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VARIETY

By NEAL ESTES

Your PH is showing. It always does. PH (personal hygiene) always shows, whether you've brushed your teeth or combed your hair. And whether or not you've had a bath is quite obvious, too, to those people who work or play around you. But a bad breath is the most nauseating and less excusable than all the rest of the bad PH habits. Not only is PH—call it cleanliness if you like—an investment in success but it's a definite investment in health and a disease deterrent.

Congratulations to the STANTON BISON for their fine 14-7 triumph over McCamey Friday night. This makes two-in-a-row for the BUFFS and they will be playing number three when they play O'Donnell in a home field district opener here Friday night. We are for our football team all the way.

Three nice compliments in a row makes for a happy editor and gives our staff the strength to continue to strive to put out one of the better publications in West Texas. The good words for the local publication were forthcoming on a volunteer basis from SAM MARTIN, JAMES JONES, and ELLMORE JOHNSON. And, Oh Yes, MARTIN GIBSON called the other day to express appreciation for the support the newspaper has given the VETERAN'S SERVICE PROGRAM in Martin County. MARTIN is the efficient local service officer and he keeps up with what the state group is doing by attending all state meetings of importance to veterans.

THE PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION in Texas was organized by MRS. ELLA CARRUTHERS PORTER on October 19, 1909. My late mother, DELLA MARSHALL ESTES, attended that meeting in Dallas. My late and now sainted mother, was a dedicated and devoted worker to the cause of P-TA for many years. She was, of course, a life member and the pastor who officiated at the funeral of my late mother in Dallas, eulogized her for her Christian principles, and activities over a span of fifty years for the organization she loved so well—the P-TA. So it is with a heart full of natural love and pride that I salute the TEXAS CONGRESS OF PARENTS AND TEACHERS on their 55th birthday to be observed on Oct. 19.

NATIONAL BIBLE WEEK is scheduled for the week of October 18-24. Special services have been arranged in the area. The Baptist Book Store in Lubbock will sponsor the appearance of DR. H. E. INGRAM, director of the Baptist Sunday School Board's service decision. He will be in the store to talk with Sunday School teachers about Bibles and commentaries. It is regrettable indeed, that the school children of this country are prohibited by a Supreme Court ruling from reading the Bible in class.

Pioneer Gas Chief Lauds World's Fair

C. I. (Stoney) Wall, president of Pioneer Natural Gas Company, said today that the New York World's Fair has been a major milestone in establishing natural gas as "the energy of the future."

Varnadore Resignation Accepted

Mrs. Mauryne Varnadore has resigned as manager of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce and the board of directors has accepted her resignation.

President Jim Wheeler of the Chamber disclosed Mrs. Varnadore's resignation this week. He stated the board received the notification of her resignation by letter.

Mrs. Varnadore accepted the manager's place in Stanton approximately 20 months ago. She formerly served the City of Big Spring as hostess. Mrs. Varnadore is a native of Howard County.

Since assuming duties with the local Chamber of Commerce, Mrs. Varnadore has seen the start of the now annual Spring and Fall festivals. She has been a frequent attendant at meetings held by or sponsored by various West Texas chamber groups and is well known in this area of civic activities.

Chamber officials have advised the press that they will have an announcement concerning the continued operation of the organization in about two weeks.

Mrs. Varnadore and her husband plan to continue living in Stanton. She has made no announcement of her future plans.

George Mahon, Wife To Visit In Big Spring

Congressman George Mahon and Mrs. Mahon are slated to visit in Big Spring Friday. The all day visit will be spent largely in renewing acquaintance and meeting new friends.

Mahon returned to his home in Lubbock recently after Congress adjourned. The 19th District Congressman represents Martin County.

Highlight of the Big Spring visit will be an informal reception and coffee to be held in the Community Room of the First Federal Savings & Loan Association. This will start at 10 a.m. and continue indefinitely. Mahon's friends stressed that the affair is open to all Mahon friends and that the congressman is anxious to greet as many people as possible.

Congressman Mahon has announced that he will visit every county in the 19th District between now and election day.

Flower Grove Elects Class Favorites

The students of Flower Grove last week elected their class favorites. Elected from the freshmen class were: Joy Oaks, and Jimmy Walker; sophomores, Carol Ann Pribly, and Don McMorris; juniors, Brenda Koonce, and Wade Guerin, and seniors, Geniece Carmichael, and Jimmy Hollandsworth.

Student Council officers have also been chosen. They are: president, Corky Perry; vice president, Tommy Everts, and secretary, treasurer, Carol Ann Pribly. Members of the Student Council are: Bobby Deatherage, Becky Haggard, Maryetta Glaze, Margarite Cockrell, Mike Welch, Don McMorris, Joy Oaks, and Kenneth Reynolds. Mr. Adams is the advisor.

Homecoming Activities To Precede Stanton-O'Donnell Football Game

Homecoming activities at Stanton High School will begin Friday at 3:10 p.m. in the gym with the homecoming pep rally. All exes are invited and will receive special recognition.

Everyone is invited to the chili supper that is to be given in honor of the ex-students, by the senior class. The supper will be served at 5:00 p.m. Friday in the school cafeteria. Children's plate will be 50c and adults \$1.00.

Immediately following the chili supper there will be a meeting of the ex-students and the four nominees selected by the student body for

Chamber Of Commerce To Sponsor Festival

The Martin County Chamber of Commerce is planning their annual Fall Festival for October 26.

Merchants have been invited to participate by having their sidewalk sales as was done last year. Merchants are also invited to use the columns of The Stanton Reporter to list special old-fashioned bargains and low-priced values at festival time. There will also be a chili

Lubbock Democratic Women To Hold Special Day For Mahons

"George and Helen Mahon Day" will be proclaimed Thursday, (Oct. 15) in Lubbock, when the Democratic Women of Lubbock County sponsor a district-wide reception in the Koko Palace, 3 to 6 p.m.

Mrs. Roy B. Davis, president of the Democratic Women, announced that all friends of Cong. and Mrs. Mahon in the 19th Congressional District were invited to the tea and reception.

"We feel that there are a great many people in the 19th district who would like to take the opportunity to visit with them and we want all of them to know that they will be welcome," Mrs. Davis said.

Mahon, who was first elected to Congress from the 19th District in 1934 has served continuously since that time, and is now chairman of the powerful House Appropriations Committee.

The Appropriations Committee, composed of 50 members, originates funds for all of the agencies of the government.

Before becoming chairman of the Appropriations Committee, Cong. Mahon was chairman of the defense appropriations subcommittee, and was author of all defense money bills for the past dozen years.

On the defense subcommittee, Cong. Mahon was a leader in Congress in keeping the United States militarily strong. He also led the successful fight for government loans on light-spotted cotton, which means millions of dollars yearly to district farmers; and was instrumental in getting the government's help on fighting the boll weevil in this area.

Reared in Mitchell County to the south of Lubbock, Cong. Mahon attended Loraine High School, Simmons University—now Hardin-Simmons—the University of Texas and the University of Minnesota.

Cong. Mahon has received honorary L.I.D. degrees from Waynesburg College in Pennsylvania in 1951; Wayland Baptist College in 1960; Texas Tech in 1962; and Hardin-Simmons in 1964.

Mrs. Mahon, the former Helen Stevenson, was also reared in Mitchell County and attended Loraine High and Simmons University. The Mahons married in 1923. They have one daughter, Daphne, now Mrs. Duncan Holt of Houston.

homecoming queen will be presented in formal dress. At this time the ex-students will have the privilege of selecting the homecoming queen by secret ballot. The queen and her attendants will be presented during the half-time activities of the Stanton-O'Donnell football game being played at 7:30 p.m. in the Stanton stadium.

The senior nominee is Diana Caffey, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Caffey, of Star Route, Tarzan.

The junior class representative is Betty Glaspie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Glaspie, Jr., of Route One,

at Elland Insurance in the First National Bank building anytime from now until noon on Oct. 26. These items will be sold and proceeds will go to the individual or merchant submitting them for auction less a small commission charge for selling them.

Dub Bryant of Big Spring will be the auctioneer. Everyone is invited to participate in the auction.

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Stanton. Anna Thompson will represent the sophomore class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David B. Thompson of 365 First Street, Stanton.

The freshman candidate is Gayle Talent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lueb, of Tarzan.

The four nominees will be escorted by ex-students of Stanton High School.

Following the game there will be a "Mixer" in the school cafeteria, sponsored by the Student Council and the senior class. All Stanton High students and alumni are invited to attend.

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48 Boys Enter PPK Contest Saturday

Forty-eight boys from the Stanton area participated in the Punt, Pass and Kick contest held at Stanton Junior High School athletic field Saturday, October 10 at 10 a.m.

Prizes awarded in the eight, nine, and ten year old bracket were first prize, Pass, Punt, Kick jackets; second prize, place kicker, and third prize, football.

The eleven, twelve and thirteen year olds received plaques to avoid placing them out of the amateur standing in school competition.

First place for the eight year olds went to Jerry Brumley; second place to Mark Eiland; and the third place winner was Gene Louder.

Nine year old winners were: First place, Rick Wilson; second position, Steve Cook, and third place winner, Randall Papanan.

In the ten year old's division, first place winner was Robert Patterson, with Bart Johnson second, and Roger Scoggins third.

First place in the eleven year olds went to Bill Pardue, while second and third places went to Stevie Fryar and Mark Hursh, respectively.

Twelve year old winners included, Steve Robnett, first; Euel Blocker, second, and David Workman, third.

Benny Avery was first, Randy Morris second, and Stanley Louder third in the thirteen year old bracket.

The Pass, Punt, and Kick contest was sponsored by the White Motor Company of Stanton.

Local Officers Recover Stolen Car Near Here

Police Chief Robert Smith advised the newspaper Wednesday of the recovery of three stolen automobiles in or near Stanton, and one was completely stripped when located.

The stripped vehicle, a 1956 Mercury, was spotted about a mile north of Stanton in a pasture.

Local officers Jake Bruton, G. B. Therwanger, and Smith worked on the investigation. They determined ownership of the car by tracing out a serial number. It belonged to a Big Spring resident. Deputy Therwanger arrested a 19-year-old Stanton youth and he was lodged in the Howard County jail pending making of bond. Chief Smith advised the press that charges of auto theft had been filed.

Two other stolen cars, a Jeep and MG were also recovered by local officers but no arrests were made. One of the stolen cars was taken by the son of the owner who lived in Waco, Texas, Smith said.

100 Librarians To Attend Meet In San Angelo

Approximately 100 librarians from the 34 counties of District III of the Texas Library Association are planning to meet in San Angelo on October 17. The meeting is held each year in a city within the district. Martin County is in this district.

The meeting will be at the Tom Green County Library, followed by the luncheon at the Central High School Cafe. (Continued on page 4)

Stanton Eighth Graders Lose To O'Donnell

Stanton's eighth grade football team lost to O'Donnell 16 to 12, when the two teams played at O'Donnell last Thursday, October 8.

Scoring the first touchdown of the game was Steve Stallings, who traveled 40 yards on a pass play from Dennis Brantley. O'Donnell and Stanton both scored in the second quarter. Dennis Brantley scored the second touchdown for the Stanton team.

O'Donnell came back in the fourth quarter of the game and succeeded in jumping ahead with another scoring play. O'Donnell completed both tries for the extra points.

Bryan Boyd is coach for the Stanton Junior High boys.

Bisons Ready For Initial District Game

With two victories in a row now packed safely in the corral, the Stanton Buffaloes will be out after number three here Friday night when they tangle in a District opener with O'Donnell in a Homecoming affair.

Coach Bill Milam and his boys will be giving out with everything in their repertoire to nail down another triumph before the huge Homecoming crowd expected to witness the grid meleé.

Alton Turner Has Surgery In Midland

Alton Turner, well known Martin County merchant and co-owner of Friendly Food Store and Thriftway Grocery in Stanton, underwent surgery in Midland Memorial Hospital Wednesday morning.

Turner entered the hospital a few days ago for a physical checkup and the operation was recommended by physicians. He is expected to remain in the hospital for a few days before returning to his home in this city.

