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AROUND  
THE  
COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Sterling County registered another confirmed case of screw-worms on Monday of this week. This case was in a cut on a horse on the Curtis Wilson place in the southwest part of the county. Curtis had several confirmed cases in late July an early August.

Livestock producers are urged to keep a careful check on their livestock until after frost. The rains and humid weather of late September were to the flies delight as everyone knows by the large number of flies everywhere. Certainly, not all of them are screwworm flies—hopefully few if any are of this species—but stock should be checked as often as possible. Screwworms were worse in the fall months prior to the eradication program according to veteran livestock producers here. A missed case now could mean overwintering flies and trouble next year.

Several 4-H Club members will be competing in the Breeding Sheep shows at the State Fair of Texas this weekend. Club members who have entries are Amy Hodges, Becky Hodges and Delmer Radde, Jr. Wesley Hodges does not have his sheep entered at the Fair.

Amy and Becky have their Rambouillets entered in both the Open and Junior Shows. Delmar has entered his Delaines in both divisions of that bred. This is the first time that exhibitors have been permitted to enter both divisions at Dallas.

Judging of the finewool sheep will take place on Saturday, October 12. Judging will begin at 9:00 A. M. with the Rambouillets first. They will be followed by the Columbias, Corriedales, Delaines and Angora goats in that order.

The sheep will be released at 6 P. M. Sunday. Market steers, lambs, and pigs will begin moving in Monday along with the Junior Breeding Cattle.

Sixty-one percent of Texas banks were actively seeking new farm and ranch accounts as compared to only nineteen percent that were reported cutting back on loans because of fund shortages. Also, the banks are referring few customers to non-bank credit agencies or correspondent banks. This was the result of a recent survey of ninety-eight financial institutions by Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist in agribusiness with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Seventy-three percent reported average loan increases as compared to only eight percent that saw loan size go down. The greatest increases were in loans for machinery and operating funds. As expected, demand for feeder cattle loans decreased.

Lending agencies reported that loan repayments were up compared to last year except for cattle loans. Cash crop areas reported the highest repayment rate.

There has been some concern here about the fact that many pecans are beginning to split the shucks and fall. This is earlier than usual, about two weeks or so for the early varieties. The nuts we have checked have been mature and filled out.

Contributing cause to the early maturity this year is probably due to the fact that the nuts were set on the first crop of

## HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Reyes Rodriguez  
Mrs. Iva P. Mercer  
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week were;  
Mrs. Gary Maricle

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

Mrs. Lura McClellan  
Mrs. Edith Hudson  
B. O. Bailey  
Mrs. Ida Brown  
Mrs. Jim Duke  
Jim Duke  
Mrs. Lucy Norman  
W. J. Williams  
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Mrs. J. E. Bynum  
Mrs. Larkin Longshore  
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Mrs. Minnie Pinson  
Roy Morgan  
Mrs. Henrietta Long  
Mrs. Noble Read  
J. B. Stites  
Mrs. O. M. Cole  
Mrs. Mabel Martin  
Mrs. Clifford Carpenter  
Mrs. A. G. Daves

## Special Set by Vogel October 20 at the Baptist Church

The Rev. Traugott Vogel, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will give his life story in slides on Sunday evening, October 20, at the church.

This will be a combined service of the Baptist, Presbyterian, Methodist and La Hermosa at 7:30 p.m.

Everyone in the community or the area is cordially invited. The Rev. Vogel who emigrated from Germany four months ago and is pastor of the local church, is to tell of his early life in his native Germany and show accompanying slides.

Last week Bro. Vogel flew to Nashville, Tenn. where he addressed the combined Baptist Brotherhoods of that city at a meeting.

## ANTLERLESS DEER TAGS TO BE ISSUED HERE THIS MONTH

Wayne Posey of the Parks & Wildlife Commission of Texas, said this week that antlerless deer tags for Sterling County would be issued at the courthouse here on October 23 from 8 a.m. an 5 p.m. Landowners are asked to be present and apply for the tags that day.

flowers this year. In the past, there has been a late spring freeze here that set the pecans back and the nuts were set on the second or even third crop of blooms. This delayed the opening and makes it seem early this year.

Growers who have been entering the Tom Green County Pecan Show can mark December 6-7 on their calendars at the dates of that show. More particulars will be available later but this is the date, according to Rex Jones, county extension agent in San Angelo.

## GOLF TOURNEY HERE SATURDAY

The October tournament of the Sterling Golf Association will be held here tomorrow, Saturday, October 12, reminds Jack Peel, of the association tournament committee. This is scheduled to be an ABC tournament, said the spokesman.

