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County Judge J. K. Martin Resigns

Effective July 31; to Move to Arkansas

County Judge Jake Martin resigned his job here Monday effective on July 31. He will move to a ranch near Harrison, Arkansas where he will be connected with the Davis Bros. (Jim of Sterling City and Tom D. of Odessa).

Judge Martin said there were two applications for appointment to the position—O. T. Jones, former school superintendent and Roland Lowe, longtime resident and hardware merchant, who sold his store to Ross Foster last year.

Whoever is appointed by the commissioners will have to run for the spot in the November general election, said Judge Martin.

"Letters of Thanks" FOLLOW MISS WOOL PARTY HERE

Following the recent barbecue and dance for the Miss Wool of America contestants here, Mr. and Mrs. Worth B. Durham received several letters of thanks and appreciation from some of the persons involved.

Sponsored by the members of the Sheep and Goat Raisers and the auxiliary members—the party was given here in the city park. Some of the letters of thanks were as follows:

Dear Worth,
Please accept my sincere thanks for the most gracious and wonderful party that the citizens of your fine community put on for the Miss Wool contestants. I talked to many of the girls following the party and each one expressed a sincere delight in the evening. I know that there was much time and effort devoted for this achievement. I think it is barbecues such as this that add so much to our way of life here in this country.

With kindest personal regards,

JAMES WEST

Pres. of First National National Bank, San Angelo

Dear Worth,

Your community did a truly outstanding job of showing in the Miss Wool contestants what West Texas hospitality is really all about. The entire evening—the photography session at the ranch, even down to the sheep shearing, the great food, the dance—was something I know will long be remembered by all of us who were there.

Please extend my warm thanks to the men of Sterling City who prepared the fine barbecue and to the auxiliary who prepared the food to compliment the barbecued lamb and cabrito.

All in all, the evening was a tremendous success and certainly a highlight of Wool Week—1972.

My sincere thanks,
L. GRAY BECK
President of General Telephone Co.

Dear Mary Jo and Worth,

Dorothy and I would like to express our gratitude to the fine people of Sterling City for the hospitality which you extended to us the night of the Miss Wool girls' trip to Sterling and for the wonderful food prepared by all the generous and hospitable ladies. We also appreciate the way Jim Hinshaw masterminded the barbecuing of the meat; and then of course, we owe all of you a depth of

Return from Europe McGINNESSES RETURN FROM EUROPE

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGinnes returned recently from a vacation trip to Europe for a visit with their son, Lt. Larry McGinnes, and family. Highlight of the vacation, according to Granddad was getting reacquainted with 21-month old Wendy, who was only four months old when the family left in January, 1971, for a tour of duty in Germany.

Larry was on leave for 14 days, so the two families did a bit of traveling and sight-seeing. One weekend was spent exploring Koblenz, where the Mosel and Rhine rivers merge; Bonn, the West German capital; Cologne, and Heidelberg. Among points of interest was the ruins of the Bridge at Ramagen between Koblenz and Bonn.

A trip to Trier, the oldest city in Germany, proved very interesting. Trier, the northern gateway to the ancient Roman Empire, was known as the Second Rome, but was, in fact, founded long before Rome. Of particular interest in Trier was the ancient Amphitheatre, the oldest Roman construction, built in about 100 A.D. The Porta Nigra, the only one of four gateways in a mighty wall around the city to survive the centuries; the old Roman bridge which has served as a crossing over the Mosel River since the 2nd century; the Imperial Baths; and the Abbey of St. Matthias where the tomb of the Apostle by the same name is located.

Other cities visited in Germany were Munich, Garmisch, Oberammergau, Berchtesgaden, Prien, and Baden-Baden.

On a five day trip through Bavaria, the McGinneses visited Salsburg and Innsbruck, Austria; Vaduz, Liechtenstein; Zurich, Switzerland and Strasbourg, France. Later the same week, a day was spent in Luxembourg City, Luxembourg. Still another country was visited, when on the return flight, a refueling stop was made in Gander, Newfoundland.