Relatives here advised the newspaper that Alton was doing fine, having experienced the surgery with little difficulty.

Financial Reports In This Issue

Some of the required official financial reports from various branches of the local government and the statement of condition of The First National Bank of Stanton will be found in this issue of the newspaper.

As the legal tribune of the people, having been so designated by law for continuous publication for a period of time more than two years, we are happy to pass these fine reports along for the people's consideration. All of the financial statements have been well prepared and it appears that the government at the local level is in good shape. We refer to the financial statements of the county and city.

The First National Bank's quarterly call is also in this issue and it reflects the soundness of the institution.

Six County 4-H Exhibitors Participated In Pecos Fair

Six Martin County 4-Hers exhibited animals at the Pecos Fair at Pecos on Oct. 10th placing high with eight lambs, breeding sheep and cattle.

Trenna Shoemaker exhibited the Champion Lamb of the Show which was also Champion Hampshire Lamb. She also exhibited the Champion Crossbred Lamb and Reserve Champion Southdown Lamb. G. P. Harrell, Jr. exhibited the Reserve Champion Hampshire Lamb which was second place in the purebred class. Johnny McIntyre exhibited the first place medium weight crossbred lamb and 6th place medium weight Southdown. Ronny Johnson exhibited the 9th place light weight Southdown and 10th place heavy Southdown. There were approximately 130 lambs

in the show. Guy Mabee exhibited the second place heifer over one year and Don Roper showed his Angus steer to 4th place in the heavy weight division.

In the breeding sheep division, Ronny Johnson showed the first place ewe lamb and ram lamb, third place yearling ewe, and second place aged ewe.

Parents making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mabee, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Roper, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Shoemaker, Mrs. Bob Johnson, and County Agent Bob Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Byrd and boys have returned from vacationing in McComb, Mississippi with his parents. On the return trip they visited with a sister in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

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The total number of Korean Conflict veterans on June 30, 1964, was 5,708,000, the Veterans Administration reported. This included more than one million veterans with World War II service and brought the average age of all Korean veterans up to 34.8 years. The average monthly turnover rate for all patients in Veterans Administration hospitals during fiscal year 1964 was 46.6 per cent, an increase of 1.9 per cent over the previous fiscal year.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF STANTON

in the State of Texas, at the close of business on October 1, 1964, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	1,404,664.58
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,776,277.10
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	34,375.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures (including \$549,687.50 securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by U. S.)	549,687.50
Loans and discounts (Net of any reserves)	1,979,575.49
Fixed assets	58,865.02
Other assets	13,786.42
TOTAL ASSETS	5,817,231.11

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,388,198.62
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,266,425.95
Deposits of United States Government	32,922.30
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	442,720.70
Deposits of banks	25,037.35
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	41,352.48
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$5,196,707.40
(a) Total demand deposits	\$3,343,781.45
(b) Total Time and Savings deposits	\$1,352,925.95
TOTAL LIABILITIES	5,196,707.40

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Common stock—par value per share	\$100.00
No. shares authorized 2,000	
No. shares outstanding 2,000	200,000.00
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	134,658.90
Reserves	85,864.81
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	620,523.71
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	5,817,231.11

I, R. O. Anderson, Vice President, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of the condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
R. O. ANDERSON
Vice President

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

E. PRICE
O. B. BRYAN
JIM TOM
Directors

The Exchange Desk

THE McCAMEY NEWS: "The City of McCamey has won a first award for its brochure, 'A Report To The People.' The annual report was judged best in the 10,00 and under population class by judges for the Texas Municipal League."

THE FOARD COUNTY NEWS: "Cotton harvest in Foard County is beginning to get underway, a check with the four gins in the county revealed Monday. A total of 95 bales had been ginned up to Monday noon. With the extremely dry weather experienced here this summer, Foard County's cotton crop is expected to be short again this year."

THE RG LAKE WILDCAT: "A called meeting of Glosscock and Reagan County farmers and ranchers drew from 100 to 125 landowners representing five counties Wednesday, September 30. The meeting was called over concern of the excessive use of fresh water for secondary recovery which affects their immediate area."

MATADOR TRIBUNE: "Plans are being made by the Motley County Singing Convention for the Sunday, October 18, meeting to be held at the Legion building here. President J. R. Whitworth said he had already received word from a number of outstanding singers who are making their plans to attend."

FORT STOCKTON PIONEER: "Salvation Army finance campaign workers will meet Thursday morning at 7:00 o'clock for a breakfast at the Sands Restaurant to receive instructions and prospect cards for the current campaign. A goal of \$2,500 has been set in the community."

MORTON TRIBUNE: "Work on widening of the two major arteries through Morton is expected to begin early January. The Texas Highway Department this week appropriated funds to widen the pavement on Hwy. 214 from Fillmore to the south city limits to match funds already earmarked for work on 214 and Hwy. 116."

ANDREWS COUNTY NEWS: "A new record in building permits was reached here in September when a total of \$5,672 in permits was issued for construction. The September peak brought the total for the year to \$396,147."

Health And Safety Tips

From The American Medical Association

Have you noticed lately that other people just aren't talking loud enough much of the time? It could be that your family and friends have all started mumbling. But it's more likely that your own hearing is beginning to fade.

Or has someone in the family, or a close friend, recently begun to ask you to repeat, words phrases and sentences frequently? Even when you're reasonably certain you spoke loud and clear? This friend or relative may be suffering hearing loss.

To find out whether hearing is fading, the first person to consult is the family doctor, says a pamphlet of the American Medical Association.

The physician may find that the hearing loss is due to impacted wax in the ear canal or some other obstruction. Or there may be an infection that can block the transmission of vibrations inside the ear or affect the nerves of hearing. Certain drugs and industrial chemicals can affect hearing, and mumps, and scarlet fever, a cold or acute sinusitis frequently cause swelling of the mucous membranes associated with the ear. A very loud noise or a sharp blow may damage the ear-drum.

The physician can determine by a variety of tests whether loss of hearing is due to nerve damage or to an interference with the transmission of sound waves. If there is obstruction he can tell whether it is due to infection or another cause. He will determine whether treatment will help or correct the hearing problem. Several surgical procedures are used to help the deaf to hear, and there also are medical treatments.

In many cases, however, treatment cannot restore hearing, and then a hearing aid may be prescribed.

There are many types of hearing aids on the market. Your physician will guide you in finding the aid that gives best results for you.

In case of severe hearing loss it is frequently necessary to complement a hearing aid

with lip reading to secure maximum communication. Most larger communities and many small ones today have therapists qualified to give instruction in lip reading. Your physician can help you find one. Many hard of hearing people find that they already are lip reading to some extent without realizing it. Ignoring a hearing loss will never make it disappear. As soon as the hearing loss is recognized, seek medical help. Often there is much that can be done to help the hard of hearing continue to fill a normal place in society.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White and girls of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Whan of Dallas, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Udell Morris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lole Badgett and children, Tami, Kelli, and Keith, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adkins Sunday.

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Spell Quiz

Which of the Following is Spelled Correctly?

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(Meaning: Juvial; gay.)

See Classified Page for Correct Answer.

Bible Comment—

Paul Preached Freedom And True Brotherhood

Freedom and brotherhood are terms that need a lot of careful definition in the difficult times in which we are living. And there is no better guide to an accurate and workable definition of this term than the writings of the Apostle Paul.

Paul puts a great deal of emphasis on freedom. He had been a legalist, and the meaning of his conversion to Christianity has been the discovery of a new freedom. Religion became a matter of the heart to him. It concerned faith more than formal observance that lacked the spiritual reality.

When he lists the fruits of of the spirit; Love, joy, peace, suffering, gentleness, and goodness, his comment is final. He says, "Against such there is no law."

That is the essence of Paul's philosophy of freedom. It is always associated with goodness.

"The law is our schoolmaster," he declares, "to bring us to Christ." He adds, "Christ is the end of the law for everyone that believeth."

What Paul says concerning liberty in relation to Jewish law is true of liberty in relation to all law. Their relationship to liberty makes all laws either a curse or a blessing.

The freedom to do right is a very real freedom and all laws that suppress freedom are bad.

Freedom and brotherhood were associated with each other in Paul's religion. The life that was lived in the path of freedom was fulfilling the law.

"All the law is fulfilled in one word, even in this: 'Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.'" That phrase expressed the feeling of brotherhood without any limitations.

Some persons claim that Paul's practicing of brotherhood was limited to the community of Christians. It is true that Paul did regard Christians as owing a special obligation to one another.

But the word "neighbor" meant the same thing to him that it meant to Jesus when He told the parable of the Good Samaritan.

Martin County Philosopher Says Science Fails When It Can't Make Buggy Wheel Turn Forward

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw apparently is getting his mind off the political campaigns this week.)

I'll admit this is progress if you have difficulty in this line. But science still has a long way to go. For instance, take a TV Western. It is fabulous enough to sit in your house and watch a Western unfold on your television set, but I have never understood how science could do all this and still not ever whip the problem of the back-spinning buggy wheel. Yet it's a fact, when the owner of the ranch pulls into his front yard from a trip to town in a buckboard or a buggy pulled by two high-stepping mares, the wheels are turning backwards. It continues to baffle me, how science can get the moving picture on my screen, even I'm told, in color, but still can't make the wheels turn forward.

I have not heard of any branch of science that's working on this problem, and until it's conquered I'm going to continue to have something less than absolute faith in scientific progress. Personally I don't see why a man with Ben Cartwright's money puts up with it.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

During fiscal year 1964 the Veterans Administration through increased efficiency treated 25,646 more hospital patients than in the previous fiscal year without increasing the number of VA hospitals.

Eighteen Years Ago

Stanton turned a series of defeats into a victory in the 5-B conference football race by walloping Grandfalls Cowboys 26-0 here Friday night. It was a capacity crowd that turned out at Buffalo stadium to watch the fast moving football game. The Buffs will meet the Fort Stockton Panthers Friday night, October 18, on the local gridiron.

The Stanton High School sophomore class elected new officers at a recent meeting. Officers named were: Billy Morrow, president; Billy Hamm, vice president; Betty Blissard, secretary-treasurer; Jo Ann Jones, reporter, and Mrs. P. G. Smithson, sponsor. Betty Blissard was named sophomore candidate for Hallow'en queen.

Three points to consider in planning yards were discussed at a meeting of the Tarzan Home Demonstration Club Friday. Mrs. Alton Ledbetter, home demonstration agent, gave the program.

Zora Lou Houston of Stanton, has enrolled in a comprehensive accounting and stenographic course at Chillicothe Business College, Chillicothe, Missouri.

Courtney and Knott will play a six-man football game Friday night, October 25, on the Stanton High School football field.

Gordon Stone was speaker at a meeting of the Stanton Lions Club Monday night. He spoke on the Texas University-Oklahoma University football game last week in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas.

The annual meeting of shareholders of the Stanton-Midland National Farm Loan Association was held October 10 at the office in Stanton. Officers elected for the new year were: John F. Priddy, president; J. K. Barfield, vice president, and Ben Carpenter, secretary-treasurer. Directors were also named.

W. E. Kelly, Marvin Graham, and County Agent James Eiland attended the district meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau October 10 in San Angelo.

Johnny White, Gerald Koonce and County Agent James Eiland attended the Panhandle South Plains Fair Saturday in Lubbock. Both the boys are members of the Lenora 4-H Club.

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Texas Congress Of Parents, Teachers Observing Birthday

This month is certainly one of real significance to some 2,800 local PTA's throughout the state. On October 19, the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers will celebrate its 55th birthday and tribute to this anniversary will be observed by the local PTA's in various ways.

Mrs. Ella Carruthers Porter of Dallas, organized a three-day conference on October 19, 1909, in Dallas which was attended by leading educators, interested individuals and representatives from other organizations.

The result of that conference was the organization of the Texas Congress of Mothers (now the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers). Dallas State Fair officials and the Dallas Morning News were among the active allies in the organizational meeting. During the past 55 years, the Texas Congress of Par-

ents and Teachers (the name adopted in 1930) has grown from a small group into an organization with membership of more than 775,000 women and men.

