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Livestock Show Held Here Monday

Champion finewool lamb of the Sterling County Livestock Show here Monday was exhibited by Steven Foster with a heavyweight finewool lamb from the Reynolds Foster flock. Janis Igo had the reserve champion in this class with her second place heavyweight lamb.

Randy Mixon showed the champion crossbred lamb of the show with his lightweight crossbred lamb from the A.F. Real flock of Kerrville; Lee Wayne Igo, with his first place heavyweight crossbred, received the reserve champion ribbon in this class.

Pat Foster had both the champion and reserve champion medium wool lambs from Wm.-J.Q. Foster flock. He also took the "other breeds" class grand champion and reserve champion banners.

Amy Hodges showed the champion Rambouillet ram lamb as well as the champion ewe in the Rambouillet breeding class.

There were a total of 123 lambs exhibited in the show. 55 were finewool lambs, 52 were crossbred lambs, 10 were medium wool and 6 were Southdowns lambs.

Placings in the individual classes of the show were as follows:

- Lightweight Finewool Lambs**
 1. Payton Wilson
 2. Amy Hodges
 3. Lee Wayne Igo
 4. Brandt Badger
 5. Janis Igo
 6. David Estrada
 7. David Estrada
 8. Mackey McEntire
 9. Dwayne Davis
 10. Pam McEntire
- Heavyweight Finewool Lambs**
 1. Steven Foster
 2. Janis Igo
 3. Amy Hodges
 4. Steven Foster
 5. Pat Foster
 6. Lee Wayne Igo
 7. Amy Hodges
 8. Skeete Foster
 9. Bobby Barton
 10. Ishmael Vargas
- Pen of Three Finewool Lambs**
 1. Amy Hodges
 2. Janis Igo
 3. Steven Foster
 4. Ishmael Vargas
 5. Pam McEntire
- Lightweight Crossbred Lambs**
 1. Randy Mixon
 2. Lee Wayne Igo
 3. Jim Terry
 4. Janis Igo
 5. Bobby Bynum
 6. Steven Foster
 7. Pat Foster
 8. Tommy Bynum
 9. Robert Bliznak
 10. Melinda Terry
- Heavyweight Crossbred Lambs**
 1. Lee Wayne Igo
 2. Bobby Bynum
 3. Pat Foster
 4. Janis Igo
 5. Pat Foster
 6. Kenny Blanek
 7. Lee Wayne Igo
 8. Payton Wilson
 9. Melinda Terry
 10. Tommy Bynum
- Pen of Three Crossbred Lambs**
 1. Janis Igo
 2. Tommy Bynum
 3. Lee Wayne Igo
 4. Patti Bynum
 5. Jim Terry
- Medium Wool Lambs**
 1. Pat Foster
 2. Pat Foster
 3. Pat Foster
 4. Bobby Bynum
 5. Janis Igo
 6. Lee Wayne Igo
 7. Kenny Blanek
 8. Randy Mixon
 9. Sally Mixon
 10. Bill Blanek

Other Breeds Lambs

1. Pat Foster
2. Pat Foster
3. Pat Foster
4. Pat Foster
5. Bobby Bynum
6. Bill Blanek

Rambouillet Ram Lambs and Two Tooths

1. Amy Hodges
2. Lee Wayne Igo
3. Amy Hodges
4. Janis Igo
5. Lee Wayne Igo

Rambouillet Ewe Lambs and Two Tooth

1. Amy Hodges
2. Amy Hodges
3. Janis Igo
4. Lee Wayne Igo
5. Lee Wayne Igo
6. Lee Wayne Igo

Rambouillet Flock--3 Head, Both Sexes and Betty Jo Barrett Trophy

1. Amy Hodges
2. Janis Igo
3. Lee Wayne Igo

Pen of 3 Range Ewe Lambs and Wm. & J.Q. Foster Trophy Banner

1. Amy Hodges
2. Frank Price
3. Allen Price

Hampshire Rams and Riley King Trophy Banner

1. Amy Hodges
2. Amy Hodges

Hampshire Ewes and Brooks Dry Goods Trophy Banner

1. Amy Hodges
2. Amy Hodges

Pen of 3 Hampshires, Both Sexes

1. Amy Hodges

Suffolk Rams and L.C. McDonald Trophy Banner

1. Pat Foster
2. Pat Foster
3. Pat Foster

Suffolk Ewes and R.T. Foster Jr. Trophy Banner

1. Pat Foster
2. Pat Foster

Pen of 3 Suffolks, Both Sexes

1. Pat Foster

Quarterhorse Stallion and Alvie Cole Trophy Banner

1. Tommy Bynum

Randy Mixon received the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association medallion for the outstanding lamb of the show and that award for the outstanding breeding sheep of the show went to Pat Foster.

Bobby Bynum and Pat Foster received the Holland Jewelers silver buckle showmanship awards.

Dub Day of Rankin judged the show.

