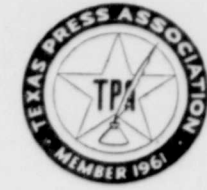


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**Snooter Knows**  
By JAMES E. KELLY

JUST SUSPICIONING A LOT OF things could happen in 1961 that it would take a "paid in full" poll tax receipt to voice your preference "yes" or "no" at the election booth. The tax problem is a matter every municipality is faced with. Operating expenses of the government will have to be met, but if it requires an issue to be voted on at an election you want to be prepared to vote your sentiments by having a poll tax receipt. The deadline to pay your poll tax is January 31.

—SK—  
THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF Dawson County instructed its sheriff to trim his deputy sheriffs by one deputy. The sheriff appointed two deputies at the same time, one of them Marshall Yates, a former deputy sheriff for Sheriff Dan Saunders of Martin County. In the "trimming" process Dawson County sheriff relieved the other deputy and retained the services of Yates.

—SK—  
WITH THE RAPID SUCCESSION of the robberies of mercantile establishments over the country, those that are caught and convicted will soon fill the penitentiaries and reform schools. The area around Midland, Odessa, and Big Spring a night doesn't pass some business concern isn't robbed, or filling station. The

# Chamber Banquet Slated Monday



**WINS HONORS**—Janice Glaze exhibits her Shorthorn calf which was declared champion of the steer division in the annual Martin County FFA and 4-H Livestock Show here Saturday.

## Newspaper Files Are Confidential

To the utter amazement of the staff of The Stanton Reporter, last Wednesday, we found a man going through the 1960 files of the paper without authority.

We allow no one—absolutely no person to prow the files of the newspaper without consent or permission, and we require them to state the nature of their mission before permission is granted.

Eugenia was out of the office and the rest of the force was busy in the back shop. In walks this bird and started turning papers upside down.

The Stanton Reporter is printing just enough copies weekly for our subscribers, our permanent file, and our counter sales, and no more. We do not keep old newspapers around—they would constitute a fire hazard. Anybody wanting a copy of the paper can get one by asking for it the week the paper is published—after that week, no extra copies are available.

## School Census To Be Completed By February 1

The taking of the school census in the Martin County School districts is continuing, but must be completed by February 1.

Jimmy Bickley, Stanton High School principal, is in charge of the census taking in the Stanton Independent School District and Mrs. Delmar Hamm is in charge of the taking of census in the Grady School District.

All parents who have not returned census blanks on their children, are requested to do so immediately. Parents of children who will start school next year and who have not had their children enumerated are requested to contact the enumerator in their district.

Children included in the report, which helps determine the amount of per capita money paid schools by the state and the number of teachers each school gets, range in age from six through 17. The pupil must be six years of age by February 1, 1961.

February 1 is the deadline for the census to be completed.

## Dr. Gage Lloyd To Be Speaker

### January 31 Deadline To Pay Poll Taxes

Only 579 poll tax receipts have been issued so far this year, Dan Saunders, tax assessor-collector, said this week.

Residents are reminded that the deadline for paying poll taxes is Tuesday, January 31.

The 579 residents who have paid their poll taxes, represents only a small percentage of persons eligible to pay poll taxes, Saunders said.

Last year a total of 1,342 poll tax receipts were issued in the county.

Residents are reminded of coming elections during 1961. One major election will be held this year—a special senatorial election will be held on April 4. School board and city elections also will be held. To be able to vote in any of these a citizen must have a poll tax receipt.

Poll taxes are \$1.75.

Final plans have been made for the tenth annual Martin County Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held on Monday evening, January 30.

The banquet will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Stanton High School cafeteria.

Dr. R. Gage Lloyd of Big Spring, will be the principal speaker at the informal affair. Dr. Lloyd is pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Big Spring. He is well-known in this area and is an outstanding speaker.

A special feature of the banquet will be the presentation of the outstanding farmer in Martin County for 1960. A committee has been working during the past week selecting the farmer to receive this honor and his name will be kept secret until he receives the honor at the banquet.

Jake Hodges, Chamber of Commerce director and supervisor of the local Soil Conservation Service, will present the outstanding farmer award.

John Wood will serve as master of ceremonies and will open the program.

Rev. Ellis Todd, pastor of the

## Wolfcamp Oil Flows From Tom Well Following Acid Treatment

By JAMES C. WATSON  
Wolfcamp oil flowed from Texas National Petroleum Company's Martin County wildcat, No. 1 Jim Tom, after operator perforated at 9,220-26 feet, 9,230-38 feet and 9,251-55 feet and treated with 2,000 gallons of acid.

In 24 hours it flowed 138.33 barrels of new oil, no water, through a 12/64-inch choke. Tubing pressure was 500 pounds. Testing continues.

Extensive tests of the Strawn were conducted between 10:147 and 10:206

feet before plugging back to 9,365 feet for tests of the Wolfcamp. The possible discovery is 2½ miles southeast of the Billington (Spraberry) field and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 30, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

Deane Stoltz of Midland announced plans to drill a 7,600-foot Martin County wildcat No. 1 Wilkerson, eight miles northeast of Stanton.

The explorer is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 2, block 34, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Murphy H. Baxter of Midland has dually completed No. 2-50-A King as a Strawn and Devonian gas well on the northwest edge of the Azalea field of Midland County.

It finalized for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 1,020,000 cubic feet of gas per day from Strawn perforations at 10,890-98 feet. Gas-liquid ratio was 3,160-1. Gravity of the distillate was 50.2 degrees.

In the Devonian the calculated potential was 7,000,000 cubic feet of

## \$670 Given To County Library Fund

Representatives of local organizations which were former members of an organization known as the Martin County Forum voted Friday night to give \$670.64, which the organization had raised in 1952, to the Martin County Library Fund.

The forum was organized in 1951 and the \$670.64 was money made

## Funeral Rites For Mrs. SeEVERS Held Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. H. N. (Bud) SeEVERS, 54, of Fort Worth, were held Monday afternoon in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Fort Worth.

Mrs. SeEVERS was the wife of a Champlin Oil and Refining Company vice president, and was a sister of James N. Allison, publisher of The

## Eight Stanton Buffs Make All-District 3-AA Team

Eight Stanton Buffaloes have been named to the All-District 3-AA football team.

The all-district players were named at a meeting of coaches in Tahoka.

Stanton boys named for the honors were Herb Sorley, end; Jerry Polson, tackle; Arnold Fincher, guard; Tommy Newman, halfback on offense.

Buffaloes named to the defense team were Arvil Fincher, who, Tommy Davis, tackle; Herb Sorley, line-backer and Newman, halfback.

Mike Sorley and Billy Graves received honorable mention on defense, with Reddy Church, Arvil Fincher, Jimmy Sale, Thadd Koonce, and Tommy Davis getting honorable mention on offense.

The state champion Denver City team placed seven men on the offense team and seven on the defensive.

The teams named include:  
**Offensive Platoon**  
ENDS — Bucky Johnson, senior, Denver City; Doug McClellan, senior, Tahoka; and Herb Sorley, junior, Stanton.

TACKLES — Bill Gravitt, senior, Denver City; Jerry Polson, senior, Stanton; and Bill Davis, senior, Tahoka.

HALFBACKS — Tony Spruill, sophomore, Tahoka; Steve Baugh, sophomore, Stanton; Thadd Koonce, senior, Stanton; and Jimmy Sale, junior, Stanton.

GUARDS — Clarence Ivey, senior, Post; James Wright, senior, Stanton.

CENTER — Mike Cornell, senior, Post.

QUARTERBACK — Reddy Church, senior, Stanton; Fred Hegi, junior, Tahoka.

LINEBACKERS — Bill Gravitt, senior, Denver City; George Curtis, junior, Denver City; Tommy Jones, junior, Tahoka; and Glenn Hopkins, junior, Tahoka.

MIDDLE GUARD — Curtis Harvick, junior, Tahoka; Mike Sorley, senior, Stanton.

DEFENSIVE PLATOON  
ENDS — Bucky Johnson, senior, Denver City; and Arvil Fincher, senior, Stanton.

TACKLES — Wesley Sewell, senior, Denver City; Tommy Davis, senior, Stanton; and Mike Cornell, senior, Post.

MIDDLE GUARD — Jerry Cox, senior, Denver City.

LINEBACKERS — Bill Gravitt, senior, Denver City; Marcel Dorothy, junior, Denver City; Herb Sorley, junior, Stanton; and Jim Minor, senior, Post.

HALFBACKS — Bert Gravitt, senior, Denver City; George Curtis, junior, Denver City; Tommy Jones, junior, Tahoka; and Tommy Newman, senior, Stanton; and Leslie Acker, junior, Post.

HONORABLE MENTION  
ENDS — Clarence Ivey, senior Post; and Steve Baugh, sophomore, Stanton.

## Dollar Day Specials Due For Feb. 6

The Martin County Chamber of Commerce is interested in the continued observance of Dollar Day in Stanton and the publicity and retail committees are a hundred per cent behind this once a month promotion idea that brings thousands of values to the residents of this area.

Dollar Day will be observed on Monday, February 6.

Merchants who realize the importance of keeping this terrific sales event going are cordially requested to have their advertising copy in as soon as possible for publication in the February 2 issue of The Stanton Reporter.

## \$295 Collected For MOD Drive

A total of \$295.87 was collected for the annual March of Dimes Drive by members of the Stanton chapter of Future Homemakers of America in a house to house canvass Monday evening.

Members of the local chapter are assisting with the local drive. Besides making the house to house canvass they also have distributed containers and posters to the downtown business houses and will collect them at the end of the month.

Before a final report of the amount collected for the drive can be made the containers in the downtown section must be picked up and school children must return cards in which they have placed their donations.

## Martin County Statement In This Edition

The complete financial statement for Martin County is included in this issue of The Stanton Reporter.

The annual financial message to the taxpayers was prepared by Elmo Reed, county treasurer.

The statement is easily understood and was prepared and submitted for publication in a highly efficient manner. It is comprehensive in scope and adequately tells the Martin County money story for the past year.

Perhaps the citizens of the county will like to clip this article and file it. It is informative, and being informed with the printed word never bothered anybody.

## Coldest Spell Of Year Sends Mercury Tumbling

The mercury dropped to 12 degrees here Wednesday morning after a blue norther started driving the temperature down at noon Tuesday.

In Stanton, the mercury slipped 22 degrees in one hour. It was the earliest arrival of the predicted blue tinted cold wave that caused residents to scurry around town shaking and shuddering until they could go home for lunch and a change of clothing.

Sport shirts had been in vogue in the 62-degree weather until the mer-

cury started tumbling. Then the red line scooted down to 40 degrees in the glass tubes and kept declining until the 12-degree reading was reported to the newspaper Wednesday morning.

Plainview apparently caught the hardest part of the near blizzard. In that city, winds were clocked at 60 miles per hour. The mercury skidded to 8 above zero.

In the Martin-Midland-Howard area, all roads were passable. The highways in the Abilene and Sweetwater area were reported iced over.

## Mott, Smith, Miss Kelly Show Top Martin Lambs

Janice Glaze exhibited the grand champion steer at the annual Martin County Junior Livestock Show Saturday. The champion was a 950 pound Shorthorn.

Jimmy Jones won the reserve championship laurels with his calf. Ben Mott, Smitty Smith and Carolyn Kelly showed champion lambs in the lamb division. Ben Mott showed the champion finewool lamb; Smitty Smith exhibited the champion crossbred lamb and Miss Kelly had the champion Southdown lamb.

A lightweight Duroc fed by Glynn Caughman was named champion barrow, with David Cave's heavy-weight Poland China taking reserve championship honors in swine judging.

Showmanship trophies were awarded to Jimmy Robertson in the swine and steer classes and Lyndon Huckaby in the lamb division.

Oliver Worst of Garden City, Glasscock County agent judged the lambs. W. M. (Bill) Griffin of Tahoka, Lynn County agent, placed the swine and calf entries.

Results in the lamb judging were: Finewool — 1. Mott, 2. Smith, 3. Miss Kelly, 4. Mott, 5. David Poe. Crossbred — 1. Smith, 2. Poe, 3. Huckaby, 4. Terry Franklin, 5.

Smith. Southdown — 1. Miss Kelly, 2. Smith, 3. Cathy Hazlewood, 4. Miss Kelly, 5. Carolyn Nichols.

Purebred — 1. Smith, 2. and 3. Miss Kelly, 4. Mott, 5. Huckaby.

Swine were placed in the following order: Lightweight barrows — 1. Caughman, 2. Robertson, 3. Larry Ratliff, 4. Anthony Hanson, 5. Ratliff.

Heavyweight barrows — 1. Cave, 2. Ronnie Deatherage, 3. Danny Langham, 4. Caughman, 5. Harry Wright.

