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ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Eighty dogs and cats received the rabies immunization shots Monday afternoon in Sterling City, the majority of them being dogs. However, cats are just as susceptible to rabies as dogs. This year, more cats than usual were brought in for the shots.

The shots provide protection for pets for a period of about one year. It gives those pets an immunity which is important since we know that rabies is present in the area. As stated last week, seven persons have taken the shots since last October. Animals from Sterling County that were diagnosed as positive in the Austin laboratory of the State Health Department include sheep, horse, goat, and coon; in addition, veterinarians feel certain that at least two cows and a horse they were called to treat also died from the disease. No one was exposed so the heads were not sent to Austin.

Hot dry conditions during the last week have increased the danger of grass fires in this area. The winter weeds and grasses are drying fast and no green vegetation is taking their place. These weeds and grasses will burn quite quickly now. Last Thursday afternoon, a fire started in town as the result of burning trash in a barrel. Fortunately, it was confined to one lot. Homeowners are urged to be careful in burning their trash. If possible, burn early in the morning when there is a possibility of dew on the grass hampering the spread of fire. Burn when the wind is calm if possible. Keep a garden hose nearby hooked up and ready to use. Above all, don't go off and leave the fire. Watch it as much as possible in order to prevent starting a grass fire.

Dr. Percy Turner of Water Valley said that the fire department there had been called out five consecutive days beginning last Thursday to fight range fires in the Water Valley and Carlsbad area. Several of the fires were started by undetermined causes while two others were the result of a pickup catching fire; the fire broke out again from burning stumps in the area.

On Tuesday of this week, several large fires were burning over several thousand acres of rangeland in the San Saba area. They were thought to have been started by lightning. That area is not as dry as this area but it is still in condition to burn.

Keep the number of the fire department handy near the phone. Call the sheriff's office, 8-4771 during the day, or his home, 8-2181 at night; also there are several numbers listed in the front part of the phone directory that may be called to report a fire.

Sterling County is one of the counties receiving hot-spot treatment with sterile flies as a result of the confirmed case of screwworms three weeks ago. A drop was made in this area last week that we have a report on. Henry Bauer says he "was bombed" with a box of flies while making a delivery at the Truck Stop last week. The box just missed him and his truck and dropped on the highway near the cafe and the Baptist Church. He says that the flies crawled out of the box and flew off in a

## Behind the 8-Ball



By the editor.

Well, it gets hot here in the southwest—or shall we say—the great American desert of the southwest. That is, if hot dry weather keeps up long enough. That 112 and 110 weather is too hot for the country, the people, the livestock, the trees, the plants, the yards, etc. I guess grasshoppers are the only things that like it.

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A letter from the Texas State Library says that they have on hand many years of the Sterling City News-Record, from 1908 on. And, if I want 'em, I can come and get 'em. That is good news. They have many years complete.

So, I'll go to Austin and pick 'em up soon. Just hope they are in good enough shape to bind up by years.

8-BALL

It's almost too hot to work. When the temperature gets higher than the windmill on the courthouse square, nearly everybody can let work slide by 'em. It just doesn't seem proper to work, at least very hard. Most people around the town say they'd just as soon park in the post office or the bank. They're cool.

Maybe we are getting soft or something. I can remember the first refrigerated air conditioned building I was even in. It was the DuPont building at the Texas Centennial at Dallas in 1936. I'd get hot, going around the Streets of All Nations of the Streets of Paris (That's where Sally Rand was—and then I'd go cool of in the DuPont building.

That Centennial was a good show. I enjoyed all the exhibits, they set a new high for fair exhibits. In many ways. Even the Treasury Department showed us how they printed our paper money. At least they printed one-half of dollar bills. Incidentally, they have modernized that way of printing bills.

8-BALL

**VOLUNTEER FIREMEN HAVE BROOMS FOR SALE**  
The Sterling Volunteer Fire Department now has fire-fighting brooms for sale once more. If you need one, get in touch with Ross Foster, president or Albert McGinnes, the fire chief.

few minutes.

