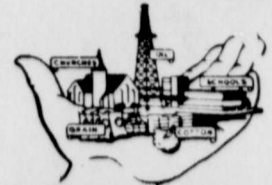


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### West Texas Leads The World In Trend Of Revolutionized Cotton Classing

Once Mr. Graig, of Plainview, had a visit with Mr. L.S. Chen, an Abernathian, who works as the Director of Fiber Research for SPIN-LAB Inc., the worldly known manufacturer of fiber testing instruments.

Mr. Chen congratulated Mr. Graig for the excellent quality of the name-sake cotton he developed. Mr. Graig sadly shook his head and said, "Hardly do I find a person truly appreciate my cotton like you. The trouble is that Graig will not reach the premium micronaire, even if it is fully matured. Excellent it may be in actual spinning value, but it is penalized in price due to relatively low miki. Very few farmers like to grow it."

This is the story with which Mr. Chen started off an interview with the Review. For as long as people can remember, cotton has been manually classified for its staple and grade with micronaire added in at a later date. Other properties, such as fiber strength, maturity, length and uniformity, are beyond the scope of human judgement. Even for staple and grade, hand classing is highly susceptible to human error.

In recent years, thanks to the development of electronic technology, manufacturers are able to construct instruments to test a complete range of cotton properties, namely, length, length uniformity, strength, micronaire, white color, yellow color and trash content, precisely and efficiently.

Strict and scientific cotton control, based on cotton properties, was pioneered in West Texas mills, such as Southwest Textiles of Abernathy, and American Cotton Grower's Littlefield plant.

Littlefield mill, in less than ten years, has become a model admired by the textile industries around the world as to achieve high quality standards with relatively cheap West Texas cotton on open end spinning process. The secret is nothing other than optimizing the utilization of cotton properties in all the seven categories. The Littlefield mill is able to save \$15 to \$20 per bale of cotton. Compared with some of the mills in the Southeast using the same fabric, this is a

tremendous saving which sets off a wave of envy throughout the country.

Inspired by such success, the USDA set up an instrument classing station in Lamesa a few years ago. Lubbock and Altus, Oklahoma followed suit. These are the earliest instrument cotton classing operations in the world. The trend, according to Mr. Chen, is getting more momentum. Mr. Chen said, "I'll live to see the instrument classing as the only way to do it world-wide."

There has been some early worries that more strict display of cotton properties may adversely penalize the cotton growers. Mr. Chen said, "Such an argument is groundless. The mills tend to over-use the cotton quality for a set goal of product in order to stay on the safe side. That is why Littlefield is able to save so many dollars on each bale of cotton used over the others; mixing the cotton by experience, so to speak. This benefit

is bound to spill-over to cotton producers regardless what kind of marketing practice may evolve."

Representatives of the cotton and textile industries recently attended a ribbon cutting ceremony at Texas Tech University's Textile Research Center to note the world's first textile facility to have side-by-side cotton instrument evaluation lines from different manufacturers.

The ceremony inaugurated the use of a new Motion Control HIV3000 System and a new Spinlab 800 HVT Series evaluation line. Motion Control Inc. of Dallas and Spinlab of Knoxville, Tenn., are the world's only two manufacturers of automated cotton evaluation equipment, said TRC Director James S. Parker.

Parker said the TRC will be the only place in the world to have both a Motion Control and a Spinlab system in use. Measurements taken on an

instrument evaluation line, such as the two new ones, include fiber length, length uniformity, fiber strength, elongation, micronaire, color and trash content.

"Instrument evaluation of cotton will do for the industry what the airplane did for transportation - revolutionize it," he said.

With both the Motion Control and Spinlab evaluation lines, Parker said the TRC will be able to provide special services to the cotton industry.

The United States Department of Agriculture has appointed a 13-member committee to study a possible move to instrument evaluation in its classing operations.

"The entire marketing and classing system in the United States may go to instrument evaluation," Parker said. "This equipment will give us a tremendous opportunity to be involved in the changes to be brought about in the cotton industry."



THE COTTON HARVEST is underway full scale as area gins are working day and night to gin the cotton. It is expected to be a short harvest as very little cotton was planted this year compared to previous years. (REVIEW PHOTO)

### Gins Report Less Cotton, But Better Quality

Abernathy area gins reported that they are not getting but approximately one third of the cotton they received to gin last year, but the quality of the cotton fiber is extremely good.

The managers of the gins stated that the grade is good, the micronaire is all base (excellent), but the staple is relatively short.

One manager stated that "this is better cotton than last year, but we

are down 66 percent from last year in the amount of cotton ginned."

Another manager stated that "we are down 65 percent from last year. There just wasn't much cotton grown this year." When asked how much cotton they will gin this year he answered "all we possibly can".

Area gins have ginned one third to one half of this year's crop.

### Questions About JP Race And Office Answered

A story, which was printed in the Plainview Daily Herald two Sundays ago, has raised some eyebrows and caused several local people to question the recent Justice of the Peace race between Jeanne Marr and Shirley Groce.

The story questioned the legitimacy of the election of Shirley Groce to Justice of the Peace Precinct 3 due to residency requirements.

A person running for the JP Office of a precinct must have lived in that precinct for at least six months prior to running for the office. The story in the Herald stated that Mrs. Groce lives in JP Precinct 2 and this is why they questioned whether she was eligible to run for the JP Precinct 3 office.

The truth of the matter, after the Review carefully checked out all the facts, is that Mrs. Groce lives in Precinct 3 as the boundaries were re-drawn and approved by a unanimous vote by the Hale County

Commissioners Court November 20, 1981.

The new boundaries of JP Precinct 1 now include all of former Precincts 1 and 4, excluding a small section of land, which was made Precinct 4. And JP Precinct 3 includes all of former Commissioner Precincts 3 and 2, excluding a small section of land which was designated Precinct 2.

Therefore, there are two JP offices. One for the northern portion of Hale County and one for the Southern portion of Hale County, which is the JP Precinct 3 office near Abernathy.

JP Precincts 2 and 4 are just two small tracts of land drawn up because the Texas Constitution requires that each county shall set up between four and eight justice of the peace precincts.

There were also many rumors going around town that the JP Office would be moved to Petersburg because Shirley Groce lives there. It was recently reported that a Hale County Commissioner said that the JP Office Precinct 3 will remain where it is, unless rent on the building gets too high for the Hale County Commissioners to afford. It is located 3 miles north of Abernathy.

Those wishing to see the new boundaries of the voting precincts, Commissioners Precincts, or the Justice of the Peace Precincts, are welcome to see the boundaries on a map at the Review.

### I-27 Area Project Completed

Construction work was completed and accepted on Interstate 27 from one mile South of FM 37, East to North of Hale Center, by the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation November 18.

The acceptance of this project completes I-27 from North Loop 289 in Lubbock, North to Loop 445 South of Plainview.

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation wishes to thank the public for their cooperation during the construction of this section of I-27.

### Arts And Crafts Bazaar A Success

Saturday, November 20th, the 3rd Annual Arts & Crafts Festival was held at the Community Center Complex. There were many more participants this year with a larger variety of handcrafted items on display. Due to the large number of participants, the firehall facilities were also used.

The Arts & Crafts Festival always sets the stage for the holiday season ahead and hundreds visited the Festival to begin their holiday shopping. This year's Festival was highlighted by a quilt raffle and the excitement of the day was climaxed by the drawing of the quilt which was won by Bobby Cunningham.

The Festival has become one of the highlights of the year and is successful because of the support of the community.

### Rebates Improving For Abernathy And Some Area Towns

November rebates to Abernathy revealed that the local economy is improving as the year goes on, as far as city sales tax rebated to the city goes.

Abernathy will receive a check for \$7,752 for November bringing this city's total rebates on sales tax for 1982 to \$45,196, down 8 percent compared to 1981. The amount that had been rebated to Abernathy at this time last year was \$49,599.

Hale Center will be rebated \$6,924 bringing that city's total for 1982 to \$31,405, a 14 percent increase over last year.

Petersburg will receive a check for \$3,947 for this period, bringing that

city's total to \$16,144 for 1982, a 25 percent decrease compared to 1981.

New Deal will be rebated \$848 this period bringing that city's total to \$3,208, a 52 percent increase compared to last year.

Slaton will be rebated \$27,348 bringing that city's total to \$154,775 for 1982, a 3 percent decrease.

Wolfforth will be rebated \$3,924 this period bringing that city's total to \$28,085 for 1982, a 20 percent increase over last year.

Lockney will receive a check for \$5,682 bringing that city's total to \$43,900, a 10 percent increase over 1981.

Tulia will receive a check for

\$18,022 this period bringing that city's total to \$113,161, a 2 percent decrease compared to last year.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday sent \$96.2 million to 967 Texas cities as their share of the one-percent city sales tax for November.

The 1982 statewide total so far this year is up 9.3 percent over the 1981 total up through the same date of last year. This payment reflects taxable sales made in September and reported to the state by the end of October.

The city and MTA sales taxes are collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and rebated monthly to the cities in which they are collected by the Comptroller.

### ON THE COUNTY LINE

BY KEITH TOOLEY

WE ATTENDED PRESS DAY at the new Southwestern Public Service coal power plant, Talk Station, near Muleshoe last Friday. It is incredible how SPS is converting this coal into electricity. None of the coal or coal bi-products are wasted, everything is used or converted into something else used by man.

The plant is amazing. I can see now why our electricity bills are so high, it cost in excess of \$200 million to build this single unit.

WE WOULD LIKE TO JOIN the local merchants in this edition of the Review in wishing you a pleasant Thanksgiving holiday. The local businesses are thankful for your patronage in shopping Abernathy first.

THE REVIEW will not be open through the holidays. We will be open Monday morning and the deadline will be back on regular schedule, which is 4 p.m. Monday.

ALTHOUGH WE DID NOT miss it as much as we thought we would, pro football is back and it was nice to see Dallas back on the field. As long as I can watch Dallas play once a week, that is enough football for me.

CORRECTION...last week, under a picture of Mark Bell, we put that he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans. It should have read that he is the son of Don Bell of Lubbock, and Barbara Evans of Abernathy.

THE FOLLOWING is part of an article written by Wynon Mayes, County Extension Agent. It has many good though provoking points for each one of us at this time of Thanksgiving.

We often hear it said of someone that he is a self-made. Nothing could be farther from the truth. Each of us is largely a product of the influences of others. One cannot divorce himself from the contributions that others have made to his life. Short-sighted and self-centered is the person who does not regularly recognize the contributions that others have made to his life.

his success, and his stature.

One should remember that though he is debtor to all men, he should feel that none are indebted to him. This is one of the secrets of happiness. If one expects nothing, then anything is a bonus. If one expects more than he receives, he is disappointed. If he expects less than he receives, he will be pleased even though what he receives is the same.

We are so prone to judge the size of a gift by how much it costs. This is certainly a poor basis for measurement. Money is simply time wrapped in a paper sack. Some people seem to have almost everything they could possibly want, yet they don't appreciate it. Others seem to have very little, yet they manage to be grateful for what they have.

So the true spirit of thankfulness is not dependent on what a person has to be thankful for. Rather, it is a matter of the person's nature. Either he is one who is naturally appreciative, or he is selfish and ungrateful.

Most young folks, older ones also, have plenty to be thankful for, even those who seem unfortunate in many ways. And it doesn't do anybody any harm to stop once in a while and "count your blessings." To be thankful to the thorns have roses.

That's what Thanksgiving is for. It's a good time to think about how lucky you are in many ways. But thinking isn't quite enough. Try to express your gratitude so that people know you are grateful. If you do that, Thanksgiving Day will mean more to you than a chance to fill up on turkey and and pumpkin pie.

Share your Thanksgiving happiness by inviting a forgotten senior citizen, perhaps a neighbor, to share this time with you. Before starting dinner, ask everyone to share one thing they are most thankful for this year. Express thanks for this wonderful community in which we are privileged to live, good families, good friends, good schools, and good churches. We all have many blessings to give thanks for, not only at this Thanksgiving season, but each day of the year.

### "Love Dedication and Work"

Youth Story of the Month...Lonnie and D'Ana Howard

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following article, about Lonnie and D'Ana Howard of Abernathy, was printed in the October issue of the magazine "Purple Circle", which is a family and youth livestock publication distributed nation-wide. The article was entitled "Love, Dedication and Work"... "Youth Story of the Month-Lonnie and D'Ana Howard. The article, and a picture of Lonnie, D'Ana and their parents, Richard and Suzi, is on page 31 of the October issue. The following is the article as it was printed in this magazine:

To Lonnie and D'Ana Howard showing stock comes first. They have been showing for eight years and plan on many more. Lonnie, 17, is a Senior at Abernathy High School and D'Ana, 15, is a Sophomore at Abernathy High School. Their parents, Richard and Suzi Howard, have raised them on a farm fifteen miles west of Abernathy under a livestock image. Lonnie and D'Ana both entered 4-H at the age of 9 and have shown steers ever since. Lonnie showed his first steer at the Plainview Stock Show in Plainview, Texas and sold the steer for a small profit. Since then he has exhibited the Grand Champion steer in 1978 and the Reserve Champion steer every year since then. His sister, D'Ana, has won the Plainview Stock Show in Plainview, Texas the past two consecutive years; last year with a steer raised by her father.

Other than the county level, the Howards show at all of the major shows, and have won classes at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas, Fort Worth Fat Stock Show and the Houston Livestock Show. This past year they placed above tenth at all of the five major stock shows: Dallas, Ft. Worth, San Antonio, Houston, and San Angelo.