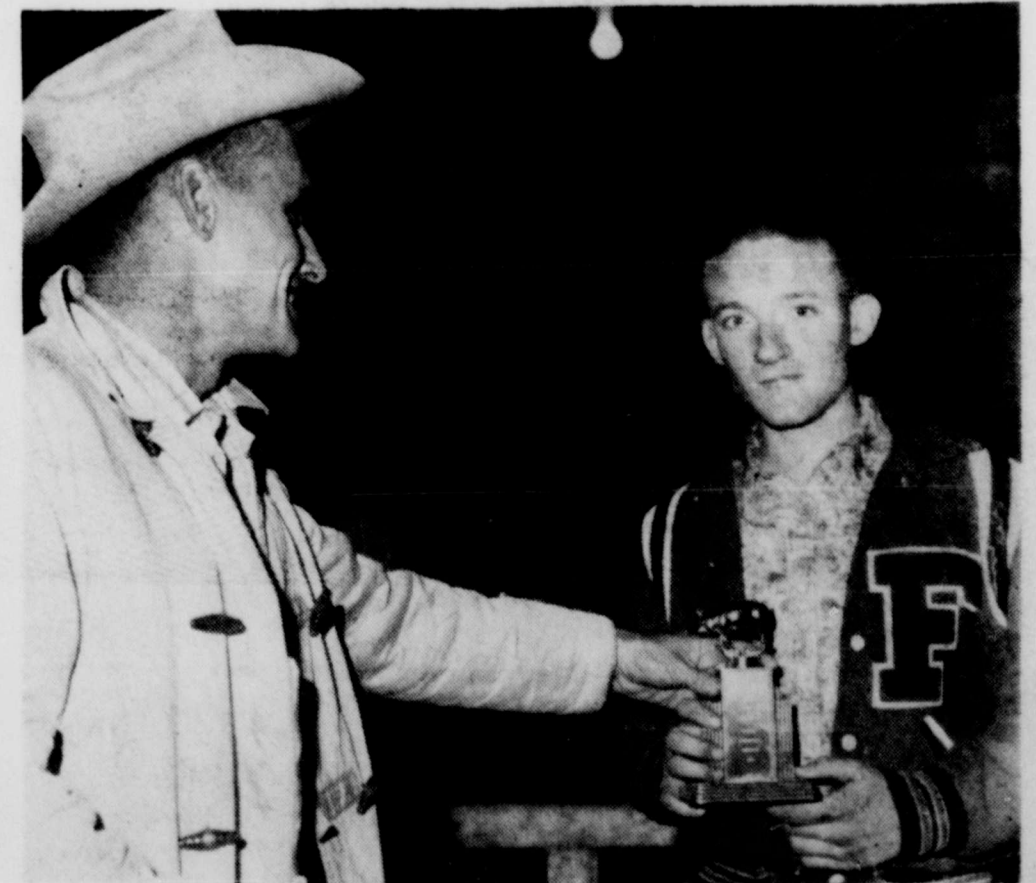
Gilts — 1. Smith, 2. Jackie Mims, 3. Ronald Hartsell, 4. Wright, 5. Glynn Wren.

Calf entries were placed in this order: Shorthorn steers — 1, and 2. Miss Glaze.

Herefords — 1. Jimmy Jones, 2. Robertson, 3. Ulen North.



**TOP LAMBS** in the annual Martin County FFA and 4-H Livestock Show are held by, from left, Carolyn Kelly, Southdown; Smitty Smith, crossbred, and Ben Mott, finewool.



**GLYNN CAUGHMAN** receives his trophy for the champion barrow in the Martin County FFA and 4-H Livestock Show from Bob Johnson, county agent and member of the Agriculture Committee of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce which sponsors the event.



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**Philosopher Puzzled Over Conflict-Of-Interest Laws Congress Has Been Worrying About**

Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw probably is too literal-minded, his letter this week indicates.

Dear editor:

I'm not interested in any appointment in Washington, I can get talked about enough here at home where I'm comfortable without going to the national capital for it, but I have been following the newspaper accounts of hearings on appointments made by the new President and it looks like I could qualify for nearly any of the jobs.

That is, I wouldn't have any conflict of interests. I wouldn't have to sell off any stocks and bonds. I got a clean bill of health on that score, which seemed to be the only point the committees were interested in checking into when a prospective appointee came before them.

As I understand it, conflict of interest means if a man owns stock in a big company doing business with the government, he's got to get rid of his stock before he can serve, or else he might have a natural tendency to let government contracts where it would do the most good for his stock.

I have been thinking this matter over, and while I'm not going into the fairness of the law, it's probably a pretty good one, still I'm afraid Congress is going to have trouble enforcing it, if it goes into it far enough.

For example, take the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. As I understand it, his job is to pro-

mote the health, education and welfare of the people, consequently, to avoid any personal conflict of interest, does this mean he has to get rid of his family and all his other relatives and friends? Obviously, he can't be promoting measures which will rebound to the interests of his own family.

Or take the Secretary of Agriculture. He ought to know something about farming, and about the only way I know to learn something about farming is to own some land, yet clearly a land-owner would run head-on into a conflict of interest if he promoted something for the good of the land or the good of the farmer, although there are some people who will say there have been Secretaries of Agriculture who could never be accused of promoting anything like that.

This thing requires considerable study. And to top it off, I understand President Kennedy has converted his possible conflict-of-interest holdings into government bonds. And there you are. Every time he promotes something for the good of the government, isn't he promoting the soundness of those government bonds?

Getting qualified men for government service is getting harder and harder all the time, but I doubt if it'll ever get hard enough to where I'll qualify.

Yours faithfully,  
J. A.

C. E. Crow has returned home from Medical Arts Hospital, Big Spring, where he was a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turner of Odessa, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Turner and family.



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**NEAL ESTES**

**THE POST DISPATCH:** "Plans and specifications for the White River dam and water pipelines have been completed and were presented to the White River Municipal Water District directors Thursday. Directors will be given several days to study the plans before a special meeting is called to approve them. Approval by the directors will be required before the plans can be submitted to the federal FHA agency's regional office in Fort Worth and the State Board of Water Engineers in Austin. The plans must be approved by both agencies before the \$4,000,000 in federal and state loans to finance the dam's construction can be obtained."

**CROCKETT COURIER:** "The Crockett Lions Club, at their weekly luncheon in the Crockett Hotel Dining Room observed Founders Day. Four charter members of the club were guests — Earle P. Adams, L. H. Arnold, D. C. Kennedy, and Rev. A. S. Lee."

**THE MUNDAY TIMES:** "The night watchman at the Munday Compress was held up by an armed man at about 8 p.m. Friday and robbed of his pistol, his wallet, a \$40 check and several dollars in cash. The robber apparently got away on foot after telling the night watchman to put everything he had in his pockets in a bucket and to start walking."

**THE FORT STOCKTON PIONEER:** "Approximately 35 Pecos County farmers heard sugar beet depicted as a possible answer to the need for a second cash crop in this area Tuesday. They listened to a discussion of the possibilities of sugar beet production in this general area by three officials of the Trans-Pecos Sugar Beet Association, recently formed in Pecos. John Harper, president of the new group, Paul Durkule and Mitchell Butts outlined procedures necessary before sugar beet allotments could be acquired and said experimental planting of the crop was scheduled in nearly all farming areas of Pecos and Reeves Counties this year."

**Preliminary Tally Shows 2,235 Dead**

The Department of Public Safety said its preliminary figures show 2,235 persons died last year in Texas as a result of traffic.

The DPS said it expects 10 more persons injured in auto accidents last year will die before it completes its final report about March 15.

The fatalities last year occurred in 1,825 accidents, a decrease of 10 per cent from the 2,026 in 1959. Fatal crashes in 1959 took 2,453 lives.

**THE McCAMEY NEWS:** "Intensive remodeling of the Security State Bank started this week. The Board of Directors awarded the contracts for the complete overhauling of the local bank to two Midland firms. The enlarged and remodeled bank will have over fifty percent additional floor space, according to Derwood Langston, executive vice president. All of the outside of the bank will be completely re-done in shell stone. Only the "Security State Bank" sign will be salvaged in the new look for the building."

**THE ANDREWS COUNTY NEWS:** "The location decision for a new city hall and fire station was dumped squarely in the lap of the city council Monday night when about 45 citizens crowded into the county courthouse for a public hearing. Although the consensus seemed to be that the purchase of the old gin block at Southeast First and Avenue A for \$15,000 was favored for both the city hall and fire station, sentiment was also expressed for other sites."

**THE MENARD NEWS:** "Twenty-five lambs of Menard 4-H and FFA members were sold at auction Saturday night following the Menard County Junior Livestock Show for a total of \$1,955, an average of \$77.40 per head. Top price for \$105 was paid for two lambs, those of Odie Wright, who showed the champion crossbred lamb, and Rhonda Smith, exhibitor of the champion and reserve champion medium wool lambs."

**THE LIBERTY VINDICATOR:** "The Liberty County Family Counseling Service changed its name to Community Council at last week's meeting attended by 15 members of the steering committee. Mrs. Marie Mond, area supervisor of the Department of Welfare, discussed with Council its two projects, compiling a directory of public and private health and welfare resources in Liberty County, and surveying the need for a system of shelters for temporarily displaced children."

**Forest Riches** is the title of an article in the January issue of Texas Game and Fish magazine, dealing with recreational opportunities in national forests in Texas. The article was prepared by John W. Cooper of the U. S. Forest Service. It deals with the new recreational program now being sponsored by the Forest Service throughout the United States.

**Article Tells Of Recreational Spots In Forest Areas**

One of the principal recreational areas in Texas is the East Hamilton scenic area on the Sabine River in the Sabine National Forest near the old townsite of East Hamilton. This was the site of the first post office in Texas. It is reached over State Highway 87 and FM 2261 from Pat-room.

Other areas included were Yellow Pine and Shepherd Creek. Industry also has made available considerable lands for recreational purposes.

The Forest Service and the Game and Fish Commission have been working closely together to develop the wildlife aspects of the national forest lands.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilkes attended funeral services for his aunt, Mrs. J. Wilkes in Rotan Sunday in Rotan. She died Friday.

Melrae and Zanna Angel spent the weekend in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Russell.

Mrs. Eddie Cook was in Big Spring Monday to attend funeral services for her cousin, Wayne Lee McKinney of McCamey.

**Pastimes In Sports**



IN 28 B.C. THE ROMANS THOUGHT FOOTBALL WAS TOO TIME SO THEY HAD THE RULES CHANGED TO MAKE IT TOUGHER.

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**Bible Comment—**

**Man Is A Partner In Concept Of Creation**

The foundation of a great religion was laid when man dared to conceive of himself as made in the image and likeness of the God who made him. Here was spiritual insight, the full significance of which we can appreciate when we see the type of religion that had man covering before the forces of nature, or bowing down to grotesque idols.

The writer of Genesis saw man in God's image, with dominion over lesser creatures and with dominion over his world. It is this view of man that is demonstrated throughout the centuries. Man, like God the Creator, is himself a creator. He has conquered seas and oceans; he has bridged great rivers and chasms; he has ascended high mountains and delved far into the depths of the earth. In spite of the limitations of human weakness, we see man as exercising dominion.

God who created man is on the side of man to help strengthen him. Man, consecrated to God, may live a life of faith above fear and anxiety. To seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness is to establish all of life upon an unshakable foundation. It is the tragedy of our times that God-like man should choose to make himself so devil-like, destroying where the whole purpose of God and of man at his best is to create and build. The Bible is a great revelation of what man and human society could be, if men fulfilled the character and destiny for which God made them.



**Care With Fire Necessary**

Winter woods are dry and easy to catch fire, so take the proper precautions to prevent fire.

Hold burnt matches until cool, then break them. Shred your cigarette butts as soldiers are taught to do. Douse your campfire thoroughly with water — then inspect it carefully before leaving.

**On Cooking Eels**

Eels make great eating — once you get over the idea that they are kin to snakes.

You'll be won over the first time if you prepare them this way: Skin eel with pliers, then cut into inch-thick chunks (as you slice bread). Fry until meat is flaky and white. Legend has it that cooked eel meat will turn raw again if laid aside to cool. Experiment proves this to be at least partially true.

**Choke Improves Shooting**

By using an adjustable choke on your single barrel shotgun you can increase your kills greatly. This is not an ad for any special brand of choke, but is a worthwhile tip on how to increase your shooting skill.

**Pump Gun Caution**

Beginners should remember never to hold down the trigger of a pump gun when working the action, as the gun is liable to fire accidentally. Reload carefully until familiar with gun.

**Quick As Jack Robinson**

Here's a quick way to skin a rabbit for the pot. Slit across rabbit's back with a sharp knife. Grab hold

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**Scope Has Many Advantages**

Open sight shooting has many advocates. But many good bucks are missed because the hunter didn't have a scope sight on his gun when needed. This is especially true of dusk shooting. It is then that a scope can tell you if the deer you see is a buck, and just where to place a killing shot.

**Spotting Downed Birds**

When you down a bird in brush or high grass and go to the place where you think it fell, and it isn't there, drop a white handkerchief at the spot.

Then hunt from there, in circles, until you locate your kill. Otherwise, you are apt to wander away from the original area.

**Don't Overfeed Hunting Dog**

A lean dog makes a good hunter. Don't feed your dog all his appetite calls for, or he'll get sluggish and hunt poorly. Better for his ribs to show a little — it's a sign he's in top shape.

Mrs. Jim McCoy left Sunday for a two-week visit in Houston with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James McCoy, and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Tunnell and children.

Norman Donelson, who attends Texas Tech in Lubbock, is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Donelson during mid-term holidays.

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**Fifteen Years Ago**

The hospital directors have purchased the Hall Clinic and arrangements are being made to open for business by February 15, or not later than March 1. The clinic will be operated until the new building for the hospital can be completed.

The Stanton High School Buffaloes remained undefeated as they swept past Lamesa Golden Tornadoes in both classes A and B games played in the local gym Thursday night. In the A game the Buffaloes led by guard Billy Avery, humbled the AA team, 53-19. Stanton also won the B game 34-9. Lamesa was the second class AA team to fall before Class B Buffaloes.

Boyce House was guest speaker at a meeting of the Stanton Lions Thursday at the basement of the First Methodist Church. House also spoke to Stanton School students. Out-of-town guests for the meeting were Judge Cecil Collings of Big Spring, Judge of the 70th judicial district, and Bob Hamilton, prominent lawyer from Midland.

**Stanton Suffers Loss To Tahoka**

Stanton boys met Tahoka Friday night at Stanton and lost 45-49.

Tahoka improved its chances for a first place finish in District 3-AA basketball standings by winning the game.

Thad Koonce led Stanton in scoring with 14 points while Jerry Polson followed with ten.

Stanton won a 76-64 decision in the girls' contest. In that one, Frances Graves went on a scoring rampage for the Buffs, bucketing 40 points.

Elida Reyna tallied 15 for the Buffs while Janice Glaze had 19 and Marilyn Sale two.

Nina Yater, Ann Yater, Janice Sims and Carolyn Kelly all played outstanding defensive ball for Stanton.

Stanton also won the boys' B game, 42-23. Buddy Glaspie and Mike Sorley each counted seven points for Stanton.

In that one, Stanton led at half time by a score of 22-8. STANTON (45)—Pruitt 3-2-8; Sorley 1-6-8; Polson 3-4-10; Webb 0-0-0; Koonce 6-2-14; McReynolds 2-0-4; Church 0-1-1. Totals 15-15-45. TAHOKA (49)—Greathouse 6-7-19;

The bank statement of the First National Bank, as of December 31, 1945, showed individual deposits in the bank at an all-time high of \$2,007,998.96. The bank's capital is \$50,000 and its surplus \$75,000.