Eradication program officials report that the incidence of confirmed cases is dropping off within recent weeks. They are pleased with the reporting being done by livestock producers and urge them to continue the good work. Texas had 20 cases for the period June 1 to June 14; New Mexico had seven; Arizona had five and California one.

Dr. E. M. Meadows, Jr., veterinarian in charge of field operations says "We can only treat cases that have been positively identified so let us know where they are." Fly production this year is being maintained and dropped in the hot-spot areas. A total of 18,995,000 flies were released the week of June 14.

## Water Rights Filing Deadline Sept. 1

The Texas Water Rights Commission announced that final notice of the recording deadline under the Water Rights Adjudication Act of 1967 has been given. Everyone who is using water from a public stream who does not claim under a certified filing or a permit from the State must record his claim by September 1, 1969. Users of water for domestic and livestock watering purposes are exempt from this requirement.

Failure to timely record the claim will "extinguish and bar" the claim of water right according to Section 4 of the Adjudication Act. All affected water users who have not already filed their claim are urged by the Commission to do so as soon as possible.

Valid claims will be recognized to the extent of maximum use of water without waste during any year between 1963 and 1967. Where the user was in the process of constructing a system or had facilities to use a larger amount of water on the effective date of the Act than he had actually used, use from 1968 to 1970 may be recognized.

Further information and forms for recording claims under the Water Rights Adjudication Act may be obtained from the Texas Water Rights Commission, P. O. Box 12396, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

## Quarterhorse Show Here July 12

The Sterling County Quarter Horse Show will be held here July 12. Site for the show is the Sterling County Roping Arena 1 mile west of town.

Don Smith of Talpa will be judge. Alvie Cole is show manager and Mrs. Cole is the secretary and will take the entries. A barbecue dinner is to be served at the grounds for \$1.60 a plate.

There have been 38 classes set up, including youth classes. Ribbons are to be awarded through six places. First place winners will receive trophies.

Rules governing the show are as set forth in AQHA handbook, it was said.

## Baptist Picnic and Concert Sunday

The First Baptist Church is planning a church-wide picnic and fellowship for Sunday, June 29. The picnic will be held in the city park (or in case of rain the church basement). Each family will be asked to bring a basket lunch and drinks will be provided by the church.

The Gloryland Quartet from Roswell, N. M. will present a concert at the church from 2 to 4 p.m. This group has been in town on two other occasions and is made up of the O. A. Kinnison family. The public is invited to attend the concert by this group.

## TRASH FIRES ACT UP

On Thursday noon of this week, a trash fire that she thought was put out, got away at Mrs. Lena Fosters home. The fire burned a small store room adjoining her garage before the Sterling Volunteer Fire Department got it under control.

On Thursday afternoon of last week, a trash fire got out of control at the Baptist Mission parsonage home of the Sinforoso Barreras. It burned off the big part of a vacant lot before the fire department got it put out.

## Bill Blanek Attends Boys State

Bill Blanek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blanek, has returned home from a week's stay at Boys State. The week-long meeting was held in Austin and Bill was sent as delegate from the local American Legion Post.

The boys, from all over the state, gather and formally organize and run for all state, district, county and precinct offices. They learn the methods of filing for office and all the "red tape" for filing and running for office.

The boys registered on Saturday at the University of Texas. Most meetings were held in Hogg Auditorium.

The boys were divided into two political parties—the Nationalist and Federalist parties. On Sunday, they all attended church.

Among speakers at the various meetings were Governor Preston Smith, Ben Barnes, Crawford Martin, Peter O'Donnell, Dr. Elmer C. Baum, and other prominent state officials. Waggoner Carr spoke to the group on "These Demands Are Not Negotiable". The boys were so impressed that they asked for copies to be made and given to each. H. Roe Bartle, former mayor of Kansas City, who cleaned up that city of bosses, made a deep impression on Blanek.

A negro, Ed Collins, of De Valle High School, was elected governor of the State.

Among the recreational items were a governor's ball on Friday night and calisthenics daily, one time led by Gov. Smith.

Upon being asked about his there as a delegate, Bill replied, "Well, you just felt a little out of place because most of the boys there were outstanding scholars, athletes—or were so outstanding in some way."

