy.

Information concerning the patrol inspector position and this announcement may be obtained from the U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service, P. O. Box 2539, San Antonio, Texas 78206, or by calling 512-225-5511, Extension 214.

JUNIOR HIGH BASKET BALL SCHEDULE

T—There; H—Here

Nov. 16—Grady T
Nov. 20—Stanton H
Nov. 27—Greenwood H
Dec. 4—Forsan H
Dec. 11—Coahoma H
Jan. 11—Garden City T
Jan. 15—Grady H
Jan. 18—Stanton T
Jan. 22—Greenwood T
Jan. 25, 26, 27—Robert Lee Tournament
Jan. 29—Forsan T
Feb. 1—Coahoma T
Feb. 15, 16, 17, Sterling City Tournament

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Nearly \$7 Million in Oil - Gas Production

Sale of Sterling County oil and gas production accounted for \$6,814,608 of the county's economic output for 1971, according to a study by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

In producing 1,718,825 barrels of crude oil and 5 billion cu. feet of natural gas, the county ranked 120 in Texas. Value of its crude oil was \$6,050,264; natural gas value was \$764,344.

The county is among 190 Texas counties with oil and gas production value topping \$100,000, although 211 counties produce oil and gas.

Sterling County oil and gas wells made a significant contribution to Texas' share of the nation's energy needs last year, but growing demand is sapping reserves in Texas faster than they can be replaced, Robert A. Buschman, Association president said. As fewer new fields are discovered, due to less drilling, the continuing strong economy and tax base of many Texas counties may now depend on updating Texas oil conservation laws to encourage wider use of new recovery technology, he said.

The Association study showed that Sterling County farmers, ranchers, and other royalty owners received \$851,826 as their share of production.

The county's wells generated \$278,312 in crude oil production taxes for state government and \$57,326 in state taxes on natural gas. Oil and gas producers spent \$1,547,010 in drilling 11 wells in the county last year, \$1,220,842 of which was lost in drilling 7 dry holes.

Texas Employment Commission figures showed 16 oil and gas industry employees in the county last year, with an annual payroll of \$54,856.

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Social Security Tips

"Did you know that if you operate any type of agricultural business, the hired workers you have in that business may be covered by social security?" J. M. Talbot, social security manager, asks.

Any employee who works and earns \$150 or more for one employer during any year or works at least 20 days on a time basis for an agriculture business, is covered by social security. Even part-time employees could meet the earnings or work test. You, as their employer, would be liable to withhold social security tax from the employee's check, match that tax yourself, and report the earnings at the end of the year.

"How do I know my work under social security is being credited to my record, and how do I find out about it? This is one of the questions most frequently asked," says J. M. Talbot, social security manager.

In explaining the process involved in reporting social security, Mr. Talbot said, "When you work for wages, your employer deducts social security tax from your paycheck each pay day. At the end of each calendar quarter, he submits your name and number with payment for these taxes to Internal Revenue. Internal Revenue forwards copies to social security's main office in Baltimore, Maryland. Your wages are then posted to your record. The same process is followed for a self-employed person except that his earnings are recorded yearly."

Mr. Talbot states that the possibility of an error being made in the process does exist. He recommends that you request a statement of your earnings at least every three years.

All you have to do to secure the statement is to send a post card request available at your social security office to Baltimore, Maryland. If the reply you receive is incorrect in any way, contact the Social Security Office at 3000 West Harris Avenue (P. O. Box 3808) in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

WHO MUST FILE SOCIAL SECURITY EARNINGS

Most social security beneficiaries who earned over \$1680 in 1970 are required to file a report of their earnings with the Social Security Administration by April 15, 1971. This report is in addition to any Federal or State tax return, and it must be filed with the Social Security Administration, according to J. M. Talbot, social security manager.

Beneficiaries who were 72 years old in all months of last year are not required to file the annual report of earnings. Disabled beneficiaries should report immediately if they become self-employed or take a job. All other beneficiaries, including families of disabled persons, are under the retirement test and must report their earnings annually.