Despite delays experienced in both flights, Dallas to Frankfurt, and Frankfurt to Dallas, it was an exciting and interesting vacation which we are reliving for a long time—say the McGinneses.

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gratitude for the good music which really introduced the girls to West Texas in a big way.

With warmest personal regards in which Dorothy joins me, I am,

Cordially,
BILL GRIFFIS

Also, there were thank you notes from Miss Wool of South Dakota, Miss Wool of Montana, and Miss Wool of Iowa expressing their appreciation for the time and effort extended to make their visit to Sterling City such a memorable success.

Mr. and Mrs. Durham expressed their thanks to every one for the great volunteer cooperation and participation in the Miss Wool of America event here, and agree with all of the "outlanders" who attended, that Sterling County has the finest people and community spirit that they know of.

LIONS CLUB

The Sterling City Lions Club met at noon Wednesday in the community center. Billy Bauer was a guest. The prize went to Pat Brooks.

It was announced that everyone was invited to the volunteer firemen's barbecue in the park Saturday night. Jack Peel announced that the all star little league game would be played in Ballinger on July 18.

JULY 5 MEETING

At the club meeting here on July 5 members voted to join the district eye bank program.

The club has a chartered bus going to Houston next Saturday and Sunday for Astro games. There's room for a few more. If you want to go see James Thompson president right away Cost of the round trip bus ticket is \$16.50. The game tickets are \$4 and the motel rooms are reserved in a close by motel. Cost of the rooms are reasonable.

LITTLE LEAGUE COSTS FOR TWO MONTHS

The Lions Club is handling the Little League Program this summer and for the first two months the cost has been \$1,267.24, said secretary Jack Douthit.

Paid out in June were the following accounts:

Athletic Supply Co.	73.20
Stockman's Supply	11.44
Angelo Sporting Gds.	31.70
Martin Glover Co.	4.24
Softball Tourney Fee	35.00
Tommy Roger (ref.)	39.00
West Tex. Util.	34.07
Angelo Sporting Gds.	64.95
K & T Electric	17.56
Watson's Drive In	116.06
Whittaker's Sptg. Gds.	244.10
Ross Hardware	73.15
PAID OUT MAY	\$542.77
PAID OUT JUNE	724.47
PAID 2 MONTHS	\$1,267.24

Six Girls to Basket Ball Camp

Six junior high girls spent last week in Lindsay, Oklahoma at a basketball camp. The girls were Patti Bynum, Cindy Mendez, Kim Rich, Melinda Terry (8th graders) and Becky Hodges and Jennifer Lackey (7th graders).

The I. W. Terrys and the Clinton Hodges took the girls to Lindsay on Sunday. The girls had been there about two hours when the siren sounded a tornado warning. The girls were taken to shelter in the basement where they stayed for some time. The tornado caused much damage to property in town, but no one was injured.

The girls worked hard all week from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. and brought home several blue ribbons for activities there.

Coach Healy, camp director, told Wanda Foster what a fine group of girls she had. He was pleased with their performance during the week.

The Marvin Fosters and Mrs. Billy and Tommy Bynum picked the girls up Friday afternoon and brought them home. They gave no static on the way home—they slept.

Daughter to the Phil Coles

A daughter, named Misty La Dawn, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cole on July 3 in the Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. The baby, the first for the Coles, weighed five pounds and thirteen ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Gulley of Rowena and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cole of Sterling City. Mrs. James McEntire and Mrs. Minnie Mae Knight are great-grandmothers living in Sterling.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week include:

Mrs. Merton Ferguson
Mrs. James McEntire
Jess Allen
Recent dismissals include—
Clark Kilpatrick
James P. Crabb
Mrs. J. E. Bynum
Jack Douthit
Mrs. Frank Stewart
Mrs. Ida Lee Brown
Roy Martin
Allen Craig

Patients in the Sterling County Nursing Home on Thursday morning of this week were:

Mrs. Cliff Carpenter
Mrs. Lucy Norman
Mrs. Lilly Revell
Mrs. Henry Merrell
B. O. Bailey
Mud Allen
Larkin Longshore
Mrs. Allie Foster
Earnest Turner
Mrs. J. E. Bynum
Mrs. Larkin Longshore
Mrs. Henrietta Long
W. J. Williams
Mrs. John Lane
Mrs. Robbie Grace
Mrs. Eliza Dolan
W. R. Morgan
Noble Read
Julius Olson
Mrs. James Crabb
Mrs. Noble Read
J. B. Ratliff
Mrs. William Coleman

Patio Party Held in Nursing Home

The Volunteer Service League sponsored a 4th of July Patio Party at the Nursing Home on June 29. Red, white and blue table cloths, plates, cups and napkins were used with miniature flags for centerpieces. Most of the patients attended and enjoyed hamburgers, potato salad, chips, iced tea and homemade ice cream and cake.

Hosting the party were Le-Ruth Stewart, Ruth Stewart, Bill Foster, Cecile McDonald and Audrey King.

Mark Lewis, a cousin of Danny Stewart, entertained with singing and playing favorite songs on his guitar.

It is dues paying time for league members and new members are wanted and needed.

The league voted to buy \$25 worth of TV trays and set up a gift shop for patients.

ELMER MARTIN NAMED TEXAS REPRESENTATIVE

Elmer Martin, twin-brother of Mrs. Loyd Murrell of Sterling City, and former judge of Mitchell County, was named last week to be Representative in the Texas Legislature—or at least he was named to get his name on the ballot in November for that spot. David Ratliff, former State Senator, who was nominated in the primaries, declined the spot, and the Democratic Chairmen of the counties in the district named Martin to the spot.

Counties in that district are Jones, Fisher, Mitchell, all of Taylor County outside of Abilene and a small portion of southwestern Abilene. Martin has no Republican opponent in the November election.

WINS PAINTING PRIZES

Mrs. Maxine (George) Turner of Sterling City, took a first place and the trophy for contemporary painting at the Synder Art Show recently—and second place and honorable mention in portraits, and third place in landscapes.

Mrs. Turner's painting are being exhibited in the lobby of the Sterling County Hospital, in case you would like to see some of her work.

Firemens Barbecue Saturday Night

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Lee Douthit to Speak at Morning Service

C. A. Tucker, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Sterling City said this week that Lee Douthit would speak at the 11 o'clock morning service this Sunday. She will talk on Africa, where she has been the past year. She taught in a Presbyterian School in Zaire (Congo) in a school at Lubondai.

The Methodist pastor, Harold Orr, is on his vacation, and it was said that the Methodist Church would not have a morning service in order to join with the Presbyterians in the service on Africa.

Miss Douthit arrived home last week from Africa. She did some touring of Africa and Europe on the way home.

Presbyterian Women Hear Talk on African Women

The Women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church, had a meeting at the home of Mrs. Larry Glass on Wednesday evening.

Miss Lee Douthit, recently returned from a year in Africa where she taught school in Zaire (Congo) talked to the group on the role of women in African village life.

Behind the 8-Ball



By the editor.

Really this is a two in one paper. No foolin'.

Last week I spent four (or part of four) days in the hospital here. When I did get out on Wednesday there was not enough time to get out a decent paper. It would not have been much paper.

So, I decided to wait and get out a double issue this week. So here 'tis.

It is regrettable that it had to be, but there's no way to get out unless you have four or at least three days. The job just can't be done in one and a half days. And, too, it won't be long 'till I take my usual week off in the summer—like in a couple of weeks. Now June had five Fridays, and I wish that hospital stay had fallen on the last week in June rather than the first one in July. That would not have been so bad.

Anyway, I'm considering this issue a double one, and so can you. Sorry.

8-BALL

Recent visitors here have been Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Vinson of Pasadena, Texas. Mrs. Vinson visited her brother and family, the Leslie Coles and her grandmother, Mrs. O. V. Anderson.

MOVING SALE—Tues. & Wed. 1964 Catalina, tiller, headache rack, freezer like new, washer, dryer, tables & chairs, air conditioner, dishes, etc. and lots more.