Mrs. D.C. Durham was transferred to the Shannon Hospital Sunday morning from the Sterling County Hospital. She is suffering from a fall that occurred in her home recently.

Roy Morgan returned home on Tuesday following an eight day stay in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

## TSGRA Auxiliary To Meet Monday

The members of the TSGRA Auxiliary will meet Monday, June 30, at 7:30 p.m. in the Will Atkinson house here in town for the regular meeting it has been announced.

## Visit in California

Mr. and Mrs. Clell Ainsworth returned home last Friday from an eight-day visit in Stockton, California with the G. W. Augustines. The group went sightseeing in San Francisco and the area about Stockton while the Ainsworths were there.

Mrs. Del Cooper and a son, Kevin, of Oklahoma City, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Will Augustine and other relatives.

## Felix Fuel Buys Out Sterling Butane

W.Y. Bengel, Jr. owner of Felix Fuel here, has bought out the Sterling Butane from Jodie Blanek. Spencer Jackson, who delivered for Sterling Butane, is working for Felix Fuel.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Potts visited the Joe Asbills in Yesso, New Mexico, fished in Falcon Lake and visited San Antonio on a vacation trip last week.

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## HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Elton Hull  
W. H. Spraggins  
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week included—  
Mrs. Jessie Sparkman  
Mrs. D. C. Durham  
Mrs. Lilly Revell  
Mrs. Bruce Crowder

## To Cheerleaders School

LUBBOCK—Four Sterling City high school students are to be on the Texas Tech campus June 29—July 3 for the sixth annual Cheerleaders School.

They include Carolyn Cole, Charlotte Foster, Ginger Jones and Susan Terry.

They will be among the 425 cheerleaders representing 88 schools in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma, according to Edsel Buchanan, head of the Tech men's intramural department and co-director of the program.

The course is designed to introduce new stunts and skits, cheerleading techniques, planning of pep rallies and ways to boost school spirit.

## Social Security Man Here July 11

Don Minyard, Claims Representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his July visit to Sterling City. He will be at the county courthouse on Friday, July 11 from 1:30 p.m. 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 that time.

## SIX FLAGS BEGINS SUMMER SCHEDULE



Six Flags Over Texas, the popular theme entertainment center between Dallas and Fort Worth, opened its newest attraction, a 180-foot long stainless steel slide which is attached to the 50-foot level of a 300-foot oil derrick, the tallest in the world. Commented Luann Harrell, left, and Linda Shafer after they completed the run in eight seconds flat, "Wow! It's like going off the top of a five-story building in a blanket."

Arlington, Texas: SIX FLAGS Over Texas commenced its Summer operating schedule and is now open seven days a week from 10:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M. through Labor Day.

The popular theme entertainment park located between Dallas and Fort Worth just opened its newest attraction, a 300-foot oil derrick, the world's tallest land based oil rig.

Completed at a cost of \$750,000 the towering attraction was originally scheduled to open at the beginning of SIX FLAGS 1969 season in mid April. However, a near four month dock strike at the Port of Houston delayed two vital pieces of equipment arriving via ship from Switzerland which was necessary to operate the attraction.

Two elevators capable of carrying 50 passengers each take visitors up to observation levels near the top of the oil rig for a panoramic view of the en-

## LIONS CLUB

The new officers for next year were declared installed at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. The new president A. C. Lively, in taking over the top spot from Tom Asbill, said he planned to have some out of town speakers appear on the programs. He said he would like to see the town work toward getting a new community center building as well as a sewer system.

The Rev. Andy Daniels announced that the Gloryland quartet of Roswell, New Mexico, would sing a concert at the Baptist Church here Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

## Tea Honors Janie Copeland

Twelve were hostesses at a gift tea honoring Janie Copeland last Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Foster S. Price. They were Mrs. Finis Westbrook, Mrs. R. T. Foster Jr., Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. Forrest Foster, Mrs. Dayton Barrett, Mrs. Mildred Emery, Mrs. William Foster, Miss Shirley Price, Mrs. David Glass, Mrs. Harvey Glass, and Mrs. Lee Augustine.

