

By JAMES E. KELLY

FOR SEVEN YEARS WE HAD A good excuse for not wasting any energy on cleaning up our town. The mere mention of starting a program of this nature was to bring down the wrath of the citizenship on your head bolstered by the remark "the guy must be out of his mind." And the criticism would be justifiable when at times the property owner had difficulty in distinguishing his own while going home to dinner in a blinding sandstorm.

To contribute any labor to remove accumulated trash from his property would be only to clear a space to afford a resting place for empty tin cans, loose papers and other trash coming in from the countryside for miles around. But going into this new year 1958, weather conditions promise little interference may be expected from the source while carrying on a city-wide campaign to clean-up and paint-up Stanton. From the severe beating dwellings and outbuildings were subjected to by sandstorms it will require a paint job to enhance the beauty of the property.

Spring is just around the corner when the thoughts of the entire citizenship should be in accord to make an organized effort to remove unsightly trash from resident property and empty paste board boxes, broken glass, parts of discarded iron. (Continued on page 8)

W-Tex. Newsmen To Assemble In Odessa Saturday

West Texas newsmen will gather in Odessa Saturday and Sunday to attend the Mid-Winter meeting of the West Texas Press Association at the Lincoln Hotel.

The meeting will open Saturday with a reception at the Lincoln Hotel, with the program getting underway Sunday at 9 a. m.

W. H. Graham, Farwell, president, will be in charge. Opening discussion "How Newspapers and Agencies Can Cooperate to Obtain Maximum Lineage," will be by John Guffey of Womack-Snelson Advertising Agency.

A panel discussion on "11 Em Columns for Newspapers" will be held at 9:45 a. m. by Joe Pickle. (Continued on page 8)

Stanton Junior High Tourney To Get Underway Monday Night

Stanton's junior high girls and boys invitational basketball tournament will get underway Monday night, February 24 with the Garden City girls playing the Courtney girls at 6 p. m. in the high school gym.

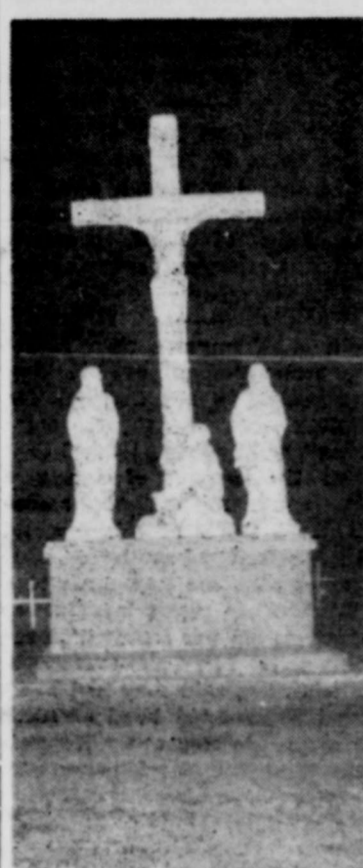
The tournament will be held February 24-March 1 with the exception of Wednesday night, February 28.

At 7 p. m. Monday Garden City boys will play Courtney boys with the Greenwood girls playing the Union girls at 8 p. m. To end Monday's session Greenwood boys will play Stanton boys.

Play on Tuesday night, February 25 will begin at 6 p. m. with Grady and Flower Grove girls playing. At 7 p. m. Grady and Flower Grove boys will play and at 8 p. m. Elbow will face the Stanton girls. Closing Tuesday night's games will be Elbow boys against Stanton boys.

Consolation semi-finals will be played Thursday, February 27 beginning at 6 p. m. with the championship semi-finals being played at 6 p. m. Friday, February 28.

All final games will be played Saturday, March 1 with the



CALVARY GROUP

The above pictured Calvary Group was erected recently in St. Joseph's Cemetery in memory of several of Martin County's deceased pioneers. The group consists of the crucified Saviour, flanked by His Blessed Mother and St. John the Apostle, with St. Mary Magdalene kneeling at the base of the cross. These surmount an altar on which special services are held twice a year in May and November for the repose of the souls buried in the cemetery. Construction of the altar and erection of the statues was done by members of the parish under the direction of the pastor, Rev. Louis B. Moeller.

games as follows: girls consolation, 6 p. m.; boys consolation, 7 p. m.; girls championship, 8 p. m. and boys championship, 9 p. m.

Trophies will be awarded to the first and second place teams and for first consolation. Sportsmanship trophies will also be awarded the boys and girls teams and six individual awards will be given the girls for making all-tournament team and five will be given the boys making all-tournament team.

Peggy Edgar is coach of the Stanton junior high girls team and Floyd Sorley coaches the junior high boys.

Sewing Classes To Be Conducted For CHD Clubs

Plans are underway for sewing classes to be held for Martin County home demonstration club members and other interested persons.

Sewing classes on dressmaking (Continued on page 8)

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Devonian Wildcat Flows Oil, Gas Well 9 Miles From Stanton

By JAMES C. WATSON

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 1 O. H. McAlister, wildcat nine miles southwest of Stanton, has produced its first new oil from the Devonian.

That production came from perforated section at 11,294-410 feet in the top of the Devonian pay and came after all the 1,666 barrels of oil used in a fracture treatment had been recovered.

During the 24-hour period the well flowed out a total of 220 barrels of oil. Of that, 176 barrels represented the last of the fracture load. The other 44 barrels were new oil.

The well flowed during that 24 hours through a 1/4-inch choke. It showed for a daily gas volume at the rate of 600,000 cubic feet.

Now that all of the load has been recovered, it will be possible to secure an accurate gauge on the producing ability of the project.

The well is 1,350 feet from north and 1,320 feet from east lines of section 32, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey. It is seven miles north of the closest production from the Devonian on the north side of the Azalea (multipay) field, and 9 miles southwest of Stanton.

Zapata Petroleum Corporation No. 1-B Strain, wildcat in Southwest Martin County, 10 miles northeast of Stanton, was making hole below 210 feet on last report.

The new wildcat, scheduled for a 12,000-foot bottom, is 1,980 feet (Continued on page 8)

Farm Bureau To Observe Family Night Tuesday

Family night for the Martin County Farm Bureau will be held at 7 p. m. Tuesday, February 25 in Courtney gymnasium.

A barbecue supper will be served.

A representative of the state bureau in Waco will speak to the group. Tom Castle and his string band from Knott will furnish music for the meeting.

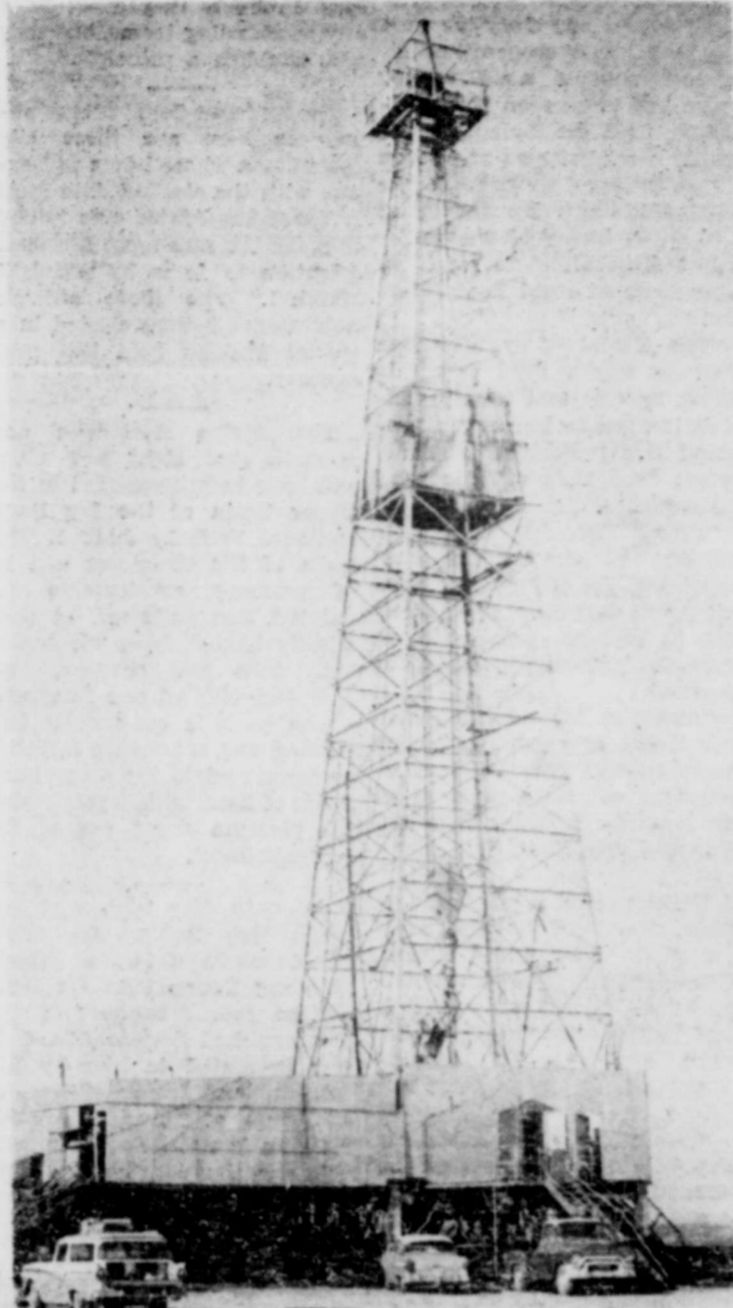
All members and their families are invited to attend.

Sororities Name Mrs. Paul Briggs Valentine Queen

Mrs. Paul Briggs was crowned Valentine Queen of Beta Sigma Phi at a party for all chapters of Beta Sigma Phi given by Xi Epsilon Delta chapter Friday night at the American Legion Hall.

Mrs. Briggs is a member of Rho Xi chapter.

Princesses from other chapters were Mrs. Bill Wheeler, Mu Lambda; Mrs. Ralph Caton, Xi Epsilon Delta and Mrs. J. H. Talton, Xi Alpha Beta. (Continued on page 8)



OIL STRIKE—This rotary rig, which drilled the area's newest oil and gas discovery—Texas & Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 1 O. H. McAlister, nine miles southwest of Stanton, will be moved off location this week.

4-H Clubbers Billed For Houston Show

Martin County 4-H Club boys will leave Friday for the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Phillip Bryant, who caught a calf in the annual calf scramble at the show last year will exhibit the calf in the junior livestock show February 26 and also in a special show on February 27 for ones who raised scramble calves. Bryant's calf has been sponsored by Latimer Murfee of Houston. The winner will receive a special award and recognition.

Bobby Kelly will be on hand to enter this year's calf scramble on February 22.

Two steers will be entered in the junior show by Bobby Sale on February 26. Porky Britton will show three capons in the poultry show, which also will be judged February 26.

The junior show is being held February 23 to March 2.

Those attending will be Phillip Bryant, Bobby Kelly, Bobby Sale, Porky Britton, J. C. Sale and Bob Johnson, county agent.

458 Children Received Free Polio Vaccine

Free polio shots were given to 458 Martin County school children last week.

Tuesday, February 11, shots were given to 79 students at Grady, 64 students at Flower Grove and 14 students at Courtney.

Wednesday, February 12, 187 Stanton elementary students and 114 high school students at Stanton received the vaccine.

Of the 458 students, 85 received their first shot. Most of the others completed their series of three shots, while others received the second.

Mrs. Leo Turner, county chairman of the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis, said plans call for shots to be given at a later date to school children who have not completed their three shots.

She urged all adults who have (Continued on page 8)

Jack Gray In Galveston For Band Conclave

Jack Gray, director of Stanton school bands, and his family left Wednesday morning for Galveston to attend the Texas Music Educators Association Clinic-Convention.

Approximately 3,000 music educators and top band, orchestra and choral students from all over the state are expected to attend the three day convention.

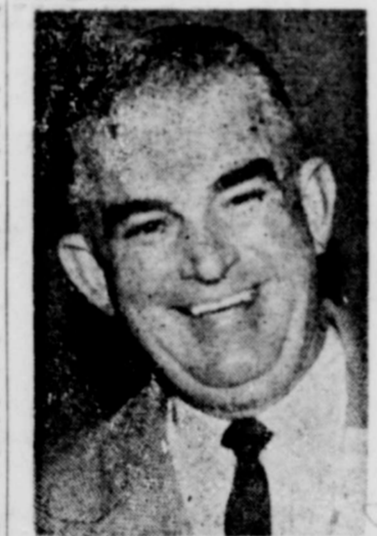
There will be three bands. Two bands of 90 pieces will be made up of top students chosen from bands over the state. Their clinicians are Commander Charles Brendler, director of the Navy Band of Washington, D. C. and Maurice McArdow of North Texas State College of Denton.

