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VARIETY

By NEAL ESTES

A Wisconsin newspaper recently gave this bit of advice: "Next time you feel a little rheumatic or scatic or whatever it is that old age does to a body, don't resist growing old. Just think how many are denied the privilege."

It's a good way to look at life and its problems. Before we start to complain about how bad off we are, we might remember that a lot of people are worse off. There's a story about a man who was always worrying because he had no shoes. Then, one day he saw a man who had no feet. And he changed his attitude.

Which adds up to the fact that, no matter how many things we lack, we still have plenty for which to be thankful.

The city is proud to host to the AREA FOUR POLICE CHIEFS ASSOCIATION today at Motel Belvue. CHIEF BOB SMITH, youngest Chief of Police in Texas, expects more than 30 officers to be in attendance. We extend a warm welcome to the visiting guardians of the law and hope their visit to our city will be an enjoyable one.

We have listed the names of many subscribers in this issue. More will appear in the next issue of the newspaper. We are proud of every reader on our mailing list and wish to take this opportunity to repleading our best efforts in their behalf during the year ahead.

GOV. JOHN CONNALLY is to be congratulated on the good judgment used in naming BYRON TUNNEL of Tyler to the TEXAS RAILROAD COMMISSION place caused by the resignation of that great statesman and well known public servant for so many years, C O L. ERNEST O. THOMPSON.

We had a very nice note from REV. J. R. MURDOCK of Weatherford, formerly of Stanton. He has long been a reader of our paper and was one of our staunch backers while living in our city. It is a pleasure to continue to send him THE OLE RELIABLE. We send best wishes to the MURDOCKS for a happy, healthy, and prosperous New Year.

Be sure and make it a point to go by and view the JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW entries this week. The boys will be delighted to see you and this fine annual event is worthy of the special attention of us all. It is a CHAMBER OF COMMERCE sponsored affair and the officers, directors, and members of that organization will also be proud to have you visit the exposition. COUNTY AGENT BOB JOHNSON and HERBERT JONES, chairman of the Chamber's ag committee have put in long hours to make the show successful. Of course the boys have contributed the talent and time necessary to make the show a wonderful annual event by grooming their animals for the show ring.

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Hundreds Due To Attend Stock Show

Poll Tax Sales Moving Slowly In The County

Poll tax sales are moving very slowly in Martin County, according to a statement given the newspaper from the county tax collector's office this week.

In Martin County to date only 290 poll receipts have been issued.

The deadline for paying poll taxes, costing \$1.75 each, is January 31.

Traditionally, poll tax payments decline in what is termed an "off year," but the voters should be cautioned that to participate in the city and school district elections in 1965, a tax receipt is a required qualification.

It is important that the poll taxes be paid for a person to maintain a high standard of good citizenship.

If you have not bought your tax receipt—do so today.

Stanton Wins Over Flower Grove 66-37

Stanton's charging Buffaloes kept their winning streak going strong by winning from Flower Grove's Dragons 66-37 here Friday night.

Dink Polson won the high point honors for the evening by hanging up 22 points. Johnny Howard led for the Dragons with 10 points.

Stanton also won the girls' game, 48-19. Janelle Tate led Stanton with nine points, while Becky Haggard was high for the visitors with 15.

The victory shoved Stanton's season total through Friday night to 13 out of 17 starts.

Savings Bond Sales Total \$22,000 Here

Savings Bond sales for the first 11 months of 1964 totaled \$22,004 in Martin County. Of this amount \$1,003 were purchased during the month of November according to James Jones, chairman of the Martin County Savings Bonds Committee.

During November Texans purchased \$11,577,054 in Series E and H Savings Bonds. This represents 9.6 per cent increase over the same period last year. Cumulative sales for 11 months of 1964 amounted to \$135,945,497, which is 90.6 per cent of the state's goal of \$150 million.

"A good habit to get into during the new year is buying U. S. Savings Bonds regularly—buy one a month at \$37.50 and you'll have \$50.00 a month coming back when the bonds mature," Chairman Jones stated.

Our Subscription Honor Roll For This Week

We send a warm welcome during this very warm spell to these subscribers who will be aboard The Stanton Reporter's journalistic cruiser during the 12 months ahead. Thanks for your continued support and genuine loyalty to your local newspaper.

Betty Hedrick, Rhome, Texas; Tom Glynn, Stanton; Claude Kelly, Stanton; T. J. Poindexter, Bee Heights, S. D.; Southwestern Bell Telephone, Big Spring; Frank Dyson, Ft. Worth; P. M. Bristow, Stanton; Ruth Holloway, Stanton; Texas Electric Service Co., Stanton; John Pinkston, Stanton; Jim Tom, Stanton; E. E. Alexander, El Paso; R. S. Lewis, Stanton; W. C. Houston, Stanton; James Jones, Stanton; Mrs. L. G. Tom, Stanton; J. P. Stroud, Stanton; R. C. Louder, Stanton; Mrs. Wilmer Jones, Stanton; John F. Priddy, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Lee Gibbons, Houston; G. L. Stewart, Stanton; S. E. Brogg, Stanton; George Mahon, Washington, D. C.; Susie Houston, Stanton; Houston Woody, Route One; J. N. Woody, Route One; Johnal Woody, Midland; Joyce Woody, Stanton; C. R. Blake, Stanton; Abe Lane, Amarillo; C. E. Wilson, Andrews; Bill Lively, Midland; S. E. Cross, Stanton; Lewis Orlando, Spokane, Wash.; George Knox, Tarzan; Earl Powell, Roswell, N. M.; Melvia Cross, Stanton; J. B. McKee, Odessa; Mrs. Beatrice McCreeless, Stanton; Claude Davis, Stanton; H. M. McReynolds, Stanton; Ohmer Kelly, Stanton; Roy G. Alford, Midland; Charles Brown, Stanton; Paul K. Jones, Stanton; Evelyn Woodard, Stanton; Mrs. Harry Haislip, Stanton; J. D. Renfro, Stanton; H. Ringhoffer, Stanton; Dewey Anderson, Stanton; Claude Edwards, Lenora; Roland Myrick, Stanton; Mrs. B. P. Eidson, Stanton; Mrs. W. L. Wasson, Shadypoint, Okla.; Mrs. I. T. Graves, Stanton; L. R. Graves, Tarzan; Jim McCoy, Stanton; R. R. Herrington, Kermit, Hall Kennedy, Stanton; Texas Electric Service Co., Midland; O. O. Dickerson, Stanton; Bruce Frazier, Route One; B. F. White, Stanton; Delmar Hamm, Lenora; Mrs. Grace M. Nance, Medina; W. C. Glazener, Stanton; Walter E. Kelly, Stanton; Beryl Clinton, Stanton; Mrs. Lona Currie, Odessa; Calvin B. Jones, Stanton; J. S. Ringener, Stanton; Mrs. Jess Barnett, Elmore City, Okla.; Mrs. Bertha Ebbersol, Stanton and Lela H. Boyd, Dallas, Texas.

Gordon Stone In Oklahoma U. Grad School

Gordon C. Stone of Stanton, graduate student at Oklahoma State University, is among 15,523 enrolled this fall.

The total includes 13,210 on-campus students, 1,850 at Oklahoma State Tech, Okmulgee, and 463 at the Oklahoma City branch of the OSU Technical Institute.

By classes on campus, there are 3,727 freshmen, 2,579 sophomores, 2,458 juniors, 2,477 seniors, 147 special and unclassified students and 1,822 graduate students.

Judge R. W. Caton Stanton Rotary Club Speaker

Judge Ralph W. Caton spoke to the members of the Stanton Rotary Club Wednesday and their guests.

Judge Caton talked on "Judicial Procedure and Legislation." Caton is a charter member of the Stanton Rotary Club and now is active in the club in Big Spring. He was presented by Rotarian Martin Gibson, program chairman for the month of January.

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Co-Op Chalks Up A Record

Cap Rock Electric Cooperative established a new record in power sales during the past year.

Operating statistics for December showed sales of 4,373,018, which compared with 4,188,335 for the same month a year ago. It brought to 82,268,276 KWH the amount of power sold during 1964, up substantially from the 76,190,380 KWH for all of 1963.

At the end of the month Cap Rock had 2,466 miles of line energized, a gain of 53 for the year and three for the month. There were 5,658 members connected, an increase of 189 for the year and 19 for the month.

Madrid Baby Awarded First Baby Prizes

The first baby to be born in Martin County at the local hospital made his arrival on January 6.

Staff members of Physicians & Surgeons Hospital and Clinic advised the press that Richard Madrid, Jr., was born at 1:48 p.m. on the above date.

Young Richard, son of Mr. Madrid, was born at 1:48 p.m. on the above date.

County Cotton Yield Totals 19,432 Bales

Martin County gins have handled 19,432 bales of cotton and Texas Employment Commission checkers estimate 96 per cent of the current crop is in.

The crop estimate for the season had been cut down to 21,000 bales. It is extremely doubtful that that number of bales will be reached.

TEC believes that the number of bales left in Martin County fields will push the total over 20,000 bales however.

In Howard County a total of 18,161 bales of cotton have

been ginned to date and the crop is 99 per cent complete there.

In Glasscock County the estimate amounted to 10,200 bales and 9,752 bales have been ginned to date.

In Dawson County 90,000 have gone to the gins. TEC thinks the county total will reach 95,000 bales when the final bale goes through the gin. One year ago on the same date the last check was made in Dawson County and at this time 170,000 bales of cotton had been harvested.

Midland Operator Testing No. 1 Sale For Completion

By JAMES C. WATSON

John L. Cox of Midland is testing for completion as a 1/2-mile east extension to the Martin County sector of the Spraberry Trend Area at the No. 1 Sale.

The project is 1/2 mile south of Stanton, 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 23, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey. It began operations on

an 8,400-foot contract and set 5 1/2-inch casing at total depth of 7,980 feet with no tests reported.

Operator has perforated the casing between 7,053 and 7,916 feet, fractured with a total of 60,000 gallons and was pumping load oil with no gauges reported.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. (Continued on page 4)

WTCC To Sponsor Farm, Ranch Tour March 1-6

Interest is mounting across West Texas in a special Farm and Ranch Management Tour into the rich agricultural valleys of Arizona and California, scheduled March 1-6 and sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Approximately 200 Texas farmers, ranchers, bankers, and businessmen in fields related to agriculture will take the tour, which will cover the areas around Riverside, Sun City, Indio, Palm Springs, El Centro, Brawley, and Blythe, California, and the Parker Valley in Arizona.

Headquarters for the tour

will be at Palm Springs, Calif., in the Coachella Valley.

Those on the WTCC tour will take a first-hand look at diversified farming and ranching operations in the Peris-Hemet Valley, the Coachella Valley, the Imperial Valley, and the Palo Verde Valley, all in California, and the Parker Valley in Arizona. They will see how irrigation has turned once-barren desert areas into fertile, rich agricultural sections; will witness water conservation practices; and see how cotton, grain sorghum, vegetables, sugar

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Reapportionment May Change This District

The 19th Congressional District could experience a big change when the Texas Legislature meets this month, but the chances of Martin County being removed from Congress George Mahon's district are remote.