Mrs. Price greeted guests at the door. In the receiving line were the honoree her mother, Mrs. John Copeland, Jr., and her grandmothers, Mrs. John Copeland and Mrs. Jennie Gay.

Registering guests were Miss Judy Copeland and Mrs. Lee Augustine. Pouring were Mrs. David Glass and Mrs. Dayton Barrett. Serving cake were Mrs. Forrest Foster and Mrs. Ross Foster.

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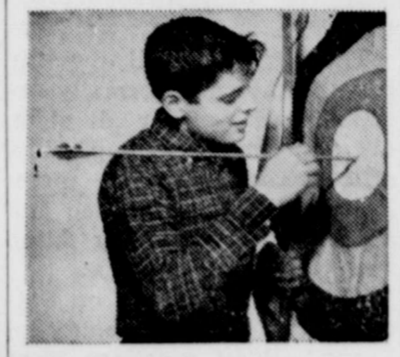
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A record \$11,000 in monthly social security benefits was being paid to residents of Sterling County at the end of December, 1968, according to Ted F. Moellering district manager for social security.

"Throughout the country, monthly benefits payable at the end of 1968 amounted to nearly \$2.1 billion, some \$350 million higher than at the end of 1967," Mr. Moellering continued. "Approximately three-quarters of the increased monthly amount resulted from higher benefit rates authorized by the 1967 Amendments to the Social Security Act. The remainder of the increase was simply due to a greater number of beneficiaries."

By the end of May, 1969, social security will be paying monthly benefits to more than 2 million people — 1 out of every 8 Americans. Although retired workers comprise the largest group of beneficiaries, almost one-fourth of all people receiving benefits are under 60. There are currently more than 3.8 million children and .5 million young widowed mothers receiving payments.

Yet the public continues to think of social security as a program for old people.

In Sterling County, 22 people under 60 are receiving benefits. That figure breaks down into 16 under 18, none from age 18 to 21, and 6 from age 22 to 59.

Many students would have been unable to continue their educations were it not for the 1965 Amendments to the Social Security Act which extended survivors and dependents insurance benefits to students until their 22nd birthdays. In 1968, that provision resulted in continuing benefits for 470,000 students.

Monthly payments to the family of a worker who dies leaving a widow and two or more children range from \$82.50 to \$434.40 a month, depending on the workers average earnings under social security. Payments to the young family of a worker who dies at an early age could total as much as \$85,000 to \$100,000.

Mr. Moellering also pointed out that by the end of 1968,

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approximately 90 percent of monthly social security check. Americans 65 and over were either receiving cash benefits or would have been eligible for such benefits if they or their spouses had not been working.

In terms of Medicare, almost all people in the country 65 or over are eligible for hospital insurance benefits. Likewise, 95 percent of all older persons in the country have elected coverage under the voluntary supplementary medical insurance plan which pays physicians' fees.

If you have any questions, please contact the Social Security Office at 300 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

**DISABLED WORKER NEWS**

Disabled workers should file their social security applications early, according to Ted F. Moellering, social security district manager. Although benefits for disability cannot be paid until after a worker has been disabled for six months, an application can be filed any time after a disability begins.

Mr. Moellering explained that the process for determining eligibility for disability benefits can sometimes be rather long and complicated. Therefore, no one should delay applying until the six months waiting period expires. Applying early permits the claims process to begin so that a decision can be made early enough to mail the first check on time.

Mr. Moellering reminded Sterling City readers that social security benefits are payable to workers when they have become too disabled to do any substantial work. The disability must be expected to last at least 12 months. A disabled worker's children under age 18 (and those 18 to 22 who are full-time students) and his wife may also qualify for benefits.

Contact your Social Security Office at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area for more information.

