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AROUND THE COUNTY



ARTHUR BARLEMANN, JR. COUNTY AGENT

Participation by Sterling County ranchers in the varmint control program this week was very good. The program was carried out by eleven persons with the Rodent and Predatory Animal Control Service division of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service. Men were brought in from Fort Worth, Lubbock, San Antonio and Marfa to carry out the program.

The men went out with the ranchers who desired to do some control work and put the baits out around the water spots on the ranches. This is the only place these baits were put. They were put on thirty-one different ranches in this area.

Every one of the men reported that they saw dead skunks, a few dead fox, and other varmints before the baits were put out indicating that the animals are either sick or starving to death. Several of the animals showed some of the symptoms of rabies which has become a problem here. Five persons have taken the shots as a result of exposure. In addition, several head of cattle have been killed and burned because they showed some of the symptoms of rabies.

This same type of program has also been carried out in Terrell and Presidio Counties earlier because of an outbreak of rabies. While working here, Glascock also initiated a similar program because of some rabid animals there. Under the program, the baits are all put out by predatory animal control service personnel. They do this systematically; there is no indiscriminate throwing around of baits and no baits were put out in town or off the ranches.

Although this county is not a hog-producing area, it is well to know the Texas Animal Health Commission has ordered a state-wide quarantine on the movement or sale of all hogs except for slaughter purposes. The quarantine was effective on March 29, 1971 and shall continue in effect and force for sixty days. This quarantine was placed to help eradicate hog cholera from Texas. Other states that are now free of cholera have taken similar action.

Under the quarantine, any hog leaving a farm without a permit will have to be slaughtered. They may move from one farm to another without diversion in route if they have been inspected by Animal Health Commission personnel and have a permit.

In effect, no one will be able to buy feeder pigs at an auction ring for the next 60 days. For the past two years, the major livestock shows in Texas have not allowed any market hogs to leave the show other than for slaughter; this was also done because of cholera.

Texas has now had six confirmed cases of screwworms. All of the six cases in livestock were in the valley region of Texas. In addition, there was one case sent in by a medical doctor from the valley region. This was in a wound on the head of a child.

Mike Foster accidentally got a leg wound Sunday when a pistol accidentally discharged. He was hospitalized with a painful but not serious wound.

Driver Education Van at School

Sterling City driver education students will be training in a multi-media driver education van for the next three weeks to complete the classroom phase of that course.

Loaned from the Education Center, Region 15 the Drivocator coordinates 16 millimeter movies, magnetic sound tapes and 35 millimeter film strips to assist the instructor in teaching up to 36 students at once.

Driver education teacher Bobby Dodds will be instructing the class.

The Texas Education Agency purchased 31 mobile vans for contract use by the 20 Education Service Centers in the State. Two vans were designated for use in the Region 15 service area, which covers 18 counties.

The 12 by 60 foot van comes equipped with 18 film lessons dealing with habits, attitudes, emotions physical capabilities, natural and man-made laws, driving procedures and weather and road problems. Curriculum is correlated with state approved driver education textbooks.

Students will go through 32 hours of instruction in the van to complete the classroom phase of driver education.

The vans are outfitted with an instructor console which provides immediate and cumulative records of individual student and class responses. Responses are automatically recorded on instant-reading meters in a central console, giving the instructor a continuing progress report.

The multi-media system encourages active class participation by requiring students to respond to programmed filmed questions and situations. Student responders retain each individual's selected answer until another alternative is chosen. This allows the student to re-evaluate his original choice. The student is able to respond to a driving situation, evaluate his progress and exercise judgment making.

The van is carpeted, panelled air-conditioned and heated.

Epsilon Zeta Club Group Met Saturday

Mrs. Bobby Myrick and Mrs. Tom Crossler were hostesses when the Epsilon Zeta Club met on March 18.

Mrs. Marvin Foster showed a film "Travel the Texas Independence Trail." The Texas theme was the program.