MERRICK HOME

KAR PORE—For Sale Pontiac GTO \$650.00, 4-in-floor, air conditioned, faster than an Apperson Jack Rabbit. See Punkin Lively after 6 p.m.

Everybody Invited

The Annual Sterling Volunteer Fire Department barbecue will be held in the City Park here Saturday night at 7:30. Everyone in the county is invited to come and eat barbecue with the firemen and their families. There is no charge for the barbecue—but there will be donation boots for those who want to contribute something.

Women are asked to bring a dessert—such as pie or cake.

Every year for many years the department has held the free to all barbecue for the entire county. So, come out Saturday to the annual volunteer fire department barbecue and bring your family.

Nearly \$7 Million in Oil - Gas Production Here in 1971

Sale of Sterling County oil and gas production accounted for \$6,814,608 of the county's economic output for 1971, according to a study by Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

In producing 1,718,825 barrels of crude oil and 5 billion cu. feet of natural gas, the county ranked 120 in Texas. Value of its crude oil was \$6,050,264; natural gas value was \$764,344.

The county is among 190 Texas counties with oil and gas production value topping \$100,000, although 211 counties produce oil and gas.

Sterling County oil and gas wells made a significant contribution to Texas' share of the nation's energy needs last year, but growing demand is sapping reserves in Texas faster than they can be replaced, Robert A. Buschman, Association president said. As fewer new fields are discovered, due to less drilling, the continuing strong economy and tax base of many Texas counties may now depend on updating Texas oil conservation laws to encourage wider use of new recovery technology, he said.

The Association study showed that Sterling County farmers, ranchers, and other royalty owners received \$851,826 as their share of production.

The county's wells generated \$278,312 in crude oil production taxes for state government and \$57,326 in state taxes on natural gas. Oil and gas producers spent \$1,547,010 in drilling 11 wells in the county last year, \$1,220,842 of which was lost in drilling 7 dry holes.

Texas Employment Commission figures showed 16 oil and gas industry employees in the county last year, with an annual payroll of \$54,856.

Roping Club Meeting Called

All Members Asked to Meet Next Tuesday Night

Billy Blair said this week that all members of the Sterling County Roping Club are asked to meet next Tuesday, July 18 to plan for some kind of event for the Sterling Reunion or Jubilee.

Members are asked to meet at the Stockman's Supply Co. building at 8 pm. that night.

EVERY ONE is invited—to the Firemen's Barbecue in the city park Saturday. Bring a dessert. See Water Polo.

Call No. 482 Charter No. 9813 National Bank Region No. 11
 Report of Condition, Consolidating Domestic
 Subsidiaries, of the

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Sterling City, in the State of Texas, at the Close of
 Business on June 30, 1972. Published in Response to Call

Made by Comptroller of the Currency, Under Title 12, Un-
 ited States Code, Section 161.

ASSETS	
Cash and due from banks (including \$ none unposted debits)	554,522.96
U.S. Treasury securities	1,754,118.65
Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	399,843.75
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	1,204,648.74
Other securities (including \$12,000.00 corporate stock)	12,000.00
Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	100,000.00
Loans	1,895,891.28
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	70,605.53
Other assets (including \$ none direct lease financing)	6,161.63
TOTAL ASSETS	5,997,792.56

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,057,842.20
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	2,803,148.68
Deposits of United States Government	11,502.73
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	449,093.76
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$5,321,587.37
(a) Total demand deposits	\$2,294,974.89
(b) Total time and savings deposits	\$3,026,612.48
Other liabilities	506.25
TOTAL LIABILITIES	5,322,093.62

RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	
Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to IRS rulings)	29,373.67
TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	29,373.67

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
EQUITY CAPITAL-total	646,325.27
Common stock--total par value	200,000.00
No. shares authorized 2,000	
No. shares outstanding 2,000	
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	245,325.27
Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	1,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	646,325.27

Total Liabilities, Reserves, and Capital Accounts 5,997,792.56

MEMORANDA	
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	5,308,656.80
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,896,226.90
Interest collected not earned on installment loans included in total capital accounts	15,951.31

