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## Halloween Carnival Next Wednesday

### at School

The Sterling City Parent-Teacher Association will hold the annual Halloween Carnival at the school here on Wednesday evening, October 31, said Mrs. Hugh Lackey, chairman. Festivities will start at 6 p.m. with a spook parade in the auditorium. This is a change in time for that event. It usually took place at the end of the carnival.

Also at six o'clock will see the game rooms open, bingo in the hall and the cake walk going in the shop room.

At 8 p.m. a talent show will be held in the auditorium and the coronation of the King and Queen of Halloween. Admission will be charged and payors can vote for their choice of King and Queen, said Mrs. Lackey. Also door prizes will be announced in the auditorium.

Talent show performers will be high school students.

Among booths and concessions open that night will be a fishing pond, tricycle walk, clown throw, game room, sweet shop, white elephant sale, teacher chunk and cake walk.  
**KING AND QUEEN CANDIDATES**

The candidates for King and Queen are—9th grade: Ross Hord and Patti Bynum; 10th grade: Jeff Copeland and Marylynn Rich; 11th grade: Russell Davis and Lisa Horwood; 12th grade: Dwayne Davis and Linda Currington.

## FFA Lambs Shown at State Fair of Texas

Sterling City FFA lamb feeders exhibited 33 lambs at the 1973 State Fair of Texas junior lamb show in Dallas last week.

J.C. Schovajsa placed second in the finewool class and went on to win the reserve champion finewool lamb honors. J.C.'s lamb was bred by R.T. Foster, Jr. Other finewool class placings were Carl Igo 7th Ronny Hord 8th, Dow Ferguson 9th, Lee Fleming 19th, J.C. 20th, Dow 31st, Benny Radde 34th, Paula 35th, Ross Hord 36th and Mark Sullivan 37th.

In the Columbia and Columbia crossbred classes, Carl Igo 13th, Randy Hord 14th, Victor Probandt 21st and Shorty Radde 25th.

The Suffolk crossbred classes placings were: Ross Hord 9th, Sheri Foster 11th, Randy Hord 18th, Craig Foster 19th, Sheri Foster 20th, Ronny Hord 24th, Paula Radde 40th, Victor 43rd, Benny 46th, Edie Probandt 53rd, Shorty Radde 54th, Michael 52, and Craig 58th. Ronny and Ross Hord exhibited 3 barrows but failed to place in the top end of the barrow sale.

Carl Igo was selected for the showmanship finals out of the finewool class. One exhibitor is selected from each class for the finals in the showmanship class.

J.C.'s reserve champion finewool lamb sold for \$150.00 in the premium sale Saturday morning. Other lambs in the sale brought from 45c to 50c per pound.

Parents assisting in transport-

## Church of Christ

### LADIES LECTURESHIP SET FOR OCTOBER 27

The ladies of the Church of Christ has set a lectureship for Saturday, October 27. The lectureship and luncheon has for a title Challenges for 20th Century Women.

Featured on the program that day will be Mrs. Orville McDonald of Dallas, Mrs. Brent Green of Abilene and Mrs. Ivan Uys of Abilene.

All ladies of this community are cordially invited to attend the lectureship and luncheon, said the local minister, Robert Hamilton.

The schedule for the day is—  
9:30—10:00—Registration  
10:00—10:30—Devotional and Welcome  
10:30—11:15—Peggy McDonald  
11:15—12:00—Dr. Ina Green  
12:00—1:30—Luncheon and Entertainment  
1:30—3:00—Sue Uys  
3:00—3:30—Devotional and Challenges.

## LIONS CLUB

District Governor Tom Nipp of Midland made his official visit to the Sterling City Lions Club Wednesday at the regular luncheon. He was accompanied by Mrs. Nipp and Russell DeVore, zone chairman.

Lion Nipp talked to the club members about Lionism and the structure and functions of Lions International. Chairman DeVore talked new member programs to the group.

Other guests present were Guy Griffiths, ohny Moore and the Rev. Lowell O. Ryan. The latter is here holding a revival meeting at the Methodist Church and he is a former president of the local club, as well as a former pastor of the Methodist Church here.

## 4-H Gold Star Award Winners Told

Two Sterling County 4-H Club members have been named to receive the Gold Star Award for 1973. The honorees for this year are Melinda Terry and Victor Probandt. They along with the nominees from nineteen other counties in Extension Service District 7, will be honored on November 7 in San Angelo.

