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VARIETY

By NEAL ESTES



It is an exceedingly good thing the people of Irish nativity welcome guests of other nations in observing St. Patrick's Day. It is good to assemble around the festive board and to sing ballads about the Oide Sod. The spirit of merriment and gaiety takes us all briefly out of the ruts of today and binds us together in love and affection. Have a good day next Tuesday, March 17.

MARION YELL was by the office Monday morning to renew his subscription to the Ole Reliable another year. I surely appreciated his comment concerning the columns appearing weekly in the paper. YELL said in part: "Sometimes, NEAL, you write just what I think about things." In this changing world it is hard to keep abreast of many things, but your country editor does try to keep informed and our sources are from many origins.

CURT FLOOD, a great baseball player with the St. Louis Cardinals in recent years, attempted to change the baseball constitution of the big leagues and struck out in the courthouse. FLOOD wanted to throw out baseball's reserve clause. He claimed his personal civil rights were in conflict with the storied league rule, which gives the management of any major baseball club the right to dispose of a player anytime the manager deems it necessary. CURT hired ARTHUR GOLDBERG, an unimpaired supreme court justice under the JOHNSON administration, as one of his attorneys. Both fell legally flat on their faces. FLOOD now stands a chance to join JACK-IE ROBINSON and CASSIUS CLAY, both losers in trying to put their points over on the greatest country in world. Before some bird-brain shouts racism, I would like to point out that the finest black baseball player of all time, WILLIE MAYES, refused to endorse the FLOOD movement and he didn't string along with the ROBINSON idea of how to get along in the big leagues either and WILLIE — the "Say Hey" Kid, is still up there in the majors pulling down one hundred thousand dollars a year and smiling!

I like men and women like CLARK and KATHRYN HAMILTON. When they mailed in their subscription renewal check they wrote, "NEAL, next year when this comes due, why not make a visit and get the cash on time." The HAMILTONS now live in Big Spring. They are some of my favorite people, and have many friends in Martin County. But the editor's mail is not always pleasant. In the same mail, a note arrived from a subscriber we have been carrying six-months overdue on the circulation list which read, "It's not our account we were six months behind. We just wanted to finished out the year — please don't continue the paper as far as we are concerned." So, our readers can see why it should be the policy of the paper to stop a subscription if it is not renewed at the time of expiration. Some

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Burglars Break In Schools Here

City Council Race Attracts 6 Candidates

Six Stanton men have entered the race for the four seats to be filled on the municipal council in April.

They are: Stanton White, Floyd McArthur, Howard Jenkins, Jimmy Stallings, and Bob Deavenport. Mayor J. C. Epley is unopposed in his race for re-election.

Epley, White, former Stanton banker, Bill Terry, and Sammy Houston, rolled in office by wide majorities, as the result of the most successful write-in vote in the history of the city. Terry has since moved to another city. Houston stated that he has personal plans that will prevent his further serving on the city council.

Howard Jenkins, long an established citizen of Stanton, an outstanding member of the St. James Baptist Church, married and the father of three sons, all war veterans, is seeking one of the council seats.

White, employee of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, is a native son of the city. He is married, and the father of three children. His son, Larry, is now serving with the Armed Forces in Germany.

Floyd McArthur was in the welding business here for years. He is now associated with an automobile firm here. McArthur is married, and the father of one son, and three daughters.

Jimmy Stallings is a former city councilman. He is in the insurance business, is married and the father of three children.

Bob Deavenport is a local businessman. He is also a former member of the city council. Deavenport is married and the father of two children. Tommy Deavenport is a student in the local school. Frances Joyce (Pug) Deavenport, (Continued on page 6)

County Receives Soil Soaking Rains Thursday

Martin County received a soil soaking rainfall in rains received Thursday night through Friday morning. Every corner of the county received at least one inch of the much needed planting moisture for local farmers.

The city of Stanton recorded two and one-inch inches of rain, while farms in the northwestern area or the county reported over three inches of rainfall.

The late winter rains moved out of the county late Saturday afternoon, and was replaced by sunny spring weather on Sunday.

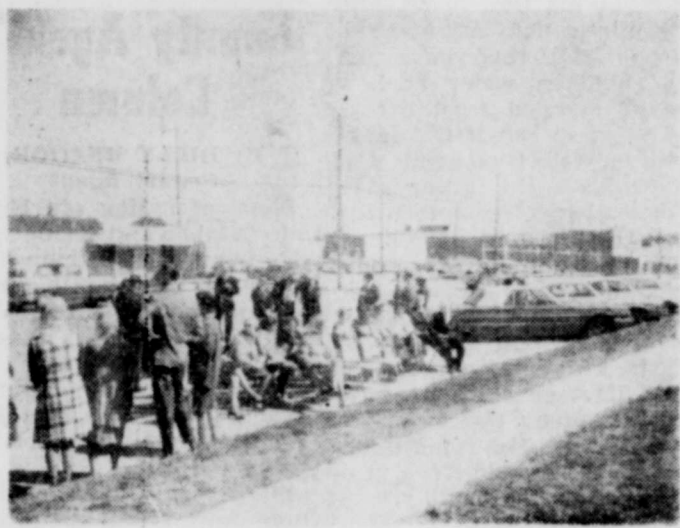
The cloud-cover hamper the county residents, however, from viewing the eclipse of the sun, but according to the U. S. Weather Bureau, it was just as well, due to the danger of eye damage in direct viewing of the eclipse.

Baptist Revival Planned For March 15-22

The First Baptist Church of Stanton, will hold its annual spring revival during March 15 through March 22.

Rev. Baynard Kendrick, Jr., will serve as guest evangelist during the revival. Kendrick is the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Idalou, Texas. He is a graduate of Howard Payne University, and attended Southwestern Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth. Kendrick and his wife, are the parents of five children.

The music director of the revival will David Norvell, who is a former music and youth director of the First Baptist Church of Stanton. Norvell, a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University and Southwestern Seminary, is presently music (Continued on page 6)



EARLY ARRIVALS — A group of early arrivals at the historical marker dedication ceremonies held here Sunday afternoon, March 8, at 3 p.m. appears above. The crowd later swelled to about 100 persons. The marker is located on the east side of the courthouse lawn.



DEDICATE MARKER — P. M. (Doc) Bristow and Cliff Hazlewood, members of the Martin County Historical Committee, are shown as they unveiled the marker commemorating the early history of Martin County. Ceremonies which attracted about 100 interested citizens, were held at 3 p.m. Sunday afternoon, March 8, on the courthouse lawn.

County Skills Survey Program Launched Here

During the next six weeks, an attempt will be made by the Texas Employment Commission, to register the skills of as many Martin County residents as possible. The Martin County Skills Survey program, sponsored by the local Martin County Chamber of Commerce, is a service of the Smaller Communities Program, originated to aid communities in expansion through industrial development.

The local office of the survey team opened March 9, in the building adjacent to the post office in Stanton.

The Texas Employment Commission survey team emphasized that they would not be canvassing the county personally, but asked that all citizens of the county over the age of 16, to register at their Stanton office. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The team will obtain information from a brief interview of the individual registering, and a minimum of personal data is required, such as name and address. The main interest of the team, is learning the individual's job experience, and work skills. Any adult member of the family can register for the entire family.

Both employed and unemployed registrants are needed by the survey.

Vandalism Discovered Early Sunday

Vandals bent on burglary and general property destruction broke in the Stanton High School building and the Junior High building sometime Saturday night, according to Sheriff Dan Saunders and Supt. Russell McMeans.

Neither Saunders or McMeans was positive of the time of entry. The break-in was discovered about ten fifteen a.m. Sunday morning by ag teacher Nolan Parker.

Christian Youth Center Formed In Stanton

A Christian Youth Center has been organized in Stanton, for use of the county youth. The center will be located in the old Broadway Baptist Church on St. Francis Street in Stanton.

