

A Little About Everything Not Much About Anything
By JAMES E. KELLY
(Opinions expressed in this column are the views of the writer and should be so interpreted).

BRIEF ORBIT

A reporter for the truck line paper was instructed to use fewer words in his stories. On his next assignment he wrote, "John Smith struck match to see if any gas in tank. There was. Age 32."
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ALL I HOPE IS THAT I DON'T hear the oft repeated expression from those who have returned from their Fourth of July weekend vacation to the Mountains to cool off and escape the torrid summer heat that has gripped Stanton the past week, and left this Old Timer to "sink or swim" out of his own pool of perspiration to bang out copy to fill this column. "I'm so tired and sleepy, pains in my neck and back, feet sore from climbing the mountain, rubbing o-lotons to soothe and dry up lacerated shins from scratching chigger bites, until I do believe it will take a week for me to rest up." But there is consolation to be derived from the fact, that you arrived back home without being hospitalized from a car collision, or perhaps another victim to be added to the list of filling premature graves because of an auto wreck on the highway, or drowning while swimming or boating on the lake.

Starting on a vacation trip the mishaps that might occur to us are the least of our worries . . . It is the enjoyment we hope to get out of it that we look forward to. And it's by far the best that our future is not revealed to us. As safe and sane an individual as I, what would be a more cruel misfortune to happen to me at my youthful age than to have the future reveal that a pile of countless silver dollars and greenbacks lie waiting for me just a few paces ahead, but with a "ham string" attached . . . that I must spend it all before I shuffle off this mortal coil. What a catastrophe! But I have some rumblings going on around in my neighborhood that might prove in the end the "dream" of sudden riches falling into my lap, could come true. Just catcornered to the northeast of my Capital Hill domicile, a distance of a little further than I can toss a stone, is Walter Morris and his farm, and on which farm drilling for oil is going on. From the report issued by my friend Oil Editor James C. Watson, of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, and published in the news columns of The Stanton Reporter last week, (at that time), showed that the Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 W. H. Morris wildcat had in it, "35 feet of free oil, 30 feet of heavily oil and gas cut drilling mud and 300 feet of water, which had a slight test of salt," and a further quote from Oil Editor Watson, "there is a possibility that it will show some sort of commercial oil production."

I wouldn't attempt to match my "wits" with Editor Watson's knowledge of the oil business, but as the Constitution of the United States gives me the "inalienable right" with "special privileges to none and equal rights to all", I have the right to make the prediction what could happen to Walter Morris, and that is, he could become a "bloated capitalist," all because his well came in top oil producer, uncovering the Mother Pool of the entire Permian Basin Oil sector. Being a neighbor, almost close enough for Morris and I to stand in our back doors and shake hands, could be the setup leading to that pile of gold the future reveals (?) I have laid up for me.

But I wager that Walter Morris will go right along attending to his farm duties, and as for myself, I'll continue to eke out a living and dreaming "pipe dream" until the day arrives for the coronation ceremonies crowning friend Morris and myself the all-time high borons of the oil producing world. Could it be this "pipe dream" originated from that last sip of Bourbon?

HERE'S A NEW KIND OF HAZARD that has showed up to "choke off" the supply of water to a thirsty citizenship. Over at Baird, the town depends upon lake water for its supply. One (SEE SNOOTER)

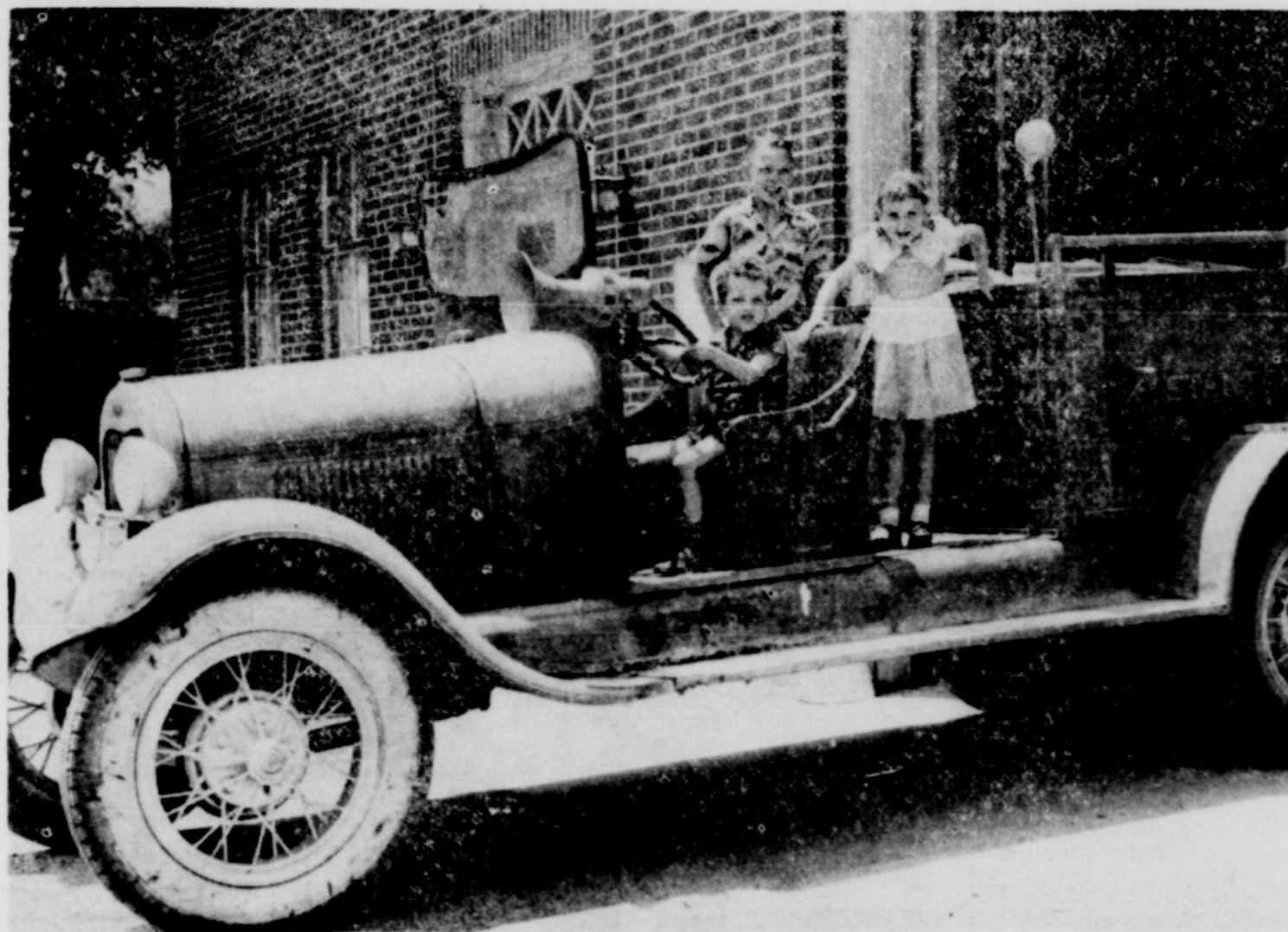
FINEST CLIMATE ON EARTH, WHERE HEALTH, HAPPINESS and PROSPERITY AWAIT THE HOMESEKER

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CROP SAVING RAIN FALLS IN STANTON



NEW TRUCK ON ITS WAY—Though the Stanton volunteer fire department has a 1942 model International fire truck for use in fighting fires in the city, it's this 1928 model A Ford that attracts the neighborhood children. City councilmen have voted to abandon the 'old timer' when a new truck recently ordered arrives later this month. Shown at the wheel of the old truck is Guy Story Brown, three and one-half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Brown; and standing, Alfred and Leta Johnson, eight and five years old, respectively, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ellmore Johnson. The old truck, equipped with an ear splitting siren still runs and can be pressed into the service on a moment's notice.

FIVE HOSPITALIZED FOR OBSERVATION OF POLIO SYMPTOMS

Norman Blocker, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Blocker, is the latest victim to be hospitalized for treatment of symptoms of polio. He reportedly has been isolated at Martin County Memorial Hospital.
His illness brings to at least fifteen, the number of patients treated during the last several weeks for polio symptoms. Most of the cases have been definitely diagnosed as polio in one form or another.
Blocker is a halfback on the Stanton Buffalo football squad.
Names Listed
Others treated for the disease or at least for symptoms include Capt. LeRoy Gates, Jimmy Hamilton, Nancy Robnett, Ed Robnett, Jr., Sherry Lynn Vest, Jo Etta Kimbrough, Nancy Williams, Kenneth Nelson, Becky Long, Pauline Cook, Mrs. Doyle Lovell, Wayne Cleaver, Mrs. E. B. White and Annie Belle Heckler.
Several of the patients have been treated in polio centers in other West Texas cities. Five of them, however, were hospitalized in Stanton this week for treatment and observation.

SUPT. WINSTEAD RECOMMENDS ADVISORY BOARD

O. W. Winstead, Stanton's new school superintendent, proposed the appointment of a citizen's advisory group to work with the board of trustees on school problems when the board met Wednesday night in a called meeting.
He is preparing a statement of the school's finances for release.
Winstead listed among improvements that should be made before the start of school in September (1) repainting of all wainscoting (2) cleaning and painting of the desks (3) cleaning and painting of the gymnasium, and (4) a complete new heating system for both the elementary and High School.
He judged from the records that all the money the school was to receive from the state on a per capita basis has arrived—but, he was not able, he said, to determine at this time the amount of transportation money forthcoming from the state. All members of the board were present at the meeting.



GENE GRAHAM
Fire Department Chief

POLIO TRAINED SPECIALIST COMING HERE

Dr. George Cox, head of the state health department, has promised to send a specialist trained in polio and sanitation to Stanton to aid local officials in their fight to head off a wave of polio in this area.
Dr. Don A. Gaddis, county health officer, conferred with Dr. Cox on the situation early this week by telephone. Assistance of the state health department in a citywide cleanup campaign was requested earlier by City Councilman A. W. Heckler, general chairman.

DR. ROBERT SMITH ARRIVES HERE; OPENS OFFICE

Dr. Robert W. Smith, Winona, physician and surgeon, opened an office Monday in the Martin County Memorial Hospital.
He came to Stanton direct from Kansas City, Mo., General Hospital where he completed his internship July 1. Dr. Smith is a graduate of the University of Texas medical school.
His father, Dr. J. C. Smith, Winona, recently completed fifty years practice as a "country doctor" and was accorded a special honor by Tulane University medical school.
The new Stanton doctor has three brothers: One is a physician and surgeon at Weatherford and the other two are pharmacists. He served in the army medical corps during World War II.