All who plan to enter and play in the tournament should get in their names to Peel, Howard Cudd or Rick Hopkins, members of the tourney committee.

Then, as usual, there will be a meeting of the association at 8 p.m. Tuesday, October 15. But, this time, the meeting will be at the school, along with the weekly meeting of the SHS Quarterback Club. This will help eliminate a conflict, it was pointed out.

## Heart Group Met Monday Evening

The Sterling County Chapter of the American Heart Association met at the Church of Christ Fellowship Hall Monday night.

It was decided to hold a blood pressure clinic at the Halloween Carnival at the school on October 31.

Chairman Marie Finnegan reported that Mrs. Bill Watts was to be the chapter's memorial chairman from now on. She will take memorials made in the name of the Heart Association. Mrs. Finnegan said \$173.50 had been received in memorials since July of this year.

Among those present at the Monday night meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGinnes, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Finnegan Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Hamilton, Mrs. Riley ing, Mrs. Dean Johnson, Mrs. Bill Greenfield, Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Mrs. Harvey Glass, Mrs. Bill Watts, D. D. Nichols and Jack Douthitt.

The Heart Fund drive will take place here next February.

## 48 Get Immunization Shots at School

A total of 48 immunization shots were given at the school here Tuesday. Most were booster shots, according to Margaret Blaneck, school nurse.

Mrs. Blaneck said another immunization clinic would be held at the school on November 19 at 9:30 a.m.

## Noratadata Club

MRS. JAMES THOMPSON IS HOSTESS

Mrs. James Thompson entertained Noratadata Club members and guests Mrs. Alta McGibany, Mrs. Bill Humble and Mrs. Charlie Davis at the community center Tuesday night of last week.

Bridge was played after dinner with prizes going to Mrs. Worth Durham for high score, Mrs. E. F. McEntire for second high and Mrs. Bill Brooks for low score.

Club members made plans for the rummage sale to be held on Monday and Tuesday, October 7 and 8. Money raised will be used for the club's community projects.

The following members were present — Mrs. Dean Johnson, Mrs. B.R. Bynum, Mrs. Jim Davis, Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. Henry Bauer, Mrs. J.I. Cope, Mrs. Danny Stewart, Mrs. D. Kirk Hopkins, Mrs. Mildred Emery, Mrs. Hubert Williams, Mrs. I.W. Terry, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Winn McClure, Mrs. Martin Reed, Mrs. Bill Watts, Mrs. Forrest Foster, Mrs. Finis Westbrook and Mrs. F. S. Price.

## Eagles Lose 28 to 20 to Jayton Friday

### Attend Hill Country VFD Convention

Representatives of the Sterling Volunteer Fire Department and its Auxiliary went to the Hill Country Firemen's Convention in Eden on October 5.

There are 21 towns represented in the association and 13 of these towns were represented in Eden.

In the business meeting Troy Templin moved up to 3rd vice-president of the organization and Tom Ashill was reelected chaplain.

The Ladies Auxiliary meeting of the group saw Lynn Medina elected as sweetheart. Retiring officers included Gwen Templin, president, Alys Finchers secretary and treasurer and Lois Maricle chaplain.

Following the business meeting, the delegates participated in races and a barbecue.

The Sterling City Six-Man Pumper team, Troy Templin, Cecil Craig, R. V. Hamilton, Clifford Stephens, Dub Fincher and Leslie Cole (substitute for Gary Maricle) won 2nd place trophy.

The 1st place trophy in the Ladies 3-Man race was won by Gwen Templin, Virgie Craig, and Virginia Stephens (substitute for Lois Maricle).

The representatives that went to Eden would like to express their thanks to all members of the Sterling Volunteer Fire Department for their help and encouragement so that the local department could and would be represented at the Eden convention.

## SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM MENUS

(All Type A lunches served with 1/2 pint milk, bread and butter.)

### LUNCHES

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14

Burritos  
Corn  
Salad  
Cookies

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Hamburgers  
Lettuce  
Tomatoes  
French Fries  
Brownies

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16

Pizza  
Blackeyed Peas  
Cole Slaw  
Cup Cakes

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17

Chicken Fried Steak  
Potatoes  
Sweet Peas  
Cake

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

Corny Dogs  
Potato Chips  
Pork and Beans  
Pudding

### BREAKFASTS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14

Scrambled Eggs  
Biscuits  
Orange

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15

Doughnuts  
Orange Juice

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 16

Pancakes  
Strawberries

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17

Cinnamon Rolls  
Fruit Mix  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

Cereal  
Bananas

### Play Loraine Here Tonight at 7:30

The Jayton Jaybirds took the first conference game from the Sterling City Eagles last Friday night there in a tight game. The Jaybirds scored with a little over two minutes left in the game to edge the locals out 28 to 20.

