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Variety

By NEAL ESTES

Monday, December 7, is not only the anniversary of Pearl Harbor but will be observed as Dollar Day in Stanton. Only eighteen shopping days remain before Santa's visit to the children of Martin County. Many of the local merchants have advertising messages in this issue of the paper concerning their crisp, new, December holiday values. Start shopping at home early.

Fog appeared in Stanton for three straight mornings. The stuff lingered until mid-morning on Saturday, Sunday, and Monday. The heavy blanket cut visibility just like one of the big foggers used to do down in the bottomlands of East Texas. Those of us who used to reside in the red hills and pine tree country made it a point on occasions to be ready to hunt squirrel on the damp mornings. Just as soon as visibility returned it was pretty easy to walk through the woods without making unusual sounds. The foggy weather bathed all the dry leaves in moisture and made it ideal for slipping up on a tree full of the limb-jumping little animals.

Only three more issues of the newspaper will be published before Christmas. Be sure and use the columns of the hometown journal to convey your advertising messages to friends and customers here in the area. Keep in mind that the majority of your friends read this paper regularly.

On Saturday, December 5, in Memorial Stadium in Austin, the Texas Longhorns will meet the Arkansas Razorbacks for the Southwestern Conference championship. The winner will also represent the loop in the Cotton Bowl in Dallas on New Year's Day against Notre Dame. The Irish lost to Southern California the past Saturday by 38-28, and that defeat took a lot of color and drama out of the approaching Dallas spectacle. Notre Dame won their two previous skirmishes over Georgia Tech and Louisiana State by three-point majorities. Regardless of who wins the Austin Shoot-out, I predict that Notre Dame will really have to hustle to take the Cotton Bowl trophy.

Rules for entering the residential lighting contest have been announced. A coupon appears in this issue explaining how to enter the competition. It is hoped that more interest can be kindled in the lighting contest this year than has been evidenced to date. When the downtown lights were turned on the evening following Thanksgiving only two or three homes had been decorated. Whether you plan to enter the lighting contest or keep out of it, put up some sort of holiday lights today. Nothing adds to the glamour of the Yuletide season like some colorful decorations. And too, think about the children in the community who like to be taken on night rides by their parents to view the Christmas decorations.

It is that time of year when college boys and girls begin arriving for the holidays at home. We hope to have a round-up story on all the community visitors home from college in the next issue of the paper. Watch for this special news feature.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hightower, Leslie and Nancy Lyn, of Mansfield, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Hightower, during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Superintendent Dunn Announces Honor Students

Supt. L. R. Dunn, Grady Independent School, has announced the honor roll for the second six weeks. It appears below.

First Grade: Norma Caballero, Linda Cantu, Hilde Chavez, Lee Anna Dunn, Glen Douglas, and Vincent Ellyson.
Second Grade: Denise Barnes, Randall Graham, and Larry Key.

Third Grade: Glenda Douglas, and Michelle Mitchell.

Fourth Grade: Wallace Overby, Jimmie Mitchell, Shirilla Sawyer, and Patricia Hewitt.

Fifth Grade: Mark Tate, Donna Sue Hale, Leza Britt, and Belinda Martin.

Sixth Grade: Kathryn Springer.

Seventh Grade: Benny Butler, and Tahita Blake.

Eighth Grade: Billy Howard, and Jackie Haggard.

Airman Ross Hay Graduates At Sheppard AFB

Wichita Falls, Texas — Airman Ross C. Hay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hay, 616 N. Saint Joseph, Stanton, has graduated at Sheppard AFB, Texas, from the U. S. Air Force communications specialist course.

The airman, now qualified to operate radio-telegraph and teletype equipment, is being assigned to Wiesbaden AB, Germany, for duty with the Air Force Communications Service.

Airman Hay graduated in 1968 from Stanton High School, and attended Odessa Junior College, and the University of Texas at Arlington.

Mrs. M. Morris Passed Away On November 25

Mrs. Mildred Marjory Morris, 49, died Wednesday, November 25, in the Stanton hospital after a lengthy illness. The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday in the First Baptist Church in Wimberly, with burial in Wimberly Cemetery, under direction of Pennington Funeral Home, San Marcos. Local arrangements were made by Glibbreath Funeral Home.

Mrs. Morris was born Aug. 27, 1921, in Bateman. She was a resident of Stanton for one year, coming here from Midland.

She was married to Clyde William Morris Feb. 4, 1940, in Wimberly. She was pastor of the Stanton Assembly of God Church for two years, and was president of the Women's Missionary Council.



Pribylas From Tarzan At Tech

On their way home for a break from their studies at Texas Tech University are the Pribylas from Tarzan. Older brother Ken Pribyla and his three sisters (left to right) Carol, Virginia and Mary get set to board their car for home. Aside from

these four, there are also five cousins of the Pribylas attending Tech this year. Next year there will be one more of the Tarzan Pribylas attending Tech — their younger sister, Rita.

Pribyla Family Sticking Together

Families don't stay so close together as they used to.

This complaint is made by many of the older generation today. However, the Pribylas are an exception. They have chosen the same university — Texas Tech — for their higher education.

The Pribyla family of Tarzan has three sisters and a brother — and five cousins — attending Texas Tech University.

"In the near future," said Carol Pribyla, a 21-year-old senior majoring in English, "Tech will have three more Pribylas to contend with. My younger sisters Rita and Nancy and my brother David all plan to go to this school."

"Right now," she said, "my two sisters, Mary and Virginia, and my brother Ken are enrolled as well as my cousins Bill Sokora, Gary Franklin, and Cindy, Tony and Harry Kuehler."

The interests of the Pribylas vary. Mary 20, is majoring in home economics; Virginia 18, is a member of the Air Force ROTC, majoring in journalism; Ken, 22, is also a member of the AFROTC, majoring in

agricultural economics.

"My family came to Tech for a number of reasons," said Carol, "I transferred here after two years at Ranger Junior College. We had all heard about Tech while growing up in Tarzan and we all wanted to come here."

"I think we all agree that besides getting a university education the friendly atmosphere at Tech and the different types of people you meet here are what we like most about Tech."

After graduation, Carol wants to try modeling before she starts teaching English. Mary will go on to teach home economics, and Virginia and Ken will be facing four years in the Air Force after graduation.

In an age when families are growing further apart, the Pribylas have found a common bond that keeps them together.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pribyla are parents of the students. The Pribyla family has been active in all phases of Martin County community life for years.

Martin County Leads Basin

Martin County vaulted into the lead as the most active county in the Permian Basin's oil development last week.

Two completions were reported in Martin County. Prochemco Exploration No. 1 Cross, 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 35-37-1n T&P, flowed 251 barrels of 39.7-gravity oil in 24 hours through 16-64th choke. Gas-oil ratio was 825-1, tubing pressure 300, casing pressure 540. Operator drilled to 9,070 on a ground elevation of 2,756, set 5 1/2-in. casing on bottom and plugged back to 9,019 before perforating from 8,005-8,987 and acidizing with 4,500 gallons, fracturing with 80,000 gallons and 120,000 pounds of sand.

Adobe Oil No. 1 Kyle Shoemaker, 1,320 from the north and east lines of section 40-37-1n, T&P, elevation 2,736 ground, flowed 236 barrels of 39.7-gravity oil, gas-oil ratio 839-1, tubing pressure 255, casing pressure 300. Operator set 5 1/2-in. casing on bottom at 9,070, plugged back to 9,025, perforated from 7,992-8,961, acidized with 3,000 gallons, fractured with 80,000 gallons and 120,000 pounds of sand.

An additional location in the Spraberry Trend of Martin County was announced as Western States Producing No. 1-A Cross, 1,320 from the south and east lines of section 25-37-1n, T&P, six miles northwest of Stanton, projected to 9,100.

TWO IN HOWARD
Howard County gained two completions. Basin Oil No. 8 A. R. Hensinger, 990 from the south and east lines of section 67-29, W&NW, pumped 66 barrels of 38-gravity oil per day, plus eight of water. Operator bottomed at 2,600 on a ground elevation of 2,413, set 5 1/2-inch on bottom, perforated from 2,040-2,250, acidized with 1,000

gallons and fractured with 80,000 pounds of sand. Basin Oil No. 6 Hensinger, 990 from the south and 330 from the east lines of section 67-29, W&NW did not report its potential gauge. It bottomed also at 2,600 on an elevation of 2,409, set the 7-in. string on bottom, perforated from 2,135-2,310, acidized with 1,500 gallons and fractured with 80,000 pounds of sand.

