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AROUND
THE
COUNTY
by



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

The Federal Gas Tax refund of four cents per gallon on gasoline used for farming purposes will again be claimed as a tax credit on the annual income tax report. This is the first year that a full calendar year can be claimed in this manner. In the past, the reporting year was from July 1 to June 30. Last year this method was used but it was for more than a calendar year because of the change.

According to James Mallet, Extension farm management specialist at Texas A&M, the tax credit has been extended this year to include the federal tax on lubricating oil at six cents per gallon, and on diesel fuel and special motor oils used other than in highway vehicles.

More information on this can be had by obtaining a copy of Internal Revenue Service publication number 308 from the district director of the Internal Revenue Service.

Problems with poisonous plants in sheep are already beginning to appear in Sterling County. The main offender, of course, is bitterweed.

The fall rains this year were just right for the bitterweed as well as the grass. This has brought on an earlier than usual growth of the weed because of the warm weather up until just recently.

If you have bitterweed in some of your pastures, it would be well to watch for indications that the sheep are taking the weed. Some ranchers feel that moving the sheep to a new pasture if they are "weeding" helps to alleviate the problem. Another solution some favor is the use of alfalfa hay to curb the sheep's desire for something green. Others favor penning the sheep and feeding for a few days, then turning them back out again. Whatever method has proven effective in the individual's case is well. But, watch for evidences of the sheep taking the weed earlier than usual this year.

One of the methods of grub control being tested at the experiment station and the Kerrville branch of the USDA Entomology research laboratory is the use of systematic insecticides in drinking water. Thus far, the research has not brought forth a recommendation for this method of control. When, and if, such a control is approved for use, it will be a help to the livestock industry. This method would cut down on the labor costs by eliminating rounding up the cattle and treating them with one of the pour-on or bolus methods or spraying.

JEANIE McDONALD GIFT PARTY IN BIG SPRING

Jeanie McDonald of Sterling City was honored with a gift party last Friday night in the home of Mrs. Carl Coleman in Big Spring from 7:30 to 9 p.m. Three hundred guests called during the party.

Co-hostesses for the party were Mrs. Robert Andrews of Dallas, Mrs. W. H. Bain, Mrs. A. A. Cooper, Mrs. Avery Falkner, Mrs. Kenneth Lane, Mrs. Zarah LeFevre, Mrs. Perry Mathis, Mrs. J. C. McWhorter, Mrs. C. W. Peurifoy, Mrs. Lynda Phillips, Mrs. Herman Smith, Mrs. Sam E. Smith and Mrs. Jack Walker.

They presented the honoree with a presto cooker and a silver cake server.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—

Mrs. George Case
J. Q. Foster
Cecil McDougald
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week are—
Mrs. Lilly Revell
Mrs. Wm. J. Swann

SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM MENUS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18

Chili & Beans
French Fried Potatoes
Mixed Greens
Combination Salad
Crackers
Cornbread
Chocolate Iced Cake

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19

Ham
Macaroni & Cheese
String Beans
Beets
Celery Sticks
Rolls
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WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20

Christmas Dinner
Outside adults \$.75
Turkey & Dressing
Gravy
Buttered Peas with Mushrooms
Fruit Salad
Cranberry Sauce
Roll
Fruit Bar Cookies

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21

Open for convenience in preparation for holidays.

Snow Last Saturday

A light snow fell here last Saturday night covering everything with about one inch of the Christmasy white covering.

The snow melted the next day—except in shaded spots. A light mist was falling—or swirling in the cold air of Thursday of this week.

Presbyterian Church

John R. Evans, a senior student at the Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Austin, will be the guest pastor for the 11 a.m. services at the First Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Dec. 17.

Evans received his bachelor of arts degree magna cum laude from Austin College in Sherman in 1964. In college he was a member of Alpha Chi Scholastic honorary, Eta Sigma Phi classes honorary, Phi Sigma Alpha social fraternity, and senior class marshal. Evans was awarded the Baird Bible Award and the John S. and Rachel Heard Fellowship in Religion.

He was also a dorm advisor in the cappella choir, Student Christian Council, and the Student Development Committee. A freshman class favorite, he was later selected for the Student Senate, Dean's List, and Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

He has served as student assistant minister at the First Presbyterian Church of Abilene and an intern pastor at First Presbyterian Church of Anson.

A member of the First Presbyterian Church of El Campo, Evans is under care of the South Texas Presbytery while he is studying at the seminary.

Methodist Church Christmas Activities

The Rev. Phil Robberson, pastor of the First Methodist Church here, has told of the activities of Advent Week at the Methodist Church.

