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AROUND
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ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

The next few weeks will be good time to spray your pecan trees, and fruit trees also, for the control of scale. Scale is a tiny insect which sucks the sap from branches and leaves, causing them to lose their leaves and die back from the tip.

The scale covers the full-grown female. A scale is usually about an eighth of an inch long and dark gray in color, resembling the bark of the tree. Infested limbs appear to have had wood ashes sprinkled on them. The female spends the winter under the covering on the bark, never moving from the spot she has selected. Adult males develop wings after hatching in the spring. Only one generation is produced each year.

Recommended control for the pest is a dormant oil spray applied to the entire scaffold of the tree in the winter months. The spray application should consist of 3 1/2 gallons of 97 per cent dormant oil per hundred gallons of water. Dormant oil sprays are available at nurseries, feed and seed stores, and chemical supply houses.

The spray should be applied before the buds begin to form. Dormant oil spray should be applied when the temperature is between 40 and 65 degrees; freezing weather should be avoided within 48 hours after applying the spray if at all possible.

Three Sterling County 4-H Club members are competing in the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth this weekend. Those who have entries are Amy Hodges, Janis Igo, and Lee Wayne Igo.

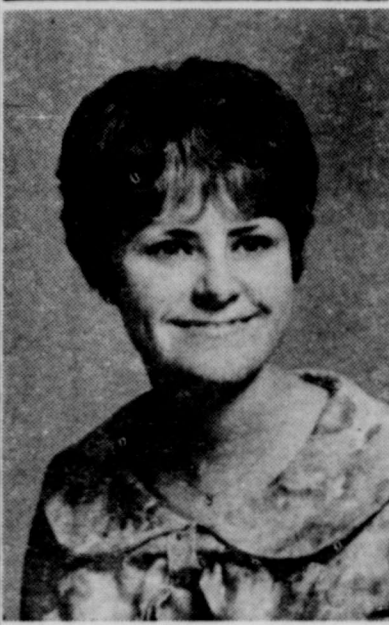
Amy has one market lamb entered in the show along with a string of Rambouillets and a string of Hampshire breeding sheep in the Junior show. Janis has one lamb entered as does Lee Wayne. Janis and Lee Wayne also will be showing their Rambouillets in the Junior show. Judging in the lamb show at Fort Worth is scheduled for Friday and Saturday. Judging of all breeds in the Junior Breeding Sheep Show will take place on Sunday.

A number of club members also have entries in the Junior Market lamb show at the San Antonio show which opens on February 9. Entries in the lamb show, the breeding sheep show, and the wool show at San Antonio will be listed next week. All the club entries in the San Antonio show will be taken to San Antonio on Wednesday, February 7. Judging will begin in the wool show on Friday with lambs judged on Saturday.

Sterling County agricultural producers who receive payments in behalf of other persons, or that share payments with other persons must notify the Internal Revenue System by attaching form 4347 to their income tax returns.

Agricultural program payments to joint payees are reported by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service to the IRS by the identifying number of the person receiving the payment.

With the new electronic data processing procedures, the ASCS reports will be matched with the individual tax report and the IRS expects the reports to match unless the form 4347 has shown the division



MRS. SIDNEY BECKNELL

Daves-Becknell Wedding Held

Calvary Baptist Church in San Angelo was the setting Saturday for the marriage of Miss Betty Jo Daves to Sidney Earl Becknell. The Rev. Loy Mitchel, pastor of Southside Baptist Mission in Junction, officiated and music was furnished by Mrs. Jim Farmer, organist and Miss Sallye Mitchell, vocalist.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Doc Daves and Mr. and Mrs. Neal W. Becknell, of San Angelo.

Matron of honor was Mr. Larry Ligon of Llano. Mrs. Loy Mitchel of Junction and Mrs. Charles Daves of Seminole were bridesmaids.

Eugene Smith was best man. Groomsmen were Wayne McGuire and Charles Daves of Seminole. Brant Moss of Odessa, Larry Ligon of Llano and Randy Mitchel of Junction were ushers.

The bride wore a street-length dress of yellow Alencon lace. The Empire bodice scattered with seed pearls featured a rolled collar and bell sleeves.

Mrs. Becknell is a graduate of Sterling City High School and San Angelo Business College.

