

Wilson News

By Mrs. Brenda (Crowson) Lee

Msgr. Peter Morsch of St. Joseph Catholic Church will perform a special mass for Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bednarz and children on their 25th wedding anniversary, Sunday, January 8th, and there will be an open house from 3 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, at the Bednarz home.

The Bednarz's were married January 6, 1953 in St. Joseph Church in Slaton. He was in the service two years and they have lived in the Wilson community since that time. They are the parents of

eleven children.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ray Steen over the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Greg Wied of College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lee, Sr. and Jay of Loraine, and Loyce Lee of Colorado City spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Lee and Jessica.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Crowson, Brian, and Devin of Topeka, Kansas visited

with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Kosland and family and Geneva Crowson and family over the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Clara Phillips, Bill Phillips, Dawn and Billy spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Phillips in Mesquite. They also visited relatives in Sulphur Springs.

Shelly Cook is home for the holidays from West Texas State University at Canyon.

Mrs. George Eakin spent the holidays visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

Kim Coleman of West Texas State is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Coleman, over the holidays.

Also visiting the Coleman's were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cellers of Louisiana.

Mrs. Dixie Coleman had Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Coleman of Plano and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tyler of Lubbock as her Christmas guests.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gumm and John T. for Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Katz of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ballard, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Martin of Belen, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pinkart and Lance of Slaton, R. R. Dryer and Mrs. Bertie Bertina of Burk Burnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Gumm also celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary on Monday. Visiting them on that day were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Katz.

Winners of the Christmas lighting contest, sponsored by the Lions Club, are House or Yard, first, Randy and Sherri Steinhauer; second, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Autry; third, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilke; Door or Window, first, Wilson Mercantile; second, Julia Dworackzyz; and third, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mueller.

The Lions Club will meet today (Thursday).

Wilson Band Boosters will sponsor a 42 Party and Cake

Auction January 14 at 6:30 in the school lunchroom.

The Wilson Mustangs will play New Home here Friday night. Junior varsity girls will begin at 5:00, followed by the varsity games.

On Tuesday, January 10, the Mustangs will play Southland here. Both of these games will be district games.

The junior high teams will play Southland here on Monday, the 9th. That will begin their district play.

Workers for the New Home games, on the concession stand, on January 6th, are Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stegemoeller, chairman; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilke, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Klaus, and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Ramirez.

Birthday, Anniversary Calendar
 January 5: Earlene Fenton.
 January 6: Tammy Weaver, Patsy Jo Acuna, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bednarz.
 January 8: Loyd Hagens.
 January 9: Jayson Bartley.
 January 10: Mr. and Mrs. Lenro Brieger.
 January 11: Steven Bednarz.

TAHOKA SCHOOL MENU

Monday: Salisbury steak, buttered potatoes, seasoned blackeyed peas, cornbread, pear halves.
Tuesday: Barbecue burgers, French fries, tossed salad, rice-pineapple pudding.
Wednesday: Hot dog with chili, seasoned pinto beans, cole slaw, peanut butter cookies.
Thursday: Roast with gravy, mashed potatoes, seasoned green beans, hot rolls, sliced peaches.
Friday: Hamburgers, French fries, lettuce-onions-pickles, apple cobbler.



Halley's Comet will next be seen in 1986.

Sherry Etheredge Says

Food Costs Reflect Distribution Costs
 Why is the gulf between prices paid to farmers and retail food prices so wide?

For every consumer's dollar spent for food at the retail level, farmers received 38.6 cents, according to the October price spread figures released by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA).

"We have become so dependent upon food processing and upon nationwide food distribution systems that the farm value of production bears little relationship to final costs of food," says Carol Tucker Foreman, USDA's assistant secretary for food and consumer services.

Marketing costs now comprise more than 60% of the total food bill. Higher energy costs and the general inflationary trend have contributed to these costs. But inadequate competition, excessive advertising and excessive packaging have also led to inflated costs, Foreman reports.

"If we are to have both reasonable levels of farm income and reasonable prices for consumers, we simply must develop mechanisms to discourage unnecessary costs from being built into the food system between the time food leaves the farmer and the time it reaches the consumer," Foreman emphasizes.

What should government be doing to assure more reasonable food costs?

"Government must cease any encouragement of industry practices, and halt the issuance of any government regulations, that add to costs unnecessarily," the secretary says.

There are two cost-cutting measures the government should resist, Foreman adds. Measures that cut farmer income even further, and measures that permit the use of questionable substances in foods or relax health and safety regulations should be resisted.

Holmes-Wilke Wedding Vows To Be Solemnized January 20

Miss Merri Ellen Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Holmes of Buffalo Lakes, and Mrs. Barbara Milner of Denison, will be married to Clyde Wayne Wilke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wilke of Wilson on Friday, January 20, at 6:30 p.m. in St. John Lutheran Church at Wilson. Miss Holmes is a graduate

of Roosevelt High School, and her fiance is a Wilson High School graduate. He attended Texas Tech University and is employed at Galbraith Steel and Supply in Lubbock.

Friends of the couple are invited to the wedding and to the reception which will follow.

New Procedures Will Permit January Vehicle Registration

Lynn County residents were able to begin registering their vehicles January 3rd, under the staggered registration procedures, according to George McCracken, county tax assessor-collector.

The new procedures are similar to the state's year-round Motor Vehicle Inspection System. Passenger cars and light trucks currently registered in Texas for 1977 will be assigned registration, expiring in different months throughout the year.

Farm vehicles, travel trailers, trailers, motorcycles, and large trucks will be registered the same as 1977, with the expiration date of March 31st. All '77 Texas registrations will expire at midnight, April 1, as usual. Renewal notices will be received within the next few days.

Persons wishing to register a vehicle must bring their renewal notices or their title, along with their '77 registration receipt.

FOOD MARKETING ALERT

USDA Agricultural Marketing Service

As of mid-December, the January supply situation looks like this:

RED MEATS

Beef... plentiful. Production to be 1-3% below 1977 levels, but about 2% above the large 1975-77 average for Jan. Grain-fed beef production to be above year-earlier levels, but not enough to offset smaller output of grass-fed beef.

Pork... plentiful. Production to be 5-7% above 1977, and about 9% above the 1975-77 average for January.

POULTRY & EGGS

Broiler-fryers... plentiful. Jan. marketing rates to be 5% above Jan. 1977, and 10% above the 1975-77 average for Jan.

Turkey... adequate. Jan. marketing rates to be 2% above year earlier and 3% above the 3-year average for Jan. Gold storage holdings at start of Jan. to be the lowest since 1960. May result in total supply being down about 15-20% from a year earlier and 20-25% below the 1975-77 average for January.

EGGS

... plentiful. Jan. output to be 2-3% above 1977 and 1-2% above the Jan. 1975-77 average.

MILK & DAIRY PRODUCTS

Milk and dairy products... plentiful. Milk production to be above Jan. 1977 and Jan. 1975-77 average, and increasing seasonally. Increase in milk production will provide additional supplies for use in manufactured products. Commercial stocks of major dairy products below a year earlier, but adequate for this time of year.

FRUITS, NUTS, VEGETABLES

Fresh grapefruit, apples and winter pears... plentiful. 1977-78 grapefruit production expected to be record large. Fresh market supplies of apples and winter pears above average. **Fresh oranges**... adequate. Supplies of other fresh fruits to be in light supply since they are past seasonal peaks.