Both Lonnie and D'Ana are involved in many 4-H activities, other than livestock. Lonnie is presently serving as the Abernathy 4-H Club Chairman, and D'Ana is serving as Reporter. Lonnie is also the Hale County 4-H Council Chairman, First Vice-Chairman of the District 2 4-H Council, and First Vice-Chairman of the Texas 4-H Council. This past summer Lonnie and D'Ana won the Junior Beef Symposium at the Texas 4-H Roundup with an Embryo Transfer Method Demon-

stration. Nobody ever said that showing steers was easy, and the Howards certainly don't believe it is. They consider the worst crime in the show business is to ruin a good young steer by feeding him improperly and neglecting him. They believe that a champion can never be bought; he has to be made.

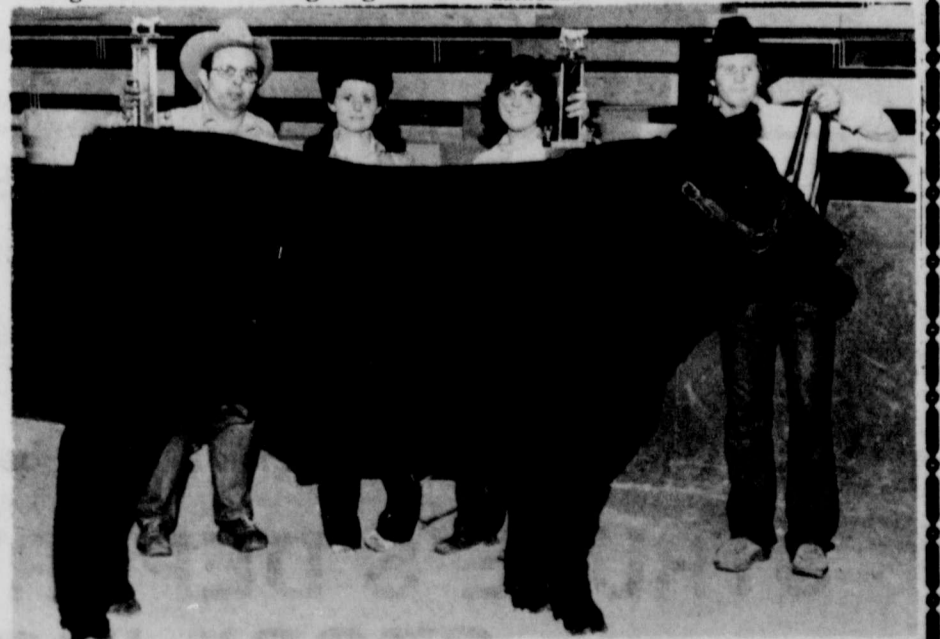
In keeping with their beliefs about work, the Howards have built a show barn and modified their pens considerably. Lonnie, and his father Richard, have done their own trimming for the past four years. In their barn they have included a trimming area that is complete with individual circuits for each set of clippers, wall and ceiling fully lined with eight foot fluorescent lights, and an overhead gas heater for trimming during the colder showing months. Also in the barn they have a six calf capacity sand bed where they tie the calves in preparing them for shows and move in a portable air conditioner and fans during the warmer months. The barn also has a wash rack complete with hot water.

Lonnie and D'Ana believe there are three major factors to showing steers. First, a showman must love what he is doing. He must be willing to give his

all and take the good with the bad. Second, they believe in dedication. Without a willingness to "stick to it" and sacrifice all for their steers no exhibitor can be successful. And water.

To Lonnie and D'Ana showmanship of their calves and themselves is the most important part of exhibiting. D'Ana, with two showmanship awards to her honor, considers working her calves with a show stick at home and showing her calves in the ring the most enjoyable parts of showing. However, Lonnie, with six showmanship awards, and a first and second at the Garretson Cattle Co. Grooming Contest enjoys the trimming and grooming as well as the selection of club calves the most.

In the future Lonnie and D'Ana look forward to showing more champion steers and increasing their involvement in their father's full blood Angus and half blood Limousin cows. Lonnie's father has A.I.'ed the herd for the past two years and sold several Maine Anjou, Chianina, and Limousin calves as show steers. This past summer Lonnie attended an Artificial Insemination Seminar, and plans on raising show steers of his own someday.



PICTURE THAT WAS PLACED in "Purple Circle" magazine with an article about Lonnie and D'Ana Howard recently. The article is entitled "Love, Dedication and Work" and is about their livestock showing accomplishments. This picture was taken last year when Lonnie had the reserve Grand Champion Steer at Plainview Livestock Show.



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**Young Homemakers Of The Month**

**Pernecia Durrett**  
 Pernecia Durrett is one of the Young Homemakers of the month for November. She is married to Glynn, and they have a 15 month old daughter named Tammy.

Pernecia is a housewife and enjoys cooking, crocheting, fishing and is active in Y.H.T.

Pernecia and her family live 8 miles northeast of Abernathy where her husband is engaged in farming. Since Pernecia enjoys cooking, she gave us one of her favorite simple recipes.

**Beef Sicks**  
 2 lbs. ground chuck, 1 cup water, 1 t liquid smoke,

1 T brown sugar, 1/2 t garlic salt, 2 T morton's salt, 2 T mustard seed, 2 T cracked Black Pepper. Mix all spices with water and meat, divide into 4 rolls and wrap in surine wrap, refrigerate for 24 hours. Remove from wrap and bake for 1 hour 300 degrees.

and Tommye Lane of Abernathy.

Mary gave us one of her favorite recipies and says she cooks it all the time.

**Hamburger and Tater Tots**  
 1 1/2 lbs. hamburger meat, 2 cans of cream of mushroom soup and 1 package

tater tots. Crumble meat into greased casserole dish and season with salt and pepper. Spread soup over meat and line tater tots up in a row on top of soup. Bake at 350 for an hour or until tater tots are brown. Reporter, Delayne Thomason



Pernecia Durrett and Mary Harkey

**Young Homemakers Meet**

The Abernathy Young Homemakers of Texas met last Monday, November 8 at 7 p.m. in the High School Homemaking Department.

The meeting was called to order by President Teresa Jackson and the minutes of the October meeting were read.

The Pet Vaccination Clinic, that the Homemakers sponsored November 6, was a great success. Dr. Susan Kozeman, from Idalou, handled the shots.

The Y.H.T. are still taking orders for pecans. The fresh crop of Pecans are in. If you have not ordered your pecans for the upcoming holidays and

would like to, contact any young homemaker or call Marilyn Stone at 298-2563.

The program was given by Lori Green, of Merle Norman Cosmetics, in Lubbock. She demonstrated ways to do facials and how to take care of the skin.

Hostesses for the meeting were Pat Brightbill and Dreuann Shadden.

The next meeting will be December 13 at 7 p.m. at Martha Stark's house. This meeting will be the Young Homemakers Christmas Party. Everyone needs to bring their secret sister's Christmas Gift and a Christmas goodie for the dessert.

Reporter, Delayne Thomason



ABERNATHY YOUNG HOMEMAKERS OF TEXAS officers are pictured: top row, left to right, Martha Stark, Vice President; Teresa Jackson, President; Shari Connell, Secretary; Bottom row, left to right, is Marilyn Stone, Advisor; Sue Thompson, Treasurer; and Delayne Thomason, Reporter. (REVIEW PHOTO)

**Great Society Extention Homemakers Assoc. Meets**

The Great Society Extention Homemakers Association met November 15 at Abernathy First Methodist Church to have a Thanksgiving Program.

The roll call was answered to "What I am most thankful for this year". The group sang several Thanksgiving songs.

Mrs. Suttle was hostess to the group serving Boston Creme Cake and ice cream.

Earlier in the day Maybell Glass and Imogene Suttle attended the Plainview Council meeting where they helped make plans for the Annual Christmas Luncheon to be at the Agriculture Building November 6.

**This and That**

By Helen Wade

As we approach this holiday season, I am thinking what Thanksgiving means to me. It is a time of reflection of looking back at past Thanksgiving and remembering all the wonderful times.

I am thankful for all the many blessings of each day, thankful for family and friends and what they mean to me.

Thanksgiving is a time to share with your loved ones and to remember those less

fortunate than you.

A smile, a word of encouragement, a phone call or just whatever we have to give of ourselves, can really mean the difference in someone's day.

So this Thanksgiving, as we hurry and try to make all the preparations for a busy day, let us take time to be truly grateful for the day itself and what its true meaning is and to give thanks to our creator, who provides all this for us.

**"America's Miss Charm" Looking For Participants**

America's Miss Charm National Scholarship Pageant is looking for girls to represent this state at the upcoming National Finals, to be held in Washington, D.C. There are 5 age divisions: Little Miss (ages 4-6), Miss Ideal (7-9), Junior Miss (10-12), Teen (13-16) and Miss (17-25). Each young lady will compete in a private interview, talent, evening gown and sportswear. Over \$20,000 in Scholarships, Prizes and Awards will be presented throughout the finals.

As a Youth Development Program in its 6th year, it encourages community and state participation through civic and social organizations by giving of their time and talents to charitable functions. America's Miss Charm National Finals are presented to award scholarships and to bring outstanding recognition to all participants and to bring states closer together.

Each representative will be officially crowned and presented a trophy at the National Finals for her participation. Mail a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope, stating your age, for

more details to: America's Miss Charm Scholarship Pageant, P.O. Box 7246, Jacksonville, N.C. 28540 (919) 455-9643.

**Happy Thanksgiving**  
 In the spirit and tradition of the very first Thanksgiving, let's celebrate this day sharing food and good feelings with dear friends and family.

**Don's Gulf**  
 Donny & Joe

**Thanksgiving**

In the spirit of our forefathers, let us all give thanks

On Thanksgiving Day let us all join together, friends and family, to give thanks for all that we have. Let us also remember all the good times, shared throughout the year. We wish all our neighbors and patrons a joyous and happy Day of Thanksgiving.

**Struve Implement**

**Meth. Church News**

Guests at the First United Methodist Church Sunday, November 14th were: Billy Cole, Shallowater; Raymond Hill, Lubbock; C.W. and Kim Coggin, Bartlesville, Ok.; Shelley and Von Montgomery, Eastland; Raymond Naron, Leigh, Cliff and Wade Harkey, Kelly Guerrant, Tina and Tana Torres, Abernathy.



# Society and Features

## City Garden Club Meets

Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Bell were hosts to the City Garden Club Thanksgiving Dinner and party of '84' domino games November 11. A beautiful table was spread with fall and Thanksgiving decorations. Lillie Mae Shipman gave the blessings and 14 people really enjoyed the fellowship and good food and games in their home.



MR. AND MRS. BOBBY CUNNINGHAM won the quilt which was raffled off at the Abernathy Arts and Crafts Bazaar last Saturday. Mrs. Cunningham was extremely surprised as she did not know that Bobby had even purchased any of the raffle tickets when they won it.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mel Boggus, Mr. and Mrs. HB Coggin, Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. N.M. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shipman, Mrs. Bessie Waters and Cora Shuman. Reporter Lillie Mae Shipman.

## Those To Remember

Lewis Rea is in Methodist Hospital. D.E. Johnson is in Methodist Hospital. Brenda Neve is home from the hospital. Eunice Major is in Methodist Hospital.



The decimal system was invented in ninth century India.

## Music Club Meets

The Abernathy Music Club met November 16 in the City Hall Club Room at 8 p.m. Terry Kitchens, the club president, called the meeting to order and asked the members to read the club collect. Rita Kelly called the roll and each member answered with the name of their favorite hymn. During the business meeting, the members discussed the Christmas carol-

ing the Music Club will sponsor Tuesday, December 14. The Music Club would like to invite anyone who would like to go Christmas caroling to senior citizen or shut-ins to meet at the Community Room at City Hall at 6 p.m. December 14. Following the caroling, the group will return to the Community Room for fellowship and refreshments. Everyone is asked to bring their favorite Christmas "goodies" and the Music Club will furnish coffee and punch. If you have someone in mind that would enjoy hearing Christmas carols phone Terry Kitchens at 298-2459 or Cindy Robinson at 298-2765 so they can make a route. The program committee, consisting of Jean Flud, May Ann Norman and Erma Mae Spruiell, presented a musical program on Religious and Spiritual Music. Mary Ann played a melody of songs on the piano and Jean and Erma Mae sang a duet. The group joined in singing several songs together. Jean read some scriptures from the old and new testaments about music. Hostesses for the evening were: Marie Ridell, Rita Kelly and Frances Barrick. Members present were: Frances Barrick, Jean Flood, Ruth Fulton, Bettie Hardin, Vicki Havens, Rita Kelly, Terry Kitchens, Melinda Megna, Mary Ann Norman, Betty Reynard, Marie Riddell, Cindy Robinson, Lillie Mae Shipman and Erma Mae Spruiell. The next meeting will be the Christmas caroling Dec. 14 at 6 p.m.

## Abernathy Music Club To GO Christmas Caroling Dec. 14

The Abernathy Music Club would like to invite everyone to join them Tuesday, December 14 at 6 p.m. at the Community Club Room, to go Christmas caroling around the Abernathy Community. They will be going to homes of senior citizens and shut-ins to carol. This has been a Christmas tradition of the Music Club for a number of years and they have decided to make it a

community caroling. Those who know someone who would enjoy being sung to, call Terry Kitchens or Cindy Robinson, so they can plan a route.

Following the caroling, they will return to the Community Center for fellowship and refreshments. Bring your favorite Christmas treat and the Music Club will have punch and coffee.

stole and all the men were siding for the ice cream freezer. She got the stole. The story was interesting and so enjoyed by all.

Thanksgiving turkey and all the trimmings were served for lunch. So much food was laid out and all enjoyed the fellowship. Mrs. Toler gave the blessing.