The bridegroom was graduated from San Angelo Central High School and is employed as a mechanic at Sears in Dallas where the couple is to live.

In the houseparty for the reception in the church recreation hall were Miss Yvonne Mitchel of Junction, Miss Joyce Schnaubert, Miss Patty Schnaubert, Miss Jan Lintinicum and Mrs. Buddy Trull.

On January 20 fifteen were hostesses at a gift tea honoring the bride-to-be at the community center here. Hostesses included Mrs. Frank Stewart, Mrs. C. J. Copeland, Mrs. C. Ainsworth, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Worth, Durham, Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Mrs. V.E. Tomlinson, Miss Maggie Reynolds, Miss Ruth Reynolds, Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. Hubert Williams, Mrs. Jim Bob Clark and Miss Algerene Tomlinson.

Teaching in Irving Schools

Lois Ethel Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foster S. Price, received her Bachelor of Arts degree from Abilene Christian College in January and has started to teach speech therapy in the Irving School system near Dallas.

Form 4347 can be obtained from the post office, or the district director of the IRS.



AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE

By Omar Burleson, Member of Congress, 17th District

WASHINGTON, D. C.--Everyone is for peace—at all times—in all places. American people inherently make for a peaceful nation. We have never fought for or sought after, territorial gain.

Because of this nature, we lean over backwards to attain peaceful solutions.

With all the risk involved in Vietnam and other places where a confrontation with adversaries has occurred, a greater danger begins when the time for peace talks approaches.

The time of peacemaking is probably approaching in Vietnam and may have come sooner except for the incident to the Ship Pueblo off the coast of North Korea. Even with this, there are indications that negotiations may, in the not too distant future, be brought about.

The risks involved are real and certain. Captured documents from the North Vietnamese give the strongest clues. These documents indicate that when talks begin and military action subsides, is the time for them to recoup their positions and recover from damages inflicted.

Captured documents show that the Viet Cong troops in the south and the Viet Cong political organization are now being promised settlement by "coalition" at some moment in 1968. These promises are given credit for the recent sharp drop-off in numbers of defectors from the Viet Cong. When they are promised peace by "coalition", and the coalition is that which promises communist domination, defections could not be expected.

As desirable as peace is, and as diligently as the Administration is seeking it, it gives encouragement to the other side that we may be willing to negotiate away the gains we have made.

Seemingly, too many people have a completely wrong idea of negotiation as conceived by the Communists and as conceived by us.

With the United States, negotiations means that both parties want to reach solutions but naturally, each seek an advantage which might be the case in a horse trade, the end of a war, or anything else.

From past observations we should know that the Communists look to negotiations with the hope of not particularly bringing about peace, but to disadvantage their adversaries in a war, separate allies and cause domestic trouble at home.

References to a "coalition" government for South Vietnam have already upset that government and forced the President of South Vietnam to point out that our government has no right to determine a coalition and that any peaceful arrangements should be left directly to themselves. At the same time, we are largely fighting and complet-

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

John Brock
Mrs. Monseis Rodriguez
Dr. Wm. J. Swann
Mrs. Vera Sparks
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include:
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Duke
Mrs. Frank Milligan
Jeff Daniels
Mrs. Evelyn Hamrick and infant daughter



Behind the 8-Ball

With all the rains we've had in December and January things are looking up around Sterling County. The rains have been wetter than any January I can remember.

It even rained some this week. No much, but some.

8-BALL
Monday, February 5, is the final day anyone can file for an office on the Democratic primary ticket.

We're beginning to have a pretty full ticket. Not much opposition in the district race, yet.

8-BALL
The bond election for the extended nursing care home on February 17 is the first thing for voters to vote on this year. The facility will be built (if the bond issue passes) right by the hospital and will share some of the facilities of the hospital.

Very little opposition to the home has been expressed by local citizens.

Most people feel the issue will pass handily.

AT WOOL GROWERS CONVENTION

Among those from Sterling County attending the National Wool Growers Convention in Dallas the first part of the week included Mr. and Mrs. Worth Durham, the Lee Reeds, Jim Davis, Lynn Glass, Ross Foster, Mrs. Claude Collins, and the Tom Crosslers

ely financing their war.

Another danger involved in negotiations is the standard Communist preliminary to peacemaking. This preliminary is an intensification of their attacks.