FREE X-RAY SERVICE OPENS HERE SATURDAY; HEALTH UNIT ARRIVES

Hostesses to assist with the big countywide chest X-Ray in Stanton Saturday and Monday, were named Wednesday by Mrs. Leo Turner, president of the Martin County Forum, the sponsoring organization.
Arrangements have been completed for free transportation for those who desire it and haven't any other way of getting to the X-Ray unit.
The X-Ray service is offered free of charge by the state in a campaign to detect tuberculosis if any is present in its early stages. All reports are confidential.
Age Limit
In the mass X-Ray two years ago only about a third of the county's population submitted to the X-Ray. There was found, nevertheless, 22 suspicious cases and five others with chest involvements.
Mrs. Turner Wednesday urged every citizen in the county to take the X-Ray this time.
Names Listed
Hostesses for Saturday include Mrs. Elmer Long, Mrs. M. S. Watson, Mrs. Lewis Roten, Mrs. P. M. Bristow, Mrs. R. K. Rogers, Mrs. Wallace Kelly, Mrs. Jack Arrington, Mrs. J. C. Sale, Mrs. James H. Billington, Mrs. Herbert Riley, Mrs. Stanley Wheeler, Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mrs. Glenn Brown, Mrs. Jack White, and Mrs. J. H. Haywood.
Monday hostesses include Mrs. Jim Tom, Mrs. Edmund Tom, Mrs. Earnest Ross, Mrs. James McMorris, Mrs. Bud Winslow, Mrs. E. P. White and Mrs. June Graham.
Others include Mrs. Dave

OLD SETTLER'S REUNION CALLED OFF THIS YEAR

One of Martin County's best attended annual events will not be held this year.
The Martin County Old Settler's Reunion originally scheduled for this month has been called off because of the drought and the polio situation, officers stated.
Present officers will be continued for another year. These include J. C. Sale, president; Harry Haislip, vice president, and Mrs. Morgan Hall, secretary-treasurer.
Several cases diagnosed as polio have developed here this year but all cases are reported to be doing well, according to reports. The Old Settler's event was held last year in the city park.

COUNCIL MOVES TO RELIEVE WATER SHORTAGE

City officials this week took steps to head off the threat of a water shortage in Stanton.
Mayor Woodford Sale reported the city was negotiating for the purchase of two wells and equipment that formerly were used here by the Texas and Pacific Railway. It was understood that the equipment, including a 50,000 gallon tank, now is owned by an out of town salvage company.
In the event the city is unable to deal for this water and equipment, new wells will be drilled, Mayor Sale said. Meanwhile, pumps at the present two wells owned by the city continue to run at full capacity.
Less water was used during the last few days due to the rains over the weekend.
Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. R. L. Henson were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brown of Beaumont.

WILDCAT WELL NEAR STANTON DUE FOR TESTS

By JAMES C. WATSON
Plymouth Oil Company is swabbing perforations in the lower Spraberry from 7,873 feet to 7,897 feet at its No. 1 W. R. Morris, Southeast Martin County wildcat, and and three-quarter miles northeast of Stanton.
These perforations have been fractured with 3,000 gallons. In two and one-half hours of swabbing, recovery was 37.5 barrels of load oil with no oil.
Operator is still swabbing with fluid level 2,000 feet below the surface. It will require several days of swabbing before all of the load oil is recovered. Then it will be possible to determine if the wildcat can produce any new oil.
Interested observers think there is a fair chance that some sort of commercial production may be developed from that zone.
This prospector had recovered 35 feet of free oil, 30 feet of heavily oil and gas cut drilling mud and 300 feet of drilling water, with a slight salt taste in a drillstem test at 7,864-7,946 feet.
The tool was open two hours and 15 minutes for that investigation.
A five-inch liner has been set and cemented at 7,945 feet, one foot above the total depth.
Location is 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 7, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.
The upper Spraberry section at 6,986-6,991 feet made only salt water. That section is now cased off.
Argo Oil Corporation is at total depth of 11,635 feet in lime and is preparing to try to take a drillstem test on its No. 1 Brown failure in North-Central Martin County.
The project encountered a cavity at total depth. Operator tried to cement this hole off and so far has been unable to do so.
No. 1 Brown was plugged on total depth of 10,606 feet in November, 1951. It was re-entered in December of the same year and the Spraberry, Dean and Strawn sections were re-tested without developing commercial production.
Location of the prospector is 960 feet from north and west lines of section 15, block 36, T-2-N, T&P survey and 17 miles northwest of Stanton.
DeKalb Agricultural Association, Inc., No. 1 Kitta Belle (Mrs. Richard H.) Knox, scheduled 12,500-foot wildcat in Northwest Martin County, is drilling below 11,395 feet in lime and shale.
It is 11 miles north of Tarzan and 660 feet from north and 2,777 feet from west lines of league 253, Ward County School Land survey.
Stanolind Oil & Gas Company, wildcat in Southwest Martin County, nine miles northwest of Midland, is drilling below 12,137 feet in Devonian lime.
Operator took a drillstem test from 11,847 to 12,015 feet. Tool was open one hour and 30 minutes. There was a light blow for 45 minutes and then died. Recovery was 4,000 feet of water blanket and 210 feet of mud.
The wildcat drilled through the entire Pennsylvanian section without logging any signs of oil or gas.
It had some slight shows in the Spraberry and in the Dean but informed sources say that none of them were commercial.
The project is slated to dig to 14,000 feet to test the Ellenburg.
Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of the southwest quarter of section 30, block 40, T-1-N, T&P survey. That makes it 30 miles west of Stanton.
Stanolind No. 1 Flynt, 28 miles north of Midland and in Central-West Martin County, is drilling below 9,810 feet in lime and shale.
It has not found any possibilities of making an oil well down to the present level of operations.
Location is 660 feet from south (SEE OIL, PAGE EIGHT)

BIG SECTION OF COUNTY GETS MOISTURE

Soil soaking rain measuring approximately one and three quarter inches fell in Stanton and over a wide area of Martin County Monday night.
It was preceded by a light shower Saturday night.
The moisture was accompanied by a big drop in the temperature which continued Tuesday and Wednesday.
Farmers (with cotton) hailed the rain as a crop saver claiming that the county's acreage already cut down by a prolonged drought would have been further reduced from lack of rain if moisture hadn't been received during the last few days.
Curtailed Acreage
Agriculture officials estimated that there are no more than 50,000 acres of cotton in the county at this time accompanied with an annual average of around 200,000 acres.
Approximately 10,000 acres are irrigated.
A heavy acreage of feed is expected to be planted now that sufficient moisture has been received to get it up. The rain was said to be the heaviest fall here in more than a year.
Mayor Woodford Sale who farms in the Courtney community reported receiving three quarters of an inch Saturday night and an inch and a half Monday night.
Approximately four inches of moisture was received at the J. C. Sale ranch northwest of here during the two nights of the rain.
Tarzan reportedly received an inch and a quarter Monday night.

HEALTH POINTERS RECOMMENDED TO FIGHT POLIO

Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer, has approved a list of health precautions to be observed during the polio season.
Pointing out that it is believed that the majority of adults have at one time been infected by the poliomyelitis virus, health officials say that most recognized cases of the disease will be among children.
Only a small proportion of polio infections are clinically recognizable. Consequently, when symptoms are manifested, they usually comprise an acute illness with fever, headache and, almost always, a characteristic stiffness of the neck and spine, some degree of paralysis may or may not occur during the first few days of illness, the health authorities say.
Here are the preventive measures they recommend:
1. Insist upon safe waste disposal so that human excreta is not exposed to disease transmitting vectors.
2. Insist on elimination of fly breeding sources and do not depend upon community wide airplanes spraying or fogging machines as a substitute for basic sanitation.
3. Food supplies, including milk, must be protected against contamination.
4. Always demand safe water for drinking or swimming pools.
5. Insist that garbage be kept in covered containers and disposed of by incineration or sanitary fill.
6. Eliminate all insanitary conditions on your own premises.
7. Practice good personal hygiene with particular attention to personal cleanliness.
8. Avoid excessive physical strain during poliomyelitis season.
9. Isolation in bed of all children with fever pending diagnosis by physician.
Mr. and Mrs. John J. Holder attended a reunion of the Wood family held last weekend at Lake Cisco.
Elizabeth Hildreth of Lenorah, spent last week in Midland with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Vergal Dawkins.

Auto Association Says Speed Traps Back More Than Ever

AUSTIN — Speed traps are back again at a time when vacation motoring is reaching an all-time high.

This warning to unwary Texas motorists was voiced by the Texas Division of The American Automobile Association in revealing that more speed traps complaints were received last year

than in any previous year in modern times.

Quoting from long and bitter experience with speed traps, the AAA said that in the majority of instances the speed trap operators were not even original. They've just dusted off the old gimmicks of tried and proven effectiveness in separating a motorist from his bankroll.

Now celebrating its Golden Jubilee with a 50-year record of ferreting out unwelcome elements in the motoring scene, the Three-A pointed out that the most effective weapon against traffic traps is publicity.

The advice to motorists caught by a speed trap is to tour the



STREET OF FLOWERS — Perhaps the most beautiful main street in the world is this one in Genzano, Italy, during the Corpus Christi religious celebrations. On the main street leading to the church, a group of local citizens complete their flower decorations as spectators line the sidewalk. Hundreds of pounds of fresh petals are used and even the ropes holding back the crowd are covered with foliage.

town and jot down the names of the hotels, motels and leading business establishments. Altho you aren't likely to recoup a fine levied by a fee-splitting policeman and Justice of the Peace, you can share your story by writing to the town's business men, protesting the operation.

And at the same time, pass the word along to other motorists and the AAA, which has waged a long war against unethical practices affecting the motoring public. At least, so the AAA says, you'll reduce your own blood pressure and you may accomplish enough to bring about the elimination of the speed trap in that town.

Meanwhile, the AAA advises, watch your own speed, and take it easy going through all populated areas.

The other side of the story, of

course, is that too many motorists ignore posted speed warning and endanger the lives of innocent citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Morgan and children and Mrs. Alton Turner and daughter, have returned from a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Needham in Helena, Montana.

State Renews 4-H Dairy Foods Awards For 1952

Lovely to look at — delightful to eat, can well describe the appetizing dishes in the 4-H Dairy Foods Demonstration program, which has been renewed by the State Club office for this year. About 400,000 4-Hers throughout the country are learning the art of making new and better dairy dishes and desserts. This includes luscious ice creams, tapioca puddings, strawberry cheese pie, orange sherberts and even creamy candies — all high in food value.

June, which is national dairy month, points up the importance of dairying and dairy foods. Special attention is being given to dairy demonstrations. The young homemakers and farmers, individually and in teams, are carefully working out each step in the preparation of dairy dishes and demonstrating them to others. They are learning by doing — the watchword of all 4-Hers.

