Stanton Reporter Sale Announced

Permian Basin Publishing Co., which has published the Stanton Reporter since the early 50s, was sold last week to Terry Neill and Lonnie Browning from

Following the sale, which was effective March 1, the new owners announced that the paper would be converting to offset printing. The modern offset method of printing is cleaner, and will be most evident in picture reproduction.

Neill, originally from Fort Stockton, and his wife Nancy have moved to Stanton to operate the Reporter. Browning, who owns and operates Circle B Western Wear in Canton, will remain in that ca-

The Stanton Reporter is one of the oldest newspapers in West Texas. having its beginnings sometime during the late 1800s. Before the sale James Allison Sr. of the Midland Reporter Telegram and James Allison Jr. were the principal owners.

several deadline changes will be announced in the immediate future.

Neill, a graduate of Fort Stockton High School, was trained in the newspaper field by Frank and George Baker of the Fort Stockton Pioneer. While at Fort Stockton Neill was sports editor and photographer, and held a similar position at the Hereford Brand.

Neill was also the editor The Reporter will be of the Sunday Magazine, a printed by South Plains weekly magazine supple-Printing Co. of Lamesa, ment to the Longivew and will remain a Thursday News-Journal, and came to

publication, even though Stanton from a position as managing editor of the Free State News in Canton. While at Fort Stockton Neill's pictures placed first in the West Texas Press

Association photo contests

Revolver played a major role in the Pioneers winning in the West Texas Press Association Community Service Award. The column dealt with drug abuse, and actually presented letters twice, and Neill's column from drug users explaining

their view points on drug usage

While at Canton Neill was a member of the Lions Club, was an executive director of the Boy Scouts, and served as publicity chairman for the Cancer

Society. He was also Fort Stockton and the general chairman of the First Monday Trades Day Centennial, which drew 200,000 people to Canton over a four-day period.

Neill is married to the former Nancy Stephens of

couple has one son, Cody, who is eight months old. Mrs. Neill is skilled in typesetting and ad layout, and will handle those functions for the news-SEE OWNERS PAGE 8

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THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1974

Kent Hance Seeking Spot In Texas Senate old Lubbock attorney and member of the West Texas

NEW OWNERS-Terry Neill (at left) and Lonnie Browning, new owners of Permian Basin Publishing Co., which publishes the Stanton Reporter, are shown here looking over some of the offset equipment which the paper will be published with beginning this

Four Stanton Jaycees Chalk Up More Awards

Terry Franklin led the way last weekend as the Stanton' Jaycees won 'two first places and one special award among others at the Jaycee District Convention

in Abilene. There were 13 representatives present from the Stanton Club as Franklin won first place in the Faith in God competition, and the local chapter took first place in External Projects. The Stanton Jaycees also returned home with the

Early Bird trophy. Besides the first place winners Jimmy Graves and Jerry Graham places second and third respectively in the first timers competitChapter Participation and third in travel.

Bob Vinson, Stanton Jaycee, was elected National Director for Area 1-B NS Herb Sorley was named State Vice-President for Region 108. Bubba Standefer was selected Rural Chairman. David Pinkerton, Sorley and Vinson also received Tall Texan awards for membership

The convention got underway Friday with a "Get Acquainted Party". Following the opening business session Saturday morning there were clinics held on

ion. The Stanton Jaycess environmental control, youwere second in Total thassistance, and financial management.

> Rick Clayton, president of the Texas Jaycees, sopke at the noon luncheon Saturday, and competition in the various areas of Jaycee internal programing were held Saturday afternoon. Louis Timberlake, past Texas president gave the keynote speech at the convention banquet Saturday night.

