

Sidewalk Art Show Plans Are Complete For Festivities

Littlefield and area artists are making plans to show their paintings and hand-crafts at the sixth annual Sidewalk Art Festival, to be staged in Littlefield during Festivities Days from 1 to 8 p.m., Friday, Aug. 24.

The event is sponsored by "We, The Women", Littlefield Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, Hart Thaxton Hardware, Littlefield Glass Works, The Gallery, Perry Brothers Variety, and the Art Associations of Littlefield.

Registration begins at 1 p.m. in the 500 block on the west side of Phelps Avenue. The actual voting will begin at 3 p.m. The number of works exhibited will be limited to five per entrant. All artists who have completed work within the past 12 months are invited to exhibit their work.

Work will be classified as follows: adult oil and acrylic, adult water color, adult ink and pastel, intermediate (age 15 to 18), junior (14 and under), and crafts.

Popular vote of the viewing public will determine the winners, who will receive gift certificates, cash prizes and ribbons.

The announcement of winners will be made before the close of the show at 8 p.m.

The cash awards will be provided by "We, The Women" and the gift certificates for frames and art supplies will be provided by Hart-Thaxton Hardware, Littlefield Glass Works, The Gallery, and Perry Brothers Variety.

An area will be provided for visiting artists to relax. Hot dogs, sandwiches, cakes, and drinks will be available at a food booth, sponsored by "We, the Women".

A separate section will be provided for the sale of works that are not entered in the contest and are not judged. Works are limited to five per exhibitor, and paintings for sale must have the artist's name, address and price on the back.

As a climax to the Art Festival, several oil paintings will be given away

by the various art clubs of Littlefield. The public (adults only) is invited to register for these paintings during the show. Names will be drawn from the registration box to determine the winners. You need not be present to win.

In case of inclement weather, a building will be available for the exhibit.

Chairmen for the sixth annual Sidewalk Art Festival are Mrs. Barbara Perrin of Littlefield and Mrs. Neva Busby of Springlake.

County Oil Production Helps Satisfy Demand

The petroleum industry in Lamb County played a significant role in 1972 in helping to satisfy the unprecedented demand for Texas' crude oil and natural gas.

Lamb was one of 190 of Texas' 254 counties which produced oil and gas valued in excess of \$100,000 in a record production year for the state's No. 1 industry, according to figures compiled by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

The county ranked 177th in the state in the value of petroleum produced, \$622,000. The sale of crude oil brought almost all of that total.

But despite this record year, due in large part to nine months of production at 100-percent of the maximum efficient rate, the nation's largest producer of petroleum could not produce enough to satisfy demand.

"To further stimulate production, we need a restoration of the open market force," said Robert A. Buschman of San Antonio, president of the Association.

"This would produce two much-needed effects: First, it would channel

the state's petroleum products to the most efficient and highest priority uses; second, it would help provide part of the capital needed so desperately to build refineries and superports and to carry on expensive exploration and production activities," Buschman added.

This study by the Association also shows that production last year in Lamb County resulted in the payment of \$73,000 to royalty owners.

The state of Texas received \$28,700 in production taxes from county wells, based almost exclusively on crude oil output.

Oil and gas producers and developers spent \$292,000 drilling four wells in the county last year, with \$150,000 of that figure lost in two dry holes.

According to the Texas Employment Commission, 112 oil and gas industry employees worked in the county in 1972 and shared a payroll of \$706,000.

One processing plant, producing petrochemicals, also added to the county's economy, according to the "Oil and Gas Journal."

Fireworks, Fires Fill Fourth

The Fourth of July in and around Littlefield was uneventful except for a rash of calls concerning the shooting of fireworks and several fires resulting from fireworks.

On Independence Day, police received 13 reports of persons shooting firecrackers and firemen were notified of 11 fires.

At 1:17 p.m. a fire run was made to put out a grass fire at Bull Lake. About 30 minutes later a grass fire was reported in an alley. At 2:06 Lumsden Gin reported a burr fire. Before firemen reached the scene another call came in on a fire on the right of way of the railroad tracks.

Thirty minutes later at 3:44, another alley fire was reported. A second grass fire report came from Bull Lake about

4:15 p.m., and one of the alley fires broke out again.

A third fire broke out at Bull Lake at 4:47 p.m. At 7:13 p.m. City police were advised that several phones in Anton were out due to a small fire in Anton. The last fire call came at 8:32 p.m. concerning another grass fire.

There were no wrecks reported anywhere in Lamb County during the official holiday period.

David Hamblin reported the theft of a \$250 tape deck, tapes, and FM radio from his car at 714 E. 16th.

City police made no arrests over the holiday and only one was arrested by county officials. Ramino S. Garza of Olton was arrested for eluding a peace officer after he ran a road block. He entered a plea of guilty and was fined a total of \$156.

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Make Reservations For 'Texas' Trip

Several more reservations are needed to charter a bus for a trip to Palo Duro Canyon State Park and a presentation of Paul Green's "Texas".

Littlefield's Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is sponsoring the trip, and the bus is to leave from the city hall at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, July 12.

Passengers will get onto the bus at 4:15.

The \$10 registration fee will include the costs of the round-trip bus ticket, reserved show tickets to the play, and the evening meal.

"We need 43 reservations to charter the bus, and at 5 p.m. Friday, we had 31 reservations made," stated Bill Payne, executive vice president of the C-CA.

Board To Ponder 7 Item Agenda

Littlefield school trustees have seven items scheduled on their regular Monday night agenda tomorrow at 7:30.