Rex L. Kelly announced this week for the office of sheriff, tax assessor-collector. Also announcing was Mrs. Lenora B. Epley, who is seeking re-election to the office of county and district clerk.

Monday morning a blanket of snow covered the ground, and the snow continued falling through the day. It was estimated about 4 1/2 inches of snow fell, and residents agree that Martin County has never had a better season in the ground at this time of year.

**GS Leaders To Meet On January 31**

A neighborhood meeting of Martin County Girl Scout leaders will be held Tuesday, January 31 at the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. During the session leaders are to make plans for a Girl Scout fund raising drive, which is tentatively set for February.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gregg of Cisco, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Flippin 4-4-12; McClellan 1-1-3; Hert 4-1-6; Clinton 3-0-6; Bray 1-1-3. Totals 16-17-49.

**Score By Quarters:**  
Stanton 8 23 31 45  
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**CATSUP**, Food King ..... 2 bottles 29¢  
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**MILK** SHURFINE—Tall Cans ..... 2 Cans **25¢**

**NAPKINS** SOFLIN ..... 60 Count Package **10¢**

**CRACKERS** SHURFRESH ..... 1 Lb. Box **19¢**

**FLOUR** GLADIOLA ..... 10 Lb. Bag **89¢**

**Fresh Vegetables**

**ORANGES**, Texas, Nice Juice Orange ..... 5 lb. bag 29¢  
**GRAPEFRUIT**, Ruby Red ..... 5 lb. bag 29¢  
**LEMONS**, California Sunkist ..... lb. 19¢  
**CABBAGE**, Nice Green Heads ..... lb. 4¢  
**CARROTS**, ..... 1 lb. cello bag 10¢

**FROZEN FOODS**

**STRAWBERRIES** Sun Country ..... 10 Oz. **5 For \$1.00**

**BEEF STEAKS**, Thrift-T ..... 8 Steaks 69¢  
**LEMONADE**, Coastal ..... 6 oz. can 10¢  
**MELLORINE**, Borden's ..... 1/2 gal carton 39¢

**FRESH MEATS**

**BACON** TALL KORN ..... Lb. **49¢**

**OLEO**, Food King ..... 2 lbs. 29¢

**BISCUITS** SUREFRESH ..... 3 Cans **25¢**

**BOLOGNA**, All Meat ..... lb. 43¢

**ROAST** CHUCK — CHOICE BEEF ..... Lb. **49¢**

**FRANKS**, All Meat, Decker ..... lb. 49¢

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**CR Electric Co-op Pushes Values Up**

The Cap Rock Electric Cooperative family increased the value of its systems by more than half a million dollars in 1960 and pushed the aggregate value to more than \$6,000,000.

It was a record year for the electric co-op and for the Wes-Tex Telephone Cooperative, and a good year for Cap Rock Refrigeration Cooperative.

During the year the electric cooperative increased its value from \$4,455,243 to \$4,990,416. Another 134 miles of lines were energized, bringing to 2,226 the mileage at the end of 1960. The co-op boosted the number of members served from 4,024 to 4,452.

**830 Wells**

Included in the group of connects were 830 irrigation wells, an increase of 78 for the year. The KWH metered to members rose from 242 to 259 during 1960; the commercial average increased from 1,116 to 1,197.

In all, the system sold 48,076,327 KWH during the year, a gain of 6,689,760 over the previous year. Besides increasing the miles of line, 20 miles of single phase line were converted to three phase in 1960.

Capital credit refund checks to members amounted to \$42,899 as against \$37,740 for the previous year. This was the fourth consecutive year that capital credit refunds have been paid, and these aggregate \$179,356. Taxes paid in 1960 ran to \$11,900, up from \$10,197.

333 the previous year.

**Telephone**

Wes-Tex Telephone Cooperative, rounding out its sixth full year whereas the electric group observed its 21st, built 48 miles of new lines and installed 252 new telephones.

This brings the members connected to 1,192 and the miles of lines to 861.

The value of the system increased by \$174,990 to a present value of \$981,676. The phone co-op paid principal, interest and taxes amounting to \$33,528.

The new unattended dial exchanges at Ackerly and Vincent were completed and put into operation early in 1960. Subscribers in the Ackerly-Knott area began receiving toll-free service to Big Spring. The Garden City Telephone Company was purchased and its exchange and lines added to the cooperative system.

**Extensions**

In addition to Garden City, Ackerly and Vincent the co-op had exchanges at Luther, Lomax, Lenora and West Stanton. Plans for construction in 1961 include extension to serve farmers and ranchers in the Garden City area, and a new exchange in the St. Lawrence community. The St. Lawrence exchange will serve that area in south Glasscock as well as the north half of Reagan County.

Although its dollar value pales besides the large co-ops, Cap Rock

Refrigeration was busy during 1960. The plant processed 676 head of beef cattle, 641 hogs, 15 sheep and goats, 43 deer and 725 fowl for a total dressed weight of 378,822 pounds of meat.

The number of hogs, sheep and fowl were down from 1959, but the increase in beef cattle gave the plant a 10,285-pound net gain in meat processed over 1959.

**602 Lockers**

The cooperative has 602 frozen food lockers, each holding 250 pounds of food. In addition to renting lockers and doing custom processing for members and the public, the plant sold carcasses by whole or half along with cured and barbecued meats.

During the year Cap Rock launched an extensive headquarters building addition which will double the space of the original plant raised in 1949. O. B. Bryan, manager, pointed out that the first Cap Rock-owned headquarters was built when there were less than 2,000 members connected.

The new wings will provide six new offices, a conference room, director's room, transformer repair shop, larger meter shop, drafting room, a large storeroom, grease and wash racks for company vehicles, and a large auditorium-demonstration room which will seat over 250 and will be available for member and community affairs. The additions will make possible a separation of the billing departments of the electric and telephone cooperatives.

**T. B. Stewart Celebrate 64th Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Stewart of Courtney, celebrated their 64th wedding anniversary with a family dinner Sunday in the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart were married January 24, 1897 at Scranton in Eastland County. They moved to Martin County in 1914 from Scranton.

Seven children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart. One son, Glenn Stewart, and two daughters, Jewel and Gladys Stewart, died shortly after they moved to Martin County.

The Stewarts have four surviving sons, Louis, Joe and Ted Stewart, all of Martin County, and T. B. Stewart Jr. of Midland, seven grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, Louis Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stewart, Teddy and Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Stewart Jr. of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stewart and Jami of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, Roland, Joe and Lisa of Plainview.

Unable to attend were three granddaughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Collins and family of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Corley and family of Morganhill, California, and Mr. and Mrs. George Capps of Abilene.

**M. D. Huffman Receives Degree From A&M**

Marshall D. Huffman of Stanton, received his baccalaureate degree in civil engineering at the mid-year graduation at Texas A&M College.

Huffman is a graduate of Stanton High School. He is married to the former Eula Belle Mott of Stanton. They have been residing in College Station.

J. C. Mott and daughter, Jean Mott attended the commencement exercises Saturday at A. and M.

Mr. and Mrs. Huffman and son, Collinson, are to reside in Fort Stockton.

**Grady 4-H Club To Meet On January 30**

A meeting of the Grady Community 4-H Club will be held Monday evening, January 30 at the Grady School cafeteria.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m.

A program "How To Give Good Method Demonstrations" will be given. Several demonstrations also will be given.

**R. L. Ledbetter Joins Air Force**

Ronald Lee Ledbetter, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton L. Ledbetter of Stanton, has enlisted in the U. S. Air Force at Abilene, and has been sent to Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio for basic training.

Upon completion of basic training he will attend a technical training school in the electronics career field, the field he selected before enlisting in the Air Force.

**CATHOLICS 'SHORT'**

**New Congress Almost Religious Cross-Section**

The new U. S. Congress turns out to be a close approximation, statistically, of the religious cross-section of America. But not quite.

The current count shows that Roman Catholics, in relation to their part of the population, fall slightly short of an equal proportion in the 86th Congress; Protestants are a little ahead, and Jews even-up.

This disparity carries no specific connotations in a government whose Constitution forbids any religious test for office and whose officeholders are charged with serving citizens of all faiths, whatever their own.

Nevertheless, in a country with its plural religious constituency, and with its motto, "In God We Trust," there is always an interest in the comparative religious makeup of the federal legislature.

Altogether, among the 537 senators and representatives convening this week, there are 422 Protestants (79 per cent), 96 Catholics (18 per cent), 13 Jews (2 per cent), and four others (about 1 per cent).

Comparatively, the country is about 75 per cent Protestant, 22 per cent Catholic, and two per cent Jewish, counting nominal religious relationships, with the other one per cent outside these groups.

**Legion Chief To Address Austin Meet**

National Commander of The American Legion, William R. Burke of Los Angeles, California, will be the principal speaker at the annual Mid-Winter Conference of The American Legion, Department of Texas, to be held at the Stephen F. Austin Hotel, in Austin, February 4-5.

Burke was elected National Commander at the final session for the Forty-Second Annual Convention of The American Legion on October 20, 1960 at Miami Beach, Florida.

The Commander is 44 years of age and a public relations executive. He received his A. B. degree in 1939 from the University of California.

Burke entered the United States Navy in 1942 and received training at the Naval Midshipmen's School at Notre Dame and the Sub-Chaser Training Center at Miami, Florida. He was part of the crew which commissioned the U. S. S. Pillsbury at Orange, Texas, in 1943. He served on the Pillsbury on convoy and anti-submarine killer operations in the Atlantic. He was injured aboard ship and hospitalized at St. Albans Naval Hospital on Long Island. Upon release from the hospital, he served as an instructor in navigation at the Naval Schools at Princeton and Notre Dame Universities.

Upon being retired in 1946 to civilian life, he entered the field of governmental relations, establishing his own firm, specializing in municipal, state and national Governmental and legislative matters.

Burke's address will be delivered at the banquet of the Mid-Winter Conference, Saturday evening, February 4.

**Seven February Plentiful Foods Listed For Texas**

Cabbage pretty well leads the pack of foods expected to be in plentiful supply in February. The winter cabbage crop is moving in volume from an acreage quite a bit larger than a year ago, reports the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

While cabbage is the feature, six other foods will be available in more-than-normal supply this month. These are dry onions, rice, canned ripe olives, peanuts and peanut products, cranberry products and small white beans.

The February plentifuls can provide color, nutrition, flavor, variety and economy to family meals or special occasions.

These foods have been selected for special promotion this month by the food distribution division of the Agricultural Marketing Service.

Consumers will find it to their advantage to serve plentiful foods often because lower prices usually accompany abundance.

**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnam and Mrs. Bertha Burnam were in Baird Sunday to attend funeral services for J. A. Allphin of Baird. Mr. Allphin was Mr. Burnam's uncle.

Jess Woody and Pete Woody were in Presidio over the weekend to attend a pistol match.

Mrs. Jess Woody and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frances Floyd of Midland, were in Rotan Sunday to attend funeral services for Mrs. Delma Wilkes.

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## 200 Civic Leaders To Attend Industrial Meet In Abilene

More than 200 civic leaders from throughout West Texas are expected in Abilene today to participate in the Eighth Annual West Texas Industrial Conference.

Twelve specialists will present four important subjects during the 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. conference, according to W. G. Marquardt of Midland, chairman of the sponsoring Industrial Development Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"The City's Responsibility in Industrial Development" will be discussed by Steve Matthews of Austin, executive director of the Texas Municipal League.

"How to Market New Products" will be explained by Curtis Taulbee of San Angelo, owner of Curtis Taulbee Advertising Agency. A trio of San Angelo industrialists will serve as a question-answering panel following Taulbee's address. They are H. E. McCulloch, executive vice-president of Monarch Title Manufacturing, Inc.; Fred Y. Becker, president of Alco Ranch Washable Footwear Co.; and Dick Salmon, president of Wendland Manufacturing Co.

"Competition from Across the State Line" will receive analysis and comment from a six-man panel which will explore, among other ideas, advantages and disadvantages of the Texas Industrial Commission's recommendation that this state allow cities to issue revenue bonds to finance new industry.

Moderator of the panel will be Wm. P. Sayles, in charge of area development in the Public Service Department of West Texas Utilities Company, Abilene.

Panel members include: Harry W. Clark of Dallas, director of industrial development for Texas and Pacific Railway Company; Raymond W. Hedges, executive vice-president, Odessa Chamber of Commerce;

James D. Eppright of Dallas, director of industrial development for Texas Power and Light Company; Rex Jennings, executive vice-president, Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce; and

Ross W. Hammond, industrial manager of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

Luncheon address, concluding the conference, will be delivered by J. B. Thomas of Fort Worth, president and general manager of Texas Electric Service Company.

Thomas's subject will be "Don't Sell Texas Short!"

### Mrs. Hanson Hostess To SS Class

Mrs. Gerald Hanson was hostess when the Phebeian Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Monday evening in her home.

Mrs. Clayton Reynolds gave a devotional. Refreshments of doughnuts, cakes and coffee were served to Mesdames James Jones, Gaylon Hightower, Den Hightower, L. D. Adams, Vance Stephens, Benny Welch, Douglas Agee, Gerald Hanson, Eugene Butler, Carroll Hull, and Clayton Reynolds.

## Notice Taxpayers

Tuesday, January 31, 1961 is the LAST day to buy your poll tax to be able to vote in 1961.

It is also the LAST day to pay your 1960 State and County Taxes without paying Penalty and Interest.

Wednesday, February 1, 1961 is the FIRST day to buy your 1961 Registration Tags.

**Dan Saunders**

TAX COLLECTOR  
MARTIN COUNTY

### Specials for Thursday, Friday, Saturday, January 26, 27, 28

TIDE . . . . Giant Box 69c

PINTO BEANS . 2 lb. pkg. 27c

OUR VALUE 303 Can  
NEW POTATOES . 2 for 29c

CAREY'S  
TABLE SALT . . 2 lb. box 9c

CHICKEN, TURKEY, BEEF  
POT PIES, Frozen . 5 for \$1

DECKER'S 3 LB. CAN  
CANNED PICNIC HAM . \$1.89

KIMBELL'S 12 Oz. Can  
LUNCHEON MEAT . . . 39c

Cello Carton  
TOMATOES, Fresh . . . 19c

LETTUCE, Nice Firm . lb. 10c

OLEO, Kimbell's . 2 lbs. 35c

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### BS Banquet Held Friday In Odessa

Approximately 300 persons attended the Buffalo Trails Council Scout leaders banquet Friday, January 20 in Odessa.