Bingo winners were Mrs. Juanita Johnson and Barbara Ball. High score was made by Mrs. Robert Browne and low by Mrs. Dan Glass.

Members present were Mmes. Joseph Blaneck, Robert Browne, Charlie Davis, W.G. Fincher, Adele Fleming, Marvin Foster, Melvin Foster, Dan Glass, Clinton Hodges, Ricky Hopkins, Fred Igo, Gary Maricle, Larry Miller, Juanita Johnson, Wayne Posey, Tommy Roger, James Salvato, Larry Saunders, Danny Slaughter, Troy Templin, Louis Watson and Milford Wiley.

Guests present were Mmes. Martin Reed, Bill R. Davis, George Millsap, Corwin Collins, Frank Stewart and Barbara Ball.

HS District Meet LITERARY EVENTS IN FORSAN THIS WEEKEND

The High School District Literary Meet is being held in the Forsan High School this Thursday and Friday, April 1 and 2.

The entries from Sterling High School are as follows:

DEBATE—Linda Currington and Mike Watts

INFORMATIVE SPEAKING—Janis Igo and Jim Terry

PERSUASIVE SPEAKING—Kathy Atkins and Allen Price; alternates Karen Currington and Brandt Badger

POETRY INTERPRETATION—Susan Terry and Don Alexander; alternate Marilyn Foster

PROSE READING — De-Neal Reed and Clark Kilpatrick

READY WRITING—Debbie Hopkins and Allen Price

SPELLING—Clark Kilpatrick, Linda Currington and Karen Currington; alternate Janis Igo

NUMBER SENSE — Karen Currington, Bobby Barton and Clark Kilpatrick

SCIENCE—Janis Igo and Bobby Barton and Clark Kilpatrick.

SLIDE RULE—Don Alexander, Danny Glass and Mike Watts.

Cancer Fund Drive Begins

The annual drive for funds for the American Cancer Society (Cancer Crusade) began this week with work being done by volunteers in the canvas and an educational campaign.

Mrs. Henry Bauer is the Crusade Chairman this year. In a meeting of the Sterling County workers last week on Wednesday plans were outlined by Mrs. Bauer.

Bumper stickers were given out and the date for the actual drive was put April 1 to April 15. Work packets were handed to volunteer workers a film was shown by Frank Graham, representative of the state cancer group.

Present at the meeting were Mr. Graham, Mrs. Arthur Barlemann Jr., Mrs. Larry Glass, Mrs. Bauer, Andrew Coronado, Mrs. Danny Stewart Mrs. W.R. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. Tom Asbill, Mrs. Louie Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Riley King and Mrs. F.S. Price.

Among volunteer workers are Mrs. Dayton Barrett, Mrs. Arthur Barlemann, Mrs. Bill Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis, Mrs. T.J. Finnegan, Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. William Foster Mrs. Lee Augustine, Mrs. Louie Alexander, Mrs. H. M. Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Glass, Mrs. Larry Glass, H.L. Hildebrand, Mrs. Ricky Hopkins, Mrs. Stan Horwood, Mrs. Bill Humble, Mrs. Riley King, Skipper Lively, Roland Lowe, Jake Martin, Mrs. Dal Nichols, Mrs. F.S. Price, Mrs. M. C. Reed Mrs. Danny Stewart, Mrs. I.W. Terry, Mrs. James Thompson, Mrs. Finis Westbrook, Mrs. Kenneth Peel, Susan Terry, Mrs. Tom Asbill, Debbie Hopkins, Mary Gonzales and Andrew Coronado.

Rummage Sale CLUB TO HAVE RUMMAGE SALE APRIL 6

The Epsilon Zeta Club is to hold a rummage sale at the old Brock Grocery location on April 6 from 8:30 to 5 that afternoon.

Anyone that has anything they would like to donate to the club for the sale, is asked to call Nona Gay Hopkins, 378-4521 or Beverly Miller at 378-4361.

LIONS CLUB

The Sterling City Lions Club met at noon Wednesday in the community center for the regular weekly luncheon. Guests present were J.V. McKinney and Bob Neely.