Airings include personnel resignations, personnel employment, annuity accounting, the gasoline bid report, tentative budget and public hearing date, financial statement and minutes.



SHERIFF E. D. McNEESE and county deputies Jerry Collins and V. L. Smith Jr. show a couple of marijuana plants growing in the courthouse. The plants were confiscated, and officers transplanted the marijuana into this container. Persons who suspect they have found marijuana growing in their fields may come by the sheriff's office to compare plants. Leaves will be taken from the plant and laminated and displayed in banks and other businesses around Littlefield to educate the public, also. (Staff Photo)

Two LHS Seniors, Sudan Miss In 'Miss Lamb County' Pageant

Three more talented girls have entered the Fifth Miss Lamb County Pageant.

Kim Jungman, Cecie Bandy and Karen Nell Walker are the latest entrants in the contest set for Saturday, July 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the LHS auditorium.

Miss Jungman is the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Danny

Bussanmus of 120 E. 23rd Street. The brown haired, brown eyed miss is a LHS senior.

In band for seven years, she is a member of the All-Region Band. She will play the piano for her talent entry.

Extra curricular activities include membership in Future Teachers of America, an officer in Future Homemakers of America, and a member of the Kat Klub. Hobbies include sewing, reading and cooking.

Miss Jungman's sponsor in the contest is Jim's Conoco.

Cecie Bandy graduated valedictorian of the 1973 Sudan High School class and will attend South Plains College this fall where she plans to major in physical education. She was second runner up in the Miss Lamb County Pageant last year.

She has participated in various school plays and speech related contests and placed in the top three in UIL com-

petition. Sponsored in the contest by Tu Tu's School of Dance in Sudan, Miss Bandy will do a dance pantomime in the talent division of the contest.

School honors include class and National Honor Society offices, class favorite, football sweetheart and most talented. The brown haired, hazel eyed miss is active in sports and served as captain of her basketball team and made honorable mention All-District guard. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey J. Bandy of Sudan.

Karen Walker is the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Toby Walker, 1407 Nichols. The blond haired, green eyed miss is a LHS senior this year.

A member of the National Honor Society, her interests include art, music and journalism. She has been a member of the Wildcat Band four years and is in the All-Region Band and a member of the choir.

For her talent display in the pageant See ENTRIES, Page 4



KIM JUNGMAN

Rodney Logsdon To Attend Texas 4-H Congress

Rodney Logsdon will represent Lamb County 4-H as hundreds of Texas 4-H'ers converge on Houston, July 10-12 for the first Texas 4-H Congress.

The Congress was planned by 1973 Texas 4-H Council and State 4-H Specialists. The overall objective of the Texas 4-H Congress is to involve older 4-H youth in developing 4-H program ideas and to provide learning experiences dealing with the concern of young people.

The major educational program thrust will be centered on the topic of "Values in Our Society." This topic was selected by the Texas 4-H Council at their annual meetings last year. Some of the outstanding authorities in business, government, and education will participate and discuss how values relate to their particular fields and society in general. Not only will the delegates have a chance to discuss these issues, but they will also make recommendations and suggestions for enriching the 4-H program.

Rodney and other District II 4-H youth

will leave from Lubbock July 9 at 8 p.m. and check into the Shamrock Hilton Hotel in Houston Tuesday morning. Tuesday will be spent resting up and in get acquainted parties. Wednesday the 4-H'ers will get down to business with morning topic Value of Our Society. Wednesday evening workshop will be Value and the 4-H Programs and election of 1973-4 Texas 4-H Council officers.

Thursday's program will be preparation and presentation of reports and recommendations to the administrative staff. The Congress will adjourn at 12 noon.

The program format gives Congress delegates the opportunity to meet and exchange ideas with outstanding adults as well as other young people from across the state. They will have fun, make new friends, and develop new ideas. This kind of experience will be most beneficial to the delegates in that they can make a contribution which will enable everyone to develop a more effective 4-H program for all young people.



RODNEY LOGSDON will represent the Lamb County 4-H at the Texas 4-H'ers Congress in Houston July 10-12. Handing him the agenda is Bobby Brunson, county extension agent.



CECIE BANDY



KAREN NELL WALKER



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News about our Lamb County Neighbors in
Springlake-Circle

MRS. TOM STANSELL 285-2572

W. B. HUCKS was admitted to the Lubbock University Hospital Monday where he will undergo tests.
MR. AND MRS. Thomas

Stanford, Mike and Chris of Birmingham, Ala. came Monday to visit her cousin and MR. AND MRS. H. H. Cain Jr. and family had as lun-

H.D. Club Hears Speaker

The Oklahoma Avenue Home Demonstration Club met July 5 in the home of Fern Bitner.
Those present were Vena Manor, Ruth Miller, Jerry Cooks, Ineze Litch, Beverly Trimmer, Zella Helms, Fern Bitner, and the County Extension Agent, Lynn Bowerman.
Members answered roll call "With How Do I Control My Mental Emotions"?
Lynn Bowerman gave a program on "Eat To Your

Heart's Content'
She stressed the importance of a fat-controlled, low cholesterol meal plan to reduce the risk of heart attacks. "The food you eat can endanger your heart as protect it," she said.
Next meeting will be July 19 in the Flame Room when members will entertain another club. All members are urged to be present.
Refreshments of homemade ice cream and cake were served to eight members and two visitors.