The Eagles scored two TDs in the opening quarter to take a 12 to 0 lead, but the Jaybirds had evened it up 12 to 12 at 12 at halftime.

Both teams exchanged touchdowns and two-point conversions in the third quarter to tie the score at 20-20. The Jaybirds final touchdown proved the margin of victory.

The Jayton team racked up 19 first downs and 381 yards total to 14 first downs and 277 yards for the Eagles.

The leading rusher in the game was Jayton's Mark Fincher with 199 yards, while Jeff Copeland amassed 146 yards rushing for the locals.

The game was marred by turnovers, with Jayton losing 4 of 6 fumbles and Sterling 5 out of 6.

### MEET LORLAINE HERE TONIGHT

The Eagles tackle their second conference foe here tonight when they tangle with Loraine at 7:30 on the Eagle field.

Dopesters have Bronte Longhorns picked as the top team of our district. Jayton and Sterling City will likely rank in 2nd and third spots, at least, until after tonight.

## Honor Roll Students Are Named

Sterling School Principal Bobby Dodds, this week released the names of the honor roll students for the first six weeks of school as follows:

### SEVENTH GRADE—

Gary Maricle ..... 91  
Russell Jones ..... 91  
Ramon Estrada ..... 90

### EIGHTH GRADE—

Carl Igo ..... 95  
Melanie McEntire ..... 91

### NINTH GRADE—

Leslie Rich ..... 94  
Susie Humble ..... 94

### TENTH GRADE —

Melinda Terry ..... 98  
Patti Bynum ..... 94  
Dow Ferguson ..... 91

### ELEVENTH GRADE—

Amy Hodges ..... 96  
Marylynn Rich ..... 94

### TWELFTH GRADE—

Lisa Horwood ..... 97  
Jeannie Wells ..... 94  
Amy Humble ..... 92

## LIONS CLUB

The Sterling City Lions Club met at noon Wednesday in the community center. Dr. Don McDonald was a guest.

Ex-president Ross Foster acted in the absence of president Bill Watts. The prize went to Lion Roy Wold.

Jack Peel announced the golf tournament that was to be held here Saturday on the local golf course.

Participants are asked to turn in their names by six o'clock today, please.

A folder telling of the Lions Club camp near Kerrville was distributed to members and some discussion about the camp was heard.

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**SANDHILL CRANES**—Oct. 26 to Jan. 26, 1975. 3 per day; 6 in possession.  
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**DUCKS**—100 point system. Nov. 4 to Nov. 24; Dec. 7 to Jan. 19, 1975.  
**QUAIL**—Nov. 16 to Feb. 16, 1974, 12 per day; 36 in possession.  
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**1974 Sterling City EAGLES**

**FOOTBALL SCHEDULE**

(First 3 Games at 8 P.M.)  
Sept. 6—Open  
Sept. 13—Garden City There  
Sept. 20—Bangs Here  
Sept. 27—Imperial Here  
(All other Games at 7:30)  
Oct. 4—Jayton There  
Oct. 11—Lorraine Here  
Oct. 18—Hawley There  
Oct. 25—Forsan H Homecoming  
Nov. 1—Roby There  
Nov. 8—Bronte Here  
Nov. 15—Sands There

**STERLING JUNIOR HIGH**

1974 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE  
Sept. 5—Garden City T 6 p.m.  
Sept. 19—Eden T 6 p.m.  
Sept. 26—Eden H 6 p.m.  
Oct. 3—Bronte T 7 p.m.  
Oct. 10—Sands T 6 p.m.  
Oct. 17—Sands H 6 p.m.  
Oct. 24—Garden City H 6 p.m.  
Oct. 31—Bronte H 7 p.m.