In Mitchell County's Westbrook pool, American Petroleum of Texas No. 26-W, Westbrook Southeast Unit, 330 from the south and 990 from the west lines of section 26-28-1n, T&P, bottomed at 3,150, set the 5 1/2-in. string at 3,138; plugged back to 3,078, perforated from 2,950-3,065. It swabbed 24 barrels of 26-gravity oil per day, plus 20 barrels of water. Operator acidized with 1,500 gallons.

Contract For Gas Processing Let For Martin

Contract for design and construction of a natural gas processing plant and gathering system in Martin County has been awarded to the Orloff Corp. of Midland.

Northern Gas Products of Omaha, Neb., will be the operator. Design of the plant will be for processing 10 million cubic feet of natural gas daily with recovery of a single mixed liquid stream of 113,500 gallons per day. The residual (dry) gas will go to Northern's pipeline.

Gas for the facility will come from burgeoning Spraberry Trend development in Martin County. There currently are 25 (Continued on page 6)

Chamber Plans Welcome Party For Santa Claus

Holiday lights have gone up and been turned on in Stanton in the downtown area and the community is set to herald one of the finest Christmas seasons ever recorded in these parts.

Chamber of Commerce officials have promised to reveal the date of Santa Claus pre-Christmas visit next week. The jolly gentlemen will surely be in Stanton bearing candy for the children before he arrives to bring the toys on Christmas Eve.

The stringing of the lights on the day after Thanksgiving followed a traditional pattern in Martin County. The colorful lights of gold and silver were put up by a crew from the Midland office of Texas Electric Service Company.

By the present week-end, the merchants of Stanton are expected to have their Christmas lights in place and many residents have indicated their desire to enter the annual chamber sponsored Yule light contest. The entry blank is published in this issue of the county newspaper just as in past years. Those desiring to enter are invited to fill in the information form and mail or take to the Martin County Chamber of Commerce. Attractive prizes are to be given away in the lighting contest. They have previously been announced.

Chamber officials will also determine by next week whether they will again sponsor a Parade of Homes during the holidays. Last year the homes of the Paige Ellands, the Guy Ellands and the J. R. Hoppers were included on the parade route.

Buffaloes Win Over Tahoka By Score Of 82-60

STANTON (82) — Ricky Mims 5-0-10; Dennis Jones 3-0-6; Glen Ray 8-10-26; Jackie Swanson 9-0-18; Roy Kelly 6-4-4; Frankie Barnhill 3-3-9; George Dean 3-3-9. Totals 31-20-82.

TAHOKA (60) — J. Atwell 2-1-5; C. Gardner 6-0-12; R. Montemayor 3-0-6; M. Browning 3-6-12; J. Martin 6-1-13; P. McClendon 1-0-2; G. Walker 4-2-10. Totals 25-10-60.

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Martin Leads Basin Rotary Rig Activity

Reed Drilling Tools Friday reported 212 rotary drillings in the Permian Basin Empire of West Texas and Southeast New Mexico, a gain of seven over the previous week's count of 205. One year ago, 218 rigs were reported drilling in the 65-county area.

Martin edged into the lead in District 8 (Midland), reporting 25 units, a gain of eight, with Pecos County reporting 24, a loss of one. Other counties showing a marked activity are: Ector, 16; Ward, 15; Reeves, 11, and Midland, eight.

Lea County, N. M., reported 19 rigs making hole, an increase of two. Eddy County reported six, adding two, and Roosevelt County gained one, making a total of two for this week.

Drilling activity in District 8-A (Lubbock) showed a decrease in activity, with Hockley County continuing to lead with 10 rigs in action.

The county-by-county tabulation:

County	Nov. 27	Nov. 20
Andrews	5	3
Borden	3	3
Chaves	4	4
Coke	3	2
Concho	1	0
Crane	3	0
Crockett	1	2
Dawson	1	3
Ector	16	16
Eddy	6	4
Fisher	1	2
Gaines	5	9
Garza	1	1
Glasscock	0	1
Hale	3	3

Hockley	10	10
Howard	5	5
Kent	3	5
Lamb	1	1
Lea	19	17
Loving	1	1
Lubbock	2	2
Lynn	0	1
Martin	25	17
Midland	8	6
Nolan	3	3
Pecos	24	25
Reagan	2	3
Reeves	11	10
Roosevelt	2	1
Runnels	3	2
Schleicher	4	3
Scurry	2	2
Sterling	1	1
Stonewall	3	2
Terry	1	2
Tom Green	1	1
Upton	1	2
Val Verde	1	2
Ward	15	16
Winkler	6	5
Yoakum	5	7
Total	212	205

Martin Strike Draws Sites For 2 Offsets

Dowdle Oil Corp. of Midland has announced intention to drill two offsets to the firm's No. 1 Juliette Wolcott, recent undesignated Leonard - Dean discovery in Martin County, 18 miles northwest of Lenorah.

Both projects are scheduled to 10,000 feet and are in Hart- (Continued on page 6)

RESIDENTIAL CHRISTMAS LIGHTING CONTEST

To the Martin County Chamber of Commerce (Sponsoring Organization)

Please enter my home (apartment) in your 1970 Christmas Lighting Contest. I understand only those homes (apartments) in Martin County will be eligible to compete.

Name _____

Address _____

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High School News

By KAY LYNNE HANKINS

The Stanton Buffaloes battled the Iraan Braves Monday, November 23, which began at 5:30, with the "B" team girls. These girls suffered a loss of 13 to 35. The "A" team girls played next, and they also lost a tough fought battle 49 to 69. Jana Hall was high point girl of the game, with 18 points. The final game was the "A" team boys, who won their game with a score of 61 to 74. Glen Ray was high point with a total of 27 points.

On Tuesday night the "A" team girls and boys, plus the "B" team boys played the Tahoka Bulldogs. These games started at 5:30.

Robbie Dickenson and Roy Kelly, senior football payers, were named to the All-District Second Team Defense. Glen Ray, a junior player, earned the title of honorable mention.

The FHA has elected FHA beau nominees for this year. They are: Rick Wilson, Chipper Coggin, and Robby Dick-

enson. The girls have made Christmas boxes for each boy, and they will put stamped Christmas cards in the boxes. The boy with the most cards will win. The stamped cards go to such places as the Big Spring State Hospital.

The student and faculty Thanksgiving holiday began Wednesday, with the dismissal of school at 2:30 p.m. Classes resumed Monday, November 30.

The Stanton FTA members are selling glittered candles to pay their expenses to the state convention in February. These candles are selling for \$1.25. They come in four different colors: red, blue, green, and gold. And they are in two scents, traditional bayberry or popular pine. You can purchase your candles from any FTA member.

Personality nominations will be held on Tuesday of next week. The final election will be held on Friday.

Trade at home and save!

Bible Comment—

Pearl Above Price Is Real Treasure

The Magi brought the Babe of Bethlehem gold, frankincense and myrrh. And Jesus repaid them — and all mankind — with a treasure beyond the dreams of avarice. Jesus told the rich young man who asked what he might do to inherit eternal life to sell all his goods and follow Him — "And thou shalt have treasure in heaven."

What was this treasure, which out valued all worldly goods? Perhaps a study of the three chapters in Matthew, that tells of the ministry of Jesus and of the "treasures of the Kingdom," will help us to understand.

Jesus compared the kingdom to treasure hidden in a field, which a man sold all that he had to buy; and to a pearl of great price, which, likewise, a pearl-merchant, knowing pearls and their value, sold all that he had to buy.

Do we value the Kingdom of God in that way? Is there realism in what Jesus said? Jesus did many wonderful works, but all these He spoke of as secondary or unimportant in comparison with the Kingdom itself, which He offered to all those who would repent of their sins, and become as little children. The supreme treasure of the Kingdom is salvation. The greatest words that Jesus ever spoke were: "Son, thy sins be forgiven thee."

In our modern world we have become very polite and squeamish in avoiding talk about sin and salvation. Yet sin is the most terrible fact to be reckoned with in our lives.

