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SETH M. BAILEY

Seth M. Bailey, 76, Buried Tuesday

Seth M. Bailey, 76, a resident of Sterling City for nearly fifty years, toppled over dead on his bicycle here Sunday morning at about 9:30 a.m. He was taking his morning constitutional on a bicycle, as he did almost every day when the apparent heart attack felled him. He fell in front of the James Thompson house and an across the street neighbor O.T. Jones saw him. Mr. Thompson and Jones tried to revive him with resuscitation but to no avail.

Services were held here in the First United Methodist Church at 10 a.m. Tuesday with burial following in the Montvale Cemetery. The pastor, Rev. Harold Orr officiated and he was assisted by the Presbyterian minister here, Rev. Charles Tucker. Ross Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

He was born July 3, 1897 in Red River County. He was married to Allie Moss of Texarkana June 6, 1923 and moved to Sterling City in 1927. He operated the Men's Store in Sterling City for 42 years before retiring.

Mr. Bailey was a longtime and faithful member of the First Methodist Church here. He was a 45 year charter member of the Sterling City Lions Club and was to have been honored with a plaque and 45 year chevron on ladies night here May 7. He had served as the club's Lion Tamer for many years and had a hand in all the activities of the club and especially the fund raising drives. He was a longtime member of the local American Legion—he was a veteran of World War I. He was the Sterling County parole officer.

In community fund raising drives through the years, Seth usually took the lead and was always successful in raising any amount needed—for such drives as Red Cross, War Chest, Community drives for Christmas lights and stock shows, and all such money raising activities.

After retiring from the Men's Store, he had helped promote the local golf course, worked in all Lions Club activities, kept his home yard the prettiest in the town, rode his bicycle daily and in general helped his neighbors and friends. He will be missed by all here.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Richard S. Bailey of Kansas City, Mo.; two sisters, Mrs. Leatha Carroll of Dallas and Mrs. Bertha Martin of Hurst; and one brother, Earskin Bailey of Wichita Falls.

Acting pallbearers were Hubert Williams, Jim Bob Clark, O. T. Jones, James Thompson, Bill Watts, Chesley McDonald, Jack

Lions Donate to Two Projects

The Lions Club members voted to donate money to two local community projects here at the Wednesday luncheon meeting.

They voted \$300 to the Base Ball Park for improvements and \$300 to the golf course.

The report of the nominating committee for the slate of new officers was again read by Dan Glass as follows:

Bill Watts, president
Charlie Davis, 1st vice pres.
John Williams, 2nd vice pres.
Howard Cudd, 3rd vice pres.
Jack Douthit, secretary
Henry Bauer, tail twister
New directors—Chesley McDonald and Ross Foster.

Officers will be voted on the first part of May.

It was reported that Lion S. M. Bailey had made \$600.98 at the Lions Benefit Sale the week before. Members were reminded of the ladies night program here on May 7 at 7:30 in the community center. Delbert Downing will be the chief speaker.

Visitors at the luncheon were Tom Asbill, George Davis and Philip Baird.

The Lions district convention will be held in Big Spring on May 17 and 18. The club's pianist and sweetheart Lisa Horwood, will represent the club as their Queen Contest entry.

The prize went to Lion R. V. Hamilton.

Mrs. F.S. Price's Mother Dead

Mrs. Johnnie Allen, mother of Mrs. F.S. Price of Sterling City, died on April 21 in her home town of Throckmorton. She had been ill for some time.

Mrs. Allen was born September 13, 1889 in Lamar County. She was married to Hill Allen November 24, 1910. They had lived in Throckmorton all that time. Mr. Allen died in 1962.

Services were held in Throckmorton Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial was in the cemetery there.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Johnny Moore of Goree, Mrs. Foster S. Price of Sterling City and Mrs. Stanton D. Liles of Throckmorton; three sons, Mark Allen of Clarendon, Taylor Allen of Goree and Rhoades Allen of Munday. Another son, Rex, is deceased; one brother, Jack Yates of Cortez, Colorado; 20 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

KIRK HOPKINS' BROTHER DEAD

Cullin Bruce Hopkins, 59, of Bridgeport, Texas, died on Wednesday of last week. He had been ill for a short time.

Burial services were held in Bridgeport Friday of last week.

The Hopkinses attended the services.

NOTICE—All women interested in playing baseball this summer, meet at the community center clubroom Monday night at 7:30.

Douthit and Bill Brooks.

Honorary pallbearers named were H. L. Hildebrand, Lee R. Reed, Jeff Davis, Jim Hinshaw, Dr. Wm. J. Swann Fowler McEntire, Will Young Bengé, Roy Foster and Riley King.

Mrs. Bill Barbee of Lubbock sang special music at the services.