The third band will be the Texas Bandmasters Band made up of directors selected throughout the state. Jack Gray will play tenor saxophone in this band. This band will also be directed by McArdow.

Dr. Joseph Maddy, president of National Music Camp, Interlochen, Michigan will conduct the high school symphony orchestra of approximately 120 members. The all state chorus of approximately 400 voices will be under the direction of Roger (Continued on page 8)

Garvin Talks To Rotarians

Bill Garvin of Midland spoke to the Stanton Rotary Club when it met at noon Monday at Belvue Restaurant.



BILL GARVIN (Continued on page 8)

Lenten Services Began Wednesday At St. Joseph

Lenten services at St. Joseph's Catholic Church began Wednesday which was the first day of Lent.

Evening Mass followed by Way of the Cross in English will be held each Wednesday at 7 p. m. during Lent. On Fridays at 7:30 p. m. Evening Mass followed by Way of the Cross in Spanish will be held at the church during the Lenten season.

At Tarzan St. Isidore Church services will begin at 7:30 p. m. Thursday. Evening mass followed by Way of the Cross in Spanish will be held each Thursday during the season.

County Community Clinic Scheduled For Tonight

Plans for the Martin County Community Clinic have been completed and the clinical session is scheduled to get started tonight, Feb. 20, at 7:30 p. m. in the basement of the First Methodist Church.

President Connie Mack Hood of the Chamber of Commerce made the announcement today, and preparations for the meeting have been in the mill for several days.

The community clinic is being

sponsored, Hood said, by the Martin County Chamber of Commerce, with cooperation from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The first clinic of this nature staged in West Texas was held in Stanton on June 9, 1951, Hood said.

Hood pointed out that the object of the clinic is to arrive at a program of work for schedule of activities for the chamber of commerce.

"It is felt that the clinic, conducted in a style similar to old-fashioned Town Hall meetings, will develop a Democratic basis for chamber activities," Hood said.

Continuing, Hood said: "The success of the community clinic depends upon attendance."

President Hood reminded the people that the meeting is open to everybody interested in the welfare and progress of Martin County.

CRONIES—Any place will do for a session, when Gordon (Dogie) Stone and Jim Kelly start recalling the olden days. This week, Dogie and Jim launched into intimate conversation in The Reporter office. Dogie's visit was prompted by a train wreck somewhere between Paducah and Quanah, the old stomping ground of both cronies. After the rancher and editor finished discussing the wreck, they started on a trek down memory lane. It has been said that memory is the cabinet of imagination, the treasury of reason, the registry of conscience, and the council chamber of thought. If this is true, Jim and Dogie can pass the test with flying colors—especially in the departments of imagination and conscience. To be able to hear some of their banter when they start to reminisce is always a treat for third parties. Gordon Stone and James E. Kelly have been friends for years, and their combined friends take in just about everybody in West Texas really worth knowing.

Stanton Groups To Seek Cotton Classing Station

If plans of progressive Martin County citizens from all walks of life can be completed and all organizations and special groups will get behind the project, a cotton classing station will be a reality here by next season.

For the past several months, The Stanton Reporter has quietly worked with several commun-

ity leaders to bring such a station to the county. In a recent session with Bernard Houston, of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce Agriculture Committee, it was learned that prospects were good to get a station comparative to the one opened at Lamesa a few months ago for Stanton.

The agriculture committee met in special session Tuesday afternoon with Wesley Williams, Leo Turner, Floyd Smith, H. M. McReynolds, Owen Kelly, Travis Scott, Doris Carmichael, Eugene Barkowsky, and Bernard Houston present. Houston presided at the session.

Leo Turner brought before the

committee the question concerning the feasibility of seeking the cotton classing station. In the discussion which followed, it was brought out that the irrigation farmers in this area apparently suffer a distinct disadvantage in that their cotton samples constitute only 3 to 4 (Continued on page 4)

James M. White Funeral Rites Held Wednesday

Funeral services for James Marvin White, 44, Martin County resident for 17 years, were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday, February 19 at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. White died Monday afternoon after suffering a heart attack while delivering butane for Stanton Implement Company about 14 miles southeast of Stanton in Glascock County.

Mr. White was born January 17, 1914 in Mt. Pleasant. On August 26, 1933 he was married to Cecil Merrell in Hugo, Oklahoma. They moved to Martin County 17 years ago from Mt. Pleasant. He was a member of the local Masonic lodge.

Rev. W. C. Wright, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Rev. W. H. Kirby, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated.

Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Arrington Funeral Home. Grave-side Masonic services were held.

Survivors include the widow; one son, Johnny Wayne White of Rankin; one brother, Johnny Albert White of Crane; two sisters, Mrs. Estell Spull of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Gladys Williams of Vidor, Texas and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Mason Coggin, Frank Roquemore, Carl Clardy, Dan Saunders, P. M. Bristow, James Bullard, Philip White, and M. L. Koonce. All Masons were honorary pallbearers.

Rules For Essay Contest Announced

O. B. Bryan, chairman of the Martin County Industrial Committee has announced the rules for the essay contest being sponsored by the committee.

The contest is open to high school seniors, and is being conducted in connection with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Topic to be written about is "What My Town Can Do To Have More Industry."

First place in the contest is a distinctive, engraved trophy to be presented to the author of (Continued on page 4)

Martin Ranchers To Visit Clark Ranch In Ward

On March 5 a demonstration on fertility testing of range bulls will be held at the Joe Clark Ranch in Ward County. Dr. Tony Sorenson and Doug Wytke will conduct the demonstration.

Bob Johnson, county agent, said several Martin County ranchers and farmers have indicated they would like to attend, and those who want to are asked to contact him on March 3 or 4.

Center Point, Grady Take Courtney Tournament Honors

Center Point boys team captured first place in the Courtney basketball tournament held February 12-15 by defeating Flower Grove boys 34-31 in a thrilling contest. Ryan was high point man for Center Point with 18 points and Webb led the scoring for Flower Grove with 17 points.

In the consolation finals, Courtney boys defeated Gay Hill boys 35-25. Glaspie and Black each scored nine points for Courtney, and McEachern led the scoring for Gay Hill boys with seven points.

The Grady girls defeated Greenwood girls by a score of 55-32 to win the championship. Graves led in scoring for Grady with a total of 46 points. Miller scored 21 points for Greenwood. Gay Hill girls defeated Courtney girls in the consolation finals. Murphy led the scoring for Gay Hill with a total of 12 points and Sale led the scoring for Courtney with 20 points.

Trophies were presented to the following boys who were selected as members of the all-tournament team, Glase, Grady; Jim McEachern, Gay Hill; Buddy Glaspie, Courtney; Webb, Flower Grove; Chandler, Center Point.

The girls all-tournament team consisted of the following: Graves, Grady; Emfinger, Union; Overby, Grady; Perry, Greenwood; Sandra Kelly, Courtney, and Marlene Miller, Greenwood.

Sportsmanship trophies were presented to the Gay Hill girls and the Klondike boys.

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BIBLE COMMENT

New Birth Means Life Of Peace, Love, Faithfulness

The mystery of New Birth is associated with the baptism of the Holy Spirit. We cannot understand the mystery of God or the nature and relationship of Father, Son and Holy Spirit; but we see the operations of God's spirit in human life and we know, as the early disciples knew from practical experience, that the Holy Spirit is present with men to be their guide and help.

To come to the plain, practical side of all this mystery, the baptism of the Holy Spirit is not in some miraculous thing that men can claim to have experienced that has no relation to daily living. If a man has been baptized of the Holy Spirit, and the Spirit of God is in him, the fruits of that indwelling will be seen in his life and character.

"The fruits of the Spirit," Paul says, "are love, joy, peace, long-suffering, kindness, goodness,

faithfulness, meekness, self-control." Against these, there is no law. They are the positive expressions of the good life and the God-guided life that all who need God's guidance can develop without limitation. Here there need be no restraint, and if all men had this experience of the New Birth we should have no need of laws, or of law officers, except to direct the normal ways and relationships of men.

The higher one rises in this new life in Christ, and the more conscious he is of God's presence and guidance, the humbler is his spirit and attitude. Men of the world may glory in their wealth or success, but the richer and better the Christian becomes, the less will he boast about it. It is this spirit that Paul admonished the Christians at Galatia: "Let us not become vainglorious, provoking one another, envying one another."

Philosopher Advises Washington that Feelings Are No Indication for Economic Upswing

Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw reviews the economic situation this week, without any noticeable change in it.

I don't know anything about the economic situation, I know when hard times are here and when they're left, but me and the economic experts have never been able to figure out exactly when they're coming or when they're fixing to leave, at least not to the point where we could make any money with our inside dope, so all this talk about a

"readjustment" or a "minor recession" leaves me on the outside.

However, there is pretty general admission at the top level in Washington that a mild recession has hit the country, in some spots at least, although I've seen times so hard a mild recession like this one would look like a prosperity boom, but what has me puzzled is a statement I read in a copy of a frozen newspaper which a north wind blew in during the cold spell last week and which I read just before I started a fire with it.

According to it, "the feeling of the administration is that business will pick up in the mid-year period and be booming again before the end of the year."

Now I'll tell you. Maybe Wash-



EFFICIENT FEEDING AND LIVESTOCK MANAGEMENT

By Dr. Gustav Bohstedt
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Winter Rations For Brood Sows

Pigs are not known for their ability to make extensive use of forage, whether pasture, hay or silage. But brood sows, even gilts and especially yearling or older sows, come near being as herbivorous as ruminants and horses.

They may not have the large rumen of a cow, or the large caecum of a horse, but they have a stomach of considerable capacity for forage or roughage. More and more we hear of the successful use of silage in brood sow rations.

This ability to utilize health-protecting forage therefore should be used for farm profit, and a practical way of doing so is to use liberal amounts of alfalfa hay in winter rations of brood sows, and to perhaps less extent, nursing sows.

Let us save a ton or two of the best and leafiest hay that we have, such as second cutting alfalfa, or alfalfa mixed with other legumes and grasses, just so it is leafy, green and sweet smelling. Grind this through a hammer mill equipped with a three-eighths inch screen, and we have a vitamin-rich feed that readily mixes with any ground grain or concentrate.

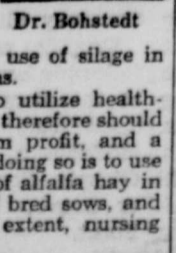
When added to a mixture in amounts of from 30 to 40 per

cent by weight, such a bulky mixture may safely be self-fed to brood sows without danger of having them too fat at farrowing time.

A good provision for a ration that is complete in respect to both quantity and quality of protein, minerals, and vitamins, is one that includes 4 or 5 per cent of meat scraps or tankage and a similar amount of soybean oil meal or other oil meal, one-half per cent plain or trace mineralized salt, from 30 to 40 per cent of ground alfalfa hay, and the rest farm grain. The mixture then would have about 15 per cent total protein which is a desirable level.

For nursing sows, or for hand-feeding either brood or nursing sows, the ground alfalfa hay may be reduced to 15 per cent or, with really superior hay, even to 10 per cent of the mixture. The meat scraps and oil meal may then be increased by about one per cent each to make the ration suitable for suckling sows.

Such a ration mixture is relatively simple and economical as well as efficient. So far, as the nutrients of such a ration are concerned, they would assure a vigorous litter of pigs at farrowing time.



WEST TEXAS PRESS COMMENTS

The Morton Tribune printed a story on page one concerning a new policy adopted by the Cochran County Hospital Board this week. Says the Tribune story: "The Cochran County Hospital Board took a step Tuesday night it had contemplated before—the vote to require a deposit for admission of patients. In a motion made by C. B. Evans and seconded by F. L. Fred the group voted 'to require a deposit upon admission of medical patients of \$75; surgical patients \$100 and obstetrical patients, \$75.'"

The Colorado City Record bannered a page one story the past week calling for cooperation between municipal and county governing groups on fire protection. Said the Record: "Four county commissioners and seven city councilmen walked into the Mitchell County Courthouse at 3 p. m. Thursday afternoon for a last ditch effort to reach an agreement on rural fire protection."

"The Thursday afternoon meeting was a final desperate effort by city and county officials to come to terms on a proposed fire protection contract before time runs out for rural homeowners."

"The Thursday afternoon meeting of the commissioners court and the city council came after four days of separate meetings by both groups in which no suitable agreement could be reached."

"At 4 p. m. Thursday, the commissioners and councilmen got together and voted a contract payment of \$900 a year, or \$80 an hour for fighting fires outside the city limits."