A number of widows and surviving children of deceased workers in this area could be missing out on social security money due them, according to Ted F. Moellering, district manager of the Social Security Office. Many changes have been made in recent years concerning benefits for widows and children. Some who would be eligible do not know about the new rules, Mr. Moellering said. Mr. Moellering further noted that at present there are over three million young widows and children receiving a

A widow who is completely disabled and over age 50 can receive reduced widow's benefit if she becomes disabled within seven years of her husband's death or the time she last had a child entitled to benefits in her care. Also, widows who remarry after age 60 may retain a part of the widow's benefit.

Children who would be otherwise entitled because of the death, disability, or retirement of a parent except for being over age 18, can now receive student benefits if they are in full-time school attendance, unmarried, and under age 22.

Children also have full protection now on their mother's account under the same rules that apply to a father's account. This present law will result in a number of children being able to receive social security benefits when their mother dies or becomes disabled, including some who were previously turned down under the old law, Mr. Moellering said.

Anyone knowing someone who might qualify for benefits under these provisions is urged to have them get in touch with their Social Security Office at 300 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.



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**Social Security**

People who sign up for social security only to gain Medicare coverage are often amazed to learn that they will also be drawing some checks for the year, according to Ted F. Moellering, District Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office.

For instance, a person entitled to a monthly benefit of \$122.90 who expects to earn \$3000 in 1968 would draw a check of \$17.40 for June, 1968, and full checks for the rest of the year.

"This is possible because of the liberalized retirement test under the present social security law," Mr. Moellering said.

"A social security beneficiary can earn \$1680 per year and draw his checks every month. If his earnings are \$2880 or less, an amount equal to one-half the earnings between \$1680 and \$2880 is subtracted from total benefits payable for the year. If earnings are over \$2880, an additional one dollar for every dollar over \$2880 is subtracted from benefits payable.

"There has been no change in the provision that a person can draw a check for each month that he is age 72, regardless of his total earnings for the year."

For further information, contact the Social Security Administration at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Tex.

or see the representative when he is in your area.

The "length of marriage" requirement in social security's definition of "widow", "widower", and stepchild of a deceased worker" has been changed, reports Ted F. Moellering, District Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office. A widow, widower, or stepchild may now qualify for social security benefits based on a marriage that has been in existence for only 9 months just before the death of the worker.

Mr. Moellering added that in some cases a marriage that has lasted for as little as 3 months may qualify the survivor. These are cases involving accidental death or death in the line of duty in the uniformed services.

Benefits under this change in the law were first payable in February, 1968. Any person who has been previously disqualified because a marriage had not been in effect long enough should contact the Social Security Office at 3000 West Harris Avenue in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

Want to get that first social security on time?

"Everyone does, but not enough people do anything about it," says Ted F. Moellering, District Manager of the San Angelo Social Security Office.

According to Mr. Moellering, every person who files an ap-

plication for social security benefits will be asked to present certain proofs. Most applicants will also be asked to give the exact amount of earnings for the past year and for the current year.

Most persons do not bother to find out ahead of time exactly what they will need. "George waits until the day he files an application," said Mr. Moellering. "Then he has to go back home and dig around for records, or write letters requesting the necessary documents, causing a delay in the processing of his claim.

A claim for social security benefits may be filed as early as three months before entitlement to benefits.

Mr. Moellering suggests that claimants get in touch with the social security office several months before this three month period to find out ahead of time what proofs and information will be needed.

"The satisfied applicant," continued Mr. Moellering, "is the one who does this, and consequently has all necessary proofs and information with him. The result—everything is completely taken care of during this one visit at the social security office, and he gets that first check right on time."

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The Gloryland Quartet

The GLORYLAND QUARTET (left to right) top—Ellen Kinnison, Carol Karnes; (bottom) O. A. Kinnison, Randy Boorks and Nila Kinnison.

The group will sing a concert at the First Baptist church here Sunday at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Jessie Sparkman was transferred to the Memorials Hospital in San Angelo from the local hospital Friday of last week.

**Fincher Boys Place in Colorado City Rodeo**

The Pedro Fincher boys of Colorado City placed deep in first at Colorado Citys Play Days last week. Brad, only 6 years old, placed first in the Soda Pop race. He won seconds in the flag race and goat tying and won third in the barrel race. This is for nine year-olds and under on big horses. Pete Fincher won first in the goat tying and fourth in the Soda Pop race.