The Gold Star Award is highest honor a 4-H Club member can receive at the county level. It is awarded to an outstanding girl and boy each year. To be eligible to receive the award, they must have been thirteen years of age or older on January 1 of the year they receive the award. They must have completed at least three years of club work, including the current year, and have participated in their club's activities during that time.

Melinda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Terry. She has been a 4-H club member for six years and has been active each year. Her major project has been feeding lambs which she has shown at a number of shows. Her lambs have won ribbons at the Sterling County Livestock Show as well as lamb shows at Fort Worth, San Antonio, Houston and San Angelo.

Melinda has taken part in a number of other activities of the club during her membership.

## Sterling Wins Over Wellman 38-8

### Behind the 8-Ball

#### TURN 'EM BACK, FOLKS

It's about time to turn clocks (and watches) back one hour so as to be in tune or time with the rest of the nation. Sunday morning at two or three o'clock in the early morning get up and run 'em all back one hour.

Daylight saving time ends on that day, Next Sunday, that is.

Sometimes I kinda wish they would leave the time business alone.

She has been a member of the Junior Livestock Judging team for the last two years, taking part in contests each of the years. In 1971, she was a member of the Junior Shart the Fun group which won first place honors in the district contests in San Angelo. She and her partner, Patti Bynum, were first place winners in the Junior Safety Demonstration contest in 1970 with a demonstration on the safe use of pesticides. In 1969, she and Patti won honors in the district contest with their duet in the Share the Fun contest.

Melinda has won a number of medals for her club work. Medals she has won include the Safety award, Achievement Award, and Agricultural Award. She is currently serving at vice-president of the Sterling County 4-H Club.

Victor, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Probandt, has been a 4-H Club member for four years. His major projects have been his registered Hereford heifers and lambs. In addition, he has been a partner in a commercial goat project with his brother Eddie.

Victor has had show lambs at the Sterling County Show, Odessa, Fort Worth, and San Angelo. He showed his heifers at Odessa, San Antonio and San Angelo. The heifers are the basis of a registered herd of Herefords and have all calved.

Victor's big interest has been in range management. To further this interest, he has taken part in the grass identification contests and range judging contests for the past three years. The Junior Range Judging team of which he was a member was second in state contest in 1973 and third in 1972. He has won ribbons in the Junior Grass Identification contests each year he has been a member of the team. Victor was a member of the third place team in the 1973 Concho River Soil and Water Conservation District -- Angelo State University Range Judging Contest. He was a member of the 1973 Junior Livestock Judging team in addition to his range activities.

Victor's award for club work include the Conservation Medal and Commodity Marketing Medal.

The luncheon honoring Melinda and Victor as well as the honorees from the other counties in the district will be held at 11:30 a.m. November 7 at the Rio Concho Manor in San Angelo. One parent of each of the honorees will also attend the luncheon as guests of the West Texas Utilities Company, sponsors of the luncheon.

## Play Dawson There Tonight at Eight

The Sterling City Eagles football team continued its winning streak last Friday night, defeating the Wellman Wildcats 38 to 8 in a game here on the local field. This win leaves four conference contests yet to come and tonight the Eagles play the Dawson Dragons there at eight o'clock. Dawson is a little north of Lamesa on the Brownfield highway.

Last Friday night, downing the Wellman Wildcats, the locals scored 24 points in the first quarter and then coasted on in to a 38 to 8 win. Jesse Lujan went 50 yards for a TD. Russell Davis 40 yards and 10 yards while Lujan got two conversions and Ken Peel one.

Ross Hord scored on a 15 yard run in the second period and again on a 5 yarder in the fourth quarter.

Wellman's only score came on a 60 yard pass play in the second period.

Coaches Slaughter and Wiley's Eagles are seemingly on the way to a district title and hopefully to a state championship. In fact, the Eagles were picked before the year opened to win the state eight man football title. There are four more conference games to go, Dawson tonight, Smyer on Nov. 2 here at homecoming, Whitharral on November 9 there and Borden County here on November 16.

## DANCE AT GYM AT HOMECOMING NIGHT

There will be a dance in the gym following the homecoming game here on November 2 with the Smyer team. It has been announced that the New Concho Valley Boys Band would play for the dance. Admission will be \$3 per couple or \$1.50 per person. Everyone is invited, especially those home from college for homecoming.