Featured speaker was Dr. Dan Proctor of Houston, former president of Oklahoma College of Women, Chickasha, Okla.

Six area scouts, A. E. Patterson of Midland, Dr. Bryan Wildenthal of Alpine, Truett A. Roach of Andrews, E. L. Jordan of Midland, Dr. W. A. Hunt of Big Spring, and Fred Homeyer of Odessa, were awarded the Silver Beaver Award, the highest award a council can bestow for noteworthy service of exceptional character to boyhood by registered Scouts.

O. D. Albright of Odessa, was installed as president for the coming year. J. L. "Dusty" Rhoades of Odessa is outgoing president.

At a business session prior to the banquet O. B. Bryan of Stanton, was selected as one of the two representatives of Mustang Service District to the Council Executive Board. Bryan, a longtime area Scouter, is also the holder of the Silver Beaver Award.

Refreshments of coffee and doughnuts were served to Mesdames S. W. Wheeler, George Phillips, Guy Eiland, L. C. Hazlewood, Edmond Morrow, J. A. Wilson, Clark Hamilton, Loyd Hasting, J. B. Harvard, B. F. Smith, Joe Stewart, Ellis Todd, John Pinkston and the hostess.

The next meeting will be February 20 at the home of Mrs. George Phillips.

### Displays Made By Junior High Students

Members of the Stanton Junior High School social science class have built displays to represent their studies.

The class, which is taught by Mrs. Floyd Sorley, has been studying the customs and activities of people of other lands.

Among the more outstanding displays made are grass huts representing Africa, oil fields representing Iran, the rough terrain of Hawaii and others.

### SHS Students Selected For Special Honors

Stanton High School students have been selected for the "Who's Who" section of the school annual.

Students were selected by the teachers, and were selected on the basis of personality, grades, and citizenship.

Selected for the honor were Weems Williams, Bobby Sale, Elida Reyna, Reddy Church and Marsha Bristow. Williams is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams; Sale is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sale and Church is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Church. Miss Bristow's parents are Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Bristow and Miss Reyna's parents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Reyna.

Attending church services Sunday in Big Spring were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Polk, Mrs. B. Harrell, Mrs. G. P. Harrell and children, Elder and Mrs. Olen Robinson and son of Odessa, and Mrs. Annie Odell.

Carl Ray Reynolds, who attends Texas Tech in Lubbock, has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Reynolds.

### James Baker Speaks To Garden Club

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Baker gave an interesting and informative talk on landscaping and care of shrubs and trees.

Mrs. L. C. Hazlewood, president, was in charge of the meeting and introduced the speaker. During the business session the group discussed putting out shrubs on the Stanton High School grounds. The club previously had purchased and set out shrubs at the school, but plans were made to place some more on the school grounds.

Also plans were made to decorate for the Chamber of Commerce banquet on January 30 at the high school cafeteria.

Mrs. J. B. Harvard furnished the flower arrangement for the day.

Roll call was answered with "The Kind of Tree I Like Best."

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### Mrs. Eiland Hostess To WMU Meeting

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### Mrs. Brown Attends Music Convention

Mrs. Glenn L. Brown of Stanton, president of the ninth district of Texas Federation of Music Clubs, was in Midland Saturday to attend the annual district convention of junior music clubs.

Approximately 100 members of junior music clubs in Big Spring, Odessa, Midland and Andrews attended the all-day meeting.

The group attended a concert Saturday morning and then during the remainder of the day the business meeting was held. Reports on work during the past year was given and a fine arts program was presented.

### New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Watts of Stanton, are the parents of a daughter born at 6 a.m. Wednesday, January 25 at Medical Arts Hospital, Big Spring. She weighed six pounds 15 ounces and has been named Carla Danette.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Austin Watts and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin.

### Rebekah Lodge Met Monday

Installation services and a school of instruction were held when Stanton Rebekah Lodge met Monday night, January 23 at the IOOF Hall.

Mrs. M. D. Coggin, noble grand presided over the meeting.

Sammye Laws, deputy president, installed Mrs. Roy Linney as left supporter to noble grand and Mrs. Loyd Hasting as left supporter to the past noble grand. The school of instruction was carried out as scheduled by Miss Laws.

Mrs. Jim McCoy was awarded a certificate of merit for a perfect semi-annual report at a recent meeting.

Present were Mesdames Ellen Warner, Henry Louder, Herbert Overby, Roy Linney, C. E. Christopher, M. D. Coggin, C. S. Bevers Jr., H. C. Burnam, Vergie Johnson, Johnnie Russell, Fannie Graves, Loyd Hasting, Lela Shankle, B. E. Burton, Pearl Barrett, Miss Joyce Overby, Miss Sammye Laws, and Lynn White.

### Baptist SS Class Met

Members of the Homemakers Class of the First Baptist Church met for a social and business meeting at the church Thursday afternoon.

Plans were made to hold regular meetings the second Thursday of each month.

Mrs. Raymond Louder gave the devotional, "True Love."

Present were Mesdames Paul Jones, Raymond Louder, N. L. Riggan, Virgil Brothers, Ruth Holloway, J. T. Davis, and L. M. Estes.

### Telephone Talk

by Cliff Fisher, Manager

### Telephone Service Improvements For Stanton In '61

As we move into the second year of the "Soaring Sixties," many of us in Stanton are busy with new plans for next year. The year ahead is always a new challenge. . . . A new opportunity for each of us to do a better job.

Our job at the telephone company is to continue providing you with ever-improving telephone service.

One way of improving your telephone service is to offer you a wider range of things that make telephone service more convenient and enjoyable. Examples are the new Princess phone, color phones, wall phones, and the new home inter- phone now being introduced.

Another way is to expand the communications network, improve its quality, make it more efficient and trouble-free. Here are some of the improvements planned for Stanton:

Pressurize cable, add long distance circuits and add lines and numbers for local service.

In 1961, we'll not only give you better service but we'll do it more efficiently. This is important, because greater efficiency helps fight inflation.

Our ability to achieve greater efficiency—through technical advances in the telephone business, innovations and new methods—helps make it possible for us to give you, at reasonable rates, telephone service that grows better year after year.

### Important New Film On National Defense

How safe are we from an enemy missile attack? A new color film, "Seconds for Survival," produced by the Bell System offers a dramatic and positive answer.

The film, which is being offered for showings at church, school, civic, and business group meetings, is narrated by Raymond Massey and shows how the United States defense network guards against enemy attack.

Would your group or club like to see this movie? If so, just call the telephone business office to make arrangements. There's no charge, of course. I hope you can see it soon.

Call by number. It's twice as fast.

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### Jerry Hall Wins Press Citation

Jerry Hall, a member of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal staff and formerly of Stanton, took top honors for the best written spot news story of the year in the annual Texas Associated Press Managing Editors' Association contest.

Also taking top honors with Hall was Everett Groseclose, who was co-writer of the article with Hall. Winners in the annual contests were announced in Fort Worth Saturday as the Texas Associated Press Managing Editors' Association opened its annual three-day session.

Hall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall and is well known in Stanton.

The story appeared in a February 8, 1960 edition of the Avalanche-Journal and told of the tragic death of three Texas Tech students near Silverton.

Visitors last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson were Mrs. Ethel Creamer and Mrs. W. E. Seward of Colorado City and Mrs. Fay Taylor of Miami, Florida.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gilmore and son visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ashley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Mashburn of Midland, visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Nora Mashburn.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Hightower and family were Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Newberry and family and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Newberry and daughter, all of Midland.

Mrs. Sarah Adams of Crane, visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Elvie Henson.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. Tunnell were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Tunnell and George of Midland. The group visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Tunnell.

Mrs. Homer Lee Hull was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at her home. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dee House and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bryant and family and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee Hull and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pope and family have moved to Midland to make their home.

Mrs. Leroy Linney has returned home from Malone-Hogan Hospital, Big Spring.

Shirley Henson of Midland, is spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leman Henson and Jerry.

Edgar Standefor has returned home from Veteran's Hospital, Big Spring, where he received a medical checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bentley and children spent the weekend in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moffett and family.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Louder and Linda were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thomson and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Rodricks, all of Big Spring.

Friday visitors with Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Murdock were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Coombs and Joe of Odessa.

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### PUBLIC NOTICE

From  
**The City Of Stanton**

It has been called to the attention of the City Council of Stanton, Texas that there have been numerous incidents where the lids of meter boxes and cutoff valves have been removed and the boxes left open or the lids left loose, thus causing a hazardous condition to exist where people have to walk.

It is the request of the City Officials that all boxes be kept closed and locked to protect the citizens of our community.

This request is in support of and in compliance with the city ordinance setting forth the regulations and maintenance of the Water and Sewer System. Towit:

Section Number 5, Paragraph Number 3:

It shall be unlawful for any person except the Water Superintendent, or some one authorized by him, to open any Water Cok or Water Stop Box. It shall be unlawful for any person except the Water Superintendent, or some one authorized by him, to turn, on or off the water at said Stops or Water Cocks, and any person violating this section of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not less than \$10.00 and not more than \$100.00.

Attest:  
**HARVEY WHITE**  
City Secretary

Signed: **S. W. Wheeler,**  
**S. W. Wheeler**  
Mayor

### Notice Taxpayers

Tuesday, January 31, 1961 is the LAST day to buy your poll tax to be able to vote in 1961.

It is also the LAST day to pay your 1960 State and County Taxes without paying Penalty and Interest.

Wednesday, February 1, 1961 is the FIRST day to buy your 1961 Registration Tags.

**Dan Saunders**

TAX COLLECTOR  
MARTIN COUNTY

### Telephone Talk

by Cliff Fisher, Manager

### Telephone Service Improvements For Stanton In '61

As we move into the second year of the "Soaring Sixties," many of us in Stanton are busy with new plans for next year. The year ahead is always a new challenge. . . . A new opportunity for each of us to do a better job.

Our job at the telephone company is to continue providing you with ever-improving telephone service.

One way of improving your telephone service is to offer you a wider range of things that make telephone service more convenient and enjoyable. Examples are the new Princess phone, color phones, wall phones, and the new home inter- phone now being introduced.

Another way is to expand the communications network, improve its quality, make it more efficient and trouble-free. Here are some of the improvements planned for Stanton:

Pressurize cable, add long distance circuits and add lines and numbers for local service.

In 1961, we'll not only give you better service but we'll do it more efficiently. This is important, because greater efficiency helps fight inflation.

### Important New Film On National Defense

How safe are we from an enemy missile attack? A new color film, "Seconds for Survival," produced by the Bell System offers a dramatic and positive answer.

The film, which is being offered for showings at church, school, civic, and business group meetings, is narrated by Raymond Massey and shows how the United States defense network guards against enemy attack.

Would your group or club like to see this movie? If so, just call the telephone business office to make arrangements. There's no charge, of course. I hope you can see it soon.

Call by number. It's twice as fast.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gilmore and son visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ashley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Mashburn of Midland, visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Nora Mashburn.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Hightower and family were Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Newberry and family and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Newberry and daughter, all of Midland.

Mrs. Sarah Adams of Crane, visited Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Elvie Henson.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. Tunnell were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Tunnell and George of Midland. The group visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Tunnell.

Mrs. Homer Lee Hull was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday at her home. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dee House and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bryant and family and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee Hull and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pope and family have moved to Midland to make their home.

Mrs. Leroy Linney has returned home from Malone-Hogan Hospital, Big Spring.

Shirley Henson of Midland, is spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leman Henson and Jerry.

Edgar Standefor has returned home from Veteran's Hospital, Big Spring, where he received a medical checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bentley and children spent the weekend in Snyder with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moffett and family.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Louder and Linda were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thomson and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Rodricks, all of Big Spring.

Friday visitors with Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Murdock were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Coombs and Joe of Odessa.



# ACKERLY NEWS

By MRS. BUCK BAKER

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Crain visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. Archer, who is a patient in the Medical Arts Hospital, Lamesa.

Ansel Harry of Big Spring, visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Baker visited recently with her brother, R. B. Myles, who is a patient in the Methodist Hospital, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Etheredge recently attended funeral services for his cousin, Jim Cave, in Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Baker visited Sunday with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Brown and daughter of Seagraves, and also with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Baker and daughters, Mrs. L. S. Ivy and Mrs. Cook, all of Seminole.

Mrs. Vestal Hall and Larry spent the weekend with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hall, stationed at Fort Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Peterson and daughters of Lamesa, visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

J. C. Niblett.  
Mrs. J. T. Cook has been a patient in a Big Spring hospital.

## Honor Roll Announced At Courtney School

Students making the honor roll for the first semester of school at Courtney School were announced this week by L. M. Hays Jr., principal.

To be named to the honor roll a student must have maintained an A average for the entire semester and must not have made below an A on any subject.

Named to the honor roll were Polly Creech, Phil Stroud, and Billy Coggin, first grade; Roy Kelly, Leslie Posey, second grade; Robbie Hazlewood, Patricia Coggin, and Gerald Smith, third grade.

Also Trudy Powell, Dianna Mims, fourth grade; Philip Payne, sixth grade and Betty Glaspie, Beth Biggs, seventh grade. No one in the fifth grade made the honor roll.

## New Arrivals

Captain and Mrs. John E. Hildebrand of Frankfurt, Germany, are the parents of a daughter born Friday, January 20 at a hospital in Frankfurt, Germany. She weighed six pounds 13 ounces and has been named Elizabeth.

The Hildebrands also have a daughter, Margaret Ann.  
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bentley of Stanton and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hildebrand of Chevy Chase, Md.

Captain Hildebrand is stationed in Germany with the U. S. Army. He is serving with the 97th general hospital in Frankfurt and Mrs. Hildebrand has been working with the 10th general dispensary in Frankfurt.