And salvation is the supreme treasure which Jesus brings within our reach. What treasure we should have, and will have, if we live in the spirit of our daily prayer: "Thy Kingdom Come!"

Veterans Administration

(Editor's Note: Veterans and their families are asking thousands of questions concerning the benefits their government provides for them through the Veterans Administration. Below are some representative queries. Additional information may be obtained at any VA office.)

Q — I am a reservist and have been on active duty for the past six months. Will my Servicemen's Group Life Insurance protect me during the 120-day period immediately following separation from six-months' military obligation.

A — Yes.

Q — When did the current G. I. educational bill take effect?

A — While the present G. I. Bill became law in June 1966, it covers veterans who served after Jan. 31, 1955.

Q — I am a 19-year-old college student who draws a death pension from VA. When I marry will my pension be discontinued?

A — Yes. Pension is not paid to a child after marriage.

Q — A service-connected injury left me permanently and totally disabled. Will my children receive VA educational assistance while in high school?

A — No. Under this program, the law prohibits payment for a regular high school education, unless the child has a mental or physical disability.

Farm And Ranch Review

December Plentiful Foods —

Consumers can be thankful again for the bountiful food supplies which the farmers of this country have produced for them. December plentiful foods include turkey and pork, eggs, potatoes, onions, rice, cranberries, apples, oranges, grapefruit, and tangerines, and lots of fruit juices. Food shoppers are advised by specialists of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service to take advantage of the quality and attractive prices usually carried by plentiful foods.

Winter Weed Control On Cotton Land—

Next year's cotton yields can be influenced by soil management and weed control practices during the upcoming winter months. Timely land preparation, says Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist, should be the first step. Then he suggests use of mechanical or chemical methods to keep weeds under control until planting time. He notes that local county agents have available new information on the subject as well as others relating to cotton production, and believes cotton producers will find them valuable references.

Research And Marketing Center Stays Busy —

The Texas Agricultural Market and Research and Development Center at Texas A&M University is only two years of age, but has already found its place in the agri-business community of the state. Dr. W. E. Black, extension economist and associate coordinator of the Center, says some 21 marketing problems and studies have been accepted by the Center which serves agriculture on a cost-sharing basis. Inquiries are welcomed by the Center, Black said.

Cowmanship Pays —

Some men keep dairy cows while others use their cowmanship to let the cows keep them. A. M. Meekna, extension dairy specialist, says it's easy to identify for he's the usually successful dairyman with an interest and concern for his cattle, and who seldom overlooks the little things that could disrupt his business operations and profits.

HD Club News

The Stanton Home Demonstration Club met November 18, in the home of Crystal Webb. Mrs. Mildred Eiland presented the program on "Sewing on the New Materials."

The club discussed plans for their annual Christmas party. They voted to have it December 17, at 2:30 p.m., in the home of Mrs. J. A. Wilson. At this time the club will exchange gifts.

Six members and four guests were present. Members were: Crystal Webb, Eula Eubanks, Beulah Mae Hall, Minnie Wells, Gertrude Wilson, and Mrs. W. W. Clements. Guests present included: Allyne Kelly, Mrs. Ernest Mims, Vestal and Viola McClane.

Tom turkeys reach a mature weight of 26 pounds in 26 weeks.

Proteins are the only organic food compounds that contain nitrogen.

Martin Plant On Stream; Capacity To Be Doubled

Adobe Oil Co. announced that it commenced processing casinghead gas last week at its Sale Ranch Gas Plant located seven miles northwest of Stanton, in Martin County. The plant will serve Adobe and other operators in the area.

The plant capacity is approximately 5 million cubic

feet of gas per day. Adobe has ordered additional compression facilities which will increase the capacity to 10 million cubic feet of gas per day. The expansion is expected to be completed Jan. 15, 1971.

Residue gas is being sold to Northern Natural Gas Co., and the liquid products are being delivered to Warren Petroleum Co.

The discovery well, Adobe No. 1 Sale Ranch was completed in early 1969. There are 46 producing wells delivering gas to the plant and an additional 25 completed wells being connected. Thirty drilling wells will be completed by January 15.

Adobe Oil Co. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Adobe Corp. of Midland.

Garden Club News

The Stanton Garden Club met November 24, in the home of Mrs. Ray Kelly. Mrs. W. T. Wells called the meeting to order, and the members answered roll call with their favorite shrub.

Louise Tom gave a report on the annual Christmas Pilgrimage to be held December 20, from 2 to 4 p.m., with the public invited, and tickets are on sale by any member of the Garden Club.

The Christmas party was discussed, and will be held in the home of Mrs. James Jones, December 15, at 10:00 a.m.

The program was a roundtable discussion on shrubs, their lasting beauty, and easy maintenance.

Those present included Mrs. W. W. Clements, Mrs. Guy Eiland, Mrs. Harry Haislip, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Ray Kelly, Mrs. Edmund Tom, Mrs. W. T. Wells, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mrs. Oma Womack, and Mrs. Ezell McKaskle. Mrs. Ray Kelly's sister from Abilene, was a guest.

4-H Club News

The Doers 4-H Club met Tuesday, November 24, in the home of Mrs. Nolan Simpson. The meeting was opened with the pledges to the flags.

The club welcomed one new member to the club, Brenda Harrison. The members prepared cookies as their program, and served them as refreshments. The group planned a picnic for the next meeting.

Those present included: Brenda Harrison, Polly Lewis, Tracy Klein, Karla Simpson, Cindy Herzog, and the leader, Mrs. Simpson.

The Doers 4-H Club met

The Stanton High School paper, The Maverick, a monthly publication issued by the Press Club of the high school, has just come off the press. It is the Christmas number, and is dedicated to Coach Rufus Hyde, that prince of good fellows and one of the best high school coaches in Texas, who through his efficient training, sent the Stanton Buffaloes to a win of the District 8 championship.

Of the edition, Editor G. B. Shelburne, Jr., of the Maverick, had this to say:

"This edition of the Maverick is dedicated to Coach Hyde and his victorious Bison football squad, and to the advertisers who patronized this publication, along with the general public. It is the earnest hope of the Press Club that this Christmas edition will serve its purpose as a Christmas greeting to the masses."

valleys at the moon's circumference.

The grebes, aquatic birds notable for the ability in water, eat feathers. As a general rule, more than 50 percent of the contents of a grebe's stomach consists of masses of feathers.

Congress has made no provision for insurance on any public building.

The serpent is the symbol for sin in Christian art. Trade at home and save!

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So, give yourself every advantage and cook with gas. Remember, people who cook with pride cook with gas.

Here's one of Janice Constantine's favorite recipes.



QUICHE LORRAINE

Janice Constantine, 108 Ridgela, Midland

- One 10" cooked pastry shell
- Fill with:
 - 4 lbs. grated Parmesan cheese
 - 1/2 lb. crisp bacon pieces
- Put in a bowl:
 - 2 whole eggs plus 2 yolks
- Mix in:
 - 1 level tsp. Dijon mustard
 - 1 tsp. dry mustard
 - 1/2 tsp. salt
 - 1/2 tsp. Cayenne pepper
 - 1/2 c. strained bacon fat
 - 1/2 c. grated Parmesan cheese
- Pour onto this mixture:
 - 2 1/4 c. scalded heavy cream

Stir well. Fill shell with mixture. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 minutes. When custard is set, scatter 1/2 lb. crisp bacon pieces on top. Sprinkle with chopped parsley.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH MARTIN-HOWARD-MIDLAND SOIL CONSERVATION

Outdoor recreation could offer additional income to farmers and ranchers in the Martin County area. The Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission has said that about 90 per cent of all Americans participated in some form of outdoor recreation in the summer of 1960. In total, they participated in one activity or another on 4.4 billion separate occasions. It is anticipated that by 1976 the total will be 6.9 billion, by the year 2000 it will be 12.4 billion, a threefold increase by the turn of the century.

Stripcropped fields offer food and cover for many game birds, such as dove and quail. The best hunting available for many game species is an agriculture land where farmers use soil conservation practices and preserve wildlife cover. Most farmland produces game of one kind or another. In fact, it is estimated that 80 per cent of the hunting in the United States is on private land. Although wild game "belongs to the state," the landowner controls access to the land, and may charge for the privilege of hunting. As more and more people want to hunt, good shooting is more and more restricted to land where farmers and ranchers improve the habitat and control hunting—aside from public hunting grounds. Most present-day sportsmen are willing to pay a reasonable fee for the privilege of hunting where game abounds. Anyone who would like more information on wildlife management can contact the Soil Conservation Service in Stanton.