Writing about a hospital bond issue, The Fort Stockton Pioneer said: "The Pecos County Commissioners Court has indicated that it will call a bond issue in the near future to finance expansion of Memorial Hospital here and General Hospital in Iraan."

"Size of the probable bond issue has not been settled, but estimates place it at about \$100,000. The commissioners will be able to come up with accurate figures after consulting with architects as to probable cost of the proposed additions to the buildings."

"Tentative plans call for the addition of 10 rooms to Memorial Hospital. It is estimated that the cost will be between \$5,000 and \$6,000 per room. General Hospital will get a six-room expansion program, if the bond issue is passed."

The Mitchell County News published news of a proposed vegetable program in the Lorraine area the past week. Said the News: "Lion President Vance Dickinson of the Lorraine club appointed a committee to investigate the possibilities of raising cucumber and other vegetable crops here this year."

"The committee may visit Monday and learn first hand how those people are making out with their vegetable crop there."

The McCamey City Council announces that it has \$11,500 available to property owners of any block in town that would agree to install curb and gutter. The McCamey News reports the paving project is a joint program of the City, Chamber of Commerce, and the County. The amount Upham County has available to be used in paving is \$19,000. It was estimated the cost of paving would be \$500 a block.

ington can depend on its feelings to tell how the year is going to turn out, but the system won't work on this farm out here on Mustang Draw.

I've never started a crop year yet that I didn't feel that this year I'm really going to make something, but after years of experience I've found that a man's feelings in January and February are mighty sorry barometers about what's going to take place at selling time later on in the year.

Understand, there's nothing wrong with these first-of-the-year feelings, they're necessary if a farmer is ever going to get any planting done, but they don't have any more bearing on the outcome than wishing for rain if it's dry or for dry weather if it's raining. What I mean is, how a man feels about his crop prospects before he gets his seed in the ground has mighty little loan value at the bank.

I'm like Washington, if we have got a mild recession, I feel like it'll end by mid-year, but it's pretty hard to feel your way into better times or into outer space or a good crop year. Sometimes you can't even work your way into it, although this is hearsay with me.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Editorially, Roy Craig says in his Stamford American.

"Mike McClelland, Stamford's ace athlete, finds himself in the unenviable position of being the goat in the long feud between the Southwestern Conference and the Big Eight Conference. As a result he now is somewhat the man without a country."

"There are many lils in the college setups. Recruiting, whether it be at the high school level, is not good. It is interesting to note that a group of small colleges have banded together and have agreed to offer no athletic scholarships whatsoever. Probably they won't have any outstanding teams, but they will establish a principle."

The Andrews County News announces there are three city councilmen whose terms will expire with the election date April 1. Those candidates who intend to make the race must file their intention to do so by midnight March 1. The three officials holding office were elected in a special election held this past January.

The Alpine Avalanche announces that eight new units will have been completed in the Upper Basin of the Big Bend National Park by June 1. The walls of the structures will be of masonry construction and painted. The units will be electrically heated, have tile baths, with tubs and showers, and equipped with all new furniture.

The park is continually improving and expanding facilities to accommodate the many hundreds of tourists that yearly visit the pleasure resort, one of the nation's finest.

Colorado City high school coach Bob Reilly, was named Colorado City's "Outstanding Young Man for 1957" at the recent banquet of the Distinguished Service Award. It was presented to him by Bill Allcorn, land commissioner of the state of Texas, who said: "A man is not going to receive this award unless he is a man

-- Farm & Ranch Review --

Ranges and pastures over much of Texas have a good growth of grass and weeds. All range feed in the state was reported at 80 per cent condition of January 1, 1958, according to John McHaney, extension economist. This compares with 51 per cent on January 1, 1957, and 69 per cent for the ten-year average to this date. The improved range conditions have created a good demand for range cattle which should continue in 1958 assuming favorable moisture conditions.

A grasshopper invasion comes from F. M. Fuller, extension entomologist, from a survey made during the late summer and fall of 1957. The survey revealed that the Panhandle and upper South Plains counties may undergo widespread and damaging infestations of grasshoppers this spring.

Fuller points out that six or seven grasshoppers per square yard in a pasture can consume grass at about the same rate as a cow.

In the cotton growing contest held recently in Crosby County by members of the 4-H Club and the Future Farmers of America, Wendell Aycock of Lorenzo and Wayne Fowler of Crosbyton, were named winners of the contest.

Aycock placed first in the dry land division of the contest with 2,610 pounds of lint on five acres, and Fowler was first in the irrigated division with a yield of 4,512 pounds from five acres.

The Farmer-Stockman sums up the 1958 harvest in Texas this way:

"It looks now like Texas may harvest about half as much in 1958 as it could grow if there were no acreage restrictions, or mar-

who has put to use this 'weapon of honor' for the service of his community."

Allcorn, himself, was voted one of five outstanding young men in Texas two years ago.

ket-depressing surpluses. "Texas could double its total agricultural production within a year, in spite of declining farm population;

"More small farmers will become poor enough to look for jobs in town and more town people will become prosperous enough to look for homes in the country;

"Government programs will not regulate farmers into prosperity in 1958 but may aggravate them into action for freedom;

"Young farmers looking for a start will have to inherit a farm or marry someone who did;

"Off-farm income will keep a lot of people on the land and per capita farm income from all sources will be high in Texas.

It was in 1882 the first barbed wire for building fences was manufactured. Soon after settlers settled on the grazing lands in West Texas they bought wire-cutting pliers to nip the fences ranchers had them fenced in, and the cowman used the pliers to cut the fence the "nesters" built to keep the cattle out of their land holdings.

The Lampasas Dispatch recently received a letter from B. F. Patterson, of San Antonio, seeking information about any of these old pliers in the Lampasas area.

Patterson said: "In 1882 barbed wire for building fences was being manufactured, and the big cow men in Lampasas and other counties in Texas, were fencing in the little fellows and were also fencing in the free school land."

"The little farmers of Lampasas County met and decided to buy pliers and cut fences. One of these men, J. C. Patterson, of Adamsville, was chosen to go to Waco and purchase a dozen pair of pliers and that was to be his part of the work of cutting wire fences."

A committee of members of the Game and Fish Commission

will begin an early campaign to get more landowners to join the state's quail re-habilitation program, according to the Assistant Secretary.

Landowners desiring birds should make their applications early to the Commission. Their land will be inspected and helpful information given as to cover condition requirements. No birds will be authorized for land that does not contain suitable cover and sufficient feed possibilities.

The development committee expects to make direct contact with landowners in an effort to get additional acreage made ready for this year's birds.

It is said an inch of topsoil takes three to ten centuries to build, but it can wash away in a single storm. Vegetation breaks the force of rains, prevents splash, erosion, and retards runoff.

In the Lampasas area farmers and ranchers are looking everywhere to buy livestock for their ranges. The report comes from The Lampasas Record that with the coming of spring a good grass crop is almost assured. As a result of this demand for livestock prices have been excellent in the Lampasas ring with stocker steers bringing as much as \$28 per hundred in recent sales. The Lampasas Commission Co., said they had averaged about 1,000 head of stock through the ring every Wednesday this year. Stockers were in

the largest demand with finished animals running a close second. Packer buyers from Waco, Austin, San Antonio, Temple and Killeen are in Lampasas for the Wednesday sales.

Southwest Oklahoma ranchers and the federal government are embraced in controversy over the purchase of their ranch lands for missile firing range. The land sought by the government is situated west of Fort Sill, Okla., home of the Army's artillery and guided missile training center, and in the area of Hobart, Okla. The government wants to buy the ranch property of W. A. Fullingham, who is 102 years old. The acreage comprises 1,720 acres on which Fullingham settled in 1915.

He said, "I guess we will just sit it out. They'll have to come and take us away if we want the place."

Fullingham's wife, 98 years old, backs her husband in every move he makes to keep their land.

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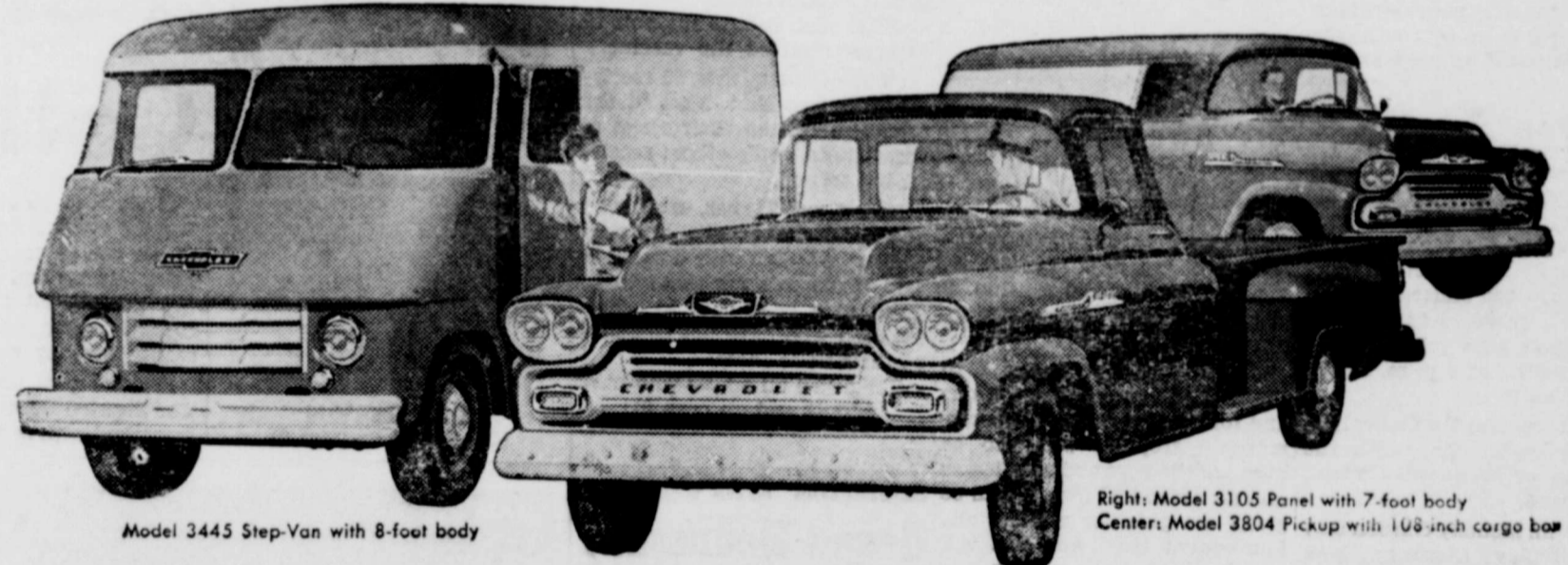
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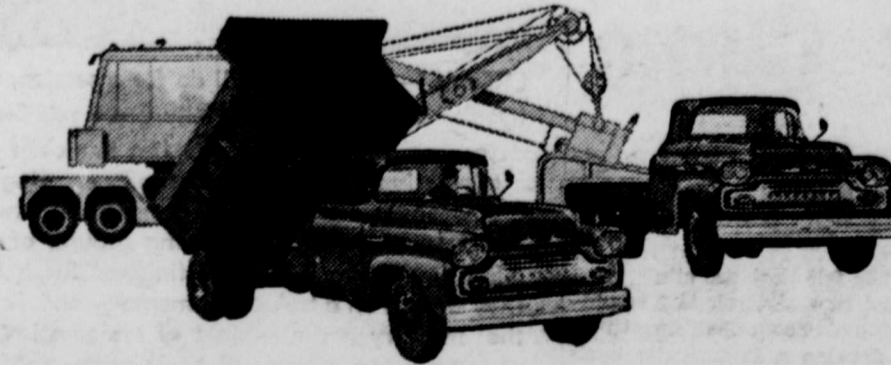
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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barnes and Peggy visited over the weekend in Lubbock with Mrs. Pearl Currie and in Lamea with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moss. Mrs. O. J. Jenkins and Loretta of Midland visited Sunday in Stanton. Mrs. Alvin Brown of Midland, formerly of Stanton, is a surgical patient in a Big Spring hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Jones were in Lubbock over the week-

end. They attended the Texas Tech-Arkansas game. Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Boyce, Bob Boyce, Royce Boyce and Joyce Anderson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Padgett and Kim in Midland. It was in observance of Kim's first birthday. Mrs. Alta Henson and Mrs. M. D. Coggin visited from Monday to Wednesday of last week in Rankin with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stone Jr. and son.