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Grapefruit products... plentiful. Stocks of other fruits... generally adequate. **Canned peaches and canned plums**... plentiful. Stocks of other fruits... generally adequate.

Raisins... plentiful. Production in 1977 expected to be 70% above the short year earlier, but less than the 1975 crop.

Dried prunes... adequate. Estimated production above 1976 and 5% above 1975 crop.

Processed vegetable products... plentiful. **Canned sweet beans, tomatoes and products**... plentiful. **Potatoes**... plentiful. Potatoes for all uses were 2% above a year earlier and 10% above 1975. **Fresh potatoes**... plentiful.

Peanuts... plentiful. Crop to be about 4% above 1976.

GRAINS & LEGUMES

Rice... adequate. The 1977 crop to be 14% below 1976, below the large 1975 average.

Wheat... plentiful for needs. 1977 production below the record crop but about equal to the average.

Corn... plentiful for needs. 1977 production above the record 1976, 12% above the 1974-76 average.

Dry split peas... adequate. Classes 1977 production down 7% from 1976, below the 1974-76 average.

Dry split peas... plentiful. Milk production to be above Jan. 1977 and Jan. 1975-77 average, and increasing seasonally. Increase in milk production will provide additional supplies for use in manufactured products. Commercial stocks of major dairy products below a year earlier, but adequate for this time of year.

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Varsity Boys, Girls Participate In The Holiday Tournaments

By ROBIN TAYLOR

Tahoka's varsity boys and girls basketball teams participated in the Christmas holiday tournaments. The boys in the Rock Tournament in Lubbock, and the girls in the same tournament. The boys were defeated by 53 to 42. Randy Knox had 13; Alton Thompson, 8; Alton S. Thompson, 4; Donnie Clary, 2; and Jerry Hatchett, 1. The game against the Christmas High, the boys were defeated 65 to 42. Hatchett put in 14 points; Thompson, 11; Clary, 7; Meeks and Knox, 6 each.

Girls
The girls were defeated by Lubbock's Monterey 66 to 24. Carmen Garcia scored 12 points; Sylvia Salinas, 8; Brenda and Ira White, 2 each.

The girls also lost to Tulia, 56 to 48. In that game, Salinas had 27; Garcia, 18; and Ira White, 3.

Tax

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Tahoka on Tuesday, January 10, to assist local taxpayers and to answer questions about state taxes.

Enforcement Officer Sam Rendleman will meet with local taxpayers at the courthouse from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Tahoka JV Girls Defeat Idalou 35-29

December 20, at Idalou, the junior varsity team defeated the Idalou team 35-29. Martin put in 26 of 35 points for Tahoka.

Boys Win, Girls Lose In Idalou

Tahoka's varsity boys and girls played Idalou here on December 20th, the boys beating 48-40 and the girls and 64 below 33.

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A secretary asks: "Can you give me some concrete guidance about whether or not a woman should have mammography? I read recently some frightening news stories that said that mammography can cause cancer. I then cancelled my appointment to have it done."
ANSWERline: Many women have "cancelled appointments" because of understandable confusion resulting from a decision to limit routine mammographic screening of women without

symptoms to those women over 50. This is because of the slight possibility that a younger woman might develop breast cancer 20 or 30 years after routine mammographic x-rays are done. There is absolutely no question of the importance of routine mammography for women over 50. Mammography can find possible breast cancer in an extremely early stage when it is most easily and successfully treated. And breast cancer risk increases with age. Mammography is also important for women under 50 who have certain physical conditions or risk factors. The decision to have mammography must always reflect careful discussion between a woman and her physician.

A photographer writes: "Because I am a free-lance worker, I have some time to call my own. I would like to do volunteer work for the American Cancer Society, but I want to do something meaningful. What can you suggest?"
ANSWERline: The suggestions you request could fill many columns because your

local ACS Unit has need of volunteers with different talents, interests and available time schedules. You might volunteer to drive cancer patients to treatment centers or you might run a quit-smoking clinic at a high school. You might use your photography skills to publicize ACS events or you might answer telephone calls from people in your community with cancer-related problems. You might organize a free Pap test clinic at a health fair, or you might run an employee education program in a factory. The ACS needs you and will be happy to tailor a volunteer spot "just for you."

Do you have further questions? Call your local unit of the American Cancer Society or call M. D. Anderson Hospital & Tumor Institute's Cancer Information Service, 1-800-392-2040 toll-free in Texas, 792-3245 in the Houston area.



It would take millions of tiny bacteria to cover the head of a pin.
"Tis an ill cook that cannot lick his own fingers."
Shakespeare

Understanding Your Child

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Every young man graduating from high school wants to get on the road to a career as quickly as possible. Despite the show of independence he might make, he is grateful for a helping hand from parents in going in the right direction.



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FLEAS
(Order: Siphonaptera)
General: The adult flea has no wings, is small, and colored brown to black. The adults are usually found on their hosts, but in cases of severe infestation they can be found in or around the nests or hiding places of the host animal. It has a wedge-shaped head, mandibles which bite and suck, and many curved, strong spines. The hind legs are very powerful. The size ranges from 1/16 to 1/8 inch in length and about 1/64 to 1/24 inch in length. Flea bites are important spreaders of disease, ranging from nuisance bites causing minor itching for a couple of days to the spread of bubonic plague and a form of typhus. Several species of fleas are common in the United States. About the most important are the cat flea, human flea, dog flea, northern rat flea, oriental rat flea, mouse flea and sticktight flea.

The female deposits between two and eight fairly large (64 inch long) pearl-colored eggs in the hair of the host each day. The eggs are large enough to be seen with the naked eye. These eggs filter through the hair of the host and into the nest or bedding. In two to twelve days, depending on temperature and humidity, the eggs hatch into small, thin, active larvae which are segmentally bristled and colored a yellowish white. The larvae have strong mouth-parts, preferring organic material for food. Just before the end of the larval stage, the larva spins a silk cocoon, which also includes debris from its surroundings to act as camouflage. The adults emerge in one to two days.

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New Home News

By Florence Davies

John Edwards was the honored guest at a birthday supper Monday night in the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Durham, in Lubbock.

Others present were Mrs. Edwards and John Dudley, and the Edwards' granddaughter, Kary Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Merrbach of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roach of Fort Worth were here for Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Myrtle Patterson.

Sandra and Gene Heston and children of Lubbock also spent some time with her grandmother.

After two months here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Unfred, Randy left last Tuesday for Saudi Arabia where he is with Santa Fe Construction.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor and children of Balco, Oklahoma visited here a few

days before Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Howie.

Taylor taught in the New Home school in 1961-62, and is now in the ranching-farming business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ridley and Mandy visited during Christmas with her niece, Mrs. Earl Griffin, and family in Collinville, and with friends in Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs, Melanie and Clay, were in Petersburg Christmas Eve with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Murry.

Gary George of Dallas was here Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Graham George.

Christmas visitors in the homes of Mrs. Louie Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ames were Mr. and Mrs. Don Holt of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Holt of Lubbock, and

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Holt of Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Sharp, Venessa and Edd, were in Odessa Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Marguerite Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kopecky spent a week with his mother, Mrs. Annie Kopecky, in El Campo.

Mackie Caudle and family of Midland were here with his grandmother, Mrs. John Armontrout, for Christmas.

Mrs. Jo Spikes and her son, Jim, visited here with us Saturday evening.

Christmas dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bell and family were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bell, Jr. and son, Brad, of Killeen, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bell and children of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Don McBrayer and children, New Home.

Brad stayed for a longer visit with his grandparents.