Seeds From The Sower

By Michael A. Guido, Metter, Georgia

It looked like a perfect day for the trip, as they pulled up anchor and set out. But shortly afterwards, the weather changed abruptly and a heavy wind of typhoon strength caught the ship.

The passengers were driven below, and the storm raged so fiercely that even the Captain had to be tied to his bridge.

At last, one of the passengers, could stand it no longer. He crawled up on to the deck and saw a sight that steadied his nerves and calmed his fears. Rushing back to his companions he cried, "It's all right! I've seen the Captain's face."

That is why the Psalmist kept calm, in spite of the storm and stress of his life. He experienced sickness, sorrow and suffering. He had come to the brink of despair, but he did not topple over. He had seen the Captain's face. It was then that he decided

Philosopher Comes Up With An Idea For Using All Those Unemployed Scientists

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw, is having gadget trouble, his letter this week indicates. Who doesn't?)

Dear editor:
My television set wouldn't work, a tube was out in my radio, another light bulb had just burned out, the washing machine went haywire and put six inches of water on the floor, and my car wouldn't start, so I shut myself up in the living room and started reading a newspaper I'd been saving to wrap around an exposed hydrant.



I hadn't gotten far when I ran across an article that said there are now over 45,000 scientists and engineers unemployed in this country, due to cut-backs in the space program and other reasons nobody is certain about.

Now what really caught my attention was the answer to this problem, suggested by a Washington expert. He wants a sort of new "WPA" for these unemployed scientists, wants a government-financed program going to keep them busy so their minds won't get rusty. "There are plenty of new ideas and things needing of developing," he said.

I got to thinking. No, I told myself, I've got a better idea. Don't put them to work on something new, put them to work on what we've already got.

Put those 45,000 scientists and engineers to work on a tail pipe that'll last longer

than one year, a washing machine that's guaranteed for 10 year, or 50,000 diapers, whichever comes first; a television tube that'll last through the last bowl game, an air-conditioner that'll last as long as an old-style electric fan, a lawn mower that starts every time, a plumbing system you can hand down from one generation to the next, a paved street that'll last longer than the tax bonds it took to pay for it, an auto fender that snaps back into place when dented, and, well I could go on but you get the idea. You probably have your own list.

Let those 45,000 scientists hold up, turn around and start perfecting what they've already turned loose on us.

For a while there it took a life-time of work to buy all the gadgets a man thinks he needs, but now it takes that plus a life-time of moonlighting to keep them going.

Tax Man Sam Sez:

Within a few days (if he hasn't already done so) Ellis Campbell, Jr., the district director for Internal Revenue in North Texas, will offer his annual end-of-the-year advice. Campbell will recommend that you review your tax records for 1970, and get your papers in order to file your 1970 tax return. In checking over your tax records you should make sure that you have a cancelled check or a receipt on each tax deduction you plan to claim on your income tax return.

Since IRS will owe taxpayers (2 out of 3) in this area about 200 million dollars come January 1, it may pay you to be ready to file that tax return as early as possible.

Patronize your hometown merchants and save!



Mrs. Michael Lee Curry

Robbie Hazlewood, M. L. Curry Wed

Robbie Gail Hazlewood of Stanton, and Cpl. Michael Lee Curry of Midland, were married at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the First United Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hazlewood are the parents of the bride, a graduate of Stanton High School. She attended Commercial College in Midland.

The bridegroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Curry of 1207 Garfield St., Midland, also is a graduate of SHS. He is stationed at Camp LeJeune, North Carolina, with the U. S. Marine Corps.

Following a trip to El Paso, the couple will reside at Camp LeJeune.

B. B. Mize of the Vandellia Church of Christ in Lubbock, performed the double ring ceremony.

Mr. Hazlewood gave his daughter in marriage. She wore an original gown of frost white peau de soie designed and made by her mother. The formal gown had a sweetheart neckline and fitted bodice enhanced with pearl beaded appliques of Spanish roses reaching to the hemline. The sleeves were long and tapered. A chapel train with beaded appliques was attached to the waistline.

Midland-Odessa Symphony Will Present Concert

The Midland-Odessa Symphony will present its third subscription concert in Odessa on December 7, and in Midland on December 8. Dona Lee Cherry, violinist, will be the guest artist. Mrs. Cherry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Croft of Odessa.

The orchestra will perform Beethoven's Symphony No. 3 (Eroica), Debussy's Afternoon of a Faun, and Bruch's Violin Concerto in G Minor, featuring Mrs. Cherry as soloist.

Formal presentation of the Symphony Debs will be made at the concerts in both Odessa and Midland.

Concert time is 8:00 p.m. at Bonham Auditorium in Odessa and Lee Auditorium in Midland. Individual student tickets may be purchased at the door for \$1; out-of-town con-

groomsmen were Larry Franklin, Glenn Evans of Odessa, and John Roy Curry of Midland, brother of the bridegroom. Bobby Odom and Carl Dean ushered the guests.

The bride's attendants wore identical floor-length dresses in Empire styling of apricot peau de soie. They had matching Camelot hats of Spanish lace with illusion veiling, and each carried a Spanish fan of apricot lace accented with carnations.

Arched tapers and cherub containers of greenery decorated the church. A kneeling bench was used.

Music for the ceremony was provided by Karen Curry, organist, and David Saunders, soloist.

The reception was held in the church's Fellowship Hall. Mr. and Mrs. James Biggs, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mims, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hazlewood, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Holder, Deborah Holloway, Becky Fryar, Mrs. Glenn Evans, and Sandy Chandler were in the house party.

The rehearsal dinner was given by the bridegroom's parents in their home Friday.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT

The Texas Highway Department held a public hearing on October 29, 1970, in Stanton covering the proposed improvement of FM 1212 from the end of existing FM 1212, 6.7 miles northwest of FM 1208 north approximately 8.0 miles to State Highway 176 (FM 87).

The proposed project provides for the reconstruction of an existing two lane county road on approximately 100 feet of right of way to provide for current design requirements established by the Texas Highway Department. The location of the project follows the existing route of a paved county road.

The Texas Highway Department District Office at Odessa has assembled all the information received in connection with the public hearing for review and approval of the Route and Design by the Administration of the Texas Highway Department.

Maps, drawings showing geometric design, and all other available data concerning the development of this project may be inspected and copied at the Resident Engineer's office at 2701 Elizabeth, Midland, Texas.

Cotton Futures Close Higher

Cotton futures No. 2 closed \$1.10 to \$1.30 a bale higher Friday.

Trading was slow, but commission-house buying met only scaled-up liquidation of nearby December contracts.

Hedge selling was small. New crop months were inactive but closed at gains of better than \$1.00 a bale based on final bid prices.

The average price for middling 1-16-inch spot cotton held unchanged at 25.62 cents a pound for the 12 leading markets.

cert goes may purchase individual tickets for \$3.50. Season tickets will also be on sale at the door.



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SHS News

By KAY LYNNE HANKINS
The Annual Staff ended yearbook sales on Monday, November 30. They are now working hard to meet their next deadline, which will be December 20.

—SHS—

The FFA Chapter is selling western vests to help pay for the expense of the FFA banquet this year. These vests are nylon, and they come in three colors: blue, red, and gold.

—SHS—

Several of the senior students will be graduating at mid-term. These students are Clyde Auwarter, Gayle Haggard, Kay Hankins, Debra McMeans, Leatrice Jones, Anita McIntyre, Vicki Robinson, and Connie Butcher.

—SHS—

Picture retakes, organizational and personalities will be taken December 7. Come prepared.

—SHS—

The "A" and "B" team girls won their games on Monday night with the smashing defeats of 35 to 73, and 11 to 47. These girls played Pecos.

—SHS—

On Tuesday night, December 1, the "A" team boys, and the "B" team boys traveled to Andrews to play the Andrews Mustangs. These games started at 6:15.

—SHS—

November 3-5 the Buffalo teams competed in the Iraan basketball tournament.

—SHS—

All district band tryouts will be held in Odessa this Saturday. A few of the band students expected to try out are Polly Creech, Lyn Herzog, Susan Vest, Tommy Pinkerton, Doyla Doggett, Kim Douglas, and Betty Anderson.