In Korea, for instance, the biggest Chinese-North Korean offensive in the ward occurred in the month before the truce was finally signed. In the hope of changing the final truce lines by a few miles and of gaining other advantages, they poured their manpower into battle like water through a sieve.

Our country should face up to the fact that political pressures among our own people could lead to paying a too high price for what we think is going to be peace.

A phony "coalition" could altogether nullify the sacrifice of the thousands of American boys who have fought in Vietnam. A so-called coalition could be like sending a lamb to bring in a lion. We cannot afford prolonged and unfruitful talk while the Viet Cong are building up their strength and infiltrating materiel and men into South Vietnam. It would mean that our men in the line then have a new war on their hands. Those who are demanding a peaceful negotiation loudest, without better assurances from the Communists of a desire for peace, could have the blood of our fighting men on their hands.

LIONS CLUB

The Lions Club met Wednesday noon in the community center for the regular weekly luncheon. Twenty-four members were present.

President Jim Davis said a big need for the club now was new members.

Talk of sponsoring a rattlesnake derby took some time.

It was announced that the March of Dimes would have a table at the basketball game tonight where persons could donate to the drive.

The door prize went to Andy Daniels.

BASKETBALL NOTES

Boys Win Over Water Valley Tuesday Night

The Sterling boys basketball team beat Water Valley there Tuesday night 61 to 48 in a conference game.

For the locals Gary Foster racked up 25, Ronnie Kilpatrick 13 and Randy Peel 12. For Water Valley Larry Counts made 19 and Jimmy Counts 14.

The Water Valley girls won over the Eagles 74 to 61 with Sally Munn making 52 points, and Joy Wood 16 for the winners. For the Eagles Vicki Potts racked up 27 and Kathy Gaston 20.

The Sterling girls were in the lead at the end of the first quarter 18 to 14, and were all tied up at halftime 35 to 35. Then the Wildcat girls pulled ahead and came out winner.

LOSE TO PAINT ROCK LAST WEEK

Last week the locals lost at Paint Rock in both boys and girls games.

The boys lost 47 to 37. For the Eagles Ronnie Kilpatrick made 16, Randy Peel 11, and for Paint Rock Fowler made 18 and Stevenson 16.

The Sterling girls lost 50 to 44. Vicki Potts made 21, Beverly Love 15 and Kathy Gaston 8. For Paint Rock Hadley chalked up 23 and Matthieson 21.

Play Bronte Here Tonight

The Eagles play the Bronte Longhorns here tonight in a conference game. Both boys and girls will play.

Station Robbery Last Friday

Between \$40 and \$50 was lost at the Gulf Service Station here last Friday afternoon when it was reported that amount taken by two youthful robbers. The station operator, Dallas Gillam, said two young men, one white and one negro, pulled a .22 caliber pistol on him and took the money, forcing him into a storeroom behind the station as they left. He said that a little white girl was in the car with the robbers.

He described the car as a 1966 or 1967 blue Dodge with Louisiana license plates.

Road blocks were set up on all roads leading out of Sterling in 20 to 25 minutes, said officials, and airplanes scouted the less used roads, but the car was not spotted or apprehended.

No leads had developed at the time this paper was printed.

Tom Asbill Out for County Judge

Tom Asbill announced this week that he would be a candidate for Sterling County Judge, subject to action of the Democratic Primary in May.

Tom has been serving as the Justice of the Peace here, is now serving in his fourth year in that spot.

510 Register to Vote

510 persons secured voter registration certificates here for 1968, said Dub Fincher, deputy in the tax-assessor-collector's office.

This is the most that have ever registered for voting here.

The certificates are good for all elections held in the county this year, said Fincher.

Vote on Nursing Care Home February 17

The Sterling County Commissioners Court have called for a \$200,000 bond issue election on February 17. The issue is for an extended nursing care home to be used in conjunction with the Sterling County Hospital. The facility would be built to the east and south of the hospital.

The commissioners hope to get a Hill-Burton grant to pay for half the home, and if that proves out, only half of the bonds will ever be issued.

Architect John Chiles Allen of Austin has drawn up sets of plans for the project, so that everything complies with the state and federal rules about such facilities, and also in a manner calculated to get the Hill-Burton grant.

The usual voting boxes over the county will be used as such a county-wide bond election must be held all over the county by law, it was said.