Last year during the three Play Days both boys won the average in goat tying and Pete tied the fastest goat of all three Play Days and including the older groups and adults.

Any child can compete for a small entrance fee. The next one is scheduled for July 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Fincher and sons are vacationing in Montana visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Fincher has an aunt and a niece there from Germany. They have been in Montana since May 20—Mrs. Greta Engel and Mrs. Greta Behren.

Finous Conger of Hamilton will be staying at the ranch while the Finchers are gone.

**FOR SALE**—Gold 9x12 foot rug. See or call Mrs. Leah Wyckoff, 378-3420 of 378-9201.

**FOR SALE**—The Green Williams home on highway across from Texaco Truck Stop. See or call Hubert Williams.

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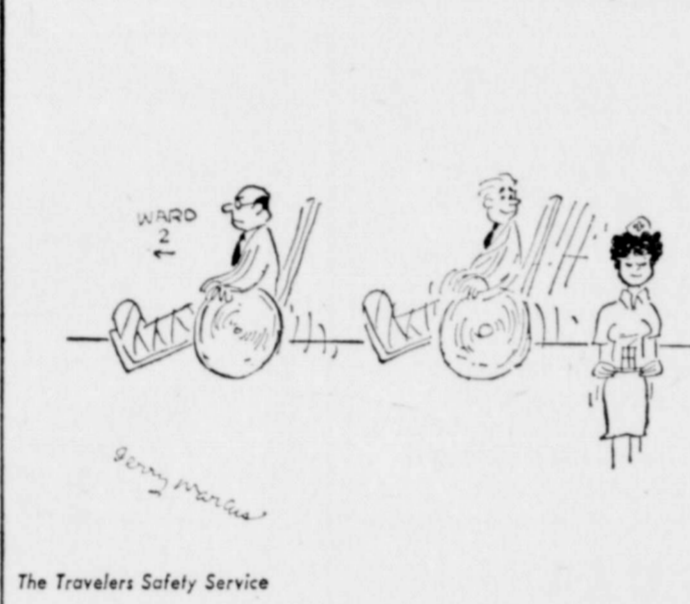
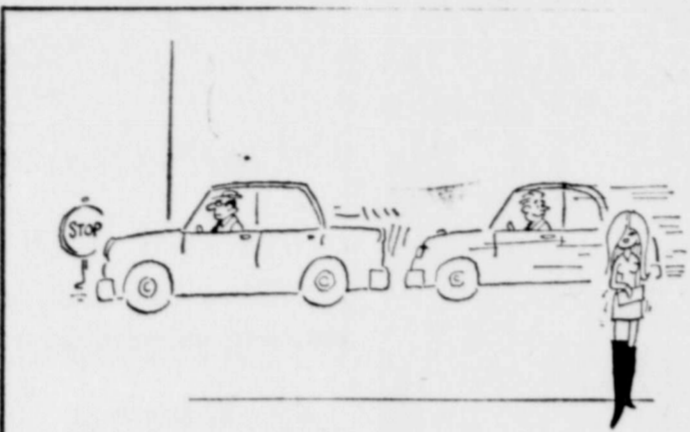
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**SEEING DOUBLE**—Astroworld has three sets of twins working in its ride operations department this summer. Here, they all take a trip on the new Bamboo Shoot water flume adventure. From left, they are Linda and Glenda Graham, JoAnn and Pat Bilski, and Claudette and Georgette Graham. Astroworld is open daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. all summer.

**Civil Service**

**FEDERAL CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

The U.S. Civil Service Commission has issued three new nationwide announcements of mid-level Federal career opportunities in professional fields, and a fourth outlining opportunities for Stenographers and Typists in Washington, D. C. and vicinity.

Interested applicants can get the announcements from Federal Job Information Centers in many large cities, from many post offices, except in cities where Federal Job Information Centers are located or from the Interagency Board of U.S. Civil Service Examiners, 1900 E St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20415.