The Texas Legislative Council has recommended two possible plans for congressional reapportionment.

The recommendations would drop the number of counties in Mahon's District from 20 to 16 counties.

In the shuffle, which now has Lubbock as its geographical center, would lose Hale, Floyd, Crosby, Dickens and Mitchell Counties. Mitchell is

the old home county of Congressman Mahon.

The big news is that under Plan A, Midland County would be added to the 19th District. If Plan B is accepted then Ector County could come in.

Midland County, which Mahon would gain if the bill should eventually become law as drafted, now is in the 16th District of Rep. Richard White.

The proposed shuffle would make the Lubbock District almost ideal populationwise with 416,759.

The committee has been seeking a "head count" of 416,000 in each of the state's 23 congressional districts.

AG Committee Gives Green Light To Event

The annual Martin County Junior Livestock Show will be held this week-end January 15-16. Lambs, swine, and steers will be shown by members of the Martin County 4-H Clubs and Future Farmers of America.

A door prize will be given immediately following the Saturday afternoon auction. A hat will be given away as the prize.

Police Meet Convenes In Stanton Today

The fifth annual meeting of the Area Four, Texas Police Chiefs' Association will convene in Stanton at 10 a.m. today, Thursday, Jan. 14.

Chief Bob Smith, this city, will host the group of visiting officers. Approximately 30 members of the association are due to register.

Mayor S. W. Wheeler will deliver an address of welcome to the peace officers and Cecil Bridges will serve as master of ceremonies at a luncheon to be held at Motel Belvue.

Chief Chester Simmons, Snyder, is the regional head of the police group.

Chief Smith has arranged an interesting program for his guests.

A total of 60 lambs, 40 swine, and two or three steers will be shown at the annual show.

The animals will be brought to the county show barn on Friday. Judging will begin at 8:00 a.m. Saturday morning. Judges for the show are Oliver Worst, Glasscock County agent, and Carl Maddox, Odessa vocational agriculture instructor.

Four classes of lambs, fine-wool, crossbred, medium wool and Southdown will be exhibited. There will be two classes of barrows—light and heavy, one class of gilts, and one class of steers.

Ribbons will be presented to the top 10 animals in each class. Trophies will be awarded to the six champions, and the top showman in each division.

The top 20 lambs and 20 barrows will be sold at an auction on Saturday afternoon.

Make plans now to be in Stanton all day Saturday, January 16, for the annual livestock show.

48 Business Changes Listed For Martin County In Report

Today, A. J. Hemphill, district manager of the Fort Worth office of Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., announced statement requests were mailed to 82 businesses in Martin County. He said figures obtained from a physical count of the Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book for January, 1965.

Hemphill noted that each January business concerns in all parts of the United States are asked by Dun & Bradstreet for copies of their financial statements. This year requests are being sent to nearly three million business concerns—to the corner grocery store worth a few thousand dollars as well as to business worth millions.

The Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book lists those manufacturers, wholesalers, and retailers who seek or grant commercial credit but it does not include some of the service and professional businesses such as beauty and barber shops, security dealers and real estate brokers. Therefore, the figures for total business in the United States would be higher than the three million quoted above.

During the past year, Hemphill added, 48 changes were

made in the Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book listings of Martin County businesses, including 16 names added, 14 names deleted, and 16 changes in the ratings of continuing businesses. The changes occurring in Martin County are about even with the rest of the country where a change of business significance is counted about every five seconds.

When the owner or officer of a business enterprise, or his accountant, fills in and mails his financial statement to Dun & Bradstreet, it becomes a part of the credit report on his business and a factor in determining the credit rating of his business. Mailing the statement, rather than waiting for the Dun & Bradstreet reporter's call means a concern's important suppliers will quickly have the latest facts on which to make credit and sales decisions. When the Dun & Bradstreet reporter receives a business man's financial statement in advance of his periodic call, he can make a more detailed analysis of the financial condition of the business and discuss its operation more intelligently.

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Braceros Can't Be Contracted For U. S. Work Without Mexico's Approval

Mexico Saturday warned American farmers that braceros must not be contracted for work in the United States without prior consent of this country's government.

The statement was issued by the foreign relations ministry in the wake of conclusion of the 1951 treaty between the two countries under which hundreds of thousands of Mexican farm hands worked in the neighboring country annually.

Both countries were reported to have ordered emergency measures along border points to prevent the bootlegging of Mexican workers in a possible revival of the wetback migration that ended after the two countries reached full agreement on regularizing bracero employment.

Mexican President Gustavo Diaz Ordaz laid the groundwork for the present Mexican position on braceros during his conversations in Texas last

November with U. S. President Johnson, the foreign office statement said.

No Wetbacks
The declaration also warned that any employer who uses or has used wetback labor will be barred from hiring Mexican workers legally with approval of the Mexican government.

The statement left the door open for negotiations with U. S. farm organizations who have already approached the

Mexican government with promises to provide all the protections and guarantees for braceros under the 1951 agreement.

Mexico also pointed out that the U. S. is obligated to reapportion about 20,000 Mexican farm hands still in America. Half of these are in California and the rest in Arizona and Texas, foreign office sources said.

Offer Same Salaries
The Mexican government

explained that the U. S. government had passed regulations requiring U. S. farmers to offer jobs to U. S. citizens before they can contract Mexicans.

The U. S. citizens must be offered the same salaries being offered Mexican farm hands, that is, \$1.25 per hour in California, \$1.05 in Arizona and 90 cents in Texas, until March 31 and after that date, \$1.40 in California, \$1.25 in Arizona and \$1.05 an hour in

Texas.

Lack Of Hands
If farmers cannot find enough domestic workers, they must then obtain from the Labor Department a certification of lack of hands so that foreign workers may be permitted to enter for a maximum of 20 days a year.

This system differs from the 1951 agreement under which the U. S. government had requested the Mexican government to provide these work-

ers, and the obligation of the Mexican government to provide them.

It was indicated that Mexico will also continue to maintain a blacklist of U. S. employers who are considered undesirable for employment of Mexicans because of past records of mistreatment.

Want Contracts Fulfilled
The foreign office said that Mexico will permit contracting of Mexican workers only if a system of satisfactory

vigilance is established to assure fulfillment of work conditions.

Such contracts, it added must provide equal conditions of contracts under the former system, and wages which are not lower than that under the 1951 treaty that expired Dec. 31. The wages also must be at least equal to those offered to U. S. citizens for the same work, the foreign office added.

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STAMFORD AMERICAN: "Preliminary plans for conducting the 1965 March of Dimes in Jones County were announced this week by Bill Longley county chairman. Leaders have been named for the various communities and they are selecting their workers."

THE McCAMEY NEWS: "Charges have been filed against Robert Leon Phillips in Joe Hendrickson's Precinct 4 Justice Court. Phillips was charged with robbery by assault, with firearms, in connection with an alleged robbery of L. O. Lynch, pumper for Texas Production Company."

WINKLER COUNTY BULLETIN: "Kermit Independent School District Board of Trustees were given the good news here Monday night that school enrollment here is at an all-time high. Current figure is 2,918, and this represents a gain of 98 over the same date one year ago."

THE COMANCHE CHIEF: "The Comanche High School basketball teams, both boys and girls, launch into conference play Tuesday night, January 12 at Hamilton."

MORTON TRIBUNE: "The 1965 board of directors of the Morton Area Chamber of Commerce held its organizational meeting Tuesday night in the chamber offices. The board adopted a number of policy changes, approved three committee heads, and listened to a proposed program of work as suggested by chamber manager, Johnny Johnson."

THE BIG LAKE WILDCAT: "Reagan County's 34th annual basketball tournament got underway this morning with the Reagan Owls' B team and the Iraan Braves playing the opener at 8:30. Twenty West Texas teams will be participating. Nine of the first round games are scheduled for today, and the tenth one on Friday morning at 8:30."

THE MERKEL MAIL: "The Merkel Livestock Show will start Tuesday morning, January 12, with club members of the FFA and 4-H participating. The show will be held at the Merkel V. A. Barn."

THE MUNDAY TIMES: "A meeting of citizens for discussing the possibilities for an area junior college, will be held at Rochester on Thursday, January 14, at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be in the Rochester school auditorium."

Connally Inks Aging Pact With Rudder

Governor John Connally and Texas A&M University President, Earl Rudder, signed an agreement today for a cooperative plan between the Governor's Committee on Aging and the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service to establish local committees on aging in Texas counties.

The agreement authorizes the naming of a subcommittee within the existing structure of county program building committees to assume the duties of a local Governor's Committee on Aging.

Senator Walter H. Riecher, chairman of the Governor's Committee and John Hutchinson, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service also took part in official ceremonies signalling the start of the first such arrangement in the United States. Also attending the signing were representatives from the Governor's Committee and the Extension Service who formulated the plan which will speed up the installing of programs for aging in nearly 200 Texas counties.

Governor Connally in signing the agreement acknowledged that this was a giant step toward the goal of establishing a committee or program for the aging in every Texas community ordered by the Governor during an address to his Committee on Aging last April.

"Through the varied resources of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, including county agricultural and home demonstration agents, specialists, and the already organized county program building committees," explained Governor Connally, "many months of preparation and thousands of dollars in community organization funds will be saved."

Bible Comment—

Scripture Teaches Importance Of Home

The history of America's way of life is full of the records of men who were reared in Christian homes. From humble homes all over the land have come sons and daughters nationally known for their greatness of character and achievement.

All too often, we have not always given proper credit to the home as a prime influence in molding these, the great women and men of our times.

Among many other lessons to be found in Scripture are the ones which exemplify the importance of good homes and Christian family life.

Two instances of this emphasis are to be found in the 16th chapter of Acts.

Lydia, the devout seller of purple, was baptized with her whole household; and when the jailer, about to kill himself because he supposed his prisoners had escaped, asked Paul what he must do to be saved, Paul answered: "Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved and thou house."

And the prime example of all is the life of Jesus with Mary and Joseph, as he grew to manhood in the archetype of a 11 humble Christian homes.

The influences exerted by truly Christian homes is the same today as it was then, and we can only hope, and pray, that more and more homes return to a truly Christian concept of living.

Philosopher Aims To Adapt To The Great Society If He Doesn't Have To Change

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw takes a look at the Great Society over the top of his glasses this week.)

Dear editor:

I was out here deep in thought the other night drawing up some blueprints for bringing the Great Society to this Martin County grass farm, well in advance of spring planting, and there are a few questions I need answered.

In the first place, how much will be expected of me? Will this farm fit into the finished plans of the Great Society? I mean, which one will have to yield, me or the G. S.? If a man's gates sag, can he qualify? Can there be a loose board on the front porch? Does he have to understand what's happening in Viet Nam?