—SHS—

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Wren over the holidays were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wren from Sanderson, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wren and children from Richardson.

—SHS—

Trade at home and save!

Junior High Activities

The seventh grade class met last Tuesday, November 24, to discuss plans for their Christmas party. It was decided to have a skating party at the Big Spring Skating Rink, December 11. Each child is to bring 75 cents for admission. The class will meet at the Junior High building where any parent who wishes to take a car can help carry some students.

—JHS—

The seventh grade Buffalo basketball team played Trinity eighth and ninth grades, Monday, November 30. The Buffaloes were defeated 43-31. They will travel to Greenwood Friday, to play in the Greenwood tournament.

Personals

Mrs. Smitty Smith and daughter, Michelle, are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gates.

Visiting in the home of the O. E. Saunders over the Thanksgiving holidays, were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Merritt, from TCU in Fort Worth, and another daughter, Frankie Jo Saunders, from Graceland College in Lamon, Iowa. Also visiting was Mr. Saunders sister, Mrs. Allie Jo Martin, from Gladewater, Texas.

Mrs. Floyd Sorley is in the Malone-Hogan Hospital in Big Spring, recuperating from foot surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Sorley visited in Lubbock over the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Sorley, Mr. and Mrs. Lynch Hightower, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Moore, and Rita Mills.

The two world wars were responsible for cancellations of the Olympic Games scheduled for 1916, 1940, and 1944.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED — Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clements are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia Jean to Jimmy Tom Pate, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Pate of Comanche. The couple will be married in the home of the bride December 29. Cynthia is a Stanton High School graduate, and is a junior elementary education major at Tarleton State College. Her fiancée is a Comanche High School graduate, and a senior math major at Tarleton State College. He is an agent for Fidelity Union Life Insurance Company.

Special Notice

On December 8, Mrs. Cobb of the Texas State Department of Health, will be at the Martin-Glasscock Daycare Center to hold a free clinic for the low-income bracket families. Every person in this cate-

gory is urged to attend the clinic for the purpose of being tested for TB germ carriers.

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I wish to express my sincere thanks to each, who sent flowers, cards, gifts, or came to visit me during my recent stay in the hospital. Our thanks also to Dr. Sue Fisher, and the other employees of the hospital.

Clayton Burnam.

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Unless properly treated with immunization injections, hay fever will develop into asthma in about one of every three patients.

REAL ESTATE

Houses For Sale

Two bedroom house, one and one-half bath, living room, kitchen, and den. Close to school. See Paige Eiland or call 756-3481. 11-19-tnc

Two bedroom house, one bath, corner lot. Will sell furnished or unfurnished. See Paige Eiland or call 756-3481. 10-1-1tnc

The ore carrier San Juan Prospector, largest commercial vessel ever to go through the Panama Canal, squeezed into Miraflores Lock with less than two feet to spare on each side. The ship is 106 feet, 4 inches wide; the locks are 110 feet wide.

Benjamin Harrison, 29th U. S. president, was the grandson of William Henry Harrison, ninth president.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mims Observe Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mims were honored with a reception in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, November 22, from 2-5 p.m. in the Cap Rock Electric Auditorium.

Hosting the celebration were the couple's daughter, Mrs. Maxine Howard of Tarzan, and sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mims, Stanton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mims, Lubbock.

The children presented their parents with a gold mother's ring, and tie clasp with settings of each child's birthstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Mims were married November 27, 1920, in Abilene, Texas. She is the former Carrie Lee Lesly. They made their home near Abilene until 1929, when they moved to Martin County, where they now reside in the Courtney community, and are engaged in farming. They are members of the Church of Christ in Stanton.

The Mims have seven grandchildren and two great-

grandchildren. The serving table was covered with a floor length white lace cloth. The centerpiece was an arrangement of gold mums, and an open Bible cake decorated with white roses with gold leaves. The family record was written in gold also. Silver, gold, and crystal appointments were used for serving. Single longstemmed gold roses were placed on all the tables, also covered with white cloths.

Assisting with the serving were Mrs. Joe Camp, Carla, and Ellen, of Lubbock; Mrs. Marshall Meeks, Odessa; Mrs. Butch Howard; Lenora; Miss Judy Mims, Stanton; Miss Nancy Seely, of Ackerly, and Miss Dianna Mims, of Lubbock.

Assisting the honored couple, and their children in the receiving line were Billy and Danny Howard, Tarzan; Butch Howard, Lenora; Johnny Howard, Lubbock, and Donnie Camp, of Lubbock.

Miss Jo Mims of Stanton, presided at the register. Ap-

Stanton High School Basketball Schedule

Date	Place	Team	Boys	Girls	Time
1970-71					
December 3, 4, 5	— There	Iraon Tourney (Boys and Girls)			
Monday 7	— Here	Andrews	A&B		6:15
Tuesday 8	— There	O'Donnell		A&B	5:00
10, 11, 12	— There	Colo. City Tour.	A		5:00
10, 11, 12	— There	McCamey Tour.		A	
Tuesday 15	— There	Iraon	A	A&B	5:15
Friday 18	— Open				
Tuesday 22	— There	Tahoka	A		6:30
28, 29, 30, 31	— There	Slaton Tourney		A	
January, 1971					
Monday 4	— There	McCamey*		A&B	6:00
Thursday 7	— There	Crane*		A&B	6:00
7, 8, 9	— There	Big Lake Tour.	A		
Monday 11	— Here	Ozona*		A&B	6:00
Tuesday 12	— There	Crane*	A&B		6:00
Thursday 14	— Here	Coahoma*		A&B	6:00
Friday 15	— Here	Coahoma*	A&B		6:00
Monday 18	— There	Slaton*		A&B	6:00
Tuesday 19	— There	Reagan Co.*	A&B		6:00
Thursday 21	— Here	McCamey*		A&B	6:00
Friday 22	— Here	McCamey*	A&B		6:00
Monday 25	— Here	Crane*		A&B	6:00
Tuesday 26	— Here	Ozona*	A&B		6:00
Thursday 28	— There	Ozona*		A&B	6:00
Friday 29	— Here	Crane*		A&B	6:00
February					
Monday 1	— There	Coahoma*		A&B	6:00
Tuesday 2	— There	Coahoma*	A&B		6:00
Thursday 4	— Open				
Friday 5	— Here	Reagan Co.*	A&B		6:00
Tuesday 9	— There	McCamey*	A&B		6:00
Friday 12	— There	Ozona*		A&B	6:00
* — Denotes District Game.					

approximately 140 guests registered during the afternoon. Among those attending were Mrs. Mims' sisters and brothers-in-law: Mr. and Mrs. Garvin McClure, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Winn, Mr. and Mrs. Daw Vinson, and Mrs. Irene Reynolds, all of Abilene. Also Mr. Mims' sister, Mrs. Viola Carnes, of Stamford. Other out-of-town friends and relatives attending were from Abilene, Sweetwater, Leaders, Hawley, Andrews, Odessa, Midland, Big Spring, and Lubbock.

The USS John F. Kennedy is a conventionally powered aircraft carrier weighing 61,450 tons. It stands 23 stories tall.

Questions And Answers

(This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.)

Q) How do I go about having taxes taken out of my company pension? I just read a retired person could now do that and avoid making estimated tax payments.

A) A special form has been prepared which retired persons may use to request that federal income tax be withheld from a pension or annuity. This is Form W-4P, Annuitant's Request for Federal Tax Withholding, and is now available at IRS offices. The tax withholding cannot begin before next January but a form authorizing withholding should be filed now with the company that pays your pension or annuity.

Amounts withheld must be at least \$5 a month and in whole-dollar amounts. The withholding cannot reduce any annuity payment to less than \$10. Social Security benefits and other tax free pensions are not subject to withholding.

Q) Our oldest daughter is getting married in December. Will this mean we will lose our exemption for her even though we supported her practically all year?

A) Your daughter's marriage will not automatically disqualify her as your dependent this year. If your daughter does not file a joint return with her husband you may claim her exemption as long as the other dependency tests are

three important areas of my life," she said.

Also an important part of her life is her family which includes her husband, Horace, and daughters, Scarlett, 10, and Patricia, 8.