The Junior High Methodist Youth Fellowship will trim the church Christmas tree at 2 p.m. Sunday, December 17. The annual Christmas party will be held at the church on December 17 at 5:30 p.m.

A Junior High led come and go Advent Communion Service will be held at the church from 7 to 8 p.m. on December 20.

The Junior High MYF will go caroling to the shut-ins on the evening of December 21. (All youth of the church are invited to go.)

On December 24 (Christmas Eve) at the Sunday morning worship service there will be a piano and organ duet featuring Lisa Horwood and Judy Brock. Special music is to be given by the Children's choir and the sermon will be in dialogue.

Everyone interested is urged to participate in these services, said Robberson.

Baptist Christmas Program

The Christmas program of the First Baptist Church will be held this Sunday night at 7:30. The theme of the program this year will be "Life Through His Name." The Sunbeams, Girls Auxiliary and Womens Missionary Union will participate in the program. There will be refreshments and fellowship following the program. The public is invited to come and participate.

Attending the Kathy McMurry-Freddie Allen wedding in Las Vegas, N. M. Sunday Dec. 10 were Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds Foster and Steven, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Foster and Skeete, and Mrs. Rufus Foster.

GROUP HAS FUN ON DEER HUNT, BUT FEW DEER

The large group of deer hunters that went hunting in West Texas near Balmorhea last week, came home without much to show for it. Out of the twenty-five hunters, only two got deer. D. Kirk Hopkins got one, along with Mackey McEntire. Hopkins got the one with the spread that won the pot. (For the biggest spread.) Jim Cantrell, one of the "chiefs" of the expedition, said not much luck was had but everyone had a lot of good food and a good time. It turned cold and snowed on the group last weekend.

Federal Land Bank

Dividend payments totaling \$18,932.40 will be paid to members of the San Angelo Federal Land Bank Association, Manager, R. H. Emery announced today.

Emery said the dividend checks would be mailed about January 15th to the association's 409 farmer-rancher stockholders.

The San Angelo Association is one of the 73 farmer-rancher owned associations in Texas served by The Federal Land Bank of Houston.

The local association makes Land Bank loans in Coke, Irion, Reagan, Sterling and Tom Green Counties. The directors are C. E. Arrott, President, Bronte, J. H. Johnston, Water Valley, J. C. Reed, Sterling City, A. J. Sefcik, Vancourt and Wm. C. Pfluger, San Angelo.

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P. T. A. Next Monday Afternoon

The Sterling City Parent-Teacher Association will have the December meeting on next Monday afternoon, December 18 at 3:15 o'clock.

Lisa Horwood will play the musical selection and George White will give the devotional. Phil Robberson, pastor of the Methodist Church, is to talk on "Christmas 'Round the World."

Pupils of the first and second grades will put on a special feature.

New Texas Almanacs Out

New information on recreational and historical attractions election returns by counties, U. S. Census data on agriculture, population estimates and many other features are found in the 1968-'69 edition of the Texas Almanac, just published by The Dallas Morning News.

Published since 1857 and called "The Encyclopedia of Texas," the Texas Almanac is widely used in schools, libraries, business and professional offices and home libraries. Newspapers, county farm agents, chambers of commerce, trade associations and many other Texas individuals and organizations contributed information for the new edition.

New and expanded features listed by Walter B. Moore, editor, in this edition include: A history of the Texas Highway Department which is observing its 50th anniversary. Descriptions of the principal birds of Texas, prepared by the Audubon Society of Dallas.

Expanded descriptions of Texas State Parks and major museums.

Individual pages devoted to historic attractions in the following counties: Anderson, Austin, Bell, Jefferson, Jeff Davis, Gillespie, Medina, Tom Green, Webb and Young.

Economic pages devoted to the 23 Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas, the larger cities in which 80 per cent of all Texans live.

Enlarged information on Texas agriculture, including a history of the state's cotton industry.

Election returns, by counties, for two Democratic primaries and the general election of 1966 for the principal contested races.

Text of the Texas Constitution, including 20 amendments approved in 1965 and 1966. Twenty amendments on which Texans are voting in 1967 and 1968 are summarized.

New districts for Texas Senators and Representatives are listed and shown on maps.

Lists include state, municipal and county officials, state board and commissions, statewide civic and business organizations and many others.

A calendar with phases of the moon, and chapters on weather geology, plant and animal life, minerals, banking and commerce, service industries and many other topics are found in the 704 pages of the 1968-'69 edition.

Moore said that the descriptions and economic information on all 254 counties are among the most popular features of the publication and expressed appreciation to the thousands of Texans who participated in compiling of the information.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank everyone of my friends for the cards, visits and thoughtfulness while I was hospitalized. I thank the hospital staff and Dr. Swann for their care and consideration. May God bless all of you.