Mike Watts to State in Science

Mike Watts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watts, won first place in the U.I.L. Science contests at regional in Lubbock last week and will go to the state finals in Austin. Mike made 115 on the test, which would have won the first place in either class A or B schools. He had won first in the district science contests earlier.

Last summer, Mike was awarded an eight weeks science fellowship grant at the University of Kansas on a National Science Foundation grant.

Ken Peel All-State Basketballer

SECOND TEAM

Ken Peel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peel of Sterling City, was named to the second team 1974 Texas Sports Writers Association Class B All-State school boy basketball team.

The Sterling team did not go high to the state finals or Ken would have been named to the first team, is the belief of many of us.

Broncs Squeeze by Carlsbad 14-13

The Broncs (Sterling Senior League) barely squeezed by the Carlsbad Rebels in a scrimmage game here last Monday night. It started out like the Broncs would really slaughter Carlsbad as they scored 5 runs in the first with Roy Currington getting a 3 run homer and Dean Jones hit a 2 run shot. The second inning saw the Broncs ring up 4 more runs, with Boots Demere hit a run scoring single. The Broncs then stalled in the 3rd and 4th, scored 1 run in the 5th, 2 in the 6th and with the score tied after the Broncs failed to score in the 7th, the game went into 2 extra innings as neither team could score in the 8th. Carlsbad scored 1 in the 9th making the Broncs hustle to score 2 runs to pull off the win.

Dean Jones led the hitting attack for the Broncs with a double and a homer and 3 RBI's. Dow Ferguson and Johnny Lackey each had a double. Louie Hoover, Tony Navarro, Boots Demere and Carlos Martinez each had a single.

The Broncs will travel to Carlsbad next Monday night to play the Rebels another scrimmage game and then will open regular season here Thursday against Robert Lee.

STERLING BRONCS SCHEDULE

(All games at 8:00 p.m.)
May 2—Robert Lee Here
May 6—Carlsbad Here
May 9—Wall There
May 13—Garden City There
May 16—Bronte Here
May 20—Robert Lee There
May 23—Carlsbad There
May 27—Wall Here
May 30—Garden City Here
June 3—Bronte There
June 6—Robert Lee Here
June 10—Carlsbad Here
June 13—Wall There
June 17—Garden City There
June 20—Bronte Here

1,000 Tomato plants for sale. 10c, 25c and 50c each. See C. A. Tucker.

ABC Golf Tourney Here Saturday

Noratadata Club

Mrs. Bobby Dodds was hostess to the Noratadata Club members at her home Tuesday night of last week. 17 members were present and the hostess served a buffet supper.

Mrs. Worth Durham presided at the business meeting. Mrs. J.I. Cope gave the federation news. Mrs. Ross Foster presented an article on THE OPEN MIND.

Bridge was played and Mrs. I. W. Terry won high score, low went to Mrs. Bill Brooks and bingo prize to Mrs. Danny Stewart.

Mrs. Cope, Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Mildred Emery reported on the Easter party for the Nursing Home, sponsored by the club.

FFA Range Judging Teams Win

The Sterling City FFA Range Judging teams took first and second place honors at the North Concho River and Concho Soil Conservation Districts sponsored event last Thursday in the North Concho Lake area.

Sterling team No. 1 scored 1,363 points to capture top honors. Team members were Victor Probandt, Michael Lackey, Ross Hord and Lee Fleming.

Sterling team No. 2 scored 1,138 points to win second place honors over teams from Stanton and San Angelo Central. Team members were Mike Bowen, Dow Ferguson and Dean Jones. Michael Lackey scored 157 in the plant identification portion of the contest to take top honors in that division. Victor Probandt was second high with a score of 156 in plant identification. The identification portion consists of identifying the plants in their natural habitat and giving season of growth, length of life, origin of plant, and the grazing value for livestock and wildlife. Victor Probandt topped the range judging portion of the contest with a score of 163. Michael Lackey was second with a score of 158, and Mike Bowen was third with a score of 148. The range judging portion of the contest consists of placing four plots and giving the reasons on the basis of their value for live stock usage.

Victor Probandt topped the range condition classification portion of the contest with a score of 190; Mike Bowen tied for first with 190, but Mike received the second place ribbon. Dow Ferguson and Lee Fleming tied for third high individual in the range condition portion of the contest.

In the overall contest, Sterling FFA had the top four individuals in the contest. Victor Probandt was top judge with a score of 508; Michael Lackey was second with a score of 475; Mike Bowen came in third with 454 and Ross Hord made 380 for fourth place.

Mackey McEntire, student teacher from Texas Tech University, did most of the work in coaching the team. The team members wish to express their thanks to Hugh Lackey for his assistance in training for the the judging portion of the contest.

NOTICE—The Giants and Astros will play a practice game next Monday night at 8 o'clock.