Mrs. Ledbetter is a charter member and life member of TIAA, and a member of the Graham Woman's Club, and Chaparral Dinner Club. —The Graham News

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met. Q) Do I declare as income the property I inherited from my father?

A) No, the value of an inheritance does not have to be reported for income tax purposes. However, if you make any profit on the sale of the property at a later date, this gain will be taxable. But sure to keep good records so that any profit can be accurately reported.

Q) Can I deduct losses on my farm operations this year from my other income? I have a part-time job.

A) Yes, farm losses can be deducted from other income if

you are engaged in farming for profit. However, special rules apply if you are a cash basis farmer with nonfarm adjusted gross income over \$50,000 and a farm net loss in excess of \$25,000.

Q) I never took out citizenship papers and now plan to go back to my own country. To get my sailing permit do I have to pay tax on this year's income?

A) Yes, aliens generally have to show they have satisfied all their U. S. tax liabilities before they can leave the country.

To obtain information on what forms must be completed

THE STANTON REPORTER, THURSDAY, DEC. 3, 1970—5

The sergeant major serves as the representative in the Pentagon for all American enlisted men around the world.

The Chinese calendar is based on the 10 heavenly pillars and the 12 terrestrial columns. Each column is a year and each pays tribute to an animal.

before you leave the country contact your IRS district office. They can explain the things you have to do and will help you settle your tax obligations.

The 24th Amendment to the Constitution abolished the poll tax in federal elections. It became a law on Jan. 23, 1964, when South Dakota became the 38th state to approve it.

Mother Elizabeth Ann Seton was the only Marylander beatified by the Roman Catholic Church.

Now is the time for the merchants of Stanton to start advertising their Christmas merchandise to the Martin County customers for the Christmas season.



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TOMATO SAUCE, Stokely	8 oz. can, 3 for 29c
Corn or Cut Green Beans, Kounty Kist, 12 oz. can, Mix or Match, 6 for \$1.00	
DATES, Pitted, Dromedary	8 ounce 29c
Marshmallow Cream, Hip-O-Lite	9 ounce, 2 for 49c
SALAD CHERRIES, Towie Red	9 ounce jar 29c
Chocolate Chips, Hershey or Nestles	12 oz. pkg. 49c
EAGLE BRAND MILK, Borden's	39c
PECANS, New Crop (Some Local)	1 lb. 69c
SUGAR, Imperial	5 lb. bag 49c
F L O U R, Gladiola	5 lb. bag 49c
F L O U R, Gladiola	25 lb. bag \$2.10
COFFEE, Folger's	1 lb. can 85c
SHORTENING, Snowdrift	42 oz 59c

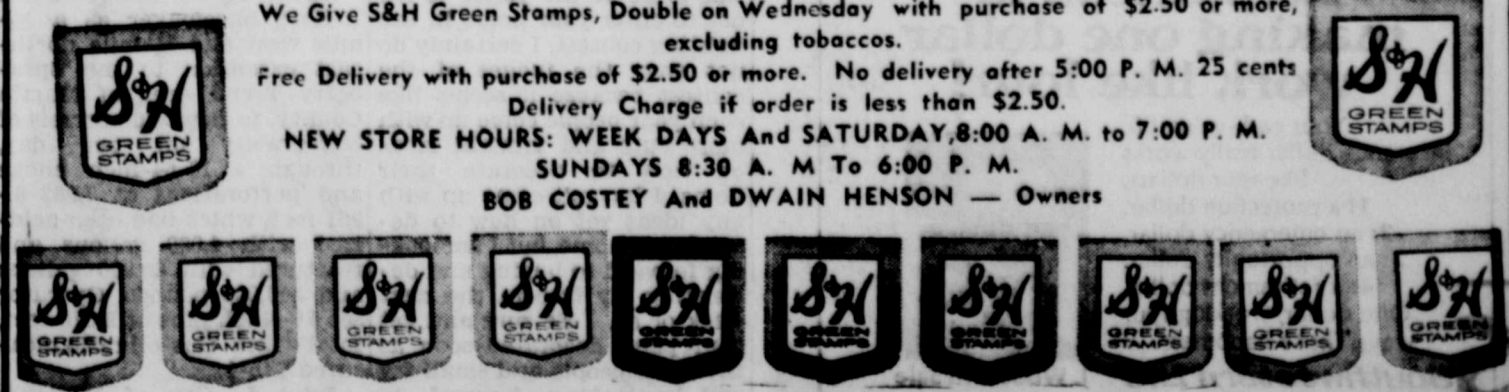
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ORANGES NAVEL, SUNKIST	Lb. 19c	FRYERS U.S.D.A. Inspected, Whole Only	Lb. 29c
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Former Stanton High Student Now A Writer

During the 1940's, Mrs. Barbara Ledbetter, who now resides in Young County, Texas, attended Valley View school, located north of Stanton, and later when the school consolidated with Stanton, she attended Stanton High. She often refers to O. V. Fuller, who taught her language arts at Valley View, and Miss Gattiker who taught her English in Stanton High.

Mrs. Ledbetter is the former Barbara Neal, who made her home with the Louie Baker family of Valley View and Stanton. She published a biography of the late Louie Baker in 1965; Louie being one of the last of the old time real cowboys of Texas and New Mexico.

The following story has appeared in several North Texas newspapers, and it will be of interest to many residents in the Martin County area — and adjoining counties, since many former Stantonites live in the area.

"Educator, historian, archivist, writer, ranchwoman, teacher" is how the 1969 Blue Book describes Barbara Neal Ledbetter of Graham.

The Blue Book, published in London, England, presents biographical sketches of the English speaking world.

Mrs. Ledbetter recently received notice that she has also been listed in the 1970 compilation of British and American Writers, also published in London.

With more than 12 books and over 400 feature articles to her credit, the high school teacher is known not only throughout the state, but throughout the nation. Her feature articles have appeared in virtually every newspaper in the state.

Her writing career began in the summer of 1953. She was working in Anchorage, Alaska when a supposedly dormant volcano erupted. She wrote the story and sent it back to Texas where it appeared in the Amarillo Globe News.



Mrs. Barbara Ledbetter

printed word." Her uncle Gaspard Neal was associated with the Newcastle Register for 50 years, spending the last 30 of those years as the Register's editor and publisher. He gave her the opportunity to write stories and do special features for the Newcastle paper.

"He (Gaspard Neal) always wanted me to one day own the Register, but I wanted to teach — in fact, all I've really ever wanted to do is be a good teacher," Mrs. Ledbetter said.

A 19-year veteran in the teaching field, she entered North Texas State Teachers College following her graduation from Newcastle High School. She earned a Bachelor's degree from NTSTC and received her Masters degree from West Texas State College.

Her first book "Fort Belknap of Yesterday and Today," was published in 1959. Since that time she has published: Civil War Days In Young County, Texas.

A Guide To Fort Belknap. Scrapbook On Young County, Texas. Cattlemen's Association: Colonel Christopher L. "Kit" Carter, First President; List of First 1,000 Registering Cattle Brands Who Was Saint-To-Hoodle Goombie? (Indian Woman

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Newcastle, Texas—The Coal Mining Town, Vol. I One of Young County's foremost historians, Mrs. Ledbetter became interested in preserving the facts surrounding Young County and her hometown of Newcastle while she was in high school. For the past 20 years she has collected books, papers, documents, traveled extensively to trace genealogy of early settlers and researched from damp, musky cellars, to the libraries of Washington, D. C.

She recalls days of research at the Texas Archives when she had to entertain a two-year-old daughter and rock her baby daughter on her knees while she prepared information for her book, "Civil War Days In Young County."

Research has taken her throughout the United States, through Europe and into Canada, Mexico, Scotland, and the Yukon Territory. Most vivid in her mind is Scotland, where she encountered a difficult Scottish-English accent, and the Yukon, where she faced the "raw frontier."

Mrs. Ledbetter claims that she averages publishing "about a book per year." She has recently completed the History of Newcastle, Vol. II, and is currently working on the History of Newcastle, Vol. III.

Her avocation or hobby is working with the stock on her ranch, located about 3 miles west of Graham. "The ranch, teaching and writing are the

The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

President NIXON moved with quick dispatch in terminating the services of Secretary HICKLE in his administration. He acted equally fast by naming ROGERS MORTON to the cabinet post. HICKLE, as Interior Secretary, has not worked in harmony with the administration since he was discovered to be more liberal than other cabinet members. A man who gets a cabinet appointment is supposed to be loyal. It is a place of personal trust. The President misjudged HICKLE and since he wouldn't resign, he was booted out.

