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ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

A one day workshop on livestock predator control is being held in San Angelo Tuesday, December 10 at 10 a. m. at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center on U.S. 87. The workshop sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and the Texas Rodent and Predatory Animal Control Service, is open to all area livestock producers.

Specialists will use the morning sessions to discuss the calling up of wildlife, den-hunting and hunting from aircraft. After lunch, the producers will go to the field to see demonstrations on the use of snares, traps, and the M-44.

The M-44 is the sodium cyanide device approved last spring for use in forty-four counties in Texas; Sterling County is one of the approved counties. A total of twenty-seven operators were approved to use the device in the county. Anyone planning to use the device this winter can brush up on the techniques of its use at this meeting if they feel the need to do so.

The coming of the Christmas season means that the traditional tree will be making its appearance in homes very shortly. Regardless of the type tree being used, live or artificial, precautions should be taken to prevent a fire due to the tree.

Live trees can be kept moist for several weeks by making a diagonal cut across the base of the tree and placing it in a stand that will allow the addition of water. The long diagonal cut will permit the tree to take up the water, keep the branches and leaves moist, and cut down on the possibility of a fire.

If artificial trees are used, be sure that the tree has been fire proofed before using lights on it. Many of these trees are treated and are fire-proof and are so labeled but there are many that are not. If lights are used on these trees there is a distinct possibility of a fire.

Never leave the house with the lights of any type on the tree burning while you are gone. Each year, many fires throughout the nation during the Christmas season are started through this means. While the lights add a note of cheer to the home while you are away, it is dangerous.

Lisa Horwood will be one of the forty girls and boys honored at the Rural Youth Banquet during the San Antonio Livestock Exposition on February 7, 1975. Twenty girls and twenty boys will be so honored at the banquet and will represent 4-H Club members, FFA and FHA members.

The banquet is sponsored each year by the San Antonio Livestock Exposition Rural Youth Committee and the San Antonio Kiwanis Club. In addition to the banquet, the youngsters will be guests at the rodeo performance Saturday morning, February 8 at 10 A.M. Lisa will be accompanied to the banquet by her mother.

Having trouble deciding on a Christmas gift for someone on your list? Why not give a little of Texas—meat, dairy, or poultry products? Food products are always useful—they'll be used—not put in the closet and forgotten.

Many grocers, both independent

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Ben Stites
Milford Wiley
Mrs. Mattie Meyer

Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week were;

Mrs. Margaret Atkins
Mrs. Doc Daves
Flavy Davis
Mrs. Iver Mercer
Mrs. Sam Sanchez

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

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

POSTAL SERVICE STATES UNPAID DELIVERY POLICY

Postmaster W.R. Brooks today reminded customers that effective Sunday, November 17, the U. S. Postal Service began discontinuing delivering mail on which there is no postage.

Postmaster Brooks said the new policy was instituted because of the high costs being incurred by the Postal Service in its attempts to deliver such mail. Officials estimate that such costs total approximately \$18 million annually.

In announcing the new policy last month, Postmaster General E.T. Klassen said it is unfair to burden the vast majority of mailers with costs created by the few who mail without the prepayment of postage.

After November 17, letters mailed without postage will be returned to sender if there is a return address, or to the dead letter office, instead of being delivered to the address as postage due mail as has been the custom. Postal officials will attempt to find the sender of unpaid mail and return it for a slight fee, if there is no return address.

Naturally we realize that someone could inadvertently forget to put a stamp on a letter or that a stamp could come off prior to cancellation, so we urge mailers to be sure to include a correct return address on their mail, Brooks said.

In case of fire dial 8-4771.

and chain, have certificates available for gifts. With one of the certificates, the person receiving it can select his choice of food products. Or, if you prefer, you can select a particular product for someone on their list. There is a wide choice available, and food is always appreciated.