Understand, I'm in favor of the Great Society, but I'm asking these elementary questions so we both know where we stand before we rush headlong into it.

Generally speaking, I always admire whoever is President at the time, for different reasons, which anybody can find if he hunts hard enough, and I have come to admire President Johnson because he likes to work hard. But, can he admire me because I don't like to work hard?

I am willing to plunge into the task of bringing the Great Society into being, provided

Tax Man Sam Sez:

The new dividend exclusion feature of the 1964 tax law may give Texas taxpayers a break. If either the husband or wife has excludable dividends they can exclude the first \$200. The 4 per cent dividend credit has been reduced to 2 per cent. The average investor will benefit more by having the large exclusion. The advantage in Texas is due to dividends being considered community income. In non-community property states they could only exclude \$100 for the husband or the wife if the stock was in the name of one spouse. In Texas, it pays to have a spouse in the house.

Population of Phoenix, Arizona, quadrupled between the census of 1950 and that of 1960.

The Real McCoy's By H. C. BURNAM



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Twenty Years Ago

The new license plates for motor vehicles have arrived at the office of County Tax Collector Morris Zimmerman. They go on sale February 1. The collector's office has received 1,100 passenger plates, 250 farm plates, 100 commercial and 50 sets of trailer tags.

Lt. Buck Henson came to Big Spring from Cincinnati, Ohio by plane. The plane was on its way from the Ohio city to Brownsville by way of Dallas. The ceiling was too bad to fly that route so it came to Big Spring. This gave Lt. Henson a chance to visit his mother, Mrs. Walter Henson, in Stanton. Lt. Henson is being transferred to Greenwood, Mississippi.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Turner and little son, John Owen, of Kirtland Air Field, Albuquerque, N. M., are visiting relatives at Stanton and Odessa.

The new oil well brought in in the Mabey Field last week is rated at 140 barrels per day. Jim Watson, oil editor of The Midland Reporter-Telegram, says the well produced 140 barrels of oil in 24 hours one day last week.

The Casey brothers, S/Sgt. K. W. Casey and Sgt. H. I. Casey, are sons of Mrs. W. H. Wilson of Stanton, and are known in their old home time as Kenneth and "Buddy" Casey, respectively. They are serving in extreme Eastern and Western parts of the world. S/Sgt. Kenneth Casey is an expert rifle shot and is serving with Gen. George S. Patton, Third Army. Sgt. "Buddy" Casey is serving at New Calodouna in the Southwest Pacific.

Casey Jones arrived this week from Lamour Field, Calif., where he is stationed, to visit with his wife a few days.

In a one-sided score the Stanton boys basketball team won over Courtney, 23 to 9. The girls' team lost to Courtney by a score of 22 to 20.

Special Federal Social Security tax rules apply to farm owners, share-croppers, farm workers, and farm crew leaders, Gene McCleskey, administrative officer of Internal Revenue for the Midland office, reminded today.

Employers of agricultural workers may be required to file Form 943 and pay social security taxes on wages paid to certain employees.

"Farmer's Tax Guide" which furnishes more detailed information on this subject is available upon request from the Internal Revenue Service.

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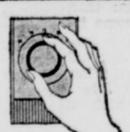
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Stanton High School Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Games	Where
Jan. 15	*Seagraves	"A" & "B" Boys	There
Jan. 19	*Wink	"A" & "B" Boys	Here
Jan. 22	*O'Donnell	"A" Boys & Girls, "B" Girls	There
Jan. 22 & 23	McCamey	"B" Team Tournament, All Boys	There
Jan. 26	*Plains	"A" & "B" Boys	Here
Jan. 29	*Tahoka	"A" Boys & Girls	There
Feb. 2	*Seagraves	"A" & "B" Boys	Here
Feb. 5	*Wink	"A" & "B" Boys	There
Feb. 9	*O'Donnell	"A" Boys — Girls, "B" Boys	Here
Feb. 12	*Plains	"A" & "B" Boys	There
Feb. 15	Colorado City	"B" Team, 8th Grade & "B" Boys	Here
Feb. 18, 19 & 20	O'Donnell	"B" Team Tournament, Boys & Girls	Here

* Denotes District Games

One of the earliest book dis- Five men lived for a month cussing the probability of life in 1963 in a shelter 36 feet be- on other worlds was written low the surface of the Red about 300 years ago. Sea.

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—Second 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, Lenora 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 Monday 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, Lenora 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 Production Credit Area office.

SPECIALS FOR JANUARY 14th,
 15th & 16th THURS., FRI.,
 SAT., 1965.
 HUNT'S TOMATO-RAMA SALE



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Thriftway Will Be Open All Day On Sunday

APRICOTS

HUNT'S, Whole
 Unpeeled,
 No. 2 1/2 Can, 2 For . **49¢**

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We Have A Large Assortment Of Valentines.



FRUIT COCKTAIL

HUNT'S,
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TOMATO JUICE HUNT'S 46 Oz. Can **25¢**

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FLOUR SHURFINE 5 Lb. Bag **35¢**

TOMATO SAUCE HUNT'S 8 Oz. Cans 3 For **29¢**

PEACHES HUNT'S, Sliced or Halves, No. 2 1/2 Can, 2 For **49c**

PORK & BEANS SHURFINE No. 300 Can, 2 For **25¢**

NOTEBOOK PAPER 500 COUNT Reg. 98c **69¢**

CATSUP HUNT'S TOMATO 20 Oz. Bottle, 2 For **49¢**

BUTTER MILK BORDEN'S 1/2 Gal. **39¢**

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TO BRIGHTEN YOUR IDEAS

CORN DOGS 5 COUNT (Frozen) **49¢**

ORANGE DRINK LIBBY'S 6 Oz. (Frozen) **10¢**

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Store Hours For Your Friendly Food — Open 7 A. M. — Close 7 P. M. — Except Wednesdays And Saturdays.

NO. 1—DIAL SK 6-3612

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TASTE-TEMPTING Vegetables



GRAPES

RED Lb. **19c**

ORANGES NICE JUICE ORANGE 5 Lb. Bag **39¢**

CELERY NICE CRISP STALKS Each **10¢**

SQUASH

NICE YELLOW Lb. **15c**

FAMILY PLEASERS Prime MEATS

BACON ARMOUR'S STAR Lb. Pk. **49¢**

SAUSAGE FLAVOR-WRIGHT BRAND 2 Lb. Pk. **49¢**

FRANKS HORMEL, ALL MEAT Lb. **49¢**

ROAST CHUCK, CHOICE BEEF Lb. **49¢**

BOLOGNA ALL MEAT Lb. **39¢**

RIBS, BEEF CHOICE BEEF Lb. **29¢**

GROUND BEEF OUR REGULAR RUN Lb. **39¢**

BEEF LIVER Lb. **29¢**

FRYERS FRESH DRESSED, GRADE A WHOLE, Lb. **29¢**

Stanton Thriftway

Store Hours for Thriftway — 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.—Except Wednesday and Saturdays, 8:00 A. M. — 9:00 P. M.

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WEST BROADWAY STREET DIAL SK 6-3375

Classified Ads

ANNOUNCEMENTS A

Special Notices A-2

Attention Farmers: If you are looking for a place to buy Texaco products, call Roy C. Alford, Comm. Agent, LO 3-2620, Midland. 12-31-4tp

CARD OF THANKS B

May God bless you good people who helped this Indian boy when he was in trouble.

Buck Acorn.
(Editor's Note: Buck Acorn was the Indian-American from Stilwell, Oklahoma whose wife and daughter were killed in a car crash in Stanton last week.)

LOST & FOUND C

Lost: Black Pekinese dog with brown marking. Injured right eye. Reward. Herman Lander, Lenora, GL 9-2145.

BUSINESS SERVICES F

Building Services F-1

Plumbing, heating, air-conditioning, dirt hauling, ditching, air compressor, air hammer, fixtures, supplies, Walter Graves, phone SK 6-3468, Granville Graves, phone SK 6-2422 Master Licensed Plumbers.

Mattress new or renovated. High quality and low prices. Pick up and delivery. Made by Western Mattress Company of San Angelo. Leave name at Stanton Motel. e-o-w-11-3

EMPLOYMENT H

Help Wanted H-1

Help Wanted: Man or Woman to serve consumers in Martin Co. or Stanton with Rawleigh products. Steady good earnings year around. No capital required. Write Rawleigh TX L 960 11 Memphis, Tenn. 12-10-17-1-7,28,pd.

48 Business - - -

(Continued from page 1) business in the Reference Book is a Dun & Bradstreet credit report. The report includes the following: a record of how the business is paying its bills; a history of the business (who owns it, who runs it, and how long it has been operating); a description of what the business does and how it does it; a financial section which usually includes the latest financial statement.

Madrid - - -

(Continued from page 1) and Mrs. Richard Madrid, tipped the scales at eight pounds and three ounces.

The youngster qualified as first baby for 1965 and won a large number of premiums offered by local merchants.

Trade at home and save!

IRRIGATION

Irrigation hand wanted. Experience preferred. House and utilities furnished. 90c per hour, 40 hours minimum. GL 8-3103. 1-14-1tp

FINANCIAL I

Insurance & Auto Loans I-1

For Sale: Non-Cancellable, Guaranteed Renewable for Life, Hospitalization Insurance. Why go out of town to buy your insurance? SK 6-3762. 12-31-tnc

RENTALS L

Houses L-2

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

For Rent: Two bedroom and bath house 510 Burleson, Harry Billington. 12-24-ltc

For Rent: Unfurnished two-bedroom house with all modern facilities located across from Belvue Motel. Call MU 4-5060, Midland. 1-7-2tp

MERCHANDISE K

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.

WTCC To - - -

(Continued from page 1) beets, and small grain crops are grown.

The tour is set up so that the Texas delegation can talk with farm operators and managers and learn for themselves how agricultural enterprises are managed in the Southern California-Arizona area. Conductor of the tour, W. H. (Bill) Lance of Perryton, said he wanted the Texas visitors to pick up valuable ideas on improving farming and ranching operations in West Texas. Lance is chairman of the WTCC Agriculture Committee.

Lance advised interested persons to reserve space now for themselves on the special Santa Fe train. "We can only take 200 on this tour, and we're anticipating a sellout in the near future. I would advise making reservations immediately," Lance said.

Cost of the tour is \$258 per person except for those who will depart from the Fort Worth-Dallas area. Because of increased transportation cost, the price tag from that area is \$268, Lance said. The cost includes Pullman bedroom facilities, all meals on

train, hotel rooms, chartered buses, and all planned luncheons.

Reservations may be made by writing the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, P. O. Box 1561, Abilene, Texas, enclosing a check for the tour cost per person.

