

# Mighty Maroon' To Battle Childress In Regional

ANDY ROGERS  
Last time the Littlefield reached regional football playoffs, the year 1964, the coach was Gene Mayfield. They beat the heavily-favored Redskins.

Nineteen years later, the Cats are trying again. They'll be battling the Childress Bobcats tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. in Plainview's Bulldog Stadium, and Head Coach Jerry Blakely has his charges coming off a highly satisfying

30-6 win over Floydada in the AA Bi-district game.

"I think the Floydada win was certainly a very important win for us," Blakely said. "Of course, it got us into

the regional playoff, but it also could possibly have been the best game we've played as a team. We did what we thought we had to do to win: control the ball. I think we ran about 80 plays to their 50, and all through the game we

were able to run right at 'em and pick up good yardage."

The Cat offensive line had one of their finest nights of the season, ripping apart huge holes in the Floydada defense and allowing Tailback Kenny Owens to roll for 231 yards. "The offensive line had a real fine night," Blakely said, "and this is real important for a team trying to control the ball. Skip Smith, Doug McCain, Ricky Richards, Jerry Soria, Ricky Hopping, David Blevins and Chris Pope all blocked well, and with Randy Cook (fullback) and Kenny Owens running right behind them, Floydada just didn't seem to be able to handle them. Cook did a very good job lead blocking for Owens, who had a fine night running the ball."

The Cat defense was by no means taking it easy, either. They pounced on two fumbles and swiped four passes to frustrate the Whirlwind offense and provide good field position for Littlefield drives. "We did get a lot of turnovers," Blakely asserted, "and had some breaks go our way. But we also had very few mental mistakes, the fewest all year, and these things were certainly factors."

While the Cats have been waiting 19

years to fill a regional berth, the Bobcats have waited only one. Last year, they were heavily favored to move past Floydada and into the quarter-finals, but the Whirlwinds scored a last second touchdown for a 13-10 victory.

"Childress is big and strong," Blakely warned, "and probably the most physical team we've played this year. They've improved a great deal since the first of the season, and they've been playing great the last few weeks. They have tremendous poise, and experience since this is their fourth straight year to be in the regional playoff. They showed their poise last week when they were behind 21-7 to Dalhart and came back to win 22-21."

Childress carries with them a 9-2 season record, the same as Littlefield's. One of the losses was to Hamlin by a 34-20 score. But that was the closest any team came all year to Hamlin, currently ranked second in the state.

"What concerns us most about Childress is that they'll run right at you and three, four and five yard you to death," Blakely said. "They can throw if See WILDCATS, Page 10

## LAMB COUNTY

# LEADER-NEWS

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## Pioneer Natural Gas Co. To Make Rate Adjustments

Pioneer Natural Gas Company has announced that, effective Jan. 1, 1974, the rate under which several classifications of customers are paying gas service will be adjusted, up or downward, each month, based on the monthly current cost of gas based for the company's West Texas system.

This adjustment will not change the base rate being paid by these customers. Presently, these rates are subject to the same adjustment on an annual basis.

In making the announcement, K. Bert Watson, company president, pointed out that because of the energy crisis facing the nation, the cost of new supply in the field is changing at an unprecedented rate.

Watson went on to say, "The adjustment will be made on a monthly basis in order for Pioneer to remain in a competitive position for future gas supply."

Watson continued, "Pioneer is fortunate to have pipelines into two of the most promising areas for acquiring natural gas supply. However, there are a number of gas companies with pipelines in these areas who are aggressively acquiring gas as it becomes available. Through the joint efforts of the company and its customers, the company is confident its ability to serve its customers' needs will continue to be favorable."

When this new rate plan becomes effective, more than 60 percent of the gas delivered from the West Texas system will be subject to the monthly cost-of-gas adjustment.

In addition, the company has filed

applications in all incorporated cities and town on its West Texas system for approval of this same adjustment.

To date, 19 of these cities and towns have approved the request. The adjustment is also being placed in all new industrial contracts and the existing ones as they expire and are renegotiated.

Letters detailing the rate plan and tariff sheets reflecting the new adjustment clause will be mailed to the customers to be affected by this Jan. 1, 1974 adjustment.

These letters will go to irrigation customers, small industrials, temporary industrials and large air conditioning customers.

## Spanish Imports Store Now Open

A touch of Mexico is being featured in Littlefield with the opening Monday of Lee's Spanish Imports.

Mrs. Lee Neinst, owner of the new business, is featuring velvet paintings of Mexican dancers, matadors, scenery, western figures, children's pictures, and some religious paintings; wrought iron ware including, chandeliers, lamps, candelabras, candle holders, tables, fruit bowls and magazine and log holders; finished plaster ware and statuettes; finished and unfinished children's furniture; 18-piece coffee or tea service sets; wall plaques; treasure chests and other items too numerous to mention.

The store is located south of Anthony's.



CROWDED GIN YARDS like this situation at the Littlefield Farmers Co-op is repeated across the county and South Plains as the 1973 cotton crop harvest swings into full gear. This Littlefield gin reported as many as 700 bales on the yard at one time. Local and area gins said early Friday that they'd already tagged out more cotton this season than was accounted for the entire 1972 season. (Staff Photo)

## Sheila, Kent Lewis Honored At Banquet

Sheila and Kent Lewis of Earth were among 40 outstanding teenagers who were spotlighted for their achievements at the 1973 4-H Gold Star Award Banquet in Lubbock Monday night.

They represented Lamb County at the event, and are son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lewis of Earth.

Parading across the stage at Lubbock's Coronado High School, the winners were presented Gold Star certificates by Billy C. Gunter and Catherine Crawford, district agents with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Joe Brown of KDAV Radio in Lubbock narrated the presentation of awards following an address by Ken Loyd, assistant to the General Manager of Texas Electric Cooperatives, Inc., Austin.

Dr. L.S. Pope, associate dean for administrative affairs, Texas A&M University, was master of ceremonies.

The Gold Star is the highest county award offered in 4-H, presented to winners for their achievements and for offering special inspiration and encouragement to all youth.

Twelve area electric cooperatives

joined in sponsoring the event. They include Bailey, Dickens, Hall, Lamb, Lea (New Mexico), and Swisher county electric cooperatives, as well as the Cap Rock, Lighthouse, Lone Wolf, Lyntegar, Midwest and South Plains electric cooperatives.

About 400 parents, Extension and electric cooperative representatives, and other special guests attended the annual event.

Ginger Rodgers, "Miss Texas Rural Electrification," was on hand to welcome the guests.

Several 4-H youths participated in the program, providing dinner music, leading in the invocation and 4-H Pledge, and in ushering.

The special recognition banquet singled out the contributions of 4-H clubs, parents, leaders, and the "dedicated men and women of the Agricultural Extension Service who provide leadership and training for 4-H clubs."

Gold Star winners must be at least 13 years of age, must have completed at least three years of club work, must be currently active in 4-H, and can receive the award only one time.

## Farmers Sign Up For More Fuel

A number of Lamb County farmers are filling out fuel allocation requests at the ASCS office.

Starting last week, the ASCS county office personnel are verifying fuel needs for hardship cases for all applications prior to their submission to the state allocation officer of the Texas Railroad Commission.

The ASCS and the Texas Railroad Commission have joined hands in an effort to increase efficiency in the

handling of the mandatory allocation of middle distillate fuels.

Forms are available at the ASCS office to adjust monthly allocation for the year or for obtaining a new allocation, also.

Richard Newman said about 15 farmers filled out fuel allocation requests at the ASCS office Monday. The majority of requests are by farmers who purchased diesel or additional tractors in 1973 or by new farmers.

## Wildcat Pep Rally Set Friday 2:45 P.M.

### High School Gym★Everyone Is Invited

Tickets for the Regional Game are now on sale at the High School—\$2.50 adults, 12th grade and under \$1.00.

Littlefield will be the visiting team at Plainview and will sit on the east side of Plainview Stadium.

## Childress Coach Comments On Upcoming Game

Bringing a 9-2 won and lost record into the regional game, Head Coach Charley Johnston of the Childress Bobcats ex-

pects "Littlefield to be the best balanced ball club we've faced all year.

"And that includes Hamlin (who faces Alpine in a regional game Friday night in Andrews) who defeated us earlier in the year 34-20. Hamlin has outstanding speed, but not the overall balance."

The Bobcats' other loss was to Wellington.

## Mozelle Hutson Wins Contest

Mozelle Hutson predicted 15 out of 16 games correctly and then guessed the outcomes on the tie breakers to win this week's Leader-News Football Contest.

Mrs. Hutson was tied with Teddy Jackson and Sharrise Cowen after the regular games, but Jackson missed one of the tie-breakers and Sharrise missed both. Mrs. Hutson wins \$5, Jackson \$3, and Sharrise \$2.

Going into the last week in the seasonal race for two tickets to the Cotton Bowl game between Texas and Nebraska, Dennis Jackson still leads with 145. Cindy McNeese is three back with 142, and Kim Hill is alone in third at 141.

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| -145-          | -138-           |
| Dennis Jackson | Elaine Turner   |
| -142-          | -137-           |
| Cindy McNeese  | Richard Hopping |
| -141-          | -135-           |
| Kim Hill       | Sharrise Cowen  |
| -140-          | Bob Clayton     |
| Larry Price    | Doug McNeese    |
| Mozelle Hutson | Teddy Jackson   |
|                | Gayle Mills     |

## Two Arrested, Accidents Checked

Police activity was light over the weekend, with no major accidents and only two arrests.

Raulo Rejino of Olton was arrested for driving while license suspended, and a Kern man was arrested on a drunk charge.

Tommy Joe Hutson of 401 E. 18th was cited by city police following more than \$800 in property damage to the Eller Plumbing shop at 100 E. 9th and damage to a guard rail and brick wall at 106 E. 9th. According to the officer's report, the car driven by Hutson hit the building, then the rail and wall about 11:45 p.m. Saturday.

Cars driven by Grady Hursley Tate and Robinette Simmons were involved in a minor accident at 200 Phelps about 11:32 a.m. Saturday. Sunday about 11:45, a car driven by Roberto Medina hit a car owned by Billy Pierce which was parked at the curb of 2000 Phelps and 23rd.

Culligan Soft Water Service reported a breaking and entering of its office, but nothing was reported missing.



LAMB COUNTY deputy Homer McLaury is retiring as a law officer after more than 20 years service in this county. McLaury has been a county deputy at Sudan during most of his tenure. He was first a deputy under Sheriff Dewey Dennis at Olton, then served as deputy under Dick Dyer and E. D. McNeese. Before his tenure with the county, McLaury was a city officer at Littlefield and Sudan. No one has been named to replace McLaury. McLaury plans to ranch northeast of Sudan and southwest of Muleshoe.

## LaVoyce Carlisle Elected We, Women' President

Thirteen members and three guests of "We, The Women" met Tuesday at noon for their regular monthly luncheon and business session.

Members elected LaVoyce Carlisle to be next year's president, and she will preside at the next meeting. Tuesday, Jan. 8 Susan Head was elected to the vice president's chair and Dee Davis will serve as secretary.

Members decided to drop the member meeting.

Presiding for the meeting Tuesday was the president, Carol Black, who presented the receipt of a letter from Watson seeking contributions, and introduced Juanita Howard to read



LA VOYCE CARLISLE

## Mr., Mrs. John Gunter Honored On Anniversary

ENOCHS—The children of Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter honored their parents with a reception in the Fellowship Hall of the United Methodist Church of Enoch on Nov. 18 from 3 to 5 in the afternoon.

The table was decorated with a white lace cloth over gold, a four-tiered white cake with the "50th" in gold on top. Punch, coffee, candies and nuts were served by the granddaughters. A gold flower arrangement was the centerpiece.

Mrs. Gaylon Rhinehart from Franklin registered the guests.

Those out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gunter

of Morton, the Carl Gunter of O'Donnell, Wesley Gunter of Plains, Bill and Wylie of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Anna Mitchell, Mrs. Lottie Mitchell, and Frank Mitchell of Kossee.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Gunter, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Motes and family of Sulphur, La., Mr. and Mrs. John Gunter Jr. and family of Muleshoe, and Byron Gunter and family of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Hattie Jones and her son, L. J. and family, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ingram all of Hereford.

There were about 250 persons registered, and they received many useful gifts.