President Dan Glass named a committee to count votes for the club's selection of the Outstanding Family of Sterling for 1971. The couple so honored will be given a plaque by the club at the annual ladies night program in June. Starting next week a ballot is to be run in the paper each week for a month and everyone in the county may vote on just who they think deserves this honor. Last year's recipients of the award were Mr. and Mrs. Chesley McDonald. President Glass named D. Kirk Hopkins, Skipper Lively and Ross Foster to the committee.

County agent Arthur Barlemann Jr. told the group of the eradication program here this week by the Department of the Interior eradicating the rodents, fox and skunks in an effort to check rabies carrying here.

EASTER EGG HUNT TO INCLUDE PRESCHOOLERS

The kindergarten group of the Sterling school will have an Easter egg hunt at the school next Wednesday at 1 p.m. under the direction of Mrs. Alice Schovastja. Bobby Dodds, school principal, said that all pre-kindergartners—who will be 5 by next September 1 are invited to come up to the school and participate in the hunt.

So, if your child will enter kindergarten here next year, take the child to the school for the hunt next Wednesday, April 7.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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

Mrs. Sallie Wallace
Mike Foster
Mrs. N. H. Reed
Mrs. Lester Foster
Mrs. Jim Butler
Mrs. Ella Ligon,
Mrs. J. K. Martin
Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include—
L. McCarty
Mrs. Levi Martin
Mrs. C. J. Nixon
Mrs. Sam Sanchez

TEACHER SOCIETY MET

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society met here recently in the community center with Mrs. Dayton Barrett, Mrs. Rena Yandell, Mrs. Mamie Clanto and Mrs. Lena Davis as hostesses.

The program on Community Problems was given by Chesley McDonald. Mrs. Barrett's second grade pupils presented a musical program under the direction of Mrs. Mildred Mitchell, music teacher.

Young Couples Bridge Club

The Young Couples Bridge Club group met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Horwood on March 26.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hodges.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. Horwood, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Probandt, and Mrs. Bobby Dodds.

Bridge was played and high scoring man was Lynn Glass. Mrs. Larry Glass was high scoring man.

Elections Set for Saturday-Tuesday

WHERE TO VOTE —
School election—Vote in courthouse. Mrs. Lee Augustine, judge.
City election — Vote in City Hall. Mrs. Lee Augustine, judge (City offices closed.)

Sterling City and Water Valley to Vote on Merger

The date for voting of consolidation of the Sterling City and Water Valley school districts has been set by county judges in both counties—for April 10. County judge Jake Martin of Sterling County and judge Ed Keys of Tom Green County set the date on Thursday of last week after the petitions calling for such election had been properly presented in both counties.

Water Valley is short on scholastics and some parents are afraid their school will be swallowed up by another district in Tom Green County—or the common school board of the county. Some would prefer to join Sterling rather than be taken in by another district. Under the state set-up now, a school that is below the minimum scholastics number, can be absorbed by a larger school district (in the same county) it is said, by those for consolidation.

As in all cases, some of the Water Valley people do not want to consolidate or lose their school, so opinion in the matter is divided there.

Both districts have to approve consolidation or the measure falls through. If the proposal passes, consolidation would take place as of next school year and all classes would be held in the Sterling school building. The new name would have to have the word 'Consolidated' in it. Now, students from Carlisbad and Grape Creek attend the Water Valley school, and they would not be transferred with the actual Water Valley pupils. Now over 100 pupils attend the school there but the true district has only 50 scholastics residing in the district, it is said.

EASTER HOLIDAYS SET

The Sterling school will dismiss for the Easter holidays at 2:30 p.m. next Wednesday, April 7 and will resume classes on Tuesday, April 13.

Principal Bobby Dodds announced the holiday schedule for Easter this week.

SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM MENUS

(All lunches served daily with milk, bread and butter)

MONDAY, APRIL 5
Fish Portions with Tartar Sauce
Mashed Potatoes
Chef's Salad
Chocolate Chip Cookies
TUESDAY, APRIL 6
Pizza with Meat and Cheese
White Beans
Mixed Greens
Fruit Jello

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7
Smothered Burger Steak
Seasoned Green Beans
Creamed Carrots
Sliced Pineapple
Cupcakes
School will be dismissed Wednesday afternoon April 7 for the Easter holidays. There will be no school Thursday, Friday and Monday, April 8, 9, and 12.

School Board Election April 3

There will be a school board election in Sterling on Saturday, April 3 for the purpose of electing two members of the board of trustees. Members whose terms are expiring are Reynolds Foster and C.J. Copeland.

Other members of the board are Charlie Davis, Larry Glass, Bill Humble, Stan Horwood and I. W. Terry.

The only names on the ballot are the ones of the members whose terms are expiring—Reynolds Foster and C. J. Copeland.

City Election Set for April 6

There will be an election for city councilmen here on April 6 for men whose terms are expiring. Those whose terms are expiring are Ross Foster, Skipper Lively and Neal J. Reed, said city secretary Mrs. Horace Donalson.

Other members of the city council are Mayor Lee Reed, Roland Lowe and Foster S. Price.

The names of three members whose terms are expiring are the only names printed on the ballots.

Big Country TB Group Met Saturday

The Second Annual Meeting of the Membership of the Big Country Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association was held in San Angelo on Saturday, March 27, 1971 in the Angelus Room of the Central National Bank.

Presenting the program at this meeting was Robert H. McCarty, M. D. (a cousin of Mrs. Harvey Glass) of Lubbock, Medical Director of Tuberculosis Control, Region X and in the State of Texas.

Miss Peggy Boyd, Director of Personnel and Training of the Texas Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association, Austin, spoke on the Challenge for Volunteers.

The annual reports were given and newly elected officers and board members for the ensuing year are:

President—H. G. Adams
President-Elect—Dr. W. A. Miller
Vice-President—Mrs. A. J. Hooks
Secretary—Mrs. Doyle Condra
Treasurer—Dr. H.M. Anderson.

Two people from each of the 32-county area serve on the board of directors. Board Members from Sterling County are Mrs. Dan Glass and Mrs. Wayne Posey.

DAUGHTER TO THE JOHNNY AUGUSTINES

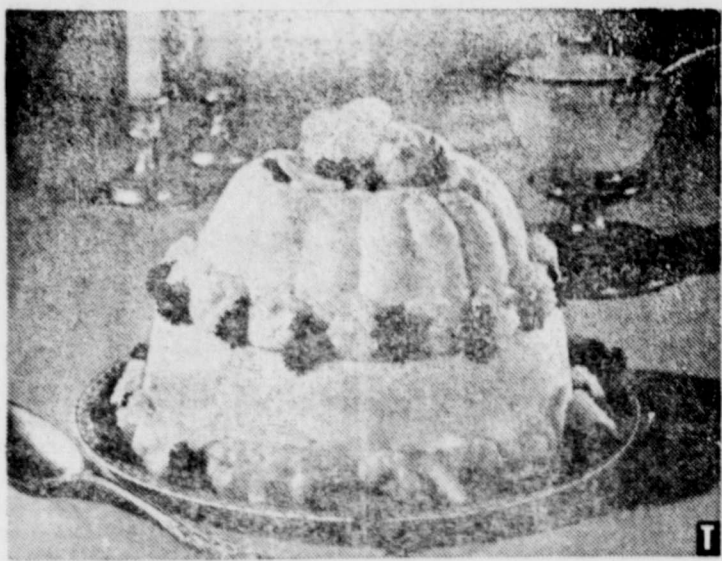
A daughter, named Carol Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Augustine on March 12 in Austin. This is the first child of the Augustines.

Johnny is a law student in the University of Texas law School.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buford Koehler of Conroe. Johnny is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Augustine of Sterling City.

Johnny and his wife and new daughter will be here in Sterling City visiting relatives this weekend.