The Sterling Golf Association has set up two tournaments for the Sterling City golf course.

The first tournament will be here on Saturday, April 27. It will be an ABC Best Ball tournament. There will be a \$5 entry fee per entrant, and one must qualify by April 24 on a 12 hole qualifying score, said James Thompson, association president.

Entrants must pay the fee and give their scores to one of the following—Ricky Hopkins, Dan Slaughter or Jack Peel.

In case of tie, there will be playoffs on the day of the tournament, it was said.

Prizes will golf balls.

On June 1 there will be an ABCD tourney with women on each team. The same rules are quoted for both tourneys.

All greens committees are reminded to get their greens in shape for the April 27 tournament.

Escobedo-Rodriguez Wedding Here

Miss Rosa Castillo Escobedo became the bride of Raul Rodriguez Jr. during a ceremony Saturday in the community center. County Judge Roland Lowe officiated.

Parents of the couple are Carlos Castillo Cruz Escobedo of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Raul Rodriguez.

Honor attendants were Josefina Andrade of San Benito, George Rodriguez and Bobby Rodriguez.

Other attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Jose Cesar Garza, Mr. and Mrs. Jose Garza, and Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Garza, all of Monterrey, Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Bill McDonald of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Baldemar Sedillo of Brady, Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Rodriguez of Stanton, Elizabeth Mendez of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rodriguez, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Rodriguez and Mrs. Rudy Rodriguez.

The reception was in the community center.

Mrs. Rodriguez is a graduate of Monterrey high school and her husband is self employed.

After a wedding trip to Dallas and New Mexico, they will live in Sterling City.

HAS WRECK

Mrs. Margie Milligan left Saturday, April 20 for Amarillo to attend a P.E.O. meeting as a delegate for the womans professional club. Mrs. O.T. Jones accompanied Mrs. Milligan as far as Lubbock to visit with her mother and other relatives. After the Monday and Tuesday meeting, Mrs. Milligan left Amarillo Wednesday for her return home, but a truck hit her car from the rear and demolished the car for a total.

Mrs. Milligan's nephew from Canyon took her on the Lubbock where Mr. Jones had gone to bring Mrs. Milligan and Mrs. Jones back to Sterling City.

Mrs. Milligan had only a slightly bruised hip.

NOTICE—To other than volunteer firemen, do not call the fire department phone number for at least 15 minutes after the siren blows. This will give the volunteers time to find out where the fire is, so they can get to the job.

PLEASE.

D.P.S. Recruiting Men and Women

MIDLAND — Major E. K. Browning, Jr., Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety's 49 County West Texas Region, announced that an intensive effort is being made to recruit men and women.

Major Browning stated this is the first time since the Department was created in 1935 that applications are being accepted from women for the position of Patrolman.

Major Browning said the Department has been successful in recruiting persons from minority groups to the position of Patrolman. Efforts to recruit from these groups are continuing.

All persons making application for the position of Patrolman must be between 20 and 35 years of age, between 68 and 76 inches in height, must weigh not less than two pounds nor more than 25 1/2 pounds per inch of height, and visual acuity no worse than 20/40 correctable to 20/20. A person must be of good moral character, excellent physical condition and must have a minimum of 30 semester hours of college credit.

Persons selected as recruits will be assigned to Austin for an 18-week training school at the Home Garrison, Jr. Law Enforcement Academy. Successful graduates will be assigned to either the Highway Patrol Service, License and Weight Service, Motor Vehicle Inspection Service or the Driver License Service, according to the needs of the DPS and consideration of personal preference.

The salary during training will be \$600 per month. Room and board while at the Academy will be approximately \$55 per month.

When a person is commissioned as a Patrolman, his salary will increase to \$743 per month. Patrolmen also receive longevity pay after five years of service, a monthly uniform cleaning allowance and travel expenses when away from their home stations.

Recruits must furnish their own uniforms which consist of khaki shirts and pants, black shoes, belt and tie. When commissioned as a Patrolman, uniforms, vehicles, weapons, ammunition and related equipment are furnished.

Group life and hospitalization are paid for the employee, and dependent coverage is available at reasonable rates. Patrolmen participate in the Employees Retirement System of Texas, as well as Social Security. Vacation, holidays and sick leave are provided.

Browning said interested men and women should contact any DPS office or Patrolman for an application. After completing the application, it should be presented to the DPS office either in Midland, Abilene, San Angelo or El Paso for the examinations.

COYOTE EXTERMINATOR

I will come for a weekend hunt, starting Saturday morning, through Sunday afternoon, with the exception of a few hours sleep Sunday morning before daylight, for \$100.00 plus \$50.00 per coyote, wolf, bobcat, or mountain lion I kill. Call or write Braulio Sanchez Sr., Rt. 1 Box 109-B, Cedar Creek, Texas 78612. 512-247-5612. Will furnish references.