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DOVE—Sept. 1, Oct. 14; Jan. 6, Jan. 21
(10 per day, 20 possession)
JAVELINA—Sept. 1, Jan. 31. (2 per season)
TEAL—Sept. 9, Sept. 17.
ANTELOPE—Sept. 30, Oct. 8 (1 per season with permit)
DEER—Nov. 18, Jan. 1. (2 either sex)
TURKEY—Nov. 18, an. 1. (2 either sex)
QUAIL—Dec. 1, Feb. 15. (12 per day, 36 possession)
DUCKS AND COOTS—Oct. 15, Nov. 26; Dec. 9, Jan. 24.
GEESE—Nov. 4, Nov. 28; Dec. 9, Jan. 24.
SANDHILL CRANE— Oct. 28, Jan. 28.
These seasons and limits are the ones turned in by Game Warden Wayne Posey for the 1972-73 season.

STERLING CITY BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1972-73

Date	Opponent	Place	Teams Playing	Time
Oct. 24	Christoval	T	Girls A & Jr. Hi Girls	6:30
Nov. 7	Christoval	H	Girls A & Jr. Hi Girls	6:30
Nov. 14	Robert Lee	T	Girls A & Jr. Hi Girls	6:30
Nov. 21	Robert Lee	H	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Nov. 28	Mertzon	T	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Nov. 30	Dec. 2 Forsan Tour.	Boys A and Girls A		
Dec. 5	Blackwell	H	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Dec. 7, 8, 9	Grdn. City. Tour.	Boys A and Girls A		
Dec. 12	OPEN			
Dec. 14	15, 16 R. L. Tour.	Boys A and Girls A		
Dec. 21	Garden City	T	Girls (only) A	1:30
Dec. 28	Wall	T	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Dec. 29	Wall	H	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Jan. 2	*Forsan	H	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Jan. 5	*Water Valley	T	Boys A, Girls A	6:30
Jan. 9	*Bronte	T	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Jan. 12	*Greenwood	H	Boys A, Girls A	6:30
Jan. 16	*Blackwell	T	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Jan. 19	OPEN			
Jan. 23	*Garden City	H	Boys A, Girls A	6:30
Jan. 26	*Forsan	T	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Jan. 30	*Water Valley	H	Boys A, Girls A	6:30
Feb. 2	*Bronte	H	Boys A & B, Girls A	5:00
Feb. 6	*Greenwood	T	Boys A, Girls A	6:30
Feb. 9	*Blackwell	H	Boys A & B	6:30
Feb. 13	OPEN			
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Highway Work for Sterling Scheduled

The Texas Highway Commission, in their March meeting in Austin, approved the 1973-1974 Consolidated Highway Program.

J. A. Snell, District Engineer of San Angelo, stated that the new program provides funds totaling \$4,400,000 for purchase of right of way and construction of new projects in District 7, as well as additional finance for projects already approved.

A project in Sterling County that is included in this program is described as follows: Purchase right of way and construct grading, structures and surfacing on State 158, from Coke County line, west a distance of 6.4 miles. Estimated cost—\$488,000.

SPARE TIME INCOME

WANTED AT ONCE—Dealer to supply Rawleigh household necessities to consumers. Write Rawleigh TXI-1220-271 Memphis, Tenn. 38102.

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Adoption or abortion? Is there a choice? Unmarried mothers do have a choice—Today The Smithlawn Maternity Home of Lubbock extends a compassionate hand to the young lady who wants to take advantage of their confidential maternity care and know that her baby will be adopted into a solid Christian home.

The Smithlawn Maternity Home has cared for more than 600 unwed mothers and the adoption of their babies in the past decade.