Election of new district officers and the awards banquet were held Sunday with Texas Jaycee President John Thompson on

University Board of Reof the student body. gents, recently announced president of his social his candidacy for the office fraternity, a member of Phi of state senator of the 28th Alpha Kapa honor frasenatorial district, which ternity and the Saddle includes Martin County and Tramps. He graduated 12 other counties in the Last year, Hance was A professor of business named one of the five most law at Texas Tech Unioutstanding professors at versity for the past 5 years, Texas Tech for distinguished service, and he was

Kent R. Hance, 31-year- at Texas Tech University

Hance resigned that position last month in anticiappointed by Lt. Gov. Bill pation of his candidacy for Hobby to serve as a member of the state's the senate seat now held by H.J. 'Doc' Blanchard. Citizens Water Advisory Hance has headed his Council, a study group for own law firm in Lubbock. solving water problems. since 1969 when he returned At Texas University. from Texas University Hance was elected pre-

School of Law where he received his doctor of sident of the student bar jurisprudence degree in association and received

the Counsel Award for SEE HANCE PAGE 7

sident of his class, pre-

working on his BBA degree.

Hance was vice-president



HOUSTON RESERVE CAMP .- Clay Holcomb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Holcomb. is shown above showing his sister's reserve champion Brangus steer at the Houston Livestock Show last weekend.

Martin County 4-Hers Win Big

Martin County 4-H Club members continued to dominate the major livestock shows in Texas last weekend, as Susan Holcomb exhibited the reserve champion hereford steer at the Houston Livestock Show, and Sharalyn Holcomb showed the reserve champion Brangus steer.

While an undergraduate

Susan, nine years of age, and Sharalyn, 13, are the daughters of Mr and Mrs. Vernon Holcomb. The Hereford steer weighed in at 970 pounds and sold in the

from all over the state last

wekend, the Stanton High

School Future Farmers of

America and Range and

Pasture Plant Identifica-

tion teams copped both first

and second place honors at

premium auction for \$1.50 per pound, while the Brangus steer totaled 990 pounds and sold for \$1.80 per pound.

Others coming home with first places included Elonna Airhart, first in middle weight Charolais cross; and Susan Holcomb. first in middle weight Hereford.

Kevin Newman showed the second place middle weight Hereford, while Randy Holcomb entered the second place light

SHS students Dennis

Freton, Larry Romine and

Terry Kelly teamed for the

first place trophy in the

largest plant identification

contest in the state this

vear

polled Hereford. Kevin Newman also had a second place entry in the junior Hereford heifer calf di-

Roxanne Airhart entered the third place winner in a 1 cross, and Jody Yates exhibited the seventh place heavy weight shorthorn.

In the barrow show J.C. Tunnell had a ninth place entry in the heavy Duroc class while Brad Tunnell placed 13th with his entry in the light Duroc class.

team to win the Houston

competition, and the fifth

time in seven years for the

team to place two teams in

Wendy Tunnell's entry in the light Duroc class placed 16th, and Randy Holcomb showed the 16th place light

In the lamb show Rox-

Airhart also exhibited. Others exhibiting in the steer classes were Deanna Holcomb and Clay Holcomb. Judith Yates, Elonna Airhart, Tana Yates and the middle weight Simment anne Airhart had a 26th Roxanne Airhart exhibited

Board Election Set

Martin County School Board passed this week, with neither incumbent in the two precincts up for re-election drawing an opponent.

Incumbents on the board whose terms expire this year are Douglas Church in precinct one and Loyd Wiggins in precinct four. Filing deadline for the county school board post was Wednesday, with the election set for April 6.

Absentee voting will take Behind the first and place March 18 through second place Stanton teams

office in Stanton, at the superintendent's office at Klondike and at the SEE ELECTION PAGE 8

Blake Named Demo Chairman

Charles Blake, a Stanton farmer, was selected Monday as Martin County Democratic Party Chairman, replacing the late Morgan Hall.

In other action by the local Democratic Party, Mrs. Frances Gray of Stanton was named commit SEE BLAKE PAGE 7

This was the third time in the Houston Livestock SEE HONORS PAGE 8 April 2 at the county clerk's

the top five.

Director George Walker's Stanton High School Band returned to Stanton last Saturday with the highly-coveted "Sweepstakes" award from the 20th Annual Sweetwater Band Festival, held Friday and Saturday in Sweetwat-

Besides copping first

superior performances and

certificates of merit were

performers.

Walker was highly pleased with the ratings, which he reports culminate a goal of the band program for the past several years.