## JUNIOR CLASS TO SERVE DINNER AT HOMECOMING

The junior class of Sterling City High School will serve dinner at the school lunchroom on homecoming day here, November 2. The dinner will be turkey and dressing, green beans, combination salad, French bread, tea or coffee and cake. Prices will be \$2.00 for adults and \$1.25 for children under twelve. Carry out plates will be 25c more.

The dinner serving will start at five o'clock of that day. That night, the Sterling Eagles will play Smyer in a homecoming football game.

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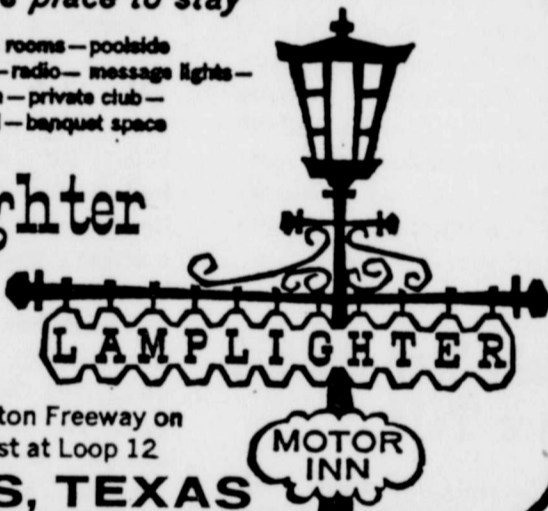
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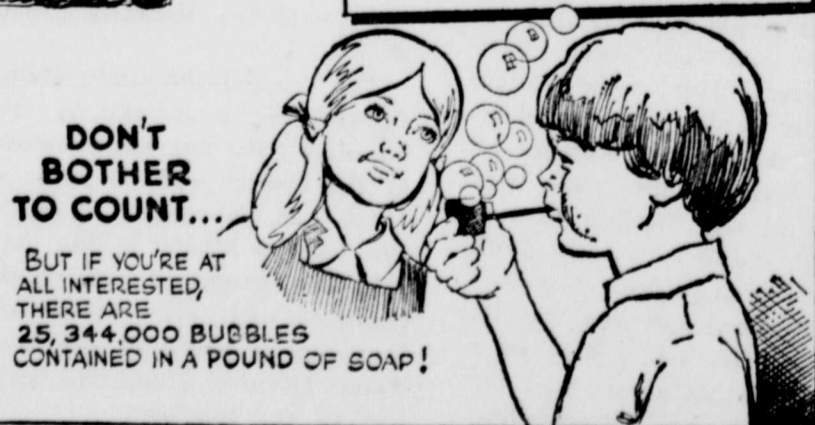
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Sept. 14—Cotton Center 6 p.m.H  
Sept. 21—Three Way 8 p.m. T  
Sept. 28—Loop 8 p.m. H  
Oct. 5—Garden City 8 p.m. T  
Oct. 12—Open  
Oct. 19—Wellman 8 p.m. H  
Oct. 26—Dawson 8 p.m. T  
Nov. 2—Smyer (Homecoming) 7 p.m. H  
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Social security pays over \$4 billion a month in benefit checks to almost 29 million people—eligible retired and disabled workers and their families and families of deceased workers who worked long enough under social security.

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#### QUIT SMOKING CLINIC

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### 4-H Foods-Nutrition Project to Start

4-H foods and nutrition projects are scheduled to begin in November in Sterling County. Eighteen girls have enrolled in the 6 meeting project which includes lessons on cooking, nutrition, food buying, food storage, manners and table setting. Any youngster in Sterling County who has not yet enrolled but would like to, is encouraged to call the county agent's office, 378-3181 and leave their name.

Adult leaders for the project are Mrs. Troy Templin, Mrs. Mike Foster, Mrs. Bonnie Wales and Junior Leaders Miss Amy Hodges and Miss Lisa Horwood.

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Visiting at the Larry Millers last weekend were Mrs. Stella Dunn Sanders of Kerville and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Root and their three children of Irving.

### Behind the 8-Ball



By the editor.

I had planned to have a little to say about that big mess in Washington, D.C. but it's such a BIG mess this week. I'm gonna leave it alone. Events happen too fast for me to make a statement or comment, because it could be outdated by the time the next newscast comes on.

Something had better happen, though pretty soon. It's rough on the country and old clothes. And jobs.

### Social Security to Handle All Payments

State and Federal agencies are working together on the supplemental security income program that starts making payments in January to people with little or no income who are 65 or over, or blind or disabled. The program is a Federal-State partnership with each partner doing what it can do best, according to J.M. Talbot, social security manager.