Removal Notice

Terrel Pinkston announces the removal of his insurance office in Stanton this week from

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For Complete Needs

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Terrel Pinkston

SK 6-2402

FARM & RANCH J

Farm Machinery J-1

Wanted to Buy: Second hand 5 inch irrigation pump with butane system that will pump about 400 gallons a minute. Will buy some pipe. Need 155 foot setting. Please describe pump completely when answering this ad. J. A. Thompson, Box 144, Silver, Texas.

REAL ESTATE M

Acreage For Sale M-1

For Sale: Home sites, 5 acres or larger. Land joins Stanton Heights on the west. W. T. Wells. 12-24-tnc

For Sale: Five and ten acre building sites, 3 miles north Highway 80, on Lamesa Highway. Water. Burleson Brothers. SK 6-3625. 1-14-tnc

Farms & Ranches M-2

For Lease: Irrigated farm, 10 miles west Garden City. By year or long term lease. R. E. Heath. EL 4-2466. 1-14-tnc

Farm For Sale M-2

Farm For Sale, 320 acres, 5 miles east of Lenora. \$235 an acre, cash or terms. James Bullard, Rt. 4, Hereford, Texas. 1-14-tnc

Houses For Sale M-4

House for Sale. Two bedroom with carport, fenced. 500 W. 3rd. SK 6-2242. 12-3-4tc

For Sale: Two bedroom house full of furniture and Mobil service station. Job changes. Must sell soon. Call SK 6-2441 after 6 p.m. SK 6-3400.

Houses For Rent M-4

For Rent: Call Coats Bentley, SK 6-3751. 10-29-tnc

For Sale: My home at 404 2nd St. Come by and look or call Dan Saunders at SK 6-2264. 1-7-4tc

For Sale: Nice two bedroom house on Fourth Street. No payment except closing cost. If credit rating permits. H. M. McReynolds. 1-7-3tc

Lots For Sale M-5

Buildings and Lots for sale with long terms. Trade or long term lease. Lynn White. 12-3-4tc

Coatesville Pa., Record: "As we recall those men and women who gave their lives that we might continue to enjoy freedom, let us muster the strength to carry forward their unfinished work. Let us not forget we must make sacrifices if we are to be successful in combatting the isms that would destroy us from within."

World's first movie theater opened December 28, 1895, in Paris, France, with 33 customers.

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Wayland Names Speakers For Conference

Two authorities on church activities from two leading Southern Baptist seminaries will be featured speakers at the 44th annual Pastors and Laymen's Conference to be held Jan. 25-26 at Wayland Baptist College.

Dr. W. W. Adams, professor of New Testament Interpretation at New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, La., and Dr. Joe Stiles, professor of Church Administration at Southern Baptist Seminary, Louisville, Ky., will each bring six messages built around the conference theme, "Edifying the Church."

Dr. Roy C. McClung, president of Wayland, will welcome the session back to the campus where it was founded and has met since 1921.

Area pastors participating on the program include: Wayland Boyd, Pierce Street Baptist Church, Amarillo; J. B. Fowler, Southeast Baptist Church, Lubbock; Willie Hazel, First Baptist Church, Sudan; John Jenkins, First Baptist Church, Spur; Edgar Jones, First Baptist Church, Perryton; Carlos McLeod, San Jacinto Baptist Church, Amarillo; Joe Dee Ray, First Baptist Church, Borger; Joe Townsend, First Baptist Church, Wofford; T. O. Upshaw, Central Baptist Church, Pampa; M. G. Upton, First Baptist Church, Sunray; and M. E. Wyatt, First Baptist Church, Shamrock.

Music for the two-day conference will be under the direction of Glen Boyd, Highland Baptist Church, Lubbock; Bob Callahan, Paramount Baptist Church, Amarillo; Frank McDonald, First Baptist Church, Perryton; Hugh Sanders, Central Baptist Church, Pampa; Broadman Ware, College Heights Baptist Church, Plainview; and John Ward, First Baptist Church, Plainview.

Officers for this 44th annual conference are: president, the Rev. T. O. Upshaw, Pampa; vice-president, Claude Fargason, Plainview; and treasurer, Charles Bassett, Plainview, Wayland business manager.

Pressurized chambers with an atmosphere high in oxygen content are used to speed the healing of wounds.

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State Parks Have No Real "Off Season"

Few people realize how busy state parks personnel are during the dead of winter, according to Don Oliver, regional state park ranger.

During the "outdoor" season from Easter of Labor Day, the job of routine maintenance such as cleaning park grounds, cleaning rest rooms and mowing grass occupy parks personnel full time, and actual repairs must be put off.

When the icy blasts of winter turn the thoughts of the public away from state parks, the real work begins, said Oliver. Using the limited funds available, the repair crews swing into action. Rest rooms must be repaired and painted, shelters re-screened, broken windows replaced, leaky roofs fixed and signs must be repainted or replaced. Equipment such as mowing machines need repair while ancient pickup trucks are coaxed into condition to operate for another season.

52 Points! Man, That's Texas Buck

Two astonishing prizes have been reported to the Parks and Wildlife Department from the deep East Texas deer hunting area, said E. A. Walker, wildlife specialist.

Among the estimated 600 bucks harvested in Polk County by the first week in December were these, as described by Game Warden Wayne D. Chappell of Lufkin:

A 26 pointer which field dressed 220 pounds, shot by John Amortiny of Houston, in the Cold Spring area of Northwest Polk County.

A 52 pointer which field dressed 163 pounds, bagged by J. A. Hensley of Onalaska on Sandy Creek in the west part of Polk County.

Warden Chappell said many "above average" bucks having from 13 to 22 points and weighing 150-160 pounds have been bagged.

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USDA Giving More Attention To Rural Jobs Than Crops

Ovid A. Martin, farm writer for the Associated Press, reported recently that the United States Department of Agriculture has directed much of its energy toward more jobs than in more production in crops.

The agency's theme for the years immediately ahead will be the conversion of cropland to uses other than the production of crops.

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swift technological advances in the last 25 years. (This is why the planners wanted the bracero program eliminated so the synthetics could move in the front runner's position over King Cotton.) Without labor — reasonable labor the cotton growers could still hold on. So, it might be said that in one giant stride, the "Great Society" is off and flying.

Ten test projects in the field of conservation and development of timber resources are now underway in the north part of the nation.

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Wayne, W. Va., News: "Drinking and driving is the primary cause of traffic accidents . . . according to law enforcement officers all over the state. Everyone knows that alcohol and driving don't mix. Everyone knows that drunken drivers are a menace on our highways. Yet how often do you hear someone saying, 'Thanks, I'm not having any. I'm driving'? Instead you will hear otherwise intelligent men happily proclaiming capacity before they crawl into their cars and weave on down the road."

Variety - - -

(Continued from page 1) Tickets are on sale now for the annual MARTIN COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE membership banquet to be held at CAP ROCK AUDITORIUM on January 26. Get your ticket today from any director. The price is just \$2.50 per person.

Judge - - -

(Continued from page 1) House of the W. R. Grace Company would be the principal speaker at the meeting to be held on January 13. His topic will have to do with Anhydrous Ammonia.

Roy Pickett, county attorney, was the guest of Martin Gibson at the last meeting of the club and Clelan Atchison was a guest of Ellmore Johnson.

Midland - - -

(Continued from page 1) No. 1-DD State-University, a Martin County wildcat 28 miles northwest of Stanton, is drilling below 11,966 feet on a 13,300-foot Ellenburger contract.

No tests have been reported in drilling of the prospector which is 4½ miles north of the Block 7 (Devonian and Ellenburger) field, six miles west of the multipay Breedlove region and 1,650 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 30, block 6, University Lands survey.

BAG TRICKS

POCKET APRON—Make this perky pocket apron from print and plain cotton bags. Start with 21-1/2" length of 3/8" striped bag. Hem sides. Make 2-1/2" bottom hem. Cut 5 pockets from print and plain bags or scraps. Edge with bright cotton tape. Gather top edge to waistband 14" long and 3-1/2" wide (unfolded). Add 22"x 1-1/2" ties. A welcome gift for Christmas or any time.

	Wheelbase	Overall Length
Dart	111"	196.4"
Chevy II	110"	182.9"
Falcon	109.5"	181.6"



WHO THE DODGE BOYS

For more than a hundred years before 1963, the Agriculture Department operated a program to produce or encourage production of bigger and better crops and livestock.

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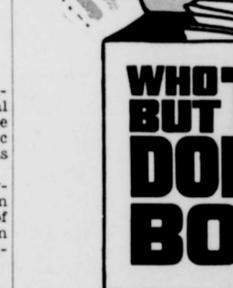
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Home Demonstration Club Activities

Mrs. Jim McCoy was hostess to the Stanton Home Demonstration Club January 6. Mrs. N. L. Riggan, president, presided.

Roll call was "How Much Time Do You Find To Spend With Your Family." Mrs. T. W. Haynie brought the program on "Education and Reading Material in the Home." She also gave the report on THDA scholarship fund and the use of the \$100 4-H fund.

Mrs. J. A. Wilson brought the report on the council meeting in December. Mrs. Riggan gave a report that Mrs. Helen Wright of New York City with Simplicity Pattern Department will be at the Cap Rock auditorium at 2 p.m. January 25. She will bring dresses made by Simplicity Patterns and they will be modeled. There will be no

charge.

Members present were: Mrs. T. W. Haynie, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Jim McCoy, Mrs. N. L. Riggan, Mrs. John Roueche, Mrs. W. T. Wells, and Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

The Courtney Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Chalmer Wren January 7.

The president appointed new committees and the group finished old business. They then played some games.

Refreshments of coke, coffee, and brownies were served to Mrs. Lilly Graham, Mrs. Harry Echols, Mrs. Bertha Stewart, Miss Ima Kelly, Mrs. Albert Pittman, Mrs. Edyth Kelly, Mrs. Chalmer Wren, Mrs. W. E. Kelly, Mrs. Alice Stripling, and one visitor, Mrs. Claude Geurin.

Library Lines

MRS. RALPH CAFFEY,
Librarian

Because of the request of a studious group of students in high school, the library is now open an additional eight hours on Mondays from one till nine p.m. It was felt that having one night open would be beneficial to some students. This Monday night was the first time to be open and the response was very good. After mid-term examinations are past and all those papers handed in, the interest will wane no doubt until it gets close to six weeks examinations.

I have been busy making out an annual report to Austin about the library. Some of the findings are quite interesting and reveals that the library is meeting a need in this county.

The report for 1963 shows 63 registered borrowers, with 2,237 total circulation of books. The report for 1964 shows 377 registered borrowers with 4,706 total circulation.

The days open had increased from two to four, and approximately 172 new books

RLDS Church Activities

January 3, 7:00 p.m. a "Family Night" fellowship was held in the church annex. Fellowship songs were led by Mrs. Roy Koonce and Mrs. Fred Church. The theme was "The Old Year and The New." The table was decorated cleverly following the theme and after singing "Happy Birthday" to six persons who had January birthdays, the social committee of the Women's Department served cake, punch, and coffee to 40 persons.