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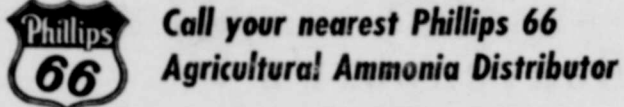
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Twenty-Five Years Ago

"The Ghost Bird," a play sponsored by the Woman's Missionary Society was met with success at three points where the play was presented. They are Stanton, Lomax and Courtney.

Thursday morning of this week traffic was routed over the new highway through town. The route parallels the T&P railroad. The rock crushing plant has been moved from the Millhollen ranch just east of Stanton to the J. B. Harvard land on Mustang Draw just west of Stanton.

The newly organized Racquet Club in Stanton is ready to go. Land at the rear of the Robt. W. Hamilton residence has been secured, donated for such use by Mrs. Horace Hamilton. James Jones is president of the club.

Mrs. John Priddy Guest Speaker For Midland 20th Century Club

Mrs. John F. Priddy was guest speaker at a guest day twentyninth anniversary tea of the Midland Twentieth Century Study Club February 11 in the home of Mrs. W. S. Dill, Midland. Mrs. Priddy reviewed "Imperial Woman" by Pearl S. Buck. Mrs. Priddy's sister, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge of Midland is a sponsor and honorary member of the club. She was introduced by Mrs. A. L. McCarroll, program chairman.

Committee on rules, Lois Hamilton, Vera Burnam and Eugene Parks. Committee on building, Elbert Sale, A. L. Houston, Phil Perry and Ed Wilkinson.

Lenora Notes: Mrs. Frank Atchison and children of Stanton, visited in the community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koonce and children of Stanton visited Sunday afternoon in the home of his brother, Red Koonce.

Line teachers, Maude Eldson and Mrs. Smithson, were hostesses Friday night to the teachers of Glasscock County in the fourth meeting of the Glasscock County Teachers' Association. The evening was spent in playing games, singing songs and eating.

The Bar X Ranch north of Stanton is the scene this week of tagging 1500 head of sheep for Earl Powell owner of the ranch. The work started Monday by a crew of men from Glass-

cock County doing the tagging.

Lynden White, who has been in the Veterans' Hospital at Albuquerque, N. M., having undergone three operations while there, is at home in Stanton much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Clements held a family reunion of the Cathey family, at their home in the Valley View community Saturday, Feb. 19. Mrs. Clements was a Cathey before her marriage. Members of the family present were: Mr. and Mrs. Luke Cathey, Stanton; Mrs. C. C. Russell and Tex Herring of Putnam. Mrs. W. R. Butler, George Cathey, and W. L. Clements, Stanton.

Pauline Cathey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Cathey, was the oldest grandchild and Luke Cathey, little son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cathey, was the youngest grandchild.

County Attorney Bob Hamilton left Tuesday night on a business trip to Tyler.

Stanton P-TA Meeting Held February 11

"The Educational Needs of Youth" was the program presented when the Stanton Parent-Teachers Association met Tuesday afternoon, February 11 at the elementary school cafeteria.

Cherry Allgood spoke to the group. He was introduced by Mrs. O. B. Bryan, president, who also presided over a short business session.

A committee to nominate officers for the new year was appointed. It includes Mrs. H. P. Morrison, Mrs. Stanley Reid and Mrs. T. R. Louder. Members voted to send a small contribution to help buy a life membership pin for Mrs. Elmer Payne, district P-TA president. Mrs. L. M. Hays' first grade class was awarded a prize for having the largest percentage of parents present.

WCS Yearbook Program Held Monday Morning

"The Mind That Was In Christ" was the subject of a yearbook program presented when the Women's Society of Christian Service met Monday morning at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Floyd Smith was in charge. Also taking part were Mrs. Martin Gibson who discussed "Quadrennial Goals," and Mrs. O. B. Bryan whose subject was "Student Movement." Mrs. Roy Pickett and Mrs. Jim Miller gave a dialogue, "The Classroom of the Burned Dish."

Present were Mesdames Aaron Donelson, Roy Pickett, Jim Miller, W. H. Kirby, Ray P. Simpson, Martin Gibson, Edmund Morrow, Floyd Smith, Jiggs Hall, O. B. Bryan, James Biggs, James Jones and Calvin B. Jones.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Eiland of Snyder visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Eiland on Wednesday, February 12. Visiting over the weekend with the Eilands were Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Eiland of Midland.

David Farris entered a Midland hospital Monday and was to undergo surgery Tuesday. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Farris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Baugh of Big Spring visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baugh.

Mrs. J. T. Mims Valley View Club Hostess Thursday

Mrs. J. T. Mims was hostess to the Valley View Home Demonstration Club when it met Thursday at her home.

"Sewings Aids and Equipment" was the topic of the program given by Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Eiland also showed how to make pillow covers.

Members voted to have a three-day sewing class beginning March 11. They also voted to accept recommendations for the year made by the county home demonstration council.

Present were guests, Mrs. K. P. Kilpatrick and Mrs. Seth Morrison, and members, Mesdames Eddie Butler, W. D. Chandler, G. T. Baum, Jack Allred, Billy Loyd Mims, Gene Collins, O. D. Green, W. J. Allred, Jimmy Sawyer and Gib Madison.

Mrs. Bob Latimer Wesleyan Service Guild Hostess

Mrs. Bob Latimer was hostess to a meeting of the Methodist Wesleyan Service Guild Monday evening, February 10 at her home.

Mrs. G. R. Phillips was in charge of the program, "Our Heritage." She discussed the history of Women's Society of Christian Service.

Present were Mesdames Bob Latimer, G. R. Phillips, W. H. Kirby, H. J. Barbee, Leo Turner and James Eiland.

Kidnap Breakfast Held Friday For Win One Class

Mrs. J. F. Hayes entertained the Baptist Win One Sunday School Class with a kidnap breakfast Friday morning at her home.

Attending were Mesdames Hayes, Jack Hankins, B. J. Wells, Travis Scott, Jack Gray, Raymond Wheeler, F. C. Wheeler, J. W. Farris, George Friday of Midland. Also present were Sherry and Kay Lynn Hankins, Shirley Wheeler, Theodore and Neida Wells, Danny Friday and Cindy Wheeler.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ringhofer attended a one-man art exhibit by Hugh Cabot III, Sunday afternoon in the Monahans Sandhills State Park Museum. Pam Gaddis of Fort Davis has been visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Huffman of Odessa visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cox and son.

Diocese Of Amarillo Plans Lourdes Centennial Pilgrimage

A 40-day itinerary, including sightseeing in eight European countries and a week in Rome, is planned for an official Lourdes Centennial Pilgrimage of the Diocese of Amarillo.

The tour is scheduled for July 9-August 14.

Highlights of the trip are a planned audience with Pope Pius XII and three days in Lourdes, scene of year-long celebrations of the 100th anniversary of the appearance of the Blessed Virgin Mary to St. Bernadette.

Along the way, the pilgrims will visit Ireland, England, Holland, Belgium, France, Switzerland, and Italy. An optional extension tour is offered to Spain and Portugal.

Points of outstanding interest, in addition to Rome and Lourdes, are the Shrine of the Little Flower in Lisieux, outside Paris; Killarney and Dublin in Ireland; London and Shakespeare's country in England; the World's Fair in Brussels, Belgium; Paris, Milan, Venice, and Florence in Italy; and Nice, Monaco, Avignon, and Carcassonne in France. The extension tour includes Barcelona, Madrid, and Toledo in Spain, and Lisbon and Fatima in Portugal.

Total cost of the basic tour, by air from Amarillo to Amarillo, is \$1,615.80, plus \$14.80 tax. This includes all transportation and meals, with the exception that two meals only are included in the cost for Paris and Rome, the tourists being allowed to choose their own dining places for one meal while in these two cities.

Leader of the tour will be the Rev. L. T. Matthiesen, editor of the West Texas Register and pastor of St. Laurence Church, Amarillo.

Arrangements are being handled by A. R. Buckley of the T&S State Travel Service, 213 First Building, Amarillo.

Reservations for the pilgrimage are being accepted by T&S State Travel Service and the Chancery Office, P. O. Box 2009, Amarillo.

Membership in the tour is open to anyone, on a first-come basis. Cost of the optional extension tour to Spain and Portugal is \$161.52, plus \$14.80 tax.

Notice

Stanton Oddfellow Lodge #23 will meet at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, February 20 at the IOOF Hall to confer initiatory degrees. All members are urged to be present.

PERSONALS

Barbara Leggett of Midland was a Stanton visitor Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cates of Tatum, N. M. visited Friday in Stanton.

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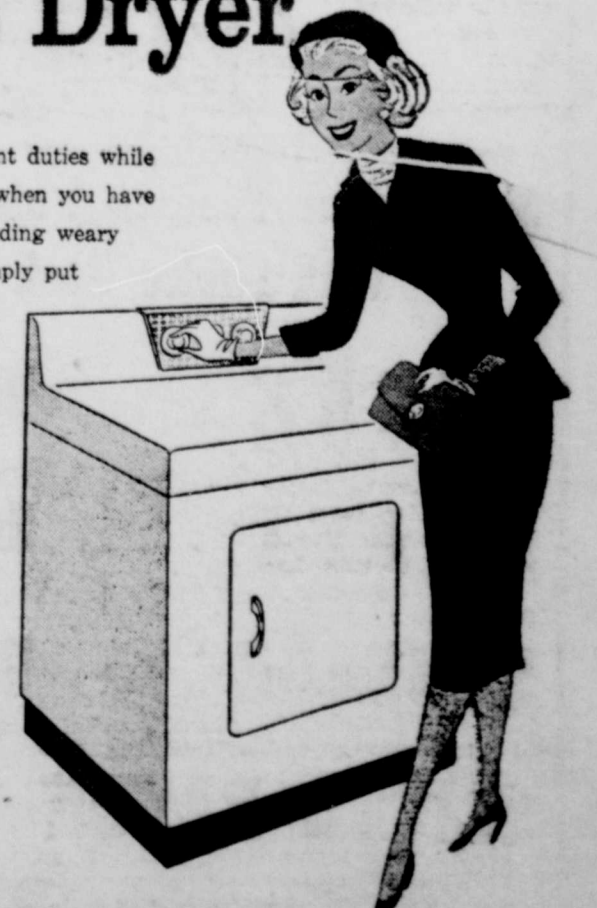
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ANNOUNCEMENTS A
Lodge Notices A-1

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CARD OF THANKS B

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the numerous acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from our many friends in the loss of our loved one. May God's richest blessings be with each of you.

Mr. Harold Glaspie and son Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Glaspie Mr. and Mrs. Claude Glaspie Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. A. P. George Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Glaspie Mr. and Mrs. Verlon Brewer Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ringener Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Holcombe
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Glaspie Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fitzgerald

We wish to thank each and everyone who helped us during the illness and passing of our brother. We especially thank those who helped care for him and those who sent food, flowers and expressed words of sympathy.

The Dave Wiswell Family.

LOST & FOUND C

LOST—1958 Stanton class ring \$5 reward offered. Contact Lucy Graves at SK 6-3696.

BUSINESS SERVICES F

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Farm Machinery J-1

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MERCHANDISE K

Office Supplies K-6

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Miscellaneous K-8

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RENTALS L

Houses L-2

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REAL ESTATE M

Houses For Sale M-4

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New Egg Law Now In Force

The new egg law which went into effect Monday will not change the methods of some local poultry owners, says Bert Badger, inspector with the Texas Department of Agriculture. Badger has been working with the new egg law for several weeks, and to acquaint producers and growers with the new law, sets forth some of the provisions of it.

1. Small producers, such as a farm housewife who sells a few dozen eggs a week, may sell eggs without grading or marking them. She will not be allowed to advertise them as anything but ungraded eggs, however.

2. All stores selling eggs must have them marked in some way or other. If the eggs are ungraded, then this must be shown on the carton and also in the advertising. A store will not be allowed to advertise any eggs as "High Quality," "Country Fresh," or similar terms, unless the eggs have been classed as Grade A or higher.

3. Regular producers must have their name and address on the carton if the eggs are to be sold under the owner's label. If the grocer buys eggs wholesale or in large cases and then resells them under the store's name, then this name and the grade of the eggs must be shown on the carton.

4. Small producers are not required to label their ungraded eggs, but if they are bought for resale then the second seller

must label them by the proper grade.

5. Everyone selling graded eggs must buy a license. The cost ranges from \$5 to \$25 annually, depending upon the number of eggs sold monthly.

The grocer is also required to secure a license, though he is given one free of charge. Hotels, cafes and hatcheries are exempt from the law, except that they cannot advertise eggs as being higher than the actual grade. All grades are the same as those set up by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, and no producer can use the term USDA on his egg cartons unless the eggs meet the USDA standards.