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.

BE SURE AND VOTE FOR Outstanding Citizen

The Sterling City Lions Club invites everyone to vote for a person as Sterling's Outstanding Citizen for 1974. Ballots will be counted before the Lions ladies night program on May 7. Presentation of the Lions Club Outstanding Citizen Plaque will be made that night to the one that gets the most votes.

So, if you have a choice for such a person, mail in your ballot soon.

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Using this ballot below, mail in your vote to Lions Club, Box 608, Sterling City, Texas 76951 before May 3, 1974.
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You may get votes from all your family (if you have enough ballots) and mail in the same envelope. (Do not write out ballots on plain paper.)

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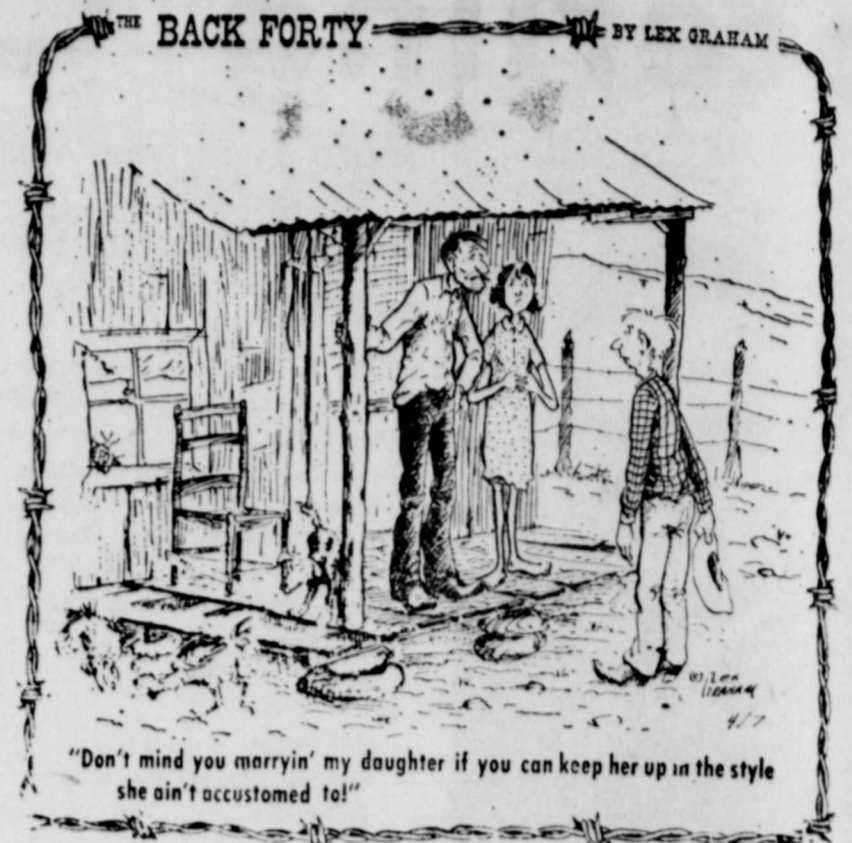
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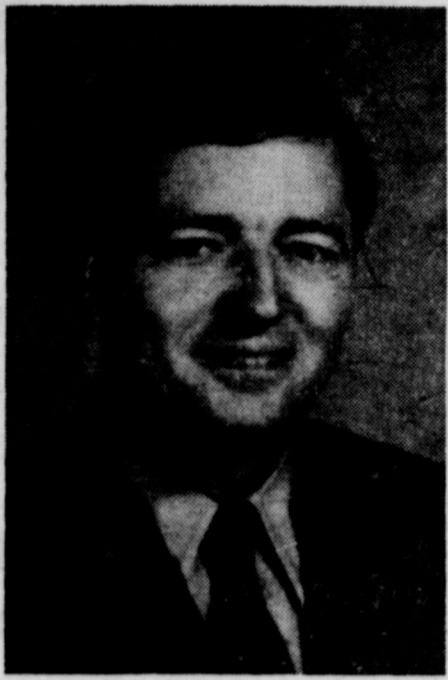
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GARDEN CITY POST OFFICE

David E. Holster, SCF Manager Postmaster, Midland, Texas, in conjunction with Robert L. McCoy, Manager, San Antonio District, United States Postal Service, has announced the solicitation of bids for the construction of a new Post Office Building in Garden City, Texas.

Holster added that it will be a leased facility to be constructed by the successful bidder and leased to the Postal Service for a basic lease period of ten years with four 5-year renewal options.

Anyone interested in bidding on this project should contact William H. Brady, P.O. Box 830, San Antonio, Texas 78293, AC 112-221-5111, extension 4691. Bids will be accepted until 1:00 p.m., May 16, 1974.