MRS. LILLY REVELL

OIL NEWS NOTES

The Credo (multipay Wolf-camp) field of Sterling County was extended one mile west and into Glasscock County with completion of Gulf Oil Corp. No. 1 Fay Hildebrand, 13 miles northeast of Garden City.

It was finaled for a daily flowing potential of 335 barrels of 37.3 gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 1,192-1, through a 20-64-inch choke and perforations at 7,746-50 feet, which had been acidized with 2,500 gallons.

Location is 1,980 feet from the south and 660 feet from the east lines of 24-30-W&NW.

Carolyn Cole is FFA District Sweetheart

Carolyn Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill J. Cole, was named as Sweetheart of the F.F.A. District at the district banquet last week in San Angelo. She was the choice of the local chapter F.F.A., and went as their entry in the contest.

She will compete for the title of Area F.F.A. Sweetheart at the Area Meeting soon.

Open House Held At Fire Station

Santa Claus Gives Candy to Children

The Sterling Volunteer Fire Department held open house at the fire station here Monday night showing off the new truck recently bought by the county and city.

Old Santa Claus was at the open house with candy and a ho,ho,ho for the kiddies. He gave away stockings bags of candy to the children. Drinks and cookies were served at the open house by members of the fire department.

About 50 children were present for the affair and approximately 70 adults attended.

Wilbur Stone, a geologist with Humble Oil & Refining Co. out of Oklahoma City, was here visiting friends and relatives this week.

NEXT HEART GROUP MEETING WILL BE ON JANUARY 9

Mrs. Chesley McDonald has advised that the next meeting of the Sterling County Chapter of the Heart Association will be on January 9.

The December meeting was called off due to so many conflicts. The field man from San Angelo will bring a film to the January meeting, and a program will be held.

LIONS CLUB

Four were guests when the Lions Club met at Wednesday noon in the community center. They included Mike Kissco and Bill Ramsey of San Angelo, R. T. Caperton of Bronte and Sam McGinnes of Eldorado.

The members voted to give Mrs. T. A. Gartman (hostess) a Christmas present, and it was announced that there would be no meeting on December 27.

Albert McGinnes told the members about the open house at the fire department Monday night.

The prize went to Jeff Davis.

Janis Igo Wins in Wool Making Contest

Janis Igo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Igo, and a Sterling High School homemaking student, won a dress-length of Pendleton wool for having the best coordinated garment in the junior division of the "Make It Yourself With Wool" contest last Saturday.

The contest was held in San Angelo last weekend.

Other homemaking girls that had entered garments in the contest were Beverly Brooks, Sharon Currington, Charlotte Foster and Susan Terry.

Receives Scholarship At Abilene Christian College

ABILENE-- Elaine Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Price, s among nearly 700 scholarship recipients at Abilene Christian College this fall. Scholarships are awarded on a basis of academic achievement, character, and need.

A freshman music major, Miss Price was salutatorian at Sterling City High School in 1967.

JUNIOR HIGH BOYS HAVE WON FOUR GAMES

Coach Bobby Dodds' Junior High basketball boys have a season's record of five games played so far and five won.

They will play the Barnhart boys here at 5 p.m. Monday of next week.

The boys beat Westbrook on November 13 50 to 28; Robert Lee 38 to 20 on November 30; Barnhart 23 to 21 on December 4; Westbrook 41 to 33 on December 7 and Garden City 34 to 13 on December 11.

The junior high girls have only played four games and have dropped all of them to the opposition.

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FOUR TEXAS YOUTHS HONORED AS STATE 4-H AWARD WINNERS



Trips to the second largest city in the United States have been won by three Texas 4-H youths whose automotive, home economics and agricultural projects have been judged tops in the state.

The three will attend the 46th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago from Nov. 26 to 30.

A fourth youth won a \$150 scholarship from Eli Lilly and Company for her health project.

Taking care of the family's "herd" of three vehicles is one of the responsibilities of the automotive winner, Wayne Weirich, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Weirich of San Antonio.

Weirich, whose trip is being sponsored by The Firestone Tire & Rubber Company, got interested in automotive work in 1963 when he and his father fashioned a motor scooter out of an old lawn motor engine and a bicycle.

Weirich qualifies to compete for a \$750 scholarship in Chicago. He already won one for \$500 from the Texas Farm Bureau for work done on 4-H projects.

"My abilities in the homemaking arts learned through 4-H now enable me to accept the responsibility of helping my family after my mother's death and my sister's entrance into college," says this year's home economics project winner, Mary Ann Appelt, 17.

Miss Appelt, daughter of Hilmer Appelt of Hallettsville, does most of the cooking, ironing,

washing and housework for her family, which includes three younger brothers.