The license is not required for the farm flock owners if he sells ungraded eggs. If he buys eggs from a neighbor, however, and mixes them with his own for resale, then a license is required. The license may be obtained from John C. White, Commissioner of Agriculture, Austin, Texas.

This is not a new type of law, says Badger. Texas is the last state in the Union to pass it, and thus far it has been highly successful in other areas. The fact that Texas had no such law has caused the state to become a dumping ground for stale, inferior eggs.

Anyone affected by the law who wishes more information on it can visit or telephone Bert Badger whose office is in the basement of the Post Office Building, Big Spring.

PERSONALS

Mrs. W. A. Howard had as her guest recently her sister, Mrs. R. P. Blackley of Anson.

Mrs. Vivian Tippit returned home Saturday night after spending a week in Odessa visiting her sons, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tippit and Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Tippit. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tippit brought her home and spent the weekend with Mrs. Tippit and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nowlin and family.

Recent visitors with Mrs. Annie O'Dell were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd O'Dell and daughters of Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hanson have returned home from a visit in Electra with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Southerland and children.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Troy Pierce and family were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Covington and Mrs. P. H. Oates of Lamesa.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Harrell of Morton visited last week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood and son.

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Houses For Sale M-4

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Lots For Sale M-5

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Rules . . .

(Continued from page 1) the prize winning essay. The regional first place award is a \$250 scholarship to the college or university of the winner's choice.

Stanton . . .

(Continued from page 1) per cent of the cotton samples which are processed by the cotton classing office in Abilene.

Houston reported that it was approved that there should be a special subcommittee established to work in investigation of the possibilities of establishing the station in Stanton. The station would serve Martin, Glasscock, Midland and Howard Counties.

Houston pointed out that it would take all the help in the county to get the project put across. He said state and federal aid would also be needed.

At the session, Houston also announced that preliminary steps had been taken toward starting a cotton production contest among the FFA and 4-H Club members of Martin County. Complete contest rules, as they will be applied to irrigation and dryland cotton, will be announced at a later date, Houston said.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Aaron Donelson visited Sunday in Midland with her mother, Mrs. E. L. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McNew and children of Odessa visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Polson.

Marilyn Bickley of Midland visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elma Nichols and family.

Mrs. Bill Wheeler Elected President BSP City Council

Mrs. Bill Wheeler was elected president of Beta Sigma Phi city council at a meeting Thursday at her home.

Mrs. Wheeler will take the place of Mrs. Curtis Erwin who resigned.

Mrs. Marshall Johnson was elected vice president to take the place of Mrs. J. C. Greenhaw, resigned.

By-laws were discussed by the group.

Present were Mesdames Binnie White, Gene Perry, Gerald Hanson, Bill Wheeler, Marshall Johnson, John Roueche, J. W. Sale and Louis Roten.

Clairemont Rites Held For Mrs. M. Osman

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Thompson and Dwayne and Mrs. Vera Osman were in Clairemont over the weekend to attend funeral services for Mrs. Thompson's grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Osman.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday. Mrs. Osman died Friday morning in Andrews. Survivors include one son, Oscar Osman of Lubbock and daughter, Mrs. Delmar Scoggins of Andrews.

Page Funeral Rites Conducted

Funeral rites for W. L. Page of Uklah, Calif., were held Monday, February 10 at Raton, N. M.

Mr. Page died February 4 in Uklah. He was a brother to Mrs. O. Tunnell of Stanton.

Survivors also include the widow; one son and two daughters. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. G. Tunnell, Mrs. Joe Myers of Knott and Mrs. A. C. Trotter of Ingram.

Wright Funeral Held Sunday

Last rites for Rev. Arthur Wright of Sebastian were held at 2 p. m. Sunday in Sebastian. Mr. Wright died Friday afternoon in Houston after a long illness.

Mr. Wright, a brother to Rev. W. C. Wright of Stanton, was reared in Dawson County and had pastored several South Plains Baptist churches. He had served as pastor of the Sebastian Baptist church for the past 14 years.

Survivors include the widow; a daughter and two sons.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Williamson, James Edward Williamson, Carolyn Ringener, Darrell Barbee and Edwenna Shain visited Sunday afternoon in Coahoma with Mr. and Mrs. Jarrell Barbee and family.

Sunday visitors in Odessa were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brothers. They visited Mrs. Marguerite Hauber and Daphne.

Senior Class To Present Annual Play On March 28

Members of the cast have been selected for the Stanton senior class play, "Out on a Limb," which will be presented at 8 p. m. March 28 in the junior high gymnasium.

"Out on a Limb" is a three act comedy by Albert Johnson. It is centered around the 18-year-old daughter of the Weber family, who is an enthusiastic member of the S.P.P. (Society for the Prevention of Parents.)

Characters include Sara Mott—Regina Weber, the mother; Bill Stephenson—Mark Weber, the father; Sherley Nowlin—Billie Weber, the daughter; Betty Smith—Mabel Hyde, Billie's

spinster aunt; Maurice Petree—Professor Dodenhoff, a romantic old bachelor; Vernon Massey—Orville Gray, Billie's jealous boyfriend; Frances House—Push Pringle, one of Billie's friends; Barbara Smith—Bird Brain, another of Billie's friends; Rodney Myrick—Charles Craig, the handsome new boarder; Melba O'Brian—Dorothy, the school psychologist and Jim Standefer—Cookie, the delivery boy.

Directors will be the class sponsors, Mrs. Joanna Weber and Coach Wayne L. Grable. Jimmy Bickley will assist them. Stage manager is Glenn Mitchell.

\$1,077.72 Raised In Polio Campaign In Martin County

Martin County citizens contributed \$1,077.72 to the March of Dimes drive this year. Mrs. Leo Turner, county chairman of the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis said this week.

Contributions included Mu Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, \$5; Courtney Home Demonstration Club, \$5; Valley View Home Demonstration Club, \$10; Eastern Star, \$10; Stanton School children, \$64.47; Texas Electric Service, \$15; Courtney School, \$16.62; Flower Grove School, \$44.96.

The Fathers March netted \$451.96 and \$200 was raised at a dance sponsored by the Couple's Club. Coffee day for the March of Dimes at the East Shop, Stanton Drug and Hall Drug brought in \$54.59.

A total of \$60.24 was collected

Thursday Luncheon Held By Baptist Homemakers Class

A luncheon for the Homemakers Sunday School class was held Thursday at the First Baptist Church.

Rev. W. C. Wright gave a devotional. Mrs. J. R. Murdock was in charge of the business meeting.

Attending were Mesdames H. K. Kizzar, George Lewis, N. L. Riggan, Roy Martin, Ruth Holloway, J. R. Murdock, W. T. Wells, T. O. Buckland and Rev. and Mrs. Wright.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Majel Willis and son of Midland visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Coggin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knight and family spent the weekend in Rankin.

POLITICAL CALENDAR

For District-County Clerk
MRS. DORIS STEPHENSON
For Dist. Judge of the 118th Judicial District
CHARLIE SULLIVAN
For County Judge & Ex-officio County School Superintendent
JIM MCCOY
For County Commissioner, Precinct Two
EDMUND MORROW
For State Representative, 101st Legislative District
J. GORDON (OBIE) BRISTOW

Glaspie Rites Held Friday

Funeral rites for Harold Loyd Glaspie, 33, of Fabens were held at 2 p. m. Friday at the First Baptist Church, Stanton.

Glaspie, an employee of Moore Construction Company, was killed Wednesday, February 12, when a unit of heavy road machinery overturned. The company was in the process of moving its operations from Roswell to White Sands, N. M.

Rev. H. L. Bingham of Big Spring officiated. Assisting him was Rev. Don Sebastian of the Courtney Baptist Church. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Arrington Funeral Home.

A native of Slaton, Glaspie moved to Courtney in 1937. Survivors include the widow and a son, Harold Loyd Glaspie Jr. of Fabens; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude L. Glaspie of Courtney; three brothers, James Glaspie of Odessa, Hollis Glaspie of Midland and Claude L. Glaspie Jr. of Stanton, and five sisters, Mrs. A. P. George of Fabens, Mrs. Bob Fitzgerald of Midland, Mrs. Verland Brewer of Odessa, Mrs. Junior Ringener of Big Spring and Mrs. Kenneth Holcomb of Stanton.

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TOMATOES . . Carton 23c

OPEN ON SUNDAYS

Stanton Seniors Honored With Valentine Tea In Wheeler Home

Stanton High School seniors were entertained by the Study Club of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs with a Valentine tea at 2:45 p. m. Thursday at the home of Mrs. S. W. Wheeler. The Valentine tea for Stanton seniors is an annual affair given by the Study Club.

Bridges Outlines Safety Rules For Local Kite Flyers

Safety rules for boys and girls who fly kites were outlined today by Cecil Bridges, manager for Texas Electric Service Company. As explained by Mr. Bridges, the five safety rules in order of their importance are: First, fly your kite out in the open where it won't get caught in wires or trees. Second, use only string made of cotton, silk, linen, nylon or rayon. Third, use only wood in your kite frames. Fourth, fly kites only in good weather. You don't want to get them rain soaked. And fifth, if your kite should get caught in electric wires, call Texas Electric Service Company. They will send someone to get it down for you.

"Local youngsters who fly kites have been very careful in the past about when and where they flew their kites," Bridges stated. "We had a perfect record last year with not one boy or girl being injured and only a few kites demolished. This year, I fully expect that even the number of kites lost will be reduced because it seems that every year, our boys and girls listen more carefully to our warnings and cooperate better in making kite flying safe."

To further impress children that safety is all-important in kite flying, Texas Electric Service Company is providing posters for all school bulletin boards and announcements for school principals.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Walter Henson is in Crane with her son-in-law and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Farron Adams. Mr. Adams is ill.

Mrs. John Priddy spoke to the group. Her talk was on a Valentine theme.

Mrs. Glenn Brown, program chairman, introduced the speaker and also gave several readings.

Mrs. Bob Wheeler served punch and cookies from a table laid with a red cloth and centered with a Valentine train. Valentine favors were presented seniors.

Thirty-five seniors and their sponsors, Mrs. Joanna Webber and Wayne Grable were present.

Study Club members and guests attending were Mesdames John Harvard, Joe Stewart, B. F. Smith, George Dawson, Glenn Brown, S. W. Wheeler, J. O. Stuard, John Priddy and Bob Wheeler.

After the tea a business meeting was held by the club with Mrs. George Dawson, president, in charge. Texas Day will be observed at the next meeting.

Rowe Funeral Rites Conducted

Funeral services for B. D. Rowe, 44, of Brownfield and formerly of Stanton, were held at 2 p. m. Thursday at the Nazarene Church in Brownfield.

Mr. Rowe, who had lived in Stanton in 1952, died suddenly Wednesday, February 12, in Brownfield. He was employed with a road construction company.

Survivors include the widow of Brownfield and two daughters, Mrs. Homer Henson of Stanton and Mrs. Kenneth Moore of Brownfield and one grandson.

Simpsons Host For Bridge Club

Mr. and Mrs. Ray P. Simpson entertained the Thursday Bridge Club Thursday night in their home.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. James Jones, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Simpson.



The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church urges the people of Stanton to join with them on Friday, February 21st, in the observance of the World Day of Prayer. The sanctuary of the church will be open all day for anyone who wishes to stop by for a few moments of meditation and prayer, but special organ music will be presented between the hours of 3:00 p. m. and 5:00 p. m. and all are urged to attend during those hours if possible.

This is the seventy-second observance of the World Day of Prayer which began in 1887. On the first Friday in Lent, thousands of Christians in the United States and around the world will be united in a service of prayer and thanksgiving—prayer for a better world, and thanksgiving for our Christian heritage. Services begin on the Tonga Islands, west of the International Date Line, where Queen Salote leads her subjects in prayer. Throughout the day observances are held in one hundred forty-four countries, the last observances being on St. Lawrence Island, Alaska.

The purpose of the Day is to unite all Christians in a bond of prayer and to make an offering for Christian missions at home and abroad. The offering is allocated for interdenominational mission work through the Divisions of Home and Foreign Missions of the National Council of Churches. It will be a free will offering, but all are urged to attend whether they wish to contribute or not. None of the offering will be used locally or by The Methodist Church as a denomination. This program is sponsored by the United Church Women of the National Council of the Churches of Christ and is interdenominational in scope.

Program materials this year have been written by a group of women in Australia. Each year it comes from a different country.

Extended Phone Service Secured For Lamesa Area

A 2-year-drive by members of the Dawson County Farm Bureau and the Lamesa Chamber of Commerce for extended area telephone service between Lamesa and outlying rural exchanges resulted in the establishment of inter-exchange local service.