Shrimp, Rice in Go-Go Party Dish



Blessings, we say, on the inventor of the buffet party table. Given a cold winter evening nothing cheers like helping oneself from a sparkling table, picking and choosing along a candlelit procession of surprises and delights.

Both delightful and surprising will be this shrimp and rice spectacular, a molded affair exactly right for buffet serving. And no ho-hum mixture, this. Flavor runs deep. And the texture, interesting with as many shrimp as can be spared, is blissfully moist and creamy.

SHRIMP AND RICE CREAM MOLD

- 2 cans (4½ ounces each) shrimp
- ¾ cup uncooked rice
- 1½ cups chicken broth
- 1 envelope unflavored gelatin
- ½ cup freshly grated onion
- ½ teaspoon white pepper
- ½ cup mayonnaise
- 1 cup heavy cream, whipped

Drain shrimp, reserving canned liquid. Chill. Combine rice and broth; simmer, covered, 20-25 minutes, stirring frequently to make rice "starchy." Soften gelatin in shrimp liquid; stir into hot rice. Cool rice; add onion, pepper, mayonnaise, and about 1½ cans of the shrimp. Fold in cream; turn into a 1-quart mold and a 1-cup mold. Chill until firm. Unmold smaller mold on the larger one. Decorate with remaining shrimp, with parsley and lemon slices. Serve with Curried Mayonnaise, combining ½ cup mayonnaise, ¼ teaspoon curry powder, 1 teaspoon Dijon style mustard. About 8 servings.

CARD OF THANKS

We say "Thank you" for the kind words of condolence, beautiful floral offering, food, memorials and sympathy cards. Special thanks to our pastor, Rev. Andy Daniels for the inspiring message, music by Mrs. Bill Humble and voice in song by Mrs. Betty Garrett and Bro. Daniels.—The nurses of Sterling County Hospital and Dr. Swann, Mildred Emery and Betty Clark. The many efforts of the three cooks at the hospital in preparing trays and services rendered by Frank Mendez. Thanks to the ladies who served such a delicious lunch to the family and relatives at the community center. Also for the words of sympathy offered by friends. All kindness rendered before and after the loss of our loved one were deeply appreciated.

The people of Sterling County are the most wonderful in the world.

The family of
M. W. SMITH

Wanted by the FBI

CLERICAL EMPLOYEES
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The Dallas Office of the FBI through its Special Agent in Charge, J. Gordon Shanklin, has advised of excellent job opportunities with the FBI in Washington, D. C. for young people, male or female, who are at least sixteen years of age, United States citizens, high school graduates, and able to pass a rigid investigation of loyalty, reputation and character. No previous experience is required. Qualified applicants are being sought for the positions of clerk, fingerprint clerk, typist, and stenographer.

The entrance salary for a clerk is \$4,897 (GS-2) per year with a raise in 90 days to \$5,524 (GS-3) per year, if their work is found satisfactory. Only a twenty word spelling test is required for clerk applicants.

Applicants for the clerk position are considered for the fingerprint clerk position which starts at \$5,524 (GS-3) per year. Those individuals found acceptable for the fingerprint clerk position and who progress satisfactorily in such position are considered for promotion to \$6,202 (GS-4) per year after six months and to \$6,939 (GS-5) per year after one year in fingerprint work and to \$7,727 (GS-6) per year one year later. This means it is possible to reach a salary of \$7,727 per year after only two years of service.

A typist enters on duty at a salary of \$5,524 (GS-3) per year, and applicants for this position must be able to pass a ten minute typing test of 45 words per minute and a twenty word spelling test.

A stenographer is paid a beginning salary of \$6,202 (GS-4) per year, and applicants for this position must be able to pass three minute dictation test given at the rate of eighty words per minute, pass a ten minute typing test at the rate of 45 words per minute; pass a twenty word spelling test, and successfully pass a twenty question vocabulary examination.