Achievements of 4-H members in dairy foods demonstrations are being encouraged through awards provided by the Carnation Company. County winners receive medals, while a 17-jewel wrist watch is awarded on the state level to the high individual and each member of the high team. Eight trips to National Club Congress in Chicago next

November are presented to the fortunate national winners.

This program is conducted under the supervision of the Cooperative Extension Service and the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin McClane of Odessa, and Mrs. Viola McClane and Vestal McClane of Stanton, spent last weekend in Amarillo, visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. McClane and Mr. and Mrs. Truman McClane.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latimer were her niece and family, Capt. and Mrs. James B. Fisher and Gail of Waco, and her sister, Mrs. C. S. Black and Mike of Miami, Arizona.

Mrs. Charlie Tindle and Parnell of Waco, were here last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Laura Alice Flanagan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Young of Midland, recently visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack

Young and Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr visited Monday in Midland, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crow and R. G. Ragland and sons, have returned from a week's visit in Reggio and Corpus Christi.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ethridge were Mrs. Wayne Mattney and Sandra of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McDonald of Denver, Colo., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Opal Keisling.

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Questions & Answers

Q—I obtained a GI business loan, which is to be repaid in five years. I find that the monthly payments are too high for me to meet. Is it possible to extend the maturity of the loan, and thus reduce monthly payments?

A—Yes, provided both you and your lender agree to extend it, and the extension provides that the loan will be completely repaid within 10 years — the maximum law for GI business loans.

Q—I am a World War II veteran, finishing high school under the GI Bill. Since I have some entitlement left, would I be permitted to go on with a course in a vocational school?

A—Yes. VA considers your high school training as an educa-

tional background that will enable you successfully to training. Your vocational course, therefore, would be normal progression from your high school course—allowable under the GI Bill.

Q—I am the widow of a World War I veteran, and my application for a pension was turned down by VA because my income was higher than the maximum allowed by law. I understand there's a new law, raising the amount of income I'm allowed to have, and still qualify. What can I do to get a pension, under this new law?

A—You will have to file a new claim for reconsideration of your case, on or after July 1, 1952 — the date the new provision becomes effective. There will be no automatic review of rejected claims.



MAKES DEBUT FLIGHT—Powered by eight jet engines, the Consolidated Vultee YB-60 swept-wing bomber thunders over Fort Worth, Tex., where it is undergoing flight tests. The new bomber flew for the first time April 18, but the U. S. Air Force authorized release of pictures only recently.

capital, is short lived, as the stuff eats up not only glass but it punctures holes in armor plate.

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That newshounds, just like white folks, are subject to re-veling in hallucinations is attested to in the recent story Reynolds wrote and appearing in the Daily Herald. He said there was a farmer over in Nolan County, who said the appearance of a dry land terrapin was a sign of rain. This farmer remarked that he located a terrapin on his farm with its head in a tin can. He told his neighbor farmer of his discovery and that "we will have rain tomorrow," and gave his reason. Sure enough a gully washer came the next day. I suppose the reason, the terrapin, like the ostrich when he senses danger, sticks his head in the sand, and the terrapin figuring rain was eminent, tucked his head in a tin can to preserve his life from the flood on the way.

porter last week that the White Auto Store softball team was leading the league standings. When you stop for a moment and consider the characteristics of the Daddy of the lead team, the reader will entertain doubt as to the reason for White Auto Store's perch on the top rung of the ladder among the other nine teams in the league. Jess Burns, owner of White Auto Store, lives, breathes, and sustains his natural averdupois of 180 pounds by reading the scoreboards of all football or baseball teams, and can give you the name of the ranking players on either the football and baseball teams, and when sitting beside his radio listening to the teams in action on the playing field he can name the player who is going to hit a home run or make a touchdown. He can tell you the hidden capabilities of a player, by the posture he presents standing before him for inspection. Is there any wonder that a team tutored by such outstanding efficiency, could snug in any other position than on top of the league standing?

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IT WAS NO SURPRISE TO THIS columnist when he read in the news column of The Stanton Re-

Re-elect

JOHN C. WHITE
To A SECOND TERM AS TEXAS COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE
 FOR CONTINUING PROGRESS IN TEXAS' LARGEST INDUSTRY

Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Bill Swindell

Snooter

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day recently the water supply dwindled to a drizzle through the water pipes. Investigation at the lake found a 12 1/4 pound catfish hung in the intake to the water pumps. Removal of the cause sent water flowing thru the city pipes at its normal rate. Few days later the water supply fell to a trickle, and it was found another catfish had caught his fins in the intake. He was removed, but this time the fish weighed 12 pounds, a quarter of a pound under the first one. All this lead Editor Marvin Hunter to say in his Baird Star: "If there is any neighboring towns planning on building a lake and would like to know what kind of engineering Baird received for an enormous price, we are sure they can get the low down."

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And this leads this column to remark, how thankful the citizens of Stanton should be that they don't have to depend upon a lake for its water supply that dries up from long dry periods, or that the citizens must have

to fight off catfish from clogging up the main water supply pipes. But there can be enemies of another type that can move in and assist in drying up the community's water supply.

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FRANKLIN REYNOLDS, THE top hand "Riding the Grub Line" in the fertile pastures of the Big Spring Daily Herald, mos always, when in Stanton seeking parcels of food to hold on to his "grub stake," visits me at my place of business in the back end of this office, squats himself down on his high-heeled boots crossed under him, and would take off his wide brimmed sombrero but for the bald spot on his head, and proceeds to spin em (if you know what I mean). I have always viewed with a critical eye and scrutinized with suspicion a news-hound that is loose on the range galloping only a few paces away from the prey he is soon to clamp down his jaws to appease his appetite for news. Hence, I make it a point to set up a barrier to the onslaughts of boring interrogation points of questions hurled at me by a newshound by keeping my mouth shut. And yet, as well acquainted as I am with the savior-fare (F), (look it up Reynolds, and let me know what it is), of newshounds, I've learned it matters not whether you tell them the truth or not, they are going to write it down in their own way.

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Reynolds gave me a nice write-up recently, appearing in the Big Spring Daily Herald, for which I appreciate. But I had my feeling somewhat ruffled at another friend of mine associated with the Daily Herald, when Joe Pickle, managing editor, gave Reynolds a message to deliver to me on a recent visit to Stanton.

The message: "Hunt up an empty bottle, fill it with good Stanton water and send it over to me by Reynolds. I'm suffering for the want of a drink of pure water." It wasn't the water part of the remark that offended me. I'd be glad to send Pickle a tub full of water so he could take a

bath, but that "empty bottle" business. To think he would even intimate that Stanton had empty bottles lying around loose. The stuff that empty bottles are made for is found in Big Spring, though I admit the bottle enclosing the liquid refreshment provided in the Howard County

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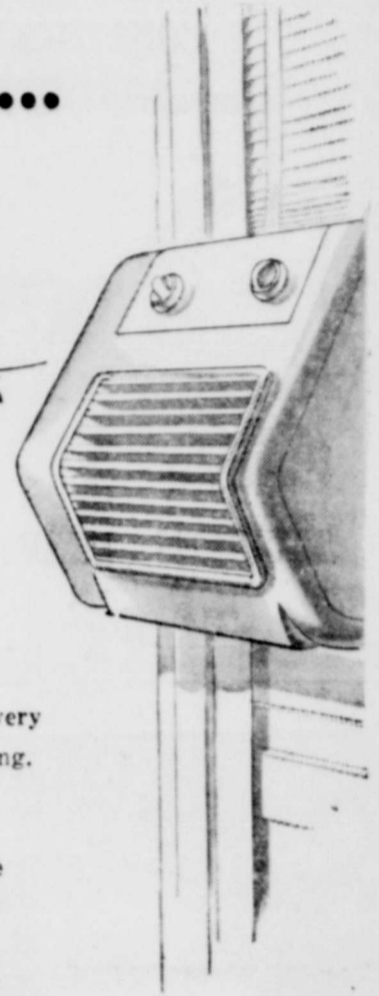
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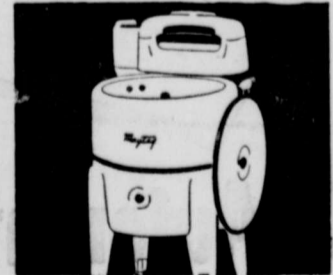
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- Special legislation.
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John Deere Dealer To Announce New Heavy-Duty Tractors

Two new heavy-duty John Deere 2- and 3-plow tractors, successors to Models "A" and "B", will be announced Saturday, July 19, by the Ector Thornton Implement Company.

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Saturday, July 19, and he extends a cordial invitation to everyone to stop by and see the new tractor.

Philosopher Says: Everybody Baffled By American Politics

Dear editor:

I was sittin out here on the Fourth of July takin a holiday, although understand I do not follow the general trend in this matter, if a holiday is good on special occasions it's good on ordinary occasions and I take one whenever I feel like it, under my policy, for example, no use takin one say just on Lincoln's birthday, take one every time you think of Lincoln, and you stretch this out over all the heroes and special days we get and at the end of the year you run up a total of holidays a man's entitled to; as I say, I was sittin out here not doin anything when a ripple of wind turned the page on a newspaper I was lookin at and had been wonderin for some time what was in the next page, and since it was as handy as it was I went ahead and looked at that page and noticed an article which reported that most Europeans are baffled by political events in the United States.

Accordin to this article, Europeans can't understand the system whereby American primary elections are held to pick a delegate who goes to a convention and votes as he chooses for a candidate who will have to run all over again in November.

In this connection, I would like to say that a man does not have to go to Europe to be baffled by American politics. I ain't never been out of the country and I been baffled all my life.

We Americans, when we get a chance to vote, generally do a pretty passable job, maybe we've made a few mistakes here and there, but the system we got for gettin something to vote for ain't always made too much sense. It puts too much power in the hands of a few people who very seldom come out here and ask me who I want. Maybe they ask you and other important people, but so far I been pretty generally ignored. Of course, if they asked me, I ain't sayin I'd have any better ideas than theirs.

However, even if politics is bafflin to the average voter, he ain't by himself. I've seen lots of officeholders, even Presidents, who at times was baffled themselves. It's a pretty popular state of mind.

Yours faithfully,
 J. A.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

Seldom does a government agency drop some activity voluntarily to save the taxpayer's money. But small time saving that it is, the Defense Department makes an encouraging announcement. For some time the department has been issuing a sheet called Military Production News. The latest issue, just out, carries this notice: "For reasons of economy, this is the last issue."

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hopper and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hopper and family of Stanton, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lardemilk and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carbon Lardemilk of Big Spring spent last weekend in Santa Anna, on a fishing trip.

I'd really appreciate your vote and continued support and confidence.

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MARRIAGE PERFORMED HERE IN LATTER DAY SAINTS CHURCH

Doris Lorraine Sader of Midland became the bride of Max Gordon Smith of Odessa, recently in double ring ceremony held in the Stanton Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. The couple were married on the golden wedding anniversary of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Durrell of Lancaster, Calif.