30 Lambs Sold at Show for \$1 Pound or More

The exhibitors all were allowed to sell one lamb each. The exhibitor, the weight, the price and the buyer, follows:

Steven Foster, 87 lbs. \$200, to The First National Bank of Sterling City.
Randy Mixon, 68 lbs. \$150, to J.D. Harmon of Robert Lee and Caperton Chevrolet of Bronte.

Pat Foster, 78 lbs. \$150, to Lowe Hardware & Furniture.
Janis Igo, 103 lbs. \$120 to Kimble Feed Mills of Big Spring and Caperton Chevrolet.
Lee Wayne Igo, 121, \$110, to I. W. Terry.

(The rest of the lambs sold at a per pound price, rather than by the head).
Charlotte Foster, 96 lbs. \$1.30 to Skipper Lively, Ramgas.

Jim Terry, 100 lbs., \$1.30 to West Texas Wool and Mohair Assn. of Mertzon.
Brandt Badger, 83 lbs., \$1.10,

Wimodausis Club

The Wimodausis Club met for the regular January meeting in the home of Mrs. Roy Foster. Fourteen members, and one guest Mrs. Marvin Key, were present for the study of "Worthy Uses of Our Capacities and Gifts Through Health and Safety."

Ms. David Glass, president, presided and the roll call was answered with practices and rules for better traffic safety and health. The local hospital letter for the Christmas gift of money from the club which was applied on electric heaters for the hospital.

The program consisted of a paper on "The Duty of Happiness" written by Mrs. Roy Morgan and read by Mrs. Tom Asbill, due to Mrs. Morgan's illness. Mrs. Ray Lane presented an article of twelve safety rules on "Safety Involvement" and tested the group on safety driving.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. E.F. McEntire and Miss Ruth Reynolds.

to Producers' Livestock Auction Co., San Angelo.

Debbie Hopkins, 111 lbs., \$1.05 to Hemphill-Wells, Barnes & Co. and Nathan's Jewelers, San Angelo.

Pam McEntire, 69 lbs., \$1.20 to Bill's Man Shop, Barnes & Co. and Nathan's Jewelers.

Sally Mixon, 67 lbs., \$1.30, Jackson House Restaurant, Robert Massie Furniture and Nathan's Jewelers, San Angelo.

Melinda Terry, 96 lbs., \$1.20, Hemphill-Wells, and Modern Way Food Stores, San Angelo.
Mackey McEntire, 81 lbs., \$1.05 to A.L. Krueger Wool & Mohair of San Angelo.

Kenny Blanek, 82 lbs., \$1.10 to West Texas Utilities Co. of Sterling City.

Patti Bynum, 70 lbs., \$1.25 to Porter Henderson Implement Co., West Texas Wool & Mohair Assn. and Nathan's Jewelers.

Dwayne Davis, 62 lbs., \$1.30 to General Telephone Co. and Modern Way Food Stores.

Bill Blanek, 129 lbs., \$1.10 to Foster & Hildebrand ranches.

David Estrada, 97 lbs., \$1.00 to Felix Fuel of Sterling City.

Tommy Bynum, 71 lbs. \$1.20 to M System Stores of San Angelo.

Russel Davis, 68 lbs., \$1.25 to Wool Growers Central Storage Co., San Angelo.

Bobby Bynum, 72 lbs. \$1.25 to Sterling Feed & Supply.

Robert Bliznak, 94 lbs. \$1.00 to Henry Bauer Texaco Consignee and Brock's Grocery.

Payton Wilson, 122 lbs., \$1.00 to S. K. Horwood.

Bobby Barton, 95 lbs. \$1.05 to Finis Westbrook.

Jay Clark, 104 lbs. \$1.00 to The First National Bank of Sterling City.

Skeete Foster, 105 lbs. \$1.25 to General Telephone Co. and West Texas Wool & Mohair Association.

Frank Bliznak, 88 lbs. \$1.00 to Angelo Pellets Feed Mill and Caperton Chevrolet.

Ishmael Vargas, 102 lbs., \$1.00 to Dunbar Cafe, 4C (Coors) Distributing Co of San Angelo.

Abel Estrada, 99 lbs., \$1.05 to Log Cabin Steak House and 4C Distributing Company.

Amy Hodges, 107 lbs. \$1.10 to Felix Fuel, Caperton Chevrolet, West Texas Utilities Co. and Nathan's Jewelers.

A \$25 donation from Leon Bode, of Southwestern Livestock Mineral Supply, San Angelo, was received.

The young exhibitors sold a total of 30 lambs. There were 33 different individuals and buyers, and they were from Sterling City, San Angelo and Big Spring.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

- John I. Blair
- Oscar Meyer
- Mrs. Sterling Foster
- Mrs. W. B. Allen
- Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week included—
- Mrs. T. A. Gartman
- S. L. Augustine
- Dan Glass

School Lunchroom Tickets to be Sold

The Sterling City school lunchroom plans to sell a lunchroom meal ticket at \$2 per week or \$8 for four weeks of 20 days. Single meals will be sold at 40c each without purchase of ticket of 5 meals--full week.