Use of the building has been donated by Rev. Mildred Morris.

Rev. L. H. Rivest, who has been instrumental in organizing the center, stated recently that the center will be open to all the county's young people, and will be opened on Saturday and Monday nights from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Rev. Rivest also noted that the center will be properly chaperoned.

Recreational facilities are being installed in the center, and plans are being made for several special summer activities.

Parker reported his finding immediately to Sheriff Saunders who called his deputy, G. B. Therwanger and both men teamed with officer Elmo Pinkerton of the city police department, to launch an investigation of the illegal entry.

Nightwatchman Pinkerton told the newspaper that he made his inspection of the buildings as usual Saturday night and found nothing amiss. He stated that a definite time of entry had not been determined.

Pinkerton said: "The culprits could have entered the buildings before I went on duty or afterwards."

He said: "I had an unusually large amount of police traffic to take care of Saturday night including two or three incidents that could have been very serious, but each time I checked those buildings they seemed to be ok."

Sheriff Dan Saunders said that his department would continue the investigation unless (Continued on page 6)

Oratorical Contest Winners At Stanton

The winners on the Oratorical Contest sponsored by Cap Rock Electric Cooperatives.



Diana Payne



Kervin Frysak

The two winners will be awarded all-expense paid trips to Washington, D. C., by Cap Rock.

The judging was based 40 per cent on knowledge of the subject, "Youth Looks at His Community," 30 per cent on speaking ability, and 10 per cent each on poise, personality, and appearance. The judges were Bill Oliver, branch manager for Westinghouse Supply Co., Lubbock, and Delbert Smith, Tower Use and Information manager with South Plains Electrical Cooperative, Lubbock.

Martin County 4-H'ers Place In Houston Show

Several Martin County 4-H members placed among the winners at the recent Houston Fat Stock Show.

Deborah Holloway placed fifth with her middle weight Hereford steer, which sold in the premium sale for 45 cents per pound.

In the barrow show, Jody Yates placed eighth with his middle weight Hamp barrow. J. C. Tunnel placed thirteenth with his heavy weight Hamp, and Willie Wells placed 12th and 13th, with his light weight Hamp barrow. Willie also placed 10th and 13th, consecutively, with his light weight cross and Chester barrows. All of these barrows sold in the premium sale for 42 cents per pound.

These youngsters, along with other 4-H Club members, have made an excellent showing for Martin County this year, reported agent Billy Reager, at the major livestock shows across the State of Texas.

4-H Winners Of Food Show Named March 7

Suzanna Brown and Terelyn Hazlewood were named senior winners of the annual Martin County 4-H Food Show, held Saturday, March 7, at the First United Methodist Church.

Senior alternates were Lisa Hopper and Deana Holcombe. Winners of the junior division (Continued on page 6)

Local Paper To Print Election Ballots

The Stanton Reporter, the official legal publication of Martin County, and its commercial department received the order, on low bid, for the ballots to be used in the city election, to be held April 4.

The ballots will be delivered to the city secretary, Mrs. Addie Mae Burgess, today.

Absentee voting for the city election will begin Monday, March 16, and continue until March 31.

Six candidates for four seats on the municipal council are listed on the ballots.

New Chamber President Wants County To Grow

"Martin County can not let Stanton die," stated Charles Elmore, the new county Martin County Chamber of Commerce, president, in his inaugural address, and Charles Elmore is doing his best personally to make sure it doesn't.

The dynamic, young president of the chamber, is striving to help Martin County set and achieve new goals. One of these new goals, and the largest, that concerns Elmore, is establishing an industry in the county.

"We need just one good small industry to settle in the



Charles Elmore

county," Elmore said, "with that we can go out and sell the county to even more industries."

The loss of businesses in Stanton during the past five years, worries the chamber's new president. Elmore and the other members of the chamber want to increase the number of the town businesses during the next five years, rather than to see it decrease.

"A Trade - At - Home campaign will be another project of the chamber to remind county residents, that Midland and Big Spring do not help (Continued on page 6)

Historical Marker Dedication Rites Set In City Sunday

Residents of Stanton and Martin County turned out Sunday afternoon, March 8, at 3 p.m., to observe the dedication ceremonies of a historical marker on the east lawn of the Martin County courthouse.

The marker, sponsored by the State Historical Survey Committee, tells briefly the history of the county and of the pioneers who settled the community.

Mrs. Stanley Reid, chairman of the Martin County Historical Committee, presided at the dedication rites.

Other members of the committee are: Mrs. Glenn Brown, Mrs. Leo Turner, Mrs. R. S.

Lewis, Mrs. Sam Wilkinson, Mrs. James Eiland, Mrs. J. W. Sale, Mrs. Pat Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Collerson Mott, P. M. Bristow, L. C. Hazlewood, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Houston, and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Self (Fiddler) Estes.

Mrs. Reid explained that the historical marker was placed to mark the spot where white men first established the town they called Marienfeld.

Mrs. Reid said that the first settlers were from the Peters family, and that Father Anastasio Peters of Kansas, led the first settlers here on August 15, 1881.

She continued: "They built St. Joseph's Catholic Church,

established a monastery, and the Sisters of Mercy Catholic Academy, and that children from all over West Texas attended the school."

Rev. James Coleman, pastor of St. Joseph Catholic Church offered the invocation. Mrs. Reid declared that it was especially appropriate that Father Coleman bring the invocation to open ceremonies because of the strong identification of the church he represents with the early days of the community.

Mayor J. C. Epley, a native of Martin County and descendant of pioneer West Texans, was forced to be absent due to a death in his family, Mrs.

Reid said. His statement of welcome was read to the gathering by Mrs. Addie Mae Burgess, city secretary.

J. C. Mott spoke of the early days of his forebears in the county and brought some highpoints in early day history to those present. Mott is a member of the local historical survey committee.

Mrs. Reid said that some of the early families with descendants still residing in the community included the Peters, Sauers, Motts, Toms, Self, Glascock, Connells, Estes, Houstons, Halls, Atchisons, Kellys, Hamiltons, Ebbesoies, Grahams, Flanagan, Dick (Continued on page 6)

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Porcelain Club Plans Exhibit

The West Texas Porcelain Art Club will hold its annual exhibition and tea at the Sweetwater Country Club, Sweetwater, on April 5, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Local members of the organization, Mrs. Edmund Tom,

Power Producer

The eye of a hurricane form less than 1 per cent of the entire storm, but may produce more energy in a minute than all the electric power stations in the United States can produce in a decade.

Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Jess Burns, and Mrs. J. B. Zant, plan to attend the traditional exhibit and tea.

HD Club News

A discussion on the various courts in county government was given by Sheriff Dan Saunders at the meeting of the Koffee Kup Home Demonstration Club, in the home of Mrs. Nolan Simpson. He described how a jury is called, and gave statistics on the number of registered voters in Martin County.

Mrs. Homer Swinson, president, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Simpson read a paper on communism. The next meeting will be in home of Mrs. Swinson.

Country Club News

The Women's Auxiliary of the Martin County Country Club, will hold an old fashioned box supper at Cap Rock Electric Co-Op on March 14, at 7:30 p.m., with their husbands as guests.

There will be an annual meeting of the club membership on Wednesday, March 25, at 7:30 p.m., at Cap Rock Electric. A covered dish dinner will be served.

Ladies are reminded that Wednesday of each week, is Ladies Golf Day at the club.

Philosopher Says He's Surprised President Of France Is So Ignorant Of United States

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw takes a sidelong glance at the heckling business in this country today.)

Dear editor:
According to the news in two different newspapers I read out here, the President of France, Mr. Pompidou, got his feelings hurt while he was in this country because some people demonstrated against him.

I don't understand this. You'd figure the President of France reads newspapers and watches television and therefore knows how we treat public officials in this country.