I, D. Kirk Hopkins, Executive Vice-President and Cashier of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. KIRK HOPKINS

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

H. L. HILDEBRAND
 WORTH B. DURHAM)Directors
 ROLAND L. LOWE

Spotlight on HEALTH

PROFILE OF A COLD VICTIM

What are your chances of catching a cold? According to a booklet on the subject, they're especially good if you're female, live in a large city in the western or north-eastern part of the U.S., and are the mother of a child under 6 years of age. Young children are the greatest cold-spreaders. Your chances are further enhanced if you're going through a period of stress and strain. "Contentment preserves one even from catching a cold," the great philosopher, Nietzsche once said.

The booklet, which discusses the common cold, is distributed by Winthrop Laboratories, the makers of Neo-Synephrine nose drops and nasal spray that are widely used in the U.S. and abroad.

Keeping up one's resistance helps to avoid the common cold, according to the publication, which advises getting sufficient fresh air and exercise, well-balanced meals, and as much sleep as possible in a well-ventilated bedroom. In cold weather areas, an extra hour a night is recommended.

Early stages of the common cold are the most contagious. Every sneeze fills the air with thousands of virus-laden droplets. To help prevent spreading a cold to the rest of the family, to friends and to co-workers, everyone should have his own glass, cup, silverware and towels. Hands should be washed thoroughly and often, preferably with a liquid antibacterial skin cleanser, pHisoHex is the one that is used in most U.S. hospitals to help prevent spread of infections. Particularly during the cold season, it is wise to keep a handwashing preparation in the kitchen, as well as in the bathroom.

Your chances of catching a cold will be reduced if precautions are taken. However, the Winthrop booklet also states that it is not completely possible to avoid a cold. Just breathing the air that someone with a cold has merely talked into offers the possibility of infecting a healthy person.



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LEGAL NOTICE
 The City of Sterling City, Texas Council met and adopted the following ordinance on June 5, 1972:

ORDINANCE
 Beginning on July 1, 1972, a fine of \$25.00 will be placed on anyone caught disposing of all types of litter, trash, refuse or sewage on the streets or anywhere in the city limits of said city.
 L. R. REED, Mayor
 of Sterling City, Texas

Volunteer Firemen ANNUAL BARBECUE ON JULY 15 HERE
 The department is having its annual barbecue program at the park on July 15 at 7:30 o'clock.
 Everyone is invited, as usual, and ladies are asked to bring two pies or a cake.

Free Film Offered On SWC Highlights
 A 29-minute film which features Southwest Conference football highlights of the past season is being offered for showings to interested organizations.

The 16 mm color film reviews outstanding games and individual plays of 1971. It can be obtained free on loan by writing to SWC Film, Humble Oil & Refining Co., 3400 Southland Center, Dallas, Tex. 75201.

This 25th edition of the Southwest Conference Highlights series produced by Humble gives the viewer an exciting half hour of football action.

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This is a toll free number and someone is on duty at all times there. Callers need not identify themselves, and rights of all callers will be protected. Help by turning in a pusher and help this program.

NOTICE—The Volunteer Service League meets every second Monday at 7 p.m. at the Sterling County Hospital and Nursing Home. Please arrange to be present.

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U.S. Border Patrol Seeks Applicants
 The U.S. Border Patrol of the Immigration and Naturalization Service has an urgent need for physically fit young men desiring a career in Federal law enforcement work. This is a career opportunity for those who like action and outdoor work.

The Border Patrol is the mobile, uniformed enforcement branch of the Immigration and Naturalization Service. Its principle purpose is to prevent the smuggling and illegal entry of aliens into the United States. The border patrolmen, called Immigration Patrol Inspectors, work along international boundaries, although their duties are not necessarily confined to these areas. They work in jeeps, cars, on foot, in boats and even in airplanes. Officers investigate violations of the immigration laws and frequently make arrests. They are often required to work irregular hours, under all weather conditions. These duties demand mental alertness as well as exceptional physical vigor and stamina.