Bob and Jane Nichols of Lubbock visited here with us Tuesday evening, December 20th.

Dahlen Hancock, student in Tarleton State University,

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spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hancock, and sister, Donette.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wallace and Christie had Christmas in Lubbock with his mother, Mrs. Billie Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bruton and children had Christmas dinner in Tahoka with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Bruton and Kylie.

Other family members with them were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Garner, and Mr. and Mrs. Novis Pennell, all of Post.

Congratulations to Keith and Cindy Sharp of Carlisle on the birth of a son, Eric Keith was born Monday, January 2nd, in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock and weighed eight pounds, two ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Emil Raindl, Tahoka, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Sharp, New Home.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Claudia Raindl, Lubbock, and Claude Fewell, Carlisle.

The little fellow arrived on his great-grandfather's 75th birthday.

On Wednesday, December 21st, we enjoyed an early Christmas with Carlton and family in Lubbock, and after dinner, gifts were exchanged in the Davies home.

On Christmas day, we drove to Snyder for Christmas with Ann, Wayland, Scott, and Bryan, in the Walton home. Other family members present were Billie Jo, Charles, and Roger Freeman, Crosbyton; Don, Mary Ann, Bradd, Ben, Carolyn, and DeAnna Cowan, San Benito; Don and Mary Cowan, Richardson; Sue and Newton Snodgrass, Wink; Wayla Ann, Andy, Alex, and Michelle Pistone, California; Marta and Richard Hanks, Snyder; Elizabeth, Alvin, and Zane Neely, Snyder; and E. M. Inman, Snyder.

We returned home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Freeman, Tonya and Sandra, of Houston, spent last Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gray and Angie.

E. R. Blakney had major surgery in Methodist Hospital on Saturday, December 31st, and was able to be moved from ICU to a private room on Sunday.

Larry and Kay Brown, Crystal and Shawn, drove to Vail, Colorado Friday, December 16th, and while skiing Saturday, Kay suffered a bad injury to her knee.

After emergency treatment in the hospital there, she was taken to High Plains Hospital in Amarillo where surgery was performed Monday morning, but she was out of the hospital in time to spend Christmas with their families here. She will be on crutches for several weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. Leo Cole were in Silverton Tuesday morning for funeral services for her cousin's son, Johnny Baird, 31, a lifetime resident of Silverton.

Services were in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Royce Benton officiating, assisted by Earl Cantwell, minister of the Rock Creek Church of Christ.

Baird was a barber and a member of First Baptist Church. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Viet Nam conflict.

Survivors include a son, Barry Don, of the home; four brothers, Jerry of Silverton, Bob of Huntsville, Arkansas, Jim of Alvord, and Bill of Malakoff; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Baird of Silverton.

Mrs. Edna Carpenter remains a patient in Methodist Hospital.

Due to the after-Christmas mail rush, some news items are being omitted this week, but will run next week.

Jim Rudd Receives Service Award

The Texas Good Roads/Transportation Association has presented Representative Jim D. Rudd of Brownfield with its Meritorious Service Award.

Rudd received the award at the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce breakfast on December 7th, given in recognition of the leadership of members of the 65th Texas Legislature for the passage of vital highway legislation.

The award was presented by Auvy McBride, president of the Brownfield Chamber.

The legislation will provide funds to rehabilitate neglected and winter-damaged roads, upgrade obsolete roads and bridges, and to build new transportation facilities for the state.

Money appropriated for repair and reconstruction projects will be forthcoming in Terry, Lynn, Gaines, and Hockley Counties within the coming year.

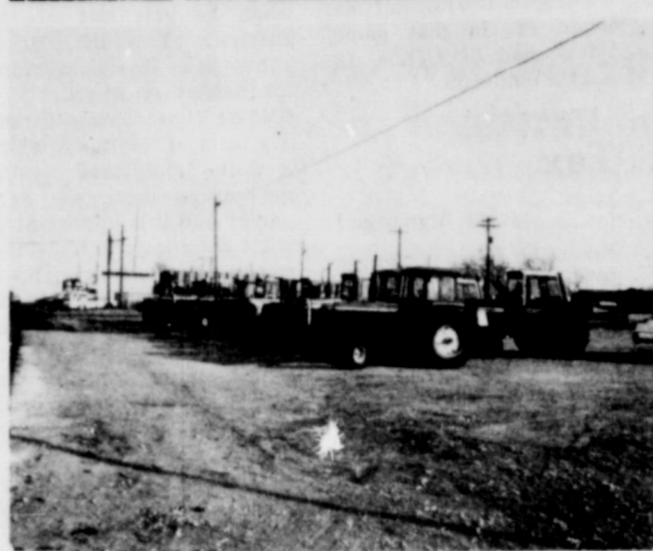
Prescribed Reading
By
Dayton Parke
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At other times, your physician may instruct your pharmacist to refill a limited number of "X" (times).

Some prescriptions may contain the Latin abbreviation "ad lib" or "p.r.m." which mean the pharmacist may refill the prescription without further authorization from the physician. However, the careful pharmacist will refill such prescription only on a frequency consistent with the directions for use and will, after a time, check to see that the physician wants the medication continued.

Your pharmacist may use his professional judgement in refilling prescriptions only when they call for harmless ingredients, when the physician does not prohibit refills, and where no State or Federal restrictions apply.



NEW HOME! FARMERS joined forces and readied their tractors to join in the Tuesday rally at Lubbock on Tuesday morning, asking for farm cost-price equalization.

Jim Coulston Speaks At Rotary About The Club's 4-Way Test

The Rotary 4-Way Test which advocates high ethical standards in business and professional relations in dealing with the public was the subject of a talk at the Rotary Club Thursday noon of last week by Jim Coulston, superintendent of schools.

He also pointed out a change for the better by dedication and commitment among faculty and students in the local school system.

One example he pointed out was the success of the Bulldog football team, which had been picked early in the season to finish low in the district race. All the Bulldogs did was go to the state quarter-finals.

Warren Embree gave the induction talk for a new

Rotary member, Larry Phillips, who is in the pest exterminator business.

Dr. K. R. Durham was in charge of the program.

In the last meeting before Christmas, Dr. Richard White presented a talk and slide pictures of 3,000-year-old relics and gold art objects from the Egyptian tomb of King Tut, which he and his wife viewed on a visit to Chicago.

President Horace Rogers presented a Christmas gift to Club Sweetheart Deanya Wood.

"Cap" Whorton was in charge of that program.

January Revival Scheduled

A non-denominational revival has been set for January 6, 7, and 8, 7:30 p.m., at the Tahoka Community Center.

Evangelist will be Johnny Gutierrez, Jr.

Wood's Have Holiday Guests

N. E. Wood, Jr. and family of McAllen, and Mrs. Idalia Money and son, David, of Odessa were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Wood during the Christmas holidays.

Running Club Sponsors Marathon

West Texas Running Club, Nautilus Fitness Center of Amarillo, and Canyon Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a marathon and four-mile run on Saturday, January 14, in Palo Duro Canyon State Park. Sign-in will be at 9 a.m. and running will begin at 11 a.m.

Entry fee is \$4.00 if received on or before January 14; \$5.00 on race day; and \$5.00 per team entry.

Sign-in table will be located at the last camp site on the main Canyon Road, the starting location for both races.

More information may be obtained from Gene Adams, Route 1, Brownfield 79316.