Many young men and women continue their college education on a part-time basis in Washington, D.C. area while working at these full-time jobs for the FBI. Young men who obtain a four year college degree from an accredited college and who have been employed in a clerical capacity with the FBI for one year and meet the other requirements, are considered for the Special Agent position at a starting salary of \$11,517 (GS-10) per year.

All of the above salaries include the pay raise approved by the President in January, 1971.

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LIONS CRIPPLED CHILDRENS' CAMP

Members of Lions Clubs throughout Texas this month are pausing to pay recognition to their camp for crippled children which has given over 12 thousand handicapped youngsters a new dimension since it was opened in 1953.

The camp, located at Kerrville in the Hill Country of Central Texas, is free to crippled, blind, deaf or mute children from the ages of seven through sixteen. The 17 permanent buildings and other improvements dotting the 504-hill-side acres represent an investment of more than \$700,000.

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Completed applications should be sent to the above address as soon as possible as processing of such applications can commence as much as six months prior to an individual's availability. Upon receipt of a completed application, the interested applicant will be contacted promptly and arrangements made for personal interview and appropriate tests at a time and place convenient to the applicant.

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At the Churches

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Night Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Mid-Week
Mid-week Service 8:00 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.
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
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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Social Security Tips

INCREASED SOCIAL SECURITY CHECKS DUE

First checks to include the new 10 percent monthly benefit increase authorized in legislation acted upon this week by Congress will reach 26 million social security beneficiaries on June 3. Robert M. Ball, Commissioner of Social Security, said today that the regular June 3 checks covering benefits for the month of May will reflect the new higher amount. Separate checks, scheduled to reach beneficiaries later in June, will cover the amount of the increase for the months of January through April. Ball emphasized that social security beneficiaries do not need to get in touch with a social security office to get the checks. The payments will be mailed to beneficiaries automatically.

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Ten years ago a new concept in family entertainment—a blend of fun and history—was born as SIX FLAGS Over Texas made its debut on what had once been a stretch of Texas ranch land.

Since then SIX FLAGS—located midway between Dallas and Fort Worth—has grown in size and reputation. Today it is visited by some two million fun seekers each year.

SIX FLAGS Over Texas—has never had a "customer." Every visitor is a "guest." There are no "employees." Some 1,500 "hosts and hostesses," mostly college students, give the Park its special personality.

SIX FLAGS is an exciting mixture of rides, shows, landscaping, shops, exhibits and a rare brand of hospitality. Since 1961, more than 16,000,000 persons from every state and most foreign countries have sampled the fun of SIX FLAGS.

Adding to the Park's appeal is its one-price ticket policy. Adults pay \$5.75. Children under twelve can buy a ticket for \$4.00, and those under three are admitted without charge. The ticket covers everything except food and souvenirs. Guests can ride all the rides and see all the shows and attractions as many times as they like during the day without extra charge.

The name "SIX FLAGS Over Texas" comes from the state's history. Since the first explorers came in the early 1500's the flags of Spain, France, Mexico, the Republic of Texas, the Confederacy and the United States have flown over Texas soil.

From this rich background comes the Park's theme. The entertainment area is divided into six sections in which the architecture and atmosphere reflect the various periods... the tile and stucco of Mexico and Spain, the faded wood of the Texas frontier, the Old South charm of the Confederacy, a rugged log fort built by the French and the modern look of the U.S.A.

At SIX FLAGS there is excitement everywhere.

A thrilling ride designed and built by Swiss engineers—the Jet Racer—is a new addition to the lineup for 1971. Sleek cars travel along tubular tracks over other rides and through groves of trees at breathtaking speed. It is the fastest ride yet at SIX FLAGS.

Glass-doored elevators rise swiftly to the observation platforms atop the world's largest land-based oil derrick. From the top, 300 feet up, visitors can see the skylines of Dallas and Fort Worth. The Park is 15 miles from each city.