The overall purpose of the organization then, as it is now, was the education of parents and guardians in the welfare of children and youth in the home, school, church, and the community.

The Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers ranks second in membership in the nation, preceded only by California. Headquarters of the association are located in Austin.

The association will hold its 55th annual state convention in Dallas, November 11-13, which is expected to draw an attendance of around 4,000.

Mrs. G. A. Bridges is a patient at Howard County Foundation Hospital.

Community Calendar

- LIONS CLUB—Each Tuesday at noon.
- ROTARY CLUB—Each Wednesday at noon.
- ORDER OF EASTERN STAR — First Tuesday night of each month.
- REBEKAH LODGE—Each Monday night.
- ODDFELLOW LODGE—Each Thursday night.
- MASONIC LODGE — Second and fourth Tuesday of each month.
- AMERICAN LEGION—Third Tuesday night of each month.
- MEN'S DEPARTMENT First Methodist Church—Third Monday night of each month.
- BROTHERHOOD, First Baptist Church — Third Thursday of each month.
- BETA SIGMA PHI CITY COUNCIL — First Monday of each month.
- AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY—Third Tuesday of every other month.
- BETA SIGMA PHI—
 - Preceptor Mu Chapter—First and third Thursdays.
 - Xi Epsilon Delta Chapter — First and Third Thursday of each month.
 - Rho Xi Chapter—First and third Thursdays.
 - Mu Lambda Chapter—First and third Tuesdays.
 - Xi Theta Nu Chapter—First and third Thursdays.
- BAND BOOSTERS CLUB — Fourth Tuesday night of each month.
- STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB—Every other Wednesday.
- STUDY CLUB—Fourth Thursday of each month.
- GRADY PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION—Third Tuesday of each month.
- GIRL SCOUT NEIGHBORHOOD LEADERS — First Tuesday at 9:00 a.m. of each month.
- STANTON PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION — Second Tuesday night of each month at 7:30 p.m.
- WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE—First Methodist Church each Monday afternoon.
- YOUNG LADIES DEPT. OF WOMEN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE—First Methodist Church each Tuesday morning.
- STANTON MUSIC CLUB—First and third Wednesday of each month.
- WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT, Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints—First and third Thursday mornings of each month.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Courtney Baptist Church—Each Tuesday.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Lenorah Baptist Church—each Monday afternoon at 4 p.m.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Tarzan Baptist Church — each Thursday morning at 9:30 a.m. at the church.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Lakeview Baptist Church — second and fourth Thursday afternoon at the church
- STANTON GARDEN CLUB —Fourth Tuesday of each month.
- WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD, First Methodist Church — Second Monday evening of each month.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, First Baptist Church—
 - Mary Stamps Circle—Third and fourth Mondays.
 - Vivian Hickerson Circle — Third and fourth Tuesday mornings.
 - Jody Towery Circle—Third and fourth Tuesday mornings.
 - Blanche Grove Circle—First and third Monday night of each month.
- ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC ALTAR SOCIETY—Second Wednesday.
- LEGION OF MARY, St. Joseph's Catholic Church—Each Monday night.
- HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS—
 - Stanton HD Club—First and third Wednesday.
 - Courtney HD Club—First and third Thursday.
 - Courtney Morning HD Club—Second and fourth Thursday.
 - Valley View HD Club—Second and fourth Thursday.
 - Tarzan HD Club—First and third Wednesday.
 - Lakeview HD Club—First and third Thursday.
 - Koffee Kup Kraft HD Club—Second and fourth Thursday mornings.
- QUARTERBACK CLUB—Every Tuesday night at the Stanton High School Cafeteria at 7:30 p.m.
- FIRE DEPARTMENT—First and third Monday night of each month at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall.
- CANCER SOCIETY—First Monday night of each month at Cap Rock Electric Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.
- GRADY LIONS CLUB—First and third Tuesday night of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Grady School.
- HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL MEETING—Third Tuesday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Cap Rock Building.
- BROTHERHOOD, Lenorah Baptist Church, first and third Monday at 8:00 p.m.
- MARTIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU MEETING—Third Tuesday of each month 7:30 p.m. at Belvue Restaurant.

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Prime MEATS

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The family of C. E. Crow, 10-15-11c

BUS. OPPORTUNITIES

Businesses For Sale E-2
For Sale: Good one man going Mobil service station. Job changes. Must sell soon. Call SK 6-2441. 10-15-11c

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Expert PLUMBING — For guaranteed LICENSED Plumbing and Repair, see or call us. JOHN T. OWEN PLUMBING AND REPAIR, 108 WEST FOURTH, PHONE SKYLINE 6-2218, Stanton. 16-11c

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See all the new items and gifts Avon has to offer now. Avon Representative, Mary Tunnell, 209 St. Paul. SK 6-2238 or SK 6-2320. 10-15-11

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Help Wanted H-1
START A RAWLEIGH BUSINESS. Real opportunity now for permanent, profitable work in Martin or Howard Co. Write Rawleigh TX J 960 29 Memphis, Tenn.

Avon Cosmetics has open territory in South Stanton. Beauty is our business — make it yours and money too. Write Box 4141, Midland, Texas, for interview. 6-11c

FARM & RANCH

Wanted to Buy: Used Aluminum irrigation pipe, 5, 6 or 7 inch. Please state amount, location and cash price on postcard to Jack McCain, 213 W. Broadway, Sweetwater, Texas. 9-24; 10-1-8, 15, 22, 29

MERCHANDISE

Appliances K-1
Have your GIFTS and PARTY FAVORS personalized with monogramming. We do it in all COLORS, NAPKINS, BILFOLDS, STATIONERY and MATCHES. STANTON DRUG STORE.

FOR SALE — 10x18 Peerless Clasp Envelopes. 2 for 15c. The Stanton Reporter.

NEED CONCRETE? Call SK 6-2312. B and H READY MIX CO.

There's a new kind of cotton rickrack on the market. It's a no-iron variety, which means that the edges won't curl after each washing.

Trade at home and save!

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JURY DUTY

Jury duty is an experience everybody ought to have. In a criminal case 12 jurors have a duty to do justice as each one sees it, and yet by unanimous. In most trials both sides have much to say, and the evidence is conflicting. The 12 jurors vary in their ability, temperament, character, education, and their experience in the world, and in the question at stake.

Yet a jury made up of both sexes, with wide age and educational differences, jobs and origins must all come up with the same verdict. Upon their verdict much depends — the life or liberty of others, and the public good. So may take them days of talking among themselves, all to agree.

Jury duty calls for insight, common sense, courage, tact, fair-mindedness, patience, (especially toward the jurors who disagree with you), good humor, tolerance, balance, willingness to hear others out and change one's mind, readiness to go over and over the facts to find something to bring agreement. In short, jury duty demands a "decent respect for the opinions" of others.

More and more women share civic duties, especially as jurors.

Time was in Texas when women could not serve on juries. They still cannot in four states.

A jury finds facts. It hears and weighs evidence and then comes to a verdict. It does not make the law — the legislature does; and the judge "charges" or instructs the jury concerning the law applicable to the particular case it is considering.

The judge will tell you not to find the accused guilty until he is proved so under strict rules of evidence. If you have any "reasonable doubt," — not imaginary or far-fetched — acquit the accused.

Civil cases do not demand a moral certainty, merely the "preponderance" of what you regard as reliable and believable evidence.

(This newfeature, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret a any law

without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the fact involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

Add a decorative trim to dress up a plain lampshade. Sew, glue or tack on a cotton bill fringe for an Early American lamp, a tasse fringe for a Provincial one, or a Greek key braid for a lamp in a contemporary setting.



KITCHEN CADDY — Cut cotton bat fabric double, to size desired, seam around edges and turn to right side. Cut pocket pieces to fit back, allowing pleat fullness. Bottom pocket (for sacks) should be at least 10" deep. Sew smaller pockets at top, for scissors and string. Hem tops of pockets before stitching to back. Use bias binding, spread flat, as a finish in stitching pockets to back. Add loops to hang.



TIPPER FENLOCK says...
"Hunting is a lot of fun, sight that bird but watch that gun!"

THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION teaches shooting safety

Place cotton denim or canvas sneakers on shoe trees to dry after washing them. This enables the fabric to dry more smoothly and eliminates puckers around the toes.

Spell Quiz

Correct Answer is:
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RENTALS

Houses L-2
House for rent, four room and bath, unfurnished. Call Mrs. Harry Billington, SK 6-3666. 6-25-11c

For Rent: One bedroom house, furnished or unfurnished, newly painted. 602 College, close of school. Call MU 4-8923. 10-8-15

For Rent: Three room furnished house. Call SK 6-3417. 10-8-64-c-11c

REAL ESTATE

Farms & Ranches

For Sale: 10 acres of land 2 miles north of Stanton. 100% cotton allotment. See Claude Nowlin at Brantley Chevrolet. 9-24-11c

Houses For Sale

House For Sale: Nice three bedroom, three bath, den, refrigerator, air, sprinkler system, many other extras. Barn and acreage outside city limits. Carlos Brantley, Phone Wilson 3-4057, Monahans, Texas. 9-24-11c

House For Sale

House For Sale: Two bedroom, basement, garage, corner lot near hospital. Call SK 6-3502. 5-15-11c

Lots For Sale

Buildings and Lots for sale with long terms. Trade or long term lease. Lynn White. 12-11c

Methodist Mark Laymen's Day Oct. 11

The First Methodist Church observed Laymen's Day Sunday, October 11.

The morning service was led by men of the church and the ladies of the church were in charge of the evening services.

Services began with Bob Cox giving the Affirmation of Faith, followed with prayer by Mason Coggin. Charles Elmore brought the morning message and James Biggs directed the choir.

Other laymen taking part were Tom Ed Angel, James Eiland, and O. B. Bryan.

In charge of the evening service were the following ladies: Mrs. Roy Pickett, Mrs. John Wood, Mrs. James Eiland, Mrs. F. O. Rhodes, Mrs. Jess Burns, and Mrs. James Jones.

Wolcott Test Drilling At 3,868 Feet

Humble Oil & Refining Co. is drilling below 3,868 feet in the No. 1-B Juliette Wolcott, Martin County wildcat 26 miles northwest of Stanton, after setting surface casing at 399 feet, below the fresh water table.

Size of the pipe was reported as being 13 3/4-inch and was cemented in place with 450 sacks. The wildcat is five miles south of Devonian production in the Breedlove multiphase field and it also is 850 feet from south and 4,000 feet from west lines of league 250, Hartley County School Land survey.

Texaco Inc. is drilling below 8,030 feet in the No. 2-X State of Texas, a scheduled 13,430-foot Ellenburger wildcat and outpost to production in the Block 7 (Devonian) pool of Northwest Martin County.

The wildcat is 25 miles northwest of Stanton, 2,173 feet from north and 975 feet from east lines of section 17, block 7, University Lands survey.

Farm Bureau Convention Successful

The Martin County Farm Bureau held its annual County Convention here Saturday, October 10, at Cap Rock Electric Cooperative.

A large crowd attended and the catering service was handled by a Midland firm.

Owen Kelly, president of the Martin County Farm Bureau conducted the business session held following the barbecue luncheon.

The following men were chosen to serve as new directors: Glenn Morrison, Sammy Yates, and Floyd Martin. Owen Kelly and Bruce Key were re-elected.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Standefer and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly will represent the local bureau at the state convention.

Wayne Little and Ed Cumble appeared on the program as speakers. Reba Ringener gave a short talk and J. D. Crawford gave a report on insurance.

Cancer Society Met Oct. 5

Martin County unit of the American Cancer Society met Monday, October 5, in the Cap Rock auditorium.

Reports on the district meeting held in Stanton recently were given by Mrs. Glenn Brown, Mrs. Stanley Reid, Mrs. Roy Pickett, and Mrs. Leo Turner.

The Cancer Society meets the first Monday of the month.

Mrs. Shankle - -

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Keynote speaker for the LVN meeting will be Dr. Max Leach, professor of psychology, Abilene Christian College, who will discuss "Public Relations and Human Understanding."