cheon guests Friday the hostess parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson, Mrs. Cain's aunts Mrs. Jim Fuller and Mrs. Roscoe Thomas, both of Olton, their sister, Mrs. Fay Granbery of Austin, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Kay Finley of Florida.

family, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Cain, Cathy, Connie and Suzanne. The Cains and their guests went to Carlsbad Caverns and Ruidoso, N.M. MONDAY evening Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baker attended the monthly Gideon Camp meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Carlisle of Plainview.
MR. AND MRS. D. W. Pinson had as Friday overnight guests their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Pinson and Brandon of Brownfield.
GERRY GEORGE of Dallas was a recent guest of his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. L. A. George and Mrs. Ber-

niece Smith.
ENSIGN Phil Bohner was Tuesday evening dinner guest of his grandmother, Mrs. George Bohner. Ensign Bohner who has been stationed at the Naval AFB in Pensacola, Fla. for the past several months is being transferred to Beeville.
MRS. F. E. Bennett attended the observance of the Golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Padgett held Sunday afternoon in their home which is in the Pettit Community.
REV. AND MRS. Glen Smith, Becky, Karen and Byron had as recent visitors Mr. and Mrs. Don Caldwell of

Garland and Mrs. Keith Wyatt and Krystal of Allan.
VISITING FRIDAY afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Baker were his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baker and Randy of Blum.
VISITING THIS week with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kennedy are their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ayers, Mike and Melody of Anderson, Mo.
MR. AND MRS. Steve Bailey and Stephanie of Bull Shoals, Ark. came Friday to stay a few days with Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr and Mrs. Ray Gabehart.
DURING THE weekend Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hatfield and Mark of Denver City were

guests of the Hatfield's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hatfield and Lisa.
MR. AND MRS. Homer Worley had as Sunday afternoon callers, his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hatfield and Mark of Denver City and the Hatfields' son Allen Hatfield and his daughter Lisa. The Allen Hatfields are residents of Springlake.
MRS. LOIS Murrell of McFarland, Calif. came recently to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Skinner who had as other guests Wednesday their daughter, Mrs. T. V. Murrell and her daughter and family, Mr. and

Mrs. Joanie Branscum, Sonya, Scott and Shawn all of Earth.
MR. AND MRS. J. T. Gibson had as houseguests from Thursday until Saturday her sister Mrs. Fay Granbery of Austin and Mrs. Granbery's daughter, Mrs. Kay Finley of Florida.



Hospitality House News
By MRS. JONNIE CHAPMAN

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KEN UNDERWOOD from Havana City, Ariz. visited his grandmother Mrs. A. R. Weaver last Tuesday.
MRS. MARGIE Underwood of Petersburg and grandson, Paul Main from Cavendish, VI. visited her mother Mrs. A. R. Weaver Wednesday.
MRS. HOWARD AND Mrs. McCurry of Whitharral visited with Bob Armstrong Thursday.
MRS. T. C. Kennedy, Mrs. C. T. Wood, Kerry, Connie and Sherry from Olton visited Mrs. Millie Smith Friday.
MRS. NELLIE Hecke had as guests Sunday her grandsons, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carrell from Los Angeles, Calif and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crone and Debra from Odessa.
MRS. GRADY Simpson was visiting friends in the home Friday.
MRS. MURIEL Davis visited friends in the Home VERLIN ZOTH from Houston visited with his mother Mrs. Ruth Zoth over the weekend.
CAMERON Morgan of Farwell, Gerald Golke of Littlefield, Raylene and Daylen Poe of Sudan visited the girl's grandfather.
MRS. OLETA Lott, one of the nurses aid is spending the weekend visiting in Fort Worth.
HUGH E. PARSONS Jr. from Austin, Tex. spent last weekend visiting his mother Mrs. Faye Jackson, nurse at the Home. They visited some of the time with Mrs. Jackson's sister Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gosnell of Lubbock.
MRS. SYBIL RAY went with her daughter Mrs. Jim Moore and three children to Brownwood, last week for

some fishing and boating. They also attended the Ray family reunion at which 43 were present.
ALBERT LEAL, kitchen employe, went with his mother, Mrs. Patsy Leal and three sisters to Dallas to visit Six Flags Over Texas.
MRS. JEWELL FOST went with her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Steffy, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie McKinon and Layne to visit her grandson Mr. and Mrs. Mack Steffy of Dimmitt.
MIKE MOTT was admitted to the South Plains Hospital at Amherst Saturday.
RHONDA BEAULAU of Whittier, Calif. came to spend the summer with her grandmother Mrs. Beaulau Humphries, N. A. at the Home.
MR. AND MRS. Kenneth Heard and daughter from Dimmitt visited with her father Mr. Cobb Monday.
B. F. POE from Lamesa is a new resident at the home.
TOMMIE LOBAUGH is back from his vacation and singing was as usual only Jan Sisson was at the piano as Miss Massengil is on her vacation.
GUADALUPE FROAST, nurses' aid celebrated her birthday Friday.
MR. AND MRS. Lee Dodd owners of Hospitality House Home just returned from an extended business trip to Oregon and California.
CANDY STRIPERS from the hospitals brought Fourth of July plate favors of cups of candy topped by an American Flag.
WE ENJOYED a watermelon feast last Wednesday afternoon.