SIX FLAGS' most popular ride, the Log Flume, carried more than 3,300,000 persons last year, many of them riding several times because of the one-price ticket policy. Riders climb into hollow "logs" for a trip through torrents of water, ending with a plunge down a steep



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—The world's largest land-based oil derrick towers in the background as a Caddo Indian war canoe glides past on a shimmering lake at SIX FLAGS Over Texas.

incline which sends a curtain of water high into the air.

On the Runaway Mine Train "ore cars" roar around unexpected curves and through dark "mine tunnels" at speeds up to 38-feet-per-second.

Guests can try to slip past the blazing cannon of a Spanish fort on LaSalle's Riverboat. Then there are such rides as the antique and modern cars, the Swiss Sky Ride, the quaint Fiesta Train and many others.

It is always showtime at SIX FLAGS. A cast of talented collegians presents the full-scale musical "Sing Out! America" in the Southern Palace Music Hall. Brilliant color slides and movies form the backdrop for the production which traces American history in song and dance.

New for 1971 is a lively Country and Western music show in the Western Pavilion. Guests can take part in the square dance sequence of the colorful show, "Six Flags Shindig."

Sid and Marty Kroff's popular TV and movie character H. R. Pufnstuf is the star of the new show in the Puppet Theatre.

Still another musical production is presented in the frontier atmosphere of the Crazy Horse Saloon, where the strongest "brew" served is a soft drink. Alcoholic beverages are not allowed at SIX FLAGS.

And, there are hourly performances by trained porpoises, in a special saltwater tank.

Despite all the activity, SIX FLAGS is kept immaculately clean. Every member of the staff (executives included) is a member of the "cleanup detail."

Completing the picture is the lavish landscaping for which SIX FLAGS has become famous... a blaze of floral color set against a background of lush greenery. And, throughout the Park, more than 1,200 tons of air conditioning keeps guests cool.

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Behind the 8-Ball



By the editor.

It's getting so dry here that if it doesn't rain pretty soon—we can let the skunks and other varmints have the country. The federal boys are here now trying to poison the old skunks, so the rabies won't be so bad, but pretty soon, if it stays bad they will be almost all by themselves as a matter of animal life here.

Them and other wildlife, that is.

Although some of the trees like hackberry and fruit and nut trees are greening up, the grass looks pretty pitiful.

In normal years about this time each spring, lots of yellow and purple wild flowers begin to carpet the pastures—along with grass and weeds.

Haven't seen many, if any, this spring.

8-BALL

People are losing their yards in Angelo, where water rationing is in effect. The West Texas ranchers are losing their pastures around here. And thereby losing their herds of livestock. After all, it takes a lot of feed (and money) to keep feeding.

Course I keep hoping that the rains will start—any day. And not quit—for forty (or more) days and nights. And then come a real good rain—following that—as the old tale goes.

8-BALL

I read in a daily paper recently that a gallon of gas cost about the same as a gallon of water—like you buy in jugs for drinking purposes. That's right. And before too many years, water just may be worth more than that.

Col. Kristofferson of the U.S. Corps of Engineers out of Ft. Worth office, has said that if water were bottled and sold like Cokes, Dr. Peppers, etc. it'd be the most popular seller in the cold drink machines over the southwest. Kids and all ages would want a bottle of water rather than a sweet non-quenching drink. If you live long enough you'll see that come to pass, too.

Water is worth whatever it costs. And people will pay whatever it costs, when they want it.

8-BALL

A true tale is told of about the year 1850 some white men took an Indian Chief to a large city like New York and really showed him the wonders of the white man's civilization. They showed him all the huge buildings, elevators, and the museums, trains, trolleys, the theaters, etc. And they asked him what impressed him the most and what he would like to have for his tribe most of the wonderful things he had shown him. He replied, "The spigot, the running water in homes."

The old chief know the value of the necessary.

8-BALL

In the 20's when I was a kid there was a dam on the North Concho river at the Kirby ranch. (Philip Thompson later bought the old Kirby ranch home and lived there.) and the North Conch always flowed lots of water. I learned to swim near Kirby's dam as did a lot of little suitless boys. As for fishing, we could always set out hooks and catch channel of yellow or blue catfish and many fishing parties caught 'em by the tubful on trotlines in all the Conchos around San Angelo—or Spring Creek or Dove Creek, or several others.