Why, everybody knows for example that former Vice President Humphrey hasn't had to write a new speech in months, because the hecklers won't let him make the one he's got on hand. A handful shout him down every time on every campus he's invited to.

What the shouters have discovered is that a few people can break up nearly any speech if they want to. Had they been of a mind to, they could have broken up the Sermon on the Mount.

As a result, about the only way a President or Vice President, or a Cabinet member, or any ex-members of this group

can make a speech uninterrupted, is to fly to a studio in a helicopter, come down through a hole in the roof, talk quietly into the television camera, and then escape by the same route.

I understand the shouters consider this unfair play, since obviously they don't have enough people to put a heckler in front of every family's television set, and also it wouldn't be very safe, as a lot to people want to hear what a man's got to say, whether they agree with him or not, and such invasion of privacy might lead to a type of violence the shouters couldn't bear up under. You interfere with a man's television program in his own home, and you're in trouble. Ask any kid. Recognizing this, you reckon the shouters, seeing as how they're stymied from breaking up a speech if it's delivered on television, will now demand on the grounds of constitutional free speech the right to place hecklers in a studio every time a speech is being televised?

You reckon they'll take it to court? You reckon the courts will entertain such a suit? It gets all the ways to the Supreme Court, you reckon... aw, the court wouldn't do that would it?

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Music Students Recital Held February 24

The students of Mrs. Roy Koonce were presented in recital February 23 and 24, at the home of Mrs. Koonce.

The program consisted of showing what the children had done in the last six week period. Games demonstrating different types of music theory were played both on the blackboard and with flash cards. When these were completed, each child played a memorized solo.

Those playing on Monday night, during the solo performances were: Debbie Webb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, playing "Tall Buildings," and "Carnival," out of the suite "City Set"; Susan Stallings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stallings, playing "Crowsfeet"; Charles Starub, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Straub, playing "In a Helicopter"; Dirk Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Perry, playing "A Happy Holiday"; Polly Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lewis, playing "A Deserted Cottage"; Randall Koonce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Koonce, playing "A Rider"; Shelly Church, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Church, playing "A Deserted Cottage"; and Joni Latty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jo Latty, playing "Broken Record Boogie."

Those playing on Tuesday, Feb. 24, were as follows: Amy Hazlewood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hazlewood, Jr., playing "Grandmother's Rocking Chair"; Glynith Latty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Latty, playing "My New Dress"; Wendy Tunnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Tunnell, playing "A Distant Bell"; Mary Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Franklin, playing "My Pony," and "A Big Joke"; Belinda Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Martin, playing "Finger Painting"; Lanny Hanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hanson, playing "Come and Play"; Brad Tunnell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Tunnell, playing "Echoes"; and Joanna Sawyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sawyer, play "Parade."

Refreshments were served immediately following each recital.

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Bible Comment—

Man Fails To Execute God's Plan

The Bible is our chief source of the knowledge of God.

It is a record of how saints and prophets revealed what they had found, and what God revealed of Himself to them.

What then does the Bible say concerning God's plans for men? The record is very clear and plain. As God is the source of life, it is His plan and will that man should live. Early in the story of Mankind is the commandment, "Thou Shalt Not Kill." The sacredness of human life is emphasized in the early records of Israel, in the brand of the murderer upon Cain. It is again emphasized in mention of the cities of refuge in which even a wrongdoer might find protection, and in

early measures to promote hygiene.

It might be said that life is the supreme theme of the Bible rising to the declarations of Jesus: "The gift of God is eternal life."

But life as mere existence would be of little worth. God's life for man is a life of righteousness and justice, of mercy and peace. Measured against God's will and God's plan, how deep has been man's failure. Must failure ever be the story? The answer is "no." The faithful carry within themselves the spark that will someday ignite the nations, fire them with the worthiness to keep covenant with their God, and make His will and plan the supreme purpose.

County Agent's Column

By BILLY REAGOR, County Agent

Signs of spring are beginning to show and spring fever will soon be a common "disease." It is also the time when working tools and recreation equipment come out of storage.

Such things as outboard motors, power saws, and power lawn mowers will soon be put to use.

When using such engines, there are some things to keep in mind, and spring service is one of them. Reminds County Agent Billy Reagor.

Review the operator's manual. Then follow the manufacturer's recommendation on care, maintenance, and operation of the engine. Pay special attention to the safety rules.

Before putting it in use, find out the type of gasoline that is recommended. This is listed in the manual. Be sure the crankcase is filled with proper lubricating oil, and that grease has been applied to the spots where it is called for in the manual. Check all belts or chain drives, and make proper adjustments, and give the equipment a trial run before it is put in heavy service.

As the year progresses, the engine should get regular cleaning, but gasoline should never be used for this job. When the motor must be

Lunch Menu

Elementary and High School

March 16 Through March 20:

Monday: Hamburger on buttered bun, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, French fries, baked beans, fruit cup (orange, pineapple, apples), mustard, catsup, and milk.

Tuesday: Fried chicken and gravy, mashed potatoes, pea salad, spiced apples, hot rolls, butter, and milk.

Wednesday: Chili beans, buttered cabbage, pickled beets, fruit cobbler, corn bread, butter, and milk.

Thursday: Spaghetti and meat balls, green beans, buttered squash, rolled wheat cake and topping, hot rolls, butter, and milk.

Friday: Salmon cakes, buttered corn, cabbage pepper slaw, peanut butter cookies, hot rolls, butter, catsup, and milk.

worked on, remove the spark plug wire to prevent an accidental start. It's best never to tamper with the engine governor. Excessive speed can ruin a motor.

The county agent cautions against running a gasoline motor inside a closed building. The carbon monoxide in the exhaust is deadly and can't be seen, smelled, or tasted.

It is also a good idea to keep children and pets away from operating equipment, since all moving machinery is dangerous.

Forty Years Ago

Last Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Will Epley very pleasantly entertained the W. M. S. of the Baptist Church.

On last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Reid was hostess at a birthday dinner in honor of Mr. Reid. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Norris Chesser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reed and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Reid all of Stanton, also Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lamer, and Mr. and Mrs. Deward Reed of Big Spring.

The Stanton Study Club met with Mrs. Amons as hostess and Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, leader, the president, Mrs. E. J. Woodard presided.

Wednesday afternoon the Stanton fire department answered a call to the Will Epley home, where the barn was a solid mass of flames.

At the Tuesday luncheon of the Lions Club, it was voted to again sponsor the Boy Scouts of Stanton for 1930.

Mrs. Guy Eiland was a charming hostess to the Snes and Chatter Club last Wednesday afternoon "42" was the diversion of the afternoon which was thoroughly enjoyed by the twelve ladies present.

A party was given in honor of Herman Deavenport, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gerald. Mr. Deavenport is leaving for Tyle Commercial College, where he will join Les Donelson, who left a few days ago.

Candidates announcing for office were: A. B. Brown, of the Brown community, for county commissioner, precinct 4, and F. C. Collins, who lives one mile northwest of the Pleasant Valley school, announced for commissioner of precinct 1.

Saturday, March 3, was the date set for the Fair meeting. At this meeting a board of directors will be elected, as well as officers.

O. S. Marggart, formerly of Loraine, has purchased the City Grocery from John Atchison, and took charge of the business Tuesday of this week.