SCHOOL HONOR ROLL TOLD

Sterling School principal Bobby Dodds this week told the honor roll of students of grade 7 through grade 12 during the first quarter. They are as follows:

GRADE 7	
Gary Maricle	93
Russell Jones	92
June Humble	91
Bruce Myrick	90
GRADE 8	
Carl Igo	96
Hermilanda Hernandez ..	94
Melanie McEntire	92
Boots Demere	90
GRADE 9	
Suzie Humble	93
Leslie Rich	93
GRADE 10	
Melinda Terry	98
Patti Bynum	95
Dow Ferguson	91
Kim Rich	90
GRADE 11	
Amy Hodges	96
Marylenn Rich	93
Marena Johnson	91
GRADE 12	
Lisa Horwood	96
Jeannie Wells	96
Amy Humble	93

SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM MENUS

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

LUNCHES	
MONDAY, DECEMBER 9	
Pigs in Blanket	
Green Beans	
Pineapple Salad	
Brownies	
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10	
Pizza	
Blackeyed Peas	
Corn	
Cookies	
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11	
Hamburgers	
Lettuce	
French Fries	
Brownies	
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12	
Chicken Fried Steak	
Potatoes	
Sweet Peas	
Cake	
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13	
Roast and Gravy	
Rice	
Broccoli	
Banana Pudding	

BREAKFASTS	
MONDAY, DECEMBER 9	
Pancakes	
Orange	
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10	
Oatmeal or Cream of Wheat	
Biscuits	
Peaches	
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11	
Scrambled Eggs	
Biscuits	
Orange Juice	
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12	
Pancakes	
Pears	
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13	
Cereal	
Banana	

KENNY LAWSON NOW IN KOREA

U.S. Army, Korea (AHTNC) Army Specialist Four Kenneth C. Lawson, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos T. Lawson of Sterling City, Tex., is assigned as a supply clerk in Battery A, 1st Battalion of the 44th Air Defense Artillery in Korea.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank everyone for the cards, visits and all nice things done while I was hospitalized. A special thanks to Dr. Swann and everyone at the hospital.

MRS. SAM SANCHEZ

FOR SALE—Tandem bicycle. \$75. Roy Wold 378-3891.

Lions Bingo Party Next Thursday

American Legion Barbecue Tonight

The annual American Legion barbecue and party will be held tonight at the old Lester Foster ranchouse across the highway 87 from the Montvale Cemetery. Such was announced by Elton Hull local commander, this week. The barbecue will get underway at five o'clock, said Hull, and everyone is invited out.

MRS. STEWARD'S MOTHER DEAD

Mrs. S. T. Hill, 81, of Ballinger, died on November 29 in a Ballinger hospital. She was the mother of Mrs. Evelyn Steward of Sterling City.

Burial was in Ballinger on December 1. Mrs. Steward had been staying in Ballinger to be with her mother for over a month before her death. Mrs. Steward's daughter (Gail) Mrs. L.P. Ashman of Stone Mountain, Georgia came for the funeral.

THANKSGIVING DINNER

Mrs. Minnie Knight had all her children for Thanksgiving dinner at her ranch home.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blackburn and Laura Ann and Linda Lee of Ruidoso, Mr. and Mrs. Bill J. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cole and Misty, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cole and Tammy; and guests Mary and Lisa Gully of Rowena.

You are invited to a CELEBRITY JEWELRY SHOWCASE Saturday, Dec. 7, at 6:30 P.M. BETTY GARRETT

Behind the 8-Ball



By the editor.

Two teams self-destructed or something last week end.

I watched as Notre Dame had U.S.C. 24 to 0 at the half. Then they self-destructed, I guess. U.S.C. with Anthony Davis and others won that game by 55 to 24. How about that-

Then A&M entered the game against UT as a favorite. Then in the first 54 seconds the score was 14 to 0 in favor of UT.

Then, in a winking of a few more eyes, the score was 17 to 0. That's football or something.

The Baylor team had a good time watching the UT-A&M blast. Then they sewed up the Southwest Conference by beating Rice Saturday. Moses Teaff has led the Baylorites out of the football wilderness, for at least a year.

The late Kern Tips, famed announcer of the SW conference, used to say concerning the SW conference—The Southwest Conference, Where Anything can Happen—and Frequently Does. It did this year.

8-BALL

WANTED—Small shearing jobs. Moises Rodriguez, 378-4951

News Items—if you have a worthy news item, call it in to the paper. 378-3251.

The Sterling City Lions Club met at noon Wednesday in the community center for the weekly luncheon and finalized plans for the club's bingo party and pie supper to be next Thursday evening at 7 in the community center. Bingo will be played; a drawing for the .22 rifle with scope will be held and pie and coffee will be served to all present. Everyone in the area is cordially invited to come out and participate.

All members of the club are asked to bring a pie to the party.

The prize went to Lion R.V. Hamilton.