The Rev. Iral Parker officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Sader, of Midland. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith of Odessa.

Mrs. Hart, pianist; Emma Parker, soloist and a quartet composed of Wendell Parker, Earl Koonce, Gearl Koonce and Fred Church provided the traditional wedding music.

Greenery and baskets of white gladiolus and white chrysanthemums decorated the church.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white moire taffeta dress trimmed with white illusion lace. Her fingertip length veil fell from a white cañot hat. She carried white gardenias on a white Bible.

Shirley Bay of Midland was the bridesmaid. She wore a ballerina length nile green dress of net and taffeta, fashioned with net sleeves. She wore a corsage of pink and white carnations.

The flower girls were Jo Nell Smith and Monica Moles, of Odessa. Miss Smith wore a blue organza dress trimmed with lace. Miss Moles wore an identically fashioned dress of yellow organza. They carried white baskets of rose petals.

Kent Smith of Odessa, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ralph Edward Sader, brother of the bride, Wayne Church and Harold Miller served as ushers.

The reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. Her grandparents assisted in receiving the guests.

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New Tape Makes 'Handyman' of Housewife

BY EDNA MILES

ONE of the newest trouble shooters for the many repair jobs that pop up around the house during the summer is a new plastic tape.

Waterproof and impervious to oils, this tape is thin, black and pliable. It sticks on contact, is not affected by prolonged sunlight or intense cold.

Every housewife comes up against a pair of rubbers, now and again, that are torn but must see service in some weather emergency. This new tape provides the right solution. And it's equally good for mending a leaky ice-bag, or for insulating electric wiring.

Because it has a rubber-like ability to stretch over cords, repairing rubber mats, twice its length, this tape is replacing putty around window sills of golf clubs, baseball bats and tennis racquets. It's just as effective for fishing lengthy lists. With it, any rods, tool handles or a leaky housewife can turn into an hose. And it turns in a top performance in splicing lamp



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GUAR PLANTING RECOMMENDED FOR COVER CROP

Recent rains (Saturday and Monday over most of Martin County) increased the prospects for a larger acreage of Guar. Approximately three hundred acres had been planted prior to the latest rain.

Guar is recommended by agricultural officials as a soil building crop and as a deterrent to wind erosion. The single stalk variety is favored in Martin County.

Martin Vavra, soil conservationist, said there were 100,000 acres that could be seeded to this crop in Martin County this year due to the curtailed acreage of cotton.

Seed can be obtained at the SCS office at 12 cents a pound. Farmers purchasing the seed, however, may be reimbursed by PMA for as much as nine cents a pound, according to Charles Daniels, local PMA official.

HONORS DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stovall gave a birthday dinner honoring their daughter, Mrs. Ted Gross of Big Spring.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stovall, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Currie of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gross of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stovall and Neill.

BIG SPRING LIONS SEAT NEW OFFICERS

Cautioning them against being satisfied, George Spence, Ysleta, district 2-T-2 Lions governor, installed officers of the Big Spring Lion Club Monday evening.

The installation climaxed a brief program and Ladies Night affair at the Wagon Wheel.

Guests for the occasion were O. B. Bryan and Garvis P. Ross of the Stanton Lions Club.

Spence told the new officers that we "all go forward or we go backward together" and "you should be filled with a desire for friendly service and understanding." Spence warned against smugness, reminding that "it is only the great who have humility."

R. R. McEwen, Jr., took office as president, being handed the gavel from John L. Dibrell, retiring president. Other new officers were Roxie Dobbins, first vice president; Gil Jones, second vice president; Choc Jones, third vice president; Larson Lloyd, secretary-treasurer; Jack Cook, Liontamer; Roy Worley and R. H. Snyder, talktwister; Carl Smith and Marshall Cauley, and Ralph Etark, hold-over directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Valton Laird are vacationing in Denver, Colo.



REDS EYED—Troops of the Philippine Battalion in Korea keep a sharp watch on "Shanghai Hill," a Communist position only a few thousand yards from their United Nations' outpost. The heaviest fighting of the year has taken place in this area.

DOWN MEMORY LANE

From files of July 10, 1942 Added to war worries some of Stanton's citizens are worrying over how to care for the increased population should oil hit in any one of the three wildcat wells now drilling in the county. As it is folks seeking rent houses or apartments are being turned away as every nook and corner for housing newcomers are occupied.

Re-zoning of the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District to include Midland County was the first order of business at a regular meeting of the board of supervisors Tuesday in Stanton.

Corp. Coats Bentley of Camp Bowie, was the weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bentley.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Holder and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Nowlin and baby received light to serious injuries Wednesday night in an auto collision on the streets of Big Spring.

From the Office of Information it is learned that at the present rate of consumption, the nation's rubber stockpile will be exhausted by the end of March 13, 1943, although not a single ounce of rubber is going into civilian passenger care tires.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Pace of Odessa, visited Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Polson.

Harvey L. Baker, Billy Baker and Earnest Ross spent last weekend in Port Aransas, where they went deep sea fishing. They reported that they caught trout, mackerel, shrimp, flounders and whiting.

E. L. Thomas attended a family reunion in Waco last week.

Mrs. E. L. Thomas went to Bowie last week for her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Ingram, who returned to Stanton with her for a visit.

M. D. Kaderli of Meunster, visited last weekend in Stanton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kaderli.

E. M. Massey and Loree left Monday for a visit with relatives in Sundown, Morton, Gainville, Pilot Point, Fort Worth, Alva-

Questions and Answers

Q—I have a permanent GI insurance policy which lapsed and which VA has been continuing in force as "extended term insurance." Is there any way I can reinstate my permanent policy? If so, is there any time limit?

A—Your permanent insurance may be reinstated at any time upon application. You will be required to pay all back premiums with interest. If you apply within five years from the time your extended insurance would expire, you won't need either a comparative health statement or a medical examination.

Q—I soon expect to finish high school under the GI Bill, and I have some entitlement

left. Could I go to college, even though the July, 1951, cut-off date has passed?

A—Yes. VA considers that moving from high school to college is a "normal progression," and is allowed under its post-cut-off-date regulations.

Q—I applied at a leading institution for a GI home loan, and was turned down. What should I do?

A—See another lender. The fact that one lender is not interested in making the particular type of loan that you want does not preclude the possibility that another may be.

Q—I am a World War I veteran drawing Civil Service retirement pay. Must I include this money in figuring out whether my total yearly income is below the ceiling for getting a pension for a total nonservice-connected disability?

A—Civil Service retirement payments do not count as income until you have received the full amount you have contributed under the pro-

gram. After that, the retirement payments are considered, in computing income for pension purposes.

radio, Cleburne and Merkel. They plan to be gone a week.

Sam Rhodes of Big Lake, visited last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Arrington, of Granbury, visited last weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arrington.

Recent visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCreless, were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith and daughter of Sweetwater.

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Mrs. M. C. Brothers of Stanton, and Mrs. Hershell Howard of Midland, attended a birthday dinner Saturday given in the home of Mrs. M. C. Brothers on her 80th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young and Frances and Lizzie Mae White, toured Del Rio and San Antonio last weekend.

Mrs. Nina Burns and sons Dickie and Don, have returned to their home in Jackson, Miss., after a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Stanton, Cisco and Dallas.

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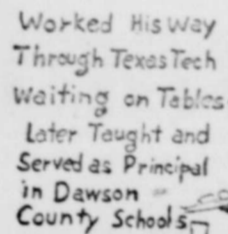
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prise the Chamber's current over all program. The businessmen voting placed the six in the following order of importance:
Government economy.
Federal tax revision.
Explaining the functions of business.
Labor relations.
Special legislation.
Foreign policy.

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Board of Stewards, third Wednesday nights.
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Wednesday night Bible Study, except third Wednesday night.
Choir Practice following Wednesday night; Bible Study except third Wednesday night.
Men's Fellowship each third Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Howard of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Les Durham and Mrs. Sam Jones of Stanton, visited Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Nance of Flower Grove.

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John Deere Dealer To Announce New Heavy-Duty Tractors

Two new heavy-duty John Deere 2- and 3-prow tractors, successors to Models "A" and "B", will be announced Saturday, July 19, by the Ector Thornton Implement Company.

According to Ector Thornton, owner of the firm, Ector Thornton Implement Company, these new tractors feature a host of engineering advancements and major improvements which make them the greatest values ever offered by John Deere. Ector Thornton states that one of the new models will be on display

Saturday, July 19, and he extends a cordial invitation to everyone to stop by and see his new tractor.

Philosopher Says: Everybody Baffled By American Politics

Dear editor:

I was sittin out here on the Fourth of July takin a holiday, although understand I do not follow the general trend in this matter, if a holiday is good on special occasions it's good on ordinary occasions and I take one whenever I feel like it, under my policy, for example, no use takin one say just on Lincoln's birthday, take one every time you think of Lincoln, and you stretch this out over all the heroes and special days we get and at the end of the year you run up a total of holidays a man's entitled to; as I say, I was sittin out here not doin anything when a ripple of wind turned the page on a newspaper I was lookin at and had been wonderin for some time what was in the next page, and since it was as handy as it was I went ahead and looked at that page and noticed an article which reported that most Europeans are baffled by political events in the United States.

Accordin to this article, Europeans can't understand the system whereby American primary elections are held to pick a delegate who goes to a convention and votes as he chooses for a candidate who will have to run all over again in November.

In this connecton, I would like to say that a man does not have to go to Europe to be baffled by American politics. I ain't never been out of the country and I been baffled all my life.

We Americans, when we get a chance to vote, generally do a pretty passable job, maybe we've made a few mistakes here and there, but the system we got for gettin something to vote for ain't always made too much sense. It puts too much power in the hands of a few people who very seldom come out here and ask me who I want. Maybe they ask you and other important people, but so far I been pretty generally ignored. Of course, if they asked me, I ain't sayin I'd have any better ideas than theirs.

However, even if politics is bafflin to the average voter, he ain't by himself. I've seen lots of officeholders, even Presidents, who at times was baffled themselves. It's a pretty popular state of mind.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

BUSINESS BRIEFS

Seldom does a government agency drop some activity voluntarily to save the taxpayer's money. But small time saving that it is, the Defense Department makes an encouraging announcement. For some time the department has been issuing a sheet called Military Production News. The latest issue, just out, carries this notice: "For reasons of economy, this is the last issue."

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hopper and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hopper and family of Stanton, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lardemilk and family and Mr. and Mrs. Carbon Lardemilk of Big Spring spent last weekend in Santa Anna, on a fishing trip.

I'd really appreciate your vote and continued support and confidence.

RE-ELECT

TOM ADAMS COUNTY ATTORNEY MARTIN COUNTY

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VOTE JULY, 26TH.