The busy girl also finds time to make her own clothes and grow and preserve vegetables.

Montgomery Ward will sponsor her trip to Chicago, where she is qualified to compete for a \$500 scholarship.

Larry Kalina, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kalina Jr. of Wharton, is this year's 4-H Agricultural project winner. The International Harvester Company sponsors his trip.

"4-H has helped me a lot in deciding my future, as well as being able to help put me through college," says Kalina, who wants to study farm and ranch management.

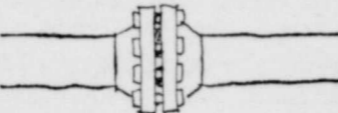
The youth's two proudest achievements are the Gold Star Boy award he won in 1964, and his being named Youth of the Year by 4-H in 1965.

"Health is more than freedom from disease and pain. It is having a sound and active mind and body to use to take part in the activities of this busy day and time," says the state 4-H Health project winner, Brenda Louise Malmstead, 16.

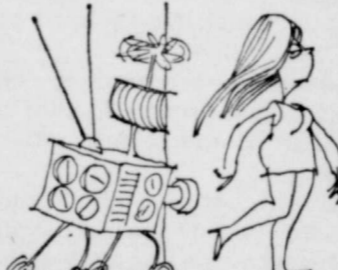
Miss Malmstead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Malmstead of New Braunfels, organized the health project group in her 4-H Club this year.

She keeps thorough health records on herself. And when the family goes on trips she is the one who makes sure a first aid kit is among the items in the family car.


SCIENCE SKETCHES



TWO hard-to-weld metals, aluminum and stainless steel, have been successfully joined in a transition joint developed by Tube Turns, Louisville. Key to the design is a special plate of the two metals joined by cold-pressure welding. The joint is for use in piping installations carrying ultra-cold materials.



A PATTERN recognition feedback control system (PRFCS) at Northwestern University can maintain surveillance of geometric shapes and objects and track a selected moving target. The device's human master can monitor on a closed circuit television screen what PRFCS is watching.



COUNTERFEITING isn't new. Ancient Assyrian glassmakers made glass to simulate lapis lazuli, an ancient gem-stone, says A. Leo Oppenheim, a professor at the University of Chicago.

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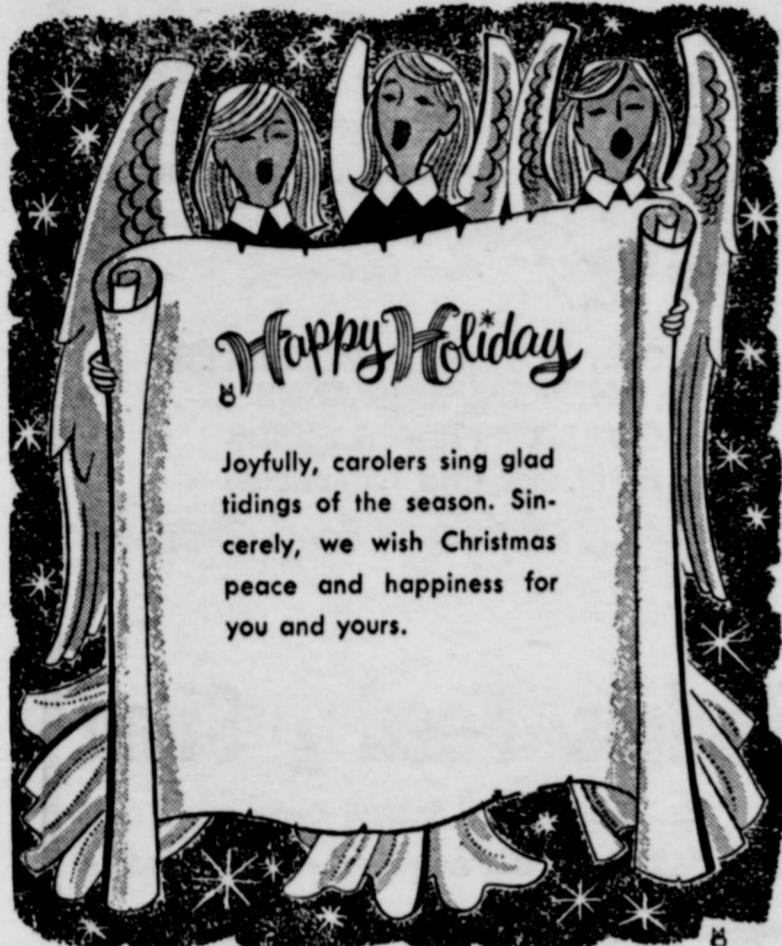
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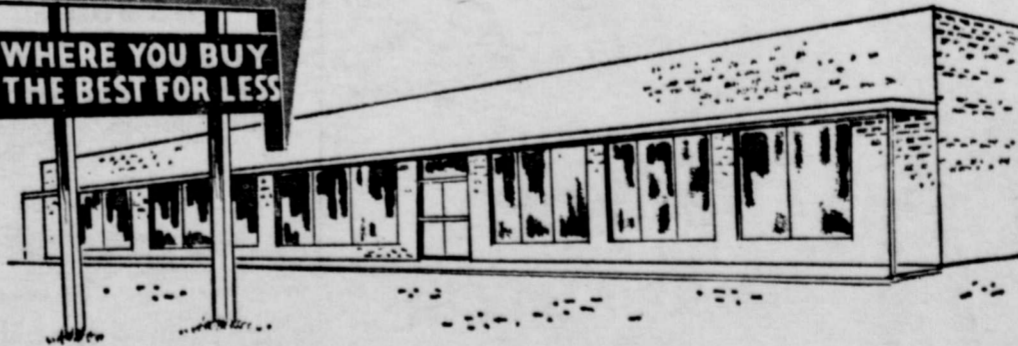
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And, if a student, or even a prospective student who is looking for a college would rather write, the college president will answer the letter personally.