## Birthday Dinner Honors Charlie Harris, G. H. Wood

SPRINGLAKE—CIRCLE—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wood of Cotton Center honored their fathers, Charlie Harris of Littlefield and G. H. Wood of the Circle Community with a birthday dinner Sunday. Harris is 87 and Wood is 85 years old.

Other guests were Wood's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morris of Temple, and his sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wood, all of Greenwood, Ark. A daughter-in-law, Mrs. V. G. Wood, accompanied by Mrs. Bonnie Brown, both of Olton.

Grandchildren and families present were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Wood of Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Adrian, Clay and Erin of Petersburg, and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kennedy, Karin, Chuck and Connie, and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wood, all of Olton.

Other great-grandchildren present were the Clyde Woods'

grandchildren, Larry and La Ronda Wood of Anton.

Mrs. Charlie Harris attended the dinner. Also the Harris'es daughter, Mrs. Mattie Low McCain and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Rodgers and Paula, all of Lubbock. Also the Harris'es son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood, Gary Wood and Mrs. Adrian are grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

Mrs. Wanna Rodgers of Rogers, Ark., attended the birthday dinner. She is the niece of G. H. Wood.

**CHOIR PARENTS SLATE BAKE SALE**

All Littlefield Choir Parents are sponsoring a bake sale, to be held Saturday, Dec. 1, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon in front of Roden Drug.

All types of baked goods will be on sale, and the public is invited to shop for holiday items.



MR. AND MRS. Burl McCormick and daughter, Shannon of Abilene, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ramage and other relatives.

MRS. CORRINE EVANS of Shallowater spent Monday afternoon, Nov. 26, as a guest of Mrs. W. M. Davis.

MR. AND MRS. A. L. Offield spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Midland with their sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Offield and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Offield.

VICKI GRIMES, a student at WTSU, Canyon, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Grimes.

WILL MRS. PAT Donnelly please accept my apologies for the mistake I made in the Littlefield News column, Sunday, Nov. 25. The funeral she attended in Brenham was for her cousin, Mrs. Ruth Aderhold instead of "her sister, Mrs. Ruth Aderhold" as I had written it.

GUESTS in the home of

Joella Lovvorn Sunday afternoon were her sister and family, the Bob Dollars of Farwell. They came by on their way home to pick up their daughter, Delia, who had spent a few days with Joella. They all had spent Thanksgiving at Miles with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lovvorn.

## FHA Members Present 'Silly Style Show'

The Junior High FHA members presented a "Silly Style Show" at the Hospitality House last Tuesday, Nov. 20.

The members have secret grandparents there that they care for secretly by sending cards, presents, and doing things for them.

Some of the styles they presented were a newspaper dress, bandaaid dress, Christmas lady, Raggedy Ann, music dress and others. Miss Massengill was the narrator.

The members attending were Daisy Abeyta, Lesa

Berry, Vicki Brockington, Vickie Bryant, Ida Castillo, Candy Chaney, Marilyn Cowen, Irene Diaz, Laurie Echevarria, Mary Ellen Echevarria, Kathy Elliott, Dinah Hanlin, Leigh Kirby, Julie Klein, Jackalene Lackey, Novelice Robertson, Nora Trejo and Peggy Williams.

Refreshments were served by Vickie Bryant, Ceki Brockington, Novelice Robertson, Ida Castillo and Leigh Kirby.

## Better Health, Goal Of Lung Associations

"Postmen throughout the 23 counties of the West Texas Area of the American Lung Association have been delivering thousands of Christmas Seal letters to homes and offices to mark the opening of the 1973 campaign to combat lung diseases such as asthma, emphysema, as well as tuberculosis," stated Dr. James Granberry of Lubbock, honorary Christmas Seal Chairman.

"The attractive little seals which support the year-round work of the Lung Association, are illustrations of the traditional carol 'The Twelve Days of Christmas'. Normally, 'The 12 days of Christmas' are a joyous time of year," Dr. Granberry continued, "but not for the millions of Americans who suffer from lung disease."

He revealed some sobering

statistics covering the traditional 12 days of Christmas. Scaling down the figures from yearly estimates, Dr. Granberry predicted there will be 19,300 new cases of chronic bronchitis and emphysema in this country from Dec. 25 to Epiphany, Jan. 6, which commemorates the arrival of the Magi into Jerusalem. These diseases will cause 900 deaths during the same holiday season.

Despite a steady decline over the years, there will be 1,080 new cases of tuberculosis and about 150 deaths during the 12-day period.

"A lot of the holidays will go up in smoke, as 19,726,027,000 cigarettes are smoked. That averages 12 cigarettes a day for each person in the U.S. over 18 years, according to Dr. Granberry.

As many as 9,860 persons may die prematurely from disease related to smoking during the 12 days.

Happily, some 65,750 Americans will kick the habit during this period, and reduce their risk of emphysema and chronic bronchitis, he said.

"Forgetting about lung disease during the holidays would be nice," said Dr. Granberry, "but these cripples and killers don't take holidays." Neither does your local lung association.

"We use Christmas Seal contributions to aid research and education on lung disease, air pollution and cigarette smoking. As you live and breathe give more to Christmas Seals, so we can do more."



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weige at their new business, the Yah Ta Hey, located next to Mode O' Day.

## P-TA To Stage Style Show

The Olton P-TA is staging a Christmas style show, "Winter Wonderland" Friday night, Nov. 30, at 7:30 in the school cafeteria.

Both adult and children's Christmas styles will be presented, and the public is invited.

Refreshments will be

served, and door prizes will be given during the show.

Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for students. "Proceeds from the ticket sales will go into the purchase of playground equipment for the school," stated P-TA President Beverly Stewart.

## Knights Rest Home

VISITING WITH Mrs. Inez Brown during the week were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Brown. Also Mr. and Mrs. Boren all of Littlefield.

MRS. FRANCES SHAW and Greta Paul of Canyon visited with our new resident, Mrs. Daisy Gordon.

MR. AND MRS. Omer Needy visited with Mrs. Henderson last Friday.

VISITING Mrs. Saleana Evitt was her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evitt of Portales, N.M.

MR. AND MRS. Clendon Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Williams visited their mother, Mrs. Jephtha Williams.

REV. JOE JAMES made his usual rounds in the home Saturday morning.

MRS. GAITHER of Lubbock visited her grandmother, Mrs. Lucy Bright. Also Nelda Thornburgh visited with Mrs. Bright (grandmother).

VISITING with Mrs. Golden Sullivan during the week was Sullivan of Morton, her brother, Hoyt Williams of Dallas, her sister, Dot Williams of Lubbock and her daughter, Joan Tomson of Littlefield.

MR. AND MRS. Harvey Theford of Dallas visited with his mother, Mrs. Josephine Theford.

MR. AND MRS. L. E. Downs of Anton visited with Mrs. Hattie Snitker, a new resident of the home.

MR. AND MRS. Fate Hutcheson of Dallas visited his father, O. E. Hutcheson. Our sympathy to the Hutcheson family on the death of Mrs. Ruby Hutcheson.

JEAN CHESHER and Kenneth Knight, administrators of the home,

went to Lubbock for a one-day seminar, held at the Red Raider Inn. Others who attended as guests of the home were Mrs. Geneva Horton (LVN of the home) Mary Cowan, Edith Turner and Kay Collins all with the Hospital Auxiliary.

MRS. JANE THOMPSON spent Thursday night and Friday with her daughter and family, the Cecil Jones of Bula.

THANKS to the Parkview Baptist Church for their regular Sunday afternoon services.

MRS. GILLERY visited with Mrs. Mary Wright.

GARY SHERRILL visited with his grandfather, Edd Mayfield and Mrs. Minnie Clifton.

MR. AND MRS. Martinez and family and Carolina Galvan of Portales, N.M. visited with Paula Oliveraz Sunday.

NANCY HOGAN of Lubbock visited with Spain Thweatt Sunday afternoon.

MRS. J. E. KNIGHT and granddaughter Linda Bundick went to Big Lake Friday and returned Saturday. Coming home with them was Mrs. Kinght's daughter and grandson, Mrs. Darla Armistead and Adam Ryan. They stayed through Thanksgiving.

MRS. DEMETRIS BRIGANCE visited with her mother, Mrs. Allie Haile during the week.

KAY COLLINS and Mary Cowan visited with all the residents in the home.

R. L. BAKER is a new resident in the home.

MISS VICKIE DUKATNIK and David Dukatnik visited their great-grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Hemphill. Vickie fixed Mrs. Hemphill's hair for her.

## SPADE NEWS

MR. AND MRS. Bert of Lubbock and Dr. and Greg Chu of Lawrence visited in the home of Mrs. Robert Ramage of Mrs. Wang and her Dr. Chu and his wife Hong Kong and Mr. Wang from Taiwan. They were interested in learning the farm and how to grow and harvest. He is a teacher at the University of Kansas and Mr. Wang are students at Tech.

THURSDAY DINNER guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mote were Mr. and Mrs. Don Mote and Tony Plainview and Orla Dony and Alan of Levelland.

VISITING the Abilene for Thanksgiving dinner Mr. and Mrs. Carl William Carl, Phyllis Michele of Needmore, Mrs. Billy Ray of Olton and Mrs. Harvey Ray and Bobby of Amarillo and Mrs. Don Ray, Darren, London, and Ed Dimmitt.

MR. AND MRS. Wisocki of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey.

MR. AND MRS. Hammock, Albert and Littlefield, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Thursday.

MR. AND MRS. Stanley had as their guests Thursday, Mr. Rex Cooper of Amarillo and Mrs. Jerry Co Katherine and Amy of and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, Tammy and of Fort Worth.

MR. AND MRS. Stubblefield arrived Tuesday from Mustang, Mexico to visit with relatives and friends for Thanksgiving weekend, returned to Mexico Monday morning and Glenn is for a longer visit.

THURSDAY DINNER guests in the home of Mr. L. Stubblefield were Stubblefield, Dee De Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Stubblefield and Lisa, Stubblefield, Sheila H. and Bremmer Sherman from Denver Colorado, Olen Stubblefield and Roark from Ruidoso, Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Thurman and Smokey Levelland, Rev. and Dennis Heard and Dick Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Toombs and Patty Heard Lubbock, Mr. and Dwight Faver and Mr. Mrs. Kerwin Oliver and E.

MR. AND MRS. S. Orbison visited in Fort Worth for Thanksgiving dinner Mrs. Orbison's parents.

MR. AND MRS. Tollett and Mr. and Mrs. Brasswell were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stanley and Thursday.

MR. AND MRS. H. Bradley, Gayle and The had as their Thanksgiving dinner guests, Mr. and Luther Wood.

MRS. GUY BALLARD honored with a pink and shower Saturday afternoon the Spade Church of C. classroom building. Hostess for the occasion were Wynneast, Betty Neely, Oliver, Kathy Feagley, Foster, Bea Stanley, Sewell, Beryl Vann, Cook, Rita Orbison, Bradley, and Lurline. Hostess gift was a high chair and baby book.

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**GOLDMASTER DIAMOND CENTER**

**Square Dance Set Saturday**

The Lubbock Area Square and Round Dance Federation will open their fourth dance of the season at the Fair Park Coliseum with Nelson Watkins as the feature caller. Request rounds will begin at 7:30 p.m. and a Grand March will start the evening's square dancing at 8 p.m. Saturday.

Watkins and his wife, Porcia, entered the world of square dancing early in 1964, and he was so enchanted with the caller's chant that, with the help of his wife and mother-in-law, he began calling in July 1964. He is the club caller for Enchanted Squares of Roswell. He is well known for his calling in New Mexico, Oklahoma, Colorado, and Texas and has called in California and Arizona and at festivals in Gulfport, Mississippi, and Florida. He has also called at the National Square Dance Convention in New Orleans.

Terry Twirlers of Brownfield, will be the host club for this dance. Gene Weldon will be the MC for the evening.

About 500 dancers are expected to attend this function. Spectators are welcome without charge.