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from your John Deere Dealer

ON SATURDAY, JULY 19, we will announce an entirely new line of general-purpose tractors—successors to the famous John Deere Models "A" and "B." By far the greatest values ever offered by John Deere, these new tractors feature major engineering advancements and a host of improvements that step up tractor performance in many different ways.

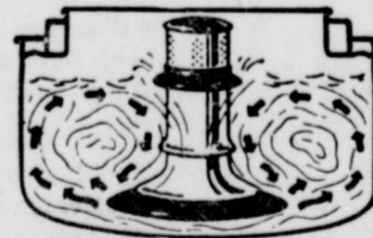
One of these new models will be on display at our store Saturday, July 19th, so be sure to stop in and see for yourself how much more value these great new John Deere Tractors offer you.

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MARRIAGE PERFORMED HERE IN LATTER DAY SAINTS CHURCH

Doris Lorraine Sader of Midland became the bride of Max Gordon Smith of Odessa, recently in double ring ceremony held in the Stanton Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. The couple were married on the golden wedding anniversary of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Darrell of Lancaster, Calif.

The Rev. Iral Parker officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Sader, of Midland. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith of Odessa.

Mrs. Hart, pianist; Emma Parker, soloist and a quartet composed of Wendell Parker, Earl Koonce, Gearl Koonce and Fred Church provided the traditional wedding music.

Greenery and baskets of white gladiolus and white chrysanthemums decorated the church.

Number One of a Series VIGOROUS PROSECUTIONS



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I want to be your District Attorney. In this series of ads I want to tell you honestly what kind of District Attorney I will try to be.

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ELECT GUILFORD (GIL) JONES DISTRICT ATTORNEY
(Po. Ad Paid for by Gil Jones)

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white moire taffeta dress trimmed with white illusion lace. Her fingertip length veil fell from a white catot hat. She carried white gardenias on a white Bible.

Shirley Bay of Midland was the bridesmaid. She wore a ballerina length nile green dress of net and taffeta, fashioned with net sleeves. She wore a corsage of pink and white carnations.

The flower girls were Jo Nell Smith and Monica Moles, of Odessa. Miss Smith wore a blue organdy dress trimmed with lace. Miss Moles wore an identically fashioned dress of yellow organdy. They carried white baskets of rose petals.

Kent Smith of Odessa, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Ralph Edward Sader, brother of the bride, Wayne Church and Harold Miller served as ushers.

The reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. Her grandparents assisted in receiving the guests.

BIG SPRING LIONS SEAT NEW OFFICERS

Cautioning them against being satisfied, George Spence, Yelets, district 2-T-2 Lions governor, installed officers of the Big Spring Lion Club Monday evening.

The installation climaxed a brief program and Ladies Night affair at the Wagon Wheel.

Guests for the occasion were O. B. Bryan and Garvis P. Ross of the Stanton Lions Club.

Spence told the new officers that we "all go forward or we go backward together" and "you should be filled with a desire for friendly service and understanding." Spence warned against smugness, reminding that "it is only the great who have humility."

R. R. McEwen, Jr., took office as president, being handed the gavel from John L. Dibrell, retiring president. Other new officers were Roxie Dobbins, first vice president; Gil Jones, second vice president; Choc Jones, third vice president; Larson Lloyd, secretary-treasurer; Jack Cook, Liontamer; Roy Worley and R. H. Snyder, talltwister; Carl Smith and Marshall Cauley, and Ralph Lark, hold-over directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Valton Laird are vacationing in Denver, Colo.

New Tape Makes 'Handyman' of Housewife

BY EDNA MILES

ONE of the newest trouble-shooters for the many repair jobs that pop up around the house during the summer is a new plastic tape.

Waterproof and impervious to oils, this tape is thin, black and pliable. It sticks on contact, is not affected by prolonged sunlight or intense cold.

Every housewife comes up against a pair of rubbers, now and again, that are torn but must see service in some weather emergency. This new tape provides the right solution. And it's equally good for mending a leaky ice-bag, or for insulating electric wiring.

Because it has a rubber-like ability to stretch over cords, repairing rubber mats, twice its length, this tape is replacing putty around winders of golf clubs, baseball leaky water pipes, bats and tennis raquets. It's uses could make a just as effective for fishing lengthy list. With it, any rods, tool handles or a leaky housewife can turn into an hose. And it turns in a top efficient Mrs. Fix-It, thereby performance in splicing lamp



Plastic tape mends a cracked thermos top and leaves it ready for use. Tape is waterproof.



New plastic tape is waterproof and impervious to oils, acids, prolonged sunlight or cold. It's ideal for patching an ice-bag.



REDS EYED—Troops of the Philippine Battalion in Korea keep a sharp watch on "Shanghai Hill," a Communist position only a few thousand yards from their United Nations' outpost. The heaviest fighting of the year has taken place in this area.

DOWN MEMORY LANE

From files of July 10, 1942

Added to war worries some of Stanton's citizens are worrying over how to care for the increased population should oil hit in any one of the three wildest wells now drilling in the county. As it is folks seeking rent houses or apartments are being turned away as every nook and corner for housing newcomers are occupied.

Re-zoning of the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District to include Midland County was the first order of business at a regular meeting of the board of supervisors Tuesday in Stanton.

Corp. Coats Bentley of Camp Bowie, was the weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bentley.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Holder and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Nowlin and baby received light to serious injuries Wednesday night in an auto collision on the streets of Big Spring.

From the Office of Information it is learned that at the present rate of consumption, the nation's rubber stockpile will be exhausted by the end of March 13, 1943, although not a single ounce of rubber is going into civilian passenger care tires.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Pace of Odessa, visited Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Polson.

Harvey L. Baker, Billy Baker and Earnest Ross spent last weekend in Port Aransas, where they went deep sea fishing. They reported that they caught trout, mackerel, shrimp, flounders and whiting.

E. L. Thomas attended a family reunion in Waco last week.

Mrs. E. L. Thomas went to Bowie last week for her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Ingram, who returned to Stanton with her for a visit.

M. D. Kaderli of Meunster, visited last weekend in Stanton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kaderli.

E. M. Massey and Loree left Monday for a visit with relatives in Sundown, Morton, Gainesville, Pilot Point, Fort Worth, Alva-

Questions and Answers

Q—I have a permanent GI insurance policy which lapsed and which VA has been continuing in force as "extended term insurance." Is there any way I can reinstate my permanent policy? If so, is there any time limit?

A—Your permanent insurance may be reinstated at any time upon application. You will be required to pay all back premiums with interest. If you apply within five years from the time your extended insurance would expire, you won't need either a comparative health statement or a medical examination.

Q—I soon expect to finish high school under the GI Bill, and I have some entitlement

rado, Cleburne and Merkel. They plan to be gone a week.

Sam Rhodes of Big Lake, visited last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Arrington, of Granbury, visited last weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arrington.

Recent visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCreless, were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith and daughter of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Millie Miller of San Antonio, visited last weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rumfield.

Mrs. Vergal Dawkins and children of Midland, visited Monday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hildreth.

Mrs. M. C. Brothers of Stanton, and Mrs. Hershell Howard of Midland, attended a birthday dinner Saturday given in the home of Mrs. M. C. Brothers on her 80th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young and Frances and Lizzie Mae White, toured Del Rio and San Antonio last weekend.

Mrs. Nina Burns and sons Dickie and Don, have returned to their home in Jackson, Miss., after a three weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Stanton, Cisco and Dallas.

left. Could I go to college, even though the July, 1951, cut-off date has passed?

A—Yes. VA considers that moving from high school to college is a "normal progression," and is allowed under its post-cut-off-date regulations.

Q—I applied at a leading institution for a GI home loan, and was turned down. What should I do?

A—See another lender. The fact that one lender is not interested in making the particular type of loan that you want does not preclude the possibility that another may be.

Q—I am a World War I veteran, drawing Civil Service retirement pay. Must I include this money in figuring out whether my total yearly income is below the ceiling for getting a pension for a total nonservice-connected disability?

A—Civil Service retirement payments do not count as income until you have received the full amount you have contributed under the pro-

GUAR PLANTING RECOMMENDED FOR COVER CROP

Recent rains (Saturday and Monday) over most of Martin County increased the prospects for a larger acreage of Guar. Approximately three hundred acres had been planted prior to the latest rain.

Guar is recommended by agricultural officials as a soil building crop and as a deterrent to wind erosion. The single stalk variety is favored in Martin County.

Martin Vavra, soil conservationist, said there were 100,000 acres that could be seeded to this crop in Martin County this year due to the curtailed acreage of cotton.

Seed can be obtained at the SCS office at 12 cents a pound. Farmers purchasing the seed, however, may be reimbursed by PMA for as much as nine cents a pound, according to Charles Daniels, local PMA official.

HONORS DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stovall gave a birthday dinner honoring their daughter, Mrs. Ted Gross of Big Spring.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stovall, and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Currie of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Gross of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stovall and Neill.

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RUSSIANS RUE THE DAY

The shooting down of an unarmed Swedish plane by Russian fighters may have far-reaching implications.

The story, as told by the Swedish government, is clear-cut. The plane, a Catalina, was searching for another Swedish aircraft which had disappeared (and it is now thought that the Russians disposed of that one too). It was well away from Russian territory, and was over international waters. The attack was entirely unprovoked. The Russians, as was to be expected, said that the Catalina had fired first, but few outside of the Iron Curtain give this any credence.

The very different theories have been advanced as to why the Russians should have done this. One is that Soviet pilots, who have been propagandized into a white heat of anger against non-communist world, are trigger nappy and can't resist a sitting duck like a defenseless plane belonging to a free nation. The other—which is more widely held—is that the attack was deliberate and planned, as part of the Kremlin's strategy of seeking to inspire fear and confusion in neighbors who are not part of the Soviet orbit.

If this was the idea, it certainly didn't work with the Swedes. The government and the people alike were enraged. The stiffest kind of a protest was handed to the Russian ambassador. Swedish air force planes were ordered to shoot to kill if interfered with by Soviet craft. Denmark backed Sweden to the hilt, and her military forces were given similar orders. This, incidentally, was a demonstration of rare courage and fortitude on the part of these two peace-loving countries which are within cannon range of the Russian colossus.

At any rate, the whole Western world is watching Russia's current moves with intense interest. The recent shift of Soviet ambassadors has been the cause of a great deal of hard thinking in all the Western chancelleries. Panyushkin, Russia's foremost expert on American affairs, was switched from Washington to Red China. Zarubin, a diplomat of no particular distinction, was transferred from London to Washington. And to London went Gromyko, a top man in the Kremlin hierarchy. This last event is regarded as the most significant. For there is very little probability that Gromyko's mission is to try to wean Britain away from her close ties with the United States. In this work, he will have, to some extent at least, the support of a segment of the Labor Party which holds to the view that Russia isn't really such a menace, and that the U. S. may be the real warmonger.