The club plans to put up the town Christmas decorations soon. They will not be lighted, due to the energy crises and request from Sawhill's agency.

Mr. I. W. Terry Is Noratadala Hostess

Mrs. I. W. Terry was hostess to members of the Noratadala Club and guests on Monday evening in her home. Mrs. Bill J. Gole and Mrs. Alta McGibany were guests. Fourteen members were present.

A program titled 'Christmas Thoughts for All the Year' was presented by Mrs. Billy Ralph Bynum. Bridge was played with Christmas decorations being given as prizes. Mrs. Forrest Foster won high score, Mrs. Ross Foster second high and Mrs. Bill Brooks winning low cut.

Other members present were Mrs. Henry Bauer, Mrs. J. I. Cope, Mrs. Jim Davis, Mrs. D. Kirk Hopkins, Mrs. Winn McClure, Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. Foster S. Price, Mrs. Martin C. Reed, Mrs. James Thompson and Mrs. Hubert Williams.

BARBECUE SUPPER AT LAKEVIEW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SATURDAY

The Lakeview United Methodist Church is sponsoring a barbecue supper at 5 p.m. this Saturday evening. Adults plates are \$2, and children plates are \$1. The church, pastored by Mrs. Constance (Roy) Wold, is located on the corner of east 40th and Alamo in Lakeview (San Angelo).

On the plates will be chicken or beef barbecue, beans and potato salad. Pie will be 25c.

There will be a cake walk, a country store, a bazaar and grab bags. There will be an old fashioned relic booth for collectors.

Friends in Sterling and the surrounding area are cordially invited.

CHRISTMAS PARTY AT NURSING HOME SET

The FHA and FFA members are planning a Christmas party at the Sterling County Nursing Home on Wednesday, December 18 at 4 p.m.

The group will put on some entertainment and provide the program.

Everyone in the community is cordially invited to attend.

BANK ACCOUNTS NOW INSURED TO \$40,000.00

Beginning last month all accounts at the First National Bank of Sterling City are insured up to \$40,000.00. This increased insurance is provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, according to H. L. Hildebrand, president of the bank.

CONSERVE AND SAVE ON ELECTRIC COOKING



- ★ For best results, use flat bottom utensils with tight fitting covers. Utensils of medium or heavy weight aluminum conduct heat faster, transfer heat evenly and respond quickly to temperature changes.
- ★ Match the utensil to the size of the unit. Use 8 inch units for large utensils. Use 6 inch units for small to average sized pans.
- ★ Use high setting for a quick start for any surface cooking, or to boil water quickly. When cooking temperature is reached, switch to a lower setting.
- ★ Do not pre-heat the oven for roasting or broiling, but do pre-heat the oven to the temperature given in the recipe for baking.

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Social Security Tips

Social security checks should be cashed within a reasonable time to prevent loss or theft, even though there's no time limit on cashing them, according to social security officials here.

'If your check is lost or stolen, get in touch with your nearest social security office at once,' a spokesman said. 'The check can be replaced, but it takes time. Handle your check carefully when you get it and you won't have to wait while it's being replaced.'

Social security pays over \$4 billion a month in benefit checks to almost 29 million people—eligible retired and disabled workers and their families and families of deceased workers who worked long enough under social security.

For further information contact the Social Security office at 3000 W. Harris Avenue, San Angelo, Texas 76901 or call 949-4608.

NOTICE

The Texas State Department of Health has established, in accordance with the Federal Public Health Service Act, the current annual level of uncompensated services for Sterling County Hospital, Sterling City, Texas to be that the facility does not intend to deny anyone admission to the facility or any of its services because of an inability to pay. The documents upon which the determination was based are available for public inspection at the Texas State Department of Health, 1100 West 49th St., Austin, Texas from 9:00 A. M. to 4:30 P.M. on regular business days. The level of services set out meets the presumptive compliance guidelines of the Federal regulation.

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 first 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 2 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 rewards will be paid. All decisions concerning the payment of such reward and the conditions of payment will be made by the Board of Directors of the Association.

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STERLING COUNTY

THE LANGUAGE OF FOREIGN MARKETS

Called "dinero" in Spanish, "argent" in French, and "gelt" in German, money is luring increasing numbers of American executives to visit distant lands in search of business.

Progressive companies are realizing that the demand for the bilingual executive is growing. They have, therefore, begun adopting language training programs for their personnel.