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BUFORD THOMP- had members of her had as guests for evening dinner. Mr. and Arlis Humphreys, the Allen Humphreys family Sudan, the Norman Humphreys family, the Barry family and Mr. and G. C. Bearden also at-  
THY and Margie Faust hock spent part of their evening holidays with grandmother, Mrs. John  
AND MRS. Carl Odom an of Lubbock were here Thanksgiving with her Mr. and Mrs. Ben Billie Greener was from Fort Hood also.  
AND MRS. Jim Melton Thanksgiving with his Mr. and Mrs. Joe in Odessa.  
AND MRS. L. W. illan of Dallas arrived yday for a visit with his Mrs. N. H. Humphries Mr. Humphries. He ill Thursday and has a patient in the local al since that time.  
AND MRS. Leonard of Tulla were here ay morning. He con- ed the funeral of Mrs. Ora at the Church of Christ, ing B. T. Briggs.  
ANKSGIVING guests of ents, Mr. and Mrs. Landers and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Steve of Weatherford, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mac es of Lubbock.  
EVE MARTIN has ac- ed a position with the al Revenue Service in oma City. He is com- ing his college work at western State College in utherford and he com- es to his work in oma City.  
S EVA ATWAY was ears old Nov. 23rd. She es at Amherst Manor. Friends Mrs. Jackie Smith Mrs. Myrtle Baland of a took her to Littlefield dmer. Sunday Mr. and Ernest Venerable took to Anton to church.  
ENDING THURSDAY Sunday with her parents, and Mrs. Jack Yarbrough brother Paul and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simp- rory, Rhonda and dell of Richardson.

MR. AND MRS. Floyd Rowell were in Sherman last week due to the illness of a relative.

THANKSGIVING guests of Mrs. S. E. Lance and the Gene Youngs were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lance, Lyndon and Carol of Quanah, Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Blair, Janie and Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Winton, Richard and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Plank of Lubbock.

KAY CAMPBELL was home from Weatherford, Okla. for Thanksgiving, Pam Yantis was here from Tech and Verina Stagner from West Texas State.

BLANE SIMMONS spent Thanksgiving with Misses V. O. and Willie White and Charlie White. He went to Perryton for the remainder of the vacation with his sister, Mrs. Pete Coates and family.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. Goodin and Darlene returned to Tucson Sunday after being here for Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and Mrs. Bill Taylor Jr. of Muleshoe were here part of

the time and Mr. and Mrs. Al Goodin of Claude. They visited Mrs. O. B. Whitford in Earth also.

REMEMBER that Satur- day, Dec. 1st, the Amherst Study Club is sponsoring a bake sale at the Amherst Drug Store. Place your order with any member of the club or attend the sale for cakes, pies, cookies or bread. Mrs. Karen Rich is general chairman of the sale.

MR. AND MRS. Stephen Cox and Brent of Littlefield visited Amherst relatives and friends Sunday.

MRS. ETHEL LOGAN and daughter Mrs. Bob Gronewald of Wellington left Thursday for California when word was received that Eddie Logan, their son and brother, a member of the Marine Corps had been killed in a motor- cycle accident.

ALF USELTON is at Burk- burnet where he attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Usetlon. He accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Tapley and Mrs. Stella Usetlon.



JAN SISSON, standing, and Pam Parrott were named recently to the All-Region Choir, representing the Littlefield High School Choir. Miss Sisson is now eligible for tryouts for the All-State Choir. (Staff Photo)

### NEWS ABOUT LAMB COUNTY SERVICEMEN

#### DAVID CHRONISTER

David L. Chronister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack T. Chronister of Littlefield, has been promoted to sergeant in the U.S. Air Force.

Sergeant Chronister, a weapons mechanic at Eglin AFB, Fla., is assigned to a unit of the Tactical Air Command.

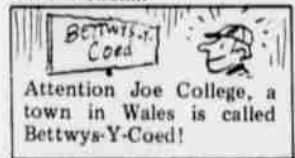
The sergeant is a 1969 graduate of Littlefield High School. His wife, Nellie, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion J. Williams of Littlefield.

#### JERRY L. STONE

Army Private Jerry L. Stone, 17, son of Mrs. J. Stone, Route 1, Slaton, is assigned to the 1st Cavalry Division at Ft. Hood, Tex.

Pvt. Stone is a rifleman with Company B, 1st Battalion of the Division's 8th Cavalry.

His father, Paul S. Stone, lives in Sudan.



### Home Owners Attend State Meeting

T. R. Jewell and Billy Jewell, representing the Jewell's Hospitality House, of Littlefield, has just returned from the Texas Nursing Home Association's 23rd Annual Convention, held Nov. 7-9, at the San Antonio Convention Center.

The meeting drew more than 1,000 nursing home owners, administrators, guests, exhibitors, and representatives from the health care field. The Texas Nursing Home Association represents over 45,000 licensed nursing home beds in Texas and is the largest nursing home association in the United States.

T. R. Jewell is past president of the South Plains Council of Nursing Homes, and a former State Committee Chairman.

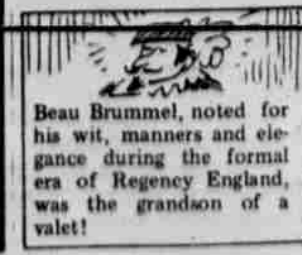
TNHA represents both privately owned and non-profit long term care facilities, and it is dedicated to the continuing improvement of quality health care for the aged. Recognizing that challenge, which is always present in the delivery of quality health care, TNHA designated "The Challenge of Change" as its Convention theme.

In helping to meet that challenge, the meeting offered six hours of education credit to those attending approved by the Texas Board of Licensure for Nursing Home Administrators. The special education sessions were supervised by the University of Texas at Austin, Division of Extension, Distributive Education Department.

A large educational trade show allowed Convention delegates to become acquainted with the latest products and services available within the profession.

The Convention concluded on Friday, Nov. 9, with a gala banquet and dance. A new president and board of directors were installed for 1973-74.

The Jewell Brothers also operate the Holiday House Nursing Home in Lubbock at 2418 6th.



News about our Lamb County Neighbors in:

## OLTON

MRS. W. B. SMITH, JR. 285-2385

THE SORLEY family held their family Get-together Thursday in Lubbock Methodist Wesley Foundation Center. Enjoying turkey and dressing with all the trimmings were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sorley and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sorley and children of Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. Don Powell of Friona; Mrs. Bell Maynard of Nowata, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Burkhalter of Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carson and children of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Sorley of Plainview; Pam Mills and Kirt of Stinnett; Mrs. Johnnie Lewis of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sorely, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Kelley all of Olton.

GUESTS LAST weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burkhalter were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Burkhalter of Stratford and Miss Judy Burkhalter of Denton.

SPENDING Thursday and Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Cole and children in Dimmitt was her mother, Mrs. Bill Yates and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dan Yates and children of Ruidoso.

MR. AND MRS. Gradene Franklin of Irvin visited a few days last week in the home of his mother, Mrs. Patsy Franklin.

REV. AND MRS. John Lewis have gone to Houston to visit in the homes of two of their children, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Holliman. Another daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gassiot plan to join them there.

MR. AND MRS. D. B. Adair visited Monday through Friday in El Paso in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Adair. While on this trip they all visited in Mexico one day.

MEMBERS of Home Demonstration Club along with their families met Thursday Nov. 15 in the PCA Party Room for a Thanksgiving supper. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pittillo, and children, Mickey, Kent, Rodney, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Trusty, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Souter, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kennedy, Mark and LESLIE, Mmes. V. O. Harrod, Ruby Crosby and Julia Hoskins. Next regular meeting of this group will be a Christmas Party Dec. 4 in the home of Mrs. Lee Simmons. Visitors are welcome to attend all meetings. New members are needed.

RANDY McCOY, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCoy, a student at West Texas State University, spent Thanksgiving holidays here visiting relatives and friends. DEEPEST SYMPATHY to Mr. H. R. Keeler, in the passing of his sister, Mrs. Beulah Castleberry of Cordell, Okla. Services were held Friday at 2:30 p.m.

MRS. MARGARET Burrus was dismissed Wednesday from Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview, where she underwent surgery. Presently she is visiting in Dumas in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Williams.

MRS. RAINER, mother of Mrs. Francis Leathers, was dismissed from Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview, Saturday.

CRYSTAL HAMBY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hamby, was returned to Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview, Monday.

TRAVIS THOMAS remains in St. Francis, Hospital in Amarillo.

J. C. ROBERSON, father of Richard Roberson, is in Heritage Home in Plainview.

VICKY GREEN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gene Green, student at West Texas State University, visited her during the Thanksgiving Holidays.

### Family Bingo Night Slated

The Amherst Lions Club will sponsor a family Bingo game night Saturday, Dec. 8. Action will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Amherst Community Center. Cash prizes will be awarded.

### Suit, Clothing Drive Begins At Boys Ranch

The goal to provide each of the 368 boys at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch with a new suit or clothing package for Christmas has begun.

The annual Christmas Suit Fund has become a favorite way of giving for friends of the boys who contribute \$25 for this purpose.

"Although costs for new suits will exceed \$25, some of the Ranch's boys receive clothing packages for less than that amount," Virgil Patterson, Ranch president, said.

"Amarillo merchants also help by making it possible for the boys to have suits at discounts. Suits and clothing packages will average about \$25 per boys."

The suits replace those that have been worn out or outgrown, and in many cases, they are the first new suits some of the boys have ever owned. The boys get to select their own suits from Amarillo department stores.

"A new suit is the best Christmas present a boy can receive because it is a year-round reminder of those who care," Patterson said.

Contributions to the Boys Ranch Christmas Suit Fund may be mailed to the Boys Ranch Office, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas, 79105, or taken to the administrative office at 600 West 11th Street in Amarillo.

### Hospitality House News

By MRS. JONNIE CHAPMAN

CHURCH SERVICES were well attended Sunday. Tommy Lobaugh does an excellent job of directing the singing with Miss Massengill at the piano. Jan Sisson sang two solos. David Hamblin, minister of United Methodist Church, gave the Scripture lesson. Jack Fore gave the benediction. MRS. MAGGIE FOLEY was visiting with her mother, Mrs. Birdie Sisson Tuesday.

THE JUNIOR High FHA girls came to the home Tuesday, and put on a Spring Fashion Show. They modeled fashions from, music teacher, play wear, beach wear, newspaper work, to lounging robes for wear after you have done all your work. They sang songs with Kathy Perry at the piano. They also brought and served refreshments of punch and cookies. They were accompanied by their advisor, Miss Ellen Massengill and Mrs. Wanda Chaney. We en-

joyed your visit very much. Thanks and come again.

MRS. ALMA HOLLAND of Amherst visited with Mrs. Effie Taply Wednesday.

MR. AND MRS. Clarence Albus and baby visited with Mrs. Victoria Albus Wednesday.

#### BOOK MOBILE SCHEDULE

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in this area next week.

Tuesday, Dec. 4: Morton, 9:30-11:45.

Wednesday, Dec. 5: Circleback, 9-10; Bula #1, 10:15-11:15; and Bula #2, 12-1.

Thursday, Dec. 6: Amherst, 9:15-10:15; Springlake #1, 11-11:45; Springlake #2, 12-1; and Earth, 1:15-3:45.

Friday, Dec. 7: Pleasant Valley, 10-11; Sudan #1, 12-1; and Sudan #2, 1:3-4:5.

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<b>25 PRS MEN'S DRESS SHOES AND CASUAL SHOES</b> ORIGINALLY 6.00 TO 20.00, NOW <b>\$2 TO \$5</b>	<b>GIRLS SWEATERS</b> CARDIGAN STYLES TURTLENECK STYLES ENTIRE STOCK <b>\$1.99-\$2.99</b>
<b>10 PRS BOYS DRESS SHOES AND SCHOOL SHOES</b> ORIGINALLY 6.00 TO 11.50, NOW <b>\$2 TO \$4</b>	<b>BOYS SHIRTS</b> PLAID FLANNEL LONG SLEEVES ORIG. 2.98 <b>\$1.50</b>

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# EDITORIAL

## Time To Be Tough

**THERE ARE SOME THINGS** money—dollars, at least—cannot buy. As a number of authorities have warned for some time, this may prove to be the case with foreign imports of petroleum.

These authorities have said all along that there is no substitute for intelligent and aggressive development of U.S. oil and gas resources. They have warned against the folly of delaying the trans-Alaska pipeline, offshore exploration and other policies and measures that have discouraged oil industry incentives.

Now the chickens are coming home to roost.

**THE OIL-RICH** Arab world, for one, has no qualms about the thought of Americans shivering away the winter in heatless homes—or struggling to work under automobile gas rationing programs.