Representing the past, Roy Koonce showed slides of services of the Stanton Branch, District Conferences of Western Texas, and picture of the Church family camping (reunion) at Cloudercroft, N. M.

Representing the new year, the pastor, Douglas Church, gave an inspirational talk on "Family Life." Benediction was pronounced by M. T. Hursh.

Visitors were: Jackie Taylor, on Navy leave, and Mike Taylor, Midland.

were added, plus the loan of 379 books from Austin. You have a library to be proud of!

Beta Sigma Phi Activities

Xi Theta Nu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Mrs. James Jones, with Janell Britton as hostess.

Mrs. Britton, president, was in charge of a meeting, during which the Woman of the Year Tea was discussed. She then gave a program, after which a religious discussion was held.

Members present were: Jon Cox, Mary Gilbreath, Libby Gilmore, Gracie Hanson, Ruth Holcombe, Genia Hopkins, and Janell Britton.

The Mu Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday, January 5, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Fred Holder.

The pledge ritual was read to Kay Thaxton. Following a business meeting, Jean Koonce gave the program on radio and television. The group discussed their favorite tv and radio personalities and programs.

Refreshments were served to Tince Ory, Crystal Webb, Allie Anderson, Jean Koonce, Kay Thaxton, Eula Milam, Beulah Mae Hall, Wanda McIntyre, and Eulene Holder.

Xi Epsilon Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met at the home of Allene Kelly, Thursday, January 7.

A report was given on the hospital project and also a city council report.

The program was given by Lois Powell on "Public Speaking." The chapter received a thank you note from the girl at Girlstown at Whiteface, Texas, that the chapter sponsors.

Members present were: Lavell Reid, Dallas Thompson, Helen Thrallkill, Margaret Roueche, Vivian Furgeson, Bert Schwalbe, Lois Powell, Andrea Louder, Allene Kelly, Helen Ruth Louder, and Peggy Walker.

The Preceptor Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Thursday night in the home of Sammie Laws for a regular meeting. Reports from various committees were given during the business meeting with plans discussed for the "Woman of the Year" tea, that is to be held on January 17. Members voted on their candidate for this honor. Plans

Baptist Church Activities

The executive board of WMU of the First Baptist Church, met in the home of Mrs. Udell Morris.

The calendar of prayer was given, and prayer by Mrs. Bob Priddy. Mrs. Bob Johnson, president, presided over the business meeting.

The reports were given by committees.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Bob Johnson, Mrs. Bob Priddy, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mrs. R. O. Anderson, Mrs. H. R. Caffey, and the hostess.

were also made to serve the Chamber of Commerce Banquet on January 26. The committee who had charge of the Christmas Gifts gave their report.

During the cultural program, Joyce Woody gave "Poise - it Means Balance," taken from the Preceptor outline Personal Enrichment. She was introduced by the program chairman, Mary Grace Latimer.

The hostess served refreshments to Mary Kathryn Bristow, Mary Prudie Brown, Gerry Gates, Mary Grace Latimer, June Reid, Mammie Roten, Polly Talton, Jendo Turner, Pauline Wood, and Joyce Woody.

Rho Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Chuck Elmore.

An executive meeting was held prior to the meeting. Mrs. Nolan Simpson, vice president, was in charge of the business meeting.

A program, "Pleasure of Possession - The Collector," was presented by Mrs. Benny Welch. Another program, "The Connoisseur," was given by Mrs. Jimmy Conner.

A preview of the book of Beta Sigma Phi was presented by Mrs. Jimmy Conner.

Those attending were: Mrs. Corky Blocker, Mrs. Butch Cain, Mrs. Jimmy Conner, Mrs. Roy Dodds, Mrs. Chuck Elmore, Mrs. Jay Dee House, Mrs. John Calvin Jones, Mrs. Nolan Simpson, Mrs. Rufus Tom, Mrs. Benny Welch, Mrs. James Wheeler, Mrs. Bryan Boyd, and Mrs. Tom Ed Angel. The next meeting will be January 21 at the home of Mrs. Doyle Edmiston.



Elda Mae Eggleston

The engagement and approaching marriage of Elda Mae Eggleston of Stanton to Lem David Allen of Midland is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Eggleston of Stanton.

Allen is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. V. Ray Allen of 3629 Hyde Park, Midland.

The ceremony is planned for 10:30 a.m. February 13 at the First Assembly of God Church.

Miss Eggleston is a senior student at Midland High School. The bridegroom-to-be is attending Eastern New Mexico University.

FTA Members Attend District Meet In Lamesa



Twelve of the FTA members went to Lamesa Saturday, January 12, for the District IV FTA meeting.

Wayne Woody nominated Sandra Jones, and Leta Johnson nominated Larry Haggard for district offices.

Larry Haggard and Beth Biggs entered the district Mr. and Miss FTA contest. Stanton was represented by eight voting delegates.

Read the classified ads!

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Byrd are the proud parents of a new daughter born Tuesday, January 5, at Midland Memorial Hospital. She weighed five pounds and 13 ounces, and was named Cynthia Diane.

The Byrds also have two other children, Ernest and Lee.

School Menu

Menu For Week Of January 14 Through 18:

MONDAY
Chicken fried steak, cream gravy, English peas, garden salad, hot rolls, butter, milk, and sliced fruit.

TUESDAY
Ground beef and spaghetti, green beans, Waldorf salad, hot rolls, butter, milk, and brownies.

WEDNESDAY
Enchiladas, pinto beans, mixed greens, pickled beets, cornbread, butter, milk, and fruit cobbler.

THURSDAY
Roast beef and gravy, candied sweet potatoes, cole slaw, hot biscuits, butter, fruit gelatin, and milk.

FRIDAY
Ranch burgers, steamed buttered rice, buns, milk, and potato chips.

Mrs. Anne Davis left Friday to spend a month with her sisters in Fort Worth.

PTA Hears Guest Speaker

The Stanton PTA met Tuesday night, January 2, at 7:30 p.m. at the High School cafeteria.

Mrs. Bob Priddy was in charge, due to the absence of the president, Dr. Jack Woodrow. A business meeting was conducted. Mrs. Udell Morris handed out new membership cards.

Mrs. Priddy introduced the guest speaker, Joe Dawes, of Goliad Junior High School in Big Spring. He spoke on "The New Math."

Refreshments were served to 47. The meeting in February will be held February 16, the third Tuesday, instead of the regular second Tuesday.

Mrs. O. A. Schuelke visited in San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. Virgie Johnson and daughters, Mrs. Don Keaton and Mrs. Jerry Baugh, were in Big Spring Saturday.

Mrs. Bess Herring has returned from a two week's visit in Farmington, New Mexico.

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Notice Of Public Hearing

TO ALL CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF STANTON AND ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY INTEREST IN THE SOUTHWEST URBAN RENEWAL AREA, PROJECT NO. TEX-R-81

YOU WILL TAKE NOTICE that the City Council of the City of Stanton, Texas, has designated the 15th day of February, A. D., 1965, as the date and 7:00 o'clock P. M., as the time when it will hold hearings on approval of the Urban Renewal Plan for the Southwest Urban Renewal Area, dated December 15, 1964, as prepared by the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton, and will hold, at the same time, hearings on the acquisitions of land within such Project area to be acquired by the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton. All persons having any interest in this hearing are invited to attend and be heard at that time. The Project will be undertaken and carried out by the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton. Such hearing shall be in the **District Court Room County Court House, Stanton, Texas.**

The Project Area in which the Southwest Urban Renewal Project is located is described as follows:

- Beginning at the intersection of the west side of College Street and the extension of the north side of the east-west alley in Block 34, Original Townsite, Stanton, Martin County, Texas;
- Thence east along said north side of the east-west alley in Block 34, to the east side of the north-south alley in Block 38;
- Thence north along said east side of the north-south alley in Block 38 to the intersection of its extension and the north side of St. Anna Street;
- Thence east along said north side of St. Anna Street to the intersection of the north side of the east-west alley in Block 39;
- Thence east along said north side of the east-west alley in Block 39 to the intersection of the east side of the north-south alley in Block 41;
- Thence north along said east side of the north-south alley in Block 41 to the south side of St. Anna Street;
- Thence east along said south side of St. Anna Street to the east side of St. Mary Street;
- Thence south along said east side of St. Mary Street to the north side of the east-west alley in Block 42;
- Thence east along said north side of the east-west alley in Block 42 to the intersection of its extension with the east side of Convent Street;

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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 December 31, 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	2,277,118.89
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,181,569.38
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)	2,511,675.05
Fixed assets	58,865.02
Other assets	12,765.51
TOTAL ASSETS	6,626,056.35

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	3,993,646.95
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,293,987.90
Deposits of United States Government	36,135.60
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	605,109.51
Deposits of banks	47,174.87
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	48,360.27
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$6,024,415.10
(a) Total demand deposits	\$4,643,927.20
(b) Total Time and Savings deposits	\$1,380,487.90
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,024,415.10

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	100,000.00
Reserves	101,641.25
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	601,641.25
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	6,626,056.35

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.

JIM TOM
W. C. HOUSTON
E. PRICE
Directors

Abilene Cotton Classing Station Work Nears End

Humid weather kept cotton harvesting at slow pace last week, but cotton classing at the U. S. D. A office in Abilene continued steady due to samples received during the previous week. Daily classing totals were 3,000 to 3,500 and the season total through January 7, 1965, was 256,459. The harvest in the Abilene cotton classing area is about 95 percent complete.

Numerous inquiries have been made concerning the Micronaire, especially about 'wasty' cotton. Any cotton sample that has a micronaire reading below 2.7 must be called 'wasty.' A classer may call a sample 'wasty' regardless of the mike reading, but generally the reading will be below 2.9.

Last season both sides of the sample were miked separately and both readings were recorded on the Form 1 or class card. This season portions of cotton are taken from each side of the sample and the portions are miked together giving an average reading or a composite mike. A sample with a 2.5 mike on one side and 3.5 on the other would have an average or composite reading of 3.0, but still the low side would be called 'wasty' since it miked below 2.7.

In several counties, the August rains produced a second crop of cotton. The area had experience a drought, and practically all the bolls had opened or were ready to open when the rain came. With moisture, the stalk began fruiting and produced a 'top crop'.

Unfortunately, due to a freeze, the late top crop did not mature. The cotton on the lower portion of the stalk was light spotted, short staple, with a high Micronaire while cotton from the top bolls was very yellow, wasty staple, and low mike. This situation resulted in the greatest variation of grade, staple and Micronaire from the same cotton stalk this area has experienced.

Samples have been classed that varied from Below Grade to Mid, with mike reading of 2.4 and 5.0, all in the same sample. This variation did not result from ginning behind a bad bale; the cotton came from the field that way.