The biggest question of all is whether Russia is getting ready to promote some more Koreans, in the hope of spreading Western power even thinner, and drawing Western blood at almost no cost to herself. This could well be the major problem the Western world will have to face in the near future. For Korea has served communism well. It has caused us heavy casualties, and has created tremendous conflicts and dissensions in this country. The Administration has no convincing plan for ending it. Nor have any of the Russian leaders, including presidential hopefuls Taft and Eisenhower.

THE SPIRIT OF 1976

Leaders in all lines of activity are increasing efforts to maintain the highest levels of integrity in the operation of business and industry. They are aware of the peril to the moral standards of the country as a whole which has accompanied revelations of widespread corruption in government. Their first concern is for young people from whose ranks must come tomorrow's leaders.

William H. Miller, an official of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, in speaking of the responsibilities of businessmen, points out that "Today's office boy may be president of your company when the U. S. celebrates its second centennial in 1976 . . . the training of executives begins with the young people who walk into your business out of high school or college. If businessmen and fathers are not going to make it clear to youngsters that practically all business is moral and ethical, who is?"

Mr. Miller suggests three ways in which businessmen can help children: "Give our own youngsters and others something money can't buy—our time. Be a good citizen. Be a good church member."



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

How Nervy Can a "Tenant" Get?

"Harry the Hermit" dropped in to see Judge Cunningham the other day and started complaining about that dilapidated house he lives in over near Greenwood Lake.

"Who's my landlord?" Harry wanted to know. "Whoever you pay rent to," says the Judge. "Don't pay any rent," says Harry. "Moved into that house twelve years ago and nobody ever came to collect."

"Well," says the Judge, looking mystified, "what do you have to complain about?" "Plenty," replies Harry. "Rain's pouring in my living room and if someone doesn't

fix that roof, I'm moving out!" Now Harry was only having a little joke, but from where I sit I've seen people act just about as nervy as this sometimes—seriously. Like those who enjoy all the rights Americans have worked for, and yet would take away some of those freedoms from others—for example, our right to enjoy a friendly glass of beer. I say these "leaks of intolerance" have no place in the "home of liberty."

Joe Marsh

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Bible Comment:

Ruin Awaits Those Who Would Depart From Wisdom's Path

It is one thing to praise wisdom, but quite another thing to practice it. And the most unwise thing that can happen is to abandon wisdom once you have found it.

This is forcefully illustrated in the history of King Solomon, reputedly the author of the Book of Proverbs, and reputedly "the wisest man who ever lived."

At least two great and noble incidents are recorded of Solomon, and if all his life and action had been in accordance with these he surely would have deserved the fullest of his reputation for wisdom.

The one incident was the dream recorded in I Kings 3:5-12, in which, asked to choose whatever he desired from the Lord, he spoke in deep humility and asked, above all things, for an understanding heart to exercise good judgment and rule his people well.

The other outstanding incident was his prayer at the dedication of the Temple. Perhaps, like some addresses of other kings and rulers, it was written for him by some religious leader of saintly spirit and prophetic insight. But by delivering it Solomon made it his own, and if he had continued in the letter and spirit of that prayer he might have gone down in history as famous for his goodness and wisdom as he is for the outward splendor of his reign.

Instead Solomon took to himself many wives. Not content with the building of the Temple, he built for himself. In a great palace he surrounded himself with riches and luxury for which the people paid in oppressive taxes. Bearing it all while Solomon lived, he rebelled when his son Rehoboam succeeded him.

Solomon in the early part of his reign stands as a fine example and an exhortation to wisdom. But in the latter part he stands as a solemn warning of what happens to a man, even a great one when he departs from wisdom.

ANSWERS TO Intelligence Test

1—Grant, 2—Louisville, 3—Japan, 4—SHAPE, 5—Wyoming, 6—James Forrestal, 7—(A) slow down; (B) do it now; (C) worsen; (D) permit; (E) reduce.

Mrs. J. E. Pegues and daughter, Mrs. Taft Morrow have returned to Chrystal City after visiting relatives in Stanton.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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For State Senator 28th Senatorial District:
PRESTON SMITH
KILMER CORBIN
(Re-election)

For State Representative 101st State Legislative District:
J. GORDON (OBIE BRISTOW)

For District Attorney:

ELTON GILLILAND
(Re-election)

GUILFORD (GIL) JONES

For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals:

HENRY RUSSELL
(Reeves County)

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:

JAMES McMORRIES
(Re-election)

ED ROBNETT

For County Attorney:

RALPH W. CATON
TOM ADAMS
(Re-election)

For County Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:

NOAH R. KOONCE
A. L. FRITH
W. P. (BILL) PINKSTON
DAN SAUNDERS
GEORGE BURNS

For County Treasurer:

MRS. PAULINE COOK

For County and District Clerk:

MRS. NOBYE HAMILTON
(Re-election)

MRS. DORIS STEPHENSON

For County Commissioner Precinct 1:

CLIVER VAUGHN
(Re-election)

M. L. GRAVES

For County Commissioner Precinct 2:

D. E. BLOOMER
(Re-election)

STANLEY A. LEWIS
R. M. (MIKE) ANDERSON

For County Commissioner Precinct 3:

I. E. WELCH
(Re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct 4:

JOE FROMAN
(Re-election)

MELVIN BROWN
CONRAD F. STOKES

The Fireworks Are Not Over Yet



Test Your Intelligence

Score 10 points for each correct answer in the first six questions:

- Which of the following generals later became President of the U. S.:
—Sherman —Sheridan —Grant —Lee
- The Kentucky Derby is run at the city of:
—Lexington —Louisville —Covington —Frankfort
- The Mikado is associated with:
—China —Iran —Spain —Japan
- Gen. Matthew Ridgway is commander of:
—SHAPE —SCAP —USAF —AAA
- The old Republic of Texas included part of the present state of:
—Montana —California —Wyoming —Oklahoma
- The first U. S. Secretary of Defense was:
—Louis Johnson —Edward Stettinius —Robert Lovett —James Forrestal
- Listed below, at left, are five words and opposite them, mixed up, words or phrases that express opposite ideas. Match them, scoring eight points for each correct judgment.
(A) accelerate —worsen
(B) procrastinate —permit
(C) alleviate —reduce
(D) interdict —slow down
(E) propagate —do it now

Total your points. A score of 0-20 is poor; 30-60, average; 70-80 superior; 90-100, very superior.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Bill Ethridge has returned from a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Doss, in Kansas City, Kans.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ethridge spent last weekend in Alpine with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Graham spent last weekend in the Davis Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Green of

Houston visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Evans have returned from a trip to Oklahoma, Dallas and Sweetwater.

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(Political Adv. paid for by Everett Hutchinson.)

Consumer Loses Through Faulty Measuring Devices

Many thousand dollars are lost by the Texas consumer each year because of faulty scales and measuring devices. The farmer doesn't get his full 100 pounds of feed, the housewife's pound of meat is an ounce or two short and the motorist fails to receive a full gallon of gasoline. But the consumer isn't the only one who loses out on transactions based on inaccurate units. The merchants stands an equal chance of loss from the de-

vices which have accidentally slipped out of adjustment. **Blanket Check**
The Weights and Measures Division of the Texas Department of Agriculture is now engaged in the annual blanket check of all commercial scales and measuring units of the state. Ten inspectors are making a circuit tour of Texas in an intensive effort to assure the customer and the dollar of a fair share in all transactions. The job is expected to be completed by mid-summer—and the results, thus far, are encouraging. Last year, an average of one out of every five scales were

found to be in poor working order or out of adjustment. And an average of one out of every 4 1/2 gasoline pumps was giving an inaccurate measure of fuel. Preliminary reports from inspection this year reveal that the fation of improvement may be as high as 93 per cent. This is due, in part, by the constant inspection program maintained by the department, in addition to cooperation between city and state weights and measures divisions.

Deliberate Fraud
A relatively small percentage of cases are found to be deliberate fraud and these are vigorously prosecuted. Most violations are the result of careless scale and equipment maintenance. Essentially, the inspection program is not a police action to ferret out criminals, but a service of government for the protection of all persons.

The really alarming ration of dollars lost is in the purchase of

commodities weighed and packaged in stores such as lunch meat, fresh meat, cheeses and fryers. About every other package checked by inspectors is incorrect as to weight. Approximately 35 per cent of these are overweight and the remainder underweight.

But these figures do not necessarily reflect on the honesty of the merchant. The commodities can be properly marked and then placed under refrigeration where shrinkage is bound to occur. Any package that has been in cooling compartment more than 24 hours is almost certain to be wrongly marked. The only solution would be to require merchants to re-weigh the goods every day. This would be a tremendous job for some of our super markets.

The most practical solution is for the purchaser to request the packaged goods be re-checked at the cashier's stand where he can pay for the current weight.

It is partly up to the consumer to see that he gets a full weight and measure of goods. Any person who suspects faulty transactions should report them to the Texas Department of Agriculture in Austin. A check will be made at once.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carr were Mrs. Bernie Miller of Fort Worth, Mrs. Herbert Hughes and son of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bunn of Big Spring.



AUSTERITY SMASHER—The British may have an austerity program, but they also have pretty 18-year-old Joan Collins to grace their cinema screens. Joan, shown above in a London studio, has her first big role in the film, "I Believe in You."

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Polson and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Polson, last weekend, were Mrs. I. A. Toland, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown and family and Jimmy Sullivan, all of Arkadelphia, Ark.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brown of Beaumont, visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Joan Long.

Mrs. J. M. Blackerby of Manteca, Calif., has come to Stanton to make her home with her sister, Mrs. Mary Christian.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ervin spent last weekend in El Paso and New Mexico.

Mrs. S. M. McIntosh recently visited friends in Big Spring.

C. M. Edwards and son, Bruce

of Midland visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Edwards.

Cpl. Vernon C. Cross was home last week from Waco, where he is stationed with the army. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cross.



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Selecting Sires for the Beef Herd

Beef performance tests, originated several years ago in the Western Cattle states, have indicated that eight out of every ten fast-growing cattle produce fast-gaining offspring.

It is believed the commercial operator can boost his gross income by almost 20% within a reasonable length of time because he will have that many more pounds to sell, and the commercial cattlemen is interested only in selling cattle by the pound.



by J. C. Thompson
Mgr. Livestock Research
Ruston Farms

According to ranchers and researchers who have been using the beef performance test as a yardstick, the ideal way to pick a prospective herd sire is to look for five things, in this order:

- 1.—His birth weight. The sire is largely responsible for the bulk of this weight. Tests show that the birth weight is an excellent indication of mature weight.
- 2.—The weaning weight. For this the cow is given much of the credit . . . she has to be a good milker.
- 3.—The rate of gain after weaning. This again is largely due to the sire.
- 4.—The hair. Although there is no scientific evidence that the color of the hair has anything to do at all with performance, most ranchers like a long-haired, light-colored sire.