The plan will begin the week of February 3 and a more detailed description will be in next week's paper.

Jaynell Cope Named DAR Good Citizen

Jaynell Cope has been chosen recipient of the D A R Good Citizen award for Sterling City High School.

Daughter of Mrs. J. I. Cope and the late Mr. Cope, the high school senior was selected by the school faculty on the basis of scholarship, service and dependability.

She will be among 15 area Good Citizens to be honored February 11 at a tea sponsored by Pochontas Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution. The tea will be in the San Angelo Country Club.

Jaynell is a National Merit Commended student and is on the honor roll. She is pianist and sweetheart for the Lions Club, 3rd Vice-President of Area II Future Homemakers of America, president of the local FHA, treasurer of the senior class, editor of the school yearbook, a member of the pep squad, and is active in Interscholastic League events.

She plans to continue her education at Texas Tech.

Heart Fund Group Met Tuesday

The local chapter of the Heart Association met Tuesday morning at 10 in the office of the West Texas Utilities Company here. Bob Palmer, district director, met with the group and told them of available materials for the February fund drive and also gave pointers on the drive.

Mrs. Marie Finnegan will be chairman of the drive and she told the group that the basketball game on the night of February 4 would be the game where points for Heart Fund would be used. Also a cake sale will be held during haltime and balloons will be sold following the game.

Present at the meeting were Mrs. Finnegan, Mr. Palmer, Mrs. Henry Bauer, Mrs. Rufus Foster, Mrs. Finis Legg, Mrs. Riley King, Mrs. Jim Atkins, Tom Asbill, Jim Davis, O.T. Jones, Jack Peel, Herbert Senne and Jack Douthit.

ATTEND BROTHER'S FUNERAL RITES

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Jackson returned Sunday night from Eudora, Arkansas where they attended the funeral of Mr. Jackson's brother, G. A. Jackson of Warren, Arkansas. He was struck by a car in Greenville, Mississippi on January 13 while crossing a street and killed instantly.

Man Gets 12 Years in Assault Trial Here

George Hill, who had been charged with assault with intent to murder with malice, was assessed a twelve-year sentence here in 51st district court Wednesday.

Hill had been charged in the assault on Roy Hughes, a truck driver who was sleeping in his truck at a roadside park 16 miles northwest of Sterling on August 12. He had pleaded not guilty. The case for the state prosecution was handled by District Attorney Frank Dickey, Jr. and David Robertson, assistant.

O'Neal Dendy was the court appointed defense attorney. The jury got the case about dark and stayed out until around midnight before returning a guilty verdict. The District Judge then set the sentence at twelve years.

Jurors were Jim Davis, Don Griffin, Ray Mixon, Mrs. Worth Allen, Mrs. C.J. Dunn, Howell Bowen, Nolan Stewart, John S. Blair, Charles Probandt, Troy Templin, Louie C. Alexander, and David Drennan.

The other defendant in the same case, Lamar Cole, will be tried later.

High School Honor Roll Told

The first semester honor roll for the Sterling High School has been announced by high school principal James Thompson. The honor students are as follows:

| | |
|-------------------------|----|
| SENIORS— | |
| Jaynell Cope, grade av. | 95 |
| JUNIORS— | |
| Carolyn Cole | 91 |
| Ginger Jones | 91 |
| Bill Blanek | 90 |
| SOPHOMORES— | |
| Janis Igo | 95 |
| Spusan Terry | 90 |
| Bobby Barton | 90 |
| FRESHMEN— | |
| Allen Price | 93 |
| Marilyn Foster | 91 |
| Clark Kilpatrick | 90 |

Mrs. H.L. Bailey's Sister Buried Here

Mrs. Dorothy Walters, 51, of Dallas, a sister of Mrs. H. L. Bailey, was buried here on Thursday afternoon of last week in the Montvale Cemetery in graveside rites.

Mrs. Walters, a resident of Dallas at the time of death, had been born in Tulsa, Oklahoma on December 14, 1917. Graveside rites were conducted by the Rev. Phil Robbertson and burial was under direction of Lowe Funeral Home of Sterling City.

Mrs. Walters was survived by a daughter, Mrs. Harley Mercer of Dallas; a son, Chas. Lee Patterson; three sisters, Mrs. H. L. Bailey, Mrs. Jeff Custer and Miss Lucille Murry and two grandchildren.

Visiting with the Tom Crosslers last week were Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bennett and daughter, Elizabeth, all from Lebanon, Oregon. Elizabeth and Mrs. Crossler were at one time roommates at Stephens College.

JACKSON'S TO OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING

On Sunday, February 2, 1969, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Jackson will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jackson are invited to attend the reception to be held in the community center from 2 to 4 p.m. Hostesses for the event will be Mrs. I. O. Brooker, Mrs. G. W. Stevens, both of Odessa, and Mrs. Frank Jackson, of Midland.