Classified ads brings results!

Sample Receipts Pick Up At Abilene Cotton Classing Depot

The cotton harvest steadily gained momentum and sample receipts picked up considerably at the U. S. D. A., Cotton Classing Office in Abilene. Sample receipts for the week ending October 9, 1964, totaled 10,054 compared to 2,111 for the previous week. This brought the season total to 26,622 compared to 89,852 at the corresponding date last year.

District 1 (Howard, Martin, Midland, and Glasscock counties) accounted for 1,255 of the samples received last week.

Grades from District 1 dropped. Only 25 percent of the samples were white compared to 43 percent the previous week. Sixty-seven percent of the cotton was light

spotted, 6 percent spotted and 2 percent was below grade. Middling light spotted was the predominant grade with 37 percent classed as this grade. Three percent of the samples were reduced in grade due to bark, grass, or rough preparation. One percent was mix-packed in staple (1/4 inch difference in the two sides of the bale).

Staple lengths shortened considerably and were: 9 percent 7 1/2; 6 percent 29/32; 13 percent 15/16; 10 percent 31/32; 5 percent 1-inch; 7 percent 1-1/32; 10 percent 1-1/16; 15 percent 1-3/32; 20 percent 1 7/8; and 5 percent 1-5/32 or longer.

Mike readings were good. Three percent miked 3.0 - 3.4, 90 percent was 3.5 - 4.9 and 9 percent miked 5.0 or higher.

Major Leo Gossett Of DPS Call For War On Accidents

"With 175 rural traffic fatalities recorded in the first nine months of 1964 in the 49 county region of the Department of Public Safety, we are sincerely asking the aid of everyone who operates a motor vehicle to assist in reducing this carnage in the West Texas area," said Major Leo E. Gossett, commander of the Midland DPS region.

The 49 county region has recorded 3,382 rural traffic accidents, injuring 1,793 persons, with property damage of \$4,099,323.00. Ector County has recorded the highest number of accidents with 203, Tom Green County leads the region with 14 deaths. El Paso County has had 112 persons injured. Taylor County tops the list in property damage with \$1,200,821.00. Loving County has reported no traffic accidents in 1964, in fact, a traffic death has never been recorded in Loving County. No traffic deaths have been recorded in the following counties during 1964: Borden, Coke, Edwards, Irion, and Loving.

"The trend upward in traffic accidents exists in our area, as well as throughout Texas, therefore, we are faced with the deadliest year in the history of Texas. Driver failure appears in most traffic

accidents, to be the primary cause. Please accept your part of this responsibility and let us turn this trend back," said Gossett.

Stanton Lions In Regular Tuesday Meet

The Stanton Lions Club met Tuesday for their regular noon meeting at the Belvue Restaurant.

Udell Morris, president, conducted the business meeting. John Roueche was in charge of the song service. Glen Gates led the pledge to the flag. Invocation was voiced by R. C. Vest.

James Jones, program chairman for the month of October, introduced Paige Eiland, who showed a film on Southwestern Conference Football Highlights.

Udell Morris gave a report the previous week on the results of the carnival sponsored by the Lions. The funds will be kept in the county for local charities and to pay for glasses for needy children. The total raised by the Lions was \$740.00. The different organizations who had booths at the carnival made a total of \$453.28.

Pioneer - - -

(Continued from page 1) tion of Gas Industry Week at the World's Fair, October 12-17.

"Almost without exception," Wall said, "exhibitors at the World's Fair has chosen natural gas to cool and heat their pavilions, and to cook at their restaurants. We expect this overwhelming preference for gas to be extended to our community."

"The Fair is the most progressive place in the entire world," Wall said. "Exhibitors have done everything possible to put their best foot forward and to project their future. We think their selection of gas to cool, heat, and cook is a prediction of future gas and gas appliance sales."

According to Wall, natural gas is used for 90 per cent of the Fair's air conditioning, 90 per cent of its heating and water heating, and 99 per cent of the cooking.

100 Librarians -

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Mrs. Molena Tunnell, librarian of Central High School, is chairman of District III and will be in charge of the meeting.

On the program will be the librarian of Texas Technological College, Mr. Ray Janeway. He has served as president of the Texas Library Association twice and has been very active in working to gain greater support for libraries in state colleges. Mr. Janeway will discuss "The Plan for Library Development in Texas." This plan has been under study for several years and is a state-wide plan that is designed to improve services offered by the libraries in the state.

Also on the program will be Mr. Len Radoff of the Abilene Public Library. He will give a report on his study of public library resources in District III. Mr. Radoff recently made this study at the University of Texas Graduate School of Library Science as part of the requirement for the Master of Library Science degree.

COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT

For Quarter Ending September 30, 1964

Book Balance In Various Funds On September 30, 1964

FUND	BALANCE
Jury	\$ 8,104.30
Road & Bridge No. 1	\$15,405.53
Road & Bridge No. 2	\$ 7,629.66
Road & Bridge No. 3	\$26,077.36
Road & Bridge No. 4	\$ 5,683.69
Lateral Road No. 1	\$ 2,136.65
Lateral Road No. 2	\$ 2,388.63
Lateral Road No. 3	\$ 3,108.13
Lateral Road No. 4	\$ 2,687.99
General County O. D.	\$71,612.31
Officer's Salary O. D.	\$ 2,551.32
Cash Balance	\$ 941.69 O. D.
Special Road Bond, 1938	—0—
Road & Bridge Warrant Sinking Fund	\$10,418.55
Courthouse & Jail Sinking Fund	\$17,601.88
Road Bond Sinking, 1951	\$34,193.14
Martin County Social Security	\$ 204.20
Road Bond Sinking, 1952	\$21,297.93
Hospital Bond Sinking Fund	\$19,018.88
Road Bond Of 1952	—0—
Permanent Improvement Fund	\$ 2,169.21
Library Fund	\$ 533.76
Securities Owned By: Road Bond Sinking Fund Of 1952	\$36,000.00

ELMO REED, County Treasurer Of Martin County

- County Judge, Jim McCoy
- Commr. No. 1, W. W. Aitchison
- Commr. No. 2, M. D. Coggin
- Commr. No. 3, Sam W. Cox
- Commr. No. 4, Joe Froman

IRS Director Ellis Campbell, Jr. Praises Nation's Press For Support

The Nation's Press has performed outstanding service in the interest of citizens and their government through comprehensive coverage of news in the tax field, says Ellis Campbell, Jr., Dallas District Director of Internal Revenue.

In recognition of National Newspaper Week, beginning October 12, Mr. Campbell said newspapers and other informational media not only have been diligent in advising taxpayers of their rights and obligations, but have helped to make the public aware that each citizen has a stake in a sound tax system.

"Informational media have been a major force in making the American self-assessment system work effectively," Mr. Campbell said. "Internal Revenue is particularly grateful for the cooperation given by the press annually in the tax filing period, and in other programs contributing to effective tax administration."

"Just as an example, this year, portions of our Nation have suffered major disasters that gave rise to tax deductible casualty losses on a large scale — the Alaska earthquake, the Wichita Falls tornado, hurricane Hilda, and

major flooding in other areas. "The cooperation of the news media with Internal Revenue in conveying to the victims of catastrophe information about the special tax aspects involved was greatly in the public interest, in many instances bringing a small measure of reassurance at a time of difficulty for many."

"But we do not consider cooperation with the press to be a one-way street," he said. "It is Internal Revenue's policy to extend the fullest possible cooperation to news men pursuing their objectives of obtaining and printing the news, subject, of course to provisions of law that prohibit disclosure of tax return data and other documents. We ascribe to the philosophy that the public has a right to know about their tax system and its administration."

Mr. Campbell said newspapers and other informational media have played an important role in informing the taxpayers of major and often complex changes in the nation's tax laws.

"The public understanding thus created has made compliance by taxpayers easier, and made Internal Revenue's administration of these new provisions more efficient and

more effective," he said. Mr. Campbell mentioned the rules for travel and entertainment accounting, Internal Revenue's conversion to automatic data processing, use of social security numbers on tax forms, and expanded informational reporting of dividend and interest income, as particular areas in which responsible reporting in depth has rendered an important public service.

The press has a further opportunity to be of help to the public during the filing period just a few months away, when taxpayers will deal for the first time with the many changes made by the 1964 tax legislation, according to Mr. Campbell. He said Internal Revenue will welcome all possible assistance in carrying out an informational program to facilitate correct filing of tax returns.

"A strong and sound Federal Tax System is essential to America's future. The press has demonstrated an understanding of the full import of this, and has given its support, which is so essential to good tax administration and so essential to the welfare of our country," Mr. Campbell said.

Penalties Hurt Junior Bisons Victory Bid

The Stanton Junior Buffs were defeated 12-2 by O'Donnell when the teams met Thursday, October 8, at O'Donnell.

Coach Roy Dodds stated that the Buffs offensive game was very weak. He also stated that the boys were beaten by penalties.

The Buffs succeeded in

getting inside the ten yard line four times but drew penalties each time.

Jerry Cox ran 70 yards on a punt return for a touchdown but the TD was called back.

The Buffs will play McCamey at McCamey Thursday, October 15, at 8:00 p.m., following the junior high games. The starting line-up will be Freddie Newman, center; Carl Herzog, right guard; Bobby Holland, right tackle; David Graves, right end; Gary Lamb, left guard; Bobby McCormick, left tackle;

George Smith, left end; Terry Franklin, quarterback; Terry Carr, fullback; Steve Hall, left halfback, and Randy Huckaby, right halfback.

Coach Dodds stated these boys will probably see considerable action: Guy Brown, Joe Montez, and Leo McAllister. Jerry Cox received a back injury in the O'Donnell game and a knee injury in practice this week and will not be in action this game.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rhodes visited recently in Menard with Mrs. Rhodes parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Lewis.

Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

Gov. John Connally has given new emphasis to the long drive to abolish the state property tax and leave the revenue source to local governments.

In two speeches during the past week — to county judges and commissioners and to the Texas Municipal League — the governor called for a "phasing out" of the ad valorem levy by the state. That will require a constitutional amendment, and what Connally termed, a "period of readjustment."

Although the tax provides only 2.7 per cent of the state's revenue, the Legislature, usually hard pressed to balance the budget, has been slow to act on abolishing the \$40,000,000 a year revenue source.

"There will never be a convenient time," acknowledged Connally. "All we need is the extra courage to do what should be done."

This step, he said, "is the most tangible way I know to put meaning in our plea for local self-government."

Connally also told municipal officials that city problems should be solved at the local level. He warned against continued search for solutions at the state capitol level.

The Municipal League, as expected, recommended still another source of revenue for local government.

City officials told their TML board of directors that legislation authorizing cities to levy a municipal sales tax, subject to local voter approval, should be considered.

Directors in a mid-December meeting here will consider this proposal and almost certainly adopt it as one of the League's top legislative projects for 1965.

Teacher Pay Raises Backed — State Board of Education has thrown its weight behind teacher pay raises.

Proposal was one of 11 legislative objectives agreed on at a meeting here. Texas State Teachers Association is pushing for a \$45-a-month raise for classroom teachers. Board of Education did not specify any dollar amount.

Court Speaks — State Supreme Court got off to a brisk start in its 1964-65 term, handing down 100 decisions on the opening day, last week.

In the most spectacular of the rulings, court refused a State Bar request to block attorney Melvin Belli — he who lambasted Texas and its courts after his client, Jack Ruby, received the death sentence for shooting Lee Harvey Oswald. Should Belli try to enter another Texas case, the new opinion stated, his qualifications will be subject to review by the court in which the case is pending.

Court also: — Declined to hear a suit attacking the Texas Water Commission's approval of a \$12,500,000 dam and reservoir on Little Wichita River, a Wichita Falls city project. Landowners protested the site.

— Balked at reviewing its July 15 decision invalidating a trustee's sale of West Texas land on which Billie Sol Estes defaulted in payments. This ruling left standing an earlier decision in favor of four landowners from whom Estes leased the property after allegedly conveying it to them.

— Held that Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler must accept an oil and gas lease a Taylor County landowner insisted he executed with Trace Mining Company.