By mere possession of some of the best oil and natural gas producing fields on Earth, the Arabs are able to dictate on their own terms the processing of such valuable forms of energy to the rest of the world.

For the U.S., that could very well mean a rather severe, indefinitely

prolonged energy shortage... This prospective shortage has been aggravated by the illusion that cheap foreign oil imports could be counted on to compensate for the crippling restrictions imposed on domestic producers.

The implicit threat to national security in such a situation and the danger of our energy-starved nation becoming a victim of international blackmail apparently has been of little concern to those who have sought to block the efforts of the petroleum industry to meet rising petroleum needs.

**AS COLUMNIST** Joseph Alsop concludes, "The only workable way out—is to be tough with ourselves. In fact, we now need a ruthlessly stern national energy policy, aimed towards a high measure of national self dependence in U.S. energy requirements."

In other words, a strong domestic petroleum industry should now be a primary goal of the energy policy makers.

### FUEL SHORTAGE



### THE ABUNDANT LIFE

## Good People



By BOB WEIR

"THERE ARE STILL good people in the world" is an expression we hear now and then, and it may very well be that it is accurate to say that most people will be found in this category.

No, people are not perfect; but, generally, most of the people we know and with whom we have business and social contacts are interested in doing the best they know to do.

**A FEW DAYS AGO** I paid a man a sum of money. The amount was an over-charge. The man did not know me, and, so far as he knew he would never see me again. He was, however, trying to get in touch with me to make a refund of \$41.00.

Neither he nor I knew that we would meet again, but we did. When I walked into his office, he said, "I have been trying to call you to let you know that I owe you some money." Then, he explained what had happened. Most of us have probably had a similar experience, or experiences.

**MANY PEOPLE ARE HONEST.** It may not seem so, if we let the incidents about which we read and hear dominate our thinking. Most people are, at least, trying to be honest; and they are in their intentions and according to the information available.

Oh yes, some folk are dishonest; but much, very much, of what appears to be dishonesty is, in the very strictest sense, just a mistake. It may include some bad judgment, and some carelessness. Dishonesty is not the intent, even though it does come out as such.

**PERHAPS YOU HAVE NOT** that most people keep the promises they make. This practice goes on every day after day. In fact, it is unusual if people fail to keep the promises they make.

Then, some who do not honor promises do not fail intentionally. They did not intend to break a promise; when they made it, they intended to keep the promises they made. But these are the minority.

**PEOPLE ARE INTERESTED** other people, in their welfare. Although this interest may not always be expressed in the most desirable way in the way they would like to express the interest is genuine.

Usually, the only thing most people need to know is that there is someone who can do to help someone. When they know, and are able to help, they do. Yes, there are good people, "good" people.

**HAVE YOU NOT FOUND** to be courteous? They are courteous to the extent that they frequently show kindly deference toward others. Try making a list of the observed instances of the different expressions of some form of courtesy. Perhaps you would be surprised, pleasantly surprised.

**THERE ARE MANY "good"** people and all of us will be encouraged to encourage each other; if we talk about all of the "good" in people and their behavior.

## OBITUARIES

### WELDON CRISWELL

Services for Weldon Criswell, 62, of Lubbock, who died at 10 p.m. Friday, Nov. 23, in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital, were conducted Sunday afternoon in the First United Methodist Church of Amherst.

Officiating were Rev. Elmer Crabtree of Olton, George Butler of Amherst and Hoyt Cranfield of Anton.

Burial was in the Amherst Cemetery with Payne Funeral Home of Amherst in charge of arrangements.

Criswell was a native of Comanche and had lived in Amherst from 1924 to 1951, when he moved to Lubbock. He was a retired farmer and employe of Plains Natural Gas Co.

He married Ester Lee Ozment Sept. 10, 1923 in Hale Center.

Surviving are his wife; three sons, Don Criswell of Amarillo, Doug Criswell of Anton, and David Criswell of Virginia Beach, Va.; a brother, Skeeter Criswell of Lubbock; two sisters, LaMoine Carpenter of Farmington, N.M., and Monte Coulson of Lubbock; and 10 grandchildren.

### L. J. INKLEBARGER

Services for Leon Jackson Inklebarger, 68, of Hereford, who died at 9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 24, in the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford, were conducted Wednesday afternoon in the Hammons Funeral Chapel in Littlefield.

Officiating was Rev. Jim Palmer, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Sapde.

Inklebarger was a native of Sterling, Okla. and had lived in Hereford 25 years. Burial was in Littlefield Cemetery.

He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Essie Clark of Mojave, Calif.; and three brothers, J. R. Inklebarger of Spade, I. O. Inklebarger of San Ardo, Calif., and Clarence Inklebarger of West Lake, Mo.

### EDWIN LOGAN JR.

Funeral services for Marine Cpl. Edwin A. Logan Jr., 26, who was killed in a motorcycle accident Thursday, Nov. 22, in Midway City, Calif., were conducted Wednesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Amherst.

Rev. Glenn Willson, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the Amherst Cemetery, with military graveside rites.

Surviving are his wife, Barbara; a son, Alan Logan; his mother, Mrs. Ethel Logan of Amherst; his father, Edwin Logan of Clovis, N.M.; a sister Robbie Logan of Gronewall; and a grandmother, Mrs. H. Pace of Amherst.

### HARLEY F. MILLER

Services for Harley F. Miller, 62, who died at 7:30 a.m. Sunday at his home near Olton, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in the Hopewell Baptist Church near Olton.

Officiating were Rev. Ronnie Travis, pastor, and Rev. Pat Gloria, pastor of the Baptist Mission in Olton.

Miller was found dead at his home north of Olton Sunday morning. Justice of the Peace W. G. Finney ruled death was due to self-inflicted gunshot wound.

Burial was in Olton Cemetery under direction of Parsons Funeral Home.

Miller was born July 9, 1912 at Harrison, Ark. and had lived in Olton 23 years. He was a farmer, and had been a Baptist since 1943.

Surviving are his wife, Eva; three sons, J. C. Miller of Hart, Paul Miller of Olton and Frank Miller of Plainview; a brother, Charles Miller of Dalhart; and three grandchildren.

### EARNIE H. MITCHELL

Funeral services for Earnie H. Mitchell, 59, of Rt. 2, Levelland, who died at 5:15 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 27, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following a short illness, were conducted Wednesday afternoon in Park Drive Baptist Church in Levelland.

Rev. Perry Threadgill, pastor, officiated, and burial was in the City of Levelland Cemetery with George Price Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

Mitchell was born Dec. 30, 1913 at Winters and had been a resident of Hockley County since 1932, when he went there from Littlefield.

He was a member of Park Drive Baptist Church at Levelland where he was a deacon. He was a farmer and married the former Leta Morrow Jan. 3, 1937 in Whiteface.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Jane Stacy of Levelland and Mrs. Mrs. Lavender of Denver, Colo.; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Mitchell of Rt. 2, Levelland; a brother, David Mitchell of Rt. 2, Levelland; three sisters, Mrs. Ouida Morrow of Rt. 2, Levelland, Mrs. Verta Lee Watson of Littlefield and Mrs. Elsie Antes of New Braunfels; and two grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Danny Grant, Durwood Hope, Pat McCutchin, Bill Lavender, J. G. Stacy and Jack Issack.

### CARRIE STEPHENS

Services for Mrs. Carrie Stephens, 76, of Levelland, who died Sunday afternoon, Nov. 25, in a Littlefield hospital following a lengthy illness, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in George Price Funeral Home at Levelland.

Officiating was Rev. S. L. Yielding, pastor of Emmanuel Baptist Church of Lubbock.

Burial was in the Ropesville Cemetery.

Mrs. Stephens was a native of Johnson County and had lived in Hockley County since 1926. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Ropesville.

Surviving are her two daughters, Mrs. Guy Olinb of Las Cruces, N.M. and Mrs. Lee Diggs of Rt. 1, Levelland; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

### MARION LEONARD STEPHENS

Funeral services for a former Earth resident, Marion Leonard Stephens, 40, of Lubbock, who died Saturday afternoon, Nov. 24, in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital following a lengthy illness, were conducted Monday afternoon in the W. W. Rix Chapel in Lubbock.

Rev. Wade Griffin, associate pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiated.

Graveside services were conducted Monday afternoon in the Earth Cemetery at Earth, with burial under the direction of Rev. Funeral Directors of Lubbock.

Stephens was a native of Hale County but was reared at Earth. He lived in Lubbock seven years before moving to Dallas three years ago. He returned to Lubbock about a month ago.

He was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Earth, and was a

member of the Earth Masonic Lodge.

Surviving are his wife, Glenda of New Deal; two sons, Steve Stephens of Lubbock and Neal Ray Stephens of Dallas; his mother, Mrs. Roy Neal Sr. of Lubbock; a half brother, Max Neal of Lubbock; a half sister, Mrs. Bill Wicks Jr. of Odessa; a step brother, Roy Neal Jr. of Lubbock; and two step sisters, Mrs. Fred McGinnis and Mrs. Clyde Newell, both of Clovis, N.M. and; a step daughter, Kathy Perkins of New Deal.

### GEORGE BRYAN TRUITT

Services for George Bryan Truitt, 73, of Plainview, former Olton resident who died at approximately 9:45 p.m. Friday, Nov. 24, at his home after a lengthy illness, were conducted Monday afternoon in the College Heights Baptist Church in Plainview.

Officiating were Rev. Joe Knowles, pastor and Rev. Carol Milner, pastor of the Countryside Freewill Baptist Church of Alma, Okla.

Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park with Lemons Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Truitt was a native of Gainesville and grew up in Alma. He went to Plainview in 1940 from Olton. He had farmed most of his life and did general contracting and carpentry work in Plainview. He retired in 1964. He was a former member of College Heights Baptist Church and of the Countryside Freewill Baptist Church of Alma.

Surviving are his wife, Lenora; three daughters, Mrs. James Temple and Mrs. Roy Berner, both of Plainview, and Mrs. Bill Spitzer of Houston; two step daughters, Mrs. "Dude" Brown of Alma and Mrs. Bill Mangum of Jena, La.; a brother, Pascal Truitt of Healdton, Okla.; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

### JOHNNIE ALMEDI WILLIAMS

Funeral services for Johnnie Almedi Williams, 68, of Hereford, who died Monday, Nov. 19, after suffering an apparent heart attack at the home of a friend in Austin, were conducted Friday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Friona.

Officiating was Rev. Charles Broadhurst, pastor. Burial was in Parmer County Memorial Park in Friona with Parsons-Elis Funeral Home of Friona in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Williams was a native of Valley Mills and had lived in Hereford 24 years. She was a Baptist.

Surviving are her husband, L. E. Williams of Littlefield; three sons, Tommy Williams of Friona, Earl Williams of Clarendon and Pat Williams of Clovis, N.M.; two sisters, Viola Montgomery of Truth or Consequences, N.M.; and Lela Thompson of Memphis; a brother, Jesse Bridges of Memphis; 11 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.



### TIME FOR FOOD, FIBER

November—a time for harvesting, for thanksgiving—is an appropriate time to pay tribute to the great agricultural industry in Texas. So, November has been designated as Food and Fiber Appreciation Month. Not only do food and fiber products produced in Texas help feed and clothe the people of this state and nation, but many of these products also go abroad. With a growing population, increased per capita disposable income and an increased demand for food and fiber products, the agricultural industry will continue to grow.

**WE HEARTILY** congratulate our Bi-District Champion football 'Cats. They are realizing the fruits of their long hours of conditioning and work they've put in this summer and fall.

We know that the road has been long, and at times painful, however if they can maintain the desire and determination displayed this past Friday night, they're far from through yet.

**GREAT GOING, 'CATS,** we're proud of you, and ready to support you all the way!

**I DON'T LIKE** being the vengeful type. It isn't in good keeping with gentlemanly conduct. (I even have trouble not trying to be nice to Turn Row.) But there's something about our relationship with "them Arabs" that kind of goes against the grain.

If they are going to take the position against shipping crude to us, while shutting the taps on the oil wells (Which WE HAVE DEVELOPED) then I'm of the opinion that a little rebuff might not be out of order.

**MIGHT EVEN SUGGEST** that we

stop sending them our money, food and grain!