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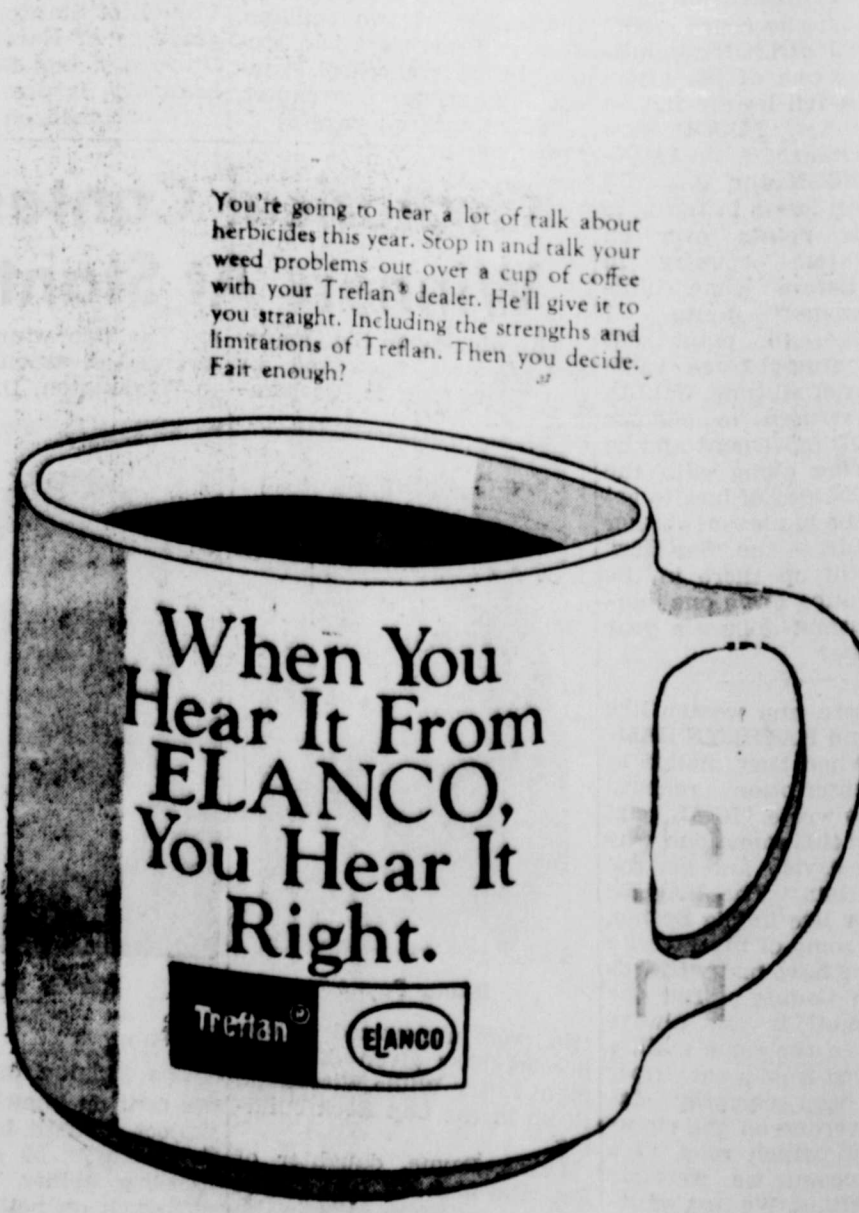
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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Padron, Stanton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Elia, to Emilio Rodriguez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Rodriguez.

The wedding will be May 9, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Stanton.

Library Lines

Mrs. Velma Zimmerman, Librarian

The total book circulation the month of February was 371. There was \$10.04 collected for fine for January and February, plus \$4.00 for the punch bowl. There was \$7.70 spent for supplies.

New books added this week are: "Testimony of Two Men," Taylor Caldwell; "The House on the Strand," Daphne Du Maurier, and "My Life and Prophecies," Jean Dixon.

Members who have expired library cards, are as follows: Lupe Hinoposa, Jr., David Hinoposa, Lino Acebedo, Jr., Mary Jane Garza, Sammy Montez, Ruben Edard Sanchez, Francisco Acebedo, Jr., Sherry Vest, Susan Vest, Emilio Hinojosa, Pug Deavenport, Carlos Equinones, Alicia Paedrez, James Fred Walker, Melinda Tucker, Rhonda Tucker, Mrs. Howard Tucker, and Pam Williams.

INVITATION

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Creech request the honor of your presence at the wedding of their daughter, Becky Ruth to Lindsay Dale Jones, on March 20, at 8:00 p.m. at the Courtney Baptist Church. A reception will follow at the church.

Washington bid farewell to the officers of his army at France's Tavern in New York City.

Classified Ads

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank all of you for your prayers, cards, food, and floral offerings that was extended to us during the loss of my mother, Mrs. Vivian Bland. Your kind expressions of sympathy was deeply appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Hopkins and children.

Your kind expressions of sympathy that was shown to our niece and her family in the loss of her mother and our sister, Mrs. Vivian Bland, was deeply appreciated. May God's richest blessing be upon you.

Mrs. Scotty Mercer, Alamo-gordo, N. M.
Mrs. Aline Henley, Cowper, Mrs. Tennie Richie, Little Rock, Ark., Mr. I. R. Robinson, Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. Billie Evans, Paris, Mrs. Edna Cranmore, McKinney.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, floral offerings, food, cards, and other expressions of sympathy extended to us during the loss of our loved one.

The Family of Mrs. W. D. Fortune.

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Only one sale, Washington has been named for a U. S. President.

A Shoshone Indian girl named Sacajawae, which means "Bird Woman," guided the Lewis and Clark expedition through the Northwest.

Condensed milk was invented by Gail Borden, a Texan. Andrew Jackson's home was called "The Hermitage."

NEEDED! Responsible party to pay off balance due on like new spinet piano, small monthly payments. Write Mr. Hubbard, Box 3192, Lubbock, Texas 79410. 3-10-3tp

FARM & RANCH

Feed, Seed & Grain

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For Sale: Three bedroom, two bath house on one acre; also an additional acre for sale. Call after 5:30. Jack Hankins. 2-8-tnc

Two bedroom house for sale. Newly painted, 506 W. Third. 756-2258. 3-10-4tc

HD Club News

Mrs. Mildred Eiland, Martin County home demonstration agent, gave the program on "Penny Sitchers," March 5, when the Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. J. Harlow. Mrs. Eiland stressed that shoppers should know what they spend their money for, pounds, quality, and quantity.

Mrs. Alford Franks, president, called the meeting to order with the club prayer.

Mrs. Bill McElvain read the devotion.

The club voted to sponsor a rummage sale, March 20 and 21, in the old Wheeler Buick building on Highway 80.

Mrs. E. L. Reynolds drew the "it" gift.

Refreshments of lime punch and cake were served to: Mrs. Eiland, guests, Mrs. Lee Castle, Mrs. A. D. Murphy, and Mrs. and Mrs. Gene Clements; and members: Mrs. E. P. Madison, Mrs. E. L. Reynolds, Mrs. Pete Mashburn, Mrs. Horace Tubbs, Mrs. Bill McElvain, Mrs. W. D. Bryant, Mrs. Alford Franks, and Mrs. W. J. Harlow.

The next meeting on March 19, will be at the Texas Electric Reddy Room, with Patsy Odum giving the program.

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TSTA Elects New Officers At Meet

Delegates representing 14 counties of West Texas in District 18 Texas State Teachers Association, elected new officers for the district Thursday night, in a prelude to the one-day district convention, which drew 4,000 teachers and other school people Friday.

New officers for the coming year will be Mrs. Dorothy Hendricks, Andrews, president; Johnny Robert, Kermit, president elect; Mrs. Bobbie McWhorter, Odessa, secretary; and Fred Nelson, Andrews, treasurer.

The meeting was attended by about 175 persons, including district officers, and committee chairmen, as well as official delegates, each of whom represents 25 teachers.

A number of reports and resolutions were approved at the meeting, with the result of the session announced at a general meeting Friday morning, in the Ector County coliseum.

Included in the resolutions were requests for amendments to the teacher retirement program, calling for cost or living increases for retiring teachers.