— Refused to hear arguments in former State Sen. Doyle Willis' suit to regain his Fort Worth city council seat.

— Dismissed for want of jurisdiction an appeal from a lower court order that a Starr County precinct election must be heard by the trial court.

Court of Criminal Appeals, in its first decisions of the term, reversed three convictions in line with a U. S. Supreme Court landmark case holding affidavits accompanying search warrants must contain enough facts to show basis of suspicion.

President's Austin Offices Eyed — Offices being readied for the President in the new federal building at Austin became a campaign issue last week.

F. Clifton White, national director of Citizens for Goldwater - Miller, charged that the ninth floor layout added \$2,500,000 to cost of the building.

General Services Administration reported original contract price was \$7,300,000 and cost has risen to "just under \$8,000,000" due to "change orders" and a labor strike. GSA, however, refused to permit reporters to inspect the premises to check White's story of a Taj Mahal-type luxury, a 10-foot fireplace and teak panels. Some newsmen managed to get by guards and inspect the place anyway.

One found it nice but not particularly lavish. Under his tape measure, the fireplace shrank from 10 feet to 52 inches.

Johnson's staff frequently works at a hotel in Austin while he is visiting at his LBJ ranch nearby. The government provides office space for former Presidents Eisenhower, Truman and Hoover.

Carr Reports On Assassination — Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr's report on the assassination of President Kennedy criticized over-zealous news coverage of subsequent events in Dallas and concluded that law enforcement agencies should

improve their methods of exchanging information.

Governor Connally, who received the report last week, concurs in Carr's recommendations, which include the following:

— That lawyers and news media get together with officials and agree on working relationships designed to prevent "future disorder and confusion in pretrial activities, deficiencies in security for prisoners (and to) improve judicial ethics in criminal trial." (News media, including representatives of the Texas Press Association, already are meeting with a State Bar group on trial news coverage.)

— That federal, state and local law enforcement agencies study how to keep each other better informed and recommend tighter security measures for high officials and distinguished guests in the state.

Carr's 5,000-word summary report, supported by 17 volumes of data, appeared particularly critical of the FBI's failure to inform local police that Lee Harvey Oswald was in Dallas.

Attorney General said he believed his decision to shelve plans for a Texas court of inquiry into the November 22 assassination and the wounding of Connally was wise, in view of the thorough job done by the Warren Commission. However, he said, he is ready to call such an inquiry if further investigation appears needed.

Mental Health Agency Urged — A 26-member group planning improvements in Texas mental health services, recommends a central State Department of Mental Health.

Under the proposal submitted, all mental hospitals and clinics and present State Health Department services in the field would be transferred to the new agency. The full 112-member Mental Health Planning Committee scheduled on October 16 meeting here to complete its work and make recommendations to the next Legislature.

Double Contracting Targeted — Legislation to correct "double contracting" abuses is being drafted on recommendation of the Texas General Investigating Committee, and is backed by at least 10 trade associations.

Rep. Bill J. Parsley of Lubbock, committee vice chairman, will sponsor the legislation. Double contracting basically involves misrepresentation of down payments on residential real estate.

Hard-Drinking Youths — Texas Liquor Control Board reports that the increase of reports on consumption of alcoholic beverages by minors is "startling."

In 1959, spokesman said, only 1,314 criminal cases were filed against boys and girls under age 21 for buying, consuming or possessing alcoholic beverages in a public place. In 1963, the TLCB filed 4,848 such cases.

Liquor Administrator Coke Stevenson Jr. said, "We've been concerned about the in-

Methodist Church Activities

The Women's Society of Christian Service, Circle No. 2, of the First Methodist Church, met Tuesday, October 13, at 9:30 a.m., in the church chapel.

Mrs. James Jones is conducting a series of studies on the "United States and New Nations." The topic "This Decade's Most Acute Economic Problem — Trade," was presented by Mrs. Billy Morrow.

Those present were: Mrs. Jack Woodrow, Mrs. Doyle Land, Mrs. Nolan Simpson, Mrs. Bob Cox, Mrs. Tom Ed Angel, Mrs. Tommy Johnson, and Mrs. Morrow.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Monday, October 6, in the church chapel for their regular meeting.

The business meeting was presided over by Mrs. Martin Gibson. Mrs. Evelyn Woodard gave the 11th chapter of Hebrews as the devotional.

Ten members answered roll call with a current event relating to the new nations.

Mrs. James Jones was in charge of the study. The topic of the program was "The Call of Abraham."

Those attending were: Mrs. Martin Gibson, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Jess Burns, Mrs. John Poe, Mrs. Dewey Williams, Mrs. A. J. Stallings, Mrs. Evelyn Woodard, Mrs. O. B. Bryan, Mrs. James Biggs, and Mrs. G. W. Alsop.

The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. James Jones.

The MYF will attend a meeting at 3:00 p.m. in Garden City October 18. The program will be on "The Five Goals of the MYF."

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church, met Monday night at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Bob Latimer.

Mrs. Latimer presented a program on "Changing Times." The devotional was given by Mrs. F. O. Rhodes on the topic, "New Purposes." Reports of the district meeting held last month in Colorado City, was given by Mrs. H. J. Barbee, Mrs. Roy Pickett, Mrs. F. O. Rhodes, and Mrs. James Eiland.

The following members were present: Mrs. H. J. Barbee, Mrs. Ophelia Brandt, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Leta Eidson, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Corene Manning, Mrs. Homer Schwaibe, Mrs. Roy Pickett, and the hostess, Mrs. Latimer.

Mrs. Tull Ray Louder visited recently in Dallas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Range, and with her brother, Dr. Haskell Range.

It pays to patronize your local merchants for the good values they are offering every day of the week.

Citizens Ask Closing Part Blocker Street

The city has in its files a petition signed by all property owners adjacent to West Blocker Street from North Burleson Street to North Gray Street and from North Gray Street to North Carroll Street, requesting that said portions of Blocker Street be closed to traffic.

The City Council will take official action on the request at its next regular meeting, scheduled for November 3, 1964, at 7:30 p.m., in the City Hall of the City of Stanton.

Any citizen wishing to protest the closing of these two blocks of West Blocker Street are invited to be present and make their protest in person. Signed: M. H. White, City Secretary.

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A letter to our Congressman from JOE B. PHILLIPS

The Hon. George Mahon
Congressman, 19th District
1211 New House Office Building
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Congressman:

This is another letter to acquaint you with my views concerning issues in this year's Congressional Campaign. Whenever it is convenient, I would be delighted to discuss publicly our opinions in an open forum.

I am unalterably opposed to our government's aiding communistic countries which are openly dedicated to burying us as a nation. Selling wheat to the Russians, was in my opinion, a very serious mistake. By extending credit to the USSR to buy wheat, we have turned our backs on the patriots in Cuba who burned their crops in an effort to bring about a collapse of the communist government in their country.

It is my conviction that we must not give any foreign aid to those nations which are communist or communist dominated. In my opinion, we need to develop a realistic foreign policy to serve our interests and those of our allies. We need to help our friends, but we must stop aiding and abetting an enemy dedicated to our destruction.

Very truly yours,

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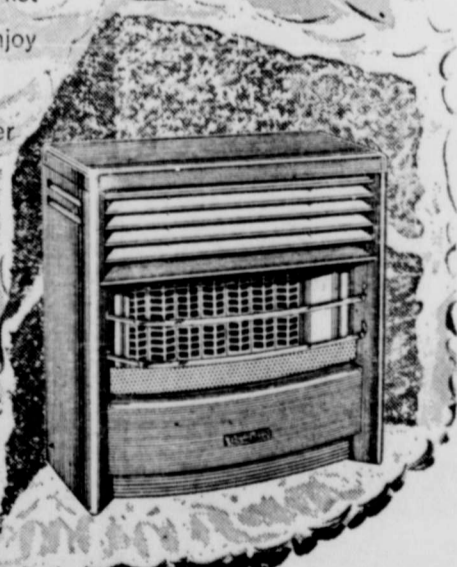
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October 15 Scheduled As P-TA Day At State Fair

October 15 has been scheduled as P-TA Day at the State Fair in Dallas, a fête that has become an annual tradition.

The observance will begin with a fellowship hour in the Woman's Building from 10:00 to 1:00 a.m., courtesy of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, with the Dallas City Council of P-TA's as host.

Mrs. W. J. Danforth of Fort Worth, state president, will preside at the program which will be held in the Hall of State from 11:15 to 12:15 p.m.

The program is as follows: Presentation of Colors — the ROTC of South Oak Cliff High School; the National Anthem — Music Committee of the Dallas City Council of P-TA's; Pledge of Allegiance — led by Mrs. John Tombs of Irving, a vice president of the Texas Congress; Invocation

— Mrs. A. J. Hannawacker of Dallas, president of the Second District;

Greetings — Dr. W. T. White, superintendent of the Dallas Independent School District, and Mrs. Russell Pollard, president of the Dallas City Council of P-TA's; Response — Mrs. L. L. Ledger of Coppas Cove, first vice president of the Texas Congress; Pageant — "We the P-TA Cooperate in the School Story," presented by students of Benjamin Franklin Junior High School in Dallas; Benediction — Mrs. Y. D. Sweatman, president of the Dallas County Council of P-TA's.

Mrs. Ledger will be honored at a fashion show which will be held that afternoon.

The Dallas City Council of P-TA's will host the Fellowship Hour and registration and the program will be under the direction of the Dallas County Council of P-TA's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell McKaskle attended a convention in Austin last week end. Sherman, who is stationed at San Antonio, accompanied his parents to Austin. Mr. and Mrs. McKaskle visited with friends in Brownwood on their trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alexander visited in San Angelo Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hudson. Mr. and Mrs. Hudson accompanied them back to Stanton and plan to spend several days visiting in Midland and Stanton, before returning home.

Home Demonstration Club Activities

The Valley View Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, October 8, in the club's new club house, which has been a project of the members for some time. Furnishings and decorations have been donated by the members.

Sharing hostess duties were Mrs. Buster Haggard and Mrs. O. D. Green.

Members answered roll call with an "Unusual Gift I Have Seen."

Mrs. O. D. Green presided over the business meeting. New officers were elected for the coming year. They are: Mrs. O. D. Green, president; Mrs. Delmar Hamm, vice president; Mrs. Kenneth Large, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. P. G. Yates and Mrs. G. T. Baum, council delegates.

The next meeting will be Thursday, October 22. This will be a day long meeting, with the members each bringing a salad to be served at noon. Members will work on Christmas gifts and decorations.

The program on "Cooking Holiday Meats," will be presented by Mrs. Mildred Elland.

Those present were: Mrs. Jimmy Sawyer, Mrs. Kenneth Large, Mrs. P. G. Yates, Mrs. J. T. Mims, Mrs. Rellos Hopper, Mrs. Delmar Hamm, Mrs. G. T. Baum, Mrs. Buster Haggard, and Mrs. O. D. Green.

Mrs. Charles Blake and Mrs. Leo Phelan were introduced as new members. Guests were Mrs. Loudermilk and Mrs. Elland.

Refreshments of coffee, cakes and cookies were served.

Mrs. Sam Cox was hostess to the Tarzan Home Demonstration Club Wednesday.

October 7, in her home.

Mrs. Wayne Parum, president, conducted the business session. New officers were elected, and they are as follows: Mrs. James Leub, president; Mrs. Raymond Pribyla, vice president; Mrs. Wayne Parum, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. R. B. Lucore, and Mrs. Loy Cox, council delegates; Mrs. E. L. Bass, reporter; Mrs. Pribyla recreation chairman; Mrs. B. E. Coggin and Mrs. Parum will serve as the program chairman committee.

The program on "The Importance of Voting," was presented by Mrs. A. F. Roper. Members present were: Mrs. Parum, Mrs. Lucore, Mrs. Loy Cox, Mrs. Pribyla, Mrs. Bass, and the hostess, Mrs. Sam Cox.

Mrs. Homer Howard, Sr., and Mrs. Roper were guests.

The Stanton Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Tom Glynn Wednesday, October 7.