## Sewing Workshop To Begin On February 7

A clothing workshop for all interested Martin County women will be held Tuesday, February 7 at the county agent's office.

The workshop, which will be on simple dressmaking, will begin at 9:30 a.m. and will continue through about 11 a.m.

At the February 7 meeting plans for further meetings will be held and women will receive instructions on what they will need for the training sessions.

About four meetings will be held during February. Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent, will be in charge.

All interested women are invited to attend the workshop.

## \$670 Given - - -

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by this organization from the production of "Shooting Stars" to help build a community center.

Representatives unanimously voted to donate the amount to the library fund.

Mrs. Leo Turner, former president of the forum, presided over the session.

Rev. W. C. Wright, a member of the Rotary Club, spoke to the group about the current library fund raising drive and told some of the plans for the library.

Judge Jim McCoy reported to the group that the county commissioners' court plans to help back the library drive and told how the county is to help with the library.

Seventeen persons were present representing the following organizations, which were former members of the forum: Girl Scouts, First Methodist Church, Lions Club, Xi Alpha Beta Sorority, Xi Epsilon Delta Sorority, Stanton Parent-Teachers Association, Home Demonstration Club Council, Rebekah Lodge, Order of Eastern Star, Oddfellow Lodge, Masonic Lodge, Music Club, Study Club, Garden Club, American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary and the Martin County Chamber of Commerce.

The current Martin County Library improvement fund drive is being sponsored by the Stanton Rotary Club and the Stanton Study Club.

Mrs. Turner said one of the things which influenced the group to donate the money to the Library Fund was that Library Drive officials said long range library plans also call for the development of a community center.

## Lions Club Installs Six New Members

New members were installed when the Stanton Lions Club met Tuesday, January 24 at the Belvue Restaurant.

David Ellis of Midland, cabinet secretary of District 2A-1 installed the new members.

New members include C. B. Jones, Taylor Stephenson, L. M. Hays, Bob Deavenport, Ellis Todd, and Dr. J. M. Shy.

Cecil Bridges, program chairman, introduced Ellis. Jimmy Stallings, president, was in charge of the meeting.

Thirty-two guests and members were present. Guests included Ken Peeler, Forrest Reynolds, Don Edwards, E. O. Messersmith, Bill Webb, John Lucious, all of Midland; Mrs. Ellis Todd, Mrs. J. M. Shy and D. Gregory.

## Grady Group To Organize Health Unit

All interested Grady residents have been invited to be present at a meeting to organize a Community Health and Welfare Unit Tuesday evening, January 31 at the Grady School cafeteria.

The organizational meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Grady residents met Thursday morning, January 19 at the school to make plans to organize the unit. At the Thursday session a planning committee was selected to draw up plans for the group.

A meeting of the planning committee was scheduled for Tuesday evening, January 24. The group was to nominate officers and draw up long range plans, which are to be presented at the January 31 meeting.

Acting members of the committee are Mrs. Glen Cox, Mrs. Houston Woody, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Standefer, Mrs. A. C. Fleming, L. M. Hearn, Sam Cox, Carolyn Hernandez, and Mr. and Mrs. James Jones.

## Eight - - -

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sophomore, Stanton; and Larry Williams, junior, Post.

LINEBACKERS — Andy Barry, sophomore, Tahoka; Myril Cole, junior, Tahoka; Bill Graves, sophomore, Stanton; Bill Hudman, junior, Post; and Tommy Jones, junior, Denver City.

## Chamber - - -

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First Methodist Church, is to give the invocation.

Special guests will be introduced by James Eiland, retiring Chamber of Commerce treasurer and past president of the organization. Guests are expected to attend from Midland, Big Spring, Odessa, Andrews, Lamesa and a number of other area towns.

Those attending will be entertained with a number of vocal selections by Nancy Robnett and Kay Bryan. They will be accompanied on the piano by Joanna Epley. All three are Stanton High School students. Miss Robnett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robnett; Kay Bryan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bryan and Miss Epley's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Epley.

Outgoing officers will be recognized by John Wood. They include Roy Crim, retiring president; Gerald Hanson, vice president and James Eiland, treasurer. Retiring directors are W. W. Williams, O. L. Snodgrass Jr. and James Webb.

Roy Crim then will speak to the group and give a brief review of what has been accomplished during the past year. Crim also will introduce new officers.

Incoming officers include Gerald Hanson, president; David Workman, vice president and R. O. Anderson, treasurer. New directors are Workman, Bob Cox and Jimmy Bickley.

The new president is scheduled to speak to members and give plans for the coming year's work. He is to outline projects for the new year.

Hold over directors are James Eiland, Leo Turner, Jake Hodges, Gerald Hanson, R. O. Anderson, and C. R. Crim.

O. B. Bryan, chairman of the banquet committee, will introduce the guest speaker. The banquet committee was in charge of arranging for a speaker and making banquet plans.

To close the annual session Rev. W. H. Uhlman, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will give the benediction.

The Martin County Chamber of Commerce banquet is the capstone of all annual civic gatherings in Martin County. The attendance in the past has always exceeded 200 persons.

H. M. McReynolds, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, said a number of out-of-town guests have accepted invitations to attend, and a large crowd is expected again this year.

The meal is to be served by Xi Alpha Beta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

## Jimmy Bickley To Attend Meet In Lubbock

Jimmy Bickley, Stanton High School principal, will be in Lubbock Tuesday, January 31 to attend a workshop.

The workshop is to be held so school administrators and teachers can study the new Standards for Guidance recently adopted by the State Board.

It will be held at the W. B. Atkins Junior High School.  
The Texas Education Agency is sponsoring workshops of this type in all sections of Texas.

## Wolfcamp - - -

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gas per day from perforations at 11,424-66 feet. Gas-liquid ratio was 5,760-1. Gravity of the distillate was 54 degrees.

The project was drilled to 11,530 and 5½-inch casing set at 11,525 feet.

It is eight miles south of Stanton and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 50, block 37, Jim M. King survey.

Lone Star Producing Company has completed No. 1 Epley as a one-mile north extension to the Azalea (Devonian) gas field of Midland County.

The outpost finalized for a calculated absolute open flow potential of 6,400,000 cubic feet of gas per day from perforations at 11,238-11,366 feet. Gas-liquid ratio was 4,255-1.

The venture is 11 miles southwest of Stanton and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 39, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey.

Amarillo Oil Company has completed No. 1 Jim Franklin, southeast extension, of the Northeast of the Azalea (Devonian) field of Midland County.

It finalized for calculated absolute open flow potential of 4,750,000 cubic feet of gas per day from perforations at 11,304-14 feet and 11,252-96 feet. Gas-liquid ratio was 4,850-1. Gravity of the distillate was 49.5 degrees.

The 5½-inch casing is cemented at 11,440 feet, the total depth.

It is 10 miles southwest of Stanton and 660 feet from south and west lines of the north half of section 2, block 37, T-2-N, W. H. Glendening survey.

Mallard Petroleum, Inc., of Midland will drill No. 1 Casbeer Unit on the Azalea (Strawn and Devonian) gas field of Midland County.

It is 11 miles southwest of Stanton and 660 feet from north and 760 feet from east lines of section 11, block 38, T-2-S, T&P survey. Contract depth is 11,700 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Company has re-completed No. 1-F Mary F. Turner as a Spraberry Trend Area producer in Midland County.

The project pumped 93 barrels of 34.7-gravity, plus 36 per cent water, from perforations at 7,964-90 feet and 7,966-8-024 feet in 24 hours, after fracturing with 21,000 gallons. Gas-oil ratio was 692-1.

It is one-half mile northwest extension of the field, 22 miles southwest of Midland and 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 46, block 37, T-2-S, T&P survey.

## License Tags Go On Sale On Feb. 1

Sale of 1961 automobile license tags will begin Wednesday, February 1 in Martin County.

The tags were received in January by the tax assessor-collector. New tags have black numbers on a white background. Numbers assigned to the county this year for automobiles run from CS 9075 to CS 9999 and from CT 10 to CT 1474.

Residents who come to the office to register their vehicles are requested to bring their titles and last year's registration receipts with them.

Special tags will not be reserved this year by the county tax office. Office employees said it causes a lot of confusion and extra bookkeeping to try to reserve tags, and that it always causes more bad feelings when several people want the same number, so the office is continuing the policy it began last year of "first come, first served."

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Christopher have been visiting in Midland with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Christopher. Mrs. Christopher is seriously ill.

Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Murdock visited Sunday in Abilene with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Carter and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cox were in Lubbock Monday evening to attend a banquet and to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hall and family.

## J. C. Niblett To Sell Auto Registration Tags

J. C. Niblett, deputy tax collector at Ackerly, will begin selling license plates on February 1 as he has for the past 12 years.

Dan Saunders, county tax collector, said this is a service offered to the people of the northern end of the county.

Niblett operates a grocery at Ackerly.

## Funeral - - -

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Midland Reporter-Telegram.

Mrs. Seever's died Saturday after a long illness.

Survivors include the husband; a son, James Seever of Corpus Christi; a daughter, Mrs. James H. Scott of Lynnhaven, Va.; her father, J. H. Allison of Wichita Falls; two more brothers, Robert Allison of Denver, Colo., and George Allison of Arlington; and two sisters, Mrs. A. R. Gaus of Vero Beach, Fla., and Mrs. Dick Long of Wichita Falls.

Mrs. Seever was a native of Columbus, Ohio, and spent her girlhood in Nashville, Tennessee, and Fort Worth. She also had lived in Wichita Falls and Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Welch and children visited over the weekend in Las Vegas, N. M. with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bourland and sons. The Bourlands are former Martin County residents.

## Announcement

I Have Opened The EL PASO DIXIE SERVICE STATION

On Highway 80 In City Limits.

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— Courteous Service —

Dewey Anderson

Manager

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**Lubricates Itself**—You'll normally go 30,000 miles between chassis lubrications (which cost only about \$4.00 and take about 20 minutes) because Ford has replaced conventional grease fittings with a sealed-in lubrication system.

**Cleans Its Own Oil**—You'll go 4,000 miles between oil changes because Ford's Full-Flow oil filter gives you filtration through fibers... trapping more dirt than any other type of filter made.

**Adjusts Its Own Brakes**—New Truck Size brakes adjust themselves—automatically.

**Guards Its Own Muffler**—Ford mufflers are double-wrapped and insulated—to last three times as long as ordinary mufflers.

**Protects Its Own Body**—All vital underbody parts are specially processed to resist rust and corrosion, even to galvanizing the body panels beneath the doors.

**Takes Care of Its Own Finish**—New Diamond Lustre Finish never needs waxing.



Get our January SAVE-MOST DEAL on a '61 FORD FAIRLANE!

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All Friends of Mrs. Doratha Hayes and Clea Are Invited to a Housewarming Saturday, January 28 7 P. M. to 9 P. M. at their home 505 Burleson Ladies of Fellowship Baptist Church

TPA TEXAN OF THE YEAR AWARD Presented to Native Texan Paul Richards OF WAXAHACHIE

THIS AWARD is presented to Paul Richards, Texas' Top Sportsman, by the Daily, Weekly and Semi-Weekly Newspapers of Texas, represented by the Texas Press Association. It is presented in appreciation of the great honor which he has brought to the Lone Star State. It is in further tribute to his selection as American League Baseball Manager of the Year, while directing the Baltimore Orioles throughout the 1960 Season; his selection as Southwesterner of the Year for 1960 by the Texas Sports Writers Association; and his recognition by us as one of the most astute and colorful managers in baseball today.

Presented by The Texas Press Association on Jan. 21, 1961 at TPA's Mid-Winter Convention in San Antonio, Texas.

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION, representing the daily, weekly and semi-weekly newspapers of Texas, presented its first Annual Texan of the Year Award to Native Born Texan Paul Richards of Waxahachie. Presentation was made Saturday (January 21) at an Honor Banquet during TPA's 14th Annual Mid-Winter Convention in San Antonio. Above is a miniature reproduction of the large, 14"x17" engraved plaque which was presented on behalf of the Association by his hometown publisher William P. Davis of the Waxahachie Light.





By VERN SANFORD

When the Legislature faces a difficult problem on which there are sharp differences of opinion, the final legislation is usually a sort of Irish stew of compromises.

Ingredients for this session's main dish, state financing, are fast pouring into the pot. Simultaneously, Gov. Price Daniel and the Legislative Budget Board presented plans for state spending in 1962-63.

Governor Daniel recommended general revenue spending of \$479,964,734. Budget Board recommended \$336,183,172—a difference of \$123,781,562.

New spending recommended by the governor would include a medical care program for the aged, \$600 a year salary hikes for public school teachers and other improvement in education.

As a primary source of new money, the governor endorsed the payroll tax proposal recommended last fall by the State Finance Advisory Committee. He also approved raising state college tuition by \$50 a semester.

Daniel urged lawmakers to handle separately the deficits that's expected to be about \$65,000,000 by the end of the fiscal year. For this he tabbed a temporary 3 per cent natural gas tax, a franchise tax, escheat bill and transfer of the farm to market road program from the general revenue to the highway fund.

**ANNEXATION LIMIT PROPOSED** — A brake on headlong expansion of city limits would be provided in a bill introduced by Rep. W. T. Oliver of Port Neches.

Under the bill, cities could annex only 10 per cent of their surrounding territory each year. Meanwhile, each city would have a measure of control through "extraterritorial half to five miles deep on its jurisdiction of a zone from one meter. This would give the city direction over construction and sanitation codes and enable it to prevent the development of outlying slums.

Many officials feel that some Texas cities have gone overboard in annexing more territory than they are able to digest.

**AUTO INSURANCE CHANGE** — Sen. Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo, long time critic of present auto insurance regulations, has outlined a liberalized plan he will ask the Legislature to approve.

Changes recommended by the senator:

1. Use of only that part of a driver's record which was made since January, 1960, date the new merit system went into effect. As set up, insurance rates are based on driver's record for the past three years.

2. Eliminate from the list of violations causing insurance rate penalties (a) speeding less than 15 miles per hour over the limit (b) stop light violations involving amber, rather than red lights and (c) "creeping" at stop signs.