Dale King Talks to Lions Club

Dale King of Anson, field representative for Congressman Omar Burleson talked to the Lions Club at the Wednesday luncheon. King talked on the problems of big government, big districts and the peculiar problems of Congressmen from agricultural districts.

Ricky Hopkins was a guests and the prize went to Dale King.

Grass Fire Here Wednesday Afternoon

A grass fire burned off several hundred acres on the Lee-Stringer Ranch near the Broome area late Wednesday afternoon. The Sterling volunteer department made the run and for awhile the high wind made for a dangerous situation. The fire was contained within a couple of hours.

To the southeast of Sterling Tom Green County was hit by two grass fires that raged for several hours.

Cancer Group Met Monday Night

The Sterling County Chapter of the American Cancer Society met Monday night in the community center. Riley King, head of the local unit, presided.

Reports were given by the various committee heads and field man Cothorn talked on coming events.

Present at the affair were Mrs. Danny Stewart, who will be Crusade Chairman for the drive, Mr. and Mrs. Kin, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Asbill, Mr. and Mrs. Dally Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. Foster S. Price, Mrs. James Thompson, Mrs. Stan Horwood and Jack Douthit.

The next meeting will be March 27 in the clubroom.

IMPORTANT: CENSUS INFORMATION NEEDED

As of Tuesday, January 21, the only Anglo-American census six year old probable beginners seem to be:

1. Nelly Allen
 2. Romone Gaston
 3. Wesley Hodges
 4. Debra Miller
 5. Audrey Thompson
 6. Keith Blair
- If anyone who will be a beginner whose name is not found above, please call the school 378-3531 and give the name of the student.

Baptist Men's Day January 26

The First Baptist Church will be observing Baptist Men's Day this Sunday, January 26. This is a day set aside each year to place emphasis on the men of the church.

There will be a roll call of the men of the church on Sunday morning during the worship hour. Each man is encouraged to be present to answer when his name is called.

The men of the church will be used in the morning and evening services to lead in prayer and read the scriptures. In the evening service some of the men will speak on the subject—"The Christian Man in the Church, the Home the Secular Life and the Lost World."

Mrs. Vernon Blackman is in Cogdell Memorial Hospital in Snyder for some medical tests.

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Social Security News

HOSPITAL INSURANCE BENEFITS

The hospital insurance benefits of Medicare provide for services of three types, according to Ted F. Moellering, manager of the San Angelo social security district office. Benefits are possible when you are (1) a bed patient in a hospital, (2) a bed patient in an extended care facility (skilled nursing home) assigned there by your physician as a follow-up to hospital care, and (3) a patient at home receiving home health services, Mr. Moellering continued. There has been some thought that because you are covered under Medicare up to a certain maximum number of days, you can automatically count on that number of days regardless of your condition. Mr. Moellering went on to say that this is a misunderstanding and that when your condition improves to the extent you no longer require the level of care provided, then your eligibility ceases.

An example of this misunderstanding is the 100 day eligibility in an Extended Care Facility. We are sometimes asked why a certain person was told Medicare would no longer pay for his stay in an Extended Care Facility when he had only been there 50 days and still had 50 days coming. The condition of the patient rather than the number of days is the controlling factor up to the point that the maximum number of days is reached. Coverage ends when his condition is such that he no longer needs the level of care provided by the Extended Care Facility.

Any question about this or any area of Medicare or Social Security should be resolved by a visit or contact with the Social Security Office located at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

FILING ANNUAL SOCIAL SECURITY REPORTS

"Whether you are young or old makes no difference if you're a social security beneficiary. Everyone who receives monthly benefits from social security must file an annual report of their earnings if they have wages or self-employment income of over \$1680 in 1968," Ted F. Moellering of the San Angelo Social Security Office reminded all social security recipients today.

If you receive any or all of your benefits in 1968, don't forget you must make the special report to social security if you earn over \$1680. In most cases, the beneficiary will receive an annual reporting form in the mail, but all those who don't should contact their social security office. We will be glad to help you.

The annual report is separate from income tax reports and must be filed by April 15, 1969, with the Social Security Administration. For further information, contact the Social Security Office at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

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BASKETBALL

- Jan. 7—Water Valley There B game at 5
- Jan. 10—Blackwell Here B game at 5
- Jan. 14—Bronte Here
- Jan. 17—Garden City There B game at 5
- Jan. 21—Forsan Here B game at 5
- Jan. 24—Water Valley Here B game at 5
- Jan. 28—Blackwell There G game at 5
- Jan. 31—Bronte There
- Feb. 4—Garden City Here
- Feb. 7—Forsan There B game at 5

1969 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

- Sterling City High School
- 199 Football Schedule
- Sept. 12 — Southland T
 - Sept. 19 — Union H
 - Sept. 26 — Smyer H
 - Oct. 3 — Whitharral T
 - *Oct. 10 — Gail T
 - **Oct. 17 — Garden City H
 - *Oct. 24 — Dawson H
 - *Oct. 31 — Wellman T
 - *Nov. 7 — Klondike T
 - *Nov. 14 — Loop H
 - Nov. 21 — Open
 - *District Games
 - **Homecoming