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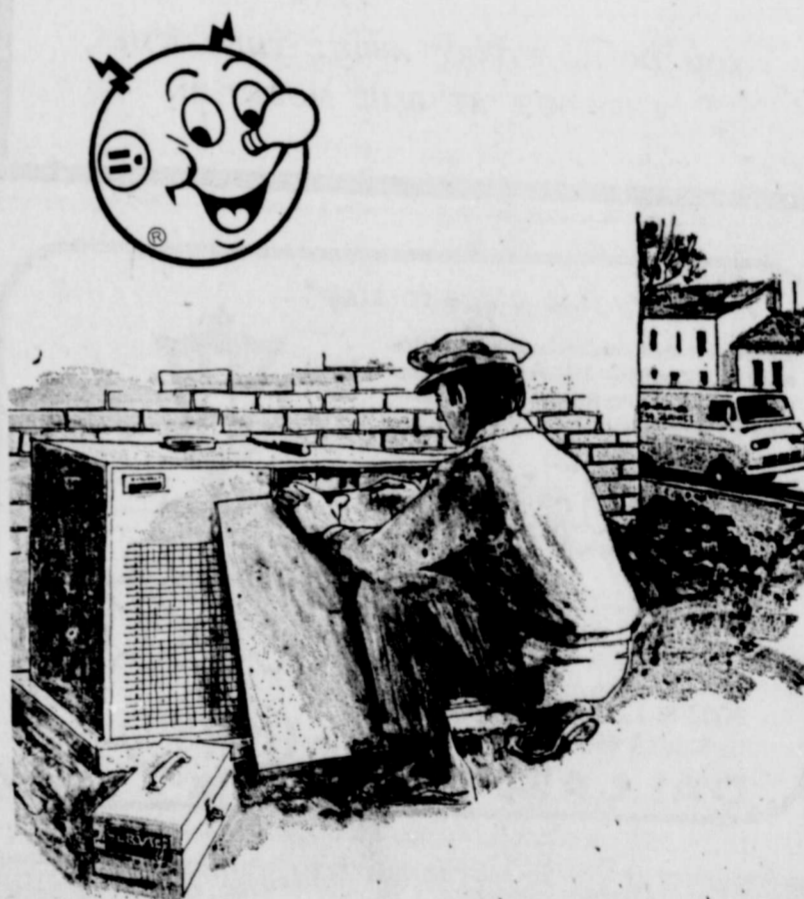
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A special thank you to Bro. Marion Hays and Bro. R. V. Hamilton for the wonderful eulogies, and to the Sosebee Sisters for the beautiful singing.

Our deepest appreciation is extended to Dr. Spencer, Dr. Swann and the entire hospital staff for their efficient care and concern.

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Mrs. V. T. Ferguson

**THANK YOU**

The Noratadata Club would like to thank all who donated and helped in their rummage sale. A special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cannon for the use of their building. The club cleared around \$500.00 which will be used for community service projects.

The rumage that did not sell was donated to the San Angelo Center at Carlsbad and to the Salvation Army in Angelo.

**WANTED**—for the Nursing Home—your old 33 LP records that you would donate. All will be appreciated.

**Midland Community Theatre Sets Comedy**

JABBERWOCK OPENS AT  
MCT OCTOBER 11

JABBERWOCK, a new comedy by Jerome Lawrence and Robert E. Lee is opening at Midland Community Theatre on October 11th.

JABBERWOCK is funny. It is a distillation of the enormous wit and humor of James E. Thurber, brought to life on stage by the authors of MAME, the musical, and AUNTIE MAME, the play. Besides those two big comedy hits, the versatile Lawrence and Lee also wrote INHERIT THE WIND and THE NIGHT THOR-EAU SPENT IN JAIL.

In this case the authors have written one of those plays people don't write any more—a gentle family comedy, seasoned to taste, about the not quite typical family of young Jamie Thurber. They borrowed the title from Lewis Carroll's classic nonsense verse and have given this hilarious comedy surrounding the rael and imagined characters of JABBERWOCK its unique flavor.

JABBERWOCK's setting is Columbus, Ohio, circa 1917, but it is also NOW and FAMILY and LOVE and AMERICA and FUNNY. Its language is at times salty and irreverent. It is a piece of Americana, rather loosely based on Thurber's own book, My Life and Hard Times, and is a brilliantly witty play, as believably absurd as it is nostalgic.

In MCT's production young Jamie will be played by Clay Guthrie with Gloria Stephenson in the pivotal role of his mother. His father will be Mark Guinan with Hal Coon and Robert Reeder as Jamie's brothers. The liveliest character in the household is Grampa Fisher age 77, who alternates between refigiting the Civil War and saddle-breaking the family's new electric car. Henry Goulet will appear in this role.

Many other characters make up the cast of this new play which was written for The American Playwrights Theatre, an organization of non-commercial theatres, formed to acquire the rights to new scripts before Broadway, touring groups and the movies have worn them out.

MCT's production of JABBERWOCK opens on October 11 for nine performances: October 12, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, 25 and 26. Curtain times are 8:30 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays, 8:00 p.



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