**WHEN THEY SAY** the speed limit to be 50 m.p.h.—Does that mean you're goin' to football games, too?

**SPEAKIN' OF SPEED** limiting wish that the powers that be could up with something realistic. Fifty has been suggested by some big-wigs came up with that figure out of the

The change is too drastic. And difference of the average car in consumption, between 50 and 60 is worth mentioning. Too, there are guys that can make their cars use more gas at 50 than others do at 70. It isn't highway usage that dips badly in fuel consumption. Stop start city usage is the real villain, few cities allow 50 m.p.h. in their limit except on freeways.

**THEN ALSO,** it'll have to apply ALL traffic. Can't you just picture a wheeler truck trying to weave its thru 50-mph traffic, trying to make legal fifty-five?—Betcha the dirt would be filled with "Bugs" "Roller-Skates" in no time at all.—Gripe!

## Turn Row COMMENTS

By EMIL MACHA

**THANKSGIVING** is behind us, harvest is one of the best in history, anyone that wants to work can get a job, and prices for the farm commodities and labor is at an all-time high.

In other words, the economic situation for this area is the best it has been in years.

Guess most of you are wondering what I'm driving at. Well, I wonder how many of us have stopped and offered thanks to the Lord for the blessings He has bestowed on us.

Now that I've come to the subject of thanksgiving, it is my opinion that what this community and most other communities need is a good old-fashioned church bell to wake us up and remind us that we need to give some time to the Lord.

I can recall during my time with Uncle Sam when we were awakened Sunday mornings with the ringing of the church bell from the post chapel. I remember after getting up, there would always be a few soldiers that would turn over to try to go back to sleep, but were awakened by the second call and would get up and go to the chapel. Maybe if we had something to wake us up and remind us it is Sunday, it may bring more to church.

At least it might arouse a few questions from our youngsters, which in turn may stimulate some change in some of our homes.

**THE SOUTH PLAINS** cotton harvest passed the 500,000 bale mark during the past week and is nearing peak activity. Sample receipts at the four South Plains classing offices have reached a seasonal high of approximately 40,000 samples daily.

The U.S.D.A Cotton Classing Office at Lubbock, Brownfield, Lamesa and Levelland classed samples from 23 bales during the week ending Friday, Nov. 23rd. This brought the total classed this season to 572.00.

Estimates indicate that approximately one-third of this season's crop is now out of the fields. At this date last year only 12 samples of the 1972 crop had been classed.

Quality of cotton continued excellent and is considerably higher than last year.

**IN REFERENCE** to our last puzzle the answer should be 24 eggs.

**ACCORDING** to the Wall Street Journal, "Students have defaulted \$55.2 million of federally guaranteed loans over the past five years, the Dept. of Education said. Officials said have recovered only \$3.2 million of amount so far, and have increased number of collectors to 28 from 10." Some \$6.1 billion of federal and guaranteed loans have gone to million college and vocational students since the program began in 1966; about 75 percent of the defaulted students at vocational schools.

**CHECK FURNACE FILTERS** before heating season gets underway. A filter means cleaner air to add to comfort. It also means more efficient operation of your heating unit. Check the furnace blower belt for cracks and signs of wear and oil the fan and motor with a lightweight engine oil.

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 GREAT FOR ARTIFICIAL TREES 35 LIGHT SET-WEATHER PROOF-IF ONE LIGHT GOES OUT THE REST STAY LIT.  
 REG. 1.42 SALE **99¢**

**Sportsman FLUORESCENT LANTERN**  
 FOR CAMPING, BOATING, HUNTING, FISHING  
 LONG LASTING OPERATION 360 DEGREE ILLUMINATION  
 REGULAR 39.95 SALE **\$23.99**

**CHRISTMAS RIBBON**  
 PACKAGE OF 10 FASHION RIBBONS 200 FT TOTAL  
 REGULAR 82¢ SALE **63¢**

**"HI-DOTTIE" DOLL**  
 TALKS WITH YOU-SAYS 11 DIFFERENT THINGS  
 17 1/2" DOLL WITH PLAY PHONE  
 REGULAR 15.97 SALE **\$12.77**

**FOIL WRAP**  
 6 ROLLS, 29 SQ FT  
 REGULAR 79¢ SALE **63¢**

**"NEW ARRIVAL" DOLL**  
 BY HORSEMAN  
 ALL SOFT FOAM FILLED CRIES MA-MA  
 REGULAR 9.99 SALE **\$7.99**

**Monday Night Football**  
 REALISTIC-COMPUTERIZED-ELECTRICAL BY AURORA  
 REGULAR 10.97 SALE **\$8.77**

**KENNER CLOSE & PLAY PHOTOGRAPH**  
 PLAYS 45 RPM RECORD WITH LID CLOSED  
 REG. 8.99 SALE **\$7.19**

**ROMAN BRIO GIFT SET**  
 2 AFTER SHAVE 2 SHAVING CREAM 2 DEODORANT  
 REGULAR 6.00 SALE **\$3.77**

**Mattel-O-Phone**  
 MATEL  
 VOICE COMES FROM RECEIVER 5 RECORDS INCLUDED  
 REGULAR 10.97 SALE **\$8.77**

**ALBERTO VO5 Hair Spray**  
 MIRAL PLUS 6 OZ SPRAY CAN  
 REGULAR 1.79 SALE **\$1.34**

**LEADING LADY Facial Tissue**  
 200 CT BOX  
 REGULAR 27¢ SALE **5 FOR 99¢**

**VAN WYCK PORTABLE MIXER**  
 2 SPEED CHROMED PUSH BUTTON MOTOR FOR EASY CLEAN UPS  
 REGULAR 12.99 SALE **\$10.39**

**BARBIE COUNTRY CAMPER**  
 FOR BARBIE TO EXPLORE THE GREAT OUTDOORS  
 REGULAR 12.88 SALE **\$10.29**

**Multiple Vitamins**  
 BEXEL SPECIAL FORMULA 180 CAPSULES  
 REGULAR 4.80 SALE **\$3.36**

**PALMOLIVE RAPID SHAVE Shave Cream**  
 REG., FRESH LIME, LIME, MENTHOL MINT, COOL MINT  
 REGULAR 89¢ SALE **73¢**

**WILSON FAMOUS PLAYER BASKETBALL KIT**  
 BASKETBALL, GOAL & NET BASKETBALL OFFICIAL SIZE, VINYL CONSTRUCTION  
 REGULAR 8.09 SALE **\$6.47**

**Excedrin P.M.**  
 50 TABLET SIZE  
 REGULAR 1.23 SALE **92¢**

**NORWICH Aspirins**  
 500 TABLET SIZE  
 REGULAR 1.69 SALE **75¢**

**KIWI SHOE SHINE KIT**  
 REGULAR 2.19 SALE **\$1.43**

**FISHER PRICE'S PLAY FAMILY CIRCUS TRAIN**  
 PERFORMING ANIMALS BOYS-GIRLS AGES 2-8  
 REGULAR 10.88 SALE **\$8.69**

**Plus White Toothpaste**  
 6.75 OZ TUBE REGULAR 99¢ SALE **74¢**

**STORE HOURS**  
 MON.-SAT. 8:00-8:00  
 SUNDAY 1:00-7:00

WHERE YOU ALWAYS BUY THE BEST FOR LESS  
**GIBSON'S DISCOUNT CENTER**

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## Wanted

**CUSTOM Farm work**—breaking, listing, discing, treflaning, fertilizing, Phone Leroy Davis 385-3253 or Littlefield Butane 385-3010. TF-D

**WILL BUY** good clean furniture, stoves, refrigerators, one piece or two piece. Call 385-3714 or 385-5979. TF-Y

**EXPERIENCED** credit manager. Good benefits, with excellent potential. Salary depends on qualifications. Call 385-4421. TF-L

**HOUSEHOLD** help wanted, one day a week. Call 385-5242. 11-29-M

**FRONT GIRLS** wanted. Tasty Creme Drive In. Apply in person. 12-2-T

**EXPERIENCED** GM mechanic. Guaranteed salary and commission. Incentive bonus and vacation. Call Danny Stuart, Marcum Olds, Cadillac, Pontiac. 385-5171. TF-M

**COUNTY REPRESENTATIVE** wanted. Must have 20 acres of good irrigated land. Must have \$6,000.00 to invest to grow a new high volume, high protein forage for feed and seed. High earning potential \$25,000 to \$40,000 a year. Call Billy Yarbrough, 806-592-2204 or write Box 1360, Denver City, Tex. 79323. TF-N

**WANTED** registered nurse for charge nurse position. Apply in person. King's Manor Methodist Home Hereford, 430 Ranger Drive. 806-364-0663. 11-26-K

**WANTED** licensed vocational nurse for charge nurse position. Apply in person. King's Manor Methodist Home, Hereford, 430 Ranger Drive. 806-364-0663. 11-26-K

**WANTED:** Small used motorcycle. Call 385-3895. TF-R

Individuals with ability to advance to management positions with leading consumer finance company. Needed at once. Interesting varied work. High school graduate, or its equivalent. Must have good appearance, pleasing personality, and enjoy meeting the public. Good salary, training programs, excellent benefits, rapid advancement. Please contact S.I.C. Credit Co., 420 Phelps Ave., Littlefield, Texas. Call 385-4492.

## Help Wanted

**WANTED**—year around farm hand. Good house, top wages for top man, phone 806-262-4341. 12-13-N

## Route Sales!

**MILK ROUTE OPENINGS**  
NOW AVAILABLE!  
APPLY AT  
Bell Dairy Products, Inc.  
301 University Ave., Lubbock  
or Call 806-765-8833

## Personal

**SECRET**—lose water weight, body bloat, puffiness, etc. X-Pel water pills, only \$3.00 or money back refund. Brittain Pharmacy, 430 Phelps. 385-5114. 12-23-P

## Misc

**OLD** photographs copied and restored. Bring your photographs in for an estimate. Roberts Studio, Fine Photography, 203 W. 3rd St., Littlefield, Tex.

**TREES** cut down and trimmed. Firewood for sale. 385-4621. 12-2-P

## Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks during the illness and death of our loved one, Jack Church. For the beautiful singing and the lesson from God's word. Also for food and the pretty flowers. Without friends and loved ones times like this would be so hard to bear. May the Lord bless and keep each of you. Mrs. Jack Church and girls. Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Bullard and family.

Our recent sad loss leaves us with grateful hearts toward neighbors and friends. Their comforting expressions of sympathy and thoughtfulness will always be remembered. The Family of Grace Pigg.

## Real Estate

**FOR SALE** to settle estate 177 acres, irrigated land in Beck Gin community, 2 wells tied together with high pressure line. 3 bedroom brick home on pavement. Almost new pressure pump system. Extra good cotton farm. Contact Lloyd Pryor, independent executor. 246-3460, Amherst, Tex. TF-P

2 Bedroom, corner lot on W. 5th. \$6500.00

2 Bedroom W. 4th \$4250.

3 Bedroom W. 4th \$10,500.

1 Duplex Apart. \$10,000 E. 15th.

**ROBERT RICHARDS REAL ESTATE**  
512 N. Sunset  
385-3293

## Houses For Sale

3 bedroom home carpeted; front room, kitchen, dining area paneled. Air-cond., down draft with four vents. Storm windows all around; storm cellar, entrance from utility room, carport, tool shed, fruit trees. Priced for quick sale. 1220 W. 6th. Call 385-4704. 12-2-A

3 bedroom brick, 2 baths, walk-in closets, completely carpeted, double garage, central heat & air. 506 N. Sunset. Call 385-5184 8 to 5 or 385-3952 after 5 p.m. TF-W

**HOUSE FOR** sale by owner. Nearly new, 3 bedroom, brick, carpeted and paneled. Will show at your convenience. 600 Duggan, Anton. TF-A

3 BEDROOM, 1 bath, dining room, & living room. See at 102 N. Sunset. Call Ken Day, 385-4421 TF-D

**NICE** house with cellar, patio, single car garage with storage and carport. Located one block from school in Anton. Call 997-3621. TF-H

2 bedroom, furnished or unfurnished, storm cellar. Home Mrs. B.O. Shavor. Call 246-3232, Amherst. 11-25-S

## Rent Or Sale

**LARGE** building, at Delano and Hy. 385. Former Pontiac building. See or call Jack Farr, 385-5968. TF-F

## Apt. For Rent

**FURNISHED** 1 and 2 bedroom apartments, adults only. 385-3880. TF-H

**APARTMENT** for rent. Bills paid. Call 385-3365. TF-W

## Auctions

**WHEN THINKING** of an auction sale, call Ken Bozeman, your friendly auctioneer, Lubbock, Tex. 765-7530. 1-20-B

## Lost & Found

**BLACK** white and tan female dog, has blue eyes. Contact Brad Nace at 911 E. 8th after 6:30. \$25.00 reward offered. 12-2-N

**HEIFER** strayed to my pasture in Bull Lake vicinity. Please call and describe heifer. Call 246-3460 during noon hour or after 8 p.m. TF-P

## Misc. For Sale

**EARLY AMERICAN** swivel rocker. Call 385-5681 after 5:30. 12-9-C

**FOR SALE** at half price 5 burial plots in Littlefield Cemetery. 227-4441. 12-2-W

**FIVE TOUCH & Sews**, all zig-zag, buttonholes, fancy designs, fills bobbin automatically, deluxe models, desk cabinets or portables. Your choice. \$50 cash each. Usually home, 4313 A 53rd. Please call first, 797-1867. If no answer, 747-9272.