Introducing
Ob
A. Bax

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ford Jr. are the parents of daughter, Brandy Jean, who was born December 12:17 a.m. in H. Baptist Hospital, Waco. The young lady weighed four pounds, four ounces, and was seventeen one-half inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ford and Mrs. J. L. Ford, McQueen of Waco.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnson, all of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. John of Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dyer are the parents of son, L. J., who was born December 21st and named for his grand father the late L. J. Marett.

Young L. J. weighed eight pounds, twelve ounces, and was seventeen one-half inches long. He has an older brother, sister.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V. Tebo of Terry and Mrs. Anna Walker Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith of Carlisle are the parents of son, Eric Keith, who was born January 2nd, 1954. Mary's Hospital, Waco, eight pounds, two ounces.

The lad, who was born 9:26 p.m., is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Sharp, his mother's former Cindy Raindl.

Great-grandparents Belle Romines of Palo Alto, Claude Fewell of Carlisle, whose 75th birthday baby was born; and Frank Raindl, of Lubbock.

Evangelist will be Johnny Gutierrez, Jr.

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Obituaries

A. Baxley

Funeral services for W. A. Baxley, 90, were conducted at 11 a.m. on Monday, December 28, at the First Baptist Church at Tahoka...

Mrs. R. Burleson

Funeral services for Mrs. R. Burleson, 87, were conducted at 10 a.m. on Monday, December 27, in a private home...

Mrs. E. E. King

Funeral services for Mrs. E. E. (Wilma B.) King of Tahoka were conducted Thursday, December 29, at First United Methodist Church...

Mrs. Addie Francis

Funeral services for Mrs. Addie Frances Francis were conducted at 11 a.m. on January 4 in Tahoka's First Baptist Church...

E. G. Reyes

Services for Eleno Gonzales Reyes of New Home were Monday, December 26, in St. Jude's Catholic Church in Tahoka...

Rev. Claude LeMond

Rev. Claude LeMond, 70, retired Methodist minister who was born and reared at Draw, died Tuesday, January 3rd, in Abilene...

M. L. Webb

Funeral services for M. L. Webb, 63, will be conducted Thursday, January 5, at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, January 5, at White Funeral Home Chapel in Tahoka...

Mrs. W. R. Sewell

Services for Mrs. William R. (Mary Jane) Sewell, 60, of Slaton were held December 31st in the First United Methodist Church there...

Mrs. D. B. English

Funeral services for Mrs. D. B. (Argen) English of Tahoka were conducted at 2:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 3rd, in First United Methodist Church...

D. C. Carroll

Funeral services for D. C. Carroll, rural mail carrier at Tahoka for many years, were conducted in Grand Prairie on December 26th...

LeLaus Lambert

Funeral services for LeLaus Lambert, 68, of Hobbs, New Mexico were at Peterson-Roberts Funeral Home chapel there on Tuesday, January 3rd...

Nova Lee Curd of Midland, and Mrs. Deane Kalbauch of Tulare, California; two sisters, Mrs. Kate Levey and Mrs. Earl Mills...

Otto Carter

Services for Otto Carter of Tahoka were at 10 a.m. on Monday, January 2nd, in First United Methodist Church, with Newton Starnes, pastor, officiating...

Finis E. Wilson

Funeral services for Finis Ewing Wilson, 75, of Route 2, O'Donnell were held in Anderson-Clayton Funeral Home Chapel in Kemp on December 27...

Dayton Parker Pharmacy advertisement featuring a cartoon doctor and text: 'after you see your doctor, bring your prescription to Dayton Parker Pharmacy'.

Allen Jolly's Have Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jolly's four children, sixteen grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren were guests in the Jolly home at Christmas...

Mrs. L. R. Cox

Funeral services for Mrs. L. R. (Hattie) Cox, 81, of Lubbock were held at 2 p.m. on January 4 in Franklin-Bartley Funeral Home Chapel in Lubbock...

Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park. Mrs. Cox died Monday, January 2nd, in West Texas Hospital...

She had been a Lubbock resident since 1943, moving there from New Deal where she had lived since 1925. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include two sons, Andy H. of Fort Collins, Colorado, and William P. (Bill) of Route 4, Tahoka; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Lou Harvey, of Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. Dora Clark, of Fort Worth; ten grandchildren; and twelve great-grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife, Agnes; two sons, Neel of Houston, and Alfred of Houston; and one grandchild.

CORN Facts & Fancies

At one time, many people believed corn should only be planted at a certain time—by the light of the moon.

Today, people who plant corn know that herbicides are more effective than moonlight in securing a good crop. One, AATrex 4L, is tested by Ciba-Geigy under field conditions, to assure consistent performance.



Three-quarters of all the corn moving in world trade in a recent year was grown by American farmers.

The first book ever printed on cornstalk paper was appropriately titled: Farm Products in Industry.

"We always love those who admire us, but we do not always love those whom we admire." La Rochefoucauld

EMG TRAINING advertisement for medical professionals, mentioning 'THE LARGEST MEDICAL CENTER IN THE WORLD'.

WOODLINE TURBINE PUMPS advertisement for REDA pumps, including contact information for John Edwards Shop.

Advertisement for clinical specialists, mentioning 'TRAINING FOR HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS'.

WOODLINE TURBINE PUMPS advertisement for REDA pumps, including contact information for John Edwards Shop.

Large advertisement for Bonnie A's featuring a cartoon character with a broom, text 'CLEARANCE CLOSE', 'It's A Clean Sweep On All Fall & Winter Mds.', 'SAVINGS UP TO 50%', and 'BARGAIN TABLES'.

Large advertisement for Little Mister & Miss Shoppe featuring the word 'Clearance' in a large font, 'SAVE 1/2', and lists of clothing items like 'DRESSES AND TOPS', 'JEANS', 'PANT SUITS', and 'COATS'.

AROUND TOWN

By Leona Waldrip

998-4496

Richard M. Styles, public relations consultant for the Baptist Foreign Mission Board, has been named to the new position of vice-president for university relations at Hardin-Simmons University, effective January 3rd.

Styles, a Texas Tech graduate, joined the Foreign Mission Board staff in 1970. He was previously a faculty member at Virginia Intermount College. Married to the former DeAnn Buske of Friona, his parents live at New Deal.

Mrs. Leona Waldrip of Tahoka is a cousin of Styles.

A public hearing held on December 20th at Senior Citizens Center was led by Betty Shannon from the Office on Aging.

Teddie B. Kelley, co-chairman of the county committee, welcomed the group and introduced the other members of the committee.

Judge C. L. Abernathy of Plainview presented the Program on Aging and the 1978 Aging Service Plan and its objectives, presented by Mrs. Shannon.

The group enjoyed a spaghetti luncheon prepared by the ladies at the center. Mrs. Ruby Goforth who works with the same program in Clovis, New Mexico was a special guest.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Willie Thomas include Mrs. Vera Faye Hill of Lubbock; a son and family, the B. L. Thomas's of Post; and a grandson and wife from Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McCord of Commerce spent the week preceding Christmas in the home of her mother, Thelma Dewbre. For the holiday, they were joined by the M. L. Green's of Comanche, and the Don McKibbin family of Lubbock.

Mrs. Leo Dulin reports that she and Jimmy had all their children and grandchildren home on December 24th.

On Monday after Christmas, Ann McLennan, assistant director of South Plains Homemaker Service, and Mrs. Dulin, who is Lynn County Coordinator for Homemakers Service, spent the day visiting homemakers and their clients in the O'Donnell area.