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REPORT OF STERLING COUNTY TREASURER, MRS. SALLIE WALLACE ON DECEMBER 31, 1968

| JURY FUND | |
|--|------------|
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | 7,190.82 |
| To amount received since last report | 1,793.39 |
| By amount paid out since last report | 427.21 |
| By amount to balance | 8,557.00 |
| ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | 58,859.79 |
| To amount received since last report | 27,525.16 |
| By amount paid out since last report | 22,591.04 |
| By amount to balance | 63,793.91 |
| GENERAL FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | 26,405.78 |
| To amount received since last report | 53,884.72 |
| By amount paid out since last report | 17,048.08 |
| By amount to balance | 63,500.42 |
| COURTHOUSE & JAIL FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | 8,457.20 |
| To amount received since last report | 1,793.39 |
| By amount paid out since last report | 358.20 |
| By amount to balance | 9,892.39 |
| HOSPITAL SINKING FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | 5,467.92 |
| To amount received since last report | 4,781.04 |
| By amount paid out since last report | 5,512.50 |
| By amount to balance | 4,736.46 |
| SOCIAL SECURITY FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | 4,814.58 |
| To amount received since last report | .00 |
| By amount paid out since last report | 2,151.72 |
| By amount to balance | 2,662.86 |
| T.C.D. RETIREMENT FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | .00 |
| To amount received since last report | 351.94 |
| By amount paid out since last report | .00 |
| By amount to balance | 351.94 |
| LATERAL ROAD FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | 15,409.64 |
| To amount received since last report | .00 |
| By amount paid out since last report | 2,558.84 |
| By amount to balance | 12,950.80 |
| F.M. & L.R. SINKING FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | 3,006.62 |
| To amount received since last report | 14,940.80 |
| By amount paid out since last report | .00 |
| By amount to balance | 17,947.42 |
| PERM. SCHOOL INTEREST ACCOUNT | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | .00 |
| To amount received since last report | 351.94 |
| By amount paid out since last report | .00 |
| By amount to balance | 351.94 |
| PERM. IMPROVEMENT BLDG. FUND | |
| To balance last report, filed Sept. 30, 1968 | .00 |
| To amount received since last report | 201,215.75 |
| By amount paid out since last report | 171,465.00 |
| By amount to balance | 22,750.75 |

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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Andy Daniels, Pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Teachers Meeting 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Marion H. Hays, Minister
Bible school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Classes 6 p.m.
Night Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-Week
Mid-week Service 7 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
David Marx, Pastor
Sunday school 10:00 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m.

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Morning worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

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A request from the Sterling Fire Department for faster and safer coverage for all.

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 2. GIVE YOUR FULL NAME
 3. GIVE THE LOCATION OF THE FIRE AND WHAT IT IS (HOUSE, BARN, OR WHATEVER), AND HOW TO BEST GET TO IT.
 4. STAY ON THE PHONE, IF POSSIBLE, UNTIL THE PERSON TAKING THE CALL HAS ALL THE INFORMATION HE WANTS.
 5. IF IT IS A HOUSE FIRE CLOSE ALL DOORS AND WINDOWS YOU CAN GET TO SAFELY, THEN GET IN THE CLEAR AND STAY AT THE SCENE. ONCE YOU ARE OUTSIDE THE HOUSE, DO NOT GO BACK IN THE BUILDING!

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1. STAY OFF THE STREET OR ROAD BEING USED BY THE FIRE TRUCKS AND FIREMEN.
 2. DO NOT PARK CARS OR TRUCKS WITHIN ONE BLOCK OF THE FIRE.
 3. NEVER, NEVER RUN OVER A FIRE HOSE, EVEN IF IT IS FLAT.

In all instances, use common sense, be as calm as you can, and give all information clearly completely, but in as few words as possible.

REWARD NOTICE

A reward of \$500.00 will be paid by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association to any person (other than law enforcement officers) giving information causing the arrest and final conviction of any person or persons found butchering or stealing any sheep or lambs or goats belonging to any Association member in good standing. When two or more persons give information, the above sum will be divided at the discretion of the Board of the Association. When two or more defendants are involved in a single crime, the total reward is limited to \$500.00, but the conviction of one defendant, even though the other defendants are acquitted, will entitle the claimant or claimants to said sum of \$500.00. All claims must be submitted within ninety (90) days following conviction. If, upon conviction, a defendant confesses other thefts, no additional reward will be paid. All deviations concerning the payment of such reward and the conditions of payment will be made by the Board of Directors of the Association.
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Civil Service

Federal agencies, principally in the metropolitan area of Washington, D. C., need Electronics Technicians. The work involves maintenance, testing, and development of various electronic equipment, ranging from radio, radar, and sonar devices to computer systems. Both general and specialized experience are basic requirements for Electronics Technician positions, except where education may be substituted for such experience. Entry level for eligibles depends on quality and quantity of both. No written test is required. Starting annual salaries range from \$5,331 to \$10,927. Ask for Announcement No. WA-7-19. Additional information on these and other Federal jobs may be obtained from the Civil Service Commission in Washington, D. C., 1900 E Street, NW, 20415.