General Telephone To Conserve Energy

General Telephone Company of the Southwest has launched its own assault against the energy crisis by conserving fuel and informing employees how they can aid in reduced fuel usage.
C. A. Crain, vice president of operations for General, said the company is curtailing energy by turning lights off when not needed, setting thermostats higher while still maintaining comfort in working areas. Maximum savings are used in non-work areas and on weekends and holidays.
Also, lights are being turned

off in some areas, and fewer lights are being used in other areas without impairing illumination. Crain pointed out that the company is proud of its many buildings in the company's four state area but outside illuminations has been reduced.
However, some lights are being left on at night for security purposes, Crain explained.
Company engineers are closely reviewing insulation in new facilities to reduce the amount of energy used in cooling and heating.

SPADE NEWS

MRS. OLIVER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin Oliver, celebrated her second birthday, Tuesday, June 26. She was honored with a party given by her aunt, Carole Fayer. Refreshments of a rabbit cake and lemonade were served. Decorations were done in green, pink and orange. Guests were Brad Stanley, Gayle Bradley and Stephanie Orbison. Mrs. Judy Stanley, Mrs. Reta Orbison, Mrs. Patsy Bradley, Mrs. Nita Oliver and Debbie, Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield and Joyce Randall.

MR. AND MRS. Harold Thurman and Smokey of Perry Park Ranch, Colo. spent a few days with her mother and sister, Mrs. R.L. Stubblefield and Doris. They returned home Saturday while Smokey will continue his visit for several weeks.
VISITING SUNDAY with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ray were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray of Lubbock.
MR. AND MRS. Larry Stanley and Brad were in Kermit this weekend visiting with her grandparents.

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OBITUARIES

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WILLIAM ALDRIDGE

Services for William L. Aldridge, 57, of Littlefield, who died Thursday night, July 5, in Littlefield Hospital House, were conducted Saturday morning in Hammons Funeral Home Chapel.

Rev. Gene Joplin, pastor of the Bethel Baptist Church in Plainview, and Jess Ramsey, officiated.

Aldridge was a retired farmer and had lived in the Littlefield area 43 years. He was a native of Franklin County.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. W. J. Aldridge of Fieldton, and a brother, Guy Aldridge of San Antonio.

ELLA D PERKINS

Funeral services for Mrs. Ella Dorothy Perkins, 80, who died Friday, July 6, in Knight's Rest Home in Littlefield, are scheduled for Monday morning in Port Arthur, with Nunnally-Stanley Funeral Home of Port Arthur in charge of final arrangements.

Hammons Funeral Home was in charge of local arrangements.

Surviving are three sons, Dr. Albert Perkins of Littlefield, Roy B. Perkins of Austin, and Robert L. Perkins of Phoenix, Ariz.; 14 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Pesticide Safety Curbs Poisoning

Chemicals used as pesticides are toxic and care must be exercised to avoid accidental poisoning.

Minimizing exposure to the chemical is an essential element of safe use, says County Extension Agent Bobby Brunson.

In one western state almost 80 percent of the occupational poisoning cases by industrial and agricultural chemicals resulted from absorption through the skin.

Those mixing and loading pesticides are potentially subject to relatively high levels of exposure to the skin as well as those applying fine sprays and dusts, notes Brunson.

Of course, indoor spraying can be hazardous if proper precautions are not taken.

Other activities that can result in exposure of the skin to pesticides include the maintenance and repair of contaminated equipment and contact with treated surfaces. Hand harvesting, thinning, cultivating, irrigation and insect scouting can result in significant exposure if fields are entered too soon following pesticide application.

Brunson cautions persons with skin conditions to avoid exposure to pesticides unless extra precautions are taken. Similarly, persons with cuts, abrasions, scratches, scuffs or other skin disruptions should exercise extra care to minimize exposure to those areas.

The agent lists some "safe use" suggestions to minimize exposure to pesticides:

1. Observe recommended protective measures specifically mentioned on the label.
2. Cover up before exposure, not after. Covering con-

taminated skin with a thin plastic wrap has caused a fourfold increase in absorption of one insecticide.

3. Use clean clothing daily and bathe or shower at least daily.

4. A wide-brimmed hat, preferably waterproof, offers protection from downward drift for face and neck areas. Contaminated hatbands can present a problem, so use an inexpensive hat that can be discarded after minimal use or use one with a replaceable hat band.

5. Wear unlined, natural rubber, gauntlet gloves for best protection. Prevent contamination of the inside of the gloves.

6. A long-sleeved, light colored, washable cloth jacket, preferably water-repellent, is desirable. Disposable paper jackets have been tested and apparently are suitable except in cases of heavy wetting.

7. A waterproof apron is essential if exposure to the lower trunk and legs is anticipated, such as may occur in mixing and loading of pesticides.

8. Use waterproof shoes or boots. Leather shoes crack after a few wettings and are easily penetrated. Canvas shoes also become wet and can be a constant source of skin exposure.

9. Shield the eyes to avoid contamination, particularly if splashing may occur. Plastic shields or masks generally are tolerated better by agricultural workers than are goggles.

In addition to avoiding skin exposure, also beware of exposure either orally or through the respiratory tract, adds Brunson. You just can't be too safe when using pesticides.

'Summer Freeze' Hits Agriculture

"A 50 percent crop loss is predicted as a result of an early freeze," is not an uncommon occurrence in Texas.

However, a summer freeze is truly rare, emphasizes Dr. Bill Vastine, economist in marketing and food distribution with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The recently imposed freeze on retail food prices has caused more concern than any natural freeze that has occurred in many years, Vastine adds. What will the overall effect be on U.S. agriculture and consumers? This question has been the subject of considerable dialogue since the announcement of the freeze.

"Profit is still the name of the game," the Texas A&M University System economist says. If food retailers are required to hold the line on prices, he explains, they have few alternatives open to them.