'Mixed Packed,' an old term to a cotton classer, but new to many cotton producers appeared on class cards. This term indicates that there is a variation within the sample

- Thence south along said east side of Convent Street to the north side of North Front Street;
- Thence east along said north side of North Front Street to the east side of St. Theresa Street;
- Thence south along said east side of St. Theresa to the south side of St. Michael Street;
- Thence west along said south side of St. Michael Street to the east side of Convent Street;
- Thence south along said east side of Convent Street to the south side of Bell Street;
- Thence west along said south side of Bell Street to the east side of St. Francis Street;
- Thence south along said east side of St. Francis Street to the south side of the east-west Street between Blocks 4 and 7 of Billington Addition;
- Thence west along said south side of the east-west street between Blocks 4 and 7 of Billington Addition to the City Limits west of Blocks 1 and 2 of Billington Addition;
- Thence north along said west City Limits to the north side of South Front Street;
- Thence east along said north side of South Front Street to the west side of College Street;
- Thence north along said west side of College Street to the Point of Beginning.

Such hearing shall be held for the purpose of considering a proposal for the undertaking of a Project under state and local law with Federal financial assistance under Title I of the Housing Act of 1949, as amended to acquire land in the Project Area; to demolish or remove buildings and improvements; to install, construct or reconstruct streets, utilities, parks, playgrounds and other Project improvements; to make land available for development or redevelopment by private enterprise or public agencies as authorized by law; and to carry out plans for a program of repair and rehabilitation of buildings or other improvements.

The proposals of the Urban Renewal Agency of the City of Stanton with respect to relocation will be available for examination by any interested person or organization prior to the hearing at the Office of the Agency, located at 401 North St. Peter Street in the City of Stanton, Texas, and will be open for discussion at the hearing.

Any person or organization desiring to be heard will be afforded an opportunity to be heard at such public hearing. WITNESS MY HAND at the City Hall in Stanton, Texas.

M. H. WHITE,
City Secretary

Impress Guests with Pecan Pie



If you want to enjoy pecan pie to the fullest, then serve it after a light meal. It is luscious and rich and one of the most impressive desserts you can set before a guest. Given here is a basic recipe with directions for date and fudge nut variations.

DELUXE PECAN PIE
1 unbaked 9-inch pastry shell
3 eggs, slightly beaten
1 cup Karo all purpose syrup
1 cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons melted margarine
1 cup pecans

Mix eggs, syrup, sugar, vanilla, salt and margarine. Stir in pecans. Pour into pastry shell. Bake in 400 degree F. (hot) oven 15 minutes; reduce heat to 350 degrees F. (moderate) and bake an additional 30 to 35 minutes. (Filling should be slightly less set in center than around edge.)

Deluxe Date Nut Pie: Follow recipe for Deluxe Pecan Pie, substituting 1/2 cup walnut halves for pecans and adding 1 cup finely chopped dates with nuts.

Fudge Nut Pie: Follow recipe for Deluxe Pecan Pie melting 2 squares unsweetened chocolate with margarine and reducing eggs to 2.

Graceland College To Get Library

The Executive Office of the Iowa State Commission of Higher Educational Facilities Act of 1964, has announced that priority rating has been given Graceland College's application for approximately \$280,000 for the construction of a library building. This rating implies that the application has been approved by the Iowa Commission and that it has been forwarded to Washington, D. C., for action by the federal agency.

It is the understanding of the administrative officers at Graceland that if the federal agency gives approval to the application, all necessary arrangements will have been made for the grant to be presented.

The new library will be a 43,000 square-foot structure of three floors, costing a total of approximately \$850,000. It will have a 100,000 volume capacity, facilities for faculty and student individual study, and a federal government document depository area.

Graceland College is a co-educational, private college, sponsored by the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. The 1964-65 enrollment is 950.

of three colors three grades, or both. A 'Mixed Packed' in staple means a difference of 1/8 inch or more between the two sides.

Prices paid for cotton were steady. Premiums paid for Strict Low Middling Light Spotted and lower grades of cotton that miked 3.5 and higher ranged from 50 to 100 points over the Commodity Credit Corporation loan value. Cotton that miked 3.3 and 3.4 carried a 25 to 50 point penalty and some cotton that miked 3.0 through 3.2 sold at even loan value. 'Wasties' brought 70 to 150 points above the CCC loan value. Commodity Credit loan entries increased as producers placed cotton in the loan rather than take a penalty for low mike readings.

Domestic cats spread all over the world when sailors carried them on board to keep rats and mice in check.

Fashion Designers Say Income, Skirts Will Go Up Together

Skirts will rise to an all-time high of about two inches above the knee in 1965, a lingerie company spokesman said Monday.

Gossard has snipped inches off the hems of its lingerie so there won't be a slip in sight.

The short skirts were designed to follow the line of thinking of the "Hello Dolly" crowd now in the driver's seat in the nation's leading fashion houses.

Ruffles, smocks drindles and fluttering pleats are of the Dolly inspiration.

Emphasis will be on the joints, the elbows and knees. Of new importance is the short, neat sleeve. Hemlines for daytime wear have gone up just about as high as they can from a legal point of view and the formals are not far behind.

Some of the new formals have been a new saucy touch — the bustle ruffle which swings at the back from the waist to the hem. And a new hemline makes its appearance. It's called the "flamenco flare." It ends above the calf in the back and graduates to a shorter length in front. Often it is ruffled or flounced. The short evening skirt with a swirling skirt is also sought after in some circles.

Yes siree, the pace has certainly changed in the world of fashions. It appears that Happy Days are here again and the "HelloDolly" shouters are leaping with joy. The Gossard company has a slogan for it, "When skirts go up the national income goes up — when it falls they (the skirts) fall."

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API Premian Chapter Sets 1965 Meeting

The Permian Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute will hold its first meeting of 1965 in Odessa on Thursday, January 14, at the American Legion Auditorium located at East 8th Street and Highway 80.

This will be the annual membership meeting. All proceeds from this meeting will be used for the annual college scholarships that are presented to three outstanding high school seniors each year.

The doors will open at 6:00 p.m. and barbecue and drinks will be served prior to the program. The Chuck Wagon Gang of Odessa will be in charge of the barbecue. Barbecue tickets will be \$3.00 each and 1965 membership tickets \$2.00 each. Absolutely no one admitted without barbecue and membership tickets. Both barbecue and membership tickets are on sale at oil supply and service companies and may also be purchased at the door. This meeting will be a stag affair.

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Legal Notice

CITATION BY PUBLICATION NO. 497

HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE) CONDEMNATION
CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS
) BEFORE
) SPECIAL COMMIS-
) SIONERS APPOINT-
) ED BY JUDGE OF
) MARTIN COUNTY,
) TEXAS, COUNTY
) COURT

VS.

THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF
VERA CROW, DECEASED

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: The Unknown Heirs of Vera Crow, Deceased, who was also Known as Peggy Crow

You are hereby commanded to appear at the hearing before the Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the hereinafter described property, and to appear and answer in said Proceeding at the office of the County Judge in the Martin County Courthouse in the City of Stanton, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 22nd day of February, 1965, and answer the petition of the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton, Plaintiff, in the suit styled "Housing Authority of the City of Stanton vs. The Unknown Heirs of Vera Crow, Deceased", whose names and places of residence are unknown, are Defendants, which petition was filed with the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, on the 4th day of January, 1965; and the nature of which suit is as follows:

The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners for public purposes, to-wit: For the purpose of constructing, erecting, maintaining and operating certain housing units for families of low income by the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton, Texas, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block 22, Original Townsite, City of Stanton, Martin County Texas.

You are notified that said hearing has been set for the 26th day of February, 1965, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., at the County Courtroom in the Martin County Courthouse in Stanton, Texas, and to appear at same and present such evidence as you may wish. You are further notified to appear and answer said petition on or before February 22nd, 1965, at 10:00 o'clock, A. M. If you desire to appear and answer before said date of February 22nd, 1965, do so at the office of the County Judge of Martin County, Texas, located in the

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The interest of said Unknown Heirs of Vera Crow, Deceased, also known as Peggy Crow, whose places of residence are unknown, is that they either own or claim an interest in said property, subject to unpaid accrued taxes and other liens.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after its issuance it shall be returned forthwith.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Stanton, Martin County, Texas, this 4th day of January, 1965.

ELMO REED
M. L. GIBSON
KATHLEEN LEWIS
Special Commissioners

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) MARTIN COUNTY,
) TEXAS, COUNTY
) COURT

VS.

WALTER RIGGS

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Walter Riggs, if living and if Deceased, his Heirs and unknown Heirs.

You are hereby commanded to appear at the hearing before the Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the hereinafter described property, and to appear and answer in said Proceeding at the office of the County Judge in the Martin County Courthouse in the City of Stanton, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 22nd day of February, 1965, and answer the petition of the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton, Plaintiff, in the suit styled "Housing Authority of the City of Stanton vs. Walter Riggs", wherein the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton is Plaintiff, and Walter Riggs, whose place of residence is unknown, is Defendant, which petition was filed with the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, on the 4th day of January, 1965; and the nature of which suit is as follows:

The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners for public purposes, to-wit: For the Housing Units for families of low income by the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas, to-wit:

Being all those Lots in the West One-Half of Block 12, First Addition to the City of Stanton, Martin County, Texas, being known as Lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, and being described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a point in the south boundary line of said Block 12, 86.6 feet east of the Southwest corner;
Thence north, at a right angle, 130 feet;
Thence east, at a right angle, 43.3 feet;
Thence north, at a right angle, 130 feet;
Thence west, at a right angle, 129.9 feet;
Thence south, at a right angle, 260 feet;
Thence east, at a right angle, 86.6 feet to the Place of Beginning.

You are notified that said hearing has been set for the 26th day of February, 1965, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., at the County Courtroom in the Martin County Courthouse in Stan-

ton, Texas, and to appear at same and present such evidence as you may wish. You are further notified to appear and answer said petition on or before February 22nd, 1965, at 10:00 o'clock, A. M. If you desire to appear and answer before said date of February 22nd, 1965, do so at the office of the County Judge of Martin County, Texas, located in the Courthouse in Stanton, Texas.

The interest of said Walter Riggs, whose place of residence is unknown, and his heirs and legal representatives, if any, is that he either owns or claims an interest in said property, subject to unpaid accrued taxes and other liens.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after its issuance it shall be returned forthwith.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Stanton, Martin County, Texas, this 4th day of January, 1965.

ELMO REED
M. L. GIBSON
KATHLEEN LEWIS
Special Commissioners

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CITY OF STANTON) PROCEEDINGS
) BEFORE
) SPECIAL COMMIS-
) SIONERS APPOINT-
) ED BY JUDGE OF
) MARTIN COUNTY,
) TEXAS, COUNTY
) COURT

VS.