**MISCELLANEOUS SHOP**, lots of nice antiques, including china cabinets, hall trees, wash stands, tables, secretaries, and china depression glass. Old pressed and cut glass. Layaway now for Christmas. On old Lubbock highway. 1310 E. Delano. TF-M

**HIDE-A-BED** sofa. 385-4160 after 5 p.m. TF-H

## Autos For Sale

1968 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup, long wide bed, new motor, exhaust system, brakes perfect condition. \$1450.00. Call 385-4119 after 6:00. TF-C

**CLEANEST USED CARS** in town. Marcum Olds, Cadillac, 8th and Hiway 385, Littlefield, 385-5171. TF-M

## Bus Service

## HARRELL Building Supply

MAIN ST. ANTON, TEXAS  
PHONE 997-3621  
OR 997-2951

**STOCK REDUCTION SALE**

## Floor Covering

12 ft. selections sq. yd. 1.10

Cushion-type 2.39

12 ft. Candy-Stripe sq. yd. plus installation 3.59

Tough-One Kitchen Carpet sq. yd., plus installation 4.00

## Doors

Damaged Doors—All sizes Good prices Only 3—Exterior Damaged Steel Doors 20.00 each

**Paneling** Damaged 4'x8' 2.00 Masonite 4'x8' 6.50

Good stock prefinished moulding & trim.

One table Miscellaneous Merchandise 50% off

Interior Latex Paint 6 colors 3.10 gal.

1x12 Resawn .18 bd. ft. Decking

2x4-8' .99 ea.

Lawn mowers Priced to sell

Free estimates on do-it-yourself jobs.

## Bus Services

**WILL BUILD** re-enforced concrete cellars. Redbuilt houses. H.G. Ferguson. 385-5508. 2-28-P

**MONUMENTS**—Memorials high quality granite. Also cemetery curbs. Toby Walker, 1407 Nichols, Littlefield, Tex. 385-3539

**WHITE's** metal detectors for sale or for rent at Clara's Beauty Shop, 1216 Monticello Ave. Call 385-4264. TF-C

**WE** repair small appliances, furniture, venetian blinds, vacuum cleaners. We specialize in Hoover & Electrolux Bigham's Fix-It-Shop, 310 W. 4th St., Littlefield. Phone 385-4010. TF-B

**MATTRESSES** complete renovating. New mattresses & box springs, any size. Call Mrs. Claude Steffey, 385-3386, agent for A&B Mattress Co., Lubbock, Tex. TF-S

**RENT CONVALESCENT** equipment at Brittain Pharmacy. Wheel chairs, crutches, hospital beds, other items. Complete line convalescent needs. TF-B

**TAKE** soil away the Blue Lustre way from carpets and upholstery. Rent electric shampooer \$1. (Nelson's Hardware).

**ALL KINDS ALTERATIONS**, covered buttons, buttonholes, belts. Mr. and Mrs. G.E. Scifres, 905 E. 6th St. Phone 385-3971. Former Drive In Cleaners. TF-S

**LITTLEFIELD** Roofing specialist, built up asphalt roofs. All work guaranteed. 1115 W. 9th. Call 385-3507 or 385-5680. TF-L

For residential industrial construction, electrical wiring at Reagan Electric at Muleshoe, Texas, phone 806-965-2781.

**KIRBY SALES & SERVICE** Call 385-3357. For a free demonstration on the Kirby Classic! 1013 W. 9th

**Rena's Poodle Parlor** Professional Poodle Grooming By appointment only 997-4731 997-4731 Corner of 4th & Edwards Anton, Texas

## FARM SALE



# FARM SALE

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1973 - - - SALE TIME: 11:00 A.M.

LOCATED: From Littlefield, Texas, 6 miles East on Highway 54 to Farm Road 1072, then 6 miles North, then 1 1/2 mile East on Dirt Road — or From Olton, Texas, 13 miles South on Highway 168, then 2 1/2 miles West — or 1 mile South of Hart Camp on 168 and 2 1/2 miles West.

**B. D. GARLAND** - - - - - **OWNER**

Due to bad health I will sell the following at Public Auction:

## TRACTORS AND COTTON STRIPPER —

- 1—1965 John Deere 4020 Diesel Tractor with Eggling Cab, wide front, weights, and real nice
- 1—1964 Ford 4000 Diesel Tractor
- 1—1964 John Deere 60 LPG Tractor with a J. D. 77 Cotton Stripper mounted, equipped with Powder Wagon Hand, new elevator belt and single front wheel — A good clean rig

## EQUIPMENT —

- 1—John Deere 6 row Buster Planter on 4 x 7 Bar & Dual Gauge Wheel
- 1—John Deere 6 row Wide Front Mount Cultivator, Nice
- 1—John Deere 4 row 707 Gyromor Shredder
- 1—John Deere BWA 14 ft. Tandem Disk S-D on Front, Dual Wheels & nearly new
- 1—John Deere 835 High Shank 3 bottom Spinner Plow
- 1—Clod Buster for above Plow
- 1—6 row Crustbuster complete with Barring Off Disk
- 1—John Deere DR-A 20-8 Wheat Drill
- 1—John Deere Van Brunt 16-8 Wheat Drill, Steel Wheel
- 1—John Deere 2 row Buster Planter, 3 pt.

## COTTON & IMPLEMENT TRAILERS —

- 1—Ford 2 row Cultivator
- 1—2 row Knife Sled, 3 pt.
- 1—Big Ox 8 ft. Blade
- 1—John Deere R-W 14 ft. Tandem Disk
- 1—MM 7 Ft. Drag Tandem Disk
- 1—Hoeme, 11 Shank High Clearance, Cly. Cont.
- 1—Big 12 4 row Bed Shaper
- 1—Pharis & Wilkins 9 row 3 pt. Sand Fighter. (new)
- 1—9 row Drag Type Sand Fighter
- 1—Wyle 6-Row Front Mount Spray Rig, complete with Ace High Cap Pump
- 1—Everman Camelback Float
- 1—John Deere 4 section Harrow
- 1—5 row Bed Knife, 3 pt.
- 1—Chatin 3 pt. V Ditcher
- 1—6 row Stalk Cutter
- 1—Oliver 9 ft. Steel Wheel Oneway
- 1—14 ft. 3 pt. Spring Tooth Harrow
- 1—John Deere No. 200 Buster Planter
- 1—John Deere Model II, Series 47, Manure Spreader
- 1—3 pt. Lift Arm
- 1—3 pt. Scoop
- 1—5 row Double Toolbar Middle Plow, complete with Gauge Wheels

## PICKUPS —

- 1—1970 Ford Ranger XLII in top condition, 6000, R&H, Air, & 390 Motor
- 1—1968 GMC Pickup, 4 speed, V-6 Motor

## TANK, USED LUMBER —

- 1—1400 Gallon Butane Tank
- 1—Lot Salvaged Lumber and Sheet Iron from Large Ware House — Size 50x150 Feet
- 8—Telephone Post
- 6—Joints 1 1/4 x 20 Ft. Galvanized Pipe

## Birkelbach Designs Pump For Port

Randy Birkelbach, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Birkelbach of Littlefield, is principal engineer of Tait AC in Lubbock where fuel pumps were designed for use at the Dallas-Fort Worth Southwest Regional Airport.

a news release from Tait AC. Randy is a 1967 graduate of Littlefield High School, and the school of Agriculture Engineering at Texas Tech, Aug. 1973. His wife is the former Edith Lynch, and they have one daughter, Staci.



RANDY BIRKELBACH

The pumps will be used to fuel the jets at the airport, being lauded as the largest airport in the world.

Birkelbach has also designed a hydraulic pump that will be shown at the International Trades Fair in Moscow next spring.

The pumps for the Dallas-Fort Worth airport are part of a \$10,000,000 fueling system at the airport, and the main pumps are 250-horsepower vertical turbines having a capacity of 1,500 gallons per minute. These units are coupled with jockey pumps generating 300 gallons per minute. All the fabrication of the pumps was done in the Lubbock plant, where Birkelbach is principal engineer.

Work on the airport's fueling system was completed in October. The system covers 41 acres. Flow-Quip Inc. of Houston introduced the Lubbock pumps to the airport's equipment through a contract won in highly competitive bidding, according to



by Paul W. Thurston

Tomato lovers of America may rise up! Supermarkets are eager to give us the best possible tomatoes, yet many of those large, luscious looking red globes taste remotely like mealy cardboard. Interestingly, this problem is brought about by a tomato committee which has lobbied successfully to keep vine-ripened Mexican tomatoes off our tables so we will use more expensive, green (but gas-redened) products from some Florida farms. It's all done by a Federal size requirement (demanding Mexican vine-ripened tomatoes be larger than the less tasty Florida product).

Needless to say, the Agriculture Department, through its marketing order, retains the above ruling on size to eliminate Mexican competition in spite of the disadvantage to the consumer in terms of tomato quality, price and selection.

**DON'T WASTE** money during holidays—make over "no no" Also, refrigerated left-overs two or three days and ones while still in condition.

**Too Late To Classify**

**GARAGE SALE:** Clothes, dishes, furniture, etc. FM 303, 1 1/2 miles of Sudan. Richard Thursday and Friday 29-W

# LITTLEFIELD SEED & DELINTING has moved to the old Paymaster Oil Mill

Our expanded facilities enable us to serve you with faster and better service.

Contact: Conal Norried, Joel Thompson, Darwin Green, Tommy Thrash, Ronald Morris.

**LITTLEFIELD SEED & DELINTING CO.**  
1423 HOUSTON STREET ■ PH. 385-3588

## LAKE PUMP, IRRIGATION MOTORS & PIPE —

- 1—Kemp 4 in. PTO Lake Pump
- 1—Chryx 318 Irrigation Motor, Carb. - (Nearly New)
- 1—Chry 361 Ind. Irrigation Motor
- 1—Lot Chry and Post, Motor pairs
- 50—Joints 20 ft. x 8 in. Gated in. Rows
- 7—Joints 30 ft. x 6 in. Gated in. Rows
- 4—Joints 30 ft. x 4 in. Gated in. Rows
- 230—Joints 30 ft. x 4 in. Sprinkler
- 25—Joints 30 ft. x 5 in. Sprinkler
- 1—Lot Waterman Hydrants - 100
- 1—Lot Fittings
- 1—Lot 2" & 1 1/2" Tubes
- 1—Lot Damage Pipe and Tubes

## DUALS, TIRES, WHEELS —

- 1—Set 16-9-34 Duals
- 1—Set 700-40 Dual Tires and Wheel, Nearly New
- 1—Set 6-Row Markers for 4 x 12
- 1—Set 5 Gal. Barrels
- 1—Lot Hyd. Cylinders
- 7—14" Bullets
- 4—Loose Dirt Disk Bedders
- 1—Lot Planter Parts

## MISCELLANEOUS —

- 1—1/2 Ton Chain Hoist
- 2—6 in. Shop Vises
- 1—LPG Weed Burner
- 1—Lot 55 Gal. Barrels
- 3—Tin Horn Chisels
- 1—Lot Sweeps and Chisels
- 1—Lot Wire — Smooth and Barbed
- 1—Lot old Plow Tools and S-p-...