In elections such as a bond election, or in precinct races, voting boxes have to be in all precincts, states the law.

Pink and Blue Gift Tea

Mrs. Danny Welch, the former Lynda Allen, was the honoree at a pink and blue gift shower here last Saturday afternoon in the community center.

Hostesses for the shower included Mrs. David Glass, Mrs. C. L. King, Mrs. Worth Durham, Mrs. Ralph Davis, Mrs. Danny Stewart, Mrs. Riley King, Mrs. Lee Reed, Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. Reynolds Lee Foster and Mrs. Finis Westbrook.

About one hundred persons took part in the shower.

NORATADATA CLUB

Mrs. Chesley McDonald was hostess to the members of the Noratadata Club and guests in her home Thursday night of last week. She served a salad plate.

Guests were Mrs. Leah Wyckoff, Mrs. Bill Reed and Mrs. Roger Moore.

Bridge was played and high score was made by Mrs. Finis Westbrook, low by Mrs. Ross Foster and high cut went to Mrs. Moore.

Members present were Mrs. Robert Foster, Mrs. Larry Glass, Mrs. D. Kirk Hopkins, Mrs. Martin Reed, Mrs. Westbrook, Mrs. James Thompson, Mrs. F. S. Price, Mrs. Nan Davis, Mrs. Henry Bauer, Mrs. Bill Brooks, Mrs. I.W. Terry, Mrs. Reynolds Foster, Mrs. Joe Emery, Mrs. Forrest Foster, Mrs. Danny Stewart, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Bill Bynum, Mrs. Worth Durham and Mrs. Ross Foster.

RAIN WEDNESDAY NIGHT

A rain fell over the county sometime Wednesday night or early Thursday morning leaving a half-inch or better fall. With the moisture already in the ground, the rain was beneficial to the ranges.

The Tom Crosslers have purchased the Lance Sears ranch near Hyman and will move there right away.

Democratic Announcement Column

The following candidates announce their formal candidacy for the offices below, subject to action of the Democratic Primary May 4, 1968:

For Sterling County Judge:
J.K. MARTIN (Reelection)
TOM ASBILL

For Sheriff, Tax-Assessor-Collector, Sterling County:
F.J. (Jim) CANTRELL (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:
HORACE DONALSON (Re-election)

C. W. SMITH
For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:

BILL R. BYNUM
JAMES R. CLARK

For State Legislature, 66th District:
GEORGE BAKER of Pecos County

Joint Church-Wide Mission Study

The First Methodist Church of Water Valley, the First Presbyterian and First Methodist Churches of Sterling City are cooperating on a church-wide mission study entitled "Christ and the Faiths of Men."

The study began on Sunday, January 7 and continues on through February 18.

The remainder of the study sessions are as follows:

Sunday, February 4, 6 to 8 p.m. at the Water Valley Methodist Church, "The Near East: Islam and Judaism."

Sunday, Feb. 11, 6 to 8 p.m. in the Sterling City church "China and Russia: Confucianism, Taoism and Communism."

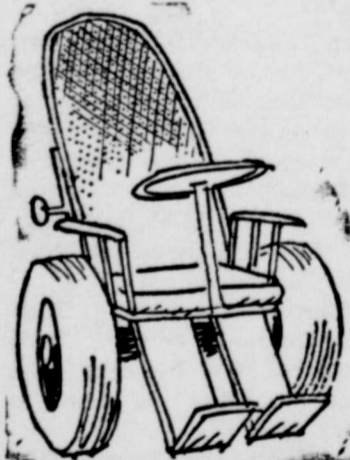
Sunday, February 18, 6 to 8 p.m. at Water Valley, "A Surprise Package and the 'Final Appraisal.'"

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Change in Driver's License Laws

AUSTIN — Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety reminded Texans today that a color photograph becomes a standard part of all drivers' license issued after January 1, 1968.

"The change makes it necessary for all drivers to renew licenses in person at one of our Department offices," Garrison said, "and we have been working toward setting up a procedure that will not cause excessive delay when a person comes to us to renew a license."

Garrison explained that the change in license was incorporated into law by the last legislature.