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THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS, a study of the many nationalities and ethnic groups that have combined to make up the state's population, is one of many new features in the 704 pages of the 1974-75 Texas Almanac, published by A. H. Belo Corporation, publishers of The Dallas Morning News.

The article is by R. Henderson Shuffler, executive director of the University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures at San Antonio.

Texans have always come in assorted sizes, shapes and colors, with a wide variety of mother tongues and hereditary customs and traditions, Shuffler writes. He has capsuled this variety of cultures in the special Almanac feature.

The new edition also contains a comprehensive history of the livestock feeding industry in Texas, which now leads the nation in numbers of cattle fattened in feedlots. The article was written by Sam A. Thomas Jr., manager of agricultural development for Southwestern Public Service Company of Amarillo.

Two reports are of special interest to ecologists. One is a list of endangered plants and animals in the state, prepared by the Texas Organization for Endangered Species. The other is a list of state agencies responsible for pollution control.

Election results, listings of county, municipal and state officials, amendments to the Texas Constitution, appointive boards and commissions, officials of state and regional civic and trade organizations and many other listings are expected to make this edition widely used as a reference for offices, schools, public agencies and homes.

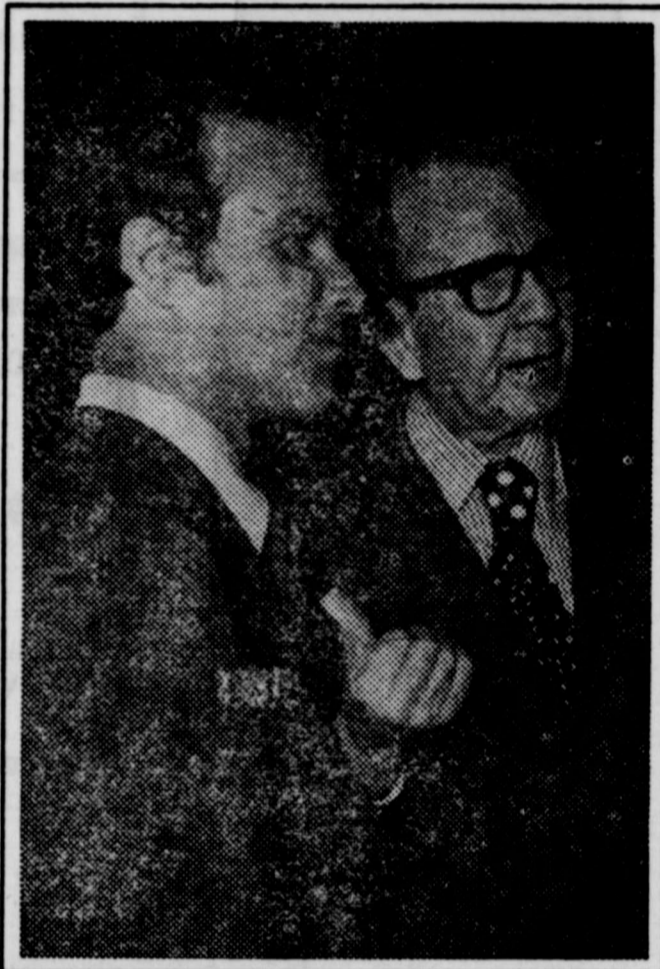
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NOTICE—

COST OF ENGRAVINGS

—Due to the high cost of cuts or engravings of pictures, we are now forced to charge for all society type pictures run in the paper. The costs have always been an item to be considered, but now the cost makes a charge necessary. Cuts or engravings run from \$2.75 for a one column cut to around \$6 for a two column cut. This is actual cost and will be charged for from now on.

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1974 Political Announcements

The following candidates announce their formal candidacy for the offices below, subject to action of the Democratic Primary, May 4, 1974:

For County Treasurers
OVELLA (Betty) GARRETT

For County Commissioner,
Precinct 4:

DANNY STEWART

For County Judge—

ROLAND L. LOWE

For County Commissioner
Precinct 2:

CLINTON HODGES

For Justice of the Peace
Precinct 1—

E. R. EDWARDS

For County and District Clerk—

W. W. DURHAM

For State Legislature, 63rd
District:

MICHAEL H. EZZELL

For United States Congress,
21st Congressional District

NELSON WOLFF

Voter Guidelines

Here are the legal voter guidelines for the Democratic Party Primaries this year as put out by the Texas Democratic Party:

1. Register to vote at least 30 days prior to Democratic Primary, which is May 4, 1974.

2. All registered voters, 18 years and older, are eligible to vote in all Democratic Party elections.

3. Present registrations are valid if you have voted in a Democratic Primary or General Election within the last three years.

4. Register to vote at your County Tax Assessor-Collector's office or with a properly deputized person allowed to register voters.