Previously, training of employees was done in classroom groups. But most companies have found that the busy businessman couldn't be tied down to a 10:30 class twice a week—and preferred an individualized approach to learning.

Employees of Control Data Corporation had an even more troublesome "time" problem. Twenty-five employees of this computer company were being sent to Germany to set up a system for Volkswagen. They wanted to learn German but couldn't be pinned down to a schedule, since they were needed whenever computer time was available.

The Sullivan Language Schools, a nationwide network of centers with headquarters in Palo Alto, Calif., solved their problem by setting up an individualized "school" on their premises. The unique Sullivan method was developed under a Carnegie Foundation Grant by the noted linguist Dr. M. W.

Sullivan. It uses programmed texts and coordinated cassette tapes and the student can work whenever he wants to and at his own pace. With this set up, the Control Data personnel fit their lessons in between projects, when computer time is not available.



The Sullivan Language Schools have also helped Sears, Roebuck and Co. fashion buyers to learn French and the Latin American Section of A.B. Dick Co. to learn Spanish. The ambitious Japanese of Mitsui Corp. who already speak English are moving on to French, German and Spanish.

Even if their employees are not assigned to overseas duty, some large firms are offering language lessons as a fringe benefit. Companies with plants in Spanish-American districts sponsor courses in Spanish so that their people can better relate to the community.

All in all, the executive who says, "I don't need a second language—there's always someone who speaks English" may become obsolete.



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NOTICE—

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ANTELOPE—Sept. 28 to Oct. 6. 1 per season with permit.

JAVELINA—Oct. 1 to Jan. 1, 1975. 2 per season.

SANDHILL CRANES—Oct. 26 to Jan. 26, 1975. 3 per day; 6 in possession.

GEESE—Oct. 28 to Nov. 24 and Dec. 7 to Jan. 19, 1975

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.

TURKEY—Archery only Oct. 1 to Oct. 31. Regular—Nov. 16 to Jan. 1, 1975; 2 turkey either sex.

DEER—Archery only Oct. 1 to Oct. 31 Regular—Nov. 16 to Jan. 1, 1975. 2 deer either sex; antlerless tags from landowner.

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GOOD NEWS ABOUT SCIENTIFIC ADVANCES

CRACKING GETS THE RUBBING ALCOHOL OUT OF YOUR GAS TANK

What do a washing machine agitator, dog food, aspirin and perfume have in common?

Without propylene, one of the basic chemicals made from oil and natural gas, these and countless other everyday products could not be made.

Propylene holds a unique position as a chemical raw material. It is one of the most important petrochemical building blocks and is also a significant component of gasoline. Catalytic cracking of petroleum to make high octane gasoline produces large amounts of propylene. Last year, only one quarter of this or about 11.5 billion pounds of propylene was separated from the gasoline for chemical use.

Although this is a relatively small volume when compared to other petrochemical building blocks, propylene, an odorless, colorless gas, winds up in countless products vital to the comfort and well being of Americans and to the strength of their economy.

A very significant end-use application of propylene is isopropyl alcohol. Whether it's called 2-propanol, dimethyl carbinol, isopropanol or just plain IPA, this propylene-derived product is, in fact, the rubbing alcohol in your medicine chest.

The Many Uses of IPA

IPA, in addition to its use as a household antiseptic, is also an important ingredient in the manufacture of hydrogen peroxide, solvents, anti-

stalling agents, dyes, aspirin, de-icing agents, surface coatings, insect repellent, printing ink, paint and varnish removers, latex paints and fuel additives.

Another major use of propylene is to make polypropylene, one of the most versatile plastic resins. Because of its superior physical properties—



strength, resistance to work fatigue, chemical and heat resistance, colorability and flex strength—polypropylene is finding its way into applications that dispell the myth that plastics are only good for cheap toys and olive stabbers.

The medical field recently has discovered the many assets of polypropylene. Pacemakers and artificial hearts now have parts made of polypropylene. It is also used as through-the-bone marrow pins, screws, staples, and as sutures to close contaminated wounds. Polypropylene has other medical uses such as dentures, disposable hypodermic needles and syringes, test tubes, soap dishes, graduated basins and thermometer holders.

The appliance and automotive industries are using a great deal of polypropylene these days. For example,

washing machine agitators, dishwasher innerliners and many other parts for major and small appliances are made of it.