5.—Conformation. For the grass eating cattle, there is no such thing as getting too much size and too much bone. Ranchers believe there is a correlation between heavier bone cattle, roughness and ability to survive rugged calving conditions. While many ranchers want a good head for sales purposes, there are no indications the head has anything to do with the ability to gain.

It is the consensus of opinion that the big thing about performance testing is that the rancher can select fast growing cattle, and at the same time develop the kind of conformation and finish that the market requires.

It has been pointed out that commercial cattlemen ought to expect a gain of 3 pounds a day in the bulls they buy. In most cases this is actually a dollars-and-cents proposition for the fastest gaining cattle are also the most economical to feed.

Malone Mitchell has spent his entire life in the country around Sanderson, Texas, in Terrell and Pecos Counties. His father, also a rancher, came to Crockett County in the early 90's. The Mitchell ranch, spreading over 30,000 acres, runs 5000 Rambouillets and 150 registered Polled Hereford cows.

Malone believes in neighbors helping each other—cooperating to make the work easier. He attributes his own success to working with his two rancher brothers. It's not unusual to see the three of them pooling their efforts on big jobs.

As a breeder, Malone Mitchell devotes part of his time to the Polled Hereford Association of South Texas, an organization he serves as vice-president.

Mitchell's son, Malone, Jr., is growing up with cattle and sheep learning to get along with his neighbors.



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OIL NEWS

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and west lines of labor 12, league 248, Hartley County School Land survey. It is 24 miles north west of Stanton. Slated destination of the wildcat is 14,500 feet to test the Ellenburger.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1-C Schar (Scharbauer Cattle Company), Southwest Martin County wildcat, 13 miles north of Midland and 19 miles west and slightly north of Stanton, is at plugged back depth of 8,800 feet and is swabbing in the Spraberry to test.

In 12 hours the project made three barrels of oil and three barrels of salt water.

The prospector was drilled to a total depth of 9,006 feet. It set and cemented 7-inch casing at 9,000 feet. The cement inside the casing was drilled out to 8,938 feet and the pipe was then perforated from 8,820 feet to 8,870 feet for the testing.

It is 1,320 feet from south and 6,888 feet from west lines of league 324, LaSalle County School Land survey. It is four and one half miles east of the Mabee (San Andres) field.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1-P-A George W. Glass, five-eighths of a mile northwest stepout of the nearest completed oil well in the Glass (Pennsylvanian)

field in Southwest Martin County, is drilling below 4,393 feet in lime.

It is 1,930 feet from north and west lines of section 12, block 39, T-1-N, T&P survey. Projected depth is 11,000 feet.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company No. 1 G. T. Hall, wildcat to 10,900 feet to explore the Ellenburger in Northwest Glasscock County, is coring below 6,561 feet in lime and shale.

Location is 1,930 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 6, block 34, T-2-S T&P survey.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Kelly Stephens, stepout to production in the Germania (Spraberry) field of Northeast Midland County, 12 1/2 miles northeast of Midland failed to find commercial production in the upper Spraberry in drilling to its original destination of 7,450 feet.

The upper Spraberry section above 7,250 feet had some slight shows, but it had no possibilities of making an oil well.

Operator has filed an amended application with the Railroad Commission of Texas requesting permission to go to a possible bottom of 8,300 feet.

The prospector has already drilled to 7,926 feet in the top of the upper Spraberry and it is now testing. So far it has not reported having developed any production in that zone.

Location 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 43, block 36, T-1-S, T&P survey.

Miss Lela Boyd of Dallas, spent last weekend in Stanton with her mother, Mrs. Charles Ebberson.

Miss Marie Spencer of Midland was a dinner guest Sunday in the home of Mrs. Charles Ebberson.

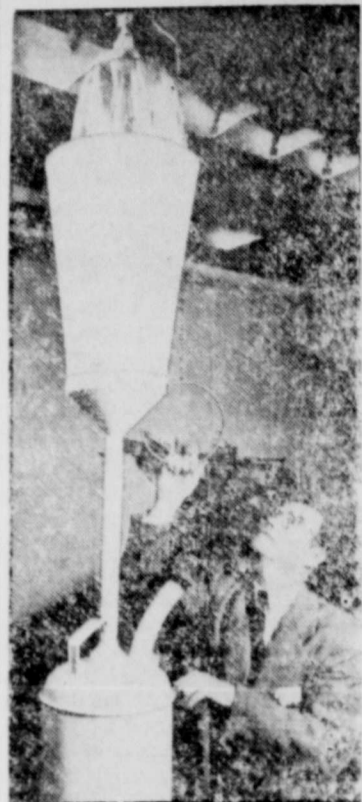


Stated meeting every second and fourth Tuesday night. School of instruction every Monday night at 8 p. m.

MACE HOWARD WEDS LESTER DURHAM

Mrs. Mace Howard and Lester Durham were married recently in Colorado City with Rev. E. A. Reed, minister of the Methodist Church, there, officiating.

Mrs. Durham, employee of the Stanton postoffice, is the daughter of Mrs. S. E. Jones of Stanton. Durham, formerly of Colorado City, is employed by Stanton Implement Company. They will make their home in Stanton.



MARTIN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL TOUR SET JULY 25

Ray Hastings, chairman of the Agriculture and Livestock committee of the Chamber of Commerce, is arranging a tour for July 25 of a large number of FFA and 4-H Club projects in Martin County.

The outing is expected to last all day and will include visits to the cotton fields in several areas. Hastings is county agricultural agent.

It is being planned for the businessmen and other interested persons. Those desiring to make the tour should register their names with the chamber of commerce, Hastings said.

MRS. ALEX HAGGARD ENTERTAINS GUESTS

Mrs. Alex Haggard was hostess to a covered dish luncheon and Canasta Party recently in her home.

Those attending were Mmes. Dave Foreman, Glenn L. Brown, S. W. Wheeler, R. B. Whitaker, George Herzog, James H. Billington, J. C. Greenhaw and the hostess.

Mrs. J. J. Mills has returned from Dallas, where she visited with her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Harrison, who has been ill.

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Green Card Tells Farmer Value of Cotton

Farmers can take the guesswork out of selling their cotton with a green card.

This green card shows that the cotton has been classed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration. A green card, showing the grade and staple is issued for every bale of cotton classed.

Farmers belonging to cotton improvement groups receive this classification without paying a fee. Also, they receive a daily USDA price quotation sheet to keep them posted on what their cotton is worth.

Both services come from FMA's cotton classing office, Abilene, Texas. Manager of this office is H. J. Matejowski.

Any group of farmers organized to promote improvement of cotton, adopts a variety, files an application, arranges for sampling and meets certain other requirements for its members is eligible for these services.

The application, which covers all arms in the group, should be mailed to the Abilene cotton classing office as soon as all members have planted their cotton. It is located at 1407 S. First Street, P. O. Box 2031.

LOUISIANA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Ezell McKaskle and as their guests for the fourth of July holidays, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Maricelli and family of Shreveport, La. The McKaskles showed their guests the sights while here—the Fourth of July fireworks display on Seena Mountain in Big Spring and an inspection of the sky scraper buildings in Midland. Mmes. Maricelli and McKaskle are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Haggard and Larry spent last week in Madisonville with her sister, Ola Mae Henson.

It took 1,000 artists three years to make the movie "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."

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It depends on motorists whether we'll have a "goryless" Fourth.

The government has allotted 45



per cent more copper for civilian use. For our pay envelopes?

A Canadian motorist was fined for careless driving when police found his car's brakes tucked away in his auto's trunk. Does save wear and tear.

Russia has taken to shooting down Swedish planes. But it's probably just a little neighborly target practice.

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CITY FILES ANSWER TO LAW SUIT

Answers to a damage suit brought against them by Alfred Moody in district court has been filed by the City of Stanton, Police Chief Ogal Avery and Walter Graves, policeman, according to records in the office of Mrs. Nobby Hamilton, district clerk.

Moody, an oil field worker, charged in his petition that he was a prisoner in the Martin County jail last December and that his health was permanently impaired by smoke and fumes from a fire in the jail which resulted in the deaths of two prisoners.

Named as defendants in the action, in addition to the city and these two officers, were Martin County and various county officials. All the other officials and the county had previously filed their answers denying all responsibility for the fire and the consequences.

Listed as attorneys for the city and city officials are Ralph Cation of Stanton and George H.

Hansard and R. Stansell Clement of Lamesa. In his suit Moody asks a total of \$384,600 in damages, both actual and exemplary.

FFA Convention Plans Announced; To Be July 16-18

DALLAS — Franklin Brandt of LaGrange, State President of the Texas Association of the Future Farmers of America has announced the final details for the 24th Annual State Convention of Future Farmers, July 16-18.

The Convention will be highlighted by the State Public Speaking Contest. Winner of the State Contest will enter competition with winners from Louisiana and Oklahoma to determine who will represent the 3 state area in the National Future Farmer Public Speaking Contest to be held in Kansas City, Missouri in October.

Each of the 10 Areas in the State will be represented in the State Elimination Contest. Bill Hunter, Dimmitt FFA, will

speak on "Let us Wage the Peace"; Joe N. Stephens, Lamesa FFA, "Trend of Socialism in Agriculture: United States"; W. C. Manning, Hamilton FFA, "Balanced Farming"; Herley Jenkins, Caddo Mills FFA, "Conservation Farming Through FFA"; Larry Umberson, West Lamar FFA, "Electrification of Rural Areas"; Don Brown, Luling FFA, "From Fuzz to Whiskers"; Norman Donoho, Itasca FFA, "Farm Safety"; Jack Earl Harrison, Huntington FFA, "Protect Our Soils & Save America"; and Durell Douthit, Raymondville FFA, "Zebu Crosses."

The Future Farmer State Convention will be attended by more than 5000 Future Farmer boys and their teachers of Vocational Agriculture, July 16-18, in Dallas at the Baker Hotel. The Convention will end July 13 with the election of the State President, and the presentation of State awards.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh White of Wharton, visited last weekend in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Henson, and other relatives.



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JOBS OPEN IN WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Chas. S. Gardiner, Director of the Merit System Council, announced today that the State Department of Public Welfare is in need of employees in clerical and professional positions and that competitive examinations have been scheduled for August 16. He said that there is a continuing demand for qualified workers for career jobs in State service and urges interested persons to make inquiry at the local office of the Welfare Department.

Examinations will be offered for Typist, Clerk, Stenographer, Intake Receptionist, Senior Child Welfare Worker and Child Welfare Field Supervisor. Gardiner stated that applications may be obtained at any office of the State Department of Public Welfare or by writing the Merit System Council in Austin. He said the closing date for accepting applications will be July 26.