D. W. ROSS

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: D. W. ROSS, If Living; and If Deceased, his Heirs and Unknown Heirs

You are hereby commanded to appear at the hearing before the Special Commissioners appointed by the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, to assess the damages occasioned by the condemnation of the hereinafter described property, and to appear and answer in said Proceeding at the office of the County Judge in the Martin County Courthouse in the City of Stanton, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof, that is to say, 10:00 o'clock A. M. on Monday, the 22nd day of February, 1965, and answer the petition of the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton, Plaintiff, in the suit styled "Housing Authority of the City of Stanton vs. D. W. Ross", wherein the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton is Plaintiff, and D. W. Ross, whose place of residence is unknown, is Defendant, which petition was filed with the Judge of the County Court of Martin County, Texas, on the 4th day of January, 1965; and the nature of which suit is as follows:

The suit is a Proceeding in Eminent Domain in which the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton is condemning, at the request of its Board of Commissioners for public purposes, to-wit: For the purpose of constructing, erecting, maintaining and operating certain housing units for families of low income by the Housing Authority of the City of Stanton, the following described tract of land situated in Martin County, Texas, to-wit:

All of Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, of Block A-14, East Addition, an Addition to the City of Stanton, Martin County, Texas.

You are notified that said hearing has been set for the 26th day of February, 1965, at 4:00 o'clock P. M., at the County Courtroom in the Martin County Courthouse in Stanton, Texas, and to appear at same and present such evidence as you may wish. You are further notified to appear and answer said petition on or before February 22nd, 1965, at 10:00 o'clock, A. M. If you desire to appear and answer before said date of February 22nd, 1965, do so at the office of the County Judge of Martin County, Texas, located in the Courthouse in Stanton, Texas.

The interest of said D. W. Ross, whose place of residence is unknown, and his heirs and legal representatives, if any, is that he either owns or claims an interest in said property, subject to unpaid accrued taxes and other liens.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after its issuance it shall be returned forthwith.

GIVEN UNDER OUR HANDS at Stanton, Martin County, Texas, this 4th day of January, 1965.

ELMO REED
M. L. GIBSON
KATHLEEN LEWIS
Special Commissioners

IRS Director Says Records Necessary

Financial records are important in preparing your federal income tax return, Director of Internal Revenue Ellis Campbell, Jr., for the Dallas district said today.

The filing season began January 1 — now is the time to get these records together. Mr. Campbell said that cancelled

checks, receipts, records of contributions, and other papers would all be helpful.

Taxpayers who keep good financial records during the year will find it easier to prepare their federal income tax returns, Mr. Campbell explained. Complete records are especially important to taxpayers who itemize deductions.

Copies of prior years' returns are good guides in preparing the new return, Mr. Campbell reminded.

Read the classified ads!

THE STANTON REPORTER, THURSDAY, JAN. 14, 1965—7

McMurry College Chanters To Make West Texas Tour

Plans have been completed for the McMurry College Chanters to make a ten-day tour in which they will perform 19 concerts in 12 cities and towns in West Texas and New Mexico. The tour is scheduled for Jan. 22-31 with the final tour performance to take place in Radford Memorial Auditorium on the Chanters' return Jan. 31.

The 50 voice A Capella Choir is directed by Prof. Paul Engelstad, one of the outstanding choral directors in the Southwest. Formerly director of the Texas Lutheran College Choir and director of Chanters since 1963, Prof. Engelstad has earned a wide reputation as a choral director.

For the tour performances the Chanters have rehearsed a program comprising four centuries of choral art including some of the greatest anthems were written: "O Magnum Syterium" by Palestrina, "Lobet den Herrn" by Bach, "Alleluia" by Jean Berger, "Praise to The Lord, The Almighty" by Christiansen.

Opening concert of the tour is a program of sacred music in First Methodist Church in Big Spring Jan. 22. On Jan. 23 the Chanters will sing in Van Horn's Delaware School Auditorium. In El Paso on Jan. 24 there will be three appearances: St. Paul's Methodist Church, Hinman Hall in Fort Bliss, and Trinity Methodist Church.

From El Paso the Chanters will go to Deming, N. M., for performances in Deming High School and First Methodist Church on Jan. 25. In Alamogordo, N. M., on Jan. 26 they will sing in Alamogordo High School and Grace Methodist Church. On Jan. 27 the Chanters will appear in the Roswell, N. M., Senior High School and First Methodist Church.

In Carlsbad, N. M., the Chanters will sing for students of the Senior High School and members of First Methodist Church Jan. 28. Returning to Texas the McMurry students will perform of students of Monahans High School Jan. 29 and on the same day for students in Permian High School.

On Jan. 30 there will be a

concert of sacred music in Midland First Methodist Church. Three performances are scheduled for Jan. 31, the final day of the two-state tour: First Methodist Church in Sweetwater, First Methodist Church in Hamlin, and Radford Auditorium on the McMurry campus in Abilene.

Prof. Engelstad earned his degree from St. Olaf College in Minnesota and DePaul University in Chicago. During the summers of 1958 and 1959 he studied Choral Art with Roger Wagner, director of the famous Chorale in San Diego, Calif.

Besides directing the Chanters, Prof. Engelstad teaches voice and music education. He is an active member of the National Association of Teachers of Singing and has just been elected governor of the six-state Southwest Region within that organization. He is also an active member of the American Choral Directors Association, Texas Choral Directors Association, and the Texas Music Educators Association.

Hospital News

Physicians Hospital And Clinic

Admitted: January 4 Through January 11:

Mrs. Bill Davis, Big Spring; Eva Ree Howard, Stanton; E. H. Fincher, Odessa; Mrs. Tommy Kelly and baby, Stanton; Mrs. Richard Madrid and baby, Stanton; Gloria Acorn, Stillwater, Oklahoma; D. M. White, Stanton; Mrs. John Woodrum, Midland; Mrs. Irene Lucas, Stanton; Lola Blair, Midland; E. S. Harris, Stanton, and Mrs. Glenn Gates of Stanton.

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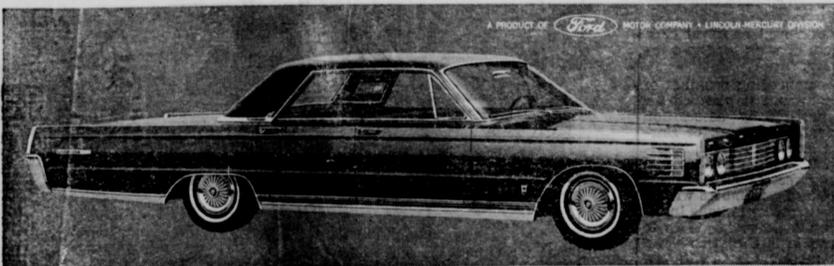
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The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

THE great heart of Stanton and Martin County residents beat bravely again last week when a Cherokee Indian-American, JUNE BUCK ACORN, young wife of the Stilwell, Oklahoma Indian, spread swiftly and in less than an hour after the accident on U. S. 80, Stantonites were marshalling forces to aid the stricken travelers in their grave hour after the accident sorrow. Offers of money and clothing were made to the ACORNS. Concern was expressed over the condition of the little girl, GLORIA, 14-month-old daughter of the young Oklahoma couple who died the day after her mother was killed. JUNE BUCK ACORN and his two surviving daughters, all three riding in a pickup truck preceding the passenger vehicle in which MRS. ACORN and GLORIA were riding with a cousin, C. J. SOAP, were invited to spend the night in the home of MR. and MRS. R. S. LEWIS. They accepted until the bodies of their loved ones could be prepared and removed to Oklahoma for burial. KATHLEEN and R. S. LEWIS and their sons made the ACORN family as comfortable as only the good people of this community can. We wish to express our personal appreciation to the LEWIS' for this sympathetic gesture of sincere goodwill to that fellow and his children in their dark moment of tragedy. Torn up emotionally and burdened to the bottom with great grief, JUNE BUCK ACORN told KATHLEEN and R. S. goodbye with tears running down his truly All-American cheeks. He left behind an humble thank-you-all to the people of Martin County: "This Indian Boy prays that God will always remember the good folks of this community."

FRRIENDS of ours now living in another city visited briefly with us the past Sunday. "While living in Stanton we learned to appreciate two products—the county newspaper and OHMER KELLY'S milk," they chorused as they departed. They continue to subscribe to our paper but can't buy KELLY'S milk. On their testimony, your editor journeyed to the FRIENDLY FOOD STORE on Monday morning and purchased a quart of the milk. It is tops—with cream on top—just like our friends said. My my OHMER—I have a confession to make man! Your milk is just as good and satisfying as our front page.

UNITED STATES postal rates for mailing newspapers of our classification were jacked up again this week. We have no alternative now but to call for an increase in paper sales. But before we abruptly shut the gate we want to invite those fine people in Martin County who have read our paper for years to come in and subscribe at the old rate of \$2.50 in the county or \$3 out of the county. It is evident now that a charge of ten cents per single copy is in the making for those who prefer to buy by the week instead of by the year. By serving customers who are sure, regular subscribers we can conserve newsprint by cutting down on the press runs. Sometimes our newsstand sales soar and sometimes they don't. We really never know how many extra copies to print. With regular subscribers on the mailing list that will be eliminated.

LONGSHORE CHIEF THOMAS GLEASON is an unusual labor leader. He can see the handwriting on the wall in the short future. That's why he has asked 65,000 striking dock workers to reconsider a liberal contract offer of the shippers, and return to work immediately. What GLEASON knows is that management is tired of coddling labor in the longshoreman area and are going to take steps to permanently eliminate work stoppage by strikers. Automation is coming and those responsible for hurrying its debut up are the strikers. Watch this situation—it's going to be interesting.

MARTIN County residents were made happy this week with the arrival of the 1965 shipment of the calendars and almanacs at STANTON WAL-GREEN DRUG. These annual gifts are anticipated and eagerly awaited annually by customers of the drug store. The calendar is published by the CHATTANOOGA MEDICINE COMPANY, and your editor keeps one at fingertip throughout the year. Go down and get your almanac and calendar today. They are free.

THE calendar mentioned above and weather chart offers the forecast of slightly damp weather—possible showers for today and Friday. The Tennessee calendar also salutes the birthday of the greatest general of them all—ROBERT E. LEE of Virginia. LEE was born on January 19.

WE might add that the birthday of GEN. STONE-WALL JACKSON is marked for Jan. 21 on the calendar. JACKSON, of course, was the great LEE'S right military arm. I still like to read the history of the Civil War and I still honestly believe that the Confederates would have won if the Rebs could have captured just one more wagon load of potatoes. One thing for sure—the South recovered from the disaster caused by the war without the aid of a poverty program. The pride and honor of manhood owned and practiced by the typical Southern gentleman never has allowed for a place in the charity corps or beggars brigade and by the grace of God never will.

THE WEST TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION has announced the Mid-Winter meeting for Odesa in February. The annual session will be held this year in El Paso in August. We are looking forward to attending these interesting and informative assemblies.

THIS has certainly been a "June-in-January" Winter. Only about two real cold days in the past several weeks. Remember the shirt-sleeve weather we had at Christmas time? It was back with us again this week. But most of the old-timers warn us that crisp, cool, frigid days are ahead.