Those present were: Oma Toler, Lois Shipman, Furman Shipman, Ollie Selke, Dot Von Struve, Juanita Bell, Minnie Northcutt, Lizzie Lebow, Katherine Dye, Juanita Brantley, Bessie Waters, Cora Shuman, Elizabeth Harrison, Reita Smith, Wanda Smith, HB Coggin, Blanche Coggin, Emily Jordan, Betty Reynard, Bill Pope, Vera Pope, Jessie Routh Neis, Harlow Neis, Floyd Shipman, Lillie Mae Shipman, Martha Phillips, Ethel Petty, Callie Nunn, Bernice Smith, Dora Talbot, Mildred Bundick, R.A. Lutrick, Pauline Stone, Ona Maserang, Andy Reid, Edith Reid, Sophia Nix, Bernice Conn, Maybell Glass, Dan Ward, Zona Smith and Dixie Pittman. Lillie Mae Shipman, Reporter

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ABERNATHY ARTS AND CRAFTS BAZAAR participants are pictured in their booths. In the top photo is Carol Williamson. Second photo, Linda and Wayne Riddles. Third photo, Cara and Shirley Harp. And in the fourth photo, Lori Batchelor and Sue Pumroy. (REVIEW PHOTO)

"Men willingly believe what they wish." Julius Caesar

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**SUNDAY**

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## Sunshine Group Meets

The Sunshine Group met November 18 at the Community Center. Floyd Shipman, President, opened the meeting and Bro. HB Coggin gave the prayer. Mrs. Dixie Pittman was back with us again. She led the singing accompanied by Betty Reynard on the piano. There were 42 people present, including our guests, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Reid, Dan Ward and Zona Smith. We were so glad to have Callie Nunn to join us again. Six people have had birthdays since the last meeting. The birthday song was sung to them. Edith Reid had the program. The group was looking forward to the book review she brought. Edith said, "She was so glad the men were there. She especially wanted them to hear this Christmas story." The story was entitled "Mr. Baxter." It seemed George and Susie Baxter were having the same "old trouble" some of us as grandparents and retired people have. It all boiled down that after a very long and important discussion between George and Susie, her present would be a mink stole or a jiffy ice cream freezer. All the ladies were hoping for the mink

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**Weekly Devotional**

The 17th chapter of Luke contains a story that is especially meaningful at this time of the year. Ten lepers came to Jesus wanting to be healed. Jesus told them to go and present themselves before the priests as the law commanded. On the way, they realized that they were healed. One of the ten turned back and gave thanks to Jesus for this miracle. This reminds us of a privilege and responsibility that we have... of expressing our thanks to God. If we are not careful, however, we will be like the other nine. Certainly they must have been thankful for their healing, but they neglected to express it to the one who had helped them. It would truly be pleasing unto God if we each would pause, remember our blessings, and thank God for them.

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	<b>Center Community Church</b> 5 Mi. E or 597, then 2 mi. S on 2902 746-6184 Bro. Earnest Brewer	<b>Monte De Las Olivas</b> 108 4th 298-2679	



## Deadline Nears For Hockley County Senior Citizen's Holyland Pilgrimage

Hockley County Senior Citizens Association, Inc. in Levelland, is sponsoring a Pilgrimage to the Holyland, Feb. 20-March 4, 1983. The tour is in combination with International Tours of Levelland.

Reservations are limited. A deposit of \$200 is currently due, with a second deposit of \$200 by Dec. 10. The final deposit is due by Jan. 10. Cost of the Pilgrimage, based on double occupancy, is \$2,395. Single supplement is \$186 added to

the amount. Local tour guides will accompany the group as well as a Christian, English speaking guide aboard motor coaches touring the different areas.

Space is limited, please give us your deposit as soon as possible. Send reservations to Ruth Warren, Tour Coordinator, Hockley County Senior Citizens Assn., Inc. 1202 Houston, Street 79336 or call (806) 894-7642 for more information and itinerary.

## Farm-City Week

Farm-City Week, Nov. 19-25, focuses on the involvement of farm and city people as partners in growing, processing, marketing and consuming food and fiber.

"In Texas, movement of food and fiber from field to factory to the family table provides jobs and income for about a fourth of the working force," points out Dr. Carl Anderson, marketing economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

"One out of every 30 Texans is a farmer or

rancher, and 30 percent of the state's retail trade business is directly associated with agricultural production and selling of food and fiber products," says Anderson.

Many businesses, financial institutions and individuals are involved in providing supplies, credit and services to farmers and ranchers and in processing and marketing agricultural commodities.

Texas ranks in third place in total receipts among the leading agricultural states, behind California and Iowa.

## Cotton Center Baptists Participate In Foreign Mission Books Study

Members of the First Baptist Church, Cotton Center, will participate in a foreign mission Book Study November 28 at 6 p.m. and November 29 at 7 p.m. The theme of the study, according to Raynie Sageser, President of the Baptist Young Women's organization of the local church will be "Bangkok: An Urban Arena" and will be taught by Mary Fullerton Davey, Church Youth Director.

"Finding God's Will for the city, Bangkok in particular, was the task faced by missionaries and Thai Christians during a period of upheaval in that part of the

world," according to Mrs. Sageser, who added, "The study will reflect how Bangkok Baptists and Southern Baptist missionaries met the challenge, initiating the Bangkok Urban Strategy, resulting in the evangelization of Bangkok."

The Sunday night session will take the place of the regular evening "Service of Inspiration" while the Monday night session, Nov. 29 will be preceded with an "International Meal." Members of the Young Women's sponsoring group will provide the "international cuisine" while others attending are invited to bring vegetables and desserts.

The Rev. John D. Davey, pastor, noted, "This is a total Church-wide endeavor, not just a 'happening' for the women of the church.



FHA AND HERO MEMBERS PASSED out brochures and stickers to students on Nov. 18 to encourage students to join the great American smokeout. Pictured on the back row, left to right: Donna Jackson, Diann Jackson, Marilyn Stone, Jan Montgomery, Barbara Alvarado, and Linda Torres. Front row left to right: Irma Mejorado, Rachel Lopez, Julie Gorostiza and in the middle row is Mary Helen Trevino. (REVIEW PHOTO)



SOME OF THE FOLKS who had booths at the Abernathy Arts and Crafts Bazaar last Saturday. In the top photo is Virginia Shuev, of Abernathy, and Marie Respondik of Slaton. Second photo: The First Baptist Youth, from left to right, Rita Williford, Amy Boyles, Youth Director Scott Wells, Kathy Ellis, Sarah O'Neil and Rhonda Neis. Bottom photo: Joan Davis and Cindy Hunt. (REVIEW PHOTO)

## TRANSITION

### H.A. Hearn Fred McGregor

Services for H.A. Hearn, 74, of Abernathy were at 2:30 p.m. Monday in First Baptist Church of Abernathy with the Rev. Lloyd Riddles, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Ken Horn of Abernathy.

Burial was in Abernathy Cemetery under direction of Chambers Funeral Home.

Hearn died at 3:30 a.m. Sunday in High Plains Hospital in Hale Center after a brief illness.

He was born in Alabama and moved to the Abernathy area in 1929. He married Thelma Robertson Dec. 29, 1930, in Clovis, N.M. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Mrs. Jo Burlsmith of Petersburg; a son, Donnie of Abernathy; three sisters, Lydia Williams of Vista, Calif., Clarice Hallmark of Klamath Falls, Ore. and Stella Dykes of Lubbock; a brother, Carl of Costa Calif., five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services for Fred McGregor, 63, of Littlefield were at 2 p.m. Tuesday, November 22, in First United Methodist Church Littlefield with the Rev. Clifton Igo, of Lamesa, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Wesley Daniel and Chaplain Eldon Riggs.

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock under direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

He died at 8:21 a.m. Sunday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

The Weatherford native was a resident of Littlefield for the past 10 years and was retired from AMCO Oil Co. He was a veteran of World War II and assistant commander of the Littlefield Veterans of Foreign Wars. He served on the board of Littlefield Senior Citizens. He married Maurine Rice March 9, 1972, in Lubbock.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Roxanne Lindsay of Shallowater; a stepdaughter, Judy Nichols of Levelland; a son, Mike of Seminole; a stepson, Ronnie Rice of Sherman; six sisters, Wilma Gilmore of Weatherford, Cathlene Manley of

Lubbock, Syble McClure of Levelland, Juanita Kidwell of Big Spring, Clara Mohnek of San Marcos and Peggy Rawlins of Levelland; a grandchild; and seven stepgrandchildren.

The family suggests

memorials to the Disabled American Veterans Chapter 44 of Lubbock.

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### Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor,

We would like to express our appreciation to the many who support the Arts and Crafts Festival.

A very special thanks to those who helped in setting up for the event as it involves a great deal of time and hard work and especially to Arno Struve, who not only came to help set up, but also came and help clean up. Also thanks to Keith Tooley for his help and guidance with the advertising.

We would like to express our gratitude to the Abernathy Fire Dept. for the use of their facilities.

Roland Murray and Gary Phillips deserve a very

special word of thanks for their willingness to help in any and every way and their continued support and encouragement.

Jane, Betty & Diana

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## Abernathy Among Area FFA Winners

The Senior Chapter Conducting team from Lubbock Cooper High School took top honors at the Area I Future Farmers of America Leadership Contest in Clarendon Saturday, and teams from Abernathy took first in two other areas of competition. The leadership contests pitted the skills of 470 FFA members from 52 schools. The winners in each event will advance to the State Leadership Contest at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville on Dec. 4. Friona was second and New Deal was third overall in the contest. Abernathy took first in

temporaneous Speaking. Dumas took second in Senior Farm Skills, followed by Boys Ranch in Third. Boys Ranch also took second in Extemporaneous Speaking, and Friona took third. Spur took first in Junior Chapter Conducting, and Booker placed second and Friona third. In Junior Farm Skills, Sudan won first, Darrouzett second and Dumas third. Perryton took first in Radio Broadcast; Texline took second and Dumas third. Dalhart won FFA Quiz, with Idalou second and Lockney third.

### School Menu

Nov. 29-Dec. 3  
**MONDAY:** Orange Juice, French Toast W/Syrup, Milk.  
**TUESDAY:** Pineapple Juice, Sausage, Biscuits, Milk.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Apple Juice, Waffles W/Syrup, Milk.  
**THURSDAY:** Fruit Juice, Scrambled Eggs, Toast, Milk.  
**FRIDAY:** Orange-Grapefruit Juice, Cinnamon Rolls, Milk.

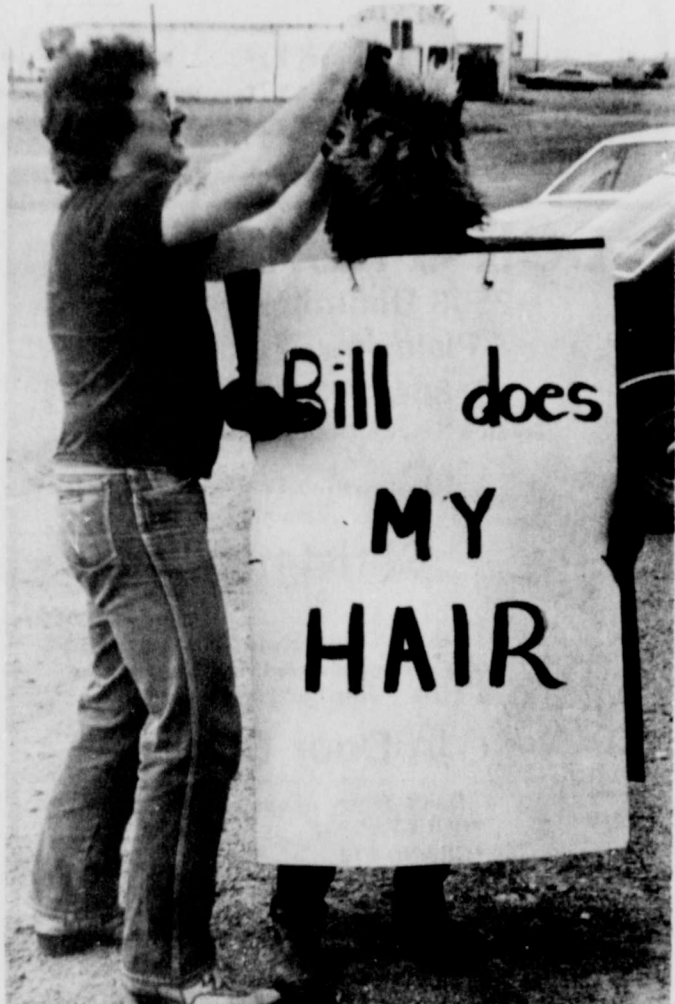
Joes, Potato Salad, Pinto Beans, Banana Pudding, Milk.  
**TUESDAY:** Turkey Pot Pie, Tossed Salad, Cranberry Sauce, Ginger Bread, Milk.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Fried Chicken, Carrot-Pineapple-Raisin Salad, Green Beans, Rolls, Pears, Milk.  
**TUESDAY:** Beans & Franks, Cabbage-Pineapple Salad, French Fries, Corn Bread, Peach Cobbler, Milk.  
**FRIDAY:** Cheese Burgers, Lettuce, Pickles, Onions, Tater Tots, Sugar Cookies, Milk.