The new arrangement eliminates the long-distance toll charge between the communities, permitting Lamesa patrons of the General Telephone Company of the Southwest and subscribers of the Peka-Lambo Telephone Cooperative serving several rural communities to dial numbers in all exchanges as local calls.

Stanton Humbles Roscoe By 55-44

The Stanton Buffaloes whipped Roscoe in that city Friday night 55-44. It was a District 6-A game.

Rodney Myrick of Stanton took game high point honors by hooping 22. Hillman Kerby paced Roscoe with 14.

Roscoe edged Stanton, 43-42, in the B game. Joe Duncan dunked 14 for Roscoe and Roy Petree added 14 for Stanton.

STANTON: Myrick 8-6-22; Badgett 2-2-6; Pollock 5-5-15; Donelson 0-1-1; Miller 4-1-9; DeNoon 1-0-2. Totals 20-15-55.

ROSCOE: Etheredge 2-1-5; C. Etheredge 6-1-13; Kerby 7-0-14; Jim Bourland 2-0-4; Jerry Bourland 1-0-2; Duncan 1-0-2; Richburg 2-0-4. Totals 21-2-44.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Roy Polk of Midland visited recently with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Henson and family.

Mrs. Bertha Burnam moved to Big Spring last week.

Some of the prayers have been written by women of the Australian aborigines who have become Christians.

All the interested people of Stanton are invited to come by the church regardless of what church they attend.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



MARTIN-HOWARD SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Jack Buchanan, Ollie Robertson, Bernard Houston, Edgar Phillips, J. D. Crawford.

"The plain truth is that Americans, as a people, have never learned to love the land and to regard it as an enduring resource. They have seen it only as a field for exploitation and a source of immediate financial return."— Dr. H. H. Bennett.

Repair work on terraces was recently completed on Walker Bailey's farm 12 miles northeast of Stanton. These terraces were damaged by heavy rains last spring. Bailey has rebuilt them to their original size to retain as much rainfall as possible and stop soil erosion.

Our farms are just as wide and just as long as they ever were, but are only two-thirds as thick and getting thinner every day. A third of our nation's topsoil has washed away. Topsoil is

the basis of America's wealth and greatness. All of our food, clothing, and shelter comes from the soil. When our iron, coal, oil, and other natural resources are gone, we shall have to devise substitutes from products grown from the soil, because the soil is one natural resource that does not have to wear out or be used up.

Plans of operations are now being developed for Virgil Sanders' ranch operated by R. S. Higgins Jr. and for Tant Lindsey's livestock farm for participation in the Great Plains Conservation Program. Under provisions of the Great Plains Conservation Program, the farmer or rancher is offered long-term cost sharing for making needed land use adjustments and for installing needed conservation practices.

Talk about square pegs in round holes, we have been doing square farming in a round country too long.

Graveside Rites For Hull Infant Saturday In Cal.

Graveside services for Ronald Christopher Hull, infant son of Lt. and Mrs. Leon Hull Jr. of Victorville, California, where held at 11 a. m. Saturday in Santa Maria, California.

The infant was born February 3 and died February 13 in Victorville.

Survivors include the parents; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hull Sr. of Stanton and the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Paul Nelson of Santa Maria.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burnam visited Friday night in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. John Holder, John Atchison Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John T. Atchison, Mrs. Cora Turner and Mrs. Alta Henson visited Sunday with Mrs. Frank Free, who is a patient in a Midland hospital, and also with Mrs. Clara Atchison. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelly and Mrs. Claude Kelly also visited Mrs. Free.

Mrs. Eula Eubanks Hostess For WMU Meeting Monday

Mary Stamps circle of Baptist Women's Missionary Union met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Eula Eubanks for mission study.

Mrs. John Storey gave a devotional, followed by a prayer by Mrs. Harry Billington. Mrs. W. H. Yater gave the lesson from the book, "Look, Look the Cities." A short review of "Home in India," a roundtable club book was given by Mrs. Billington.

Present were Carrie Alvis, and Mesdames Joan Long, John Storey, B. F. White, Roy Martin, Eula Eubanks, J. R. Sale, W. H. Yater, and Harry Billington.

New Arrivals

Dr. and Mrs. G. I. Madison Jr. of Camp Pendleton, Calif., are the parents of a son born February 3. He weighed 7 pounds 6 ounces and has been named Gregory Lynn.

The Madisons have two other children, April and Jeffrey.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Carrothers of Atlanta, Ga., and G. I. Madison Sr. of Tarzan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Grable are the parents of a son born at 6:02 p. m. Monday, February 10 in Midland Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 15 ounces and has been named Rodney Wayne.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gary of Cross Plains and Mrs. Melva Grable of Waskom.

Rev. and Mrs. Don Sebastian are the parents of a son, George Michael, born at 7:30 a. m. Thursday, February 13 in Big Spring Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces.

The Sebastians also have two daughters, Peggy and Donna, and a son, David.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. H. White Sr. of Stanton and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sebastian of Tulsa, Okla.

Read the Classified Ads!

Mrs. J. D. Poe Named President Of Bridge Club

Mrs. J. D. Poe was elected president of the Thursday Bridge Club when it met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Glen Cox.

Mrs. Yuell Winslow was elected secretary. Mrs. Edmund Tom won high and second high was won by Mrs. Bernard Houston.

Present were Mesdames J. D. Poe, Bernard Houston, George Herzog, Jim Zimmerman, Sam Wilkinson, Edmund Tom, J. C. Greenhaw and Cox.

Personals

Mrs. Dee Saunders, Sara and Linda Saunders, and Kay Powell visited Sunday in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Haggard visited Sunday in Fairview with their daughters, Mrs. W. B. Langley and Mrs. Vernon Langley. A Saturday visitor with the Haggards with Ruth Haggard of Flower Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hamilton and Jimmy visited Saturday in Fort Davis.

Mrs. Ione Grizzell of Grants Pass, Oregon, left Tuesday after visiting with Stanton relatives. She was to visit in Roswell and Albuquerque, N. M. before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Mims visited Sunday in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Pinkston.

Mrs. C. L. Howard underwent surgery Monday in a San Angelo hospital.

Mrs. Homer Henson has been a patient in a Big Spring hospital.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Gib Madison and family were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Madison and children of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Coats and children of Lomax.

Visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brothers were Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Brothers of Hobbs, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mayo of Odessa, Mrs. Marguerite Hooper and Daphne of Odessa and Mrs. Hershel Howard of Midland.



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Since the paper was published last week, the citizens listed below have either renewed subscriptions or joined the list of readers as new subscribers. We are happy to welcome them to our ever growing Martin County newspaper family.

Jack Jones, Garrett Smith, James Eiland, Stanley Reid, A. F. Martin, Pioneer Natural Gas Co., Midland, Ector Thornton Implement Company, Darrell Payne, Billy Mims, Viola McCane, Lee O. Manning, John T. Rouche, John M. Frerichs, H. C. Burnam Jr., Vern Liles, W. C. Greenhaw, Garth Odom, Belton Hill, C. N. Polk.

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The Stanton Reporter

FOR WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY...



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It's The Law

INSURANCE LAW REFORMS EXPLAINED

The last Regular Session of the Texas Legislature passed seventeen laws designed to further regulate the insurance business. A few of those bills are of particular interest.

Under the old law a company could, in addition to carrying on businesses ordinarily carried on by an insurance company, accept deposits and act as trustee for the handling of such deposits. The U. S. Trust & Guaranty Company adopted the charter powers granted in the old law, enabling them to accept deposits much as a bank would accept deposits. They used the money for various types of investments. The law has now been amended so as to prevent surety and guaranty companies organized under that particular chapter from acting as trustees.

Formerly, a fire or casualty insurance company writing health and accident insurance policies could refuse to pay losses without incurring any penalty. But, if a life insurance company refused to pay its losses, it incurred a penalty of 12% of the amount due under the policy, plus reasonable attorneys' fees.

Under the new law, the provision for the 12% penalty and attorneys' fees applies to all health and accident policies, regardless of whether they are written in a life company, on the one hand, or a fire or casualty company, on the other.

If such business was written by an unlicensed company direct (without a licensed Texas Agent), then no tax on the premium had to be paid. Under the new law, if the business is written direct, the insured is required to pay a tax of 5% of the premium paid, thus equalizing the tax on the insurance regardless of whether it is placed through a licensed Texas agent.

The workmen's compensation laws were amended, one of the principal changes being to increase weekly benefits to injured workmen from \$25.00 to \$35.00 per week.

Under the old law, companies writing fire insurance could not charge a premium in excess of that fixed by the Board of Insurance Commissioners. However, they could write such insurance at a lesser rate than that fixed by the Board.

Now, if a company is to write fire insurance at a rate different from that fixed by the Board, it must file facts and statistics to justify the different rate, and the Board has a right to determine whether or not the company can write at the proposed different rate and maintain its solvency.

Prior to the last Regular Session, certain lines of insurance which could not be placed with companies licensed to do business in Texas were burdened with a 5% premium tax if placed through an agent licensed in Texas to do a surplus lines business.

STOCK CERTIFICATES, CAPITAL REQUIRED TO START CORPORATE BUSINESS

Every corporation organized under the Texas Business Corporation Act is required to deliver stock certificates to its shareholders.

And, as a protection to corporate creditors, a certain minimum amount must be received by a corporation for the issuance of shares of stock before it commences to transact business.

Formerly, a corporation was required to have received \$1,000 or ten per cent of its total capitalization, whichever was greater. However, the 1957 amendments to the Texas Business Corporation Act have removed the second requirement. Now it is only necessary that a minimum amount of \$1,000 have been received for the issuance of shares before the corporation commences business.

There is no requirement that the organizers earmark any money at all for the corporation before filing the articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State. The requirement is merely that the minimum be received by the corporation before it commences business.

As amended, the Corporation Act permits a corporation to use a reasonable amount of the proceeds received from the sale of its stock to pay organizational and sales expenses without thereby rendering the stock subject to further assessment.

The price to be paid to the corporation for its shares is fixed by its board of directors, subject to the restriction that it be in an amount at least equal to the par values of the shares. The directors may also specify whether payment must be made in cash, or whether payment may be in the form of property or labor performed for the benefit of the corporation.

Stock certificates must be signed by the president or a vice president and the secretary or an assistant secretary of the

corporation, or by such other corporate officers as may be specified in the bylaws. If the certificate is countersigned by a registrar or transfer agent, facsimile signatures of the corporate officers may be used.

On the certificates must appear certain formal statements such as the name of the stockholder, the name of the corporation and the number of shares. They must also contain a statement of any preferences afforded to any class of shares, any restrictions on the transfer of the shares, and any provisions denying preemptive rights to the stockholders.

As a result of the 1957 amendments to the Texas Business Corporation Act, these statements may be made in full or in summary form or there may merely be a reference on the stock certificate to the document in which a full statement can be found.

Stock certificates are not required to be in any particular form. They need not even be typewritten or printed so long as they contain the statements required by the statute.

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

Stanton Women Attend Valentine Coffee In Midland

Four Stanton women were in Midland Wednesday, February 12 to attend a Valentine coffee at Midland Woman's Club.

Hostesses for the coffee were Mesdames H. B. Mills, J. C. Lawrence, Bill Wood, Richard Story and Carl Hyde, all of Midland.

Attending from Stanton were Mrs. Bob Latimer, Mrs. Glenn Brown, Mrs. Leo Turner and Mrs. Flora Rogers.

PERSONALS

Mrs. L. H. White, Mrs. Dewey Williams and Mrs. B. F. White were in San Angelo recently. Mrs. L. H. White visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hurn. Mr. Hurn is recovering from surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Matthews are visiting in Andrews with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mims.



GOVERNOR PRICE DANIEL has designated the week of February 22 through March 1 as National Future Farmers of America Week in Texas. Governor Daniel is shown presenting the proclamation to Billy Penn, State FFA President and George Hut, State Director of Agricultural Education.



By L. A. WILKE

One wintry day many years ago I was fishing on Elephant Butte Lake in New Mexico. My companion was a retired mining man who had the reputation of bringing in some very large fish. His motto was "fish 'em deep and hit 'em hard."

That was long before we learned how to use some of the fine tackle available today. Most of our lures weighed an ounce. Our rods were short with stiff action, and the reels were not too fast. However, we caught some good ones by fishing deep and hitting hard.

Now comes Walt Willman, head of Heddon's research staff, with a new name for an old trick. He calls it bottom scratching. He says it's the cold weather method he uses to outsmart big fish which have been outsmarting him.