"Renewal notices will be mailed to each driver, just as always," Garrison said. "However, under the new procedure, each driver must take the renewal notice to the nearest DPS office. There he will be given a standard vision test, sign the renewal notice and step in front of our camera. The picture will be snapped and a receipt will be issued to enable the person to drive until he receives his new license in the mail."

Garrison explained that about 250 full-time license offices would be in operation over the state to service license renewals. Issuance of new licenses will also be conducted in many of these new offices as well as at offices already established.

There are currently over 5,800,000 licensed drivers in Texas and about 2,500,000 licenses are renewed annually. To facilitate the process all licenses after January 1 will be renewed to expire on the birthdate of the licensee. If the person holds a license ending in an even number, it will be renewed for a four year term if the license ends in an off number, it will be renewed for two years the first time, then for four years each time thereafter. The cost to the driver remains the same per year.

The new license will be approximately 2 1/2 inches wide by 3 3/4 inches long, or about the same size as a standard credit card.

"We anticipate fairly large crowds at many of our offices," said Garrison, "and we hope to be able to give each person completely satisfactory service. We look forward to making many new friends among the millions of persons we have been serving by mail before now."

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7 Million Vehicles To Be Registered in '68

AUSTIN — State Highway Engineer J. C. Dingwall today announced that Texas will register 7 million vehicles during 1968. "This is the largest number in our history," Dingwall said.

All 1968 Texas license plates have been delivered to the 154 County Tax Assessor-Collectors for issuance during February and March of 1968.

Of the estimated 7 million vehicles to be registered, the Texas Highway Department believes that 4.75 million will be passenger cars and 1.9 million will be commercial trucks and truck-tractors. Trailers and motorcycles will account for the balance.

The most dramatic increase is expected in the motorcycle category, based on the past two years' experience. While passenger car and commercial truck registration will increase about 3 1/2 per cent, motorcycle registration is expected to increase 16 per cent. This follows a 25 per cent increase in motorcycles in 1966 over 1965 and another 17 per cent increase last year.

Motor vehicle owners can avoid long lines by registering during the month of February, rather than waiting until the March rush.

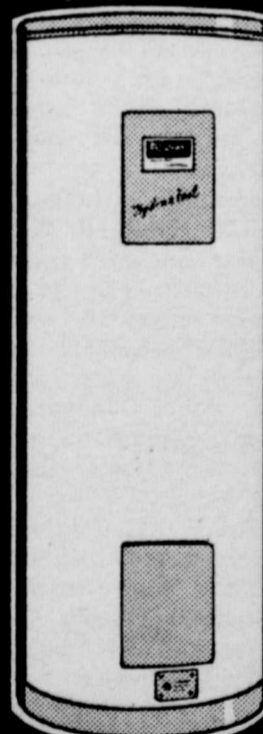
Owners should bring four items to the Tax Collector's office when registering vehicles: certificate of title, 1967 license receipt, current resident address and zip code.

State law requires each owner to register his vehicle in the county in which he resides and to present his certificate of title as evidence of ownership.

During the 1967 session the Texas Legislature amended the Texas Registration Law by changing passenger car license fees and establishing a minimum fee of \$5.30 for all vehicles, including boat trailers.

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Herman Hare Everitt Buried Here Friday

Herman Hare Everitt, 75, was buried here last Friday afternoon. Services were held at the First Baptist Church at 3 o'clock with burial following in the Montvale Cemetery. Officiating at the services were the Rev. Dr. John Rasco, First Baptist Church of Odessa, and he was assisted by local pastor, Andy Daniels. The Lowe Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Everitt was born September 6, 1892 in Shepherd, Texas. He came to Sterling City in his early teens with his parents, the late Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Everitt. Dr. Everitt was both a medical doctor, and a Baptist preacher, and from him, Herman Everitt's nickname of "Preach" was formed. To many people, he was "Preach" Everitt.

Mr. Everitt was a graduate of Howard Payne College, where, his yearbook remarks, he was "noted for his lavender socks and his way with the ladies". After his graduation, he returned to Sterling City, where, for a time, he taught school to Latin American children.

Mr. Everitt's fifty-plus years of ranching began in Sterling County. Later, during World War I, he had ranching interests in New Mexico, where he also was engaged in government work.

It is said that Herman Everitt met the train each fall to "look over" the new school teachers. In the early 1920's, he saw one which he liked, and in 1926, he was married to the former Lucille Mayes, a graduate of Kidd Key College.