When the Going is Tough

One of the most revolutionary uses is in car batteries. Most of the 1974-model U.S. cars now have batteries — and numerous other parts such as steering wheels, bucket seat backs and accelerator pedals — made of tough polypropylene.

Polypropylene fibers are being also used by the furniture and carpet industries because of their resistance to stains. And its toughness is causing polypropylene to become widely used in making cordage. These are just some of the many ways polypropylene is being used to provide better quality products for American consumers.

In addition to IPA and polypropylene and their many end-uses, propylene finds its way into synthetic rubbers, medicines, cosmetics, safety glass, food flavoring agents, adhesives, photographic chemicals, epoxy resins, leather tanning products, perfume, antifreeze, brake fluids, herbicides, dog food and poultry feed additives, nylon, wood preservatives, polishes, explosives and paper coatings.

When the many vital chemical applications of propylene are coupled with the fact that it is one of the components of gasoline that keeps the car engine running efficiently, it's easy to understand why propylene often is termed "lifeblood" for American industry.

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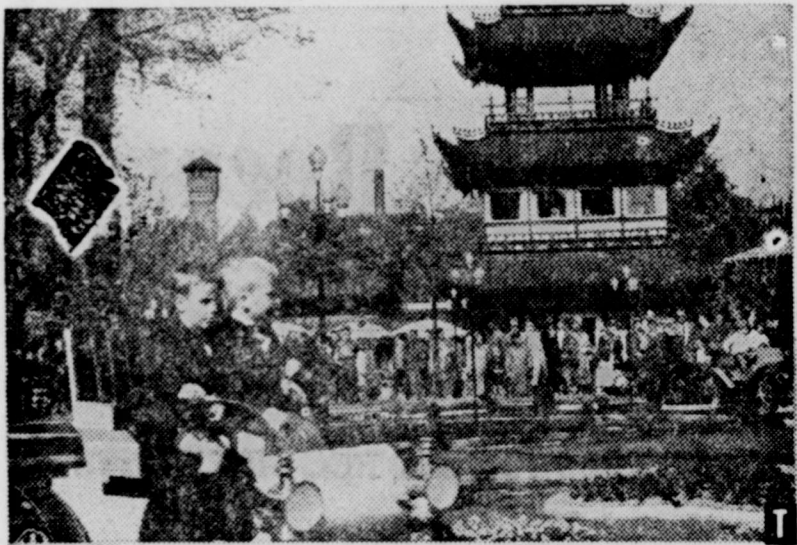
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NEWS OF Travel

LET YOUR CHILD TAKE YOU THROUGH DENMARK



One of the questions you hear over and over again when tourists plan their vacation is: "Where do we find a place where all members of the family can have fun and where prices fit our family budgets?"

The answer is easy. For tots and teenagers, for 20-year-olds to senior citizens, Denmark offers a variety of fun that can't be found anywhere else.

Your children will be completely captivated by a visit to a real fairy-tale park with its Renaissance castle Egeskov, erected in a lake, on the island of Funen. In the barn there is a museum filled with vintage aeroplanes, cars and motorcycles.

Denmark is truly a children's wonderland. Of course there are summer camps, riding schools and sailing schools. But what about the real children's traffic school at Legoland? The miniature village in Jutland is virtually a children's paradise.

From June through September, you can ride the Veteran Railway every Sunday from legendary Elsinore (site of Hamlet's castle) to the resort of Gilleleje, and there's a parade every Friday by the Elsinore Girl Guards.

For the adventurous, there is Givskud Lions Park, where you'll see African Lions, enor-

mous elephants and gentle giraffes in natural surroundings. Driving your car among these exotic animals is comparable to enjoying a mini-safari.

At the Circus Building, Benneweis, Scandinavia's biggest circus, presents world artists in the ring every night, from mid-April to September 30. Tivoli, Denmark's world-famous fairy-tale garden in the heart of the city, is filled with amusements for children and adults, restaurants and dancing from May 1 to September 16. It features a fascinating playground, Children's Holiday Shows, the Pantomime Theater, The Open-Air Stage, the Tivoli Boy Guards, parades and fireworks. And every Tuesday throughout the summer, there is a very lively children's circus in the Odense Zoo.

Denmark even has its very special Hans Christian Andersen Festival held in the Funen Village, in his native town Odense, from July 6 to August 5, where children enact Andersen fairytales on an open-air stage, that will delight the whole family.