The man is Dr. Richard L. Brengle, President of Pershing College, a small and unusual liberal arts college located two miles west of Beatrice, Nebr., and some 40 miles south of Lincoln, the capital of Nebraska.

Right now, Dr. Brengle would like to hear from at least 200 prospective students, young men and women who, for one reason or another, have not as yet been able to get into the college or the university of their choice.

Pershing, located on a new campus and with an excellent faculty, can accommodate 800 students. As of this moment, there are 600 enrolled, most of them young men. There is still room for 200 more, and a good many of them could well be young women.

Why does Pershing have the room while the large colleges and big city universities are turning away students? One reason, as Dr. Brengle explains it, may be that bigness in itself is attractive in this country. But, even bigness has its limitations in staff and facilities and the big schools have had to establish high entrance requirements to control student enrollment.

"The result," says Dr. Brengle, "is that there are thousands of dis-

appointed young men and women across the country who would like to be in college, but who are not. These people, and I'm including military veterans, would do well to consider the many fine small liberal arts colleges throughout the country, especially in the midwest, colleges such as Pershing, that not only have unfilled places, but which, because of their size, make adjustment to college life easier."

Dr. Brengle's personal interest in every student—he knows them all by name and not by computer serial number as in the big schools—is also reflected in the personalized approach Pershing College has toward education itself.

Pershing utilizes such personalized educational innovations as the core curriculum which offers every course of study essential to acquiring a sound liberal arts education, but omits those which will not have any real meaning and purpose in a student's life and career.

Pershing also specializes in team teaching which provides the new student with individual instruction as he needs it during his first and second semester. Another innovation is the trimester in which the year is divided into three units, instead of the conventional two, permitting the student to obtain his degree in two years and nine months instead of the usual four.

Pershing, because of its trimester, still is accepting applications. Dr. Brengle asks interested students, parents and veterans to contact him directly.

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Selective Service

Editor's note: Below are questions now being asked at draft boards. The answers are by Col. Morris S. Schwartz, State Selective Service Director, 702 Colorado St., Austin, Texas 78701. He will welcome your questions.

Q.--For the purpose of college student deferments, is a junior college considered an institution of higher learning?

A.--Yes, if its credits are acceptable toward granting of a baccalaureate degree by a college, university, or similar institution.

Q.--How long can a person be deferred as an undergraduate college student?

A.--He can be deferred in Class II-S until he completes the requirements for his baccalaureate degree (if completed within the normal and specified time), until he fails to pursue satisfactorily a full-time course of instruction, or until he reaches age 24, whichever occurs first.

Q.--Will men who become fathers after the new Selective Service law became effective (June 30, 1967) be deferred in Class III-A?

A.--Every case will have to be considered on an individual basis.

Q.--Does the new law make any change on fathers?

A.--Yes. Any man classified in Class II-S (college student) after June 30, 1967, can not under the law, be classified in Class III-A as a father.