**LUNCH MENU**  
**MONDAY:** Sloppy

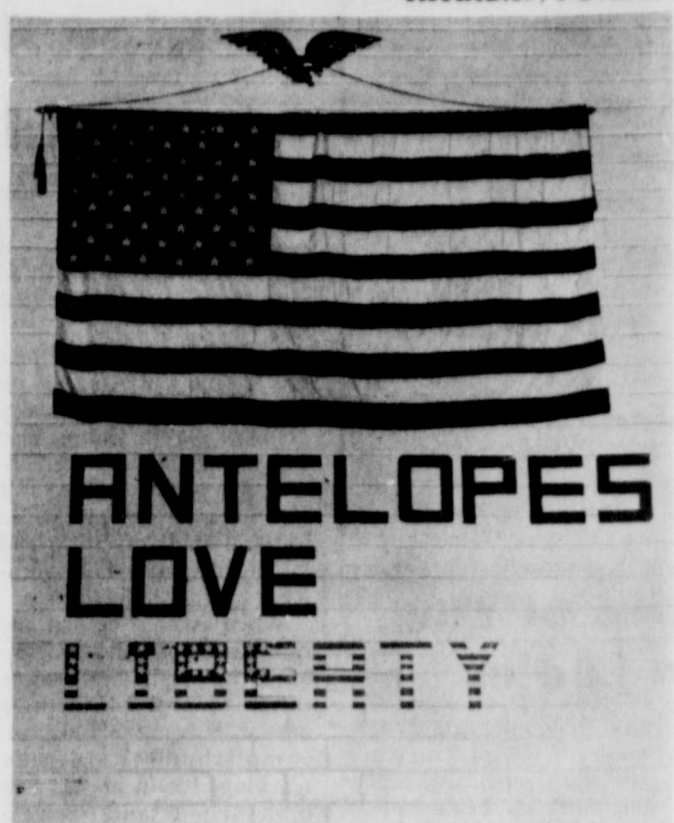
### Hunley Completes Recruit Training

Navy Seaman Recruit Jerry W. Hunley, son of Mary L. Hunley of 1008 Third St., Abernathy has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego. During the eight-week training cycle, trainees studied general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic occupational fields. Included in their studies were seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid. Personnel who complete this course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in Physical Education and Hygiene.

If you have trouble getting your family to like liver, try cutting it into strips, breading and seasoning them and then deep-frying.



**BILL FASHIONS ANOTHER OF HIS STYLISH CUTS** in front of Bills He and She last Wednesday. In the monster costume is Georgia Bartlett. She was getting back at Bill Shipley for some of the things Bill said about her on KFYO, where he is a disc jockey. (REVIEW PHOTO)



**ANTELOPES LOVE LIBERTY** was put in huge letters below the American flag in the gym. Abernathy High School is showing that they are proud to be in this country. (REVIEW PHOTO)



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## Go-Fight-Win Antelopes & Lady Lopes

### Varsity Girls And Boys

Date	Oponent	Site	Girls	Boys
11-22	Lockney	T	6:30	8:00
11-23	Cooper	H	6:30	8:00
11-30	Hale Center	H	6:30	8:00
12-3	Lubbock	H	6:30	
12-3	Midland Leeh			7:30
12-7	Idalou	H	6:30	8:00
12-9-11	Canyon	Tourney		
12-9-11	Snyder	Tourney		
12-14	Idalou	T	7:00	8:30
12-17	Ralls	T	7:00	8:30
12-20	Hale Center	T	6:30	8:00
12-21	Midland	T		8:00
12-29-31	Caprock			
1-4	Caprock	Tourney	6:30	8:00
1-6-8	Abernathy	Tourney		
1-11	Friona	T	6:30	
1-14	Lockney	H	6:30	8:00
1-18	Tulia	H	6:30	8:00
1-21	Muleshoe	T	6:30	8:00
1-25	Littlefield	H	6:30	8:00
1-28	Friona	H	6:30	8:00
2-1	Dimmitt	T	6:30	8:00
2-4	Tulia	T	6:30	8:00
2-8	Muleshoe	H	6:30	8:00
2-11	Littlefield	T	6:30	8:00
2-15	Friona	T		8:00

\*District Games

### GO LOPES!!

**Beat Hale Center**  
**Tuesday, Good Luck**  
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 Roland Murray  
**Junior High**  
 John Rodriguez  
 Ray Ater

### Jr. Varsity Boys And Girls

Date	Oponent	Site	Girls	Boys
11-22	Lockney	T	4:00	5:15
11-23	Cooper	H	4:30	4:30
11-30	Hale Center	H	4:30	4:30
12-2-4	Cooper	Tourney		
12-7	Idalou	H	4:30	4:30
12-14	Idalou	T	4:30	4:30
12-17	Ralls	T	5:30	4:00
12-20	Hale Center	T	3:30	5:00
12-21	Midland	T		6:00
1-4	Lockney	H	4:30	4:30
1-11	Friona	T	5:00	
1-14	Dimmitt	H	5:00	5:00
1-18	Tulia	H	5:00	5:00
1-21	Muleshoe	T	5:00	5:00
1-20-22	Springlake	Tourney		
1-25	Littlefield	H	5:00	5:00
1-28	Friona	H	5:00	5:00
2-1	Dimmitt	T	5:00	5:00
2-4	Tulia	T	5:00	5:00
2-8	Muleshoe	H	5:00	5:00
2-11	Littlefield	T	5:00	5:00
2-15	Friona	T		6:30

### MEET THE LOPES



**MEET THE LOPES:** No. 21, Stacey Kelley, is a Junior this year. This is her third year on Varsity. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kelley. No. 44, Patricia Garcia, is a Senior this year. This is her first year on Varsity. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Garcia. (REVIEW PHOTO)



**MEET THE LOPES:** No. 21 is Ed Teal, he is a Junior this year. This is his first year on Varsity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Teal. No. 35, Allen Lester, is a Senior this year. This is his second year on Varsity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lester.

**Celebrate!**  
 Here's wishing you and your entire clan a special Thanksgiving...filled with peace, love and all the warmth of the season! May it be the best holiday yet!

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### 8th Graders Present Plays

This year, as almost all years, the eighth grade did a series of plays. There was a total of ten plays. Of these ten, the top three were voted on by the eighth graders and performed for assembly. The winning plays were "Itchin" to Get Hitched," "The Wedding," and "Bachelor of the Year."

Best actor and actress were also selected. Winners of this honor were Damon Holder and Ellen Masten.

Runners-up were Trey Boozer and Kristi Dopson. Other nominees for Best Actress were Amy Chandler, Mindi Woodruff, Michelle Clevenger, and Angie Medlock.

Best Actor nominees were Evan Harris, Rob Johnson, Jeff Oliver, Ronnie Baron, Paul Trochio, and Trenton Chandler. By Debi Dirickson

Nutmeg was once thought to remove freckles.

### School Menu

Nov. 29-Dec. 3  
**MONDAY:** Fried Fish Fillet w/Tarter Sauce, Macaroni & Cheese, Fresh Frozen Green Peas in Cream Sauce, Hot Rolls and Pineapple Chunks.  
**TUESDAY:** Barbeque, Pinto Beans, Potato Salad, Cherry Cobbler and Corn Bread.  
**WEDNESDAY:** Pizza (Beef & Cheese), Buttered Corn, Cole Slaw and Plain Jello.  
**THURSDAY:** Hamburgers, (Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles & Onions) French Fries w/Catsup and Ice Box Cookies.  
**FRIDAY:** Toast Beef & Gravy, Buttered Potatoes w/ Cheese Topping, Green Beans, Hot Rolls and Mustard Brownies.

The light from Andromeda, the closest galaxy to our own, began to travel to us before the first true man appeared on earth.

**Mustang Fever Staff**  
**Seniors:** Debi Dirickson - David Stalter and Eric Thompson.  
**Sophomores:** Gracie Duenez and Kirk Garner.  
**Juniors:** Jon Sellers.

### Responsibilities Of The Lunchroom Ladies

What makes the school run smoothly? People! This weeks story is a continuation of a behind-the-scenes look at lunchroom personal. Dorothea Williams is the secretary for the lunchroom. She takes care of the paper work and passing out tickets.

Lucelle Medley is in charge of preparing the desert for the meals.

Wilma Townsley keeps the dishroom in order and helps keep the lunchroom clean.

All the women look upon their work as being enjoyable because of their co-workers and the student body they serve.

These ladies should be commended for the hard work and excellent services they give the students and school personnel in the Shallowater school system.

By Jon Sellers

**Happy 29th Birthday!**  
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### Senior Spotlight...Roy Silvas and Melva DeAnda

Roy Silvas, son of Juan and Francis Silvas, has been one of Shallowater's most respected and well-liked students since he was a first grader.

At age 18, Roy's hobbies are sports and working on cars. He is a Varsity Football player and is also active in band and Agriculture. He watches M\*A\*S\*H and likes to eat pizza. He likes all kinds of music and his favorite class is Government.

When asked if he had any comments about his personality, he replied, "People think that I am a nice person." Some of his accomplishments include reaching his last year in high school and looking forward to graduation.

He has been a very productive member of the football team and has made many good friends over the years. He thinks being a senior is "very exciting." After he graduates he plans to work for his parents. When asked if he had any other comments he replied, "I can't wait 'til I graduate."

Melva DeAnda, age 17,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan DeAnda, was born in Lubbock, April 16, 1965. Melva collects old coins and she loves to draw. Her favorite food is steak. She likes to watch "Hill Street Blues" and her best-liked movies are "Rocky I, II, and III".

She is vice president of the National Honor Society and is active in FCA and Upward Bound at Texas Tech.

Melva likes to play golf and Tennis and she also likes to play a little basket-

ball and ping-pong. She said, "I believe in helping people any way I can," when asked about her attitudes about her personality. She feels she has "accomplished many things that she believes in. She likes the position of leadership held by seniors.

She plans to go to Texas Tech the first six weeks of the 1983 Summer session and then she plans to attend Pan American University, or enlist in the US Air Force.

By David Stalter



Roy Silvas and Melva DeAnda

### Spotlight On Working Students

Mustang Fever is spotlighting, Celia, David, and Steven as the working students of the week. They are members of VICA, HECE, and DECA.

One of Shallowater's future beauticians is Celia Alvarado.

Celia is a member of the VICA organization. At the moment she is enrolled at Shallowater High School as well as at Jessie Lee's Beauty College.

As a senior, Celia attends high school and goes to Jessie Lee's for three hours a day. Leaving school at 11, she goes home to rest. From 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. five days a week, she attends classes at the college.

This is Celia's first year to belong to the VICA organization. Because of this, Celia won't be graduating from Jessie Lee's until next year. She plans to keep going to the classes next year and going to Austin to get her license. She says, "I wish more people would join VICA."

El Chico's, on Brownfield Highway, has David DeLeon as their head bus-boy. David has been working there for almost four months.

David is a first year member of the HECE program. He attends the HECE class first period every school day. At one o'clock, David goes home to rest, then, later on, goes to work. He works four to five hours a day.

At El Chico's, David does a variety of things. He tried cooking once, but didn't like it. He does like his job, though. He says that Friday's are the busiest day of the week. He is hoping to get moved up to waiter, but for now he likes just working.

Every week day at 2, Steven Ables leaves school and goes to work. He works at Circle "S" from 2 until 6 p.m.

Steven is a member of the DECA organization in Shallowater. He is the president and enjoys assigning committees for the DECA store, which is now open.

DECA was an unknown thing to Steven until he joined for fun. Steven had been working through the DECA organization for two years.

He gets graded at Circle "S" on how well he gets along with customers and how quick he can do his job.

Steven, a junior, is the son of Larry and Karen Ables. In his spare time,

Steven likes to date and ride motorcycles.

By Gracie Duenez



David DeLeon, Steven Ables and Celia Alvarado

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# Society

## Local Couple Celebrates 60th Wedding Anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Royce Garth

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Reeves will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary with an open house from 2-5 p.m. Saturday, 27th of November in the Shallowater Club House.

Hosting the party will be the couple's son, daughters

and their families. Mr. and Mrs. Reeves are the parents of L.D. Reeves of Cotton Center, Mrs. Ruth Ingram of Fort Worth, Mrs. Wanda Henson of Calvert, and Mrs. Goldie Stanton of Dimmitt.

Mrs. Reeves is the former

Miss Ola Elisabeth Strickland. She and Reeves were married Nov. 24, 1922, in Duncan, Okla. They lived in Oklahoma until 1977, when they moved to Munday. The couple moved to Shallowater in January 1948, and Reeves has been engaged in

farming in the area until his retirement 10 years ago.

Registering guests and assisting with hostesses duties, will be the couple's grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Reeves have 13 grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren, and 9 great-great-grandchildren.

Friends are invited to attend.

## Methodist Women Meet

The United Methodist Women of Shallowater met Monday evening, November 15th for a regular meeting. Vice-President, Mrs. Robert Chandler presided.

The opening prayer was given by Mrs. Louis McMenamy. Roll was answered by reading a scripture using a different name by which Jesus was called.

Mrs. Kathy Gravett was the program leader, and introduced the story on the "Book of Hebrews". Sources included the Bible and "Outside the Gate", by Ray I. Sano.

Mrs. M.J. Williams gave the benediction. Mrs. Carroll Dunn was hostess to twelve members.

The next meeting will be November 22nd.

## Go Mustangs! Beat Wellington

Valdez, Mike Wester, Stephanie Witcher, and Mark Davis.

### Freshmen

"A": Sherry Alewine and Robert Ramirez.

"A-B": Stephanie Brock, Mary Castro, Sarah Graham, Cindy Greaves, Tylene Hill, Samatha Hoy, Shari Patterson, Greg Roberts, Angela Sires, Shayne White and Sherry Wiley.

### Sophomores

"A": Tanya Armes, Suzanna Carlisle, Greg Cowart, Kirk Garner, Patti Middlebrook, Stacey Williams, and Camie Stanton.

"A-B": Denise Adams, Dana Blackburn, Alice Camargo, Brian Cole, Irma Cullar, Tricia Gober, Cindy Haralson, Kim Taylor, Mike Morris, David Owen, Rene

### 6th Grade

"A": Tiffany Crouch, Kristi Montis, Casey Rudder, Clint White and Christy Witcher.