The entrance salary of an Immigration Patrol Inspector is \$7,639 a year (Grade GS-7). There are promotional opportunities up to executive levels in the Immigration and Naturalization Service. On-the-job training offers splendid opportunities for promotion to positions of greater responsibility.

No experience is required for these positions. To qualify, applicants must pass a written test of verbal abilities, judgment, and aptitude for learning a foreign language.

Candidates who pass the written test are called for oral interviews in the order of their standing on the list. The oral interview is designed to determine if the candidate has the personal qualities needed for the work. Applicants must also pass a rigid physical examination. Candidates who are selected for appointment are assigned to the Border Patrol Academy for a period of intensive training in such subjects as immigration laws, Spanish, physical training and marksmanship. Trainees receive full pay while in the academy.

Information concerning the patrol inspector position and this announcement may be obtained from the U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service, P. O. Box 2539, San Antonio, Texas 78206, or by calling 512-225-5511, Extension 214.



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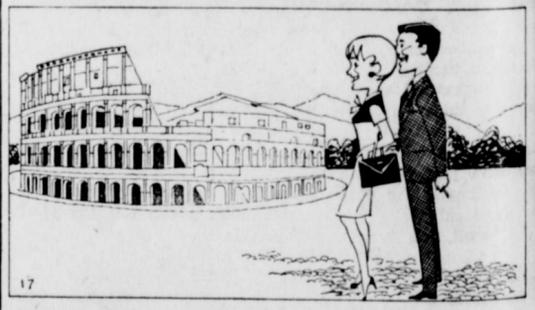
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1972 Political Announcements

The following candidates announce their formal candidacy for the offices below, subject to action of the general election November 7, 1972.

For Sheriff, Tax-Assessor-Collector:

F. J. (JIM) CANTRELL

For State Legislature, 63rd District:

RENAL B. ROSSON

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:

C. W. SMITH

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:

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If you use land in any way, you need to have knowledge about the land you are using. You may be a farmer, rancher, engineer, real estate developer, banker, suburban dweller, city home owner, or any user of land, big or small.

Natural soils differ in many ways. The scientific classification of the nation's soils recognizes thousands of individual kinds. Each is different from the others in depth, in size and arrangement of particles, in mineral composition, or in other important characteristics.

Most soils are made up of contrasting layers called horizons, that have developed over the inert mineral material and bedrock from which they are formed. The kinds of soil are distinguished by the characteristic properties and arrangement of these horizons.

The ideal soil has a deep rooting zone from which plants can take both water and nutrients. This zone is at least 18 inches deep; most plants do better if it deeper even 4 to 6 feet. A shallow soil cannot hold enough water and nutrients to keep plants growing at their best.

The ideal soil is loamy in texture; that is, it consists of a favorable mixture of sand, silt and clay particles. Sands take in water readily but retain only a small part of it. Clay holds a great deal of water, but unless handled carefully they tend to become hard and massive when dry.

The ideal soil has good structure. The particles of sand, silt and clay are grouped into granules of crumbs, permitting water to enter easily. This enables the roots to penetrate deeply, and air to move in and out freely. The soil is firm enough to hold moisture and make close contact with seeds and roots. It allows excess water to drain through promptly but holds a good supply for plants to use between rains and irrigations.

The ideal soil contains much organic matter in various stages of decomposition. It also contains many micro-organisms and small animals such as earthworms, that help decompose the organic matter. In the process they release nutrients for use by plants. The partially decomposed materials that make up 'humus' produce stable granular structure in the soil.

The ideal soil had a land surface that is level or nearly level so that water erosion is not a problem. It has enough slope that ponding or poor surface drainage does not present a problem.

The ideal soil has an adequate and balanced supply of nutrients for the plants to be grown. This can be determined by observation of plants already growing on the soil, or by past experience with plants on this soil, or by taking samples of the soil and sending them to your state agricultural college laboratory for analysis. The reports will include recommendations of fertilizers to suit the conditions shown by the tests.