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To refill and collect money from machines dispensing Hi-Grade Candy, Gum and Sport Cards in this area. Supplement your income. Easy to do. \$475.-00 cash required for inventory. Include phone number. Write P. O. Box 853, San Angelo, Texas.

Home Health Benefits from Medicare

The least understood service under Medicare is home health benefits, according to Ted F. Moellering, social security district manager in San Angelo, Texas. Mr. Moellering explained that these benefits are available to home-confined Medicare beneficiaries in most localities, when ordered by a doctor and when furnished by a participating home health agency. These agencies send skilled people to the home to provide health care, such as part-time nursing; physical, speech and occupational therapy; use of medical appliances; and part-time services of home health aides.

Home health benefits are furnished under both parts of Medicare: Part A, hospital insurance, and Part B, supplemental medical insurance. Part A takes care of all of the costs of up to 100 visits for up to a year after the most recent discharge from a hospital or participating extended care facility, under these conditions:

1. The beneficiary was in a participating, or otherwise qualified, hospital for at least 3 consecutive days;
2. He is confined to his home;
3. A doctor determines the need for home health care and sets up a plan for it within 14 days after discharge from the hospital or participating extended care facility; and
4. The home care is for treatment of the same condition for which he was hospitalized.

There is no requirement of prior hospitalization for these services under Part B. Up to 100 home health visits each year are covered, if:

1. The patient is confined to his home;
2. A doctor determines the need for home health care; and
3. The doctor sets up a home health care plan and reviews it periodically. Part B pays all but the first \$50 and 20 percent of the remainder of the costs of covered medical services in a calendar year.

SCIENCE SKETCHES



CARTOONS and cocktails are giving University of Wisconsin psychologists added knowledge of human behavior. The psychologists have developed a method of using humor and alcohol to reveal personality traits.



THE SATURN ROCKET must be fed fuel pressurized by compressed helium, which is inert and will not react with the propellant or plumbing. Pennsylvania Forge, Philadelphia, which machined containers to hold the helium, says the light weight gas is stored in aluminum "bottles" 21.8 inches long, 19.1 inches in diameter and 0.90 inches thick. Despite their size the four containers required for a firing are almost lost inside the rocket's huge liquid oxygen tank.



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AS IT LOOKS FROM HERE

By Omar Burleson, Member of Congress, 17th District

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Last week President Johnson made the 179th State of the Union Address in our Nation's history. It was the first speech by an outgoing President to a Joint Session of Congress since 1801 by John Adams.

A president is required by the constitution to report to the Congress but it does not say he has to do it every year. The requirement is "from time to time."

Nevertheless, exactly one address has been given each year since Washington's time except in 1933. In that year the date for taking office was moved up from March 4 to January 20. Had the outgoing President Herbert Hoover continued in office until Mar. it is assumed that he would have delivered an address. Former President Franklin D. Roosevelt, being brand new in office in January, declined to report on the State of the Union.

James A. Garfield and William Henry Harrison were the only Presidents who never delivered a State of the Union Address. They died before their first occasion to do so.

How far the president should go in spelling out legislation to be passed by the Congress is a question as old as our Country. Major differences in State of the Union Addresses from Washington's time until today reflect the differing attitudes of Presidents with respect as to how much power they should exercise over Congress. In this connection, the duty of the president to suggest laws is clearly set forth in the same part of the Constitution which calls for a report on the State of the Union.

Says the constitution, "He (the president), shall from time to time give to the Congress information of the State of the Union and recommend to their consideration such measures as he shall judge necessary and expedient..."

As revealed in the State of the Union addresses, about one-third of the 35 presidents have been somewhat aggressive in proposing new laws and policy while a few have been almost reticent and a few have been in between in influencing Congress.

Some addresses of presidents have been more or less forgotten by historians. On the other hand, some of the most casual references have shaped history. The California gold rush of 1849 was set up in December of 1848 by a remark of President James Polk who noted that "an abundance of gold" had indeed been discovered.

Not often does any lasting pronouncement of foreign policy endure beyond one or two Administrations. Yet one State of the Union Address was the sole source of laying down a major tenet of foreign policy. In 1823 when the Holy Alliance in Europe aligned against Britain took up Spain's call to reclaim its lost colonies in Latin America, President Monroe said in his State of the Union message, "We can not view any interposition

Social Security Field Representative Here Feb. 7

Jules Gipson, Field Representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his February visit to Sterling City. He will be at the county courthouse on Friday, February 7 from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

Mrs. Horace Donalson is spending the weekend in Richardson with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barbee and Hull.

FOR SALE — Butane gas tank, 250-gallon, perfect condition. Mrs. Simmons, 8-3381.