BIG CIRCULATION EXPECTED FOR C OF C FOLDER

National distribution of a new folder descriptive of Stanton and Martin County was anticipated by the local Chamber of Commerce in placing its initial order for five thousand copies. It portrays this area as receptive to all industrial and agricultural development.

Mrs. Hila Weathers, Chamber manager, said the new folder would be printed on a stipple paper with a green background and in addition to the statistical description is illustrated with several scenes from around the city and over the county. On the cover is a photo engraving of the signs erected at highway approaches to the city which have brought the city and county national recognition in newspapers and magazines and which read: "Home of 3,000 Friendly People (And a Few Old Sore Heads)."

The folder points out that Stanton's postal receipts have increased from \$6,370.20 in 1940 and \$18,342.98 in 1952, and that over the same period bank deposits have risen from \$404,062.07 to \$4,589,836.05.

The county is described as having 825 farms with more than 15,000 acres under irrigation; 14 gins and a compress with a capacity of 100,000 bales in addition to thousands of acres of good range land. The folders will be given national circulation, Mrs. Weathers said.

Jerry Hall of Lubbock, visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall.

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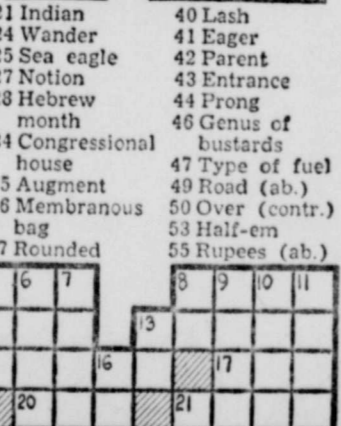
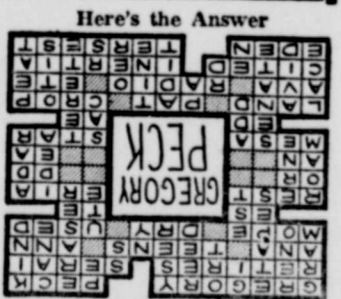
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 - 30 Doctor of Divinity (ab.)
 - 31 Any
 - 32 Babylonian deity
 - 33 Flat-topped hill
 - 36 He is a screen
 - 38 Editor (ab.)
 - 39 An (Scott.)
 - 40 Disembark
 - 42 Light touch
 - 45 Craw
 - 48 Hawaiian pepper
 - 49 He has made many appearances
 - 51 Summer (Fr.)
 - 52 Adduced
 - 54 Inertness
 - 56 Paradise
 - 57 Most succinct
- VERTICAL**
- 1 Chick-pea
 - 2 Nevada city
 - 3 Public storehouses
 - 4 Government issue (ab.)
 - 5 Worthless morsel
 - 6 Bamboolike grass
 - 7 Belgian river
 - 8 Hebrew letter
 - 9 Expunger
 - 10 Walking stick
 - 11 Genus
 - 13 Steamship (ab.)
 - 16 "Empire State" (ab.)
 - 19 East (Fr.)
 - 21 Indian
 - 24 Wander
 - 25 Sea eagle
 - 27 Notion
 - 28 Hebrew month
 - 34 Congressional house
 - 35 August
 - 36 Membranous bag
 - 37 Rounded
 - 40 Lash
 - 41 Eager
 - 42 Parent
 - 43 Entrance
 - 44 Prong
 - 46 Genus of bustards
 - 47 Type of fuel
 - 49 Road (ab.)
 - 50 Over (contr.)
 - 53 Half-em
 - 55 Rupees (ab.)



FROM WHERE I SIT
By HILA WEATHERS
Manager of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce

WE ARE HAPPY TO PRESENT our newest member. So here is B. T. Hale to line up with us as an active member of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Hale is well known and highly regarded in our trade territory as an extensive land owner, and retired farmer-rancher. He has just bought the Dick Hittson Stanton properties, and therefore, will be of great help in housing our newcomers. Mr. Hale has paid us several visits along since we were organized, and we're always glad when he comes into the office. We pledge our full cooperation to Mr. Hale in his activities, and hope that his affiliation with us will be of benefit to him. (We'll let you in on a secret: we have two other new members, but we're holding them, in order that we may introduce a new member each week. So ALL you folks help keep the ball a-rolling!)

IT SEEMED LIKE OLD HOME week most of Monday. We had a great number of visitors to the office. They included James Eiland of the Cap Rock Electric Co-op; Martin Vavra and Cal Boykin, Jr., from the Soil Conservation Service; Mr. Vavra is in charge of the office in Martin County, and Mr. Boykin comes from the Midland office. Frank Medley of Big Spring stopped a few minutes on his way to Odessa. Mrs. Ray Kelly, owner-manager of the Motel Belvue, was a visitor, as well as Coats and Jack Bentley, both of BENTLEY'S; they came at different times, and each of them had some mighty fine ideas which might prove highly beneficial to our county. Tad Hale, local manager of the West Texas Gas Corporation came by for some information. Mr. V. C. Summers, manager of the Farmers Gin and Cotton Company and S. W. Wheeler, our progressive president, both just visiting and seeing how "w tick!" James Biggs of the Firestone Store came by to see if our air-conditioner was combatting the heat as it should — it was. Other visitors during Monday afternoon were J. H. Talton of Big Spring, who has recently built four new homes in Stanton; James Jones of the James Jones' Hardware, who is our efficient Treasurer; Cecil Bridges, local manager of the Texas Electric Service Company; Garvis P. Ross, editor of The Stanton Reporter, and Jim Marshall, representative of the Grain Company of Abilene. Then Lorene Burns, one of the popular High School Girls and an outstanding 4-H girl, came by to tell us about her recent attendance of the State 4-H

Roundup, held in College Station at A&M. While there, Lorene took a part in the Dairy Food Demonstration, and — YES, she won honors. Then there were several new-comers in looking for housing. We are always SO glad to have our members drop by for a visit — let's do it more often — and the rest of you make us a visit.

WE ARE PREPARING A short brief to send a potential and a worth while business enterprise. They stressed shipping outlets, and we were glad to list our shipping facilities that are enjoyed by Big Spring, Midland, and Odessa. Naturally WE stressed the advantages of life in a smaller town with cost-of-living attractively lower than in surrounding towns. Keep your fingers crossed.

SURE, YOU KNOW AND I Know, TOO, that the lack of rain and other conditions have caused a slowing down of some of our business activities, but when our merchants can get together and actually joke and have fun about the "dryness," then we're not worried, we're going to be OK. For that certain half-hour of good wholesome fun on that subject, ask Bill Rhodes of the Family Store — it was all his idea. Altogether it was really worth the money, and the incident caused many a hearty laugh, which is a "shot in the arm" for business. More power to Bill!

IN THE JUNE ISSUE OF THE West Texas Today, there appeared an advertisement of The Citizens National Bank of Abilene. This ad impressed us one of the BEST seen in many a moon. Thanks to N. F. Wilson, cashier of the bank, we have permission to pass it along to you, as I think all our business men in Martin County will appreciate it. Here it is: "The Ten Commandments of our Business."

- 1. A Customer is the most important person in our business.
- 2. A customer is not dependent on us, we are dependent on him.
- 3. A Customer is not an interruption of our work, he is the purpose of it.
- 4. A Customer does us a favor when he calls, we are not doing him a favor by serving him.
- 5. A Customer is a part of our business, he is not an outsider.
- 6. A Customer is not a cold statistic, he is a flesh-and-blood human being with feelings and emotions like our own.
- 7. A Customer is a person who brings us his wants, it is our job to fill those wants.
- 8. A Customer is deserving of the most courteous and attentive treatment we can give him.
- 9. A Customer is the life blood of this and every other business.
- 10. Now, isn't that good? It's certainly food for thought, and I just wanted YOU to enjoy it, too.

George Whitaker is home from spending several days with his grandmother, Mrs. E. T. Whitaker of Strawn.

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1 pint ice cream (any flavor)
1 or 1 1/2 cups drained fruit
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Dissolve Jell-O in hot liquid in 2-quart saucepan. Add ice cream by spoonfuls, stirring until melted. Then chill until thickened, but not set (10 to 35 minutes). Fold in fruit. Turn into pie shell. Chill until firm (10 to 30 minutes).

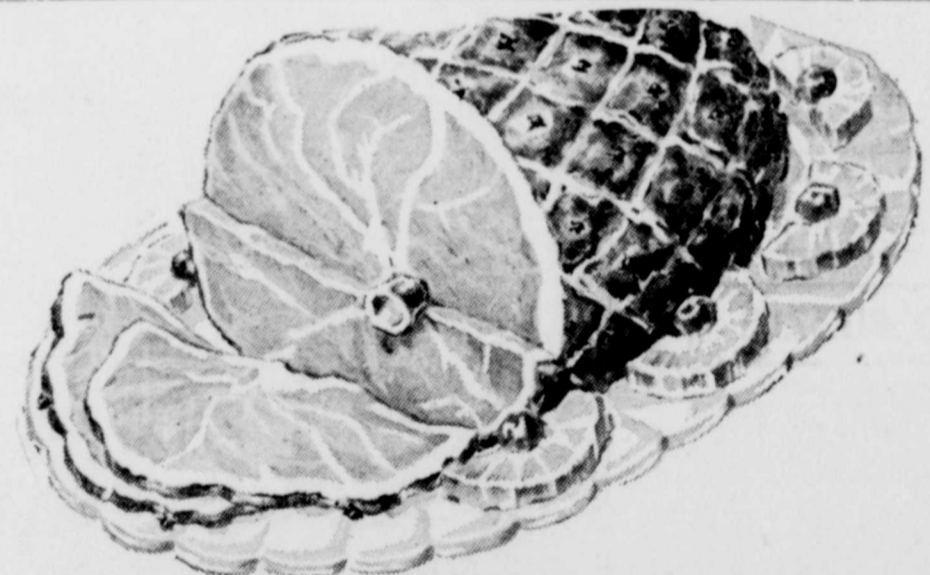
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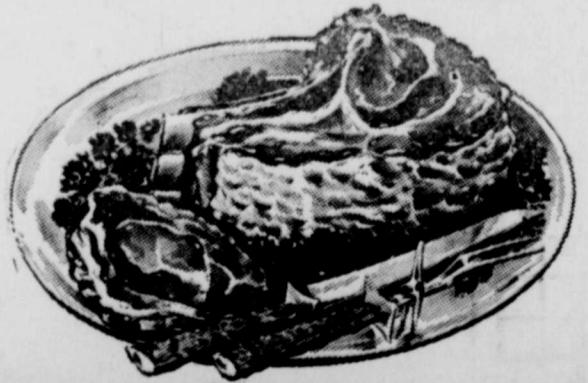
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