The announcements are:

1. Professional Opportunities for Social Scientists. GS grades 9 through 12. Covered are such positions as Economist, Social Science Analyst, Social Science Program Specialist, Sociologist, Historian, Anthropologist, Manpower Analyst, Social Work Program Specialist, and additional closely related positions in other social science fields. Many of the opportunities are in various Federal agencies in Washington, D. C. and vicinity and in foreign countries. Some are in other parts of the United States. Annual starting salaries currently range from \$8,462 to \$12,174. They are expected to increase by about 9 percent in the middle of this year. There are no written test requirements. Applicants will be rated on the basis of professional experience, education, and training. Work descriptions and the necessary qualifications, along with special credit provisions for graduate study, superior undergraduate academic achievement, subsequent work experience including part-time or unpaid experience, and certain teaching experience, are detailed in Announcement No. WAS-827, Professional Opportunities for Social Scientists.

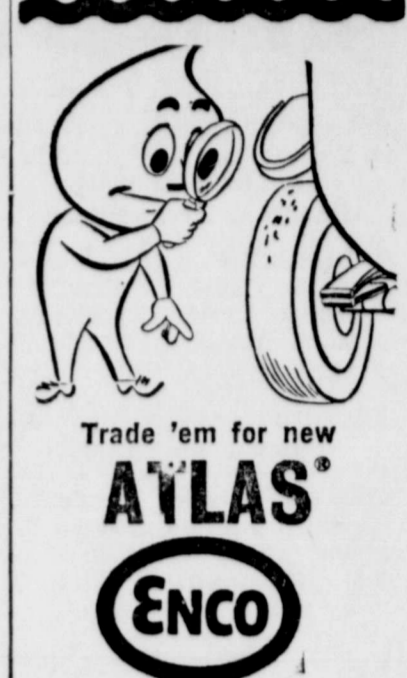
2. Professional Opportunities for Social Worker and Social Service Representative. Social Worker positions, GS grades 9 through 12, are in the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the U. S. Public Health Service, and the Veterans Administration, throughout the United States and Puerto Rico; and in agencies of the District of Columbia Government and other Federal agencies located in Washington, D. C. and vicinity. Social Service Representative positions, GS grades 8 through 12 are primarily in the D.C. Government and other agencies in the Washington metropolitan area. Annual

starting salaries currently range from \$7,699 at GS-8 to \$12,174 at GS-12; they are expected to increase by about 9 percent the middle of 1969. No written tests are involved. Applicants will be rated on the basis of education, experience, training and personal aptitude for the nature of the work. Most of the professional Social Worker positions call for successful completion of all requirements for a masters degree. Full details of training and experience qualifications for the various grade levels are in Announcement No. WAS-904, Professional Opportunities for Social Worker and Social Service Representative.

3. Professional Careers for Educators and Librarians. This announcement will be used to fill positions of Education Specialist and Education Services Officer, GS grades 9 through 12; Program Specialist and Advisor (Education) GS grades 9 through 12; Public Health Educator GS grades 9 through 12; Librarian, GS grades 7 through 12; Job Corps Teacher, GS grades 5 through 11 and Job Corps Guidance Counselor, GS grades 7 through 11. Annual starting salaries for these positions range from \$5,732 at GS-5 to \$12,174 at GS-12. They are expected to increase by about 8 or 9 percent the middle of this year. Many positions are located in various Federal agencies in Washington, D. C. and vicinity. However, certain Federal agencies have needs throughout the United States. Examples: Program Specialist and Advisor (Education) U.S. Office of Education Job Corps Teacher and Guidance Counselor, National Park Service and National Forest Service; Public Health Educator, Helath Services and Mental Health Administration. Qualifying education and experience for all of these positions vary considerably. For details, consult Announcement WAS-908, Professional Careers for Educators and Librarians.

All qualified applicants will receive consideration for Federal employment without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, politics, or any other non-merit factor. When asking for announcements and application forms, applicants are advised to ask at the same time for Civil Service Commission Pamphlet No. 4, "Working for the U.S.A." which provides important general information about the kinds of appointments, the physical abilities required, veteran preference, and other conditions of Federal employment.

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