"They can absorb the loss in the face of an increasing raw price situation, refuse to buy the product and hence restrict it from their offerings, or specify what price they can pay. Most retailers have been forced to do all of these by existing economic conditions. The real concern then is not with the current situation, but the future one," Vastine says.

If agricultural producers are forced to accept prices which will not yield them a profit, they will adjust as

quickly as possible and total production may decrease. A decrease in production would drive current prices even higher and the "freeze" along with Phases 1, 2, and 3 would have the opposite effect of what was intended, the economist says.

The only bright light is that bumper crops, particularly in feed grains, are being predicted this fall, which would alleviate much of the high price situation, Vastine adds. But, that does not help answer the question of what will happen after this freeze?

Can farmers expect more bad news either from the weatherman or government after the freeze? This is the key to the dilemma, contends Vastine. "Industry sources reveal that shortages of some products are imminent, due to a combination of the freeze and unfavorable weather," he reports.

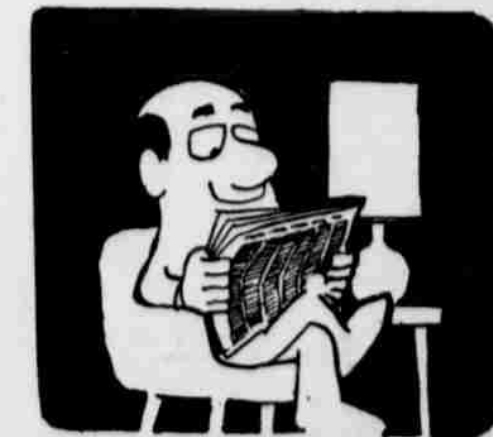
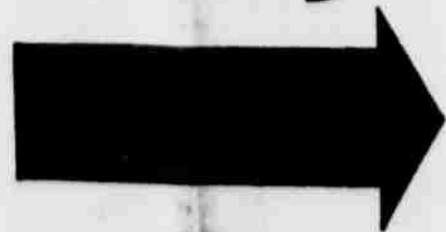
CARPET BEETLE DAMAGE

Carpet beetles can damage home furnishings, fabrics and most clothing and stored food if not controlled, says an entomologist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The tiny beetle larvae may be found behind baseboards, molding and radiators and in floor cracks, corners, and clothing and dresser drawers. A thorough cleaning with the vacuum cleaner is the best control tool.

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Second Summer Session Begins Monday

Registration for the second summer session at South Plains College will get underway Monday, July 9, beginning at 9 a.m. in the Administration Building, according to Dr. Charles Vester, dean of admissions and registrar at the college. Classes will begin July 10 at 8 a.m. with late registration continuing through July 11. A complete new schedule of courses will be offered during the second summer session at SPC. Courses will include: accounting, literature, drama, chemistry, botany,

sociology, economics, history, government, basic statistics, English for foreign students, trigonometry and swimming. Technical-vocational-occupational courses being made available to patrons are: auto mechanics, diesel mechanics, radio-television servicing, heating and air-conditioning mechanics, and welding. Various seminars, internships and courses are also in progress at the college. These include: management, agriculture technology, drafting

technology, vocational nursing, fundamental arithmetic and machine shop. Summer classes for the second term are also being offered by South Plains College at Reese Air Force Base in Lubbock. Registration for courses can be completed at either SPC in Levelland or at Reese Air Force Base. These classes are open to the general public. Cost for courses at Reese will be as follows: 3 semester hours-\$40.50 and 6 semester hours-\$43.50. Registration may be completed between now and July 16. Class sessions will begin at 8 a.m. July 16 and will meet in the Academic Building on the base. Both men's and women's dormitories will be open for students attending the second summer term at South Plains College. Costs for the second summer session at SPC are \$4 per semester hour, with a \$24 minimum charge for in-district students during the term. Out-of-district students are charged \$4 per semester hour, with a \$24 minimum charge, plus \$1 per semester hour out-of-district fee. Out-of-district students are charged \$20 per semester hour with a \$60 minimum tuition fee. Students interested in attending summer classes at South Plains College should contact the Dean of Admissions for an application for admission form.

CONSUMER ALERT

Both the consumer and the door-to-door salesman will have reason to think twice about an at-home sale now that there is a new State law which gives the buyer the right to change his mind. The "Home Solicitation Act" by Dallas Senator Bill Braecklein and Representative Chris Semos of Dallas became law when the governor signed it June 13. Basically, this law provides that if a consumer is solicited at his home for a sale or merchandise or services costing \$25 or more, and subsequently decides that the goods weren't what they'd been cracked up to be, he can back out of the deal within a three-day period. But it also imposes some strict responsibilities on the consumer, as well as the seller. For instance, the Home Solicitation Act does not cover sales of farm equipment; insurance regulated by the State; realty sales in which the transaction are being negotiated by licensed real estate broker or attorney; or sales made pursuant to a preexisting retail charge account, or based upon prior negotiations at a business establishment where the goods were displayed. The original offer must have been made and agreed upon at your doorstep. And that seems fair enough, since the whole idea was to put the consumer on equal footing with the itinerant salesman whose sales pitch may be better than his product. The salesman is required to give the consumer a "fully

completed" receipt of contract—written in English, or Spanish, or in whatever language the sales presentation was made—at the time of the transaction. Also, he must tell the signer about his cancellation rights, and furnish him with a copy of this printed statement: "You, the buyer, may cancel this transaction at any time prior to midnight of the third business day after the date of this transaction. See the attached notice of cancellation form for an explanation of this right." The form recites a detailed description of the duties of both parties. The buyer has the duty to meet the three-day deadline by letter or telegram, and he must be prepared to take "reasonable care" of the goods or property in his possession until the cancellation procedure has been completed. If unacceptable home improvements are involved, the merchant has to restore the property to its prior condition, unless the consumer says otherwise.