Anyone interested in this service or in becoming a homemaker worker is asked to call Mrs. Dulin at 998-4369.

Mrs. Pat Swann attended funeral services for her brother-in-law, Claude Johnson, on Tuesday in Hobbs, New Mexico.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Laws, Dean and Chad.

Visitors in my home on Christmas Day were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Waldrip, Mike, Dennis, and Judy of Levelland, and Mr. and Mrs. Kay Waldrip and Kathy of Amarillo.

Returning to Amarillo with the Kay Waldrip's, I spent Sunday night through Tuesday there.

The December birthday party was held on Friday, December 30th, for Senior Citizens who had birthdays that month.

Mrs. Mildred Abbe, Myrtle Lovelady, and Lela Woods were the honored guests. Each was presented a gift by the hostess, Teddie Kelley, and then each drew a gift from the Club Birthday Box.

Sandwiches, birthday cake, and spiced tea were served to the twenty-two persons present, and the group enjoyed playing Bingo and 42.

Fruit donated to the club by a friend was distributed to each person present.

Mrs. Jimmy Dulin attended church services at Primitive Baptist Church in Lubbock on Saturday night, where they sang out the old year and welcomed the new year.

Draw Home Demonstration Club will meet with

Mrs. Dovie Luttrell on Tuesday, January 10, at 2 p.m.

Dr. and Mrs. K. R. Durham spent the holidays with their son, Kenneth, and family in Longview.

Friday is regular luncheon day at the Lynn County Pioneer Club. Cordia Swann and Edna Brasher will be hostesses.

Myrtle Lovelady spent the Christmas and New Year holidays in Muleshoe with her daughter and family.

Cotton, Inc. Schedules Report Meet

Cotton producers of Lynn County will hear reports on the research and marketing progress of their commodity when Cotton, Incorporated holds its annual report meeting at 9:30 a.m. on Monday, January 16, at the American Legion Hall in Slaton.

The annual report meeting will give producers a firsthand look at what Cotton, Incorporated is doing for them in production, textile, and economic research. Stanley Young, County Extension agent said. It also will show the marketing, merchandising, and advertising efforts carried out by the company on behalf of the producer.

The meeting will feature a specially made color-sound motion picture giving a company-wide view of 1977 accomplishments, followed by a brief update by a key member of the Cotton, Incorporated staff. Marketing outlook for 1978 will also be discussed.

There will be ample time for questions and discussion, and producers are encouraged to bring their wives, Young said. Wives will be especially interested in parts of the film dealing with textile and product development.

Cotton, Incorporated is the fiber company of American cotton producers, Young said.

Lynn County News

A Visit With Your County Agent

by Stanley Young
Lynn County Agent

Gardening-- Sometimes Difficult, Always Worthwhile
Although gardening is hard work, it's the little things that go into the plot that make it all worthwhile.

The small, often insignificant things that contribute to a successful garden can include sharing your love of the soil and of growing things with your husband or wife.

Gardening can be trying at times, when the roto-tiller won't start or the handle on your best hoe is cracked. But the backaches and worry lines all seem to vanish when that first fruit appears on the backyard tree or you bite into that fresh-picked tomato.

Monetary profits may never surface over the years of planting, but the joy and satisfaction of watching the miracle of growth accomplished from your hands is the biggest profit.

The secret of happiness is not always in doing what one likes, but in liking what one has to do. And in each gardener may be the bud of another American farmer who is the backbone of the American workforce.

These growers, gardeners and farmers are in the mainstream of the American way of life. They are always coiled and ready to go, eager to try to do better next year. Hopefully, this determination in the American people will never cease.

Control Nematodes With Garden Clean-Up
Home gardeners can give vegetables and flowers a head start next spring by destroying the winter homes of disease-causing organisms such as nematodes.

If your garden didn't grow as well as it should have last summer, one should check for nematodes now. Nematodes are a problem in many home gardens, but the damage they cause is often attributed to other factors.

Although several kinds of nematodes attack garden plants, the most common is the root-knot nematode. It causes a swollen, knobby appearance on plant roots.

Examine the plants' root systems as you clean up the garden. It's also wise to send a soil sample to the Plant Nematode Detection Laboratory, Texas A & M University, College Station, Texas 77843. There is a \$2 charge for the test, but this can be a wise investment. Information on submitting soil samples for nematode detection is available at the county Extension office.

If nematodes are present in your garden, you can take several steps. One is to move your garden to a new location that is free of

root-knot nematodes. If you are limited in garden space, treat the garden with Vapam and flower beds with Vapam or methyl bromide. Handle both materials with caution, applying each according to directions specified on the label. Special attention must be given to soil moisture, soil temperature, soil condition and waiting periods between treatment and planting.

For further information on nematodes in gardens, I suggest a copy of L-781, "Control of Plant Parasitic Nematodes Around the Home and Garden," available at the county Extension office.



By Cynthia Lee
Consumer Relations Dept.
Texize Chemicals Co.

KITCHEN FACE-LIFT

If you're plagued by the winter blahs, revamping your kitchen for a cheery, new look may be just the right project to brighten things up. It can be really simple and inexpensive to do, too. Here are some suggestions:

- To help you organize kitchen cabinets more effectively, use space savers, such as stacking shelves, drawer dividers, and storage turntables.



- During stuffy, winter months, grease and cooking fumes combine with everyday dirt and soil to form a dull-looking, greasy film which settles on all areas of the kitchen—not just the stove—on cabinets and appliances, too. To thoroughly clean away the greasy dirt, spray the grimy surfaces with Grease relief® degreaser and wipe with a damp sponge.

- For large jobs like laundering grease-spotted, washable curtains and table linens, apply degreaser directly to the soiled areas before laundering.
- When your kitchen is sparkling clean again, you might want to add some colorful, new table accessories such as placemats, napkin holders, or an attractive centerpiece. Many pretty, yet inexpensive, decorative items can be found in your local dime store.



In ancient Greece, a person erroneously mourned as dead was not treated as alive again until he had gone through a re-birth ceremony—including being dressed in baby clothes.

Mrs. Waldrip Is Coordinator Of Census Assessment Project

Lynn County has been selected from among the fifteen-county South Plains service area as the demonstration county for the Census/Needs Assessment, the collection of the data information being sponsored by the South Plains Office on Aging, a department of South Plains Association of Governments, in conjunction with the Senior Citizens of Lynn County.

Mrs. Leona Waldrip of Tahoka, president of the Lynn County Pioneer Senior Citizens Club, has been selected as Volunteer Coordinator, to be assisted by Mrs. Benny Barton of O'Donnell's Young Homemaker Club, and Mrs. Flora Dell Nowlin of Meadow.

The purpose of the data collection is to locate those individuals in both urban and rural areas, over 55 years of age, and to determine their needs. The

South Plains Office on Aging is funded as a part of the Older Americans Act which provides for a coordinated system of delivery of social services to older individuals in this service area. Previous funding has helped to support Senior Citizens Centers, provide transportation, outreach, information and referral, telephone assurance, in addition to many other services. Therefore, it is the objective of the survey to determine the real needs of those individuals in order that the allocated funds for an area may help to best meet the needs of that area.

Lynn County is the first county to be surveyed, as it is the demonstration county. Volunteers are needed to survey their block or their rural area. They may contact Mrs. Waldrip at 998-4496, in Tahoka.