How Walt Does It

Using two outfits, he ties a sonic lure on each. That's the kind of lure that makes a noise under water. He makes a long cast with each lure and lets them both settle to the bottom. Then, picking up one rod, he carefully reels in the slack line. With the rod tip low over the water, he makes a sharp sweep with the rod. This makes the sonic lure jump violently off the

bottom, making a noise that fish can hear, and a commotion they can see.

If he doesn't get a strike with the first rod he puts it down and repeats the maneuver with the second.

Big fish, he says, often refuse to hit a lure retrieved steadily during the cold winter months, when their reflexes are slow. But when a lure settles to the bottom they watch it. When it jumps into noisy flight, wham!

Dawson Uses Minnows
E. T. Dawson, director of information and education of the Texas Game and Fish Commission, has another way of catching big bass deep. He uses big minnows.

His favorite spot is on Lake Travis, where the water varies in depth from 10 to perhaps 60 feet. There are several ledges under the water and Dawson knows where they are.

He gets the largest, friskiest minnows he can find. Using a light line he tosses them out and lets them swim around. He has just enough weight on his line to move the minnow slowly toward the bottom. As it hits each ledge the minnow swims off and heads for deep water. Somewhere on the way down it passes a lunker that's hungry. As a result Dawson usually comes in with a half-dozen baking-size bass.

Biggest Fishing Event
When it opens this year the Sheldon Reservoir, near Houston, will provide the biggest fishing event in Texas.

During the past three years this fine lake has been completely renovated. The Game and Fish Commission cleaned it of undesirable fish and undergrowth. Biologists then stocked it with bass and crappie. About May 1, it will be thrown open to controlled public fishing.

Bass in the lake now weigh from 1½ to 4 pounds. They are ready and hungry. The game department has built fishing piers for the benefit of the fishermen, and ramps for docking boats. This will be a wonderful example of what science can do to improve fishing conditions under heavy population pressure.

Fishing Rods Improved
Wonderful strides have been made in rod production in recent years.

Perhaps spinning has been the greatest contributing factor to this improvement in rods, even in the conventional line. Fishermen have learned the importance of a light action rod in sport fishing. Manufacturers have recognized this trend and have offered a line almost equal to custom rods.

A fellow over at Fort Worth by the name of Charlie Pritchard, however, wasn't entirely satisfied with production line rods. He has spent a half-dozen years in perfecting a rod blank with balanced action which can be made into a rod of the fisherman's choice.

These shafts are made completely by Pritchard, with the use of fiberglass, in a very interesting plant operation. He has the blanks in all weights, from heavy salt-water rods to featherlite kits. With these blanks almost anyone can wrap his own rod, to fit his own taste

The Drivers Seat

Tulare is one of California's 58 counties, and it is probably most famous for its Sequoia National Park. In the shadow of Mt. Whitney, the nation's highest mountain, Tulare county is an area of small cities, a few medium-sized towns, rural areas and many places of beauty.

To the motorist, however, Tulare is of more significance. It has handled its highway problems with admirable common sense. Unlike most improvement programs, Tulare's did not cost millions of dollars a mile. It was not a thing to cause engineers to marvel. How had it been done? County road officials decided to look at some of the accident causes in Tulare and came up with solutions that could be accomplished now and were easy to pay for.

Joe Garcia, Jr., Tulare road commissioner, says the road improvement program started four years ago. Logically, the officials began to study hazard markings of all kinds. They figured that, with many hazards inherent in existing roads, the only practical way to save lives right away was to give motorists plenty of warning of the hazards. So they began a detailed study of hazard markers and road signs.

Tulare officials found that most of their signs and hazard markers were badly outdated and useless. Most of the signs, installed 20 years ago, were too small. The roads had been improved to permit faster traffic, but the signs still were adequate only for cars and trucks traveling about 30 miles an hour.

Some of the hazard markers and signs were badly placed. Hidden behind trees or growths of shrubs, they couldn't be seen by motorists, no matter how slowly they were traveling. Often curve signs were placed so close to curves that a driver going 50

in both weight and action. The Makit Rod Co. of Fort Worth is another of those Texas industries which have come along since World War II, made necessary because of our increased fishing pressure.

We have several of these rods, made from the kits, and have given them the severest test. Last summer in the Gulf of Mexico this writer landed a 48 pound amberjack on one of these light weight, two-piece, home-made jobs. After a 30-minute struggle.

Wildlife Week Begins March 16
March 16-22 will be observed throughout the United States as National Wildlife Week. During that week we'll hear much about the necessity of wise management of public land resources.

Keep in mind that the same practices urged for public lands also will pay off in big dividends for the individual land owner.

After all the future of wildlife depends more upon the land owner than all other factors combined. We can have abundant rainfall, but without the proper use of land it will not restore or even maintain wildlife.

On the other hand, we have learned in recent years that wildlife may be increased despite long periods of drought, if proper land management is practiced.

In commemoration of Wildlife Week, the Federation has announced the issuance of six-color lithographed stamps, showing 30 species of animals and a half-dozen scenes from some of our national parks. Wildlife stamps have been issued annually since 1938, when the first series was painted by J. N. (Ding) Darling, noted newspaper cartoonist and one of the greatest conservation leaders of all time.

The 1958 stamps now are in the mail. You'll see some of them reproduced in the newspapers during the coming weeks. When you get yours you'll be proud of them, and also proud to participate in this program of wildlife management.

Calendar Tells When
Ask your local sporting goods dealer for one of Shakespeare's 1958 Fishing Calendars. They're free. And their handy billfold-size makes them convenient to keep with you at all times. Their color chart tells you the fair, good and best days to fish.

If your local tackle house is out, a postcard to the Shakespeare Company in Kalamazoo, Michigan, will bring you one posthaste.

miles an hour couldn't possibly slow enough to take the curve safely.

Many of the signs were not reflective so they could be seen at night. Put up during an era when there was little night driving, the signs served only to warn motorists driving during daylight hours.

Other signs had been mutilated, vandalized or damaged by the elements.

Tulare officials soon enough realized that it was possible to warn all motorists of hazards by adopting a comparatively inexpensive program of sign modernization. Tulare has not found a solution for motorists who choose to ignore the warnings, but acclaim from safety and the highway authorities, and an apparent decline in accident rate, indicates the sign modernization program is a success.

Tex grinned sheepishly at the stranger sitting across the table from him in a Dallas restaurant. "Wal, stranger," he defended, from behind his mounting embarrassment, "I'll bet it's the best in the country, even if it ain't the biggest."

The topic under discussion was the recently-completed Dallas-Fort Worth Turnpike, first to be built in Texas. The tall Texan had been absorbing some pardonable jostling on the part of the stranger because, far from being the biggest, the new road is the second smallest in the nation. In this land where everyone talks big, thinks big and acts big because everything is just plain big—the thought of possessing the second smallest of anything must be a bitter pill to swallow.

Notice how Tex compensates for his State's seeming failure, however. If it ain't the biggest, it's just gotta be the best! He may have a point. Equipped with every modern safety feature known to traffic engineering, the new turnpike can stand up to any road in the world for safe driving.

Stretching from the heart of Dallas to the heart of Fort Worth, the six-lane road measures a mere 20.5 miles. But they are miles of smooth divided highway, expertly spotted with large reflective signs giving direction, warning and information to motorists using the turnpike. "Them-there signs shine so bright," brags Tex, "night drivin' so easy as day drivin'."

He goes on to point out other features, such as the fancy filling stations and swank new restaurants—two each—that adorn the turnpike. "Whole thing cost 58 and a half million, stranger—nothin' chintzy about Texas."

Still needing, the stranger asked why Texas had never built a turnpike till now. "Why

shucks, man, Tex rallied, "we got so much space here, we never needed no turnpike before. This n g s' r e j e s t b e g i n n i n ' t o s q u e e z e u p a m i l e b e t w e e n t h e s e h e r e t w o t o w n s , t h a t ' s a l l . M e , I t h i n k I ' l l h e a d f o r t h e w i d e - o p e n s p a c e s ."

And with that he uncoupled his legs, pushed his 6 feet 6 erect, and headed for the door with a lazy backward wave of the hand.

The stranger smiled in defeat, and wondered how long it would be before Tex and his ilk would set out to have the turnpike lengthened until it actually was the biggest in the nation. Nonetheless, he was impressed by the road and willing to admit that Texas motoring is safe—on at least one small stretch of Lone Star State.

Numbers Of Farms In Texas And U. S. Are Decreasing

U. S. farms are decreasing in number and increasing in size. Farms in Texas are no exception to the general rule. There are now approximately 304,000 farms in Texas, compared to 506,000 in 1931, the year in which farms in this State reached their peak in numbers.

This comparison is based on revised estimates of census figures up to 1956, as reported by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. In 1910, Texas farms numbered 418,000, according to the USDA report which gives numbers of farms by states for each year since then.

While numbers of farms have been decreasing, investment per farm has gone up — averaging \$27,000 this year, according to other Department of Agriculture research.

Nationally, the total acreage of cropland harvested in 1957 is about the same as in 1940. But the size of farms has risen about 40 percent since that time and output per farm is up 74 percent. Farm output per manhour has more than doubled, and the average farm worker now produces enough food and fiber for himself and 20 others.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Jim Webb and Vestal McCane accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Holder to Wichita Falls to visit Mr. and Mrs. Truman McCane and Sandra recently.

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etc. from around the downtown stores. Also to mend leaky pipes that permits water to stand and stagnate.

But more a little later on this subject.

THE GROUNDHOG MUST HAVE BURIED himself into his burrow after seeing his shadow Feb. 2, if the frigid weather that has prevailed off and on in this region is any criterion. He would have to "hole-up" deep underground to escape a breeze from a temperature, that at times, skidded from a high of 40 degrees to a low of 17 degrees.

Almost from the very day the groundhog saw his shadow the Martin County area experienced unruly cold weather, bringing to the community cloudy skies, misty rain, sprinkle of snow and a scum of ice.

It all combined to bring a frown to the faces of the farmers who were anxious for the weather to calm down, spread sunshine and warmth over their fields so they could get into them and prepare their land for spring planting.

JAMES ROBERTS BROUGHT TO LIGHT in his "Driftin' Sands" column appearing in the Andrews County News, a matter that was enlightening to us and also no doubt to many commissioners courts. It had to do with, Roberts expressed it in his column "the subject that generates more criticism, more heat and less light than any that surrounds a commissioners court." And the subject Roberts says, "We're speaking of the practice of using county road machinery on private property."

Roberts continues: "In Andrews, as in surrounding counties, road machinery manned by county workers, scrapes off privately owned lots, fills, dumps, hauls, catches, spreads, cleans, and performs other dirt work designed to improve the property and please the owner. Churches, lodges, and clubs are prime receivers of this free gratis work."

And as a warning Roberts declares: "Such work is wrong, illegal, not allowed, not sanctioned, not proper, not permitted in the State of Texas."

Stanton Senior 4-H Club Met Here Monday

Members of the Stanton senior 4-H Club met Monday afternoon in the county agent's office.

A committee made up of Jimmy Miller, Ronnie George, Pam Ogle and Glen Reid was appointed to attend the community clinic sponsored by the Martin County Chamber of Commerce Thursday evening in the basement of the Methodist Church.

It was announced Martin County is one of 80 counties selected to receive a national 4-H Club sign.

Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent, gave a program on table service.

Plans were also made for the judging teams which will compete in the district contests this year.

Refreshments were served to 11 members, Mrs. Mildred Eiland, and Bob Johnson, county agent.

Shirley Ann Graves Entertains Friends With Skating Party

Shirley Ann Graves entertained her friends with a skating party Thursday night, February 13 at the skating rink.

The group skated and played games.

Valentine cookies and cold drinks were served to 20 guests.

Catholic Altar Society Meeting Held Wednesday

Members of the St. Joseph's Catholic Altar Society met Wednesday, February 12 at the church rectory for study.

Rev. Louis B. Moeller conducted the study.

Present were Mrs. Hoot Tom, Mrs. Edmund Tom and Mrs. Travis Robeson.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Anderson had as visitors recently Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ballard and Mrs. Hubbard of Lenora. The Andersons also visited the Lee Payne family in Courtney.

INTEREST IN THE COMING JULY primary election is running at the low ebb if we are to judge by the number of candidates who have already announced. The poll tax payments for 1958 showed there is little interest manifested in the coming election. The number of poll tax receipts issued were 1,199, ninety-nine more receipts issued than in 1957 which were 1,100.

The peak year for poll tax payments was 1956 when a total of 1,498 were issued.