Resolutions calling for in-service credit for full-time and approved summer college work were passed and a call was issued for legislation to provide Medicare for retired teachers.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Eiland had a recent house guest, Mrs. Minnie Fall, Mr. Eiland's sister from Snyder. Other guests from Snyder, visiting recently were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Galloway.

Leah Flanagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Flanagan, is home recuperating from a recent tonsillectomy.

Your Heart Fund fights them — heart attack, high blood pressure, rheumatic fever, and rheumatic heart disease, and many others.

Rebekah Lodge News

The Stanton Rebekah Lodge met March 9, at the Oddfellow Hall, Ellen Morgan, presided as noble grand. There were 20 members present. Mrs. Vena Fortune was initiated by the initiation team, led by Mrs. Vera McCoy.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnam, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Angel, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Coggin, Mrs. Vera McCoy, Mrs. Gladys Carlisle, Mrs. Audrey Louder, Miss Sammie Laws, Mrs. Mildred Hastings, Mrs. Ima Frith, Mrs. Daisy Wilkes, Mrs. Francis Robeson, Mrs. Virgie Johnson, Mrs. Clara Vaughn, Lynn White, Mrs. Ellen Morgan, Mrs. Robie Coggin, and Mrs. Vena Fortune. Refreshments were served following the meeting.



Tuesday, March 17, is St. Patrick's Day. It is a traditional day in the life of this nation. It caused American of Irish descent to turn out in numbers to celebrate their heritage, and many of their friends join in the festivities.

Our store is brimfull of all kinds of St. Patrick's Day party favors, paper plates in green shades, and many gifts suitable for St. Pat's Day giving.

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As the Martin County housewife goes about her daily dusting chores, does she ever stop to think where all the dust is coming from?

Dust and blowing sand in this area is easily recognizable by everyone. It is one form of air pollution and can be reduced significantly or stopped.

Blowing dust and sand has an adverse effect on all segments of our society — not only the rural housewife. Humans with respiratory ailments suffer when the air is laden with dust. Blowing sand ruins paint finishes on automobiles and houses. Motors and other moving mechanical devices wear out sooner from the abrasive effect of sand. Carpets, floors, and furniture are scratched from sand that shifts through the cracks in the house.

Dust and sand laden air or air pollution is everyone's business. It can be and should be prevented. Many farmers around Martin County are doing something about blowing sand, by practicing crop residue management on their farms.

Crop residue management is simply leaving adequate crop residue from grain sorghum, forage sorghum, or cotton burrs on the soil surface to prevent the soil from blowing. Crop residue management offers a positive solution to soil blowing with a minimum of expense. Listing, chiseling, and flat breaking are temporary measures, and are very poor control measures on cropland that has adequate residue.

The need for good residue management, or plant growth, becomes more critical during March and April. The moisture received during this period sticks to soil surface, and the top soil becomes dry. Wind is usually of a high intensity at this time, and the net results of dust laden air and blowing sand — a menace to everyone.

Anytime a farmer practices good crop residue management, he is benefiting everyone, not only himself.

Gold has been hammered into sheets as thin as 1-250,000th of an inch.



Bentsen, Senator for the Seventies

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Sale Of Licenses Progressing Slowly

Motor vehicle registration in Martin County is progressing slowly. Only 197 licenses have been issued so far this year.

April 1 is the deadline for the new 1970 plates to be mounted on motor vehicles. The 1969 figure of licenses issued was approximately 3,500, therefore the tax office is expecting a last minute rush of county residents to obtain the new blue and white license plates by the deadline.

Registration must be in person, since the deadline for mailing the registration form into the county tax office was March 1.

This year a new registration procedure has been introduced in the state. Registering motorists are reminded to observe several DO's and DON'Ts concerning the procedure.

DON'T throw away your three part registration application; it must be used for your registration.

DON'T write, mar, or otherwise mutilate the three part form.

DO, show, however, your correct address in accord with the instruction, on the form if the address on the form is incorrect.

DON'T separate the three parts of the form.

DON'T send your application to the Highway Department Motor Vehicle Division in Austin, but present it in person at the local tax collector's office.

Pennzoil United Completes No. 1 Tippett

Pennzoil United, Inc. of Midland, completed No. 1 Tippett for a daily pumping potential of 97 barrels of 55-gravity oil with gas-oil ratio of 578-1.

Production was through Ellenburger perforations at 13,190-13,228 feet, which had been washed with 500 gallons of mud acid. Gas volume was 55,900 cubic feet daily.

It spots 1,880 feet from south and 2,080 feet from east lines of section 12, block 41, T-4-S, T&P survey, 1½ miles northwest of Ellenburger gas production in the Pegasus pool, 22 miles southwest of Midland.

Atlantic Richfield Co. re-completed No. 12-A June Sanders a former producer, as a fifth Pennsylvanian well, and approximately one mile north extension to that pay in the Sweetie Peck multipay field of Midland County, 20 miles southwest of Midland.

It was completed on the pump for 70 barrels of 44 gravity oil and 98 barrels of water daily, through perforations at 10-084 - 10,740 feet, after treatment with 5,000 gallons of acid.

Well site is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 8, block 41, T-4-S T&P survey.

Operator had filed application to plug back to 9,900 feet for completion attempt in shallower zones.

Tom Brown Drilling Co., Inc. of Midland, extended the Martin County portion of the Spraberry Trend Area ¾ mile west, with completion of No. 1-40 Epley, 10 miles northwest of Stanton.

On potential test it flowed 284 barrels of 40.1 gravity oil and 14 barrels of water per day. Production was through a 24-64 inch choke, and perforations at 8,350 - 8,958 feet, which had been acidized with 3,000 gallons and fractured with 90,000 gallons and 180,000 pounds.

It spots 1,320 feet from south and east lines of section 40, block 37, T-2-N, T&P survey.

Adobe Oil Co. of Midland, plans No. 1 Williams as a 2½ miles south outpost to a recently opened northwest extension area of the Martin County portion of the Spraberry Trend Area.

It spots 1,320 feet from north and west lines of section 46, block 37, T-1-N, T&P survey, 12 miles northwest of Stanton. It is to go to 9,200 feet.

Getty Oil completed No. 2 Elma Slaughter, as a producer in the Sulphur Draw (8,790 Dean) pool of Martin County, 10 miles north of Lenora. It was completed to pump 16 barrel of 37-gravity oil per day, through shot holes at 7,943-7,965 feet, after treatment with 2,000 gallons

County Chamber Names Holidays

The Martin County Chamber of Commerce members re-elected balloted on the holidays to be observed by the merchants of Stanton.

The official holidays which the merchants will honor by closing the business, will be January 1, New Years Day; May 30, Memorial Day; July 4, Independence Day; September 1, Labor Day; November 26, Thanksgiving Day, and December 25, Christmas Day.

Lonnie Stovall Rites Held On Saturday, Mar. 7

Lonnie C. Stovall, 78, died Thursday at his home in Stanton, after an illness.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church with burial in Evergreen Cemetery directed by Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Mr. Stovall was born May 15, 1891 in Alabama, and came to Stanton 38 years ago from Stamford. He was a retired farmer, and a Baptist. He was married to Annie Inez Cafferty August 19, 1914, in Caron.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Travis Stovall of Fort Worth, Wayne Stovall of Wichita Falls, and Neil Stovall of Houston; two daughters, Mrs. Irvin Currie of Midland, and Mrs. Ted Gross of Sands Springs; two sisters, Mrs. Fred Drake and Mrs. Walter Stoneham, both of Dallas; two brothers, Hobson Stovall of Arlington, and Sam Stovall of Houston; 10 grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

Candidates To Meet Voters

The Martin County Farmers Union will sponsor a "Meet the Candidate" meeting on March 21 at 7:00 p.m., at the Grady School.