Tahoka Weather

	High	Low
Dec. 28	43	32
Dec. 29	50	29
Dec. 30	65	31
Jan. 1	69	20
Jan. 2	34	18
Jan. 3	42	20
Jan. 4	62	34

Light snow Sunday night. Total precipitation during 1977 was 16.52 inches. Rain since August, only 1.11 inches.



Writer James Joyce was also a talented musician.



In the 19th century a sect in India worshipped Queen Victoria as a divinity.

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According to scholars, gold has had over 60 centuries involvement with gold. The possible first nugget found still exist today, molded yet untarnished perhaps in some gold jewelry of yours.



Gold today is used in hundreds of industrial applications and even went with on his most far-reaching venture. Astronauts gold-plated heat shields as they walk in space and the moon.



The system of using fingerprints for identification started by William Herschel of the Indian Civil Service in 1858, at Jungipur, India.



In some places wood have been known to be tree's forgiveness before being cut down.

Lynn County Land For Sale By Sealed Bids

The Estates of Gus and Ethel Owens offer for sale by Sealed Bids the following tract of land:

BEING all of the South One-half (S/2) of Section No. Five (5), Block No. C-41, Public School Land, Lynn County, Texas, and containing Three Hundred Twenty (320) acres of land.

The proposed sale is SURFACE ONLY (all minerals are reserved).

All interested persons should submit their written Sealed Bids (on a per acre basis) no later than 10:00 a.m., Monday, January 23, 1978, to the Estates' Attorney, as follows:

Mr. John Saleh
Attorney at Law
502 North First Street
Lamesa, Texas 79331

All Sealed Bids will be opened at 10:30 a.m., Monday, January 23, 1978.

THIS IS AN INVITATION FOR BIDS, AND THE ESTATES RESERVE THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

Should a Bid be accepted, the terms of the trade will be as follows:

Of the total purchase price, 29% down, and the balance to be payable in 10 equal annual installments (with on or before privileges), plus interest at the rate of 8% per annum. Possession to be delivered on date Bid is accepted and Contract of Sale entered into with 10% Escrow Deposit.

Also, the successful bidder will be given the option to rent the North One-half (N/2) of the above-described Section for a period of Three (3) years (1978, 1979, 1980), on the usual and customary One-third (1/3) and One-fourth (1/4) basis. The above property is located 11 miles west of O'Donnell and 6 miles east of Welch.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 1978

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—A new poll covering major statewide races as candidates buzz during the holiday season nears an end and tough campaigning looms ahead.

The 808-voter telephone sampling by Henson and Associates of Austin for U.S. Senate Candidate Bob Krueger showed veteran Republican Sen. John Tower ahead of Krueger 49 per cent to 39 with 13 per cent undecided. Voters who know both candidates well, however, were evenly divided—46 to 46 per cent.

Tower led both Krueger and Joe Christie, the other Democratic contender, widely in name identification. Seventy-five per cent of the voters surveyed could identify Tower, while 23 per cent recognized Christie's name and 21 per cent knew Krueger.

The poll showed Tower leading Christie 52 per cent to 37 among all voters interviewed and 56 per cent to 36 per cent among voters who know both candidates. It showed Krueger ahead of Christie 30 to 22 among the entire sampling and 35 per cent to 24 per cent among those voters who said they would probably vote Democratic. Voters who said they knew both Democratic candidates preferred Krueger to Christie 55 to 31 per cent, differing considerably from an earlier poll done for Attorney General John Hill, the Henson survey showed Gov. Dolph Briscoe ahead of Hill 43 per cent to 28 per cent, with eight per cent for former Gov. Preston Smith and 21 per cent undecided. The poll commissioned by Hill last October showed him only four per cent behind Briscoe among all voters interviewed, eight per cent back among those voters likely to vote Democratic.

The new poll gave Price Daniel Jr. a 38 per cent to 37 per cent lead over Mark White in the attorney general's race.

Forty-seven per cent of the voters interviewed approved Carter's performance, 30 per cent disapproved, and 15 per cent were neutral. Eight per cent expressed no opinion on Carter.

Road Plan Approved

The State Highway and Public Transportation Commission has approved a plan to guide highway reconstruction, rehabilitation and construction over the next

two decades.

Projects in the first five years of the plan are cleared for right of way buying and construction. Most of them previously had some form of commission approval. Those in the second five-year segment are cleared for advance planning study only and will require additional commission action. Projects in the final decade of the plan carry no authorizations or approval. They are included as work that seems to be needed to have a complete, connected statewide highway system within the next 20 years. The plan is subject to regular review and evaluation.

Sales Setting Record

Gross sales in Texas by merchants and other sales tax permit holders climbed to \$40.3 billion during the second quarter of the year.

Comptroller Bob Bullock said the figure is \$6.3 billion or 18.8 per cent over the same three months period in 1976.

Sales in metropolitan Harris County alone totalled \$10.5 billion, a \$2.4 billion increase over last year.

Hospitals To Stay Open

Top federal officials have assured Gov. Briscoe that new federal health planning guidelines will not force any Texas hospitals to close.

Briscoe announced on return from Washington, D.C., that Joseph A. Califano Jr., secretary of Health, Education and Welfare and other federal officials gave the promise and pledged to work with state officials to revise the guidelines reflecting Texas concerns.

Refunds Due

Eight thousand Texans who bought 1977 Oldsmobiles, Buicks and Pontiacs which had Chevrolet engines may be getting \$200 refunds from General Motors.

The rebates result from an agreement between attorneys general of 45 states and General Motors. Texans will get a total of about \$3 million in the largest consumer protection agreement in history.

They will also have their warranties extended from 12 months or 12,000 miles to three years or 36,000 miles. GM must post stickers on the cars telling the type engine installed. GM admits no wrong-doing in switching engines without notifying customers of the fact.

Production Wide Open

One hundred per cent oil production was continued for January in a new Railroad Commission order.

Only exception to the wide-open allowable was the East Texas Field, held to 86 per cent production.

The commission's meeting was the final one for Jim Langdon who has resigned after 14 years' service and will be succeeded by John Poerner on January 3.

Commission Chairman Mack Wallace noted foreign crude oil imports are down 500,000 barrels per day over last year.

Power Sale Cleared

Altering an earlier rule, Public Utility Commission finally cleared the way for utilities with surplus generating capacity to sell power to others at cost less than that of generation by the purchaser.

The rule change made it possible for Lower Colorado River Authority to make economy purchases of power from Texas Electric Service Company at peak periods of power use. It, in effect, allows LCRA to pass on to customers the TESCO base charge for a sale as well as fuel-adjustment costs.

Short Snorts

Gov. Briscoe, after conversations with Carter administration representatives and congressmen, expressed confidence a federal energy bill can be passed that will include production incentives for natural gas omitted from Carter's original recommendations.

Republican State Chairman Ray Barnhart said the GOP will field serious candidates for most major statewide offices, at least seven congressional seats and a dozen legislative places.

William D. Decker of Dickinson was named judge of the 122nd district court of Galveston County.

Benjamin N. Woodson of Houston is a new University of Houston regent.

The Railroad Commission granted Missouri-Pacific Railroad Company's application to discontinue and dis-

mantle agency station houses at Vanderbilt and Atlanta.

Only Virginia has a higher percentage of lawyers among its legislature than does Texas. Forty-three per cent of Texas legislators are attorneys. The figure in Virginia is 57 per cent.

State Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation Commissioner Kenneth D. Gaver has resigned effective February 28 to enter private medical practice.