Mr. and Mrs. Everitt were married for thirty-six years before Mrs. Everitt's sudden death on October 2, 1962.

Mr. Everitt told how, during the depression, government men were sent to his ranch to shoot his herd of cattle, and of how he was required to kill his own sheep. (There was no market for stock—so the government bought it at rock bottom prices, and disposed of it.) Mr. Everitt began ranching in Crane County in 1937. At that time, he and his partner and lifelong friend, Harvey Glass, pioneered the sheep-raising industry in Crane County. No ranches for thirty miles around stocked sheep at that time. The ranch had to be fenced for sheep, and, as Mr. Everitt said, "We practically had to round up the coyotes." Now, there are many sheep ranches in that area.

Herman Everitt was known for his dry sense of humor. He also related how, at his daughter's request, he wore his cowboy boots to her formal wedding. "When I gave her away," he said, "I got my boot tangled up in her train—and I kicked like a bay steer!"

He once told of spending piano-lesson money on more exciting things, and of how, at college graduation, he was to play a classical piece. "Right in the middle of it, my mind went blank, and I broke out into 'Casey Jones.' That brought the house down."

Ranching always came first, but Mr. Everitt often took time to entertain friends with his old-time piano playing, or with a "fiddle" tune. He told how, when in college, he was asked to play for dances. "Being a preacher's son," he said, "I just couldn't get caught playing for a dance!" Then—the shades were drawn while "Preach Everitt" proceeded to play for the festivities.

On January 24, 1968, the day of his death from a heart attack, Herman Everitt carried on his ranching business as usual, finally taking time in the late afternoon to go to the hospital. There, after only a brief examination, Mr. Everitt died as he had wished to go—"with his boots on."

Surviving him are his daughter, Mrs. Morris Gary, and two grandchildren of Tyler, Texas; and a brother, Clyde Everitt of

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

DAVID FLETCHER TO PREACH SUNDAY

David Fletcher, a second-year student at the Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Austin, will be guest pastor for the 11 a.m. services at the First Presbyterian Church on Sunday, February 4.

A graduate of Austin College in Sherman, Fletcher received his B.A. from there in 1966. Other colleges he attended include the University of Houston and Lamar Tech. He was a member of the A Cappella choir and Sigma Tau Epsilon service fraternity at Austin College.

Fletcher has served as a counselor at the Brazos Presbyterian Youth Camp and was summer assistant minister to the North Park United Presbyterian Church in Dallas.

During the summer of 1967 he attended a youth workshop sponsored by the Synod of Texas which was held at Trinity University in San Antonio.

He is under care of the Brazos Presbytery while he is studying at the seminary. Fletcher is a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Donaldson are spending the weekend in Richardson visiting the Bill Barbees. They will attend the annual concert of the Richardson Eagle band, of which Hull is a drummer.

Attend Funeral Services for Mrs. Blackie Hines

Attending funeral services in Big Spring last Saturday for Mrs. M. M. (Blackie) Hines were Mr. and Mrs. William Foster, Bill and Wayland Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Augustine, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Hull, Mrs. J. Q. Foster, Mrs. Billy Jones, Mrs. John Copeland, Mrs. R.T. Foster, Jr., and Mrs. Martin Reed.

Little Randy Mitchel, 11-year old son of the Loy Mitchels of Junction, underwent lung surgery in a San Angelo hospital last week for removal of a rivet that had lodged in one of his lungs. He had swallowed the rivet some time back and somehow it got into his lung. He is back at home in Junction and doing fine.

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6
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Cheese Slice
Creamed Sweet Potatoes
Buttered Peas
Celery, Apple, Raisin Salad
Rolls
Plain Jello with Topping

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7
Baked Hen, Dressing, Gravy
String Beans
Waldorf Salad
Cranberry Sauce
Rolls
Iced Cookies

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8
Fried Chicken, Gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Mixed Vegetables
Rolls
Glazed Plums
Cookies

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9
Hamburgers
Potato Chips
Onions, Pickles, Tomatoes
Fruit Jello
Cookies

Blackwell.
Serving as pallbearers were S. M. Bailey, E. L. Bailey, Hal Knight, David Glass, H. L. Hildebrand, Lee Reed, Will Durham and Jeff Davis.