The individual in the county who could have been eligible to vote but isn't because he didn't pay his poll tax, may regret it. An election might be held to vote on the proposition of running a road right through the middle of his farm. As far as being entitled to cast a vote against it, he will have to stand on the sidelines and see the project built. Or for that matter he will have no vote coming on any project he might be vitally interested, either in its defeat or victory.

THREE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD of the Stanton Independent School District are to be elected at the election coming up April 1. In order to be eligible to make the race the candidate must file his intention 30 days prior to the election date which is April 1. The time to file as a candidate is by March 1, only nine days including this issue of The Stanton Reporter. To be a member of this board is one of vast importance to the operation of a successful school. The candidate should be a broad and liberal minded citizen capable of weighing all problems confronting the school in an amicable and efficient manner that will reflect impeccable credit to the school system.

HERE COMES ANOTHER WEEK TO observe. It's "Food Comes First Week." The date is set from Feb. 23 to March 1.

This food comes first business we've diligently observed for the past eighty-three years. Our physical status has depreciated on several occasions during the period. You might say the shrinkage in our averdups is charged to living on crackers and milk with a diversion of cheese and crackers. This nourishment is not considered the best to increase human weight or retain it after you've once got it.

We beg to differ with the slogan "Food Comes First." Money

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Arts and crafts requirements were worked on by members of Girl Scout Troop 11 when they met February 12 at the Scout house. Girls made felt needle-holder Valentines for their mothers.

Nancy Graves and Cheryl Waits were invested as Girl Scouts. Refreshments of cold drinks and heart shaped cookies were served by Linda Fulbright to Patsy Evans, Nancy Graves, Shirley Graves, Clea Hayes, Mary Alice Houston, Dorothy Lankford, Joyce Lankford, Linda Lou Parker, Patty Turner, Sheila Turner, Mary Wilson, Cheryl Waits, Mrs. Jiggs Hall, Leslie and Donna.

Brownie Scouts of Troop 10 met February 10 at the Scout house. After the business meeting and flag ceremony the girls held a Valentine party.

Jo Flowerree and Sandra Wilkes served refreshments to Susan Brandt, Cindy Britton, Pat Burleson, Nelda Carr, Margaret Ann Clardy, Elaine Holland, Carolyn Britton, Mrs. Joe Carr and Mrs. V. E. Flowerree.

Brownie Scout Troop Three met Tuesday, February 11 at the Scout house. Present were Patsy Milligan, Shannon Womack, Virginia Farris, Delores Ogle, Lonnie Fulbright, Wanda Fade, Carolyn Brumley, Mrs. F. M. Fulbright and Mrs. Roy Ogle.

Brownie Scout Troop Four

CUB SCOUT COLUMN

Members of Cub Scout Den One met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Marshall Yates and worked on napkin holders.

Present were Jackie Hankins, Dan Yates, Don Yates, Tim Bristow, Bradley Evans, Roland Davis, Ronnie Tucker, Bill Edwards, Mrs. Jack Hankins and Mrs. Yates.

Stanton Cub Scout Den Four made napkins rings at a meeting Monday, February 10 at the home of Mrs. Hershel Gibson.

Present were Guy Brown, Dennis Poisson, Ronnie Wheeler, Joe Gibson, Larry White, Speedy

Devonian

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from south and west lines of section 18, block 35, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Zapata No. 1 Strain, another East Martin County wildcat, which has been drilled tight since the Spraberry was reached, is still being drilled without any information being released.

It is eight miles north of Stanton, 860 feet from north and west lines of section 14, block 36, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Husky Oil Company and Pano Tech Exploration Corporation No. 1 W. M. Yates, wildcat 10 miles southwest of Patricia in Northwest Martin County, was coring below 12,078 feet in lime after a drillstem test in the top of the Devonian failed to develop shows of oil.

The test covered the section from 11,931 to 12,071 feet, with tool open one hour and 20 minutes.

Recovery was 30 feet of mud. Location is 660 feet from south and west lines of tract 22, league 263, Kent County School land survey.

Sewing

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will be held beginning Monday, February 24 at the county agent's office for Stanton women. The classes will be held at 1 p. m. on Mondays and Fridays and will last two weeks.

Valley View sewing classes will begin March 11. Classes will be held at 1 p. m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Sewing classes at Flower Grove have been scheduled beginning March 6. Courtney women have not completed plans for their classes.

All home demonstration club members and other interested women of the communities are invited to participate.

leads the procession to the food counter and in the eyes of the food dispenser it holds that top ranking position with him.

The Food Comes First Week is being observed in communities throughout the United States in connection with the National Food Conference in Washington, D. C.

The National Conference will bring together more than 1,444 leaders of American agriculture, industry and education to consider the vital role of food in the life of the family and the nation.



NEW SAFETY CHIEF—Gov. Price Daniel has named Brad Smith (above) of Waco, Texas, as state traffic safety director. Smith assumed his duties in the governor's office on Feb. 1. His job is to coordinate safety activities of state agencies. He will head the newly created Texas Traffic Safety Council authorized by the 55th Legislature. Smith, who is a past president of the Texas Press Association, has been in newspaper, radio and television work. In these posts he has done much public information work on traffic safety.

Chemical Meet Scheduled For Lubbock In Feb.

The effective use of agricultural chemicals will be the theme of the fifth annual Agricultural Chemicals Conference to be held at Texas Technological College Feb. 25, 26 and 27, officials of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce said today.

J. C. Porter of Wichita Falls, chairman of the WTCC's agriculture and livestock committee, said the program for the conference features addresses by seven experts on agricultural chemicals, forum discussions and exhibits of equipment used in chemical application.

The conference, sponsored jointly by the WTCC, the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, Texas Tech and the A&M College System, is expected to attract some 350 agricultural chemical dealers, distributors, processors and manufacturers.

Registration for the conference will begin at 5 p. m. Feb. 25 on the mezzanine floor of the Caprock Hotel in Lubbock. A hospitality hour, sponsored by the agricultural chemicals industry, will begin at 6:30 p. m.

Porter said registration would resume at 8:30 a. m. Feb. 26 in the Student Union building on the Tech campus. The first business session will begin at 9:15 a. m. Loyan Walker of Abilene, manager of the WTCC agriculture and livestock department, will make the welcoming address.

Lubbock To Host 4th Annual Grain Conclave Feb. 20

The fourth annual Grain Drying and Storage Conference will be held Feb. 20-21 at Texas Tech, with 29 specialists as speakers.

Subjects will include sanitation, moisture measurements, aeration, and effects of storage on nutritional qualities of grain. Other talks will be on causes of grain spoilage, and effects of storage methods on grains for feeding.

Industries' solutions to regional drying problems will be given and a panel will discuss service charges and handling problems in drying and storage.

Prof. Ira Williams, Tech agricultural engineering department head, is in charge of arrangements for the conference. It will be held in the Tech Union Building. The meeting is sponsored by 21 organizations.

Sororities

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A candidate from each chapter was selected at earlier meetings of the chapters and at the party guests selected the queen.

Forming a background for the coronation was silver foil, and a large red heart with an arrow through it. Mrs. Briggs was crowned by John Roueche.

Refreshments of coffee, cookies and dips were served. Valentine table cloths and napkins were used.

After games were played and the crowning of the queen, the group danced. Approximately 50 persons attended.

PERSONALS

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shaffer were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Shaffer of Vincent, Mrs. Mollie Crittenden of Big Spring and Mrs. Curtis Crittenden of Big Spring.

Mrs. Ruth Holloway has returned home from Lubbock. Visiting recently with Mrs. Holloway were Mr. and Mrs. Elton Holloway of Midland.

When you contribute to the Texas Heart Fund, you are helping in the fight against the heart diseases which constitute the nation's leading health problem.

Garvin

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Garvin, who was introduced by Program Chairman James Webb, spoke on marketing and displaying vegetables and fruits. He is well known in this area for his fruit campaigns.

Arthur Wilson presided over the meeting. In charge of the song service was Ralph Caton and George Shelburne gave the invocation.

Stanton guests included Gerald Hanson, John Wilkes and Dr. Nelson. Other guests were present from Midland.

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Roy Fox, Roy Craig and W. H. Graham, Jr. James N. Allison, Jr., Midland Reporter-Telegram and president of the Permian Basin Publishing Co. will be chairman of the discussion.

Other discussions will include "Circulation Campaigns," Glenn S. Edwards, Hazleton, Iowa; "Campaigns We Have Had," a panel discussion headed by Roy Craig; and "The Face on the Darkroom Floor," by Fredric DeVries.

Honorable Waggoner Carr, Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives will speak at the 12:30 luncheon. Bill Collins, Midland Reporter-Telegram, will introduce the speaker and give the invocation.

Jack

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Wagner Chorale, Los Angeles, Calif.

The groups are formed so that the students and music educators may work with and learn from these talented clinicians, each recognized as experts in their respective fields of music.

Also at the convention will be exhibits from the major music publishers and manufacturers of the nation.

Climaxing the convention will be the Grand Concert of all three high school music organizations, the concert band, high school symphony orchestra and all-state chorus Saturday night. Approximately 7,000 usually attend these concerts.

458 Children

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received their first or second shots to go to a hospital and complete their shots as free vaccine cannot be secured for them. She also said that at the present there is no plan for preschool age children to receive free shots and urged parents to take them to a doctor for the shots.

Wednesday several school children who did not receive shots last week were to get them at the Stanton elementary school.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson visited Sunday in Midland with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. Mrs. J. W. Schroder. Visiting in the Wilson home was his sister, Mrs. Callie Leach of Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kennedy of Big Spring spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hall Kennedy.

Mrs. John Pinkston was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Williams and son in Midland. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Pinkston and Danny of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Pinkston.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. Charles Powell and children were Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Wright of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Bedford and children of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wright of Midland and Ward C. Parks of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Tunnell have been visiting in Johnson City. They took Mrs. Tunnell's sister, Mrs. A. C. Trotter home to Ingram and then went on to Johnson City.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Laws of Odessa visited recently with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Laws.

Income Tax Checks Should Be Made To IR Service

Five years ago the nation's tax collecting agency had its official name changed from the Bureau of Internal Revenue to the Internal Revenue Service.

"Today," says Mr. Russell G. Bell, Administrative Officer in charge of the Midland, Texas office, "the proper name—the Internal Revenue Service—should be used on checks of tax payments and for other communications."

The American Heart Association and its affiliates have channelled more than \$25,000,000 into heart research since 1948. Help Your Heart Fund Help Your Heart.

PROCLAMATION

Public Schools Week in Texas is a special time set aside each year in which to place increased emphasis on our public schools. Parent visitation is encouraged, and the citizens of our communities are urged to take an active interest in the school systems and to cooperate with the respective school boards, superintendents, principals and teachers in an effort to make Texas public schools the finest in the Nation.

Today, more than ever before, the importance of our schools is being realized by an awakened Nation. Education, both in scientific and liberal arts fields, has taken on a new perspective. However, with all the rush to train scientists and place satellites in outer space, it is important to remember that our public schools will furnish our leaders of tomorrow with the basic human, moral and spiritual foundations necessary for more advanced training and knowledge.

THEREFORE, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the week of March 3-7, 1958, as

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

in Texas, and urge each citizen to recognize the tremendous importance of our public schools.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 15th day of February, 1958.

(SEAL) PRICE DANIEL, Governor of Texas.

PERSONALS

Lynda Nichols visited over the weekend in Midland with Shirley Mrs. Myrtle Jones and Jo Ann visited Sunday afternoon in Odessa.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee and children, John Robert and Luane, have moved to Lovington, N. M., to make their home.

Rufus Tom and a friend, Max Watson of Cross Plains, both students at Tarleton State College, spent the weekend with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Tom.

R. M. Deavenport was admitted to the Malone-Hogan Hospital in Big Spring Monday.

Weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bridges were Mrs. Alton Stroman, Mrs. Floyd Sikes, both of Plainview, Mrs. Mary Bridges of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baugh and Patsy of Stamford.

John Drummond of Midland was a Stanton visitor Tuesday. Visitors over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arvel Keele were Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Roskos of Ballinger.

Frank Free of Midland died Saturday night at his home in Midland after a long illness. Services were held at 3 p. m. Monday in Abilene. Mr. Free's widow is the niece of the late Mrs. John Atchison.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ragland were in Temple Friday to attend funeral services for his sister, Mrs. W. H. Evans of Refugio. She died Wednesday night.



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LETTUCE Head 10c LEMONS Lb. 12 1/2c

PERCH, Ocean, Frozen Lb. 39c MEXICAN DINNER, Patio, Frozen Pkg. 59c

Liver PORK, Lb. 23c

FRANKS, Armour Star Lb. 49c PORK CHOPS, Lean Lb. 63c OLEO, Kimbell's Lb. 19c

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