"A-B": Belinda DeAnda, Darla Ellis, Gary Evans, Earl Haralson, Lori Jarnigan, Belinda Leyva, Rose-line Martinez, Lisa Parra, Lisa Ramirez, Brandi Ratliff, Stephanie Riojas, Teresa Wiggins and Melanie Williams.

### 7th Grade

"A": Cassandra Almsted, Joe Bob Blackburn, Shane Bownds, Angela Cole, Clay Enger, Nathan Gutschke, Cameron Hopson, LaDonna Lamb, Carol Masten, Leigh McKinney, James Pair, Johnna Pointer, Stacy Rudder, Mariah Sims and Melanie Taylor.

"A-B": Sherri Antony, Yvette Bohn, Renee Cloude, Tammy Elliott, Becky Lindsey, Cristi McClure, Fred McCoy, Dee Dee Moore, Steven Olmsted, Kenton Quint, Pam Quint, Kelly Sawyer, Ernie Silvas, Robin Simants, Tricia Sparks, Timmy Taylor and Toby White.

### 8th Grade

"A": Amie Green, Brian Green, Ellen Masten, Tisha Jenkins and Jeff Oliver.

"A-B": Mike Ables, Shannon Campbell, Patricia Cannon, Amy Chandler, Trenton Chandler, Michelle Clevenger, Scott Cottenoir, Darren Head, Damon Holder, Brett Jungman, Dana Lee, Lisa Neel, Connie Parr, Holly Sellers, Brandon Sherman, Amy Stephenson, Kelly White, Mark Williamson, LaRail Wilson and Mindi Woodruff.

### Seniors

"A": Jeff Castro, Melva DeAnda, Rhonda Ellis, Allen Bounds, Benny Davis, Steve Williams.

"A-B": Pauline Alonzo, Ester Alvarado, Tere Bartlett, Craig Conner, Truitt Garland, Julie Haralson, Todd Kohler, Cindy Sawyer, Renee Teas, Debi Dirickson and Chad Gravett.

### Juniors

"A": Traci Morris, Bette Ratliff and Katrine

## Mr. And Mrs. Royce Garth Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Royce and Vernice Garth were honored with a reception in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, November 14th, in the home of their son, D.T. Garth.

The festivities were hosted by their children, Carl and Latain Buck, of Shallowater, and D.T. and Jeanne Garth, of Muleshoe.

Also their grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Mackie and Brenda Buck, Cody and Cory, Jackie and Teresia Buck and Alysia, and James Buck all of Shallowater; John and Teresa Garth and Chris of Dimmitt; Virginia Garth of Abilene; Kip Garth of Austin; and Joe Garth of Muleshoe.

Other hosts and hostesses included Susan Niehaus and Rose of Clovis, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Rod Springfield, Shannon and Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. Eucebio Villarreal,

Charles and Cynthia of Muleshoe.

The bride's table featured a centerpiece of 50 red rosebuds with baby's breath, four-tier wedding cake with a grey-haired couple cake top, engraved cake knife and server, antique gold trimmed white china and gold flatware.

The groom's table boasted an assortment of hors d'oeuvres, and a pale yellow groom's cake and red glassware.

The registration table was covered with a white cloth with gold and red roses, and featured a group of gold-colored candlesticks and a gold registration book and pen.

Royce Garth, and the former Vernice Upton, were married November 19, 1932. They have resided in Muleshoe for over forty years. The couple owned and operated Royce's Cafe in

## KAPPA KAPPA IOTA Meets

Kappa Kappa Iota, a sorority composed of women interested in the teaching profession, met Saturday, November 20 at the 924 Steak House in Abernathy, Bettie Hardin, Nell Revier, and Betty Avery were hostesses.

Arno Struve of Abernathy, presented slides and

interesting lecture on his travels through China.

Twelve members and two guests, Arno Struve and Cleo Shipman, were in attendance at the meeting.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Dana and Elleine Woodward December 18.

## Second Six Weeks Honor Roll Students

All "A" Honor Roll Third Grade: David Boyd, Becky Jarnagin and Leslie Sherman.

Fourth Grade: Karris Alewine, Dolores Contreras, Camie Enger, Robert Mora,

and Holly Townsley.

"A" & "B" Honor Roll Third Grade: Shane Big-ham, Sean Campbell, Layne Chandler, Shelly Cody, Cindy DeAnda, Shawn Do-

minguez, Amie Duenes, Anna Elliott, Krista Green, John Greenway, Delton Hogan, Lichele Hopson, William Horton, April Ireland, Stephanie Jones, Josh Keeney, Paige Lupton, Jason McDonald, John Mills, Enis Lee Ortiz, Denagay Potter, Nick Powell, Kate Reed, Shawn Reed, Rebecca Reyes, Dena Taylor, David Teague and Meg Williams.

Fourth Grade: Tammy Byrd, Travis Chaney, Angie Gauna, Cody Hamm, Randie Harden, Jeff Hardin, Alton Jones, Casey Jumper, Veronica Lomas, Stephanie Lusk, April Miles, James Neel, Bryan Peeks, Sylvia Salazar, Crystal Sharp, Brandon Smiley, Kathryn Spivey, Shawn Springer, Richard Talafuse, Amanda Terrell, Junior Valverde, Michele White, Toby Wil-


liams, and Jay Willson.

### Fifth Grade

"A": Amy Armes, Amy Barrentine, Lisa Bratton, Tammy Bownds, Ester Cantu, Tracee Garland, Heather Jordan, Kari Sportsman and Joseph Trevino.

"A-B": James Buck, Nick Camargo, Seth Crouch, Stella Cuellar, Stanley Curry, Michael Duncan, Rusty Harden, Holly Hardin, Christy Lee, Tom Long, Corey Lusk, Mary McCorkle, Able Merino, Donna Miller, Shanna Newman, Maria Ramos, Toby Reyes, Brandy Riney, Billy Taylor and Kathy Valverde.

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10:55 Worship  
7:00 Sun. Night Worship  
7:30 Wed. Night Church

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9:45 Sunday School  
10:45 Worship  
6:00 Sun. Night Worship  
7:00 Wed. Night Choir practice

**ST. PHILLIPS BENEZI CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
11 a.m. Sunday Morning Mass  
8 p.m. Thursday Night Mass

### Parable of Jesus

And he spake this parable unto them, saying,

What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it?

### WORD of GOD

And when he hath found it, he layeth it on his shoulders, rejoicing.

And when he cometh home, he calleth together his friends and neighbors, saying unto them, Rejoice with me;

for I have found my sheep which was lost.

I say unto you, that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance.

Luke 15:3-7

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## BIRTHS

long. Kayla was welcomed home by her sister Jennifer, and two brothers Brian and Adrian.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Butch Davis on the birth of a daughter, Kayla Kristin, November 18, at 6:15 a.m. at Methodist Hospital.

Kayla tipped the scales at 9 lbs. and was 22 1/2 inches

The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hutton, and Mr. and Mrs. Connie Davis, both of Shallowater. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Hutton of Shallowater, and Mrs. Nova Ford of Lubbock.

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# Reagan County Upsets New Deal 7-0

**By Jim Attebury**  
The Reagan County Owls posted a major upset last Friday night in Snyder as they shocked the New Deal Lions 7-0 in Area playoff action, thus eliminating the Lions from the playoff picture and spoiling any hope of a rematch with Hale Center in next week's Regional play.

The Lions have used their passing attack with great success in 1982, but the pass was not too effective in two out of three games. The game against Shallowater and now the game with Reagan County.



**NICE CATCH**...an unidentified Lion catching a pass Friday night in the game against Reagan County. (REVIEW PHOTO)

Lions had a tough time with the Reagan County defense. In the first quarter, the Owls took the opening kickoff and couldn't move the ball and had to punt. The Lions moved the ball but penalties killed any drives and they had to punt. Both teams battled for field position and on the Owls third possession from their own 47 yard line, mounted their only scoring drive of the night.

It didn't take the Owls long to move 53 yards, in 6 plays, to score the winning points. Reagan County's leading rusher, Greg Fisher, took a wide pitch to the end zone from 18 yards out. Scott Britton kicked the PAT to give the Owls their 7-0 lead with 4:29 left in the opening quarter.

In the second quarter the Lions had their best field

position of the evening as they had first and goal at the two. A running play moved the ball to the one. From then on it was three pass plays to the right side, but the Lions could not connect for a score.

The rest of the quarter was dominated by the Lions but penalties wiped out any scoring drive. The halftime score was 7-0, Reagan County on top.

In the third quarter, neither teams threatened to score and the score remained the same.

In the fourth quarter, the Lions let two scoring opportunities slip away. With about 6 minutes left in the game, the Lions were faced with a third and three on the Owls 4 yard line. The next two plays did not work and that ended a 72 yard, 13 play drive. The Lions last chance to score came with

1:27 left on the clock and the ball on the Reagan County 6 yard line. Fullback Robert Jackson bulled his way to the 2 yard line. The next two plays, the Lions lost 4 yards and there was only 47 seconds left in the game. Harrington rolled to his left and fired a pass in the direction of his brother, Mark, but Greg Fisher stepped in front of Mark and intercepted the pass in the end zone. The game ended as Reagan County took over and ran out the clock.

The Lions running attack was led by Henry Ramirez and Robert Jackson. Ramirez had 40 yards on 15 carries and Jackson had 65 yards on 22 carries.

The Lions end the season with a highly respectable 9-2-1 record.

Reagan County continues playing football as they have to face Hale Center. The playoff picture could be winding down to Hale Center and Shallowater.

## New Deal News

by Sharla Attebury

Mark Harrington intercepted 1 pass for New Deal in 1st quarter.

Leading Rushers (New Deal) H. Ramirez 15 carries 40 yards, R. Jackson 22 carries 65 yards. (Reagan County) G. Fisher 17 carries 62 yards 1 T.D.

Leading Receivers (New

Deal) S. Johnson, 5 receptions 87 yards, N. Shannon, 4 receptions 49 yards. (Reagan County) Armstrong, 4 receptions 46 yards.

Passing (New Deal) C. Harrington, 13/27/1, 207 yards. (Reagan County) Gunnels, 6/12/1, 77 yards.

### STATISTICS

	New Deal	Reagan County
First Downs	19	9
Rushing Yards	137	99
Passing Yards	207	77
Total Yards	344	176
Passes	13/27/1	6/12/1
Punts/Average	5/31	6/39
Penalties/Yards	7/75	1/15
Fumbles Lost	2	0

## Meet The Lady Lions



Cindy Fairman and Cheryl Robbins

## New Deal News Briefs

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Happy Birthday this week to: Glenn Turner, Barbara Greenhill, Amy Herron, Gwenette Atkinson, Billy Harkey, Shelia Mathews, Kit Kveton, Rex Kirk, John McNew, Randy Price, Cindy Murdock and Fanny Peacock.

### NOTICE

If you have news that you would like to have printed in the Review, please leave it at Sharp's Grocery, or contact Sharla Attebury after 6 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Happy Anniversary this week to: Mr. and Mrs. Ken Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Looney, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ford.

Any type of news is needed, so if you know of any activities going on, or have news to be put in the paper, please notify Sharla Attebury after 6 p.m. or leave it with Sharp's Grocery. Your help will be very much appreciated!

## Mrs. Jackson Given A Pounding

Mrs. Flynnoid (Jack) Jackson was given a Pounding Friday, November 19 by New Deal Young Homemakers.

Mrs. Jackson is the babysitter for New Deal's Young Homemakers on meeting days, and with the very recent loss of her husband,

the Young Homemakers wanted to see that the Jackson family would have a Happy Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Jackson was overwhelmed and just kept saying, "God Bless each of you!" What better way to go into Thanksgiving than to give Love?

## New Deal Varsity And JV Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Place & Time	Teams
Nov. 16	3-way scrim.	H. 5 p.m.	JV & VG
Nov. 22	Crosbyton	H. 5 p.m.	JVG, VG, VB
Nov. 23	Floydada	T. 5 p.m.	JVB & VG-VB
Nov. 30	Roosevelt	H. 5 p.m.	JVB & VG-VB
Dec. 2, 3, 4	Idalou Tourn.	T. TBA	VG & VB
Dec. 2, 3, 4	Cooper Tourn	T. TBA	VG & VB
Dec. 7	Open	Open	Open
Dec. 10	Southland	H. 5 p.m.	JVB & VG-VB
Dec. 11	Round Robin	H. TBA	JVG-JVB
Dec. 14	Crosbyton	T. 5 p.m.	JVB & VG-VB
Dec. 16-18	N.D. Tourn	H. TBA	VG-VB
Jan. 4	Petersburg	H. 5 p.m.	JVG, VG-VB
Jan. 6-8	Abernathy	T. TBA	VG-VB
Jan. 11	Morton	H. 4:30	JVB & VG-VB
Jan. 14	Plains	T. 4:30	JVG, VG-VB
Jan. 18	Shallowater	H. 4:30	JVG, VG-VB
Jan. 21	O'Donnell	H. 4:30	JVB, VG-VB
Jan. 25	Seagraves	T. 4:30	JVG, VG-VB
Jan. 28	Morton	T. 4:30	JVG, VG-VB
Jan. 27-29	Anton Tourn	T. TBA	JVG-JVB
Feb. 1	Plains	H. 4:30	JVB, VG-VB
Feb. 4	Shallowater	T. 4:30	JVB, VG-VB
Feb. 8	O'Donnell	H. 4:30	JVG, VG-VB
Feb. 11	Seagraves	H. 4:30	JVB, VG-VB

\*District Games  
JVG & JVB - Junior Varsity  
Girls & Boys.  
VG & VB - Varsity Girls & Varsity Boys

## A Psalm Of Thanksgiving

**Psalm 100**  
Make a joyful noise unto Jehovah, all ye lands. Serve Jehovah with gladness; Come before his presence with singing. Know ye that Jehovah, he is God; It is he that hath made us and we are his; We are his people, and the

sheep of his pasture. Enter into his gates with Thanksgiving. And into his courts with praise; Give thanks unto him, and bless his name. For Jehovah is good; his loving kindness endureth for ever. And his faithfulness unto all generations.