FOR SALE—Merrick Texaco Service Station. C.R. Merrick.

HELP WANTED
Interviewer wanted for part-time telephone survey work this fall. Give phone number. Must have private line. Not a selling job. Air mail letter including education, work experience and names of references to: American Research Bureau, Field Operations, 4320 Ammendale Road, Beltsville, Maryland 20705.

In case of fire dial 8-4771.

Phone in news of your visits or visitors to the News-Record. 378-3251.

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FOR SALE—FREE — Expensive Ladies Wigs. Pay for styling and shipping only. For details write: Mrs. B. Peters 1115 E. Rittenhouse, Philadelphia, Pa. 19138.

Highway Work for Sterling Scheduled

The Texas Highway Commission, in their March meeting in Austin, approved the 1973-1974 Consolidated Highway Program.

J. A. Snell, District Engineer of San Angelo, stated that the new program provides funds totaling \$4,400,000 for purchase of right of way and construction of new projects in District 7, as well as additional finance for projects already approved.

A project in Sterling County that is included in this program is described as follows:

Purchase right of way and construct grading, structures and surfacing on State 158, from Coke County line, west a distance of 6.4 miles. Estimated cost—\$488,000.

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Sept. 8—Klondike T 8:00
Sept. 15—Cotton Center T 6:00
Sept. 22—Threeway H 8:00
Sept. 29—Loop T 8:00
Oct. 7 (Sat.)—Garden City H Homecoming Game
Oct. 13—Open
Oct. 21 (Sat.)—Wellman T 2:00
Oct. 27—Dawson H 8:00
Nov. 3—Smyer T 7:00
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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 devisions concerning the payment of such reward and the conditions of payment will be made by the Board of Directors of the Association. **TEXAS SHEEP & GOAT RAISERS ASSOCIATION**

NOTICE—COST OF ENGRAVINGS
—Due the high cost of cuts or engravings of pictures, we are now forced to charge for all society type pictures run in the paper. The costs have always been an item to be considered, but now the cost makes a charge necessary. Cuts or engravings run from \$1.95 for a one column cut to around \$5 for a two column cut. This is actual cost and will be charged for from now on.

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For Social Security

CHECK YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY RECORD

"How do I know my work under social security is being credited to my record, and how do I find out about it? This is one of the questions most frequently asked," says J. M. Talbot, social security manager.

In explaining the process involved in reporting social security, Mr. Talbot said, "When you work for wages, your employer deducts social security tax from your paycheck each pay day. At the end of each calendar quarter, he submits your name and number with payment for these taxes to Internal Revenue. Internal Revenue forwards copies to social security's main office in Baltimore, Maryland. Your wages are then posted to your record. The same process is followed for a self-employed person except that his earnings are recorded yearly."

Mr. Talbot states that the possibility of an error being made in the process does exist. He recommends that you request a statement of your earnings at least every three years.

All you have to do to secure the statement is to send a post card request available at your social security office to Baltimore, Maryland. If the reply you receive is incorrect in any way, contact the Social Security Office at 3000 West Harris Avenue (P. O. Box 3808) in San Angelo, Texas, or see the representative when he is in your area.

Each calendar quarter, the Social Security Administration receives employer reports of earnings showing incorrect social security numbers of employees, according to J.M. Talbot, social security manager. These incorrect reports, in many cases, happen when a girl has married but does not have her name changed on social security records.

Mr. Talbot stated that when a girl marries, she should complete a 'Request for Change in Social Security Record' form. After completing the form and returning it to the social security office with her old card, she will be issued a new social security card with the same number but showing the new name.

If the name and number reported by an employer do not match the name and number on file with the Social Security Administration, the earnings might not get to the proper account. This could result in a later loss of social security benefits or in a smaller benefit being paid.

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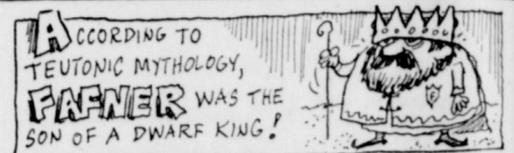
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