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DATE	OPPONENT	TEAMS	Place	TIME
Nov. 19	Mertzton	A&B Boys, A Girls	H	5:00
Nov. 22	Robert Lee	A&B Boys, A Girls	T	5:00
Nov. 26	Mertzton	A&B Boys, A Girls	T	5:00
Dec. 3	Robert Lee	A&B Boys, A Girls	H	5:00
Dec. 5, 6, 7	Forsan Tourn.	A Boys, A Girls	T	
Dec. 10	Miles	A&B Boys, A Girls	H	5:00
Dec. 12, 13, 14	Sands Tourn.	A Boys, A Girls	T	
Dec. 19, 20, 21	R. Lee Tourn.	A Boys, A Girls	T	
Jan. 3	Rowena	A&B Boys, A Girls	H	5:00
Jan. 7	Miles	A&B Boys, A Girls	T	5:00
Jan. 9, 10, 11	R. Lee B Tour.	B Boys	T	
Jan. 10	Forsan	A&B Boys, A Girls	H	5:00
Jan. 14	Water Valley	A&B Boys, A Girls	H	5:00
Jan. 17	Grady	A&B Boys, A Girls	T	5:00
Jan. 21	Greenwood	A Boys, A Girls	T	6:30
Jan. 24	Garden City	A&B Boys, A Girls	H	5:00
Jan. 28	Forsan	A&B Boys, A Girls	T	5:00
Jan. 31	Water Valley	A&B Boys, A Girls	T	5:00
Feb. 4	Grady	A&B Boys, A Girls	H	5:00
Feb. 7	Greenwood	A Boys, A Girls	H	6:30
Feb. 11	Garden City	A&B Boys, A Girls	T	5:00

NEWS OF SCIENCE

ENGINEERING FOR A BETTER WORLD

Bioenergetics, bioentrainment, bioenergotherapy, generic memory-scientific mumbo jumbo for ecology, right? Wrong! Translated, these words might sound more like dowsing, fire walking, mediums, levitation, faith healing and ESP, terms you might ordinarily associate with "hocus pocus" magic and occult. But not anymore. Engineers and scientists in Russia and more recently in the U.S. are taking these phenomena seriously while trying to explain how and why they occur and if there is practical value to these events. It's all called parapsychology.

At the recent International Convention of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE), a team of American engineers described their investigations of parapsychological phenomena. With numerous referrals to Russian work in the new field, the group explained experiments to measure mental telepathy, to explain acupuncture, and to determine the effects of electric fields on human behavior.

One of the most widely heard-of forms of Extra Sensory Perception (ESP) is mental telepathy, the ability to pass information from one mind to another. ESP has three other subcategories—clairvoyance, direct passing of information from matter to mind; psychokinesis, mind over matter; and precognition, direct obtaining of information about the future.

Investigations both in this country and in Russia, parapsychology speakers told the IEEE audience, have convinced most researchers that one or all the forms of ESP exist. The Russians have conducted experiments with a woman who can move an object without touching it. They found that near the object that she moves there is enough electrical energy to light up a small fluorescent lamp. American scientists are seeking clues to clairvoyance and precognition.

While ESP is relatively easy to categorize, the phenomena associated with electromagnetic fields around living systems are much

more difficult to assign and analyze. The basic problem is measurement. How do you measure something that you can't prove exists?

One measurement method, discovered by the Russians, put a high voltage electric field around the subject which is then photographed with special film. This tech-



Dr. John Mihalasky, Newark College of Engineering, discussed parapsychology at IEEE INTERCON.

nique, called Kirlian photography, has helped to form some explanations of why acupuncture works. Kirlian photos show radiations around various body zones that coincide with acupuncture points. In fact a device called a tobiscope can actually find acupuncture points by using electronic circuits. To explain this, one American scientist postulates the existence of an unknown circulatory system in the body that seems to be composed of energy and electric fields.

Certainly the practical aspects of telepathy are intriguing and the possibilities in the biomedical areas are encouraging. But, all the benefits or parapsychological research are by no means obvious. As one engineer told the IEEE International Convention, "The potentialities of the individual human being are far greater than we ordinarily imagine them to be and far greater than the in-vogue models of man would lead us to think possible. We are finally beginning to discover some of these potentialities."

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