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks and appreciation for the prayers, visits, and cards while in the hospital. A special thanks to Dr. Swann, the nurses and personnel at the hospital.

T.J. & MARIE FINNEGAN

for the purpose of opposing them (the South American States) or controlling in any manner their destinies by European power in any other light than in the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the U.S." Thus, the Monroe Doctrine. Actually, it is the one major and long lasting U.S. policy which owes its expression purely to a State of the Union Address.

Not unlike some actions of recent Presidents, Thomas Jefferson used a State of the Union Message to establish a national precedent which from time to time has come under attack. With the possibility of war looming, he procured military supplies without authorization of the Congress. In his annual message, he explained why and asked approval of what he had already done. Other presidents have followed that practice, usually surrounded by controversy.

Some presidents have just about had to eat their words in addresses to Congress. In December, 1913, Woodrow Wilson said that the World was in a condition "foreshadowing an age of settled peace and good will." That was 52 years ago and no president has dared say such a thing since. Eight months later the guns of World War I broke the peace in Europe and in April, 1917, Wilson read a Special Message to Congress asking for a declaration of war.

Until Lincoln, no president had proposed an amendment to the Constitution. In his message of 1862, he presented his draft to emancipate the slaves. The amendment did not pass and no president has tried to spell out a Constitutional amendment since.

The personality and character of the chief executives in our history present vivid contrast.

Historians judge them strong, weak, and in between. In his message, John Tyler said, "I have thus, fellow citizens, acquitted myself of my duty by inviting your attention to matters of much importance to the Country." Most historians view this as a weak commitment but weaker still was Ulysses S. Grant when he apologetically told Congress that he had been "called to the Office of Chief Executive without any previous political training" and, that his "failures had been of judgment, not of intent."

By contrast, Andrew Jackson spoke so bluntly to Congress that, as historian S. H. Ferish put it, "Congress got more than information—it was given a piece of Jackson's mind."

President Johnson's address last week was one of fare-in well. It remains to be seen what Mr. Nixon will have to say when he first addresses a Joint Session of Congress.

McGinnes' Visitors

Visiting in the Albert McGinnes home last weekend were their son, Larry, and his fiancée, Miss Julianne Lindquist, both from Texas Tech University in Lubbock. On Sunday, Miss Lindquist was honoree at a gift tea in Eldorado. Attending from Sterling City were Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGinnes, Mrs. Ben Brooks, and Miss Mary Lynn McGinnes.

Larry and Julie returned to Tech Sunday night where they will be busy with semester finals this week.

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I want to thank all of my friends for the visits, cards, and prayers while I was in the hospital.

MRS. PERRY MATTHEWS

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Aliens Must Register in January

Information furnished by an alien in making his annual address report to the Government is confidential.

According to Mr. John W. Holland, District Director of the San Antonio District Immigration and Naturalization Service office, the information furnished by aliens in reporting their addresses has been declared confidential by statute.

These reports must be submitted during January each year by all aliens in the United States, with few exceptions. Forms on which to submit the reports are available at any Post Office of office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Persons who are unable to pick up a form because of illness, or other reasons, may have a relative or friend obtain a card for them.

The card should be returned to one of these offices.

Mother's March Set for January 30

Mrs. W. R. Brooks, general chairman for the Mothers' March of the March of Dimes this year, said the Mothers' March would be held here on Thursday evening, January 30. The drive will begin at 6 o'clock that evening and the workers for the drive will be from the Noratadata Club the Epsilon Zeta Club and the Future Homemakers of America.

The volunteer workers will meet at the community center before the drive and will all report back there upon completion of the drive to make their reports.

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Rabies Warning for Sterling County

The behavior of wild animals in the Sterling County area and several losses in livestock which veterinarians attribute to rabies in recent weeks makes rabies a threat in the area. While there is no need for alarm over the situation at the present time, there is need for concern and precautions should be taken to prevent the situation from becoming worse.

The immediate area of most concern is around Sterling City and north and east. You will remember that a horse's brain was sent to Austin for diagnosis in September and was found to be positive for rabies. One person took the series of fourteen shots at a result of exposure to the horse when putting a bridle on the horse three days before the horse died. Another person was bitten by a fox while fishing and took the shots since the fox escaped.

Since that time, several sheep have died in the immediate vicinity of this case under circumstances which make rabies a possibility. At the present time, the results of a brain of a ewe sent to Austin are being waited on for positive diagnosis. Several foxes have been killed in the area suffering from what could be rabies. One of them chased at least one person week ago.

Within recent weeks, a horse and a cow have died in the area east of Sterling City. Veterinarians feel that rabies was the cause of death. No persons were directly exposed so the brains were not sent to Austin for positive diagnosis.

Two weeks ago, a coon attacked and bit a rancher feeding horses early one morning on the eastern edge of Glasscock County. The coon bit the man on the wrist after jumping a water trough in the pen. It had to be choked abefore it would release its hold on the man. The head was removed and sent to the laboratory in Austin where the diagnosis was positive for rabies. The man started the series of fourteen shots immediately.