3. Eliminate from accidents that result in a penalty those where less than \$100 damage is caused. Present limit is \$25.

**SCHOOLS' PORTION DOWN** — Texas' public schools' share of state spending has dropped from 35.5 per cent in 1950 to 30.6 per cent in 1960.

In a report to Governor Daniel, Texas Education noted that while state spending on public schools has doubled in the decade, other states have upped school financing even more.

In the 1950-60 period, the scholastic population increased 34 per cent, enrollment 46 per cent and average daily attendance 50 per cent. State spending on schools rose from \$187,000,000 to \$356,000,000.

Texas State Board of Education, TEA's policy making body, has recommended a raise for teachers, but did not specify how much it felt the raise should be.

**WEALTH FROM THE PAST** — There's money to be made in museums, mansions and missions — if they're kept up and made attractive to tourists.

An improved and increased array of historic spots could increase tourism 10 per cent and thereby state tax revenue \$1,750,000 a year, the State Historical Survey Committee reported to the Legislature.

Committee did not ask for state funds to renovate historic buildings. Instead, it suggested an \$82,775 appropriation for leadership and guidance of local groups who want to preserve or improve something in their locale.

Also recommended was a \$50,000 a year appropriation for the Civil War Commission to be used in setting up Texas' part in the centennial observance. Other states in the South, many of whom have already combined scenery and Civil War mementoes to make big drawing cards for tourists, have the jump on centennial planning.

**PETTICOAT WAR** — Women's rights advocates have come to Austin every session, as far back as most legislative observers can remember, to try to get rid of one or more of the Texas laws that treat women differently from men.

Every session, the women are treated with courtesy, viewed with amusement, and their bills are good naturedly buried.

This year the irked women, mostly members of the Federated Business and Professional Women's Club, are going all out. Instead of trying to get one or two individual statutes repealed, they are trying for a constitutional amendment guaranteeing equal rights for women and abolishing — at a stroke — all laws to the contrary.

Rep. Ben Atwell of Hutchins (Dallas County) will introduce the measure in the House.

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Smith, a 32-year old attorney, succeeds Thad Hutcheson of Houston who resigned.

Republicans are setting their sights on: (1) Getting revisions in the election code which they blame for their loss of Texas in the general election (2) Running a strong race in the April 14 special election to name a new U. S. senator (3) Building up momentum for a serious effort to challenge U. S. Sen. Ralph Yarborough when he comes up for re-election in 1964.

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# Treasurer's Report

## Annual Report Of Elmo Reed, County Treasurer Of Martin County, Texas, Of Receipts And Expenditures From January 1 To December 31, 1960.

| JURY FUND                  |              |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Balance on January 1, 1960 | \$ 4,669.55  |
| Current Advalorem Tax      | 6,561.93     |
| Jury and Stenographer Fees | 24.00        |
| Jury Commissioners         | 70.00        |
| Grand Jury                 | 190.00       |
| Petit Jury                 | 2,500.00     |
| Court Reporter             | 900.00       |
| Miscellaneous              | 119.22       |
| Treasurer's Commission     | 249.25       |
| Totals                     | \$ 11,255.48 |
| Balance December 31, 1960  | 7,227.01     |

| ROAD & BRIDGE WARRANT SINKING FUND |              |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| SERIES OF 1938                     |              |
| Balance January 1, 1960            | \$ 5,533.98  |
| Current Advalorem Tax              | 16,554.00    |
| Principal on Warrants              | 4,000.00     |
| Interest on Warrants               | 2,583.46     |
| Bank Handling Fees                 | 45.00        |
| Treasurer's Commission             | 736.99       |
| Totals                             | \$ 22,087.98 |
| Balance December 31, 1960          | \$ 14,722.53 |

| ROAD AND BRIDGE FUNDS             |               |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| Balance January 1, 1960           | 74,782.44     |
| Current Advalorem Tax             | 16,106.52     |
| Automobile License                | 61,845.43     |
| State Gasoline Tax                | 19,370.11     |
| Miscellaneous Receipts            | 357.20        |
| Salary and Travel — Commissioners | 9,591.00      |
| Salary — County Judge             | 2,386.00      |
| Salary — Maintainer Operators     | 23,947.36     |
| Fuel, Oil, Tires and Repair       | 21,128.44     |
| Right of Way Expense              | 3,461.54      |
| Payment on Equipment              | 26,139.11     |
| Miscellaneous Road Materials      | 2,735.75      |
| Insurance                         | 2,726.97      |
| Social Security                   | 1,080.00      |
| Treasurer's Commission            | 5,782.16      |
| Totals                            | \$ 98,978.33  |
| Balance December 31, 1960         | \$ 172,461.70 |

| COURTHOUSE & JAIL BOND SINKING FUND |              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| Balance January 1, 1960             | \$ 10,127.29 |
| Current Advalorem Tax               | 8,351.57     |
| Interest on Investments             | 75.00        |
| Principal on Bonds                  | 5,000.00     |
| Interest on Bonds                   | 1,375.00     |
| Bank Handling Fees                  | 15.00        |
| Investments                         | 4,387.50     |
| Treasurer's Commission              | 611.24       |
| Totals                              | \$ 11,388.74 |
| Balance December 31, 1960           | \$ 7,165.12  |
| Securities Held                     | 5,000.00     |
| Total Valuation                     | 12,165.12    |

| GENERAL COUNTY FUND                                       |               |
|---|---------------|
| Balance January 1, 1960                                   | 78,312.16     |
| Current Advalorem Tax                                     | 41,311.82     |
| Miscellaneous Receipts                                    | 519.37        |
| Insurance Receipts On Hospital Damage                     | 1,247.08      |
| Salary — Janitor and Help                                 | 3,537.55      |
| Salary — Veteran's Service Officer                        | 2,463.14      |
| Travel and Office Expense                                 | 954.46        |
| Salary — County Agent                                     | 1,645.00      |
| Travel and Office Expense                                 | 899.10        |
| Salary — Home Demonstration Agent                         | 1,492.44      |
| Travel and Office Expense                                 | 321.43        |
| Salary — Assistants for County Agent and Home Demo. Agent | 399.11        |
| Salary — Librarian  | 599.25        |
| Building Repairs and Utilities                            | 2,903.80      |
| Prisoner Board and Expense                                | 2,087.05      |
| Audit and Property Valuation                              | 3,785.49      |
| Insurance on Buildings                                    | 1,031.36      |
| Hospital Building Repairs                                 | 1,869.45      |
| Hospital Operating Subsidy                                | 7,100.00      |
| Charity   | 779.61        |
| Miscellaneous Expenses                                    | 4,035.02      |
| Treasurer's Commission                                    | 1,694.34      |
| Totals  | \$ 115,909.49 |
| Balance December 31, 1960                                 | \$ 43,078.27  |

| ROAD BOND SINKING FUND OF 1951 |              |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Balance January 1, 1960        | \$ 32,868.71 |
| Current Advalorem Tax          | 33,108.06    |
| Interest on Investment         | 162.50       |
| Principal on Bonds             | 21,964.50    |
| Interest on Bonds              | 11,723.33    |
| Bank Handling Fees             | 52.15        |
| Treasurer's Commission         | 2,027.27     |
| Totals                         | \$ 35,767.25 |
| Balance December 31, 1960      | \$ 66,139.27 |
| Securities Held                | \$ 30,372.02 |
| Total Valuation                | 5,000.00     |
|                                | 35,372.02    |

| OFFICER'S SALARY FUND            |              |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Balance January 1, 1960          | 22,542.50    |
| Tax Collector's Fees             | 13,172.49    |
| County and District Clerk's Fees | 7,581.70     |
| Sheriff's Fees                   | 380.10       |
| County Judge's Fees              | 209.00       |
| County Attorney's Fees           | 9,704.10     |
| Constable's Fees                 | 411.65       |
| County Treasurer's Fees          | 12,686.78    |
| Fines — County and Justice Court | 8,612.82     |
| Trial Fees — Justice Court       | 1,139.85     |
| State Fees and Refunds           | 719.35       |
| Salary — County Judge            | 2,393.00     |
| Office Expense                   | 629.92       |
| Salary — Constable               | 1,400.00     |
| Expense                          | 64.05        |
| Salary — County Clerk            | 5,200.53     |
| Salary — Deputy County Clerk     | 4,092.60     |
| Office Expense                   | 3,444.43     |
| Salary — Sheriff                 | 5,320.98     |
| Salary — Deputy Sheriffs         | 9,332.14     |
| Office Expense                   | 2,677.48     |
| Automobile Operation             | 6,174.34     |
| Salary — County Attorney         | 4,794.00     |
| Office Expense                   | 211.98       |
| Salary — County Treasurer        | 5,200.53     |
| Office Expense                   | 549.23       |
| Justice of Peace Office Expense  | 221.51       |
| Social Security                  | 1,050.00     |
| Totals                           | \$ 52,756.72 |
| Balance December 31, 1960        | \$ 75,056.23 |

| ROAD BOND SINKING FUND OF 1952 |              |
|--------------------------------|--------------|
| Balance January 1, 1960        | \$ 14,777.01 |
| Current Advalorem Tax          | 20,580.68    |
| Interest on Investment         | 632.50       |
| Principal on Bonds             | 7,000.00     |
| Interest on Bonds              | 6,935.00     |
| Bank Handling Fees             | 29.30        |
| Treasurer's Commission         | 1,322.81     |
| Total                          | \$ 15,287.11 |
| Balance December 31, 1960      | \$ 35,990.19 |
| Securities Held                | \$ 20,703.08 |
| Total Valuation                | 20,000.00    |
|                                | 40,703.08    |

| PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND           |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Balance January 1, 1961              | \$ 1,872.19 |
| Current Advalorem Tax                | 894.77      |
| Equipment and Repairs for Courthouse | 1,566.46    |
| Hospital Repairs                     | 865.03      |
| Treasurer's Commission               | 60.65       |
| Totals                               | \$ 2,492.14 |
| Balance December 31, 1960            | \$ 2,766.96 |

| HOSPITAL BOND SINKING FUND |              |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| Balance January 1, 1960    | \$ 8,675.48  |
| Current Advalorem Tax      | 5,667.14     |
| Interest on Bonds          | 2,062.50     |
| Bank Handling Fees         | 20.00        |
| Treasurer's Commission     | 202.47       |
| Totals                     | \$ 2,284.97  |
| Balance December 31, 1960  | \$ 14,342.62 |

| SOCIAL SECURITY FUND      |             |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| Balance January 1, 1960   | \$ 52.82    |
| Employer's Matching Funds | 2,230.00    |
| Withholding From Salaries | 2,222.52    |
| Social Security Paid      | 4,248.42    |
| Administrative Fee        | 21.99       |
| Totals                    | \$ 4,270.41 |
| Balance December 31, 1960 | 234.93      |

| OUTSTANDING INDEBTEDNESS DECEMBER 31, 1960  |              |
|---|--------------|
| Courthouse and Jail Bonds                   | \$ 50,000.00 |
| Road Bonds of 1951                          | 381,000.00   |
| Road Bonds of 1952                          | 216,000.00   |
| Hospital Bonds                              | 75,000.00    |
| Road and Bridge Warrants 1949               | 11,000.00    |
| Road and Bridge Warrants 1950, Series No. 1 | 18,000.00    |
| Road and Bridge Warrants 1950, Series No. 2 | 8,000.00     |
| Road and Bridge Warrants 1952               | 18,000.00    |
| Road and Bridge Warrants 1955               | 11,532.23    |
| Machinery Lease — Purchase Agreements       | 49,187.32    |
| Cap Rock Electric Co-Op                     | 11,149.49    |
| Pinneer Natural Gas Company                 | 11,703.16    |
| Total                                       | \$860,572.20 |

The foregoing report is true and correct.  
(SEAL) ELMO REED, County Treasurer  
Sworn to and subscribed before, this 18th day of January, 1961.  
KATHLEEN LEWIS, Notary Public For Martin County, Texas.

### Grady Tourney To Begin On Thurs. Morning

Play in the Grady Junior High Invitational Basketball Tournament will begin Thursday morning.

The tournament will continue through Friday and Saturday. Teams from eight schools have entered the tournament. Both boys and girls teams have entered from Centerpoint, Courtney, Union, Grady, Garden City, Flower Grove, Stanton and Greenwood.

Centerpoint girls will meet Grady girls in the opening game at 10 a.m. Thursday. Grady boys will play Centerpoint boys at 11 a.m. Thursday.

First and second winners in both the girls and boys division will receive trophies. Trophies will also be presented for sportsmanship and to boys and girls teams who win first consolation. Individual awards will go to members of the all-tournament teams.

Finals will be played Saturday. Playoff for girls' consolation will begin at 5:30 p.m. At 6:30 p.m. play for boys consolation will begin. Girls will begin playing for the championship award at 7:30 p.m. and the boys finals will be at 8:30 p.m.

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# Clubs ★ Personalities ★ Churches

## Xi Alpha Beta Views Pictures Of Europe

"Northwestern Europe" was discussed when Xi Alpha Beta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Lila Flanagan, with Mrs. Ed Robnett as hostess.

Mrs. Ed Robnett and Mrs. James Eiland presented the program. Mrs. Robnett spoke on "The British Isles." Mrs. Eiland's topic was "Belgium, Holland, and Germany."

Mrs. Lila Flanagan showed pictures she took during a recent trip to Europe. Mrs. Flanagan also exhibited items she purchased on her trip.

Mrs. Glen Gates presided over the business session. Members made plans for serving the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet on Monday, January 30, and also made plans to accompany Future Homemakers of America on the drive for the March of Dimes.

Present were Mesdames P. M. Bristow, Glenn L. Brown, James Eiland, Glen Gates, Bob Halslip, Bob Latimer, Elmer Long, Stanley Reid, Jess Talton, Leo Turner, J. M. Yater, Ed Robnett, Lila Flanagan, Houston Woody, and Miss Sammie Laws.

## Deputy Grand Matron Visits OES Chapter

Mrs. Marye Wright of Big Spring, made her official visit to Stanton Chapter No. 409, Order of the Eastern Star, Thursday evening at the Masonic Lodge.

Mrs. Wright is deputy grand matron, District Two, Section Eight, Grand Chapter of Texas.