At last year's Sweetwater contest, the Stanton music makers received a division one rating in concert, but divisions in both sight failed to win the sight reading and concert. reading competition and members of the Stanton qualify for the special band won 33 medals for award

Other Class AA bands competing at Sweetwater included Ballinger, Eastland, Haskell, Stamford, and Hamlin

Gaining division one solos at the competition were Nancy Glynn, Joanna Haggard, Ronnie Henson, Pam Holcombe, Molly Hughes, Jackie Jones, Patricia Ramos, Darilynn Stewart, and Linda Woody

Winning division one ensembles were Karen Anderson, Sammy Barnhill, Cheryl Bradshaw, Larry Butler, Nancy Glynn, Joanna Haggard, Mindy

Haislip, Ronnie Henson, Pam Holcombe, Jackie Jones, Jo Mims, and

Debbie Webb. Certificates of merit for performances excellent were issued to Cheryl Bradshaw, Mindy Haislip, Ronnie Henson, Jill Hughes Jo Mims, Ralph Newman, Rita Pinkerton and John

Yater for division two solos. Receiving division two ensembles awards were Karen Anderson, Jim Anastasio, Rae Avery, Cheryl Bradshaw, Jerry Brumley,

Mark Cook, Rhonda Gilbreath, Nancy Glenn, Joanna Haggard, Mindy Haislip, Dale Henson, Ronnie Henson, Jill Hughes, Jackie Jones, Laquana Jones, Jo Mims, Ralph Newman, Patricia Ramos, Steve Webb and John

Rae Avery, Darilynn Stewart and Carolyn Woody claimed division three solos and Jackie Jones and Darilynn Stewart took division three ensembles.

Standefer Leads The Way

for External Projects. (Staff Photo)

Buffalo Tracksters Pull Upset

Riding the flying feet of David Standefer Saturday, the Stanton High School Buffalo track team pulled a major upset and wonthe McCamey Invitational

Track Meet. Standefer notched 23 big points for the Buffs and

ended up high point man for the meet. Stanton totaled 84 points, followed closely by pre-meet favorite Alpine with 75. Big Lake was good for 56 points, McCamey tallied 52, Ozona had 48 and Eldorado totaled 38 markers at the meet. Junction

AWARD WINNERS -- These two proud members of the Stanton Jaycees show off part

of the local Jaycees' winnings at the district meet last weekend in Abilene. Terry

Franklin (at left) holds the first place trophy he received for the Faith In God

competition, while Herb Sorley holds the Early Bird trophy and the first place plaque

was next with 34, followed winning 440-yard relay. In by Crane with 31 points, Coahoma 21 and Wall with

Standefer was a 'one man gang' as he won the 220-yard dash, placed second in the 100-yard run and ran the first leg of the

the 220 Standefer recorded a 23.4 clocking, after doing the same distance in .23 during the preliminaries. The trackster also had a 10.8 time in the 100, following a 10.3 time in the preliminaries.

Besides Standefer the winning 440-yard relay team consisted of Bill Howard, Gordon Eiland and Joe Lewis Hernandez. The foursome was clocked at 45.4 in the finals and did 44.7 in the preliminaries.

for the locals, winning the 880-yard dash with a 2:10.6 time and took fourth in the 220-yard dash. In the 220 Hernandez had a 24.1 and ran the anchor leg on the relay team. The trackster is the District 7-AA defend-Hernandez also did well ing champ in the 880 and a

state meet qualifier last

Johnny Gonzales, the District 7-AA champion in the mile run, came home! with a victory in the mile, clocking a fine 4:54.1 Vernon Brown was the last SEE UPSET PAGE 8

Jamboree Set The Country Music Jam-

boree will be held Saturday night March 9 from 8 to 12 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Admission is free, but donations are appreciated. Refreshments of coffee, cokes, and candy will be served.

Bands from surrounding towns will be in Stanton for entertair ment

Lt. Governors Report By Bill Hobby

contributes enormously to intimately familiar with the the economy of our state. many Texans are concerned that the energy crisis could seriously damage this industry

energy industry now are predicting sufficient gasoline supplies this summer to keep tourism alive if not

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In 1972, more than 16 million visitors came to Texas. They spent some \$1.3 billion dollars. The prospect of losing a substantial portion of this revenue is not encouraging.