Mr. Talbot said the Federal program will cooperate with State and local public assistance programs to establish the Nation's first uniform income floor for people in need who are 65 or over, or blind, or disabled. Social security and the Department of Public Welfare are working together so the new payment system will get off to a new start in January, he said.

People getting welfare assistance payments in December because they're 65 or over, or blind, or disabled generally will continue to get payments in January, Mr. Talbot said. They don't have to apply. Their combined State and Federal assistance payments in January will be at least as much as their welfare assistance payments were in December, Mr. Talbot said. They will also be eligible for Medicaid.

Medicaid, vocational rehabilitation for disabled people and other social services, such as child care, family counseling, etc., will be administered by the State Department of Public Welfare. The Social Security Administration will determine eligibility for supplemental security income, make the Federal payments, keep records, and work to prevent fraud, according to

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the social security manager.

The amount of the supplemental security income checks people will get will depend on other income they might have. People with no other income at all will have a basic cash income of at least \$130 a month for one person and \$195 for a couple, Mr. Talbot said. People with other income may get reduced supplemental income checks.

Although the supplemental security income program will be administered by the Social Security Administration, payments will be financed by Federal general tax revenues—not by social security contributions from workers and employers, Mr. Talbot said.

Social security offices are taking applications from people who are 65 or over, or blind, or disabled and aren't getting public assistance but who think they might be eligible for supplemental income payments. People getting State or local assistance don't have to do anything about supplemental security income, Mr. Talbot said. They'll get additional information about the program from social security and the Department of Public Welfare. Until the supplemental security income program starts in January, Mr. Talbot said, the Department of Public Welfare will continue to make payments in the usual way.

### Highway Projects for Sterling County Set

Projects in Sterling County are included in a \$40.7 million program to increase safety and improve sections of non-Interstate highways in Texas.

District Engineer J.A. Snell of San Angelo said work to be performed under the annual program includes such things as widening of pavements and structures, reconditioning, resurfacing, providing additional surfacing, sodding, and improvement of shoulders and other miscellaneous work.

Statewide, the 1974 State Highway Safety and Betterment and Farm to Market Road Improvement Program includes work on 5,095.2 miles of US and State—numbered highways and Farm to Market Roads. The program includes 810 individual projects in 209 counties of the State.

Fifty-seven percent of the work statewide will be on US and State—numbered highways and 41 percent on Farm to Market Roads with two percent reserved for later assignment.

Projects in Sterling County are—U.S. Hwy. 87, from 1.3 miles south of Glasscock County line to 7.0 miles west of Sterling City—Seal Coat.

State Hwy. 158, from U. S. Hwy. 87 to Glasscock County Line—Seal Coat.

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Five market lambs shown at the State Fair of Texas Junior Lamb Show last week by Sterling County 4-H members all placed in the judging on Wednesday. The exhibitors were Larry, Lenard and Lonnie Horwood.

Larry's Suffolk crossbred lamb placed 16th in its class. The 27th place and 59th place lambs in the same class were entered by Lenard Horwood. Lonnie showed the 56th place Suffolk crossbred lamb. His lamb in the Hampshire crossbred class placed 38th.

All the lambs were bred on the Horwood ranch. Stan Horwood took the boys to the Fair and helped get the lambs ready for the show.

Amy, Becky, and Wesley Hodges did very well in the Rambouillet breeding sheep show as reported in an article in last week's paper. Amy and Wesley competed in the Open Rambouillet show while Becky was entered in the Junior Rambouillet Show. Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hodges accompanied them to the Fair.

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The number of confirmed cases in Texas is on the increase but is still far behind the number a year ago. According to the report of the Southwest Screwworm Eradication Program, 1,013 cases were confirmed through the month of August this year. Last year at the same time, the number stood at 18,341 confirmed.

Sterling County has had four confirmed cases thus far this year but narrowly missed having another last week when a sample sent in from one of Victor proband's lambs was confirmed. The case was credited to Tom Green County since the area where it was taken is in the panhandle of that county on the

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south side of Sterling County. There was more good news in the August report of the Eradication Program. Ten counties in South Texas which had a total of 7,100 cases a year ago have not had a single confirmed this year.

Program officials remind all producers that there is still some crucial time ahead for the program this year. Until cold weather slows down or stops the flies' activities, there is still a possibility of an outbreak in any area. Producers are reminded to check their stock and send in all suspected samples for positive identification. Mailing supplies for this are available in the feed store and the county agent's if needed.



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