House of Representatives Sergeant-at-arms Russell T. "Rusty" Kelley resigned to become a vice-president of the Texas Savings and Loan League. Tommy Townsend recently quit as Senate sergeant-at-arms and joined the Texas Real Estate Association staff.

AUSTIN—Texas has a new emergency plan for handling winter fuel emergencies — which hopefully won't have to be implemented.

A blue-ribbon panel of the Emergency Energy Preparedness Committee adopted the guide for coordinated action by state agencies in dealing with cold weather natural gas and other fuel shortages in Texas and other states.

Railroad Commission Chairman Mack Wallace said he believes fuel stocks are better this year than last.

The plan contemplates no curtailments of natural gas supplies to residential customers. Commercial customers are not expected to experience severe problems due to availability of substitute fuels, the plan indicates.

Steps contemplated include increased production, allocations from one area to another, strict conservation measures and assistance programs to low-income families with peak winter fuel bills. The plan also suggests

a moratorium on utility cut-offs due to inability to pay winter bills.

A center would be located in Austin to exchange information and monitor conditions on an around-the-clock basis if a genuine emergency develops.

"You can be sure we are not going to let people freeze while we go through hearings on gas rates," commented Wallace.

Severity of the winter will determine which, if any, of the emergency steps outlined, are necessary.

Officials Sworn

Five new statewide officials were sworn in here this week.

Railroad Commission member John Poerner of Hondo, 44, took the oath of office in the House of Representatives where he served as a legislator three terms.

New judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals are Tom G. Davis of Vernon, Carl E.F. Dally of Houston, Jim Vollers of Beaumont and W.C. Davis of Bryan.

The court was increased by a recent constitutional amendment from five to nine elected judges. Tom Davis and Dally, who were court commissioners, were automatically elevated to full judgeships by the constitutional amendment.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe appointed Vollers and W.C. Davis. Vollers was state's attorney before the court and W.C. Davis judge of the 85th judicial district.

Briscoe also appointed Poerner, who had been his top staff member in education matters.

Candidate Judging

Environmentalists of the Texas League of Conservation Voters are going into the business of judging candidates for governor this year.

The league has evaluated voting records of legislators on environmental matters but has not taken a stand in the statewide elections.

Appointments

Former Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White was recommended by President Carter to head the Democratic national party, and the nomination was widely applauded by state leaders of all factions.

Gov. Briscoe dumped Rex C. Cauble of Denton, a former supporter, from the Texas Aeronautics Commission and replaced him with James D. Abrams of El Paso. Briscoe reappointed C.T. Matthew of Yoakum to the Aeronautics Commission.

State Rep. Herman Adams of Silsbee has been named director for public affairs of The University of Texas system, effective January 12.

Texas Railroad Commissioner Jon Newton was appointed to the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners committee on natural gas which is charged with improving public regulation of gas utilities.

Rule Pondered

Texas Air Control Board will vote January 9 on whether to accept a controversial federal Environmental Protection Agency air pollution control rule.

Chairman John Blair of Kountze said possible loss of \$2 million in federal funds

and resulting staff reductions at the board will not influence the agency's final vote.

The EPA offset policy would prohibit construction of industrial facilities which cause pollution in areas already exceeding federal air quality standards unless existing facilities reduce pollution by a degree offsetting that caused by the proposed new plant.

If the state board doesn't accept the federal policy, it could lose 25 per cent of its \$8.1 million Air Control Board budget. If it accepts the policy, Blair contends, Texas companies which already have reduced pollution would be penalized.

Short Snorts

Statewide unemployment fell to 4.9 per cent in November.

The State Health Department will stop distributing smallpox vaccine January 1, since there hasn't been a case of smallpox reported in Texas since 1954.

Secretary of State Steve Oaks has issued instructions on implementing the new Texas voter registration laws.

Gov. Briscoe has announced awarding of two grants totalling \$157,810 to Texas A&M University system for energy programs.

The Railroad Commission denied an application from Missouri-Pacific Railroad Company for authority to close the railroad's station house in Atlanta, Texas.

There were 22,911 applications for permits to drill oil and gas tests in Texas during the first 11 and a half months of 1977, up from 20,232 for the same period in 1976.

Rep. Walt Parker of Denton will be new executive director of the School District Tax Assessment Practices Board.

To get a free copy, says Brown, write: Texas Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Protective Act, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas, 78711.

The new booklet will eventually be mailed to all licensed produce dealers.

Chili Harvest Eye-Watering Success Story

AUSTIN—Mexican food fans should be happy to hear that chili pepper harvest is nearing completion at El Paso, and so far the crop looks good, Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown reported today.

Along with this specialty crop for Texas is the harvest of fall and winter vegetables across the state.

From the Lower Rio Grande Valley, carrots, cabbage and bell peppers are being shipped. The citrus harvest is going well there with gift season demand remaining high, Brown said.

In the San Antonio-Winter Garden area, bell peppers, cabbage, spinach, and carrots are still being moved to market. Eagle Pass growers are also harvesting spinach and salvaging tomatoes from fields damaged by a mid-November freeze.

New Produce Industry Guide Now Available

AUSTIN—Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown reminds all produce dealers that a new publication is available from the Texas Department of Agriculture which details recent changes in the Agricultural Protective Act and the Citrus Licensing Act.

The booklet, "Texas Produce Industry Guide", contains a directory of all licensed produce dealers in the state and information on all laws administered by the Department which deal with the state's fresh produce industry.

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Political Calendar

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E. L. Short

Tahoka

U.S. Representative

17th District

A. L. (Dusty) Rhodes

Abilene

Jim Baum

Big Spring

County Judge

Lynn County

W. B. (Bill) Griffin

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C. W. Roberts

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LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

A Hearing Commission of the Texas Department of Water Resources will conduct a public hearing beginning at 1:30 p.m., January 31, 1978, Old Grand Jury Room, Old County Courthouse, 301 Oak, Abilene, Texas and 1:30 p.m., February 1, 1978, Brazos River Authority, 4400 Cobbs, Waco, Texas in order to receive testimony concerning Volume I, Basic Data Report, of the Water Quality Management Plan for the Brazos Basin. This document is the first of two volumes which, upon completion of Volume II, will form the Water Quality Management Plan for the Brazos Basin. Volume I, Basic Data Report, includes information on existing wastewater treatment facilities; existing water quality; existing land use patterns;

existing population; and projections of economic growth, population, and probable land use patterns. Volume II, Plan Summary Report, will present the recommended plans for water quality management and the legal, financial, and institutional requirements of each plan. Also included in Volume II will be descriptions of feasible alternatives, an environmental assessment, and a summary of the public participation activities conducted during the development of the plan. The Water Quality Management Plan for the Brazos Basin is being developed to satisfy the requirements of Section 208 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act Amendments of 1972, and pursuant to Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations Parts 130 and 131 and the State of Texas Continuing Planning Pro-

cess. The public hearing shall be conducted in compliance with Section 26.037 (formerly Section 21.089), Texas Water Code. The study area for this plan includes most of the Brazos River Basin. **This plan will not address the planning required in the Killean-Temple Designated Area-wide Planning Area; detailed planning within that area will be provided through the development of the Killean-Temple Area-wide Waste Treatment Management Plan and will not be considered at this hearing.**

Copies of the Basic Data Report will be made available for public inspection at the following locations: Texas Department of Water Resources Offices, Stephen F. Austin Building, 1700 North Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas; Texas Department of Water Resources District 1 Office, 301 S. Polk, Room 306, Amarillo, Texas 79106; Texas Department of Water Resources District 2 Office, 4819 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas 79412; Texas Department of Water Resources District 4 Office, 203 James Collins Blvd., Duncannon, Texas 75116; Texas Department of Water Resources District 7 Office, 2318 Center Street, Deer Park, Texas 77536; Texas Department of Water Resources District 9 Office, 133 West Concho, San Angelo, Texas, 76903; and the Brazos River Authority Office, Waco, Texas. Copies of Volume II, Plan Summary Report, will be made available at these same locations when completed in June, 1978. However, the hearing cited in this notice will consider only Volume I, Basic Data Report, of Water Quality Management Plan for the Brazos Basin.