## SCHOOL MENU

**MONDAY:** Beef and Cheese Tacos, Chili Beans, Lettuce, Tomato, Onions, Sopapillas W/Honeybutter, 1/2 Pt. Milk.  
**TUESDAY:** Fried Fish.

Tarter Sauce, Blackeyed Peas, Tossed Salad, Hot Rolls, Cherry Cake, 1/2 Pt. Milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** Beef & Cheese Pizza, Green Beans, Buttered Corn, Fruit Cup, 1/2 Pt. Milk.

**THURSDAY:** Hamburgers, Catsup, Mustard, Salad Dressing, French

Fries, Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, Pickles, Cookies, 1/2 Pt. Milk.  
**FRIDAY:** Fried Chicken, Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Peas, Hot Rolls, Peaches, 1/2 Pt. Milk.



The foremost consideration when encountering a flat tire is safety.

**RIGHT IN THE POCKET** was this pass caught by a New Deal Lion during the game against Reagan County. (REVIEW PHOTO)

"Taxes are the price we pay for civilized society." Oliver Wendall Holmes, Jr.

## The Pilgrims Came

By: Annette Wynne  
The Pilgrims came across the sea. And never thought of you and me; And yet it's very strange the way We think of them Thanksgiving Day.

We tell their story, old and true. Of how they sailed across the blue. And found a new land to be free And built their homes quite near the sea.

Every child knows well the tale Of how they bravely turned the sail. And journeyed many a day and night. To worship God as they thought right.

The people think that they were sad. And grave; I'm sure that they were glad. They made Thanksgiving Day-thats fun. We thank the Pilgrims, every one!

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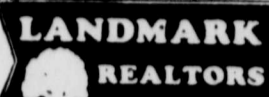
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The City of Abernathy reserves the right to reject any bid and all bids and to waive any irregularities in a bid proposal and accept the bid in whole or part that is most advantageous to the City of Abernathy.

Specifications and bid proposal forms may be examined at the City Manager's office, City Hall, 811 Avenue D.

City of Abernathy, Texas  
Otelia Clement  
City Secretary

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Proposals received after the closing time and date cannot be considered.

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will be received in the City Manager's office until 4:00 p.m. December 10, 1982, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bid proposals are to furnish the City of Abernathy with Group Hospitalization Insurance Coverage.

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## "A GLANCE AT THE PAST"

By Helen Wade

From The Abernathy Weekly Review Dated February 17, 1972:

RuWayne Struve, local football ace, signed a letter of intent to play with Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Tuesday, February 8. Struve, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Struve, received a full athletic scholarship of \$14,000. RuWayne, along with his parents, traveled to Plainview February 8 to meet with Head Coach Hayden Fry of SMU. At the Hale County Airport in Plainview, the Struves were hosted to lunch on the private jet in

which Coach Fry and his staff were traveling.

Debra De Lynn Myatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lindell Myatt of Abernathy, and Timothy Harlow Barton, were married Thursday, February 10, at 8 p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Abernathy. The Rev. Murry Brewer officiated the double ring ceremony. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barton of Abernathy. Miss Kathy Bryant and Mr. Jimmy Barton served as attendants. The couple plans to live on a farm near Abernathy.

Nancy Sanders, of Aber-

nathy was named to Who's Who at South Plains College along with twelve other outstanding students. The faculty committee, representing all areas at SPC, reviewed some 100 nominations for the honors as submitted by a student committee and by members of the South Plains College faculty before the final 12 were selected.

The students were selected on a basis of character, personal integrity, contribution to the campus and community, and participation in the college's student activity program.

From the Abernathy Weekly Review Dated May 31, 1962:

Ralph Davis, who farms about five miles northeast of Abernathy, delivered this community's first load of 1962 wheat. Five thousand pounds were delivered to Co-op Grain Company elevators about 2 p.m. Saturday, announced Glen Hammond, manager. Hammond stated that the wheat tested 55 and had a moisture test of 14.70.

Dr. John Hale, who is in charge of social activities at Abernathy Recreation Center this season, announced plans for several events for the members. The season opened Saturday night with a hot dog supper. A hamburger supper is slated for June 22 and a ice cream supper, July 20. If possible, make reservations well in advance of each event.

Mary Kay Berrett, senior at Abernathy High School, will represent her fellow students at the Texas Nuclear Science Symposium in Austin, June 10-13. Southwestern Public Service Company, one of the electric companies of Texas sponsoring the Texas Atomic Energy Foundation, will sponsor Mary Kay.

Members of the City Garden Club met Thursday, May 24, in the city hall club room. Attending were Mmes. S.R. Jackson, H.H. Selke, Ed Heath, B.H. Beard, HB Coggin, G.B. Adkisson, Sr., Ira Lee Harris, M.M. Bell, Harlow Neis, R.B. Smith, W.V. Halford, Dewey Price, T.O. Brown and L.S. Wilson.

The Abernathy Eagles, local baseball team, defeated the Lubbock Road Runners here Sunday afternoon by a score of 22-15. Bobby Cuevas, and Martin DeLeon each hit two home runs for Abernathy, while Humberto Mendez, Oscar Lopez and Tony Chapa, hit one each for the local unit.

Specials from Harold's Super Save May 31-June 1-2 are: Gladioli 5 lb. bag, 39 cents; grade "A" small eggs, 3 cartons of doz. for \$1; white swan biscuits 10 count 5 cents; Eell, mellowine, 1/2 gal. 3 for \$1; Folgers coffee, 1 lb. can 59

## County Line Chit Chats

By Faye Ann Nelson

### WORDS OF WISDOM FOR OLDER PEOPLE

A common sense prayer to live by:

You've probably read the following prayer many times, for it's been printed often. You might like to keep a copy in your Bible, both to help you understand older people and to know how to pray yourself, as you grow older. The author is unknown or I would give him credit.

"Lord, Thou knowest better than I know myself that I am growing older, and someday will be old. Keep me from getting talkative, and particularly from the fatal habit of thinking I must say something on every subject and on every occasion.

"Release me from the craving to try to straighten out everybody's affairs. Keep my mind free from the recital of endless details--give me wings to get

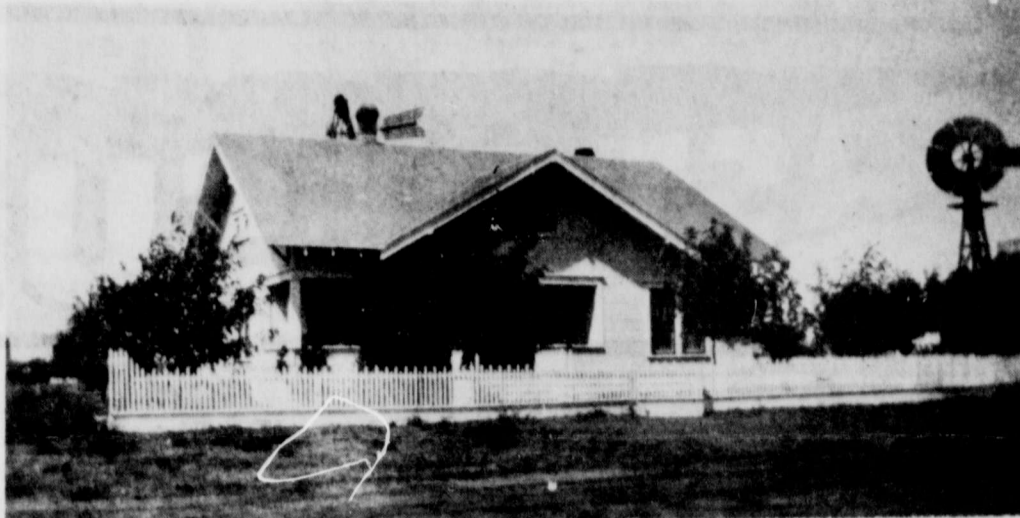
to the point. I ask for grace enough to listen to the tales of other's pains. Help me to endure them with patience.

"But seal my lips on my own aches and pains. My life are increasing, and my life of rehearsing them is becoming sweeter as the years go by. I dare not ask for an improved memory, but for a growing memory and a less cocksureness when my memory seems to clash with the memories of others. Teach me the glorious lesson that occasionally I may be mistaken.

### KEEP ME SWEET

"Keep me reasonably sweet. I do not want to be a saint--some of them are so hard to live with--but a sour old woman is one of the crowning works of the Devil. Make me thoughtful, but not moody; helpful, but not bossy...with my vast store of wisdom, it seems a pity not to use it, but Thou knowest, Lord, I want a few friends at the end.

"Give me the ability to see good things in unexpected places, and talents in unexpected people. And give me, Lord, the grace to them so.. Amen



ONE OF THE FIRST HOUSES IN ABERNATHY is the home presently owned by A.C. Harris, Jr. at 311 Ave. E. It was built in approximately 1918 by a grain elevator man at the time. His name was Hester and he lived there three years. The Vince Stambough family bought it next and lived there the next ten years to 1931. Then Maudie (Pearce) Pettit lived there the next 43 years until 1974, when she moved to Houston. The A.C. Harris family has lived there since 1974. The house is 64 years old. This picture was taken in the 1920's by Bill Richter, Arno Struve' uncle.

Texas, however, is number one in the sales of cattle and calves, cotton, grain sorghum, sheep and wool, goats and mohair, cabbage and spinach.

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## Duncan Named Coordinator Of Business Operations At Criminal Justice Center

Joy Duncan has been named Coordinator of Business Operations at the Criminal Justice Center of Sam Houston State University, according to Dr. Victor G. Strecher, Dean and Director of the Center. The appointment was effective October 1.

Duncan, a native of Abernathy, was previously an employment interviewer for

MANY PEOPLE BELIEVE that flying moths cause damage to wool fabrics. Actually, it is the larvae of the moth that causes the damage, and once the larvae stage. Due to the heat, laundry or dry cleaning always removes any possibility of further damage--but the damage to the garment may become more obvious, explains Becky Saunders, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. Any cleaning procedure does not prevent

the Texas Employment Commission. She completed her degree in Business from SHSU in 1978 after attending Austin Community College, Lubbock Christian College, Lubbock Vocational School of Nursing, and Mid America Nazarene College of Olathe, Kansas.

Duncan is an active member of the Texas Employees Association, International Association of Personnel in Employment Security, National Association of Business and Professional Women.

The newly established position, according to Dr. Strecher, is a result of the recent adoption of the Academic Administration Plan for the College of Criminal Justice. "The constant growth in complexity and diversity of services in the Institute of Criminal Justice has brought signifi-

cant changes in the operational needs of the center."

Duncan, who previously held the title of Office Supervisor at the CJC was the choice candidate for the new position, according to Strecher. "We needed an individual who would fit in easily with a teamwork approach to management and still maintain enough independent strength to balance our staffing requirements. We feel very confident that Ms. Duncan is the one to fulfill our objective," Strecher said.

## THANKSGIVING

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## Thanksgiving



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FROM THE ABERNATHY WEEKLY REVIEW DATED AUGUST 20, 1959:

Cheerleaders for the 1959 season are: Patricia Galloway, Sherry Wilson, Frankie Manley, head cheerleader, Barbara Phillips, and Tommy Joe Johnson. Mascots are Jan Shipman and Mimsy Lutrick.

At a meeting in the Phil Sterrett home Friday, August 14, plans were made for an all-day trip to Roaring Springs Saturday, August 22 for the FHA Group. At the meeting, plans were also made for the annual Back-To-School Party. Attending the meeting Friday were the following girls: Kay Boyce, Janet Linton, Margie Evans, Dee Ann Davidson, Linda Burnett, Sherry Wilson, Kay Powell, Linda May, Ruthie Beato, Judy Kiker, Peggy Davis, Mary Kay Berutti, Ange a Presley, Sandra Wolf, Martha Struve, Betty Struve, Dalphne Matejowsky, Peggy Evans, and Betty Ann Sterrett, hostess; Mrs. Fred Cooke and Mrs. Phil Sterrett were also there. Reported by Daphne Matejowsky.

Abernathy Home Demonstration Club held its annual family picnic Friday evening, August 14, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Clapp. After the meal, everyone enjoyed music furnished by Billy Frank Skipper, James Attebury, Billy Harkey, Ed Attebury, and John Harkey. Solos were sung by Wilkins and Wayne Attebury. The following guest and members were present for the picnic: Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Brewster, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Herring and Harold, Mark Clapp, Sandra Johnson, Jimmy and Pam Attebury, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Druessow, Ann, and Wanda Tolleson, Mrs. R.L. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. James Attebury, Billy Skipper and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnson and Juanita.



# SPS Opens Tolk Station

Employees of Southwestern Public Service Company were showed off their second coal-fired power plant, Tolk Station Unit No. 1, near Muleshoe, Texas, Saturday and Sunday (November 20 and 21), and everyone in the SPS service area was invited to the open house, said Bill Scott, local manager in Abernathy.

The new coal-fired unit will be of significant help in Southwestern Public Service Company's effort to hold down the rising costs for the fuels required to generate electricity, Scott said.

When it is generating at capacity, the 561,000-kilowatt Tolk Unit No. 1 -- the largest unit ever built by SPS -- will be able to supply the electricity needs of 225,000 people.

Tolk Station is located just south of U.S. Highway 70, about 10 miles east of Muleshoe (eight miles west of Earth).

The power plant is easy to find, Scott said. The building which houses the boiler is 237 feet tall -- about the height of a 20-story office building.