The purpose of the meeting will be to enable the voters of the county to meet and question candidates in the local county races, and the state representative race. The present state representative, E. L. Short, has accepted the invitation to attend the meeting.

The Heart Fund supports the nation's only voluntary health agency devoted exclusively to the fight against cardiovascular disease.

of acid, and 20,000 gallons of fracture fluid.

The well is 1,707 feet from south and 1,008 feet from east lines of section 13, block 36, T-3-N, T&P survey.

Sales Tax Boost Seen

The state sales tax probably will have to be increased by three-fourth of a cent in 1971, Rep. Bill Atwell predicted here Friday.

The boost will be necessary to meet increased teacher pay and other commitments, Atwell said, adding that legislation approving a state income tax may come sometime in the 1970s.

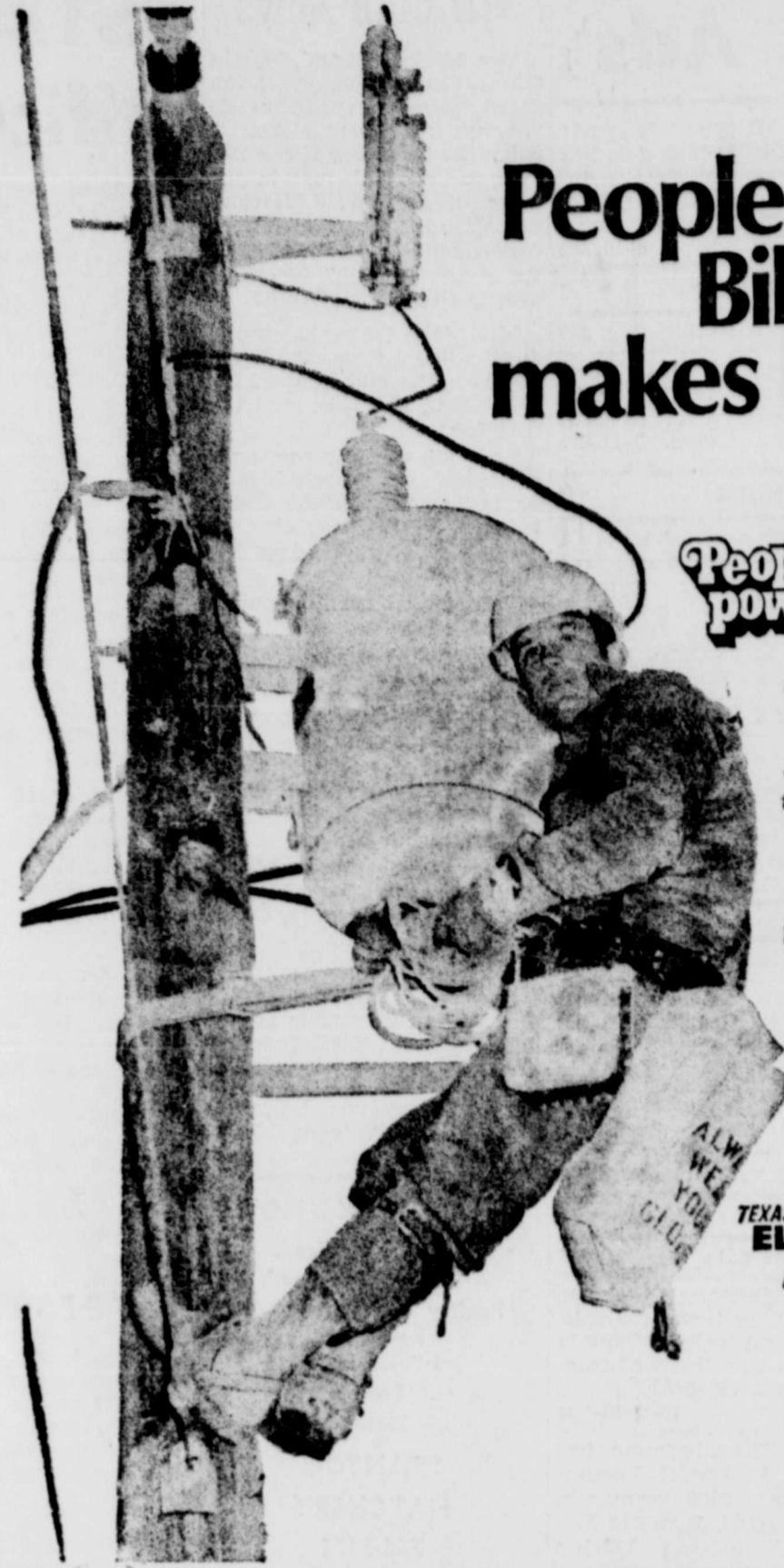
"Here is our problem," he said. "The legislature has made a commitment for the education program of Texas, and it's just like a commitment in Vietnam." Atwell is chairman of the House Revenue and Taxation Committee.

He said an extra \$298 million is needed in 1971, another \$270 million in 1972, and an additional \$186 million in 1973, to meet higher teacher salaries.

Atwell pointed to what he said were the three only sources of new money; a state income tax, a broader tax base, or a higher sales tax.

The sales tax last year was increased from three to three and one-fourth per cent.

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HD Agent Combines Career With Family

A winning combination of career and family is difficult to accomplish for a working wife and mother, but Mrs. James Eiland has accomplished the task with ease and efficiency.

Mildred Eiland, Martin County home demonstration agent, for the past 21 years, has found the key to many problems of being a career wife in the use of a schedule.

The Eiland family, which consists of Mrs. Eiland, husband James, son Mark, and the family pet, Tandy, a basenot hound, tries to adhere to a "flexible schedule," in running the household.

One traditional habit of the family, is to have their breakfast together every morning.

"We all like the big old-fashioned style of breakfast promptly at 7:00 a.m.," Mrs. Eiland said. "Then we all do our duties around the house and head our separate ways. For me, the court house, James, who is assistant manager of Cap Rock Electric Co-op, heads for his office, and Mark, 13, attends the eighth grade at Stanton Junior High School.

"Being a home demonstration agent does have its advantages when combined with duties of a homemaker. I try new recipes on my family; some received good reports, and other don't." Mrs. Eiland recalled, "one carrot and apple recipe is still remembered in our household as 'Mildred's Folly'."

"Actually, being a homemaker, I get the chance to practice what I preach," Mrs. Eiland noted.

Mrs. Eiland does use several of the new pre-cooked and "hurry-up" preparations on the market. "If I can have my main dish pretty well prepared or planned, the rest of the meal usually falls into place," explained the county agent in discussing preparing the family evening meal.

Her homemaking duties hasn't interfered, however, with Mrs. Eiland's professional achievements. In fact, in 1954, Mrs. Eiland was named one of the four outstanding home demonstration agents in Texas by the National Home Demonstration Association.

"I thoroughly enjoy my work as county agent," Mrs. Eiland stated, "homemaking is really my vocation and avocation."

In training for her vocation, Mrs. Eiland, born in Mount Enterprise, Russ County, attended college at Lon Morris, and received her degree from T. W. U. in Denton. She has also done graduate work at University of Tennessee, University of Arkansas, and Sul Ross State.

Her first agent's position following college graduation, was in Trinity County. Gainesville followed as the second town, and then she was transferred to Martin County.

The Eiland family are enthusiastic outdoorsmen, and enjoy camping throughout the west. They camp the "hard way," according to Mrs. Eiland with 'tents and sleeping

bags." The family are scheduling more camping trips this summer.

Next on the Eiland schedule is the planning of a new home. The Eiland's present home is for sale, and they are in the progress of designing a new home themselves.

"James has drawn the blue prints himself," Mrs. Eiland proudly explained, "and we are planning everything just the way we want it."

Despite the many activities of Mrs. Eiland concerning her work and family, she still remains an active member of the First United Methodist Church. Below she gives some of her favorite recipes that sometimes graces a church dinner at the Methodist Church.