NEAL'S NUGGET: Your ticket to the Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held on January 26 is your badge of good citizenship.

Methodist Church Activities

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in regular session January 4, at 3:30 p.m. in the First Methodist Church.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Cecil Bridges. Mrs. Martin Gibson gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. Martin Gibson, program leader, gave the introduction to the program, "A Look at Ourselves as Christian Women." "The Christian Woman, Is She Different From the Non-Christian?"

Mrs. A. J. Stallings discussed "The Unique Responsibility and a Unique Fellowship."

Mrs. E. Morrow discussed "How Much Should a Christian Tolerate," and where does a Christian woman volunteer her services?

Other discussion questions pertaining to the Christian and her services were, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Cecil Bridges, Mrs. James Biggs, Mrs. Calvin Jones, and Mrs. Edmund Morrow.

Those present were: Mrs. Jess Burns, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. James Biggs, Mrs. Edmund Morrow, Mrs. Calvin Jones, Mrs. Martin Gibson, Mrs. C. R. LeMond, Mrs. John Poe, Mrs. Evelyn Woodard, Mrs. A. J. Stallings, and Mrs. Cecil Bridges.

Circle two of the WSCS met Tuesday, January 5, at the First Methodist Church.

It was announced that on February 2 at 9:30 a.m. there will be presented to circle one with both circle I and II in attendance. Members of circle two are urged to attend, as this will be a most informative meeting for them.

After a short discussion on "Ministering to Spanish Americans," the group read through the play, "Heart Sound of a Stranger," which will be presented to circle one on January 18, at 3:30 p.m.

Those attending the meeting were: Mrs. Bill Rhodes, Mrs. Tom Johnson, Mrs. Billy Morrow, Mrs. Tom Ed Angel, Mrs. Jack Woodrow, Mrs. Bob Cox, and Mrs. Bob Bryan.

Refreshments of Danish cinnamon rolls, coffee, and soft drinks were served.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met Monday night, January 10, at the home of Mrs. Corine Manning.

Devotion was given by Mrs. F. O. Rhodes. Mrs. B. P. Edison presented the program, "We Would See Jesus Christ and the Life Within."

Those attending were: Mrs. Bob Latimer, Mrs. Roy Pickett, Mrs. James Eiland, Mrs. A. J. Barbee, Mrs. Fijl Brandt, Mrs. F. O. Rhodes, and Mrs. B. P. Eidson.

At a meeting of the WSCS of the First Methodist Church, during a short business meeting presided over by Mrs. Cecil Bridges, president, an announcement was made that Stanton will be host to the WSCS Retreat to be held in February.

The program was introduced by Mrs. Martin Gibson, who gave some good thoughts on race relations. The song "The Kingdom Coming," was sung by the group. Mrs. John Poe gave a scripture reading, and the group participated in a choral reading on race relations. Mrs. Bridges, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Hazlewood, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Donelson, and Mrs. Woodard gave a skit on Spanish-American visitors.

"The Methodist Church and Race" was read from the discipline of the First Methodist Church by Mrs. Jess Burns.

Members attending were: Mrs. Cecil Bridges, Mrs. O. B. Bryan, Mrs. Martin Gibson, Mrs. L. C. Hazlewood, Sr., Mrs. Calvin Jones, Mrs. A. G. Donelson, Mrs. Evelyn Woodard, Mrs. Edmund Morrow, Mrs. John Poe, Mrs. James Biggs, Mrs. Jess Burns, and Miss Ima Kelly.

The meeting was dismissed by prayer by Mrs. Edmund Morrow.

Fourth Grade 4-H Group Met On January 5

The fourth grade 4-H met at 3:30 Tuesday afternoon, January 5, at the courthouse. Vickie Graves and Twila Stallings fixed apple-celery salad and served it for refreshments.

Those present were: Donna Ward, Kathy Linney, Karen Linney, Elizabeth Flanagan, Suzanna Brown, Carolyn Holloway, Twila Stallings, and Vickie Graves.

The group opened their meeting with the pledge to the

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. John Calvin Jones and daughter, Jennifer, attended the rodeo in Odessa Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edmundson of Anthony, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul K. Jones Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Partee have returned from Batman, Turkey, and are now living in Midland. Mrs. Partee was formerly Jan Rhodes.

Mrs. Faye Rhodes visited relatives in Midland Sunday.

Guests of Mrs. Eula Eubanks the past week were her daughters, Mrs. Morris Ballard, and daughter, Rita, of Santa Monica, California, and Mrs. J. C. Newland and children of Monahans.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Tom of Midland, visited in Stanton Saturday.

W. L. Clements is a patient in Howard County Foundation Hospital, where he had eye surgery last Wednesday. Last report was he is doing real well.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart Sunday were their son, Glen Stewart of Midland, and their daughter, Mrs. Betty Corley of San Jose California.

Mrs. B. F. Smith had eye surgery in Midland Memorial Hospital last week. She is reported doing well.

Cecelia Herzog of Dallas, visited her mother, Mrs. Annie Herzog, last week.

Herb Armstrong was a recent visitor to Carlsbad Caverns National Park in southeastern New Mexico.

Visiting in the Steve Church home Sunday, December 28, were: Mr. and Mrs. Redgy Church, Independence, Missouri; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leonard, Jackie, Gail, Don, Guy, Elaine, and Jo Ann; Bruce Carter of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Church, Stevie

New Credit Service Aid For Low-Income Rural People

A new credit service to help low-income families in rural areas raise their incomes is now available in Texas, according to State Director, L. J. Cappelman, Farmers Home Administration.

Cappelman said today the new service opens up Farmers Home Administration credit aid for the first time to many low-income rural families who previously were unable to obtain either public or private loans to improve their earnings.

All county offices in Texas, Cappelman said, are accepting applications for loans up to \$2,500 to finance farming enterprises, small family businesses, trade and services. Rural cooperatives serving low-income families and providing services and facilities not otherwise available may also be eligible for credit under the program.

Borrowers will be provided continuing management aid to help them make a success of their farming enterprises or new businesses.

Farmers Home Administration, a U. S. Department of Agriculture agency, will administer the new loan service under recently delegated authority from the Office of Economic Opportunity.

Liberalized loan terms and condition for participating low-income families allow for an interest rate of 4½ percent.

To be eligible for the new rural credit program, and applicant must live in a rural area, have an income that does not cover basic family necessities, be unable to obtain credit from other sources, including the regular loan program of the Farmers Home Administration, and show a reasonable promise of succeeding in the enterprise to be financed by the loan.

A cooperative, to be eligible, must be primarily composed of and serve low-income rural families and be unable to obtain credit from other sources. About 3.5 million families in rural areas across the country, including 500,000 farm

and the 4-H pledge. Mrs. James Eiland and Mrs. Jimmy Stallings also attended.

The next meeting will be at 3:30 p.m. January 19 at the courthouse.

and Shelley, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hursh, Nancy, Mark, and Melissa, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Church, Perry and Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Church, Sherri, Kim, Lori, and Russell from Hobbs, New Mexico, and Mrs. Wayne Church's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Vincent, Tacoma, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barnes and Gary Barnes visited with Mr. Barnes' sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Boggs, and boys of Levelland, Saturday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collier the past week end were Mr. Collier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Collier of Crosbyton.

Mrs. Glen Gates entered the local hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Hattie Estes spent the past week end with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Estes of Patricia.

Mrs. Lila Flanagan and Mrs. Margaret Moffett attended a style show in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Schauer has returned to her home in Chicago, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Helen Creech, and her sister, Mrs. Sid Cross, and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelly, of Hereford; Mrs. R. P. Odom and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Roy and Terry, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Kelly and Dawn, all had Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kelly.

Mrs. Betty Corley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart, has returned to her home in San Jose, California, after an extended visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wilson, and James Albert Wilson attended the funeral of Mr. Wilson's niece, Mrs. E. H. Wright in Colorado City, Monday.

Texas Cotton Ginners To Hold Meeting

The annual Directors and Allied Industry Meeting of the Texas Cotton Ginners' Association will be held in Brownsville on January 17, 18 and 19.

A three day session at the Fort Brown Motor Hotel will include complete discussions of legislation, the installation of an insurance plan, reports on cotton promotion activities, plans for the Ginners' Convention in Dallas, discussion on the ginning laboratory for the high plains and the discussion and approval of a program of work for the coming year.

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Farm And Ranch Review

The use of chemicals and machines for cutting production costs continued to gain favor with Texas cotton growers in 1964.

In a year-end report, Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist at Texas A&M, said that despite a drop in the state's harvested acreage of cotton in 1964, more acres were treated with chemicals for weed control and harvest preparation than ever before. The greatest jump in chemical usage was registered by growers who used pre-emergence and post-emergence chemicals. They used pre-emergence chemicals on 407,084 acres in 1964 compared with 174,265 acres in 1963.

"Weed Control in the Changing South" is the theme for the 18th annual Southern

Expects Cotton Program To Be Extended

Chairman Allen Ellender, D-La., of the Senate Agriculture Committee, said Saturday he has scant hope of preventing extension of the present cotton program, enacted last year over his objection. The program provides payments to the cotton trade so that textile mills might buy U. S. cotton at world prices. It also provides for reductions in the cotton support price and for incentive payments to farmers cutting their cotton plantings.

Ellender said he expects the administration to call for re-enactment of the program. Otherwise it would expire.

Ellender said he estimates the program this year will cost \$800 million.

"Even more important is the fact that this program does nothing to solve the long run problems of cotton," he said.

Ellender said best indications are that in the case of feed grains that administration will recommend an extension of the present voluntary land diversion program.

He said that while the program has reduced grain stocks somewhat, he believes the cost has been too high.

In four years, he said, it has cost \$5.2 billion to reduce grain stocks by 27 million tons.

As to wheat, he said, "there seems to be considerable support for an extension of the voluntary wheat certificate plan. He also said he anticipates there will be little opposition to extension of the present Wool Act.

Weed Conference scheduled for Dallas' Hotel Adolphus, Jan. 19-21. It is the first time the conference has been held in Texas.

Some 800 research, education, and technical development workers representing state and federal agencies, private chemical and equipment companies, railroads, utility companies, municipalities, aerial applicator associations, and other organizations are expected to attend the conference.

More than 150 papers are scheduled for presentation, covering eight areas of weed control.

Cotton growers of Texas and the nation will add an estimated 600,000 bales to the carryover on August 1, 1965.

This, points out John G. McHoney, extension economist, Texas A&M University, will bring the national carryover to an estimated 13 million bales, the largest since the record carryover of 14.5 million bales in 1962.

Screwworm eradication officials are looking forward to another successful year for the program, although many stockmen feel last year's results leave little room for improvement.

Only 65 Texas counties were reported to be infested by the livestock pest in 1964, and only 223 cases were discovered. In contrast, during 1963, a total of 4,916 infestations was detected in 182 counties, while 49,484 cases occurred in 242 counties in 1962.

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