The chimney stack, from which cleaned flue gases from the boiler exit, towers 400 feet above the sand hills which surround the power plant.

The great size of the plant is required to house equipment large enough to supply the region's ever-growing demand for electricity, said Bert Springer, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Southwestern Public Ser-

vice.

"We're immensely proud of Tolk Station, which was designed by our own engineers," Springer said. "We know it will help us serve our customers in the Abernathy area, and all of our customers, more economically. And the availability of more electrical power will help attract new industries to our entire 45,000-square-mile, four-state service area."

SPS serves more than one million people in the south plains and Panhandle of Texas, eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the Oklahoma Panhandle, and southwestern Kansas.

Springer said SPS is one of only four major electric utility companies in the United States that employs its own in-house plant design engineers. SPS engineers led by Bill Esler, vice president, engineering, and Jim Matthews, generation design and construction group manager, also oversee construction of the power plants they design.

Springer said "will be quite an educational experience," Scott said. Visitors will see Tolk's coal-handling facilities, the coal pulverizers, the boiler, the turbine-generator, miles of steam piping, the plant maintenance shop, and the plant's state-of-the-art computerized control room.

Unit No. 1's boiler burns low-sulfur coal delivered from near Gillette, Wyoming, by 110-car trains. At maximum rating the boiler burns approximately 296 tons of coal per hour. That's 7,104 tons of coal each day.

The turbine at maximum output produces about 728,000 horsepower.

The main steam piping at the unit contains high pressure steam with flow rates as high as 3,800,000 pounds of steam per hour.

Bert Ballengee, president and chief operating officer of Southwestern Public Service, said detailed planning and design for Tolk Station, which is named after former SPS board chairman Roy Tolk, began in 1975.

General construction contractor for the plant was Missouri Valley Inc., of Amarillo; the electrical contract work was done by Budwine Service Electric of Carlsbad, N.M. Other companies were contracted to build the evaporative cooling towers and the rail spur to the plant, and to do fencing, paving and insulation work.

On-site construction of the plant involved hundreds of craftsmen and laborers over a period of more than four years. Sometimes, there were as many as 800 workers on site.

"Tolk Station to me is a marvel," said Pete Smith, an SPS engineer who helped

manage the job of designing and building the plant. "Literally thousands of people were involved in putting it together and making it work."

Smith said SPS engineers, drafters, blueprint production people, secretarial help, and production department personnel, as well as employees of equipment and parts manufacturers and suppliers from across the United States, contributed to completing the plant.

"Take all those people," he said, "and then the workmen -- the craftsmen who actually built that equipment -- like the condensers, with the thousands of feet of tubes; the boiler fabrication, and all those

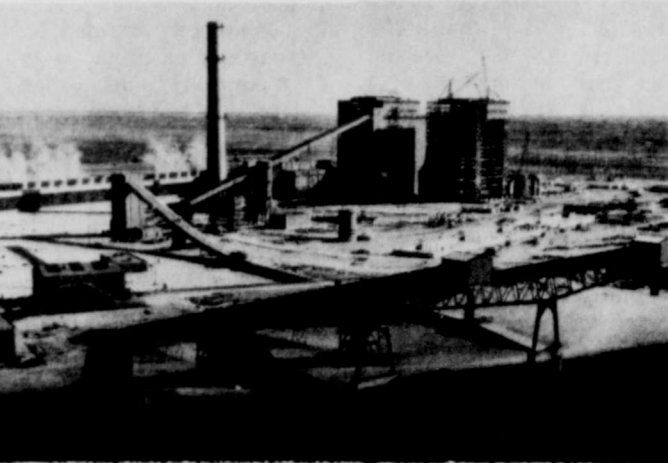
parts; the turbine -- a lot of machine work -- I guess you're talking about hundreds of thousands of people whose hands touched some part of the plant at one time or another."

Only 150 people are required to operate the Tolk Unit 24 hours a day, Ballengee said.

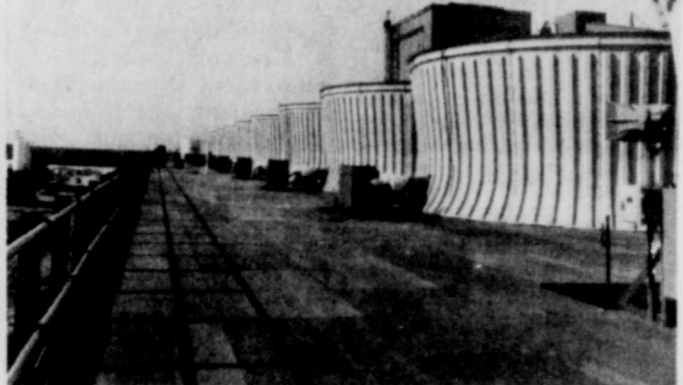
Cost of the Unit was \$228.2 million, excluding Allowance for Funds Used During Construction of \$48.3 million. Cost per installed kilowatt of capacity was \$489.

"The unit came on-line on schedule and within budget," Ballengee said. "We at SPS are especially proud that Tolk, like our other coal-fired plant, Har-

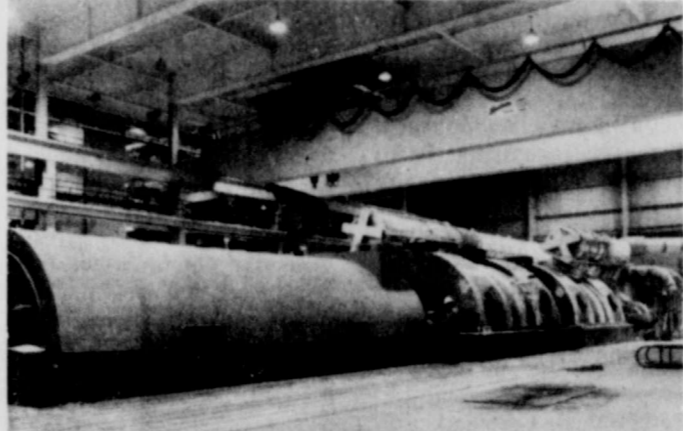
lington Station near Amarillo, was completed in 1985. The second unit will share some of Unit No. 1's largest equipment, including the on-site coal handling system, the water treatment facility, and the offices and control room.



**LOW SULFUR WESTERN COAL**, stockpiled in the foreground, powers Southwestern Public Service Company's Tolk Station Unit No. 1. The coal is moved by conveyors into a crusher house and into pulverizers which grind it as fine as talcum powder. It's burned in a boiler housed in the giant, finished building, center. The steel-framed structure next to the finished building will house Unit No. 2, scheduled for completion in 1985. Also pictured, to the left of the finished building, is the baghouse, which cleans flue gases on their way to the chimney stack. (SPS PHOTO)



**A DOZEN GIANT FANS** pull air up through one of the two "cooling towers" at Southwestern Public Service Company's Tolk Station Unit No. 1. Each cooling tower works just as an evaporative cooler at a home does. The towers lower the temperature of water, which is used -- and reused as many as five times -- in the electricity-generating process at the coal-fired plant. (SPS PHOTO)



**STEAM DRIVES THIS** enormous turbine-generator at Southwestern Public Service Company's coal-fired Tolk Station Unit No. 1. The generator stator alone (the unmoving part of the generator) weighs 636,000 pounds. The generator can produce 561,000 kilowatts -- enough electricity for 225,000 people. Above the still unpainted turbine is a movable hoist which can raise and lift out all the parts of the turbine generator for periodic maintenance. (SPS PHOTO)

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## Fulton And Attebury Presented Scholarships By Interscholastic League Foundation

Jon Mark Fulton and Dee Ann Attebury were recently awarded scholarships from the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation. Below is information about the scholarships they received and their accomplishments while at Abernathy High School, which allowed them to receive these scholarships.

**JOHN MARK FULTON**  
Jonathan Mark Fulton, a

1982 graduate of Abernathy HS, has been awarded a \$500 Texas Interscholastic League Foundation scholarship.

The grant was awarded on the basis of participation in UIL contests and other classroom achievements.

Fulton earned eligibility for the scholarship by placing in the 1982 UIL State Meet editorial writing contest. A list of his other academic and extracurricular

achievements at Abernathy High School are as follows:

Participated in the Editorial Writing contest at the 1982 State Meet... also participated in Science... Headline Writing... One-Act Play... Solo & Ensemble contest at various levels... President National Honor Society... all-region band... National FFA band... all-region choir... science club vice-president and secretary... drama club... drum major... third place in ILPC sports photography... co-editor yearbook... 4-H rifle team... annual and newspaper photographer four years... outstanding senior band award. Fulton is presently attending Angelo State University at San Angelo.

### DEE ANN ATTEBURY

Dee Ann Attebury, a 1982 graduate of Abernathy HS, has been awarded a \$1,000 Meadows Foundation scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation. The Meadows Foundation provided funds for three

grants, given by TILF on the basis of participation on UIL contests and other extracurricular activities.

Attebury earned eligibility for the scholarship by placing first in the 1982 State Meet ready writing contest. A list of her other academic and extracurricular successes at Abernathy High School are listed as follows:

Placed first in the 1982 Ready Writing competition at the state Meet... placed fifth in the 1981 State Meet in Typing contest... also participated in Calculator Applications... Number Sense... Spelling & Plain Writing at various levels... Solo & Ensemble contest... National Merit Scholar... DAR good citizen award... band... all-area and all-region... Historian... drum major... all-region choir... annual staff co-editor... science club reporter... science and math teams drama club... international thespian society... junior & senior play... FHA vice-president... Who's Who in English... American History... world history... algebra...

typing...chemistry.

Attebury is presently attending Texas Tech University. It is her first semester there.



Dee Ann Attebury



Jon Mark Fulton

"A good newspaper... is a nation talking to itself."  
— Arthur Miller

former Mary Lynette Bichsel of Groom. They have a two-year-old daughter.

## School Officials Attend TAST/TASB Convention

Nearly 6,000 persons attended the 1982 joint annual convention of the Texas Association of School Boards and the Texas Association of School Administrators held in San Antonio Oct. 2-4.

Total attendance included 3,500 board members and administrators from 700 school districts around the state.

Representing the Abernathy I.S.D. were School Board members Bud Rhodes, Richard Howard, Robert Pope, Speck Cox, Laurin Prather, Gale Davis, and Thomas Pettit. Joining them was Superintendent Gid Adkisson and Charles Bowen.

Participants heard addresses by Gov. Bill Clements, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and their political opponents in the November general election, Attorney General Marc White and former Secretary of State George W. Strake, Jr.

At the annual meeting of the TASB Delegate Assembly, delegates elected Julian Cowden of Alvarado to succeed Dr. Floyd Myers of Clear Creek as TASB president. Also elected were President-Elect Oscar Hernandez of San Antonio; First Vice-President John Quisenberry of Ector County; Second Vice-Presi-

dent Harris Hill of Garland; and Secretary Treasurer Billy Willig of San Angelo.

The Delegate Assembly adopted 35 of 62 resolutions, including resolutions for a sales tax to supplement property tax revenue, resolutions for amendment of the Term Contract Non-renewal Act, and a resolution supporting an alternative method of entering the teaching profession by allowing school districts to develop teacher internships.

Delegates also approved the 1983 TASB Legislative Program which calls for increased support for the Foundation School Program by at least \$2 billion, with one-half of the new monies

to go to salaries. The program also calls for simplification of the truth-in-taxation computation, opposes collective bargaining and arbitration rights for public school employees, opposes creation of state-wide initiative and referendum, and opposes state-mandated financial disclosure requirements for local school board members.

In other convention activity, the Texas Association of School Administrators presented its annual "Outstanding School Board of Texas" award for 1982 to Corpus Christi I.S.D. Other Texas Honor School Boards for 1982 are Lovejoy, Muleshoe and Ysleta.



## THANKSGIVING GREETINGS

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## Major Lamb County Agriculture Agent

An experienced agricultural agent, who has been honored by professional groups for his work, has been named agricultural Extension agent for Lamb County.

Jett V. Major, who has served in Floyd and Lubbock counties, will become the new agent for Lamb County December 1. His appointment was jointly announced by Lamb County Judge Don Joyner and Dr. Catherine B. Crawford, district director for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. He will live in Littlefield, the County seat of Lamb County.

Major, 28, began his career with the Extension Service in September 1977, as assistant agricultural

agent in Lubbock County. While there, he was named one of the Outstanding Young Men of America.

In December 1979, he was named Floyd County agent, the post he will leave when he transfers to Lamb County. His duties in Floyd include program leader for agriculture, administrator of the county Extension staff and trainer agent.

The Texas Plant Food Institute honored him in 1981 as the outstanding county Extension agent in Texas for his soil fertility work. This year he received a public information award from the Texas County Agricultural Agents Assn. for the monthly newsletter he sends to farmers and ranchers of his county.

Before joining the Extension Service, Major worked for a year as a veterinary assistant at an animal hospital in Lubbock. While in college he worked part-time as a farmhand on the family farm in Groom and for other farmers in Groom and Idalou.

Major grew up on the family grain and livestock farm at Groom. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Major, now resides in Abernathy where his father manages a grain elevator.

The county agent was graduated from Groom High School in 1972 and received an Associate of Science degree from Clarendon Junior College in 1974. While at Clarendon, he was a member of the Aggie Club and Phi Theta Kappa national honor fraternity; was named to Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges; was honored graduate and salutatorian of his class.

He then entered Texas A&M University where he majored in animal science. He received the Bachelor of Science degree in 1976, graduating Cum Laude. At A&M he was in the Crops of Cadets, Air Force FOTC Saddle and Siroloin Club, Panhandle Hometown Club and Pre-Vet Society. was active in intramural sports and was class representative for the Bio-Medical Society. He was a Distinguished Student and honor graduate.