New officers for the year were elected as the order of business. Those elected to serve were: Mrs. N. L. Riggan, president; Mrs. Lewis Carlile, vice president; Mrs. W. T. Wells, treasurer; Mrs. J. A. Wilson, secretary and reporter. Council delegates will be Mrs. Carlile, and Mrs. Wilson.

Roll call was answered with "My Favorite Color." The program was presented by Mrs. Wilson on fall fabrics and design. Also on the program was Mrs. Riggan.

Members present were: Mrs. Carlile, Mrs. T. W. Haynie, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Riggan, Mrs. W. T. Wells, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, and the hostess, Mrs. Glynn.

Guests were Mrs. George Glynn and Tim.

Besides Candidates, Voters Will Face Three Amendments

Three important proposed state Constitutional amendments will appear on voting machines and paper ballots at the general election Nov. 3.

A brief description and some background material on each of them are as follows: Amendment No. 1 proposes to amend Section 5 of Article VII of the State Constitution prohibiting future legislatures from transferring funds from the permanent school fund to the available school fund.

The permanent school fund was originally created, many years ago, with the legislature appropriating \$2 million in U. S. Bonds. . . then in 1876 the public school lands were added to the fund. It has continued to grow and now it is estimated that the \$535 million fund will currently produce nearly \$20 million in income for public schools.

From time to time the legislature has seen fit in the past to transfer 1 per cent of the permanent school fund to the available school fund. The amendment to be voted on Nov. 3 merely removes that authority from the Constitution.

The Legislature has taken advantage of the constitutional provision for transfer of 1 per cent of the permanent school fund to the available school fund on only three occasions since it was granted this privilege in 1891.

Amendment No. 2 would add a new subsection (d) to Section 59, Article XVI of the

Constitution to require notice of intention to introduce a measure either creating a new conservation or reclamation district or amending certain terms of an existing act pertaining to a particular district.

Notice would be required of proposals to introduce an amendatory act if the bill (1) alters land to the district, (2) alters the taxing authority of the district, (3) alters the authority of the district with respect to issuance of bonds, or (4) alters the qualifications or terms of office of members of the governing body of the district.

In meeting publication requirements, the notice would have to include the general substance of the contemplated law and would have to appear in a newspaper or newspapers having general circulation in the county or counties in which the district, or any part of the district, is located. Publication could not be less than 30 nor more than 90 days before introduction of the measure.

Further, the proposed amendment requires that a copy of the notice and the proposed bill be delivered to the governor who, in turn, submits both to the Texas Water Commission for review. Within 30 days following receipt of the notice, the Water Commission would be required to submit recommendations regarding the proposed legislation to the Governor, the Lieutenant Governor, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Amendment No. 3 adds a new subsection to Section 51a of Article III of the Constitution, which relates to payment of assistance to needy aged, needy blind, needy children

and the permanently and totally disabled.

The addition of this proposed new subsection 51a-2 would bring into eligibility status for vendor medical payments those persons 65 or over who are not recipients of old age assistance but who are unable to pay for needed medical services. It also makes provision for fitting lenses to correct or remedy for defective vision.

In essence, the amendment gives the legislature authority to provide for state participation in the federal-state medical assistance program provided by the Kerr-Mills law, which was enacted by Congress in 1960 and is commonly known as MAA, or Medical Assistance for the Aged.

This act sought to provide medical care for those persons over 65 who are ordinarily self-supporting but do not have the resources necessary to cover extra expense of serious or prolonged illness.

It should be emphasized that adoption of the proposed amendment would not establish medical assistance for the aged program in Texas, but would merely authorize the legislature to do so.

Fourth Grade 4-H Club Met October 9

The fourth grade 4-H Club met at the courthouse Tuesday, October 6, at 3:30 p.m.

Elizabeth Flanagan, Cindy Wheeler, and Karen Linney were the cooks for this meeting. The girls made fudge and served it as refreshments to the members.

Those present were: Twila Stallings, Cindy Wheeler, Elizabeth Flanagan, Carolyn Holloway, Karen Linney, Vicki Graves, Suzanna Brown, Patty White, Donna Ward, and Kathy Linney.

Sponsor for the fourth grade club is Mrs. Norwood Holloway.

Guests were: Mrs. F. C. Wheeler, Mrs. Curtis Flanagan, and Mrs. LeRoy Linney.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, October 20.

J. C. Parrish of Odessa, and Owen Parrish of Midland, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parrish.

Mrs. Ida Bristow from West Covina, California, has been visiting in Stanton with relatives. Mrs. Bristow is the sister of Mrs. G. B. Shelburne.

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Wed., Oct. 14, Dallas Day program. Cotton Bowl, 7:30 p.m.

Thurs., Oct. 15, Dallas Symphony Spectacular. Cotton Bowl, 7 p.m.

OCT. 10-25 IN DALLAS

School Menu

Menu For The Week Of October 19 Through October 23:

MONDAY
Meat and cheese pizza, carrot sticks, green beans, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, fruit, milk, and butter.

TUESDAY
Frito pie, steamed rice, combination salad, upside-down pineapple cake, crackers, and milk.

WEDNESDAY
Pinto beans, potato salad, hot tamales, corn bread, peach cobbler, milk, and butter.

THURSDAY
Beef and noodles, spinach, rolled wheat rolls, tossed salad, cranberry pie, milk, and butter.

FRIDAY
Tuna fish and pimento cheese sandwiches, vegetable soup, cake, fruit, and milk.

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Question: I have been buying Bonds in my name, with my son as coowner, intending to use them to put him through college. I understand there could be a tax advantage if the bonds were in his name, with myself as beneficiary, and want to know if these bonds can be re-issued.

Answer: Yes; however you would be required to report and pay federal income tax on interest that has accrued on bonds up until the time of the change in ownership. From that point on, accrued interest would become income of your son for purpose of taxation. There would be no state or local income taxes.

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Jim McCoy,
County Judge

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CITY OF STANTON, TEXAS

SEMI-ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT
For Period Ending September 30, 1964

GENERAL FUND

RECEIPTS		DISBURSEMENTS	
Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 8,484.82	Salaries	\$13,635.51
Fines and Fees	1,517.00	To Increase Petty Cash	49.84
Tax Collections	635.92	Firemen's Salaries	1,145.00
Penalties and Interest	336.96	Fire Department Supplies	309.78
Building Permits	82.00	Legal, Insurance, Etc.	540.58
Solicitors' License	140.00	Audit	800.00
Electricians License	100.00	Attorney's Fees, Case No. 2477 on	
Plumbing and Electrical Inspection	49.05	Police Car	350.00
Trash and Garbage Service	6,521.00	Office Supplies	607.07
Tax Certificates	10.50	Utilities	442.54
Sale of Wrecked Police Car	417.51	Police Department:	
Settlement of Case No. 2477 on		Gas and Oil	736.32
Wrecked Police Car	1,400.00	Car Repairs	318.86
Borrowed from Water and Sewer Fund	5,000.00	Tires for Car	96.60
Miscellaneous	9.55	Siren for Car	52.77
		Uniform Allowance	100.00
		Officer's School	50.00
		Misc. Supplies	19.74
		Jail — Care Prisoners	47.70
		City Hall, Equipment and Supplies	43.57
		City Park, Equipment and Supplies	71.23
		Fence and Extra Land at Dump Ground	500.00
		Dump Ground Expense	7.85
		Trash Truck, Gas and Oil	357.58
		Trash Truck — Equipment Repairs	540.79
		Towel Service	23.80
		Wrecker Service and Storage —	
		Wrecked Police Car	230.00
		City's Portion — Social Security	430.00
		City's Portion — Employees' Ins.	140.00
		Insufficient Check	28.86
		Miscellaneous	31.07
		Insurance Paid for an Employee	2.31
			\$21,709.37
		Balance September 30, 1964	3,194.94
TOTAL	\$24,904.31	TOTAL	\$24,904.31

STREET AND ALLEY FUND

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 6,766.77	Gas and Oil	\$ 380.65
Tax Collections	261.24	Street and Traffic Lights	1,138.50
Gross Tax Receipts	724.65	Supplies	241.95
Martin County — Street Lights	74.40	Repairs	527.46
Miscellaneous	20.00	Street Sweeper Payments	1,554.00
		Miscellaneous	28.75
			\$ 3,871.31
		Balance September 30, 1964	3,975.75
TOTAL	\$ 7,847.06	TOTAL	\$ 7,847.06

WATER AND SEWER FUND

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 9,857.81	Salaries	\$13,840.00
Collections: Water, Sewer, Garbage and Penalties	45,253.33	Labor	1,454.45
Reconnects	32.00	Meter Deposits Refunded	987.50
Meter Deposits Accepted	1,000.00	Freight	10.74
Tapping Fees	457.50	Power — Water System	2,701.90
Sewer Connect Permits	4.00	Power — Sewer System	271.45
Water at Crane	148.32	Gas and Oil — Pickups	429.66
Bad Debts Collected	19.16	Repairs — Pickups	347.55
Miscellaneous	20.54	Office Supplies	375.64
		Supplies — Water System	4,329.34
		Supplies — Sewer System	1,442.30
		Water from Clardy Well	910.20
		Water Meter Repairs	464.45
		Water Meters	262.35
		Water and Sewer Contingencies	600.00
		Trash and Garbage Service Transfer	6,521.00
		Utilities	90.56
		Chlorinator Payments	1,824.00
		Revenue Bonds Retirement	2,770.02
		Expense Allowance	100.00
		Loaned to General Fund	5,000.00
		New Pumps	1,556.27
		Lawn Mower	376.50
		City's Part of Social Security	595.00
		City's Part of Employees' Ins.	140.00
		Miscellaneous	13.50
			\$47,414.38
		Balance September 30, 1964	9,378.23
TOTAL	\$56,792.66	TOTAL	\$56,792.66

WATER WORKS SINKING FUND

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 3,791.23	None	—0—
Tax Collections	208.97	Balance September 30, 1964	\$ 4,212.70
Interest — Midland Airport Bond	212.50		
TOTAL	\$ 4,212.70	TOTAL	\$ 4,212.70
Invested in Midland Airport Bonds	\$10,000.00		
Bank Balance September 30, 1964	4,212.70		
Total Available	\$14,212.70		

GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS SINKING

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 6,120.78	Interest	\$1,878.75
Tax Collections	261.20	Bank Charges	5.00
Transferred from Coupon Fund	30.00		
			\$1,883.75
		Balance September 30, 1964	4,528.23
TOTAL	\$6,411.98	TOTAL	\$6,411.98

STREET AND WATER CONSTRUCTION

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 7,890.67	Water Construction:	
Accounts Receivable	565.99	Material and Supplies	\$1,966.51
Interest from Accounts Receivable	88.66	Labor	580.25
Paving	455.00	Accounts Receivable	116.64
			\$2,663.40
		Balance September 30, 1964	\$6,336.92
TOTAL	\$9,000.32	TOTAL	\$9,000.32

Oswald Widow Called Baffling

Sen. Richard B. Russell, looking back on 10 months of the "most arduous duty" on the Warren commission, says the widow of Lee Harvey Oswald is "a baffling personality."

Russell, 66, a Georgia Democrat, told a newsman that serving on the commission which investigated the assassination of President John F. Kennedy was "a sad and morbid experience" in the "most strenuous" year of his life.

The commission's report was made public Sunday night. It was found that Oswald acted alone in the shooting death of Kennedy and the wounding of Texas Gov. John B. Connally last Nov. 22 in Dallas.

Marina Oswald, the assassin's attractive Soviet-born widow, testified on three occasions. Each time she had her own Russian interpreter.

A Russian linguist of the investigating group also was on hand.

Russell said she appeared shy and naive in her first appearance, testifying she was convinced her husband had killed the President. Then, said Russell, she appeared to defend Oswald — saying he had been kind to their children and had helped her with the dishes and other household chores.

In later testimony, Russell said, she appeared much more sophisticated and confident, saying that her husband had beaten her several times.

The Georgian, referring to himself as "an old trial lawyer," made a trip to Dallas with Sen. John Sherman Cooper, R-Ky., to question Mrs. Oswald in her home.