5. Notify your County Tax-Assessor--Collector of change of address 5 days prior to election day so that you are registered in the proper precinct, if you have moved within the county.

6. On moving from one county to another, you must re-register 30 days prior to the election, if you wish to vote in your new place of residence.

7. An April 14, 1974, the absentee voting for the first primary by personal appearance at the County Clerk's office begins and goes through the fourth day preceding the election.

8. Applications for absentee voting for the first primary must be received by the County Clerk not later than the close of business on April 30, 1974.

9. Marked absentee ballots for the first primary must be mailed back to the County Clerk and postmarked not later than midnight, on May 3, 1974.

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BOOKS WANTED AT NURSING HOME

If you have any old used paper back books that you would like to donate to the local nursing home, they will be appreciated. Books such as westerns, murder mysteries and novels are liked and all will be appreciated.

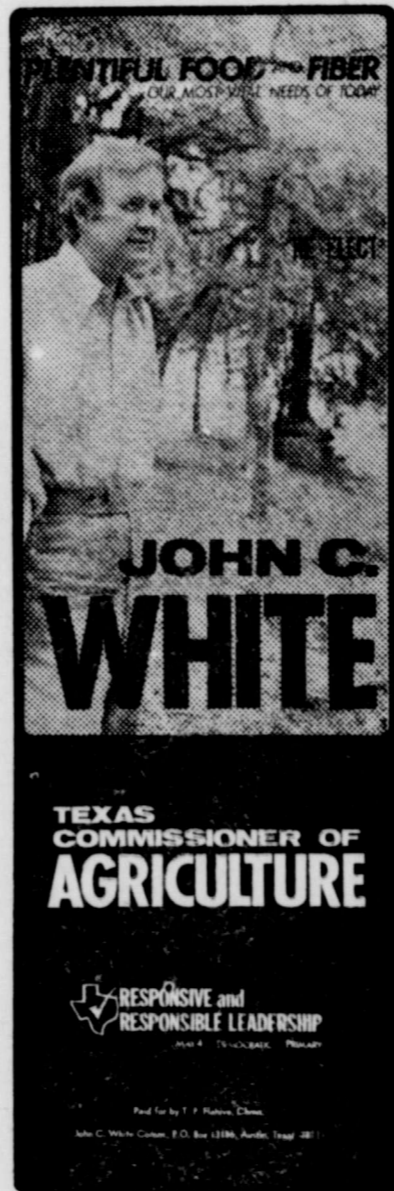
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- For a stable dollar **ELECT PATRICK AINSWORTH**

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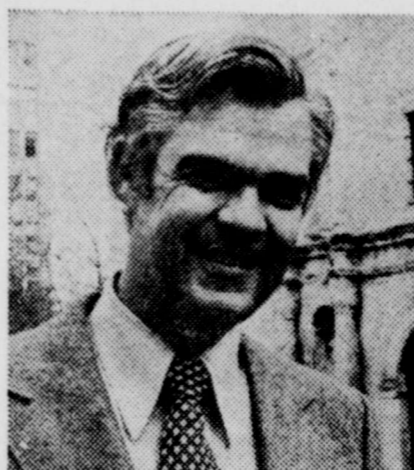
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"I'm a family man, and I care about what kind of America my children will inherit." Van Archer

Some of Van Archer's friends advised him not to run this year because of Watergate. "This is a bad year for Republicans," they warned. "Shrewd politicians will wait for a better time."

"Well, I'm not a 'shrewd politician,'" Archer told them. "I'm a concerned citizen, a family man. And I care about what kind of America my children will inherit. I want them to know that their father didn't stick his head in the sand when the going was rough."

That's the kind of man he is. Archer has not lost faith in America or in the American people. He still believes that *one hard-working honest man can make a difference.*

Archer doesn't dodge issues. He comes up with straight answers. And he knows what issues count—the ones that are on your mind, the ones that affect all of us every day.

Archer is a *common sense conservative.* He's fed up with the leftward drift of the Congress, with inflation, bloated bureaucracies and government overspending. "Increasingly," Archer says, "the average citizen feels powerless in the face of big government. Those over-educated theorists in Washington always think they know what's best for us. They want to control our lives. It's gone much too far."

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If you can answer yes to any of these questions, the Sod House Society of America, with headquarters at Colby, Kansas, would like to hear from you. The unique society is making an effort to compile a census of people who have had any kind of personal experience with sod houses, including dugouts, part sod, and adobe buildings, which were once common in the United States, Canada and Mexico; also the descendants of such persons.

If you are a former sod dweller or a direct descendant of a family that can claim a part of the sod house heritage during the pioneer settlement era of North America, or in more recent times, the society wishes to have the information to include in a permanent historical record of sod, dugout, and adobe dwellers and their families.