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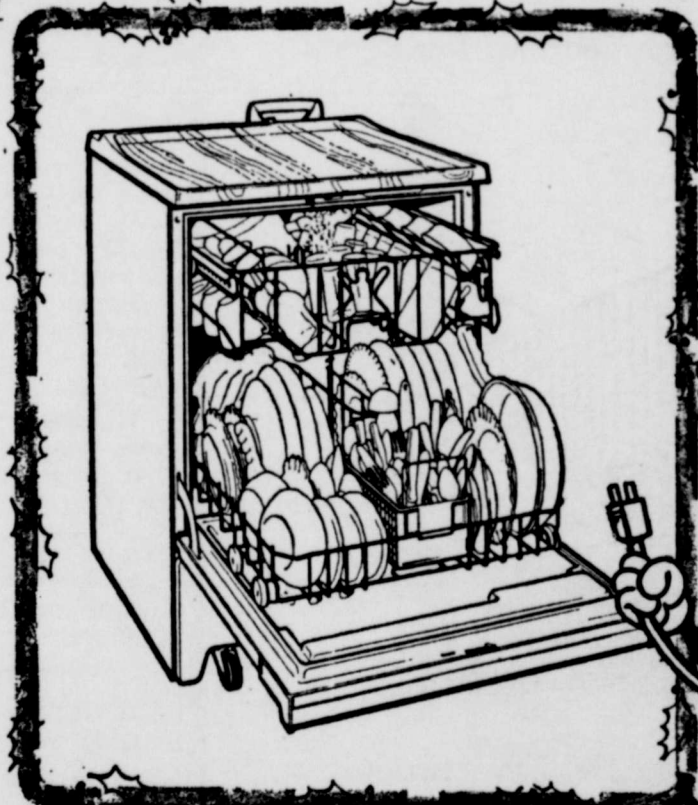
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About one of every five applicants for social security disability benefits delays so long before making his application that he risks possible loss of some payments, Ted F. Moellering, district manager of social security in San Angelo, said today.

In an effort to remedy this situation, the Social Security Administration is asking anyone who might possibly qualify for disability benefits to get in touch with a social security office as soon as possible.

"Some people fail to apply because they don't realize that they can benefit from the program," Moellering said. "Younger people often think that social security payments only for people in their sixties, whereas the disability was specifically set up to protect the wage earner who is forced to stop working before he is old enough to collect retirement benefits."

A person under 65 can receive monthly payments if he has a physical or mental impairment that has kept, or will keep, him from working for a year or more. Individual benefits range from \$44 to \$152 a month. If the worker has dependents, total family benefits can amount to as much as \$339 monthly.

"Others don't file because they are under the impression that they have to be permanently disabled. This was generally true before a 1965 change in the law, but now payments can go to a person whose disability has lasted, or is expected to last, for 12 months or longer," Moellering pointed out.

Benefits begin after a person has been disabled for 6 full months. No benefits can be paid for months during this "waiting period." Also, the law limits the back benefits a person can collect to the 12 months before the month in which he applies.



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Public Notice of the Requirement for Recordation and Limitation of Certain Claims of Water Rights.

Notice is here given as required by Section 4 of the Water Rights Adjudication Act of 1967 (Article 7542a, Vernon's Civil Statutes) that all claims of riparian water rights, all claims under Article 7500a, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, to impound, divert or use public waters for other than domestic and livestock purposes for which no permit has been issued, all claims of water rights under the Irrigation Acts of 1889 and 1895 which were not filed with the State Board of Water Engineers in accordance with the Irrigation Act of 1913, as amended, and all other claims of water rights other than claims under permits and certified filings, must be recorded with the Texas Water Rights Commission. Section 4 does not apply to use of water for domestic and livestock purposes as the same is defined by Commission Rules.

On or before September 1, 1969, every person claiming any water right to which Section 4 applies shall file with the Commission a sworn statement setting forth the nature of the claim of water right. Claims to which the Section applies shall be recognized only if valid under existing law and only to the extent of actual application of water to beneficial use without waste during an calendar year from 1963 to 1967, inclusive. However, in any case where any claimant of a riparian right has prior to August 28, 1967, commenced or completed the construction of works designed to apply a greater quantity of water to beneficial use, such right shall be recognized to the extent of the maximum amount of water actually applied to beneficial use without waste during any calendar year from 1963 to 1970, inclusive provided an additional sworn statement is filed on or before July 1, 1971. Failure to file the sworn statement or statements in substantial compliance with Section 4 shall extinguish and bar any claim of water right to which the Section applies.

Instructions and forms for recording claims may be obtained without cost from the Texas Water Rights Commission, P. O. Box 12396, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

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Having parents who were interested in 4-H Club work gave two Texas 4-H'ers the encouragement they needed to win top state honors this year in their respective 4-H projects.

Louis Pinkerton, 17, of Edmondson, received an expense-paid trip to the recent National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago as a reward for his work in the 4-H Entomology project. Hercules Incorporated sponsored his trip.

A handsome wrist watch was presented to Rita Baldree, 16, of Old Glory, by Heisdorf & Nelson Farms, Inc., sponsor of the 4-H Poultry program.