Before the meeting, she was honored with a salad supper.

Mrs. John Wood, worthy matron and Edgar Standefer, worthy patron, presided at the meeting.

Mrs. Wright extended greetings from the worthy grand matron, Mrs. Agnes Lee Howard of Albany. She was presented with a gift and an honorary membership in the chapter.

Following the meeting, a social hour was held. Punch, coffee and cookies were served. The refreshment table was laid with a gold cloth overlaid with gold net and centered with a floral arrangement.

Twenty-six members were present. Guests attended from Laura B. Hart Chapter No. 1019 of Big Spring, and Clara Mills Chapter No. 1032 of Midkiff.

Sandra and Sharon Sale, who attend Baylor University in Waco, have been visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Sale and Jimmy.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Allen of Midland, visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baugh.

Virginia Pribilya, Deborah Holloway, and Mrs. Gleen Holloway.

## Mrs. McIlvain Hostess To Lakeview Club

Mrs. Bill McIlvain was hostess Thursday to a meeting of the Lakeview Home Demonstration Club in her home.

Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent, gave the program, "Salads For Every Meal." Yearbooks were filled out.

Present were Mesdames Horace Tubb, Floyd Martin, Walter Hill-dreth, Ernest Reynolds, Ray Russell, Bill McIlvain, W. D. Bryant, Mildred Eiland and one new member, Mrs. Olivia Phillips.

The next meeting will be February 2 at the home of Mrs. Floyd Martin. Mrs. Claude Russell will give the program.

## Mrs. Glaze Hostess To Tarzan Club

Mrs. Joe Glaze was hostess to a meeting of the Tarzan Home Demonstration Club Wednesday, January 18 in her home.

Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent, gave the program, "A Salad For Every Meal." A report on the Martin County Home Demonstration Club Council meeting was given by Mrs. Clyde Cravens and Mrs. L. M. Hearn.

Present were Mesdames Raymond Pribilya, Homer Howard Sr., Houston Woody, Woody Smith, Clyde Cravens, Jim Jones, Bob Cox, A. H. Tate, L. M. Hearn, Sam Cox, Bob Hazlewood, Sammy Yates, Joe Glaze, and one guest.



**WEDDING PLANS ANNOUNCED**—Mrs. Beryl Richardson, 122 Mobile St., Big Spring, has announced the engagement of her son, Charles Hale, to Sylvia Richardson to Charles Hale of Stanton. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hale of Stanton. The wedding will be Friday, February 3 at the Highway 80 Church of Christ, Big Spring. All friends are invited to attend the ceremony. Miss Richardson is a graduate of Big Spring High School and Hale graduated from Stanton High School.

## Mrs. Carlile Hostess To Stanton Club

Mrs. Lewis Carlile was hostess to a meeting of the Stanton Home Demonstration Club Wednesday, January 18 in her home.

Mrs. Leo Turner was guest speaker and discussed "Citizenship."

Mrs. W. T. Wells, president, was in charge of the meeting. During the business session Mrs. N. L. Riggan was elected treasurer to take the place of Mrs. P. M. Bristow, who resigned.

Roll call was answered with "A Proverb I Live By."

Refreshments of chicken salad, olives, fruit cake and hot fruit punch were served to a new member, Mrs. Jim McCoy; and Mesdames P. M. Bristow, Les Durham, Walter Graves, Roy Linney, N. L. Riggan, John Roueche, W. T. Wells, O. L. Rush, Jim McCoy, Leo Turner, and Carlile.

The next meeting will be February 1 at the home of Mrs. Les Durham.

## Choral Club Entertains For Music Club

Members of the Stanton High School choral club presented the program when the Stanton Music Club, Texas Federation of Music Clubs, met Wednesday, January 18 at the home of Mrs. James Jones.

Mrs. John Wood directed the group in the singing of "Kentucky Babe," "The Bells of St. Mary," a spiritual number, "All Night, All Day," and a canon, "The Federation Hymn." They were introduced by Mrs. Paige Eiland.

Presenting the program were Patricia Miller, Brenda Bryant, Nancy Williams, Linda Saunders, Reba Kay Saunders, and Carol Nichols. They were accompanied on the piano by Phyllis Long.

Mrs. Guy Eiland was in charge of the business session. Members discussed the junior music convention held in Midland.

Refreshments of hot punch and cookies were served to Mrs. Guy Eiland, Mrs. Paige Eiland, Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, and Mrs. James Jones.

## Girl Scouts Met January 17

Grady Girl Scout Troop 297 met Tuesday afternoon, January 17 at Grady Scout house.

Reports were given on the West Texas Girl Scout Council meeting members attended recently in Snyder.

Present were Ninfa Bryant, Marva Cox, Debbie Collins, Linda Franklin, Sandra Jones, Joyce Kennedy, Charlotte Kuhlman, Carolyn Springer, Evonne Welch, and Mrs. James Jones.

## Dee Rogers Honored With Birthday Dinner

Dee Rogers was honored on his birthday with a family dinner Sunday in his home.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Rogers and Bobby of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers and daughter of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rogers and Dick.

## RLDS Women Met Thursday

Elder Charles Renfro of Midland, taught the lesson when the Women's Department of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints met Thursday evening at the church.

"What Language Are Our Families Speaking" was the topic of the program.

Mrs. Carl Leonard Jr. of Midland, woman's leader was in charge. Mrs. Hubert Bratcher of Big Spring, sang "Lord Speak To Me."

A poem was read by Mrs. Tommy Hursh. Prayers were given by Mrs. Bill Carr of Midland, and Mrs. Gerald Koonce of Midland.

Present were Mesdames Bill Carr, Gerald Koonce, Bill Jarvis, El Saunders, Denton Hines, Carl Leonard Jr., all of Midland; Mesdames Bill Miller, Hubert Bratcher, and Jerry Gibson, all of Big Spring; Mesdames M. L. Koonce, Fred Church, Douglas Church, Delmar Hamm, Tommy Hursh, and Steve Church.

## PERSONALS

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Polk were Elder and Mrs. Olen Robinson of Odessa. Mrs. Annie Odell of Lenora also has been visiting with the Polks.

Joetta Franklin, a student at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Franklin and Terry.

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

## Courtney SS Class Met In Bradshaw Home

Mrs. Troy Bradshaw was hostess to a meeting of the Homemakers Sunday School Class of the Courtney Baptist Church Thursday in her home.

Mrs. Gene Reynolds gave a devotional. In charge of the meeting was Mrs. M. I. Yell, president.

Refreshments of coffee, Cokes, German chocolate cake, crackers and pimento cheese spread, pickles and olives were served to Mesdames Gene Reynolds, M. I. Yell, N. L. Range, Joe Stewart, Claude Gaspie Jr., Leo Payne, L. E. Turner, and Troy Bradshaw.

## Mrs. Barbee Gives Program For Mu Lambda

Mrs. H. J. Barbee presented the program at a meeting of Mu Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. O. L. Snodgrass.

"Literacy" was the topic of the program given.

Mrs. Leland Nelson, vice president, was in charge of the business session in the absence of the president. Plans were discussed for a book review in March.

Present were Mesdames Douglas Agee, H. J. Barbee, Jess Burns, D. M. Costlow, Harlin Dauphin, J. C. Epley, John Ferguson, Larry Lewis, James Manning, Leland Nelson, Homer Schwalbe, Connie Mack Hood, Robert Herzog, and O. L. Snodgrass.

## Rho Xi Has Supper Thursday Night

Members of Rho Xi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi were entertained with a spaghetti supper Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Butcher. Cohostess was Mrs. R. S. Higgins.

During the business session plans were made to hold a Valentine party on February 11. Members' husbands will be guests and supper will be served. Also plans were discussed for a style show to be held in March.

"The Garden" was the topic of a program given by Mesdames Homer Henson, Paul Briggs, and Jimmy Butcher.

Spaghetti, tossed salad, tea, cookies and coffee were served to Mesdames Tom Ed Angel, Ellis Britton, Paul Briggs, Jimmy Butcher, Bob Cox, W. A. Douglas, Gerald Hanson, Homer Henson, Jimmy Henson, R. S. Higgins Jr., Kenneth Holcombe, Eldon Hopkins, and Gene Perry.

## Mrs. Thompson Hostess To BSP Chapter

Xi Epsilon Delta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Owen Thompson.

Mrs. Julie Reid and Mrs. John Rouseche presented the program, "High Moments in Art."

Mrs. Owen Thompson, vice president, presided over the business session in the absence of the president.

Present were Mesdames James Webb, Jess Woody, Jack Iretton, John Rouseche, Julie Reid and Thompson.

## Community Calendar

- LIONS CLUB — Every Tuesday at noon.
- ROTARY CLUB — Every Wednesday at noon.
- WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE, First Methodist Church
  - Circle No. One ..... Every Monday at 2 p.m.
  - Circle No. Two ..... Every Tuesday at 3:30 p.m.
- WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD, First Methodist Church
  - Second Monday night of each month.
- MEN'S DEPARTMENT, First Methodist Church
  - Second Wednesday night of each month.
- BETA SIGMA PHI
  - Xi Alpha Beta Chapter..... First and Third Thursdays
  - Mu Lambda Chapter..... First and Third Thursdays
  - Rho Xi Chapter..... First and Third Thursdays
  - Xi Epsilon Delta Chapter... First and Third Thursdays
- STANTON PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION
  - Second Tuesday of each month
- STANTON BAND BOOSTERS CLUB
  - Fourth Tuesday night of each month
- HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS
  - Valley View Home Demonstration Club
    - Second and Fourth Thursdays
  - Flower Grove Home Demonstration Club
    - First and Third Thursdays
  - Stanton Home Demonstration Club
    - First and Third Wednesdays
  - Tarzan Home Demonstration Club
    - First and Third Wednesdays
  - Lakeview Home Demonstration Club
    - First and Third Thursdays
  - Courtney Home Demonstration Club
    - Second and Fourth Wednesdays
  - Courtney Morning Home Demonstration Club
    - Second and Fourth Thursdays
  - Home Demonstration Council
    - Third Tuesday of each month
- REBEKAH LODGE ..... Every Monday night
- ORDER OF EASTERN STAR. First Tuesday of each month
- ODDFELLOW LODGE..... Every Thursday night
- GIRL SCOUT NEIGHBORHOOD LEADERS
  - First Tuesday morning of each month, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, First Baptist Church
  - Mary Stamps Circle.....Third and fourth Mondays
  - Vivian Hickerson Circle.....Third and fourth Tuesday mornings
- Blanche Grove Circle.....Second and fourth Tuesday nights
- All Circles on first Tuesday at church for visitation; Mary Stamps and Vivian Hickerson Circles on Second Tuesday morning in joint session.
- BROTHERHOOD, First Baptist Church.....second Thursday nights
- WOMEN'S DIVISION, Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.....First and Third Thursday nights
- MASONIC LODGE ..... Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each month
- Junior Chamber Of Commerce ..... Second and Fourth Tuesdays
- MUSIC CLUB First and Third Wednesdays of each month
- LADIES BIBLE CLASS 2 p.m. each Monday at the home of Mrs. P. G. Smithson
- STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB Every other Wednesday
- GRADY PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION Third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
- STUDY CLUB Second and Fourth Thursdays of each month
- GARDEN CLUB Fourth Tuesday of each month
- AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY Third Tuesday of November, January, March, May, July, September.
- THURSDAY BRIDGE-LUNCHEON CLUB Second and Fourth Thursday of each month
- AMERICAN LEGION First Tuesday night of each month
- ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC ALTAR SOCIETY Second Wednesday of each month

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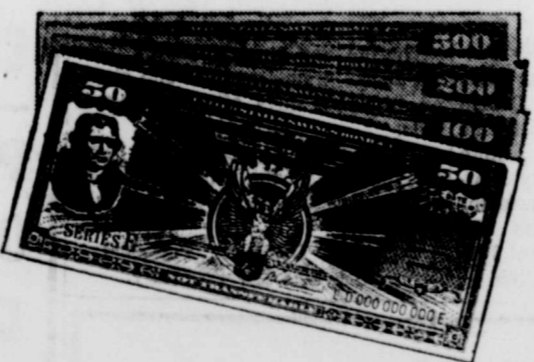
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# The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

**W**E were delighted to receive the renewal subscription this week from V. P. LILES of 1711 Park, Huntington Beach, California. We also had a renewal check from JOE E. DAVIS, 5207 N. Willow, Bothany, Oklahoma. We have subscribers in many states and are proud of each one. Our mail brought a renewal from the WYNNE PRESS CLIPPING BUREAU, Livingston, New Jersey, this week. WYNNE'S is a division of BURRELLE'S of New York, established in 1888. The clipping service finds articles in THE STANTON REPORTER interesting enough to clip out for clients. Not too many newspapers are picked for a subscription from WYNNE'S.

**P**ERHAPS our readers will appreciate this story. There was the department store manager who reduced stealing in his place of business to a bare minimum by hiring a cross-eyed detective. No one could tell when he was watching.

**S**OME people think an army travels on its stomach. We are of the opinion that an army travels on its sense of humor. This little gem is good. A one-star general was assigned to training draftees in the hottest, sandiest corner of West Texas. He staggered back from a ten-mile hike at the head of his troops one evening and fell moaning on the bed. "These boots," he announced, "are about to kill me. I swear they're three sizes too small." "Let me get you a new pair," suggested his orderly. "Not on your life," cried the general. "We have no clear water, women, golf or movies. Taking off these blank-blank boots is the only pleasure I've got left!"

**L**AST Friday night, following a meeting in the church house, REV. W. C. WRIGHT glimpsed the lights glowing at the news office and dropped by. The minister is a brother Rotarian and he gets a big charge out of ribbing us about the press. His customary salutation when greeting us goes "down with the press." We reply in kind, and that's why we get along well. The preacher holds fast to his principles and expresses them. So do we. We have something else in common too—both of us take to chocolate candy and Kentucky sausage. But because your writer hates sham and doesn't want to leave the impression that we always consort with the clergy, we candidly admit that there are other things we do that does not meet with the approval of REV. WRIGHT.