Requests for copies of the Basic Data Report and questions about it should be addressed to Mr. Jack Kramer, Texas Department of Water Resources, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711, or call (512) 475-3454. When requesting a copy or sending a query by mail, please include your complete return address and telephone number.

The public is encouraged to attend the hearing and to present evidence or opinions as to the accuracy of the existing and projected data compiled in the Basic Data Report. Written testimony which is submitted prior to or during the public hearing will be included in the record. The Hearing Commission would appreciate receiving a copy of all testimony at least five (5) days before the hearing. The testimony and questions concerning the public hearing should be addressed to Gordon W. Houser, Texas

Department of Water Resources, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 or call (512) 475-5516.

The date selected for this hearing is intended to comply with deadlines set by statute and regulation. Any publication or receipt of this notice less than thirty calendar days prior to the hearing date is due to the necessity of scheduling the hearing on the date selected.

This public hearing may be continued in order to fully develop the evidence.

Issued this 28th day of December, 1977.

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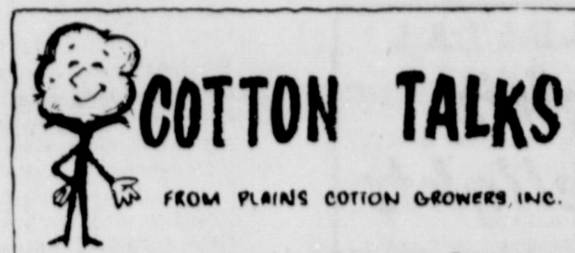
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Note: The next issue of Cotton Talks will be Friday, January 6.

Eight meetings are scheduled across the High Plains in January to give cotton producers, ginners and others a first-hand look at the achievements of Cotton Incorporated during 1977 and the challenges facing cotton in the near future.

CI is the cotton grower's beltwide fiber company through which producers seek to enhance profit potential with improved marketing, production and handling practices. Producers finance the company by investing a small percentage of each bale's value each year.

One or two top CI staff members will be on hand for each of the meetings, plus some of the High Plains people who serve as Cotton Board members and CI Directors. Opportunity will be given at each meeting for questions or suggestions from those attending.

The kickoff meeting on the Plains will be at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, January 3 in the Memorial Building, Tulsa, followed by a meeting at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, January 5, at the Massey Activity center, Floydada. Don Marble of South Plains and/or CI Director J.D. Smith of Sudan will chair the Tulsa and Floydada meetings.

Other meetings and their chairmen are as follows:
Ralls, Caravan Restaurant, 9:00 a.m. Friday, January 6, CI Director W.B. Criswell of Idalou, Chairman;

Slaton, American Legion Hall, 9:30 a.m. Monday, January 16, Criswell, Chairman;

Seminole, Civic Center, 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, January 17, CI Director Donnell Echols of Lamesa, Chairman;

Levelland, Levelland State Bank, 9:30 a.m. Monday, January 23, Director L.C. Unfred of Tahoka, Chairman;

Brownfield, Pioneer Natural Gas Building, 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, January 24, Unfred, Chairman, and

Lamesa, Dawson County Community Center, 9:00 a.m. Wednesday, January 25, Unfred or Echols, Chairman.

Cotton Board members from the High Plains expected to attend one or more of the meetings are Dan Davis of Lubbock and L.D. Anderson of Slaton.

Officials of regional organization Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., Lubbock, are urging attendance at the meetings. "Their specific purpose is to acquaint cotton people in the area with what's being done and what needs doing with their money," says PCG President Lloyd Cline. "and this is something every cotton farmer deserves to know."



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—When the family settles down after Christmas, usually at least one family member will have to return a present because of poor fit or duplication.

Store clerks have learned to expect a rash of post-Christmas visitors with gift packages in hand.

Most consumers are able to return or exchange their gifts with little or no trouble, except fighting the crowds.

But attorneys in our Consumer Protection Division point out that stores are not legally obligated to refund money, exchange merchandise, or accept returned goods for store credit unless an item is defective or is not as represented.

As a courtesy of customers, however, most stores are very accommodating about such matters. There are, of course, some stores (often in large chains) which are unable to make a gift exchange or give a refund or credit because of store policy.

Our lawyers recommend that consumers inquire about

a store's policy before purchasing a gift that may have to be returned later. For example, a store may refuse to accept a returned item if the merchandise was on sale when it was bought.

Of course, if the store made an error, such as sending a size 44 regular jacket when the order specified a size 44 long.

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Each week during the year we have a message for you in this regular column. But this week it is a very special message. One that is founded on hope. Not a resolution or a pledge for the new year but rather our expression of hope for each and every one of our friends and neighbors.

We hope this is a year that finds you and your family free of any serious illness. We hope that this is a year when a cure will be discovered for diseases that still plague mankind. We hope that this is a year of happiness and good fortune for you. We hope that if we can be of help to you at anytime, that you will let us serve you.

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Lodge Notes

STATED MEETINGS of Tahoka Lodge No. 1041, the first Tuesday night of each month. October - March, 7 p.m.; April - September, 8 p.m. Members are urged to attend. Visitors welcome. Rush Dudgeon, sec., Bill Barham, W.M.

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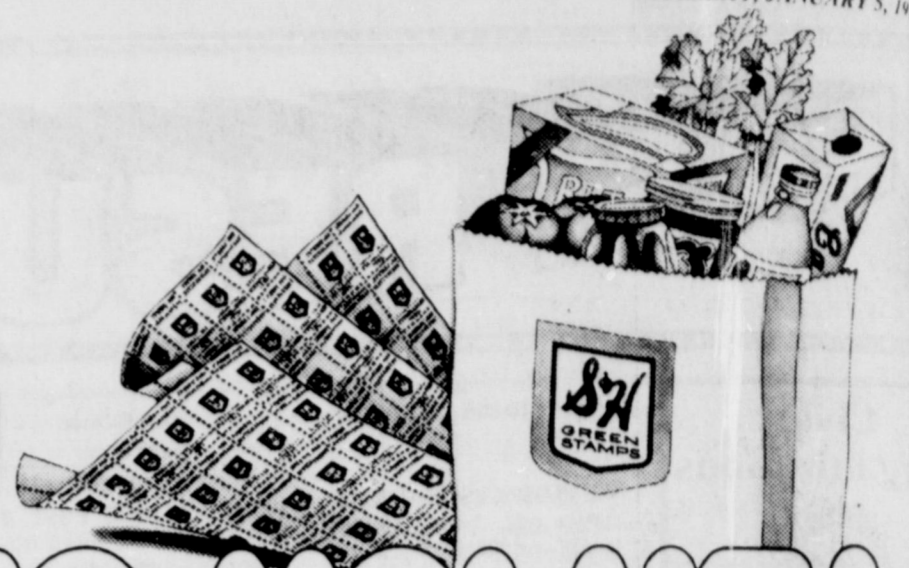
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