REWARD NOTICE

A reward of \$500.00 will be paid by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association to any person (other than law enforcement officers) giving information causing the arrest and final conviction of any person or persons found butchering or stealing any sheep or lambs or goats belonging to any Association member in good standing. When two or more persons give information, the above sum will be divided at the discretion of the Board of the Association. When two or more defendants are involved in a single crime, the total reward is limited to \$500.00, but the conviction of one defendant, even though the other defendants are acquitted, will entitle the claimant or claimants to said sum of \$500.00. All claims must be submitted within ninety (90) days following conviction. If, upon conviction, a defendant confesses other thefts, no additional reward will be paid. All devisions concerning the payment of such reward and the conditions of payment will be made by the Board of Directors of the Association. TEXAS SHEEP & GOAT RAISERS ASSOCIATION

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CARD OF THANKS

We, as a family, want to express our thanks to the community as we enjoyed being a part of the Sterling community and liked living here. The Sterling people will always be remembered by us. The John C. Hughes Jr. family.

Notice of Sterling County Depository Selection

In accordance with the provisions of Article 2544 through 2550, both inclusive, Revised Civil Statutes, the Commissioners' Court of Sterling County, State of Texas, at its regular February Term 1973, will select a County Depository for the years 1973 and 1974.

Sterling County
Sterling City, Texas
January 8, 1973

HEATING FUEL SHORTAGE

Henry Bauer, local Texaco consignee, and handler of home fuel heating oils, says the shortage is acute and he suggests that home owners do all they can to conserve heating fuel.

Bauer suggests the usual rules—such as lower the heat at night, install insulation in all possible places, close off rooms not in use, close fire-place stove or exhaust fan damper when not in use, keep furnace filters clean for more efficient furnace operation, use humidifiers as moisture is better and warmer, keep window drapes closed as much as possible, and wear light sweaters and such in the house or buildings.

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LIONS CRIPPLED CHILDRENS' CAMP

Members of Lions Clubs throughout Texas this month are pausing to pay recognition to their camp for crippled children which has given over 12 thousand handicapped youngsters a new dimension since it was opened in 1953.

The camp, located at Kerrville in the Hill Country of Central Texas, is free to crippled, blind, deaf or mute children from the ages of seven through sixteen. The 17 permanent buildings and other improvements dotting the 504-hill-side acres represent an investment of more than \$700,000.

At the camp, these youngsters who have been denied a normal childhood through no fault of their own learn to shed their shyness imposed by their handicaps. By mutual association with other handicapped children and by skillful and gentle counseling, these youngsters have found the freedom to grow, mentally and spiritually, into useful citizens of tomorrow.

While the Lions are paying tribute to their camp, we would like to pay tribute to the Lions and their friends who have supported this great venture of the heart. We know a man never stands so straight as when he stoops to help a crippled child.

HELP WANTED

HOMEMAKERS . . . Earn extra spending money without leaving home. Occasional telephone interviewing. Experience not necessary. No selling. Must have private telephone. Send letter including name, phone number, education, any work experience, and names of references to: American Research Bureau, Field Operations, 4320 Ammendale Road, Beltsville, Maryland 20705.

SPARE TIME INCOME

Refilling and collecting money from **NEW TYPE** high quality coin operated dispensers in your area. No selling. Car, references, \$1000.00 or more cash required. Seven to twelve hours weekly can net excellent monthly income. More full time. For personal conference write D & B Distributors, Inc., P. O. Box 18811, Oklahoma City, Okla. 73110. Include phone number.

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Refilling and collecting money from **new type** high quality coin operated dispensers in this area. No selling. To qualify you must have car, references, \$600 or \$2,900 cash. Seven to twelve hours weekly can net excellent monthly income. More full time. For personal interview write **Pentex Distributing Company, 3131 (A) Stemmons Freeway, Dallas, Texas 75247.** Include phone number.

TURN IN A 'PUSHER'

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Social Security Tips

Worried about proving your age? J. M. Talbot, social security manager, said the people at your social security office may be able to help you make your claim. There are some things you can do ahead of time. If you were born in a state that kept birth records when you were born, write for your birth certificate. If the state where you were born wasn't keeping birth records at the time, the next best thing is a baptismal record.

If you were baptized before age 5, you'll be asked to find out if there is a record. If there is, it is all the proof of your age you'll need.

If you have no birth or baptismal record, the people working in the social security office will be happy to suggest some other possibilities. Some examples are an old family Bible, school records, and federal census records.