"This time," said Russell, "she testified that she now believed Gov. Connally — not President Kennedy, was the intended target."

(This point was brought out in the report made public last Sunday. She gave two reasons for this view — Oswald's undesirable discharge from the Marines while Connally was secretary of the Navy and her inability to think of any motive for Oswald to kill Kennedy.)

(The commission discounted the view that Connally was the target because Oswald knew that Connally was never concerned with the discharge, and Mrs. Oswald had earlier testified her husband "spoke well of him" while the Oswalds were living in the Soviet Union.)

Russell said he reminded her of her earlier testimony. "Oswald said then (while in the Soviet Union) that if he were in Texas he would vote for Connally. I asked her why she had changed her testimony."

"She replied that Oswald was mad at the governor at the time of the shooting."

Russell said the young widow always used Russian in replying to questions, although she seemed to understand English and the questions.

She credited misunderstandings or differences in her testimony to the translations," he said.

The senator said the commission's report will not end debate and speculation.

"It will continue for a hundred years or longer," he added.

SINGLE SHEETS STRESSED

1965 Income Tax Model Will Have Slimmer Lines

The Internal Revenue Service has announced that there will be extensive changes in next year's income tax forms.

The 1964 income tax law forced the service to make some changes and others were introduced to make it easier to feed information into the service's new data processing machines.

IRS officials say they believe they have achieved greater simplicity. For example, the number of persons who will be able to give all the information needed on one sheet of paper — front and back — will increase from 18 million to 22 million.

The great majority of the additional 4,000,000 are those who have dividend income. Next year they'll be able to put it on the back of the first page of Form 1040 instead of filling out a separate schedule.

Another major change involves the way dependents are listed.

Taxpayers will be required to give only the number — not the names — of children living elsewhere and other dependents must be listed by name.

There will be slimmer packages of forms and instructions going to a great many taxpayers next year. One 20-page packet of forms and instructions will go to persons who have filed Form 1040 in the past but whose tax affairs are relatively uncomplicated.

Other packages ranging up to 40 pages will be sent to businessmen, farmers or others who have filed separate

BAND BOOSTERS

Held Business Meeting Oct. 1

A meeting of the Band Booster Club was held Thursday, October 1, in the band hall.

At the business meeting, the organization voted on several matters of business. One was the purchase of a bass horn and a slide trombone. These instruments will be used in the half-time activities this Friday night.

Out of town trips by the band were discussed. Mr. Hay stated that on any trips that the band makes, two parents will accompany the students. Mrs. F. C. Wheeler and Mrs. C. S. Bevers traveled with the band to McCamey last Friday.

The next meeting will be held on October 22. All parents and interested persons are urged to attend this meeting and give support to our band.

Martin County HD Members Observe Achievement Day

The Martin County Home Demonstration Clubs will observe Achievement Day Tuesday, October 20, to be held at the Cap Rock auditorium.

Achievement Day has been an annual affair, which all the clubs in Martin County take part.

Each club is responsible for one booth, and the club members will display projects and handwork which has been completed since last Achievement Day. There will be many beautiful and varied handwork and crafts. The exhibits will be open to the public at 10:00 a.m.

The clubs participating will be Courtney, Courtney Morning, Lakeview, Stanton, Koffee Kup Kraft, Tarzan, and Valley View.

In charge of registration will be the Koffee Kup Kraft Club members.

The public is invited to attend and enjoy the day with Home Demonstration Club members.

A salad luncheon will be served at noon followed by a travelog by Miss Arrah Phillips of Big Spring.

Hospital News

Physicians Hospital and Clinic

Patients Admitted October 5 Through October 11:

Mrs. Marie Robertson, Midland; Mrs. Evelyn Heinrich, Midland; Mrs. Nancy Barnes, Stanton; Mrs. Gina Hopkins, Stanton; Mrs. Blanche White, Stanton; Mrs. Lillie Harward, Stanton; Mrs. Euline Tom, Stanton; David Rios, Stanton; Mrs. Betty Sparks, Odessa; Marquez Reyes, Stanton; Mrs. Zella Graves, Stanton; Mrs. Maxine Graves, Stanton; Benny Mayold, Odessa, and Mrs. Ellen Warner, Stanton.

Stitch And Chatter Club Met October 7

Members of the Stitch and Chatter Club enjoyed a fine social hour Wednesday, October 7, in the home of Mrs. John Poe.

Those present were: Mrs. Martin Gibson, Mrs. Lovoy Allen, Mrs. Hattie Estes, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. Eddie Butler, Mrs. Bess Herring, Mrs. C. E. Barker, Mrs. Oma Womack, and the hostess, Mrs. Poe.

Refreshments of cake and coffee were served to those attending.

Lee Keaton is back home after a two week stay at Malone - Hogan Hospital, where he underwent surgery.

Trade at home and save!

Buy in your home town!

WATER AND SEWER CONTINGENCIES

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 3,327.90	None	—0—
Transferred from Water and Sewer Fund	600.00	Balance September 30, 1964	\$ 3,927.90
TOTAL	\$ 3,927.90	TOTAL	\$ 3,927.90

SOCIAL SECURITY FUND

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 314.00	State Department of Public Welfare	\$ 1,757.40
From Water and Sewer Fund	1,096.48	Administrative Fee	7.59
From General Fund	807.05		
			\$ 1,764.99
		Balance September 30, 1964	452.54
TOTAL	\$ 2,217.53	TOTAL	\$ 2,217.53

EMPLOYEES INSURANCE FUND

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 180.00	Stanton-Martin Co. Association	
Transferred from W and S	435.88	Employees' Share	\$ 738.15
Transferred from General	584.58	City's Share	294.31
			\$ 1,032.46
		Balance September 30, 1964	168.00
TOTAL	\$ 1,200.46	TOTAL	\$ 1,200.46

WATER AND SEWER SYSTEM REVENUE BOND SINKING FUND

Balance April 1, 1964	\$ 971.71	Disbursements — None	—0—
Transferred from Water and Sewer	2,770.02	Balance September 30, 1964	\$ 3,826.11
Interest on U. S. Treasury Bond	84.38		
			\$ 3,826.11
TOTAL	\$ 3,826.11	TOTAL	\$ 3,826.11
Invested in U. S. Treasury Notes	\$ 5,000.00		
Bank Balance September 30, 1964	3,826.11		
TOTAL AVAILABLE	\$ 8,826.11		

I, Addie Mae Burgess, do hereby certify that the foregoing Financial Statement is true and correct to the best of knowledge and belief

ADDIE MAE BURGESS,
City Treasurer, Stanton, Texas

The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

THE friendly, neighborly, reader circle of the community newspaper continues to grow and grow. We are happy to acknowledge these new and renewals and appreciate every one of them. Here they are: **BILLY D. COLLIER, J. A. JONES, SAM W. COX, W. M. BLOCKER, TULL RAY LOUDER, W. A. KADERLI, GENE CLEMENTS, DOYLE EDMISTON, A. C. POWELL, BOBBY PAPANAS, LOWELL HAMILTON, MRS. W. S. DECKER, and MRS. MATT EILAND.**

THIS is no time to uproot our established, fair and effective immigration policies, and let down the barriers in a noble gesture to all dissatisfied humanity. In view of the nation's preoccupation with unemployment, the related and continuing advance of automation and the 'war on poverty'; and in the light of multiple Federal programs with budgets as high as a billion dollars (for the poverty war), we can think of no greater disservice than to invite an indiscriminate and vastly expanded global influx of all kinds and conditions of humanity.

SUBSCRIPTIONS continue to roll in here in the office. We have another list to print and we acknowledge each and every one of them with appreciation. Here they are: **SOUTH PLAINS MONUMENT CO.; MRS. FRED W. COOK; H. H. JOHNSON; DALE FRYAR; J. B. ZANT; M. H. NANCE; CLINTON MILLER; PATRICIA MILLER; F. C. WHEELER; CARL (HOOT) LEONARD; MISS JACKIE LEONARD; HOMER HOWARD, JR.; and LYNN WHITE.**

WHEN the printing department of THE OLE RELIABLE county newspaper puts in a lot of time in turning out a special job it is good to hear from those individuals in an organization who ordered same. We have received many splendid testimonials from our friends and customers in the county who have been pleased with both the price and printing of their booklets, yearbooks, etc. But we have never found a finer letter in our mail box than the one written on behalf of the entire membership of THE STANTON GARDEN CLUB the past week. **MRS. ARTHUR WILSON**, bless her, signed the message to the editor and staff here in the office. She expressed appreciation for the professional job of printing done by the commercial department of the newspaper on the club's yearbooks. We worked carefully on the details on that job and we predict that the yearbook will win honor and recognition if and when submitted in competition. Thanks **MRS. WILSON**, and please express our personal thanks to the other members of the GARDEN CLUB.

CONTRARY to what a lot of people might think, an editor likes to place credit when and where credit is due. We like to say nice things about good work in the community and to compliment rather than criticize. So here is a compliment for our city council. One of the finest investments made by the Mayor and council members was recorded when they purchased our street sweeping machine. That vehicle is a dilly. And the other morning, as we stood in our yard and watched the efficient operator control that baby, we were justly proud of the foresight exemplified by our city fathers in giving to their town and ours a good piece of equipment. Thanks fellows.

I think I will stop chasing the fire truck in early morning hours while the town sleeps. The other A. M. your scribe missed his pants leg and rammed his big toe while trying to get clothes enough on to "attend a 2 a.m. fire." We made it—but in pain and the damage was nil. That was good—the fact that nothing burned up. Then at one-thirty a.m. Wednesday morning the siren sounded again. We rushed down to the station and they have a blackboard there and the first man arriving is supposed to write the location of the fire on the blackboard—then he drives the truck to the scene. Other volunteers go first to the station and read the message and hasten to the location. Wednesday morning, we made it ok with our pants but arrived late at the station. On the blackboard we read "High School." I figured that would settle the student switching problem currently on the community agenda once and for all. If the building burned down—we would just have to build another one. So as I thunderbirded out to the scene I expected to see big blazes belching out smoke from the main building. Nothing of the kind—some prankster had just lighted the junk gathered for the Homecoming bon fire a little too early. Again, we were thankful no serious damage resulted. But with the early morning chill in the air and at our age for our capacity at catching colds—in the future—to heck with it all.

Peggy Barnes Honored On Eighth Birthday

Peggy Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Barnes, was honored on her eighth birthday, Friday, October 9, at her home.

A Halloween theme was carried out. Guests were entertained with Halloween games and stories. Favors of Halloween toys were given to the children.

Refreshments of Jack-O-Lantern cake and orange punch were served to the following guests: Judy Costlow, Vickie Graves, Lynn Gilmore, Gaye McIntyre, Stacy Payne, Wanda Patton, Gayla Kennedy, Gayla Wester, Mindy Haislip, Tommy Haislip, and Gary Barnes.

Fifth Grade 4-H Club Met October 12

Meeting in the home demonstration agents office Monday, October 12, were the Stanton fifth grade 4-H Club members.

Cindy Pickett, junior 4-H Club leader, assisted the girls with the election of officers. Elected president was Betty Anderson; vice president, Kathryn Pickett; secretary, Betsy McArthur, and reporter, Marlene Long.

Members present were: Zanna Angel, Diane Bernard, Leslie Sebesta, Rosalyn Louder, Betty Anderson, Kathryn Pickett, Betsy McArthur, and Marlene Long.

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Beverly Tucker Elected FFA Sweetheart

Beverly Tucker was elected Stanton FFA sweetheart at a meeting of the local chapter Tuesday, October 6.

Miss Tucker will represent the chapter in the sweetheart contest at the district meeting in Odessa on November 5.

Buddy Stewart, chapter president presided over the meeting.

There were approximately 40 members present.

Stanton P-TA Held Regular Meet Tuesday

The Stanton Parent Teachers Association held their regular meeting Tuesday night at the Stanton High School auditorium, with Dr. Jack Woodrow conducting the business session.