LEGAL NOTICE ORDER FOR BOND ELECTION

The State of Texas)
County of Sterling)

On this the 8th day of January, A.D. 1968, and during regular session thereof, with all members present, came on to be considered by the Commissioner's Court of Sterling County, Texas, the Petition of H. L. Hildebrand and 61 other qualified property tax paying voters of Sterling County, Texas, duly presented to this Court to provide for and construct an Extended Nursing Care Facility in conjunction with, and sharing certain facilities with the Sterling County Hospital, as located in Sterling City, Texas, and to call a special election for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuance of bonds of said Sterling County in the sum of \$200,000.00 for the purpose of constructing such Extended Nursing Care Facility in conjunction with, and sharing certain facilities with said Sterling County Hospital.

And the Court, after having examined said Petition, and having determined that the same is signed by more than 10% of the qualified property tax paying voters of Sterling County, Texas as provided for in Article No. 4478, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, is of the opinion that such Petition should be granted;

Wherefore, under authority thereof, and upon its own motion, it is unanimously ordered by the Commissioner's Court of Sterling County, Texas, in regular session on this 8th day of January, A.D. 1968, that an election be held throughout Sterling County for the issuance of bonds of said County in the sum of \$200,000.00, for the purpose of constructing an Extended Care Facility in conjunction with, and sharing certain facilities with the Sterling County Hospital, of such materials and of such specifications as to comply with and qualify under Public Law No. 88443, passed by the Congress of the United States of America.

Thereupon the following election order was adopted: Whereas, the Commissioner's Court of Sterling County, Texas, deems it advisable to call an election for the purpose of voting on the proposition for the issuance of bonds of the said County for the purposes hereinafter mentioned:

Therefore, be it ordered by the Commissioner's Court of Sterling County, Texas: That an election be held on the 17th day of February, A.D. 1968, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

Shall the Commissioner's Court of Sterling County, Texas be authorized to issue bonds of said County in the sum of \$200,000.00, payable serially within 40 years from their date bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 4 1/2% per annum, payable semi-annually and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund to deem them at maturity, for the purpose of constructing an Extended Nursing Care Facility in conjunction with, and sharing certain facilities with the Sterling County Hospital, of such materials and of such specifications as to comply with and qualify under the Public Law No. 88443, passed by the Congress of the United States of America, at Sterling City in said Sterling County, Texas, as authorized by Chapters 1 and 2, Title 22, and Chapter 5, Title 71, Revised Statutes 1925.

The said election shall be held at the usual polling places in the election precincts of the County, each of which to be presided over by the Election Judges as heretofore established and appointed by this Commissioner's Court.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the laws of the State regulating general elections and on-

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My sincere appreciation goes to each of you who helped to make my grief at my father's death, a little easier to bear.

Jacqueline Everitt Gary

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ly qualified voters who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be allowed to vote.

The ballots for said election shall have written or stamped thereon, the following:

"For the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof".

"Against the issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof".

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote.

A copy of this order signed by the County Judge and certified to by the County Clerk of said Sterling County, Texas shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The County Judge is further authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted in each of the election precincts of Sterling County, Texas, and also at the County Courthouse door at least 15 days prior to the date of said election.

The County Judge is further authorized and directed to cause said notice of election to be published within said County on the same day in each of two successive weeks, the date of the first publication to be not less than 14 full days prior to the date set for said election.

Passed and Approved this 8th day of January A.D. 1968. (Signed) J. K. MARTIN
J. K. Martin, County Judge Sterling County, Texas

THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF STERLING)

I, W.W. Durham, Clerk of the County Court and Ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioner's Court of Sterling County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Order passed by the Commissioner's Court on the 8th day of January A. D. 1968, and of the Minutes pertaining to the adoption thereof as the same appear of record in Volume 8, Page 631, Minutes of said Commissioner's Court.

WITNESS my hand and Seal of Commissioner's Court, this 8th day of January A. D. 1968.

(signed) W. W. DURHAM
W. W. Durham, County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioner's Court of Sterling, County, Texas.



THIS COLLEGE MAY BE LOOKING FOR YOU



Dr. Richard L. Brengle, center, President, Pershing College, welcomes a new female student to the campus while two male students watch with obvious approval.

There's a college president in Nebraska who has a student "hot line" on his desk.

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

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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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