Violation of the act by a door-to-door seller not only would make him liable for actual damages to the consumer, reasonable attorney's fees and court costs, but he risks having the contract voided. And if the merchant doesn't refund the consumer's payment and recover the goods which have been rejected within 20 days after receipt of the cancellation notice, the buyer does not have any more duty to return the goods. Hopefully, merchants specializing in home solicitations will accept the

challenge of this new law by making certain that the goods and services they offer are worth keeping. But it is the sad truth that there always are just a few people who would rather try to make a "fast buck" than an honest sale. With the "Home Solicitation Act," and the new "Deceptive Trade Practices-Consumer Protection Act" I told you about last week, we have armed the consumer with remedies for encounters with that type of operator without hindering, harassing or penalizing our honest and ethical business community.

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Spade News

VISITING SUNDAY in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Leonard were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Leonard and Michael. Tuesday night the Leon Leonards and Johnny visited with Lee and Ginger in Lubbock in the home of Mrs. Ann Lamb. THE LLOYD Hindmans of Spur visited this past week with friends in the community. SUNDAY DINNER guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin Oliver and Elisa were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Oliver and Debbie of Hart Camp, Mrs. R. L. Stubblefield and Doris and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Faver. GUESTS SATURDAY night of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Faver were Mr. and Mrs. Royce Stanley and Mr. and Mrs. Kerwin Oliver.

TGSPB Election Sept. 15

Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board will hold its second biennial election of directors on Sept. 15. The terms of four present board members will expire at that time. They are: E. C. Witten, Kress; John Gilbreath, Hart; Don Marble, South Plains; and A. W. Anthony Jr., Friona. All four are eligible for re-election. The six-year term is non-salaried. Any person in the 29-county TGSPB assessment area who produces grain sorghum is eligible to vote, including owners of farms and their tenants and share croppers, if such person is required to pay the grain sorghum assessment. Any person who is eligible to vote in the election is also eligible for nomination as a director. The counties involved are: Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Dallam, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Floyd, Gaines, Hale, Hansford, Hartley, Hockley, Hutchinson, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Moore, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Sherman, Swisher, Terry, and Yoakum. Any person wishing to have his name placed in nomination for membership on the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board may do so by application to that organization, signed by himself and ten other persons eligible to vote in the election.

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Babe Ruth Tourney Begins Here Monday

The Littlefield Babe Ruth League will be the setting for this year's district Babe Ruth tournament. The tourney will draw teams from Littlefield, Plainview, Olton, Dimmitt, Muleshoe. It kicks off Monday at 6 p.m. with the Olton team taking on the Muleshoe All-stars. Don Avery, immediate past president of the Littlefield Babe Ruth League, is serving as tournament director and is expecting a good turnout of teams. "We're really going to have some good teams here," he said, "and everyone is expected to come out and enjoy the tourney."

Other officers of the tournament are Charles Smith, president; chairman; Kenneth Jackson, grounds manager; Ronnie Vaughn, vice-president; and Janna Clark, Nell Cotter and Gloria Jackson, in charge of the concessions.

Avery said that much work has been done on the Littlefield park to get it in top shape for the tourney. Volunteers toiled all last week in preparation for the crowds. Weeds were cut under the bleachers, the infield area was raked and leveled off, and much watering was done to get the grass in condition. Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors will serve as gateskeepers, taking up the admission price of one dollar for adults and fifty cents for students from the spectators. Homemade ice cream and regular concession fare will be available at the concession stand. Avery added that he even enlisted some Girl Scouts to raise the flag in centerfield. Coaches from each of the teams will have a special meeting today at 2 p.m. to confirm the eligibility of each of the All-stars.

Gasoline Dangers Noted

Due to its explosive power, gasoline merits careful handling and storage. "One gallon of gasoline—vaporized in an enclosed area, mixed with the proper amount of air, and exposed to a spark—will produce an explosion equal to that of 83 pounds of dynamite", points out County Extension Agent Bobby Brunson.



LITTLE LEAGUE All-stars went through a workout Friday prior to their July 19 tournament date at Sudan-Amherst. Here, Randy Whitson prepares to give the boys some fielding practice. Garland Pierce, one of the All-stars, catches in. (Staff Photo)

workers should be especially cautious when handling gasoline.

Gasoline is a threat any time it is present as a vapor in the air where flame or sparks may be present. This hazard occurs when gasoline is stored near flames and when a tractor tank is filled while the engine is running, or the operator is smoking.

Some people have been careless in filling gasoline tanks for years without anything happening, so they don't consider these practices dangerous, notes Brunson.

However, they have escaped injury only because the proper mixture of gasoline vapor and air wasn't present when the spark occurred.

Some safety tips with gasoline include the following: Never smoke or permit others to smoke in or around a gasoline storage area.

Fill the tractor tank when the engine is cold. A fire can start if gasoline is spilled over a hot engine. Never leave the engine running while filling the tank.