Of the out-of-state tourisits who visit Texas each year, 86 percent come by personal car. The average tourist party travels 1,444 miles while in the state.

Much of the growth of Texas' tourist industry can be traced to three factors. First, Texas is filled with historic and recreational sites to attret tourists. Second, the state's highway system, with 70,000 miles of primary and secondary roads, makes traveling easy and pleasant. Finally, the Texas Tourist Development Agency, created in 1963, has been very successful in attracting tourists to our state.

If gasoline rationing does not become necessary. I feel we can insure our tourists that they can travel Texas with little incon-

Texas still offers the tourist more than he can find anywhere else. Within our borders, we have 26 million acres of forests. nearly 70 state and national parks, more than 90 peaks rising over one mile in height, 624 miles of Gulf Coastline and 6,300 miles of lakes and streams.

The Texas Highway De-

directing the construction and maintenance of our highway system, provides many tourist services that make the visitor feel most welcome and guarantee him a pleasant trip.

The Department operates 1,100 roadside parks, safety rest areas and scenic turnouts offering the motorist a place to rest, east and relax. The Travel and Information Division operates nine Information Bureaus on key highways entering Texas and visitor centers in the State Capitol and at Langtry to help tourists plan their it-

ineraries while in Texas. Texas has hotel and motel accommodations. fine restaurants, outstanding shopping areas, and, of course, freindly people. All of these factors make the tourist's stay very pleasant and encourage many return

No other state can offer its visitors such things as the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center, the Alamo, Padre Island national Seashore. Big Bend National Park and unequaled commercial enterprises, plus hunting, fishing and boating, year-around. As long as people want to vacation away from home. Texas is sure to have a thriving tourist industry,

> Shop In Stanton

AUSTIN, Tex. - Many delegates to the Constitutional Convention think it is now virtually impossible to wind up their revision job by April

President Price Daniel Jr.'s 90-day timetable for the historic task went out the window when debate on the education article dragged over 11 half-day sessions.

Even Daniel conceded as the education article debate droned toward a close that the convention is off schedule. He said he still feels, however, that there is a chance to make up for lost time by speedy action on relatively non-concroversial (if any) sections.

More pessimistic delegates are stating now that the whole convention assignment is in jeopardy due to strong feeling on many issues.

At root of the problem, many now acknowledge, is the basic difficulty of getting elected officials to agree on monumental decisions during an election year.

Pressure is mounting for recess until after the May and June primary elections.

Daniel hopes to keep the delegates plugging away at decision making until early April. If it is then obvious that the job is a long way from complete, he probably will go along with motions to take off until after the elections, although he isn't ready to commit himself to

Some delegates would like to move up the recess date to March - and head for home as soon as all convention committees have handed in their reports.

NIXON POLL NOTED - An informal poll on the question of impeachment of President Richard Nixon at the January Texas Press Association convention drew the attention of the White House.

According to Margaret Mayer, Dallas Times Herald Washington correspondent: "A call from the White House communications office recently directed the attention of the Times Herald Washington Bureau to a story that, in the opinion of the White House, merited more attention than it had received.

"Publishers of Texas daily and weekly newspapers attending a January meeting of TPA in Austin were asked

Highlights ^^Sidelights in business since 1928 and has how they would vote on impeachment of President Nixon if they were members of the

"Eighty-nine would have voted against impeachment; one, for," Mayer's story pointed out.

House," Mayer added.

GASOLINE ALLOCATED -The Rio Grande Valley and the Midland-Odessa area, which reported severe gasoline shortages, have received additional supplies through the State Emergency Fuel Allocation Office.

SEFAC ordered 200,000 more gallons sent to the Valley and 869,000 gallons to Midland-Odessa.

The total emergency allocation routed to the Valley now comes to about 925,000

Shipments are made from the state's set-aside for emergencies and hardships. SEFAC operates in conjunction with the Federal Energy Office to administer the federal fuel allocation program. The state's set-aside a-

mounts to three per cent of all fuel marketable in Texas on a month-to-month basis. SEFAC determines where it is to be delivered based on need. Other emergency alloca-

tions include 120,000 gallons to Laredo, 195,000 to Corpus Christi, 8,000 gallons to San Antonio, 90,000 to Longview and 60,000 to Dallas.