While serving as a county agent, Major earned the Master of Education degree from Texas Tech University, majoring in agricultural education.

He is a member of the National Assn. of County Agricultural Agents, the Texas County Agricultural Agents Assn. and the South Plains District County Agricultural Agents Assn.

He is on the board of directors of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce, serving on the agriculture and the education committees; Floyd County Red Cross Committee; Floyd County Junior Livestock Show Assn.; Floyd County Fair Board; Lockney United Methodist Men, and serves on the administrative board of the Lockney United Methodist Church.

He is married to the



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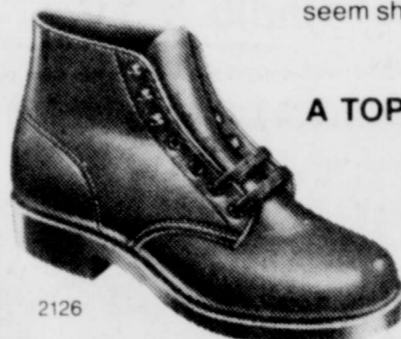
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## Barton House Featured On Ranching Heritage Center Christmas Ornament

A new, limited-edition Christmas ornament commemorating a piece of America's ranching heritage is available this Christmas at Cogdell's General Store in the Ranching Heritage Center of The Museum of Texas Tech University.

The 1982 Christmas ball depicts the 1904 Picket and Sotol House, one of the center's 33 historic structures. It is the fifth in a series of ornaments featuring structures at the site. Past editions were of: the 1887 Masterson JY Bunkhouse -- 1978; the mid-1870's Jowell House -- 1979; the 1883 Harrell House -- 1980; and the 1890 Whiteface Camp two-story dugout -- 1981.

The 1981 and 1982 editions are the only ones still available. Each ball comes with a description of the building and its historic significance. The Picket and Sotol House was originally built near Ozona of a type of construction adapted from the Indians. It represents the pioneer spirit of making do with materials at hand.

Patterned after an old-time general store, Cog-

dell's has numerous other ornaments to reflect an old-fashioned and Western Christmas and novelty gifts to jar the memories of old-timers and delight a new generation that never knew of their existence.

The store is run by the Ranching Heritage Association with proceeds going toward support of the center.

New ornaments include terra cotta Teddy bears and boots; wooden toy soldiers, animals and musical instruments; Victorian lace fans; stuffed Cheshire cats; fabric Santas in long johns; and light-weight, pastel-painted wooden animals.

Ornaments like the old-fashioned German balls and cornucopia boxes can be filled with candy or small toys. Others include Texas ceramic ornaments, wooden Texas and boot-shaped ornaments, crocheted angels, snowflakes and bells, blue-bonnet balls and painted Santas.

Gift tags, Christmas post cards, advent calendars and "Night Before Christmas" books like those of yesterday are also available. Gift

boxes shaped like houses come in five small sizes.

Country store features include fresh apples; peanut patties candies; chocolate and white-chocolate Eyes of Texas, boot and hat suckers; assorted honies with old-fashioned honey dippers; assorted jellies including pepper jelly; assorted teas; and sausage, corn bread and chili mixes.

New novelty gifts include bagtiques and cantiques. The cloth bags are replicas of grocery sacks in the early 1900's general store. The old-fashioned graphics of those early bags have been reproduced for the collector's pleasure and use as wall-hangings, door stops, gift bags or pillows.

Cantiques feature antique can labels of the 1920's on a modern, useful can. They can be mini-canister sets, flower containers and gift or candy boxes.

Nostalgic and useful housewares include crockery pitchers in various shapes and sizes; handmade country fair pottery; copper utensils and molds, large and small; frontier chuck wagon campware; old-fashioned glassware; wooden utensils; and wrought iron trivets and biscuit pans.

Baskets include small basket pin cushions, old-time picnic baskets and chicken-shaped baskets for dinner rolls or flower centerpieces.

Antique books of magical moving pictures, pop-up books, stick horses, sock monkeys and dogs, old-fashioned dolls, Dolly Dingle and Little Lane paper dolls, and countless homemade stuffed animals and dolls are available for children.

For the very young, there are box books, church dolls made of baby socks, tiny stuffed bears and handcrafted wooden toys.

Other stocking stuffers and gifts include paddle balls, jacks, wooden whistles, Jacob's Ladder, windmill and oil derrick kits. Paper dolls include "Annie" and a "Gone With

The Wind" collector's book.

For the man on the Christmas list, there are brass horse and rooster weather vanes; a wooden decoy duck; brass shoe horns and paperweights including a branding iron; a wildlife calendar featuring game birds and a Western calendar; cowboy wood sculptures and Texas windmill prints.

Other gifts for wives, mothers, or grandmothers include old-timey soaps; hand-dipped candles, spool candle-holders; mirrors; stationery hand-stitched aprons; throw (shawls); cook-

books; pillows; boxes; an oak quilt rack; and printer's

trays and miniatures. Variety gifts include chicken and egg-shaped candles, miniature cotton bales and pot-bellied stoves; primitive folk art barnyard animals, ceramic-based hurricane lamps, belt buckles, Western hat pins and all-cotton rugs.

The store is open museum hours, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 1-4:30 p.m. Sunday. It will be open 6-8 p.m. during "Candlelight At The Museum," Dec. 1-2.



COMMEMORATIVE CHRISTMAS--A 1982 limited edition Christmas ball featuring the Picket and Sotol House and a tote bag depicting eight historic structures at the Ranching Heritage Center are among Christmas items in the center's Cogdell's General Store. The bag features the Barton House, which was located near Abernathy before being moved to the Center, El Capote Cabin, Long S. Whiteface Camp Dugout and Las Escarbas. (TECH PHOTO)

## Barton House To Be Open To Public 1-2 During Candlelight Ceremonies

A special open house at the Ranching Heritage Center's Barton House was held Sunday (November 21) by the Ranching Heritage Association.

Betty Albers of Abernathy a member of the Barton family and a consultant for the restoration project of the turn-of-the-century home, was present along with other family members. Museum volunteers in pioneer attire were in each of the rooms of the two-story house.

The special opening and the nights of "Candlelight At The Museum," 6-8 p.m. Dec. 1-2, will be the last chances for the public to see the entire house until the official dedication next spring. Both events are free.

Restoration of the house has been evolving at the historic site since 1975. The upstairs portion of the house was open to the public for the first time Ranch Day 1982 in September. The north parlor, dining room and entry hall were historically refinished in time for Ranch Day 1981.

The first floor of the 14-room house includes a bedroom, bath, two parlors, a large dining room and a kitchen with a pass-through cabinet, operated on a pulley and opening into the dining room.

Scalamandre of New York has reproduced original wallpaper for several rooms and the entire hall. The kitchen paper is an antique paper purchased in New York for the project.

Furnishings throughout date back to 1875 are representatives of prominent West Texas ranch families -- the Bartons, the Keiths and the Halsells.

The restoration project revived the pre-1940 Victorian look of the house.

The house was built near Abernathy in 1909 by Joseph Barton. Its size and

style were designed so it could be a social center of the town of Bartonsite which Barton worked hard to promote for settlers and the railroads.

The house was willed to the Ranching Heritage Center by Josephine Waddell Barton, who had moved to the Hale County home as a bride in 1917.

Barton family members who actually lived in the house and friends and neighbors of the ranch family have provided information about the house.

The research team has also studied early 1900's publications like the "Ladies Home Journal" and Sears and Wards mail-order catalogs. Furniture research references served as a guide for appropriate period furnishings.

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WOLF IRRIGATION

THE NUMBER OF AMERICANS aged 65 and older increased by 27.9 percent in the decade of the 1970's, while the population as a whole increased by 11.4 percent during this 10-year period, reports Judith L. Warren, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.



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**FmHA Provided Loans To 7,672 Texas Farmers This Year**

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) provided loans to 7,672 Texas farmers in Fiscal Year 1982 which ended September 30. FmHA State Director, J. Lynn Futch, announced today.

FmHA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It provides loan

assistance to farmers who need credit but who cannot get it from a private bank or other lending institution. The loans are to be repaid in full, plus interest, to the U.S. Government. FmHA has over 2,000 field offices throughout the country with 130 offices in Texas. Early, preliminary figures

show that nationally the agency provided about 100,000 loans to farmers across the country. The total amount loaned through FmHA Farmer Programs was approximately \$4.1 billion.

The breakdown of Farmer Program preliminary totals show that Texas FmHA

provided 3,001 farm operating loans for \$106,170,070; 205 farm ownership loans for \$16,307,270; 4,401 natural disaster emergency loans

for \$257,136,730; and 36 soil and water loans for \$805,700. Some farmers received more than one type of loan, Mr Futch said.

**Plains Conservation Funds Available To Farmers**

Bob Arhelger, District Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service at Lubbock reports that Great Plains Program cost share funds are now available to

assist farmers and ranchers with their conservation problems. He stated that the Great Plains Conservation Program is still the best answer to conservation

problems facing landowners today.

Farmers and ranchers in ten states have used the program to reduce erosion and conserve moisture with conservation practices. GPCP has been the most successful method to get complete conservation applied on individual farms. It is a partnership between the landowner, the public, and the soil and water conservation district and the Soil Conservation Service to preserve land and water resources for future genera-

tions. Arhelger says the first Great Plains contract in Lubbock was signed with E.R. Steen on December 27, 1957. Since that time, 215 farms or operating units have been under contracts, insuring complete conservation treatment on 80,212 acres.

When a Great Plains contract is entered into by the landowner and the Soil Conservation Service, a program for complete conservation treatment on the entire operating unit is developed.

**COTTON TALKS**  
FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

LUBBOCK, Friday, November 12, 1982

The week of November 7 in Lubbock should have been called "Cotton Activity Week."

The week saw Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. co-hosting 25 cotton mill people from eight Far Eastern countries and 21 members of the National Cotton Council's Producer Steering Committee (PSC) from all across the U. S. Cotton Belt, plus discussing cotton insurance coverage with Merritt Sprague, Director of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation (FCIC).

The cotton spinners, representing Japan, Korea, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Taiwan and Thailand were traveling with the annual Cotton Orientation Tour jointly sponsored by Cotton Council International and USDA's Foreign Agricultural Service. They came to the High Plains for a first-hand look at the area's cotton production, processing, merchandising and research facilities.

Local hosts were PCG, the Lubbock Cotton Exchange and Plains Cotton Cooperative Association. Combined purchases of the eight countries on average already account for some 70 percent of total U. S. cotton exports. Tours and informal discussions were conducted for the group November 9 and 10 at the American Cotton Growers Denim Plant in Littlefield and the Textile Research Center at Texas Tech University.

Spokesmen for the various countries, while lamenting the current depressed state of their respective textile industries and general economies, expressed confidence in long-term prospects and in continuing a mutually beneficial trade relationship with the U. S.

The PSC meeting, the first ever held in Lubbock, began on the evening of November 9 with a reception and dinner for committee members and the Cotton Orientation group. Guests included PCG Board members, local cotton merchants, USDA and National Cotton Council officials. The PSC is an offshoot of the seven-segment National Cotton Council, financed by the NCC funds but empowered to act independently at any time the entire NCC

Board is unable to agree on an issue of special interest to producers.

PSC members in session November 10 discussed possible solutions to cotton's oversupply, under-demand, depressed-price situation, but adopted no official recommendations. Members recognized the lack of any real chance to get improvements in the current farm law through Congress during the upcoming lame-duck session and agreed to discuss further all proposals at a later meeting. Discussed were a possible loan level increase coupled with a decrease in target price, various means whereby acreage control could be made more effective, and possibilities for disposing of government stocks without unduly disrupting normal markets.

Special consideration, some members insisted, should be given to a resolution strongly opposing all efforts to establish a cotton reserve program.

PCG officials prior to the PSC meeting discussed with FCIC Director Sprague ways to improve the cost-benefit ratio for producers under FCIC's all-risk crop insurance policies.

**THANKSGIVING GREETINGS**

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**COTTON TODAY**

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**EXPORT PROGRAM BOOSTS COTTON:** The first use of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's new blended export credit program for cotton has resulted in the sale of 184,000 bales to Yugoslavia.

Announcement of the sale was hailed by National Cotton Council President Ed Breihan, Lubbock, Texas, who recently urged Agriculture Secretary John Block to make quick use of the interest buy-down program to bolster sagging farm income.

The sale is financed by \$12 million in interest-free direct credit under the Commodity Credit Corporation's GSM-5 program and \$48 million in credit assurance from CCC's GSM-102 program. Blending of these two credits allows a lower interest rate for U.S. farm export customers. A total of \$500 million will be made available through the program during the current fiscal year to expand farm exports.

Council President Breihan, in commending the Secretary's action, said it resulted in the first big sale of raw cotton to Yugoslavia in 14 years.

In addition to the raw cotton sale, USDA announced that Egypt had agreed to purchase 50,000 tons of vegetable oil under the same program.

Breihan, who heads the Plains Co-op Oil Mill in Lubbock, Texas, said the vegetable oil sale is also encouraging to the cotton industry.

"Egypt is a market that normally uses a high proportion of cottonseed oil, and I'm confident the cotton industry will supply a large part of the 50,000 tons," he said.

**COTTON EXPORTS CLIMB:** Net new export sales of 83,200 running bales of U.S. cotton for the week ended October 28 pushed total commitments

for this season to 3,041,100, according to the National Cotton Council.

The major buyers were Canada, 17,500 bales; the European Economic Community, 17,400; and Japan, 14,000.

**CALIFORNIA BATTLES BUG:** California is joining in a battle which farmers in many other cotton states have fought for years—the struggle against the boll weevil.

**Thanks**

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