Standard One-Two-Three-Four Cake

- 1 cup fat — preferably (1/2 cup butter (1/2 cup shortening)
- 1 3/4 cups sugar
- 3 cups cake flour
- 3 teaspoons baking powder
- 4 eggs
- 1 cup sweet milk
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 teaspoon lemon flavoring

Cream the butter and sugar thoroughly. Add flavoring and well beaten eggs. Alternately add the flour (mixed and sifted with the baking powder and salt), and the milk. Bake in three 7-inch square pans in moderately hot oven (375° F.) for 25 to 30 minutes.

To vary this standard recipe, add two squares of melted chocolate to the milk, and use two tablespoons less of butter. Or add cups, 3/4 cup of raisins, and 1/2 cups of nuts, and a little less flour.



Mrs. Mildred Eiland

Tax Deadline Nearing On Income Data

Refunds checks are less likely to be delayed when tax returns are filed early. Ellis Campbell, Jr., district director of Internal Revenue for North Texas, said today.

He urged taxpayers to send their returns in now if they have not already done so. It will help taxpayers get their refunds sooner and reduce government processing costs by enabling IRS to spread workloads more evenly.

The IRS refunded \$179,496,-975.36 to 1,036,659 North Texas taxpayers last year, and has already refunded \$38,556,-840.05 to 191,999 North Texas taxpayers this year.

Campbell advised taxpayers to use the pre-addressed name label that come with their Form 1040 to expedite processing. Returns should be sent direct to the Service Center in the envelope provided.

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ted with the baking powder and salt), and the milk. Bake in three 7-inch square pans in moderately hot oven (375° F.) for 25 to 30 minutes.

To vary this standard recipe, add two squares of melted chocolate to the milk, and use two tablespoons less of butter. Or add cups, 3/4 cup of raisins, and 1/2 cups of nuts, and a little less flour.

Chicken Trazzini

- 1 - 6 to 8-lb. hen
- 1 green pepper, chopped
- 1 small can pimento, chopped
- 1 can tomato sauce
- 1 small bottle olives
- 1 c. celery chopped
- 1 small onion, chopped
- 1 can mushroom or mushroom soup
- 1 package spaghetti
- 3/4 lb. cheese, grated

Cook hen until tender, cut into bite size pieces. Reserve 1 1/2 quarts of broth. After moving hen from broth, add pepper, pimento, tomato sauce, olives, celery, onion, and mushrooms; let simmer 20 minutes. Add spaghetti and let soak until done, stirring occasionally. Just before serving, put layer of spaghetti mixture, layer of chicken, and layer of grated cheese, ending with cheese. Let heat through, and melt cheese in oven. Yield: 20 servings.

Tournament Set March 19

A volleyball tournament will be held March 19 through 21, for area teams at the Stanton Junior High School gymnasium.

Proceeds from the tournament will be donated to the Stanton High School band.

Deadline for entries is March 13, and the fee is \$1.00 per player, and there will be no general admission for the public. Interested teams may write Francis Biggs, Route 1, Stanton, Texas, or call 458-3411 or 458-3356, for additional information.

To Late To Classify CARD OF THANKS

The family of L. C. Stovall wishes to express our gratitude for the many expressions of sympathy, and acts of kindness during the recent passing of our husband and father. May God bless each one of you

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Tornado Season Arrives For 1970

Tornado season is approaching, and in the months to come, Texans and those mid-westerners living in "tornado alley" will be casting wary eyes toward the heavens.

Tornadoes last year killed 66 persons in the U. S., and that was a calm year. The 607 twisters recorded in 1969, were 50 below the 10-year average.

"At present, we don't think there'll be any more or any less tornadoes than we've had in recent years. We just know we're going to have them," said Harold McCrabb, of the regional Weather Bureau office in Fort Worth.

"Tornado alley" is a rather loosely defined area stretching north from Texas into Oklahoma, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio. But tornadoes have been reported in all 50 states over the years, and in every month of the year.

Generally, the season runs from late February or early March into midsummer or later. Again, generally, they strike in the late afternoon following a heat buildup.

Last Year Not So Bad Last year wasn't so bad for three reasons: cool air the first three months of the year, better warning systems, and pure chance.

However, Martin County experienced several small twisters during last spring. One whirlwind destroyed the "Welcome to Stanton" sign west of town in April.

The devilish whirlwinds have been known to hurl 80-ton railroad cars filled with people through the air and drive wood splinters into fire hydrants.

And they can be downright humiliating for chicken. Sometimes entire flocks are denuded by the swirling winds — feather flying in every direction — but otherwise not injuring the birds.

"We've already had a big line of thunderstorms this

year, but they started in East Texas and moved east across the country. It's hard to tell exactly what we can expect in the way of tornadoes this year, McCrabb added.

Already Sighted

Already 18 have been sighted this year nationwide.

Texas traditionally leads the nation in the number of tornadoes reported each year, but only because of its size. Actually the state has fewer tornadoes per 10,000 square mile area than Oklahoma, Kansas, or even Nebraska.

A tornado is the melding of warm, moist air with overriding more frigid air. When the two bodies of opposing air

MARTIN COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT NEWS

Admitted February 23: Sid Jackson, Midland; Mrs. Glendy Blalock; February 24: Mrs. G. P. Harrell, Jr., and baby; February 25: Lillie Graham; February 26: Sybil West, Big Spring, and Rosa Sanchez; February 27: H. A. Shipp, Margaret Roberts; March 2: Morgan Hall, Mary Pinones, Gladys Palmer, Mrs. Ronnie Ledbetter and son, Mrs. Gene Atkins and son, Midland; Elma Nicholson, Danny Saunders, Lindon Marquez; March 3: T. J. Smith, Linda Webster and daughter, Odessa; March 4: Mary Smith, and A. L. Peavy-house.

Best protection against a "twister" is a well constructed building or cellar, away from windows and loose material, which may be blown through the air.

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The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

In addressing the Midland Downtown Lions Club recently **FIKE GODFREY** of Spur, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, pointed out the activities of the young radicals in this country. For months your local editor has suggested in this column the necessity of screening these revolutionists before allowing them to advocate the ultimate overthrow of the government. **GODFREY** said: "It is time for the national television networks to stop dignifying the immature actions of arrogant, reckless, inexperienced elements within our society by giving them the exposure of prime national tv time." The other morning on the Today Show a young bum was allowed the steam, storm, and shout his mouthings against the greatest country on earth—the United States. He had no right to the exposure. He wasn't dry behind the ears. He had no claim to national name or fame. He was just a street punk with a mike in his hand and he was using the entire network to abuse this government of ours dedicated to freedom. How come? Write anyone of influence you happen to know in Washington today. Protest the appearance of such scum on the tube.

The **CARSON** bit on the NBC network has sunk as low as it can get. They are having a hard time of getting representative people on the show. The same harem of Hollywood bags and the leading tub-thumpers of our time are appearing and reappearing so constantly they have become regulars on the panel. Thank goodness the silent majority exists in this country. They are the ones who turn off their sets and get a good night of rest following the news and weather. The **CARSON** show has buried itself.

ALTON TURNER, former Stanton grocer, now of Pinetop, Arizona, was an office visitor the past Thursday. He is the owner of a prominent resort motel in the middle of the White Mountains in the well advertised vacation spot. Pinetop is on the boom and the residents of the Arizona play land are rightfully proud of their new country club. The country club has been described in a special brochure as "The ancient hunting palaces of kings could not surpass the beauties of this rustic, but modern castle in the clouds." "Boy, oh boy, are those the golden words of an old-time pitch man or not? The picture of the club building reveals the fact that something on the inside of the castle-like structure must inspire man to write in pyramided language about the historic atmosphere of the place. It was nice to visit personally with **ALTON** again and some of these days, the great one upstairs willing, I hope to spend some time in Pinetop. Few of us realize that Arizona is not just a land of pertified forest land. It is better known by those who have been privileged to visit the state as a scenic panorama of pine trees, good fishing streams, cool evenings, hunting, horseback riding, elaborate golf courses, and even sail boating.