**T**HE Fort Worth Fat Stock Show opens up Friday. We want all our West Texas friends to go up to Tarrant County and help with their attendance. Of course, things change, and the publicity men allied with the Fort Worth show have changed some too. They now call the Fat Stock Show the "exposition." Maybe so. But in the lead line of the press release we read they did mention the fact that Fort Worth is "The City Where the West Begins." That is a debatable point. We still hold that "The West Begins" where the motorist or tourist stops seeing chill tonic signs on barns. That could be somewhere between Tyler and Dallas.

**G.** A. MOORE of De Leon mailed in his renewal this week. MR. MOORE is the father of MRS. RAY KELLY. We also had a check for a renewal from CLYDE E. THOMAS, Big Spring. THOMAS is a well known area attorney. From Littlefield we received the renewal of FRED COOK and BILLY R. HAMM, 7915 Alida Street, La Mesa, California really expressed faith in the newspaper. He wrote a nice note and paid his subscription up until 1964.

**T**HEY told this story in East Texas last week. A grammar school student telephoned her father and told him that her room was the only one in the school system that did not have a TV set and wanted to request that he buy one that very day for her classmates. He wanted to know what prompted the hurry. She replied: "This is the day they integrate the President."

**L**ADIES of the FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH will sponsor a housewarming for MRS. DORATHA HAYES and her daughter, CLETA, on Saturday, January 28. TERRY WORLEY, genial wife of our friend, DON, and a member of the church, advised the press of the coming affair this week. Congratulations to MRS. HAYES and her daughter and may their home always be blessed with a generous combination of all the good things of life.

**S**HERIFF DAN SAUNDERS walked into the newspaper office about three o'clock Tuesday afternoon. It was good to see the best peace officer in the state up and around after a session in a Big Spring hospital. DAN SAUNDERS wrote us a short note the night before undergoing surgery and we shall always remember the contents. It meant a lot to us and we mean it now, when we say to DAN, "Sure glad everything turned out alright for you, sheriff."

**A** LOT of new African nations have been admitted to the United Nations. It is a well known fact that the inhabitants of these new democracies are not ready for self-government in many instances. A prominent editor of a national magazine was recently asked when he thought the Africans would be capable of self-government and he replied, "When they stop eating each other." Incidentally, this editor is the same man who said: "I would rather be governed by the first 2,000 people in the telephone directory, than by the Harvard University Faculty."

**F**RANK DAVIS, staff writer for THE MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM, arrived at our office Saturday about twelve-thirty. He was on assignment to cover the LIVESTOCK SHOW. FRANK joined us for lunch. The menu consisted of quail fried done to a golden brown, barbecued center cut pork chops, bread, apple turnovers, and milk. FRANK and yours truly, dined on a make-up table laid with a couple of sheets of 36 by 48 newsprint in the back of the newspaper office. Our fellow journalist complimented our cooking by leaving nothing on his plate. He extended the compliment, when he made history with these words: "I enjoyed the chow."

**C**ARLA DANETTE WATTS, daughter of JOY and A. L. arrived just before press time Wednesday. The staff salutes the little girl who already is destined to be a newspaper gal 'cause she made the deadline.

# Classified Ads

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| <b>CARD OF THANKS</b> B   | <b>MERCANDISE</b> K   |
| To the many friends who called, sent cards and flowers and who came to visit me while I was confined to the hospital in Big Spring, my family and I would like to express our great appreciation to you.<br>Dan Saunders. | <b>Building Material</b> K-2<br><b>NEI D CONCRETE?</b><br>Our Ready-Mix concrete plant is open for business, and we solicit your order.<br><b>B &amp; H Ready-Mix Co.</b><br>Stanton<br>Bob Haislip Harry Haislip<br>15-4tc |
| <b>LOST &amp; FOUND</b> C   | <b>Miscellaneous</b> K-8  |
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| <b>BUS. OPPORTUNITIES</b> E   | <b>RENTALS</b> L  |
| <b>Business Chances</b> E-1   | <b>Apartments</b> L-1   |
| <b>Business Wanted</b> E-3  | <b>FOR RENT</b> — Furnished apartment. Two rooms and bath. Call Mrs. H. O. Phillips.  |
| <b>SMALL APPLIANCE REPAIR</b><br>Mixers—Toasters—Irons<br>Heaters — Heating Pads — Vac<br>Cleaners — Razors — Lamps — Floor<br>Lamps — Etc.<br>Jack Bentley<br>West Stanton GL 8-3442                                     | <b>FOR RENT</b> — Small unfurnished house. JAMES JONES.   |
| <b>BUSINESS SERVICES</b> F  | <b>HOUSE FOR RENT</b> — Three bedrooms, utility room, large carpeted living room. Close in. \$50 month. Call VA 7-3589. Goldsmith.  |
| <b>Building Services</b> F-1  | <b>REAL ESTATE</b> M  |
| Plumbing, heating and air conditioning. Equipped with ditch digger and loader machinery. WALTER GRAVES, Phone SK 6-3468, 505 West Broadway.   | <b>Acreage For Sale</b> M-1   |
| <b>EXPERT PLUMBING</b> — For Guaranteed LICENSED Plumbing and Repair. See or call after 5 p.m. and on Saturdays. JOHN T. OWEN, OWEN PLUMBING AND REPAIR, 108 West Fourth, Phone SK 6-3400.                                | 320 acres irrigated farm for sale or rent. Natural gas. 47 miles south, 1 1/2 east, 1 1/2 north, Stanton. \$150 per acre. Grover Durham, Star Rt. 2, Littlefield, Texas.  |
| <b>NOW — SINGER SALES AND SERVICE</b><br>Sewing Machines—Vacuum Cleaners<br>Floor Polishers<br>Repairs — All Makes.<br>JACK BENTLEY<br>Stanton<br>West Stanton GL 8-3442<br>Big Spring AM 4-5385                          | <b>Houses For Sale</b> M-4  |
| <b>FARM &amp; RANCH</b> J   | <b>FOR SALE</b> —My mother's house one block west of hospital. Contact Dan Saunders.  |
| <b>Feed, Seed &amp; Grain</b> J-3   | <b>FOR SALE OR TRADE</b> —Six room house and three lots. \$1,700. Also two horses. 409 South St. Peter. Phone SK 6-3708.  |
| <b>FOR SALE</b> —State Registered Western Stormproof cottonseed. Direct from breeder and grower. S. E. CROSS, Phone SK 6-2257.  | <b>WILL TRADE</b> two-bedroom house in Washington Place Addition, Big Spring for house in Stanton. Call J. H. Milford at Baptist Camp, GL 8-3467.   |
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| <b>COOPERATIVE GIN &amp; SUPPLY CO.</b><br>600 N. E. 2nd Phone AM 3-2261<br>Big Spring, Texas   |   |
| <b>Miscellaneous</b> J-5  |   |
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## Grady School Honor Roll Announced

Students making the honor roll for the third six weeks of school at Grady School have been announced.

L. M. Hearn, principal, announced the honor students this week. Those named to the honor roll include Nancy Pugh, Virginia Pribyla, Larry Franklin, Thomas Blessingame, Jennifer Geurin, Diana Lynn Harding, third grade; Lonce Hopper, Jack Madison, Estela Duque, Ann Haggard, Brenda Hopper, Mary Ramos, fourth.

Also Jimmie Jones, Robert Haggard, Sandra Pugh, Jimmie Walker, Elizabeth Perry, Johnny Louder, Anita Woody and Mary Pribyla, fifth; Janelle Tate, Pat Springer, Mike Springer, Allen Springer, Carol Ann Pribyla, Judy Overby, Bobby Hamm, Kevin Fryar, Jerry Cox, and Ardell Blessingame, sixth. Mike Barnett, Eddie Odum, Wade Geurin, Mary Etta Glaze, Debbie Collins, Sandra Jones, Euvonne Welch, Kenneth Pribyla, Ninfa Bryant, Danny Smith, Johnny Howard, and Dena Robertson, seventh; Hortensia Brisenio, Cherylene McMorris, Becky Haggard, Carol Ringener, and Pablo Bryant, eighth.

## Grade School Honor Students Named At Stanton

Honor students for the first semester of school at Stanton Elementary School were announced this week.

J. M. Yater, elementary principal, said for a student to be placed on the semester honor roll he must have made an A in every subject for the entire semester.

Named to the honor roll were Robert Patterson, Debra Martin, Margaret Jo Lanford, Carla Perry, Rosa Sanchez, Frank Sateo, Mrs. Philip White's first grade; Lyn Herzog, Edna McKinzie, Kathryn Pickett, Leslie Sebesta, Curtis Flanagan, Judy Costlow, Mrs. L. M. Hays' first grade.

Also Victor Bentley, Judy Driggers, David Workman, Roger Graves, Rebecca Graves, Mrs. Phil Berry's third grade; Jan Dauphin, Stanley Louder, Stephen Stallings, Genevera Middleton's third grade.

Laura Coslow, Melrae Angel, Linda Holder, Sharon Branley, Sheila Manning, Robert Shain, Claude Straub, Mrs. H. J. Barbee's fourth grade; David Greenhaw, Frances Deavenport, Jimmy Louder, Cindy Davis, Brenda Holland, Mrs. Evelyn Lankford's fourth grade.

Glen Lawson, Bill Romine, Bonnie Glynn, Mrs. J. C. Epley's fifth grade; Karl Herzog, Scherry Avery, Luan Louder, Douglas Jobe's fifth grade; Buddy Shanks, Butch Robnett, Beverly Clements, Kathy Workman, Sherry Vest, sixth grade; Susan Brandt, seventh grade; and Carroll Anderson, Mary Wilson and Connie Gillum, eighth grade.

## RLDS Women Hostess To District Meet

Women of the Stanton branch of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints were hostess to a District Women's Institute Workshop Monday at the church.

The meeting got underway at 9 a.m. with Mrs. Otis Baker of Odessa, district woman's leader, in charge.

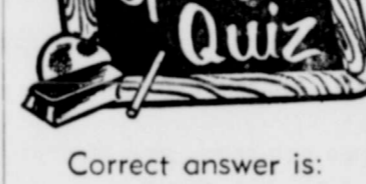
Mrs. Carl Leonard Jr. of Midland served as organist. Mrs. Roy Koonce sang a solo.

"Co-laborers Together With God" was the topic of a panel discussion. After the general meeting discussion groups met to discuss duties of various committees in the women's work.

A salad luncheon was served at noon. Women attended from Stanton, Hobbs, N. M., Odessa, Big Spring, and Midland.

Mrs. S. A. Ashley has been visiting in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. Conely Owens.

Mrs. L. A. Ashley visited recently in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Gilmore and son.



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## LEGAL NOTICE

The Grady School Board will accept sealed bids on a 30x60 frame building used as a lunchroom. All bids must be accompanied by certified checks for 10 per cent of bid with balance to be paid upon acceptance of bid.

The school board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The building must be moved from the school ground and the site cleared within 60 days after opening of bids.

Bids will be opened at the regular meeting of the school board at Grady School February 6, at 7:30 p.m.

M. C. LOUDER, President  
COY WELCH, Secretary

## Notice Taxpayers

Your Poll Tax was not included in the total amount shown on your 1960 tax statement. Be sure to check your receipts, if you paid your tax by mail, to see if your Poll Tax was included. We have received lots of checks by mail that did not include their Poll Tax. No Poll Tax will be issued postmarked later than January 31, 1961.

**Dan Saunders**  
TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR, MARTIN COUNTY

## GS Leaders Make Plans For Day Camp

Members of the Martin County Girl Scout Day Camp Committee met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Stanley Reid to lay plans and appoint committees for the coming Day Camp for County Girl Scouts.

Mrs. J. D. Poe was appointed director for the 1961 Day Camp, which will be held May 29 through June 3 on the George Peters farm, north of Stanton.

To Scout leaders and the 165 Girl Scouts of Martin County, this Day Camp is a way of living which stimulates mind and body, enriches life, and builds the habits of happy, cooperative living.

Procurement of supplies, such as tents, flies for shading the study areas, materials to further the study in arts and crafts, financing the cookout events and the other incidental expenses were discussed.

The group also set the date for the annual Girl Scout drive for Tuesday, February 7. At this time, men of the community and friends of Girl Scouting, will canvass merchants and citizens of Martin County in an effort to raise the necessary funds to further Girl Scout projects.

At the Day Camp this year, new and varied programs will be intro-

## Mrs. Flanagan Gives Program For Rotarians

Mrs. Lila Flanagan presented the program when the Stanton Rotary Club met Wednesday, January 18 at the Rite Way Cafe.

Mrs. Flanagan showed and commented on a film she made during a recent trip to England and Europe.

The guest was introduced by Arthur Wilson, program chairman. George Shelburne, president, was in charge of the meeting. The invocation was given by Rev. Ellis Todd.

Guests were introduced by Coats Bentley. They included Ross Bozeman, Fred Keester, all of Midland, W. W. Farris of Big Spring and Mrs. Arthur Wilson.

E. W. Holcombe has been a patient in Malone-Hogan Hospital, Big Spring.

Oliver Vaughn, Paul Taylor of Eastland, Oliver Vaughn Jr. of Denver City, and Leroy Odell have been fishing near Corpus Christi.

duced to interest and enhance the activities of the older girls. Nature studies will reveal to the girls that nature objects themselves, even when they make no claim to beauty, excite the feelings, and occupy the imagination.

## L. M. Hays Jr. Attends Funeral In Blanket

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hays Jr. and family were in Blanket Monday to attend funeral services for her grandmother, Mrs. M. L. Smith, 83, of Blanket.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday. Burial was at Blanket.

Mrs. Smith died at 3 a.m. Sunday at Cisco. She had been ill several months.

Survivors include four daughters, one brother, 21 grandchildren and 48 great-grandchildren.

## Former Stanton Resident With Pecos Hospital

Mrs. Billye Gene McDonald, daughter of Mrs. Opal Keisinger, Big Spring, both former residents of Stanton has recently completed a course in anesthesia at Fort Worth.

Mrs. McDonald was among the graduates of the Harris School of Anesthesia in the Tarrant County city.

Since her graduation she has accepted employment as an anesthesiologist at Memorial Hospital in Pecos, Texas.

# Jim Webb

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