Terms of Sale: Cash or Approved Check - No Merchandise to be removed until Settled for. - Bring your own check book. All Accounts to be Settled Day of Sale. - Lunch will be Available. - We will not stop for Lunch.

**JAMES CRUCE** Box 1921, Littlefield, Texas 79072, Phone 806-296-1282

**AUCTIONEERS ASSOCIATE** Ben Reagan, Silverton, Texas, P.O. 926-847-6912

**JACK DULIN** Route 1, Plainview, Texas, P.O. Happy Union 906-895-9491



# SAVE-A-LOT

ON YOUR TAPE TOTAL



WE REDEEM USDA FOOD STAMPS

<b>ONIONS</b> COLORADO SWEET SPANISH YELLOW, LB	<b>15¢</b>	<b>BONELESS CUTLETS</b> STEAK, LB	<b>\$1.49</b>	<b>ROUND SIRLOIN</b>	FURR'S PROTEN STEAK, LB	<b>\$1.09</b>
<b>CELERY</b> FRESH GREEN STALK.	<b>2 FOR 29¢</b>	<b>SHOULDER ROAST</b> FURR'S PROTEN LB	<b>98¢</b>	<b>CLUB STEAK</b>	FURR'S PROTEN STEAK, LB	<b>\$1.35</b>
<b>LETTUCE</b> FRESH HEAD, LB	<b>18¢</b>	<b>RUMP ROAST</b> FURR'S PROTEN LB	<b>\$1.09</b>	<b>RIB CHOPS</b>	FURR'S PROTEN STEAK, LB	<b>\$1.09</b>
<b>GRAPEFRUIT</b> TEXAS FINEST, LB	<b>13¢</b>	<b>BONELESS PIKES PEAK</b> FURR'S PROTEN ROAST, LB	<b>\$1.09</b>	<b>FAMILY STEAK</b>	FURR'S PROTEN BONELESS, LB	<b>\$1.09</b>
<b>AVOCADAS</b> LARGE SIZE, EACH	<b>5 FOR \$1</b>			<b>CHUCK STEAK</b>		<b>89¢</b>
<b>ORANGES</b> CALIFORNIA'S FINEST NAVEL, LB	<b>5 FOR \$1</b>			<b>KEY CLUB</b>	FURR'S PROTEN STEAK, LB	<b>\$1.45</b>
				<b>PRIME RIB</b>	FURR'S PROTEN ROAST, "THE BEST", LB	<b>\$1.09</b>

<b>MARGARINE</b> FOOD CLUB DELUXE QUARTERS, 1 LB	<b>39¢</b>	<b>WE GIVE GOLD BOND STAMPS</b>	<b>Frozen Food Favorites</b>	<b>PUMPKIN PIES</b> SARA LEE, FRESH FROZEN, 32 OZ	<b>89¢</b>
<b>LEMON JUICE</b> REAL MON, 24 OZ SIZE	<b>59¢</b>	<b>WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES.</b>	<b>ORANGE DRINK</b> BIRDEYE AWAKE, FRESH FROZEN, 12 OZ CAN	<b>3 \$1</b>	
<b>GREEN BEANS</b> FOOD CLUB WHOLE, NO. 303 CAN	<b>4 FOR \$1</b>		<b>BROCCOLI SPEARS</b> TOP FROST, FRESH FROZEN, 10 OZ PKG	<b>29¢</b>	
<b>PINACH</b> FOOD CLUB, NO. 303 CAN	<b>4 FOR 88¢</b>		<b>GAYLORD CORN</b> WHOLE KERNEL, 24 OZ PACKAGE	<b>49¢</b>	<b>POTATOES</b> GAYLORD, FRENCH FRIED, 5 LB PACKAGE
<b>WINDOW CLEANER</b> TOPCO, 15 OZ SIZE	<b>35¢</b>		<b>KRAFT MARGARINE</b> PARKAY, 1 Lb..... 41¢ WHIPPED PARKAY, 1 Lb.... 53¢ DIET PARKAY, 1 Lb..... 49¢ SOFT SAFFLOWER, 1 Lb.... 53¢		
<b>INSTANT TEA</b> FOOD CLUB, 3 OZ JAR	<b>95¢</b>		<b>PAM</b> 13 OZ SIZE	<b>\$1.25</b>	
<b>BEEF STEW</b> MORTON HOUSE, 24 OZ CAN	<b>79¢</b>		<b>SNOWDRIFT</b> 3 LB CAN	<b>\$1.21</b>	
<b>SUPPER SAUCE</b> CHEF SURPRISE, ASS'T FLAVORS, PACKAGE	<b>59¢</b>	<b>ZEE PRODUCTS</b>	<b>DINNER NAPKINS</b> Macaroni & Cheese Kraft Deluxe, 14 Oz	<b>64¢</b>	
<b>SAUCE</b> JOHNSON, LEMON, 7 OZ	<b>79¢</b>	<b>Towels</b> 3 Rolls For <b>\$1</b>	<b>NAPKINS</b> Zee Mix Or Match, 160 Ct Pkg	<b>35¢</b>	
<b>OLIVE OIL</b> 48 Oz Bottle	<b>\$1.46</b>	<b>Tissue</b> 4 Roll Pkg <b>39¢</b>	<b>NAPKINS</b> Zee Spice Tone, 60 Ct Pkg	<b>15¢</b>	
<b>FUTURE</b> Johnson, 27 Oz	<b>\$1.29</b>	<b>Napkins</b> Luau, Pkg <b>25¢</b>	<b>RAIN BARREL</b> Fabric Softener, 26 Oz	<b>89¢</b>	
			<b>PECANS</b> Ellis, Halves Or Pieces, 6 Oz Pkg	<b>97¢</b>	

VALUABLE COUPON  
THIS COUPON ENTITLES YOU TO  
**SAVE 50¢**  
MARYLAND CLUB COFFEE  
With Coupon  
3 Lb Can..... \$2.79  
Without Coupon, \$3.47  
Expires 12-1-73  
LIMIT ONE COUPON PER FAMILY

VALUABLE COUPON  
THIS COUPON ENTITLES YOU TO  
**SAVE 15¢**  
OXYDOL  
With Coupon  
49 Oz Box..... 78¢  
Without Coupon.... 93¢  
Expires 12-1-73  
LIMIT ONE COUPON PER FAMILY

<b>COFFEE MUGS</b> ANCHOR HOCKING STACKABLE, 10 OZ POPPY COLOR	<b>6 FOR \$1</b>	<b>GIFT WRAP</b> TOPCREST, 26" WIDE, JUMBO LOG PAPER OR FOIL	<b>YOUR CHOICE.... 77¢</b>	<b>COLOMINE BABY SHAMPOO</b> Johnson And Johnson	<b>\$1.49</b>	<b>BAYER CHILDREN'S ASPIRIN</b>	<b>CHILDREN'S ASPIRIN</b>	<b>BAYER 36 COUNT..... 33¢</b>	<b>TREE ORNAMENTS</b>	2 5/8 Inch, Box Of 12..... <b>\$1.19</b> 2 1/4 Inch, Box Of 12..... <b>\$1.09</b> 1 3/4 Inch, Box Of 12..... <b>79¢</b>	<b>Colgate MFP</b>	<b>COLGATE TOOTH PASTE 7 OZ SIZE</b>	<b>74¢</b>
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# ... Wildcats

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they have to, but they're basically a running team.

Leading the Bobcat offense is 230 pound fullback Tim Lewellen. Halfback Ronnie Hawkins and Quarterback Mark Brown. "Hawkins is a very determined

runner and Brown is both a run and pass threat," Blakely said. "Of course, Lewellen is good-sized for a fullback and is hard to bring down."

Childress is led on the line by Marty Martin (180), Shane Morey (195) and Neil Barber (194). Their leading

receiver is Floyd Key, the tight end.

Defensively, the same names pop up, and an exclamation mark should go after Lewellen's. "Lewellen made all-state last year at middle linebacker," Blakely said, "so they have a definite strong point there. On the line they've got Martin and Barber at the tackles and Morey and Key at the ends. Overall, their defense is very physical and very aggressive."

The winner of the Littlefield-Childress contest will meet the winner of the Hamlin-Alpine game in the state quarterfinals. Tomorrow, Littlefield fans will sit in the east stands since the Cats were named the visiting team.

### TEAMS NEEDED

Four teams are needed to fill the eight-team bracket for the first annual Paducah Junior Chamber of Commerce outsiders basketball tournament, set for Dec. 27-29. Teams entered thus far are Childress, Spur, McAdoo and Paducah. Contact Herman Fox at 492-3932 or 492-3647.

### NATURAL ATHLETES

Kangaroos are naturally athletic. They can leap over a 10-foot-high barrier, make a 27-foot long jump, and bounce across plains at 30 miles an hour.

### ALLOY

German silver contains no silver. It is an alloy of copper, zinc and nickel.

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# Sports

## Area Basketball

### OLTON 39 FLOYDADA 32

Olton's Allcorn brothers combined for 24 points Tuesday night to lead the Mustangs past Floydada 39-32. Vic Allcorn tied for high point honors in the game with Floydada's Minner. Both players scored 13 points. Bryan Allcorn was the other man in double figures with 11 points.

In the girls' varsity contest, Floydada downed Olton 42-39 behind the 18 point scoring effort of Donnette Marble. Olton's Suzie Culwell tallied 17 points.

### BULA 59 BOVINA 43

Class B Bula, led by Gary Sowder and Joel Sinclair,

slipped past Class A Bovina 59-43. Sowder pumped in 29 points and Sinclair put in 25 to give Bula a 5-3 season mark. Elbert Shelby led Bovina with 13. Alton McCormick had 12 and Billy Shelby 11.

Bula's girls ran their season record to 8-0 with a 77-51 win over Bovina. Lisa Risinger had 37 for Bula and Connie Terry had 12 for Bovina.

### EXPENSIVE LANDINGS

The Air Transport Association reports that the fees U.S. scheduled airlines pay to land at airports has reached 150 million annually—three times as much as in 1963.

### LICENSE

Californians bought 259,310 fishing licenses in August of this year, the National Automobile Club reports.

# New Cattle Feeder Handbook Ready

A comprehensive new reference book, "The Texas Cattle Feeders Handbook," has just been published by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in cooperation with Extension Service of nine other Great Plains States, and provides timely information on all aspects of commercial cattle feeding, notes Lamb County Extension Agent Buddy C. Logsdon.

The new publication is composed of 50 bulletins or fact sheets, 25 of which are Texas publications and 25 from other states, announces L. A. Maddox, Extension beef cattle specialist.

"The whole endeavor is a part of the Great Plains Cattle Feeders Committee Project. We plan to make available a wide range of technical material of higher quality than ever before. New and revised information will be mailed to subscribers from now through Sept. 1, 1975," Maddox added.

Co-authoring the handbook with Maddox are Dr. John Sweeten, Extension

agricultural engineer, animal waste manager and Dr. Dennis B. Extension beef specialist-nutrition.

The handbook includes broad segments of information on nutrition, preparation and storage of animal health, feed management, feeding and equipment, for feeders, management, and a for miscellaneous public and information, explain county Extension agent.

This publication, number B-1133, sells for \$10, includes a subscription to new fact sheets between now and September 1975. It can be ordered from the Department of Agricultural Communications, Texas University.

"We believe that handbook contains the amount of organized information on cattle that is available in adds Logsdon.

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# Homemaking Tips

BY Lynn Bowermon

**BOWERMON**  
As a wise food buyer and a well fed family—start with a budget. As a food buyer, you have a responsibility to your family and to consumers.

Food shopping begins with a spending budget. In American, 10 percent of a family's income goes for food. A food plan is important in planning how you spend your money.

It must be tailor made for your family—its ways of living and its values. The amount you spend for food with the husband's job you work outside the home and ages of the family's like and dislikes and special food needs; your family's time; family customs; storage facilities; the state you live in; the year, and the stores in which you shop all these affect food and therefore how you spend for food.

There is a lot to consider. It takes time and effort to be a money manager. With a budget, though, it becomes easier to control your food and to cut down on your expenses.

There are some cost-cutting tips for you. Check for specials in food store

advertisements and keep informed. An alert informed shopper can save \$1 to \$2 out of every \$10 she spends on food. So you can see it pays to watch for specials and to keep informed on new products and services and new legislation and regulations. Prepare a grocery list before you go to the store.