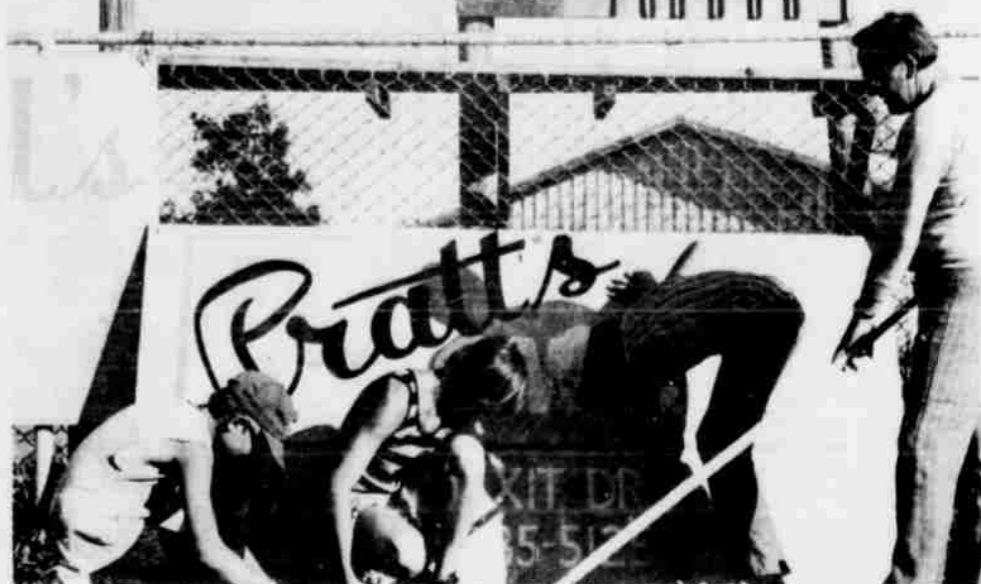
Locate above-ground gasoline storage tanks at least 40 feet from any building.

Store and handle small quantities of gasoline in approved safety containers. Never leave open cans of gasoline in a building.

Don't use gasoline as a cleaning agent for hands, clothing, paint brushes or greasy machinery parts.

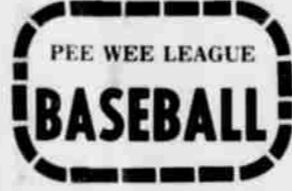
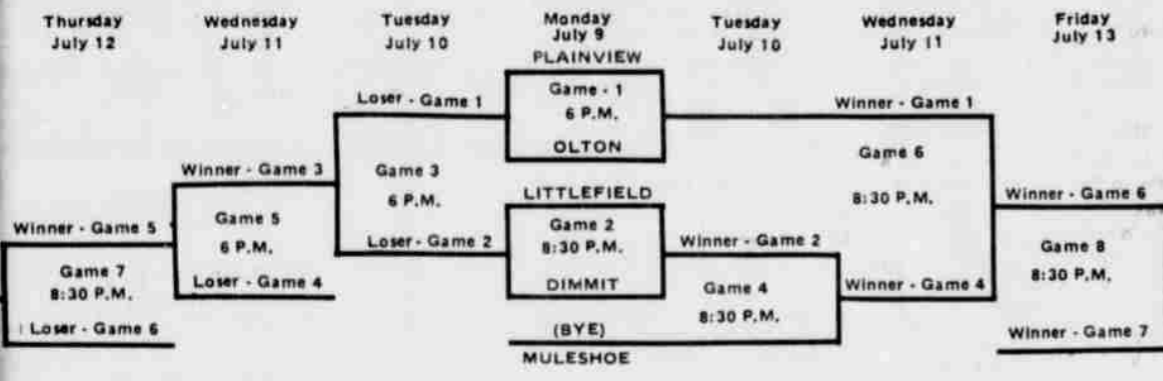
LITTLEFIELD BABE RUTH LEAGUES

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DON AVERY, director of the Babe Ruth district tournament slated for this week at the Littlefield ball park, uses the help of some young volunteers to get the field in shape. Eddie Elms, Bobby Avery, and Jimmy Avery are shown here giving Don a hand. (Staff Photo)

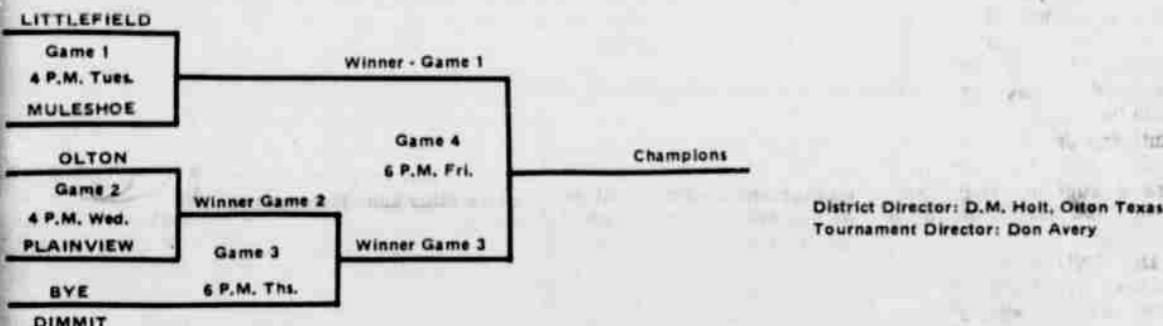
WEST TEXAS DISTRICT NO. 2, BABE RUTH TOURNAMENT



Vernon Williams and Randy Kemp combined to pitch a five-hitter for the Chiefs as they won over the Pioneer Rockets, 17 to 15. Pitching for the Rockets were Scott Lewis and Rodger Galindo. John Lee and Kemp led the winners with a single and a double each while Scott McAnally got a triple and Eric Mendoza got a two-bagger. Lenardo Castillo and Jay Jaquess each got a single.