You may not recall now, but when you bought your marriage license you gave your age. You may also have some old insurance policies about the house. The list of proofs to try is quite long. When you file your claim, it helps if you have already fund the oldest thing you can that shows your age. Usually, the older the record the better it is for proving your age. It will help the people at the social security office pay your benefits sooner if you think ahead on your age.

Many times a telephone call before you visit the social security office will help. You may be able to file your claim by phone. Contact the Social Security Office at 3000 West Harris Avenue (P. O. Box 3808) in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area. Persons who are unable to meet with him are encouraged to call the office in San Angelo at 949-4608.

"If I apply for disability benefits, do I have to be examined by a social security doctor before I can get any checks?" This is a question frequently asked when disabled workers claim social security disability insurance benefits.

J. M. Talbot, social security manager, says the social security law requires the applicant to supply the medical records on his condition. When you apply for benefits, you must provide a report from your attending doctor or hospital.

Information from the attending doctor and the hospital is generally all that is needed. However, in some instances, a specialist's report may be necessary to clarify a question or resolve a borderline situation. You may then be asked to go for a special examination to help provide the extra information.

When you apply for disability benefits, be ready to give the names and addresses of all your sources of medical treatment for your disabling condition.

Each calendar quarter, the Social Security Administration receives employer reports of earnings showing incorrect social security numbers of employees, according to J.M. Talbot, social security manager. These incorrect reports, in many cases, happen when a girl has married but does not have her name changed on social security records.

Mr. Talbot stated that when a girl marries, she should complete a 'Request for Change in Social Security Record' form. After completing the form and returning it to the social security office with her old card, she will be issued a new social security card with the same number but showing the new name.

Phone in news of your visits or visitors to the News-Record. 378-3251.

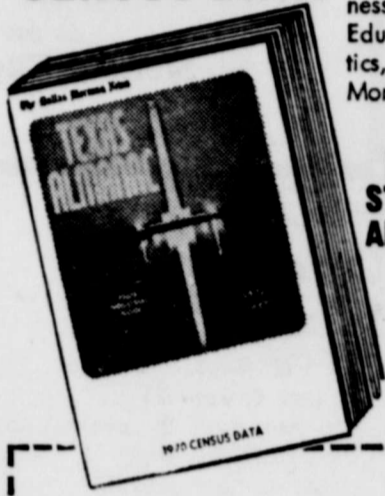
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Spotlight on HEALTH
PROFILE OF A COLD VICTIM
What are your chances of catching cold? According to a booklet on the subject, they're especially good if you're female, live in a large city in the western or north-eastern part of the U.S., and are the mother of a child under 6 years of age. Young children are the greatest cold-spreaders. Your chances are further enhanced if you're going through a period of stress and strain. "Contentment preserves one even from catching a cold," the great philosopher, Nietzsche once said.
The booklet, which discusses the common cold, is distributed by Winthrop Laboratories, the makers of Neo-Synephrine nose drops and nasal spray that are widely used in the U.S. and abroad.
Keeping up one's resistance helps to avoid the common cold, according to the publication, which advises getting sufficient fresh air and exercise, well-balanced meals, and as much sleep as possible in a well-ventilated bedroom. In cold weather areas, an extra hour a night is recommended.
Early stages of the common cold are the most contagious. Every sneeze fills the air with thousands of virus-laden droplets. To help prevent spreading a cold to the rest of the family, to friends and to co-workers, everyone should have his own glass, cup, silverware and towels. Hands should be washed thoroughly and often, preferably with a liquid antibacterial skin cleanser. pHisoHex is the one that is used in most U.S. hospitals to help prevent spread of infections. Particularly during the cold season, it is wise to keep a handwashing preparation in the kitchen, as well as in the bathroom.
Your chances of catching a cold will be reduced if precautions are taken. However, the Winthrop booklet also states that it is not completely possible to avoid a cold. Just breathing the air that someone with a cold has merely talked into offers the possibility of infecting a healthy person.

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