Then the rivers began to dry up and dwindle. Then the West Texas Utilities Co. put in Lake Nasworthy on the Nasworthy ranch and everyone thought that the area had all the water supply that would ever be needed.

Alas. The springs at Mert-

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zon that seemed a never ending source of abundant water, began to falter. (So did the huge Comanche Spring of Ft. Stockton) and water began to take on added importance to everyone. If an area has an abundance of water, they can grow. If not—no. Water should not be treated casually. It should be metered and sold carefully by cities and also treated as a precious commodity. In some cities (like New York) they do not meter the water to customers. They are charged according to the number of faucets or water outlets in the house, or hotel or business. That encourages the waste of water. The cities say it would cost too much to put in meters and read them each month. Some of the families in tenements put perishables in the sinks and let the water run all night (or all time) to keep things from spoiling.

After all, the water bill will be the same.

8-BALL

If and when Providence again let's the southwest have lots of rain and moisture, we should arrange to keep it in lakes, terraces, rivers, water tanks, etc. and use it to it's best advantage.

Or we just might be referred to as part of that Great Southwest Desert Area.

8-BALL

Too, underground water supplies can be done away with. I asked an irrigation pump dealer just how much the irrigation wells up around Stanton lowered the underground water there. He said about 5 feet a year where they pulled it out of the sand and gravel water beds. Less where there was an underground reservoir—like up on the Plains. But theirs is being lowered, too.

Some ancient civilizations fell due to droughts or lack of water—like in the Middle East and in Mid China. What is going to be needed is for man to desalt the sea water and pipe it all over—to where it is needed. Then can make the desert bloom—and the whole world a garden.

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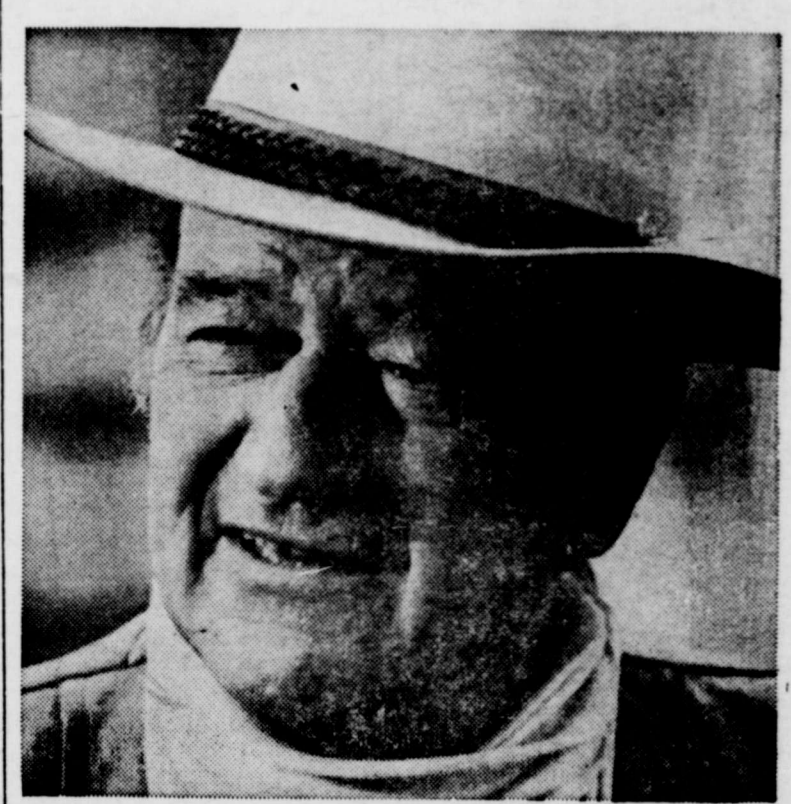
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