Pinkerton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pinkerton, said he became interested in entomology while he was in fourth grade and has been collecting insects ever since. He now has 350 specimens.

His mother was his project leader. His regimen included

control of pests that threatened the trees, crops and livestock on his father's farm. Through lectures, demonstrations and articles dealing with insect pests and control, Pinkerton has interested other youths and farmers in entomology.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Baldree, Miss Baldree for the past six years has raised broilers that have won county and state honors. In addition, she has a brood of 100 layers and maintains a weekly egg delivery route.

She and her family live on a farm and raise cotton, feed and wheat. Their livestock includes cattle, chickens and hogs. Miss Baldree's parents are 4-H leaders, and her older brother and younger sisters are also members. "I enjoy 4-H because it is a family affair," she said.

The 4-H Club program is coordinated by the Cooperative Extension Service.



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Social Security

Why should a man with a wife and young children concern himself with anything that seems as far away as social security?

A new booklet, "Social Security Information for Young Families," specifically designed to answer this question is now available, social security district manager, Ted F. Moellering announced today.

"Social security is not just a retirement program, and it is not just for old people," Moellering said. This new booklet gives the young worker important information about the survivors and disability protection that he and his family have now.

Nine out of ten families in Sterling City have social security survivor protection which can amount to over \$75,000 in benefits if the breadwinner should die, Moellering pointed out.

Disability insurance is the other social security program of particular importance to the young worker. After just five years of work under social security, the worker and his family are eligible to receive monthly benefit payments if he should become severely disabled and the condition is expected to last a year or longer.

Moellering said "Social Security Information for Young Families" explains in detail survivors and disability protection, what it can mean to a family, and how to make an application should it become necessary. Also included is information on how to check your social security account and the financing of social security.

Copies of this pamphlet may be obtained free of charge from the social security office at 3000 West Harris in San Angelo, Texas.

Does the average worker get his money's worth for his social security contributions?

The answer is "Yes," according to Ted F. Moellering, social security district manager. Young workers can be sure, too, that the social security benefits payable to them and their dependents in the future will be substantially increased by the time they qualify for payment.

"The social security program is financed in such a way that benefits can be more than kept up to date with rising prices--without an increase in contribution rates," Moellering said. Because the social security tax is a percentage of payroll, income to the program rises more than benefit obligations as wage levels go up, he explained.

In an expanding economy, rising wages produce more income for the social security system and make it possible to increase benefits more than enough to offset any increases from time-to-time in the ceiling on the amount of earnings that is subject to the tax (and which counts toward the individual's future benefit payments).

"But even without considering the likely future improvements in benefit levels," Moellering said, "the average young worker will get retirement, survivors, and disability insurance protection under social security worth 20 to 25 percent more than he will pay in social security tax contributions over a 40-45 year working lifetime--even if you count accumulated interest on those contributions."

At the upper extreme--the young man who starts work in 1973 or later, when the maximum contribution rate for old-age, survivors, and disability insurance goes into effect, and who has earnings at or above the maximum annual amount subject to the social security tax, will no more than just about pay for the value of his protection.

People already at work, Moellering noted, get more protection for their tax contributions than those who will be going to work under social security in the future.

HIGHWAY 87 WORK BEING DONE FROM ANGELO TO CARLSBAD

San Angelo — The Texas Highway Department announced that work has begun on U.S. Highway 87, between 0.4 miles south of Farm-to-Market road 2105 to 2 miles north of Sanatorium. Allan Construction Company of San Antonio, contractor on the project, began work November 13, 1967, and it is estimated that work on the project will be completed by January, 1969.

C. C. Stroud, Supervising Resident Engineer, in charge of the project for the Texas Highway Department, stated that traffic would be routed through construction where necessary, and warned that although adequate barricades and warning signs will be placed, motorists should use extreme caution while driving through the construction area as it will be heavily traveled by large construction equipment.

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NEW LEGISLATION TO HELP STERLING COUNTY FAMILIES OBTAIN HOUSING

The U. S. Departments of Agriculture's Farmers Home Administration is better equipped to handle the housing credit needs of low and moderate income Sterling County families as a result of legislation recently signed into law, according to Patrick F. Sullivan, Farmers Home Administration county supervisor.

Sullivan said the Demonstration Cities and Metropolitan Development Act, signed last month by President Johnson, makes it possible for a broader range of Sterling County families to qualify for housing loan authorities of the Farmers Home Administration.

The new legislation Sullivan continued, makes more mortgage credit available to low and moderate income families in Sterling County by increasing the level of activity of the Agency's rural housing loan program.