Contrary to old, popular beliefs, the months of July, August and September are no longer the worst months for rabies. According to the State Department of Health laboratories at Austin, the worst months now are March and April. During the last five years, the number of confirmed cases during these two months has been greater than at any other time of the year.

There is a tendency for wild animals to move toward areas of population concentrations during this time of the year because of the shortage of food in their usual areas of habitat. These animals are not necessarily rabid but are hungry. However, they should be watched carefully. When a normally wild animal does not shy away from humans, there is cause for concern. Any behavior foreign to their usual behavior should make them suspect. If they do not leave on the approach of humans, or offer to approach a human or attack one, this is even more evidence of trouble.

Rabies can be transmitted only through the saliva of the animal that has the disease. It is not transmissible through the blood, meat, or milk of an animal. The infected animal must bite another and transmit it through its saliva into the blood stream of the other animal. The virus then moves to the brain of the bitten animal. Here it incubates before coming virulent. The incubation period may be as short as two weeks or as long as many months; the majority of the cases will occur within three months with some cases

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Behind the 8-Ball



By the editor.

Attending the American Sheep Producers meeting in San Francisco last weekend were Mrs. Claude Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Durham, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Fowler McEntire, Mr. and Mrs. George McEntire, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Reynolds. Their bunch at one time decided to return home by way of Las Vegas, but in the end only two couples did. The rest got to El Paso and there they found the Midland airport fogged in so they finally returned to Albuquerque, N. M. Then the next deal brought them to the Lubbock airport for a stay—and the airline finally chartered a bus and sent them on down to Midland where they had left their cars. They were only a day late getting home.

8-BALL
A letter from Capt. (Chaplain) Bill Wiemers, now in Ben Hoa, Vietnam with the Armed Forces, thanked the people of Sterling for the Christmas box of stuff for the service men there. He said:

Dear friends:
I want to take this means to express my gratitude to you and our many friends in Sterling City for helping make Christmas Eve a happier one for about 400 men standing guard at our base on December 24th. Chaplain Wallace, another protestant chaplain, also served in civilian churches before entering the Air Force. He, too, wrote to his former congregation. As a result of the cookies sent by various congregations, we were able to take cookies in addition to a Coke and a sandwich to each of the 400 men on guard duty. After the Xmas Eve worship services, 5 of us chaplains distributed the "goodies" to the men. It was a busy night for Santa as the

known to have incubated as long as nine months.

There are two forms of the disease—one which is best known is the furious type. With this type, an animal assumes a belligerent attitude and attacks, often without being provoked.

The second type is the dumb type. Here, the animal is shy, cowering, and appears to not know or care what is going on around it. The normally wild animals will shy away from humans but will allow themselves to be approached and even picked up and handled. They seek out dark places and hide and will attack only on being provoked into it.

The Concho Predator Control Association is presently sponsoring a control program to help cut down on the carriers of the disease. Material is available from the Association to carry out the program. If you are interested, contact Jim Hinshaw, who is president of the association, or Voy Eason. Voy is the Sterling County trapper who began work last September. He is not listed in the phone book but may be contacted at 378-2361 here in Sterling City.

last distribution was accomplished at 4:30 a.m. You have no idea how much the men appreciated this love and concern. Please accept my thanks and the thanks of our men here. I would like to write a personal letter to each of the friends who made this project possible. The miscellaneous items were given to the men as best we could determine their need.

Life here is busy. The men on this base have been restricted to the base since before "TET" of last year. Most of the time we are on a 12-hour work day seven days a week. As such, I have taken 1/2 day off since last June. But under the circumstances keeping busy in a meaningful way helps makes the year pass.

The thing that our family is looking forward to now is our time together in Hawaii on R&R 23-29 January. Thus for all preparations are in order. The children have been exposed to mumps. We are hoping this will not complicate our plans.

Please accept our thanks for the love and concern you people of Sterling City have shown for our men in Vietnam. Whatever help you can be in expressing this appreciation to our friends will also be appreciated.

With all my best wishes,
BILL WIEMERS
8-BALL

DO YOU PLAN to vote in the city and school elections this year? If so, you had better get over to the tax assessor's office in the courthouse and register. It does not cost anything, but all voters do have to register each year.

And of course, there could be some special elections that would come up for voting.

It has happened before. And could again.
8-BALL

In case of fire, dial 8-4771.

1969-1970 SCHOOL CENSUS SURVEY IN PROGRESS

The Sterling City School census for the next school year is now underway. Parents with children who are six years old and will begin next September, 1969, should call the school office, 8-3531 and report this to the school office. Students who will begin must be 6 by August 31, 1969 and under age children must be 6 by September 30, 1969.

Any young man or woman who will not be 18 until after August 31, 1969, can also be registered even though they do not plan to attend school, whether they are married or single.

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Attends Service School

Burl Pringle, service manager of the West Texas Utilities Company here, attended a company sponsored service training school in San Angelo this week.