Some of us have grown to think of spring as the time for city clean-up campaigns. A clean-up campaign should be launched anytime one is necessary. Stanton is in dire need of such a project now — before Christmas. There are several vacant lots that need to be cleaned up. They are unsightly, and the health of the entire community is in peril because of the nastiness of some of the lots. If no other way can be found to clean up the lots—I suggest that the city do the work and send the property owner a bill for same. There is no excuse in the continued toleration of these dirty lots.

CP-4 DAVID HOWARD mailed a Christmas greeting card to the staff of the newspaper here this week. **DAVID**, son of **MR. and MRS. BURNELL HOWARD**, has the following address — 455909839 — 533 Engr. Det. 596 Maintenance Co., APO SF 96325.

Monday, December 7, is Dollar Day in Martin County. The date also marks the ending of the first week in the final month of the year. December is destined to fly quickly by with Christmas coming up fast. Just 18 more shopping days left after today. The merchants of Stanton have gone a long way out to bring the best styled merchandise displayed in Stanton in years to the local market for customer consideration. The things a family wants and needs can be found this year right at home and at prices comparable to those in other communities. Shop in Stanton Monday, December 7.

The most useful, informative, and appreciated gift one can select for a Christmas present is a subscription to the hometown newspaper. This year, before circulation rates are increased, make a list of friends and loved ones you want to have the paper delivered to for the next year. The circulation price is \$3 for out-of-the-county subscriptions and still just \$2.50 in the county. We will also advise the person you purchase the holiday subscription for by special letter that he or she has been chosen to receive the paper as a Christmas gift.

The exact date for Santa's visit to the children of Martin County before he brings the big things on the evening of December 24 will be announced by the Chamber of Commerce next week. **LINDA BESS ANGEL** advised us that the time and date would be determined before the paper is printed again.

Buffaloes . . .

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Tahoka 14 30 50 60
Girls' game:
STANTON (46)—Darla Sawyer 4-5-13; Jana Hall 6-1-13; Sandra Chandler 6-8-20. Totals 16-14-46
TAHOKA (60)—Karen Craig 4-1-9; Eunice Smith 14-6-34; Tommie Hale 6-5-17. Totals 24-42-60
Stanton 14 19 27 46
Tahoka 11 20 44 60

Contract . . .

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Martin Strike . . .

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To Late To Classify

CARD OF THANKS

Dear friends:
Please accept my deep appreciation for the lovely flowers, gifts, cards and good wishes during my recent illness. Thank you so much!
Sincerely,
Pauline Huckaby.

LOST & FOUND

Found: Pair of little girl's glasses. Blue frames. May be obtained by coming by the Reporter and paying for this ad. 12-3-tnc

MERCHANDISE

Appliances K-1
For Sale: Frigidaire in good condition. Large size freezing unit \$35.00. Call 756-2425. 12-3-1tc

The Oberammergau Passion Play is a decennial celebration. Originating in 1633, there have been few interruptions.

9,111-9,255 feet, and Dean perforations at 9,387-9,514 feet. It was a re-entry operation, 1 3/8 miles northeast of the Lacaff and Leonard perforations at (Dean) field.

Postscripts

By PEGGYE SORLEY

This past week-end was unusual for me. I was elected "Miss Bird-Cooker of the weekend." I have never cooked or even eaten quail only because I just did not care to even try it. I can remember when my mother used to cook it whenever my brother and daddy would go hunting, but that was very seldom. For some reason I had it in my mind that I would never eat one of the little birds — until Saturday night my mother always said that I was a finicky eater, and I guess I still am, there are very few things I like to eat and quail isn't (wasn't) one of them. In my mind, I decided that they were nasty and had bugs. (My brother informed me that they were just about the cleanest kind of meat I could eat.) I still wasn't convinced, and tore each piece of meat from the bone and inspected it before I ate it. Would you believe that my taste buds told me I had been missing a lot by not eating this meat before. Tastes a lot like chicken (only sweeter) to me. I guess there is a lot more to hunting and eating the little birds than I ever imagined. My brother drove all the way from Irving to quail hunt Martin County can now be accredited with having the finest little quail in Texas (that's what my brother says anyway.) Evidently we have something that the Dallas-Ft. Worth area doesn't, even if it is FAT BIRDS! — I think he meant the flying kind.

Shirley Clay was telling a few of us girls about the way her young son, Shane, went into fits each time they passed the TESCO, and he saw Santa Claus in the window. She said each time they drove by the building Shane would start jabbering a mile a minute saying, I want a riding car, a bus and some books. Isn't it amazing how the youngsters even as young as Shane (nearly 2) connect toys with Santa Claus. My two-year-old can spot a picture of Santa Claus a mile off. This past week-end my older son and I cut out Santa Clauses, reindeer, snowmen, and angels, and the only one my two-year-old could identify was who else, of course, Santa Claus.

Only 18 more shopping days until Christmas! The time is drawing nearer for old Saint Nick to come climbing down the chimney on Christmas Eve night. I have seen hundreds and hundreds of toys I would like to have to play with myself. The thing that seems to be selling the best this year (for the most I've seen people carrying out of the stores) is the old-timey doll houses and furniture. I would love to have one myself but I don't even have a little girl on my shopping list. Ruth Lewis is making her three little nieces doll houses. I have seen the front of them and they are quiet attractive. I guess if anyone has patience and the skill and some little girls in their families, this would be a lot of fun and something the little girls could keep to pass on to their children and grandchildren in the future.

With the holidays for Christmas near, many people will be expecting their families and their college kids home. Many of the local people would enjoy reading who has been home, and where they now live, so if you will just give me a call, I will be glad to pass the personals on to the local readers. Oh yes, if you are going somewhere, and would like the local people to know where you have been or are going, I will be glad to pass that along too.

Be sure and get your Christmas lights and decorations up as in only three more weeks, that happy day will be here. There is a form appearing in this issue of the paper to fill out to enter your home in the lighting contest. I certainly do not envy the judges of the contest because it seems like each year people come up with more cute and unusual ideas on how to decorate their home. I haven't come up with any ideas yet on how to decorate my home, but I am looking forward to buying and decorating my tree in the next week or so. Be sure and get your place decorated soon as the townspeople and small fry will be looking forward to driving around and looking at the lit up houses in the next few days.

Census Called 'Most Accurate Ever'

The Census Bureau Monday set the nation's population at 204.7 million in a final official count which gives California five new House seats, and the title of the most-populous state.

For the first time, the Census included 1.5 million Americans living overseas as servicemen or federal employees, and their dependents. They were apportioned among the states to help figure representation in the U. S. House of Representatives. Americans living

overseas as employees of private companies were not counted.

"This is the most accurate census ever taken," the Secretary of Commerce Maurice H. Stans said after he and Census officials submitted their final reports to President Nixon on a day before it was due.

The state-by-state count produced one surprise. Connecticut failed to gain a House seat, and Oklahoma did not lose one, although preliminary estimates had indicated

they would. Stans said the reason is that the apportionment of Americans living overseas to the two states did not come out as expected. Otherwise the final count came close to the estimated mark. While California was the big gainer, New York and Pennsylvania each lost two House seats. Florida picked up three seats in the 435-member chamber. Arizona, Colorado and Texas each gained one House seat, while Alabama, Iowa, North

Dakota, Ohio Tennessee, West Virginia, and Wisconsin each lost one. The total population, including those living overseas, was 204,765,770 as of April 1, when the census was taken. Excluding servicemen and federal workers living abroad, the population was 203,184,772.

The Bureau said the resident population gain from 1960 to 1970 was the second largest in history.

However, it added, the gain was 13.3 per cent, the second-lowest rate of any decade in history. The lowest came in the 1930s when the nation was in the throes of the depression.

California picked up 4.2 million people, giving it a total population of 20,098,863. New York, the largest state in 1960, gained 1.4 million while dropping to second place at 18,287,529.

Florida had an additional 1.8 million people over 1960, and Texas 1.6 million. The fastest-growing state was Nevada, with a gain of 71.3 per cent.