Here are some of the other changes in the rural housing loan program administered by the Farmers Home Administration:

—Many Sterling County who had to go the long route of planning, contracting and building a house can now buy newly constructed buildings. Before the new legislation, these families could only purchase

previously occupied buildings.

—Qualified low-income families can now obtain housing credit from Farmers Home Administration on the basis of a cosigner. Previously, only those rural persons 62 years and older qualified for this assistance.

—The new legislation increases from \$1,000 to \$1,500 the maximum amount of assistance the agency can make for emergency repairs or improvements to owner-occupied rural housing or farm service buildings. This credit is not designed to upgrade a building but only to remove hazards to the health and the safety of the family and the community.

—Rural families on the verge of losing their homes through foreclosure may save their homes if a sound basis can be developed by the Farmers Home Administration to refinance their debts.

—Financial assistance can be given to construct rental housing for low and moderate income rural families of all age groups. Previously, rental housing financed by FHA had to be occupied by rural people 62 years and older.

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By Omar Bureson, Member of Congress, 17th District

WASHINGTON, D. C. -- A bill commonly referred to as "Truth in Lending" has just been voted out of the Banking and Currency Committee. The purpose is to require banks and most stores to disclose the exact yearly credit charges paid by customers. Whatever may be the merits of such legislation it would seem nothing could really replace the customer's sense and intelligence.

The Civil Aeronautics Board, which has jurisdiction over airlines, has established penalties up to \$200 to be paid to "bumped" customers. Holiday travelers run the risk of being "bumped" because airlines often reserve more seats than they are able to provide. The last travelers to get in line may be left at the boarding gate even though they hold confirmed reservations and have paid for their ticket. It has been estimated that about 50,000 a year have found themselves in this fix.

The proper use and development of lethal weapons is under test and study in order that police and other law enforcement officers can better control crime and riots. These include tear gas and nauseating chemicals, pepper extracts, itching powder, adhesive and barbed tape, slippery confetti, foam generators, water cannons treated with dye for marking individuals, blinding lights, certain sound effects bullet proof shields and clothing, and armored police trucks built somewhat like tanks. Technology is developing an entire new anti-crime and anti-riot arsenal to meet obvious need.

In many cities conditions have reached the point where even the hospitals, including ambulance and supply vehicles face such hostility that perimeter security similar to that maintained on military installations is essential. Armed guards at entrances, rapid movement of victims from areas of violence, no changing of shifts during hours of darkness and armed motorized escorts for ambulance mercy drivers are considered first steps. Firemen, of course, need protection so that they can do their job of saving people and property.

De Gaulle of France may leave in his path of egomania actions a communist party as his successor. The General has been so busy attacking the American dollar that he has neglected about everything else. The French Communist Party is stronger than it has been in the past 20 years. He has been so consumed by his injured ego by Churchill and Roosevelt in World War II that he has never recovered. If the United States would make the proper demand that he repay the billions spent by the United States to bail France out of chaos, the shoe could quickly be placed on the other foot.

Legislation is pending in the Congress to change us over from our present system of weights to the metric system. An item from the Anson Lions Club Bulletin taken from the National Geographic, points out what it would do to some of our familiar sayings.

"A miss is as good as 1.6093

McGill's Visitors

Kerry Richards of Houston and Mrs. Wayne Hill and children, Vicki, Randall, Keith and Suanne of Texas City will arrive next week for a visit with their mother, Mrs. Tom McGill. Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Mcparties for Miss Brenda Watson of San Angelo who will be married to Michael Morris of Houston at the First Baptist Church of San Angelo on Dec. 23. Kerry Richards and little Mss Suanne Hill will be members of the wedding party.

Wayne Hill, basketball coach in Texas City High School will be attending a tournament in Lubbock and will be unable to join the family for the visit.

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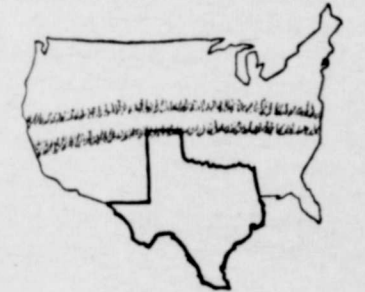
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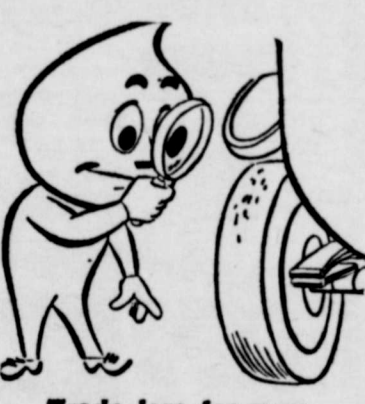
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