Keep nonfood items such as light bulbs, stationery, kitchen tools and toothpaste off the list. These items can mount up quickly and add 20 percent to your food bill. Compare costs and buy food in the form that gives the most servings for the money you spend—compare fresh, frozen and canned items.

Limit perishable food purchases to amounts that can be used while they are in top quality. And prevent food waste by storing them correctly and cooking them to retain nutrients. Consider family likes and dislikes when food shopping. After all, a 10 pound sack of turnips for a dollar isn't a good buy if your family won't eat turnips.

What you do as a food shopper makes a difference—a difference to you and your family, to the manufacturer, to the retailer and to ultimately the economic life of the county. Each time you buy a product, you cast a vote in favor of it. So you and every other consumer influence the kind of advertisements, and kind and amount of buyer protection you have.

As a responsible consumer, be informed, report preferences and wants, likes and dislikes, inform proper agencies of dishonesty, fraud and law violations and deal fairly and not abuse services. And now, with a plan, with information and with awareness on your side, you are on the right isle to becoming a wise food buyer.

## Witharral News

**KERRY McCORMACH**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis McCormack, went deer hunting in the Capitan Mountains of New Mexico over the weekend with relatives from Dora, N.M. The McCormacks drove to Dora Sunday to pick Kerry up and visit with Mrs. McCormack's parents.

**DEBBIE WILLIAMS** of Seminole was a house guest in the J. E. Wade home from Friday to Sunday. Debbie attended the Wellman-Whitharral football game, and came home with the Wades' daughter, Cynthia Ann.

**WHITHARRAL** WON three basketball games from Amherst Tuesday night, at Whitharral. The boys high school 'B' team play beat Amherst by a total of 23 points. Bud Reding added 15.

**WHITHARRAL** played two games Monday night against Lazbutdie. The boys lost their game by 3, but the girls took a real loss by about 40 points. Several starters were missing, since they were attending the District FFA Meeting in Muleshoe.

**THE NEXT** scheduled games are Monday night Nov. 26 and Tuesday Nov. 27 followed by the Spade Tournament. The high school girls 'B' won 65-7. Fredda Stockton, a freshman, racked up 23 points. Freshman Rhonda Bryant added 14, and Cheri Hisaw contributing 11 points. Brenda Polk and Cindy Doshier added another 17 points.

**WHITHARRAL HIGH SCHOOL** boys won the varsity contest 51-42. The Amherst boys were out ahead by 2, at half time but Johnny Domingues and Bud Reding came alive for the Panthers.

**MRS. ELSIE** Mae Pope of Sacramento arrived Monday by plane to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. E. G. Wade and her brothers, J. E. Ralph, and T. C. of Whitharral. Elsie Mae has been living in Calif since she married and its been six years since she has been home.

**service to natural gas** customers in the days ahead." He said the gas industry, serving 150 million consumers through a million-mile pipeline network, provides one-third of all energy used in the United States. Subtracting energy required for transportation purposes, the gas share of the energy load is 43 percent, he noted, compared with 27 1/2 percent for oil, 23 percent for coal and 6 1/2 percent for nuclear power and hydropower.

**YOUNG COMPOSER** The famous Austrian composer, Wolfgang Mozart, wrote a concerto when he was four, made a concert tour when he was six, and published two sonatas when he was nine.

**RESERVES** have declined, he said, because "unrealistically low prices" set by the Federal Power Commission have provided gas producers with little incentive to drill for gas and move it to market.

In supporting deregulation for newly-found gas, Hart said, "we are speaking not as advocates for gas producers, but are motivated by a determination to preserve

the means for finding and delivering new sources.

An increase in the field price would result in only small added cost to consumers, Hart said, "because the field price represents only 15 to 20 percent of the price to the residential customer."

He pointed out that "new supplies at higher field prices would be rolled in with existing contracts for older gas at lower prices to further reduce the direct impact on consumers for many years."

Hart said that natural gas consumption in the past five years has been twice as great as the discovery of new reserves, adding that "reserves are lower now than at any time since 1961, when gas consumption was about 40 percent what it is today."

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GIVING NAMES TO THINGS

Some stories will never die. One is that of the Garden of Eden. Here in this virgin beauty, Adam experienced something that seems to have made a "voice print" on all the human family. He experienced unlimited space, and he went about giving names to things.

Some primeval memory, some vestigial reminder causes man—all men—to be eternally restless, and he never stops giving names to things... everything—his food, his children, even the winds that blow become Chinooks, or Northers, or Moriah. These ancient memories can be made productive: YOU can make the lives of others your garden; YOU can see men as members of your family and treat them as brothers; YOU can let the service you render give names to things like "generous love," "heartfelt compassion," and "Godly awe and reverence."

ATTEND CHURCH THIS WEEK

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**TWO DAUGHTERS** of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lemons of Columbus, Ga. were born Sunday, Nov. 18, in Columbus. Her mother is the former Brenda Hastings of Littlefield. Shown are Tia DeAnn, 7 lbs., 7 ozs. and Brandi, 6 lbs., 8 1/2 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. Hastings of Azle and Mrs. Alice Rulo of Greenwood. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hastings Littlefield and Mrs. Ruby Black of Weatherford. (Personal Photo)

## Country Has Abundant Natural Gas Resource

There is no shortage of natural gas resources in this country, according to the American Gas Association.

President F. Donald Hart said the natural gas is here in abundance, supplies, but it is much more difficult to locate and produce.

Hart said, "What we have today in America is a supply-demand imbalance."

He said gas exploration and development can be accelerated by better incentives through deregulation for new gas on which would be of optimum benefit to the consumer.

Hart asserted in an address to the annual Washington dinner of the Women's Society, an international business and professional organization for women's achievement.

Deregulation is a key step that must be taken as a nation to find the means for finding and providing this natural gas to our homes and places of work," he added.

Hart stated that adequate supplies of natural gas can be developed and delivered to consumers during the 70's, if government and industry take effective action to stimulate

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LITTLEFIELD JR. HIGH 7-8-9 Girls & Boys 1973-74 Basketball Schedule				
Date	Opponent	Teams Playing	Place	Time
Nov. 29-30-Dec. 1	Cotton Center Tournament	7 Girls		
Nov. 29-30-Dec. 1	Hereford Tournament	7-8-9 Boys		
Dec. 3	Muleshoe*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	There Here	5:00 5:00
Dec. 6-7-8	Muleshoe Tournament	8-9 Girls		
Dec. 10	Morton*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	Here There	5:00 5:00
Dec. 13-14-15	Muleshoe Tournament	8-9 Boys		
Dec. 17	Friona*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	Here There	5:00 5:00
Jan. 7	Olton*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	There Here	5:00 5:00
Jan. 10-11-12	Olton Tournament	7 Girls & Boys		
Jan. 14	Dimmitt*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	There Here	5:00 5:00
Jan. 17-18-19	Olton Tournament	8 Girls & Boys		
Jan. 21	Muleshoe*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	Here There	5:00 5:00
Jan. 24-25-26	Dimmitt Tournament	9 Girls & Boys		
Jan. 28	Morton*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	There Here	5:00 5:00
Feb. 4	Friona*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	There Here	5:00 5:00
Feb. 11 * District Games	Olton*	7-8-9 Girls 7-8-9 Boys	Here There	5:00 5:00
Coaches:		7-8-9 Girls 7-8 Boys 9 Boys	Mrs. Bobbye Pylant Kenny Carter Eddie Hooper	

## Feedlot Wastes Good Fertilizer

By JIM VALENTINE  
Throughout recorded history, the use of animal waste has made an important contribution to domestic agriculture. Within the last few decades commercial inorganic fertilizers have become prominent as a source of plant nutrients. Without doubt, commercial fertilizer will retain this position; but, since their price is increasing and inadequate supplies are in prospect, it is time to take a new look at feedlot waste as a source of plant food.

The USDA Southwestern Great Plains Research Center at Bushland has been studying the effects of feedlot waste since 1968. Their chemical analyses of material from 23 feedlots show that on an average, 10 tons of manure contains 268 lbs. nitrogen, 244 lbs. P2O5 and 360 lbs. K2O. These values are much higher than those previously reported for barnyard manures. The

material varied in nitrogen content, ranging from 226 to 392 pounds of nitrogen in 10 tons.

Research by scientists at Bushland indicates that about half of the nitrogen present in 10 tons of manure, or some 120 lbs. of nitrogen, is available to the first sorghum crop. Sixty pounds of the remaining nitrogen will be available the second year and 30 pounds, the third year.

The rate at which phosphorus becomes available for plant use appears to be similar to that of nitrogen. Potassium in the material is readily available.

In consideration of less crop removal and the slower mobility of phosphorus and potassium when compared to nitrogen, it is highly probable that application rates sufficient to supply adequate nitrogen will be more than adequate to supply these elements even on soils known to be deficient.


Ten to 15 tons applied at anytime after harvest and just ahead of cultivation is generally adequate for high yields of irrigated sorghum or corn. Additional commercial fertilizer is not likely to be needed.

### COMPUTERIZED

Johnny Koopmann, 58, was West Germany's last lighthouse keeper to go ashore after leaving control of his lighthouse to a computer. All of West Germany's 550 light buoys, 350 lighthouses, 36 fog horns and 10 radio beacons now are controlled by computer.

The possibility of introducing weeds from seeds contained in the waste perhaps warrants consideration. Even distribution and good incorporation of the waste fertilizer into the soil soon after application will insure best results.

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## SCS Issues Guides For New Farm Land

Plan before you plow. That's the plea State Conservationist Edward E. Thomas makes to Texas farmers putting new land into cultivation in 1974.

"Most land in Texas should not be farmed in clean tilled crops without terraces, contour farming, minimum tillage, or other proven conservation measures," Thomas stressed. "Besides, these practices help increase production in the long run."

"But some land should not be farmed under any circumstances," Thomas said. "We are already getting reports of sandy, highly erode soils in Texas being plowed up for crop production. Let a drought, coupled with high winds, hit this land and massive dust storms will be the result."

He said some steep soils will probably also be put into cultivation next year. Serious erosion and sedimentation damages can result unless sound conservation measures are installed.

Thomas, head of the U.S. Soil Conservation Service in

Texas, said his agency supports full agricultural production as a principal means of checking food price increases.

"But we also need full protection of the land along with full production," he emphasized. He urged farmers to contact local SCS offices before putting land into cultivation.

"Our soil surveys show which soils can be farmed safely," Thomas pointed out. "They also can be used to determine which soils are most productive. Careful planning can hold erosion hazards to a minimum, but carelessness can quickly return us to the disastrous erosion conditions that existed in the 1930's and 1950's," he warned.

Such conditions in the Great Plains, where wind erosion is a constant problem, led Congress in 1957 to establish a conservation program to return high risk cropland to grass.

"Under this program in Texas, we have helped far-

mers convert more than a million acres of cropland to grassland," Thomas said. "This land should remain in grass. For it or other land like it to be put back into cultivation will be a disastrous step backwards."

"As chief guardians of our state's soil resources, farmers and ranchers have a responsibility to themselves and to future generations to use their land wisely," Thomas continued. "They have made great strides in conservation work in the last 35 years. With proper planning, we can meet the demand for food without increasing dust storms, sediment pollution, and other problems caused by accelerated soil erosion."

Farmers are expected to bring thousands of acres of former "set-aside" land back into full crop production in 1974 to meet the increased demand for farm commodities. Many farmers will also farm their land more intensively as they try to increase yields per acre.

SCS works through 193 local soil and water conservation districts in Texas helping farmers, ranchers, and other land users develop and carry out conservation plans.

## Department To Conserve Energy

The Texas Highway Department has announced a program designed to further conserve energy during the present crisis. The proposals were submitted to Governor Dolph Briscoe as part of the governor's energy conservation program.

The statewide Highway Department program will commence immediately and continue throughout the duration of the energy shortage.

Travel of maintenance personnel to and from job sites will be reviewed and consideration will be given to a four-day work week of 10-hour workdays.

Standard size Highway Department automobiles will be replaced with compact models for intercity travel, and maximum use will be made of pool transportation to reduce fuel consumption. Reduced speed limits will be observed as finally set.

Equipment engines will be turned off when not in actual operation and mowing operations along highway right-of-way will be reduced to a minimum.

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