TO WED — Mrs. Doris W. Perkins of Big Spring, announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Carol Ann, to James Clay Woods, Miss Perkins is the daughter of the late Arthur G. Perkins. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Claud L. Woods of Stanton. The wedding is planned for Jan. 30 at the Marcy Drive Church of Christ.

Dowdle Oil Corp. To Drill Offsets

Dowdle Oil Corp. of Midland, has announced intention to drill two offsets to the firm's No. 1 Juliette Wolcott, recent undesignated Leonard-Dean discovery in Martin County, 18 miles northwest of Lenorah.

Both projects are scheduled to 10,000 feet and are in Hartley CSL survey 250.

No. 1-A Juliette Wolcott, a 3/8-mile east offset, spots 477 feet from south and 6,099 feet from east lines of the survey.

No. 1-B Juliette Wolcott, 3/8-mile north of the discovery, spots 4,170 feet from south and 3,500 feet from west lines of the survey.

The field opener was completed Nov. 9, to flow 545 barrels of 41-gravity oil per day, through a 15-64-inch choke and Leonard perforations at 9,387-9,514 feet. It was a re-entry operation, 1 3/8 miles northeast of the Lacaff (Dean) field.

Western States Producing Co. of Midland, fished No. 1 McGinnis as a 1/2-mile east extension to the Spraberry Trend Area of Martin County, to flow 248 barrels of 38.4-gravity oil and 20 barrels of water daily, through a 25-64-inch choke, with gas-oil ratio measuring 870-1.

Production was through perforations at 8,720-8,930 feet, which had been acidized with 1,500 gallons and fractured with 40,000 gallons and 80,000 pounds. Total depth is 9,100 feet, where 4 1/2-inch casing is seated.

It spots 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 36, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

ProChemco Exploration Co. of Amarillo, completed No. 1 Cross, 1/2 north of the nearest production in the area, eight miles northwest of Stanton.

On 24-hour potential test, it flowed 251 barrels of 39.7-gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio measuring 825-1. Production was through a 16-64-inch choke and perforations at 8,005-8,987 feet after treatment with 4,000 gallons of acid and 80,000 gallons and 204,000 pounds of fracture material. Total depth is 9,070 feet, with 5 1/2-inch casing set on bottom.

Petroleum Exploration and Operating Corp. of Abilene, completed No. 2-A Olton Dickenson as a 1/2-mile west extension to the Spraberry Trend Area of Martin County, 11 miles northeast of Stanton, to pump 85 barrels of 38.4-gravity oil and 20 barrels of water per day, through perforations at 7,822-9,170 feet, which had been acidized with 3,000 gallons and fractured with 200,000 gallons and 400,000 pounds. Total depth is 9,335 feet, where 4 1/2-inch casing is seated.

It spots 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 17, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey.

John L. Cox of Midland, completed No. 7 Dickenson, 1/2-mile west extension to the Trend Area in Martin County, 11 miles northeast of Stanton, to flow 241 barrels of 38-gravity oil per day, through a 16-64-inch choke and perforations at 8,331-9,105 feet, after fracturing with 80,000 gallons. It has 4 1/2-inch pipe set at 9,150 feet, total depth.

Wellsite is 1,320 feet from south and west lines of section 19, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey.

Adobe Oil Co. competed No. 1 Kyle Shoemaker as a 1/2-mile west and 3/4-mile north-east extension to the Spraberry Trend Area of Martin County, to flow 236 barrels of 39.7-gravity oil per day, through a 16-64-inch choke and perforations at 7,992-8,961 feet, which had been acidized with 4,000 gallons and fractured with 80,000 gallons and 240,000 pounds. Operator set 5 1/2-inch pipe at 9,070 feet, total depth. Gas-oil ratio measured 840-1.

John L. Cox of Midland, staked site for No. 2 Woody Brothers 1/2-mile south of production, 1,320 feet from

south and east lines of section 5, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey, four miles southwest of Tarzan. It is scheduled to 9,300 feet.

Connally Oil Co. of Abilene, staked site for No. 1-A Olton Dickenson, as a 3/4-mile north-west outpost to the Trend Area of Martin County, 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 18, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey. Scheduled depth is 9,400 feet.

Western States Producing Co. of Midland, accounted for No. 1-D Sale Ranch, a 1/2-mile offset to the nearest producer, 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 13, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey. It is slated to 9,100 feet.

United States Smelting, Refining and Mining Co., Salt Lake City, Utah, staked sites for two outposts in the five-well Lacaff (Dean) field of Martin County, 1,320 feet from north and east lines of section 18, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey. Scheduled depth is 9,400 feet.

United States Smelting, Refining and Mining Co., Salt Lake City, Utah, staked sites for two outposts in the five-well Lacaff (Dean) field of Martin County, about eight miles west-northwest of Tarzan.

Both projects are scheduled to 9,800 feet.

No. 1-7-320 Holt spots 933 feet from north and west lines of tract 7, league 320, Garza CSL, 7/8-mile southeast of production.

No. 1-14-248 Holt, 933 feet from south and east lines of tract 14, league 248, Hartley CSL, is 3/8-mile northeast of the nearest completed producer.

Collier Diamond C Oils, Inc. of Fort Worth, filed application to drill No. 1B Slaught-er as a one-mile north outpost to the Sulphur Draw (8,790 Dean) field of Martin County, 24 miles north of Stanton.

Scheduled to 9,250 feet, it spots 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 86, block B, Bauer & Cockrell survey.

Adobe Oil Co. of Midland, was preparing to pull the tubing at No. 1 Weyman, Glasscock County wildcat re-entry, 15 miles west-northwest of Garden City, and 2 1/2 miles east of the Spraberry Trend Area, but separated by depleted producers.

Operator opened the well to pits and it failed to flow. When the swab was run, fluid was encountered at 3,000 feet from the surface and it recovered 80 barrels of fluid, cut 10 per cent oil, in eight hours, through perforations between 10,151-10,167 feet, in an unidentified formation.

Originally drilled by Shell Oil Co., as No. 1 Shell-Weyman, old total depth is 11,472 feet. It has been plugged back to 10,290 feet.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 14, block 36, T-3-S, T&P survey.

Lario Oil & Gas Co. has plugged No. 1 Oldham, wildcat in Howard County, at a total depth of 8,010 feet. It spots 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 25, block 27, H&TC survey, eight miles west-southwest of Vincent.

John L. Cox of Midland, staked site for No. 2-C Buchanan as a one-mile northwest and southwest outpost to production in Midland County's part of the Spraberry Trend Area.

Scheduled to 9,000 feet, the project spots 1,660 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of section 33, block 37, W. M. Baldridge survey, eight miles southeast of Midland townsite.



New Arrivals

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James Brady Moore on the birth of a baby daughter born in a Big Spring hospital, at 5:41 p.m. November 16.

The baby is named Tonja Sue, and weighed six pounds and five and one-half ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller have returned from Ft. Walton Beach, Florida, where they welcomed their new granddaughter into the world. The granddaughter, Kristyn Elaine, was born November 17, and weighed seven pounds and seven ounces. She is the daughter of Virgil and Kathy Miller.

Maternal grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Rogers of Palacios, Texas. The Millers have one other daughter, Michelle.

First Baptist Church News

The First Baptist Church Royal Ambassadors were represented at the state-wide meeting held at Baylor University, Saturday, Nov. 28.

Granville Graves and Jack Iretton accompanied the 26 boys, assisted by Tommy Pinkerton and Leslie Butler. The Stanton group spent Friday night at the First Baptist Church, Gatesville, and on Saturday morning they attended the program for R. A.'s at the Baylor University, Waco. Before returning home they attended the Baylor-Rice football game.

The Exchange Desk

The Memphis Democrat: "A Pattern of Fascination: Winter Wonderland" will be the theme of the Atalantean Club Style Show which will be held on Thursday evening, December 10, at the Community Center.

The McCamey News: "The Chamber of Commerce is asking everyone to please make their contributions now to the Christmas decoration fund. A desire was expressed by many of the citizens last year to purchase new Christmas decorations for McCamey, and as a result the chamber is sponsoring the drive.

The Big Lake Wildcat: "Tickets will be given for the annual drawings of gift certificates redeemable in participating Big Lake business houses, and individual businesses will have their own registration for prizes given each week, all on an option basis of owners, managers, it was decided Monday night at a meeting of local business people."

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