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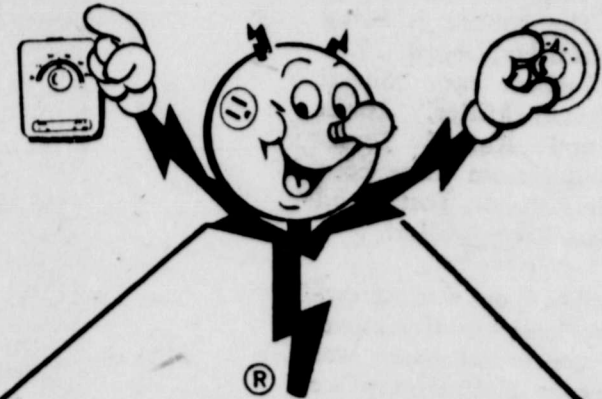
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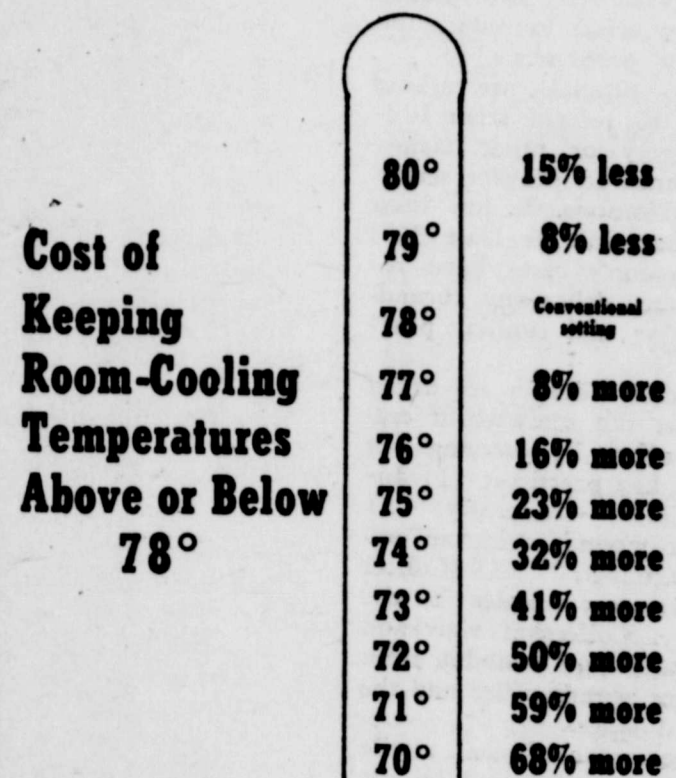
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ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

A 4-H Club horse judging team, all juniors, will be competing in the District 7 Horse Judging contest at the arena of the West Texas Fairgrounds in Abilene. The contest is being held this Saturday, April 27.

Team members are Sherri Foster, Deborah Miller, Loren Cantrell and Russell Jones. Coaches of the team have been Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Miller.

Dry weather or not, screwworms have been on the move. The latest confirmed case was on the Werner Halfmann place near Lowake in Concho County. This case was confirmed on Monday of this week. Several weeks ago cases were confirmed in Brown and Haskell Counties.

Livestock producers should be aware that 1974 has the earmarks of an extremely bad screwworm season and should make every effort to reduce the number of outbreaks.

Program officials are asking producers to refrain from livestock surgery or other man-made wounds to prevent screwworm infestations. It has been pointed out that at least 30% of this season's cases have resulted from dehorning, branding, docking and similar practices.

Livestock producers are urged to support the screwworm eradication effort by carrying out the three key practices: (1) Inspect animals frequently; (2) Treat all wounds with an approved product; (3) Collect and send worm samples to the laboratory. Collection vials and mailing tubes are available from the county agent's office and the local feed store.

As cases are confirmed, sterile fly treatment is initiated by the United States Department of Agriculture. To do this effectively, it is vitally important for program officials to know where the cases are located.

Officials reared and distributed 771,654,800 sterile flies during March with 292,242,800 of those being released in Texas. The remainder were released in Arizona and Mexico.

Stockman's Supply in Sterling City has been approved as distributor for the M-44 spring-loaded ejector and sodium cyanide capsules to be used in the experimental coyote control program in 44 counties in Texas. The program has the approval of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Only those landowners who were certified to use the devices in the meeting here on March 4 will be permitted to purchase and use them. One of the requirements of the program was that each user be trained in using the device and the accompanying safety procedures. The certified users are permitted to purchase a specified number of the devices and capsules based on acreages operated.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my gratitude to our many friends in Sterling City for the many expressions of condolence extended us in our time of bereavement over the recent loss of my sister and brother.

Sincerely,
D. KIRK HOPKINS

CARD OF THANKS

For the cards and letters, for the flowers and all other acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy, during the illness and death of Robert K. Davis, father of Elis Hamilton, we are most grateful.