Stanton's Tonja Ray ...Top Twirler

Stanton Junior High Student Wins Slaton Twirling Honors

A petite baton twirler from Stanton Junior High School, has walked off with top twirling honors in two area meets recently.

Tonja Ray, the 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Ray, is in the sixth grade and tosses the metal baton through the air "with the greatest of ease."

Tonja, who receives instructions from Terry Stephens of Lubbock, attributes her skill to the long and arduous practice.

The blonde twirler started a chain of winning events in Lubbock, during a district

meet, when she copped first place in the solo event of her age group.

Later during the ROTC Festival at Slaton, the young lady also took first place in her age group. She then went ahead to win the "twirl-off" among all competitors, and took the top trophy for the entire meet.

Her instructor has won several national honors in baton twirling contests throughout the country.

And her tutor feels convinced that Tonja has a splendid opportunity to win some of the major national competitions in the future.

around the school buildings Saturday night.

High School Principal J. R. Dillard and Supt. Russell McMeans, advised the press that the damage done on the inside of the high school building was extensive. They said the damage wrought by the burglar - vandals was light at the junior high building.

Sheriff Saunders said, "The desk of junior high principal Jimmy Conners was defaced to some extent when the vandals poured ink over the desk top and the hoodlums also wrote some obscene words on the desk."

Saunders voiced the opinion that both buildings were not necessarily entered by the same persons. The sheriff stated that the junior high building was not entered by use of force.

Saunders, Pinkerton, and Therwhanger theorized that the senior high school building was entered by subjects who broke a window on the east side of school principal J. R. Dillard's office. A second entry was made when a window was raised on the north side of the boy's rest room, the officers said.

"Two inside glasses were broken out of the inside doors and the soft drink machines and the candy machine in the cafeteria were badly damaged and burglarized," Saunders said.

Supt. McMeans said that a tape recording machine, several microphones, the mike to the public speaking system, some money, and miscellaneous items were taken.

McMeans also stated that the vandals "must have been in the senior high building for a long time."

A damage estimate to the interior of the building entered nor the exact amount of articles taken in the burglary were not available at press time.

Sheriff Saunders stated that footprint casts and some fingerprints had been obtained at the scene of the breaking and entering and that with a small amount of luck the case could be broken wide open.

First Methodist Schedules Revival Mar. 25

A revival meeting has been scheduled for March 25 through 29, at the First United Methodist Church of Stanton. Dr. Hubert Thomson, evangelist of Canyon, will be preaching, and Dr. Dallas, Denison, Brownfield, will lead the singing.

The twice daily services will begin at 7:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Rev. Richard Payne, pastor, has extended a community wide invitation for all to attend and hear these outstanding men of God.

Variety

(Continued from page 1) people will ride a free horse six months, and then say they "intended" this and that.

Baptist

(Continued from page 1) and education director at Washington Street Baptist Church in Greenville, Texas.

The revival services will be held each morning during the week at 7:00 a.m., and each evening at 7:30 p.m.

The senior entries were to present and exhibit a food representative of the show's theme: "Foreign Foods." Junior girls were invited to enter any type food they desired.

Miss Brown's winning entry was a Grecian dish, while Miss Hazlewood's was a food of Holland.

The winners of the show will represent Martin County at the District Food Show in McCombs this Saturday.

Those entered in the show were: Lea Ann LeFever, Billy Jean Webb, Diana Wells, Connie Barnhill, Tresa Hull, Teasa Williams, Wanda Brown, Shirley Higgins, Bonnie Barnhill, Valarie Henson, Sharolyn Holcomb, Paiga Lou Eiland, Winnie Tennis, Patricia Tennis, Amy Hazlewood, Pam Mendenhall, Lisa Bess Angel, Betty Tennis, Suprena Tennis, Terilyn Hazlewood, Suzanna Brown, Deana Holcomb, and Lisa Hopper.

City

(Continued from page 1) a daughter, is enrolled as a freshman at McMurry College in Abilene.

Mayor "Snooks" Epley is opposed for his second term. He is a native of Martin County, and the Epley family were among the early day settlers here.

Stanton High School News



By DORIS HOWARD

The students all around Stanton High are studying and practicing for the different contest to be held this week-end. Different teams and organizations are traveling all over the state to try to bring home honors and personal recognition.

The Stanton chapter of the Future Farmers of America is traveling to San Angelo, and A&M University, for their participation in the various FFA contests.

For their part in the San Angelo Livestock Show, Steve Fryar, Bobby Odom, and Mikel Bridge are going to show their animals. Clint Creech, Duane Clary, and Bernard Robinson will participate in the steer wrestling contest.

The other boys participating in various contests are Roy Kelly, Rickey Mims, Mark Hursh, Stanley Louder, Dennis Jones, Curtis Flanagan, Lynn Romine, Jackie Rudd, Steve Wood, and Gary Posey.

Several of the players from the Stanton basketball team were chosen on the all-district team.

Lindsay Jones was chosen to the first team, Rusty Hicks was chosen to the second team, and Ricky Mims was chosen an honorable mention.

Getting on the first team all-district girls team were: Sandy Chandler, Leatrice Jones, and Doris Howard. Chosen for the second team were: Daria Sawyer, Jana Hall, and Audrey Brown. These players will receive all-district patches to put on their jackets.

This is a very honorable award to win for the year's efforts for their team.

These band members from several schools, will receive their rating on an individual basis. The band has represented Stanton High in many good ways, and hope to continue to do so in the future.

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HOSPITAL AUXILIARY NEWS

The Women's Auxiliary of the Martin County Hospital District, will hold its first meeting on March 17, at 7:30 p.m., at the Reddy Room of Texas Electric Service Company.

All interested women in the auxiliary, are invited to attend the meeting.

Cancer Unit News

A program on Cancer of the Lung, will be presented to the Midland County Medical Society on March 19, at 6:30 p.m., at the Midland Country Club. Midland, and delegates from the local society unit, have been invited to attend, president Tom Ed Angel, announced.

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B. Jennings Spoke To Lions On Tuesday

Stanton High School Coach **Bill Jennings**, spoke to the Lions Club, and informed them of the current athletic program. Track seems to be the popular sports at this time, along with weight lifting, etc. Coach Jennings gave an outline of a week's activities in the life of one outstanding track star, namely Steve Stallings.

Gene Clements, of the Texas Employment Commission, was a guest of the club, and spoke briefly regarding his duties in the city. He advised the Lions of his office location, and explained he would be making a labor survey of Martin County.

Students of the month were introduced by principle **J. R. Dillard**. President **Elmore** presented certificates to **Mary Meiburn** and **Bill Coggin**.

Twenty-two members attended the noon luncheon. A short board meeting followed the regular meeting.

FFA Team Wins Trophies At Houston Show

The Stanton FFA plant team composed of **Mark Hurst**, **Rickey Mims**, **Stanley Louder**, **Roy Kelly**, **Lyn Romine**, and **Dennis Jones**, won the third and fourth place trophies at the plant identification contest held at the Houston Fat Stock Show.

In the contest held March 7, the Stanton team was named among the top five winners of the 47 teams entered in the identification contest. Winners were Dawson FFA, first; Snyder FFA, second; Stanton, third and fourth, and San Saba FFA, fifth place.

All six team members of the Stanton FFA team had a 390 points out of a possible 400. Each boy missed the identification of the same plant. The boys tied for seventh place through 12th place, in the overall contest.

A Stanton FFA plant team will be entered in the San Angelo Livestock Show Contest.

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