For the Rockets, Ace Bridwell led the hitting with two singles, Scott Lewis got a triple and Blake Davis slugged out a double. Armando Sierra added a single.

WEST TEXAS DISTRICT NO. 2, 13-YEAR-OLDS TOURNAMENT



Lions Meeting Tuesday Morning

Anyone interested in joining morning Lions Club is invited to attend an organizational meeting Tuesday at 7 a.m. in the new club house.

The new District 2-T2 Governor, Kip Cutshall of Littlefield, will be present, along with the district expansion chairman, Don Taylor of Plainview, to explain the services Lions Clubs give to a community.

Among some of the projects are sight conservation, Texas

Crippled Children's Camp at Kerrville, the Coaches All-American Football game, the eye bank, Kidney Foundation, sponsors summer baseball teams and other service projects. Area Lions have recently built a gymnasium at Gilstown USA, near Whiteface.

In order to raise funds, Lions Club members sell mops, brooms, and light bulbs, cook pancake suppers, and sponsor various other fund-raising activities.

Action, Planning Grants Approved By Governor

Governor Dolph Briscoe has awarded one action grant and planning grant for improving law enforcement and crime prevention in the region served by South Plains Association of Governments of Lubbock. Total for the grants is \$71,713.

The money will come from the Criminal Justice Council,

which administers the state's block grant from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration under the Omnibus Crime Control Act.

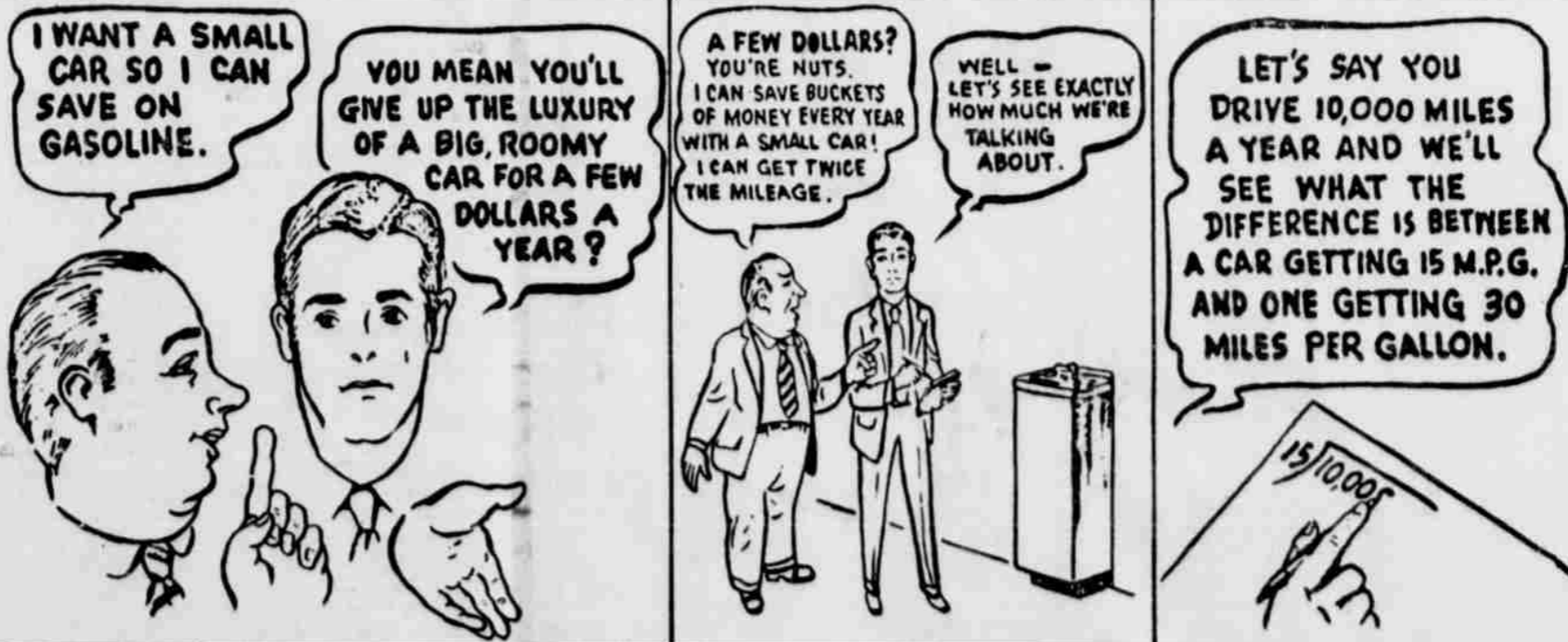
The Action grant, \$42,512, is for continued support of the Lubbock County Adult Probation Project, which presently is supervising 494 felons and 515 misdemeanants. Efforts of the six professional probation officers and five assistants are aimed at reducing the rate of recidivism among the probationers, and hence at reducing crime. The funding provides for two additional probation officers.

The \$29,200 planning award will continue to provide a full-time Criminal Justice coordinator, staff support and operating expenses for SPAG. The award is conditional on a new congressional appropriation for fiscal 1974.

Counties served by SPAG are Bailey, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Terry and Yoakum.

The South Plains applications were among 71 for action and planning funds considered by the CJC Executive Committee June 8. Requests totaled \$4,565,876.

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