THE R.V. HAMILTONS

RESOLUTION OF SYMPATHY

In memory of Seth M. Bailey, who died April 21, 1974. He was a faithful member of the Sterling Volunteer Department, being a charter member and a very faithful one. His presence and help could always be counted on by the department.

The Chief above has called him to his final resting place.

Whereas, in acknowledgement of the service and friendship of our departed member; be it further resolved that the Ster-

in Volunteer Fire Department tenders to the family our sincere condolences in this sorrow, and that a copy of this resolution be printed in the Sterling City News-Record.

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In addition, John Poerner has served with distinction in the Texas Legislature longer than any candidate running in the 21st District race.

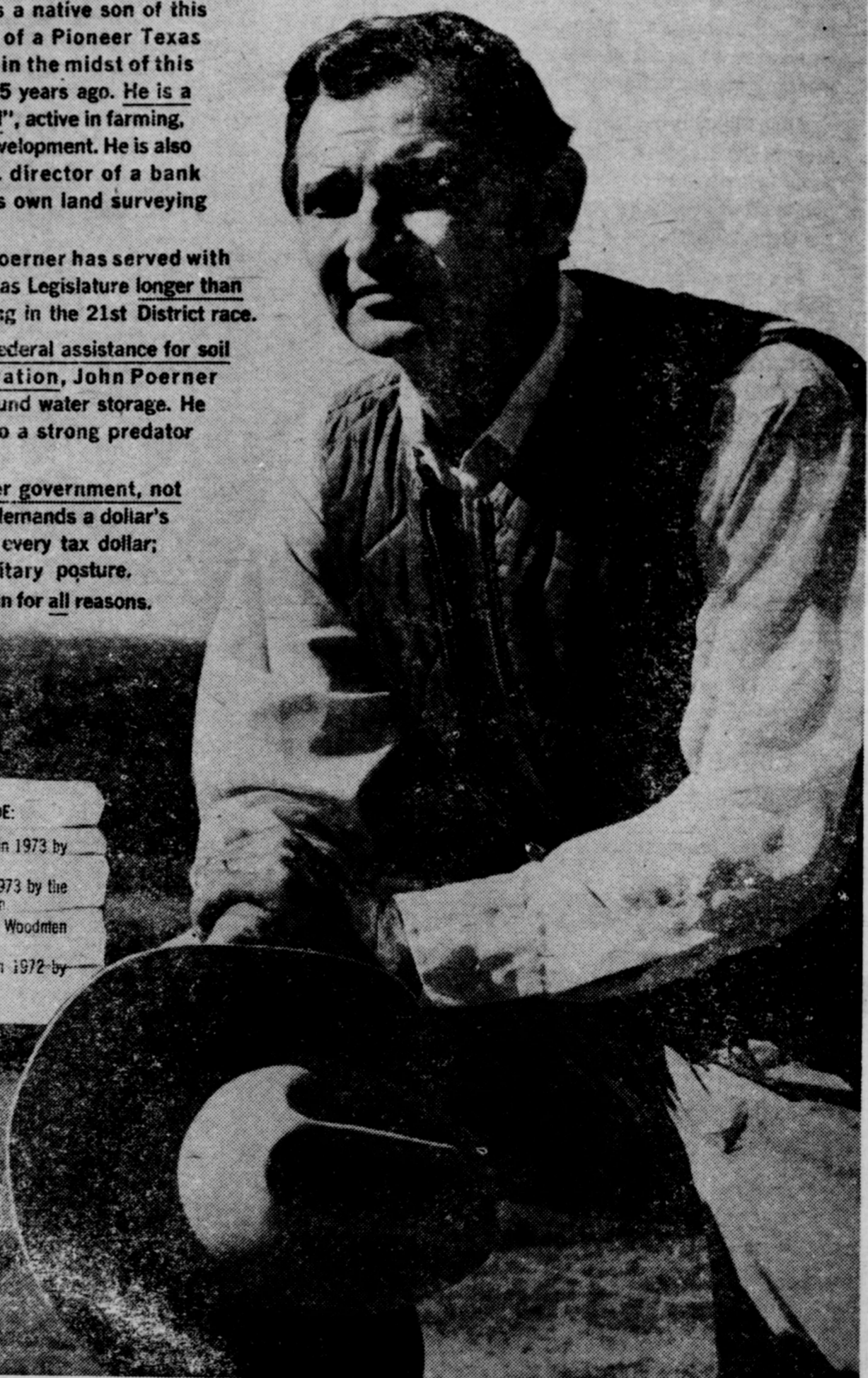
A firm advocate of Federal assistance for soil and water conservation, John Poerner believes in underground water storage. He is also committed to a strong predator control program.

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