Mrs. Bob Priddy, program chairman, introduced Janice Burgess and Leta Johnson, who are members of the Future Teachers Club. Janice gave a brief summary of the aims and purposes of the FTA. Leta spoke on plans made for "Back To School Night," which will be held November 10. This is only for the Stanton High School parents, as the elementary "Back To School Night" will be held in the spring.

Beryl Clinton, superintendent, served as moderator for the panel discussion which followed. Panel members were: J. M. Yater, Floyd Sorley, Mrs. O. B. Bryan, and Mrs. Kay Thaxton. Program topic, "Together We Help A Child by Supporting Quality Education." A question and answer period followed at the close of the panel discussion.

The hospitality committee served refreshments to the members attending.

Sixty members were in attendance at the meeting, and yearbooks were distributed.

Room count was won by Mrs. William Harrell's first grade class.

During the business session the group voted not to have a Halloween carnival this year.

Late Rains Aid To Texas Farm Crops

Late September rains helped late dryland sorghum, grain and pasture prospects in Texas, the U. S. Department of Agriculture says.

Cotton production is forecast at 4,225,000 bales, about 25,000 bales above earlier forecasts but 192,000 bales below last year. Low South Texas gin-out and prospective trans-Pecos production were offset by high gin-up of upper coast, south central and blackland crops.

The sorghum crop is expected to total 218 million bushels, 11 per cent below last year and the smallest since 1955. Rains were too late for dry South Plains areas.

Corn production is pegged at 22,812,000 bushels, down 5 per cent from last year.

Peanut production is estimated at 194.7 million pounds, down slightly from last year. The peanut yield is forecast at 825 pounds, the highest on record, mostly because of good rains.

Rice production is estimated at 18,737,000 hundredweight, 2 per cent above last year. The rice yield, at 4,100 pounds per acre, also is a record high.

The pecan crop is forecast at 25 million, less than half last year's near record crop.

Soybean production forecast is 2,128,000 bushels, 18 per cent below last year.

Hay production is forecast at 2,492,000 tons, 13 per cent above last year.

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Rev. W. Uhlman Holding Revival Meet At Elbow

Rev. W. H. Uhlman is conducting a week long revival at Central Baptist Church in the Elbow community.

In his absence laymen of the church will be in charge. Philip White was in charge of the Wednesday night services. The Gideons will bring the Sunday morning message, and Floyd Sorley will be speaker at the evening service.

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Did You Know?

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FARM REVIEW AND FORECAST

Texas farmers and ranchers should take special precautions in handling their livestock during the coming weeks to prevent new attacks by the screwworm fly.

Stepped-up vigilance by livestock producers is important, not only to protect their animals from becoming infested, but also because an impending shortage of funds for the screwworm eradication program may limit emergency control measures that can be taken.

Eradication authorities pointed out that in past years, the livestock pest has always made large, rapid gains during the fall months when wet, cool weather is extremely favorable for insect development, and in increase in livestock management practices produces a n abundance of wounds attractive to the insect.

Infestations have been rare this summer, with only two dozen cases reported by livestock producers in Texas. Only one case was detected during August.

Eradication officials warned however, that the screwworm fly can migrate great distances when conditions are favorable and a failure of stockmen to be alert to the danger could result in a sudden explosion of cases.

Infestations detected, treated and reported during the early stages of development can be quickly and easily controlled, officials said.

Eradication activities may have to be reduced because of recent action by Congress in trimming a budget request for \$5 million to carry the program through the current fiscal year. Only \$2.75 million will be made available by the federal government, and \$2.5 million of this cannot be spent unless it is matched by non-federal money.

Practically all of the \$6 million contributed voluntarily by farmers and ranchers and appropriated by the State of Texas will be expended by Dec. 1, campaign authorities said.

The Southwest Animal Health Research Foundation, which spearheaded the producer fund drive, along with industry and government leaders, is studying ways of getting the program out of its financial straits. In the meantime, livestockmen—through careful management of their animals—can prevent an upsurge in screwworm cases that could cause even more difficulties for the eradication project.

Cotton farmers interested in saving costly dollars on each

bale produced should consider carefully the way they operate their mechanical pickers.

The difference between operating a mechanical cotton picker improperly and handling one skillfully may be as much as \$14.50 or more per bale, says Beverly G. Reeves, cotton ginning and mechanization specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Driving the picker off-center on a row often results in skinning off pieces of bark from the cotton stalks, explains Reeves. Being quite difficult to remove from cotton in the gin, bark may show up in the sample at the classing office. Cotton classed "bark" automatically loses one grade and receives a one cent per pound penalty in the loan, he points out.

An example of what this might mean to you, let's say that your cotton was downgraded from M 1-3:32 to SLM 1-3:32 because of "bark." A difference in price of \$1.90 per one hundred pounds and the additional one cent penalty means a total loss of \$2.90 per one hundred pounds or \$14.50 on a 500-pound bale, explains the specialist.

Therefore, a properly adjusted, carefully operated cotton picker can save hundreds of dollars during a harvest season. This, says Reeves, should be reason enough for

making sure the picker operator keeps the machine centered on the row and does a good job of operating it in the field.

Feeding dairy heifers all the grain they want will not make them produce as their top ability as cows.

Neither is it wise to under feed, reports A. M. Meekma, extension dairy specialist, Texas A&M University.

Recent studies at the Tennessee Agricultural Experiment Station using identical twin dairy heifers showed that those allowed to eat all the grain they wanted grew fast and fat. However, Meekma pointed out, during their first lactation they produced only 85 percent as much as their leaner mates which had been raised on good quality forage.

Of course, says the specialist, it's also possible to under feed by limiting either the quantity or quality of feed for heifers. Tennessee researchers found that very lean heifers which were not fed all the quality roughage they wanted failed to milk as well as their twins which had free access to good hay. The latter gave eight percent more milk, which was more than enough to pay for the extra hay they ate.

Many Texas dairymen, Meekma thinks, could make large

savings in raising herd replacements by not feeding costly grain to yearlings. They could obtain equally good results by liberally feeding good quality roughages during this growing period.

Electric motors can be used for many work-saving jobs around the farm and in the home, but should not be over-worked, says Henry O'Neil, extension agricultural engineer, Texas A&M University.

Electric motors can be burned out by overloading, low voltage, high temperature conditions, or short circuits, O'Neil warns. Small motors can be bought with built-in protectors against overloading and high temperature conditions. The motor is automatically turned off if it gets too hot, and it is a good safety investment, he says.

General purpose motors will operate satisfactorily at 15 percent overload without harm in temperatures up to 104 degrees F., O'Neil says. If the motor is too hot for you to hold your hand on for a few minutes, it is in danger of overheating, he explains.

Larger motors, one-half to one horsepower and up, should be protected by a magnetic starter. A motor starter is a good investment and insurance against an expensive motor burn-out.

Accent On Health

J. E. PEAVY, M. D., Commissioner of Health

The coming of cold weather may pose a potential hazard for your child that you haven't even thought about.

As your toddler stays indoors during winter, he'll be exploring—tasting, chewing, nibbling—on most anything in sight—even the woodwork and window sills.

It is this "curiosity appetite" that causes hundreds of children to be poisoned each month.

Perhaps the most insidious poison of all is lead poisoning. It results from toddlers eating small chips of old paint, chewing on windowsills or furniture are not made ill immediately. Lead poisoning is accumulative, that is, it builds to a toxic level over a period of time.

Since toddlers are usually confined indoors during the winter months, eating of lead usually takes place then. Later, during the hot summer months, acute symptoms may develop as the stored lead is mobilized and distributed to

sensitive organs of the body. Nerve cells are particularly vulnerable so that brain damage results in about one-fourth of the cases.

Lead poisoning can be fatal or cause severe brain damage and mental retardation in children. It is an entirely "man-made disease" and should be completely preventable.

Parents should make sure that all toys, cribs, etc., are painted with non-toxic paint containing less than one percent lead. All peeling or blistered paint should be removed from inside the house, and any falling plaster should be cleaned up immediately. Keep an eye out for munching children, especially if the kind of paint on the object is unknown. Also avoid letting small children breath fumes of fresh paint in confined areas.

You can't and don't want to stop your toddler from exploring, tasting and chewing, but you can eliminate as much opportunity for lead poisoning as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bryant have as guests in their home Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mauldin of Mesa, Arizona. Mr. and Mrs. Mauldin are the parents of Mrs. Bryant. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant's children visited with them on Sunday. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee Hull and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dee House and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rush, and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bryant and child of Midland.

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Grady School News

Elwyn Bass, Grady School principal, has announced that the annual staff have just finished a successful annual ad sales campaign.

The annual staff is composed of the following students: editor, Ann Haggard; assistant editor, Paula Standerfer; business manager, David Greenhaw, assistant business manager, Jack Madison, and photographer, Brenda Hopper.

The eighth grade class of the Grady School, recently elected officers to serve for this year. They are: David Greenhaw, president; Rosemary Urias, vice president; Ann Haggard, secretary; Elviss Burton, treasurer, and Jack Madison, reporter.

Nolan Parker To Lead FFA District Group

Nolan Parker, advisor of the local FFA chapter, has been elected president of the agriculture advisors in the El Rancho District.

Parker is also chairman of public relations for the district.

The El Rancho district includes Odessa, Midland, Big Spring, Coahoma, Flower Grove, Stanton, and Sands High School at Ackerly.

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Miss Gossett To Wed Jas. Jones

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gossett of Aurora, Arkansas, formerly of Stanton, announces the wedding date of their daughter, Frances, to James H. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Jones of Huntsville, Arkansas.

The wedding will be November 4, in the Assembly of God Church, in Huntsville. The couple will reside in Huntsville following the ceremony.

Mrs. Dawnye Thompson has returned to her home in Midland. Mrs. Thompson has been recuperating from a serious operation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Franklin, for the past three weeks.

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Texas Farm Bureau Queen To Be Selected Nov. 8-11

Selection of a new Texas Farm Bureau queen will be one of the highlights of the annual TFB convention to be held in Houston Nov. 8-11. The finals of the statewide queen contest will be held on the evening of Nov. 9 in the Music Hall.

Thirteen winsome farm and ranch girls will be representing their respective districts in the final elimination. They were selected in district contests held recently after having been named county winner earlier.

The TFB crown carries with it \$500 in expenses for the winner and her matron escort to attend the annual convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation in December in Philadelphia. In addition, each of the 13 district winners will receive a beautiful wrist watch and have her expenses to the state convention paid by the Texas Farm Bureau.

Five prominent persons, whose identity will be revealed at the contest, will act as judges.

The annual beauty contest is conducted by the Texas Farm Bureau to provide statewide and nationwide recognition for the lovely farm and ranch girls of Texas. Last year's queen was Judi Shurbert of Petersburg.

This year's contestants are: Marilyn Oldaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Oldaker of Texhoma; Irma Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morrison of Lorenzo; Peaches Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Powell, of Byers; Monica Threadgill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Threadgill of Fort Worth; Joyce Jeanine Durgin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Durgin of Canton; Connie Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Har-

lin Miller of Seagraves. Also Lawanda Horner, daughter of Mrs. Carson Horner of Santa Anna; Cynthia Caye Chadwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney B. Chadwell of Mart; Martha Ann Bryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Dyess of Jacksonville; Phyllis Drake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Drake of Waelder; Jo Lynn Petras, daughter of Mrs. Millie Petras, of LaGrange, Texas; Sharon Brittain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Brittain of Taff; and Cherie Moller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Parker of Los Fresnos.

Personals

Mrs. Jack White of Farmington, New Mexico, has been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Echols. Mrs. White has also been visiting with other relatives in Stanton and Big Spring.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee Hull and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pope in Sand Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hay and Mrs. Roy Pickett attended friendship night at Laura B. Hart Chapter, O. E. S., in Big Spring, last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Henson and sons, Don Ray and Ken, visited in Midland Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Waylon Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hazlewood, Jr., visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Latty in Midkiff Sunday.

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PUT OUR FOOD SAVINGS IN THE PICTURE

We invite the Martin County shoppers to put our food prices in the picture by visiting our store. Come in — look around — inspect the special displays — check our prices — check the quality — see how much you can save on first class food brands, fresh meats, crisp vegetables and frozen foods.

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