INSURANCE COMPANY "SUPERVISED" - The state's second largest insurance company has been placed under supervision by the state insurance commissioner pending an April 29 hearing. Commissioner Don Odum

said it appeared Republic National Life Insurance Company of Dallas had exceeded its powers and "failed to comply with the law in regard to the acquisition of certain investments.

Republic National has been

more than \$10 billion in policies in force. Odum said there is no change in the company's obligation to pay

STATE CAPITAL

AG OPINIONS - Meetings of governing boards of special districts (including hospital districts) and their committees must comply with the open meetings law, John Hill held. In other recent opinions,

Hill concluded; Constitutional Convention delegates under common law have legislative immunities

from arrest and freedom from being held accountable for remarks during debate. Filing a complete list of a

lobbying group's membership does not satisfy the legal requirement that a lobby registrant identify all those contributing \$500 or more to his work. A written recommendation

by a regional supervisor of the Texas Air Control Board to a permit engineer regarding a construction permit is a public record.

COURTS SPEAK - A 1973 act permitting cities to issue revenue bonds to promote new industries has been, in effect, held unconstitutional by the Texas Supreme Court in a McAllen case.

· High Court held Tyler's Peoples National Bank and its officers not at fault in jailing of a man who guarded his property from foreclosure sale with a shotgun.

· Representation of a Dallas detective that a confession by a murder trial defendant might benefit the man on trial resulted in reversal by the Court of Criminal Appeals of a death penalty. · A Jefferson County boy

with low intelligence won a new trial on robbery charges after appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals.

APPOINTMENTS - Ken Clapp, formerly of Killeen and Uvalde, resigned his job as special assistant to the governor to serve as Governor Dolph Briscoe's campaign manager.

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TERRACE WORK-Malcolm Tunnell is shown above just completing system of parallel terraces on the Rudy Derhoff farm, which is operated by Troy Bradshaw. Bradshaw farmed following the contour lines layed out by the U.S. Soil Conservation Service last year in preparation for building the terraces this spring

Terrace Work In Full Swing

parallel terraces is in full swing in the Mustang Soil and Water Conservation

Grid mapping has been completed on the Vannie Glaze farm and Glaze is now listing following the contour lines. Other district cooperators who are marking their land in preparation for grid maps are Jeff Glendenning and Robert and Larry Billings-Bill Howell will complete a system of terraces on his entire farm as soon as a contractor is ready to begin construct-

Diversion terraces have been layed out for Preacher Madison and Tom Romine and will be constructed when contractors are available. According to the U.S. Soil Conservation Service in Stanton dry times such as there are are just right to build or repair terraces. 'If there is any moisture at ment

all the belt terracers can really do a good job," Jack Elrod, district conservat-

For information and assistance on terracing or any other conservation activity, contact the local Soil Conservation Service Office in Stanton.

WATCH FOR PEDD. LERS--Homeowners should be on the alert for

fly-by-night salesmen peddling lawn and garden plants and products, warns a landscape horticulturist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Spring is the prime season for these gypsters. Consider doing business only with local, reputable merchants. Check with the local Chamber of Commerce or Better Business Bureau regarding door-to-door salesmen. When buying a service, always obtain a detailed written agree-

Services Held Monday For Tommie Kelly

Fommie Gene Kelly, 33, died Saturday, March 3, at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Big Spring following a lengthy illness.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church with Reverend Warren G. Hall officiating. Burial was held at Ever Green Cemetery under the direction of Gilbreath Funeral home.

Kelly was born January 26. 1941 in Stanton. He served in the Army from 1959 to 1965, and was a member of the First Baptist Church

He is survivied by his mother, Mrs. Ora Mae Kelly; one son, Randal Gene Kelly: two daughters. Sherry Faye and Kerry Gaye, all of Stanton: three sisters Marlene Higgins of Abilene: Mrs. Coleen Garcia of Stanton; and Mrs. Joyce Hunt of Beaumont: and one brother. Hubert

Clarification of proced-17 and send the Form 17 ures for farmers and application to the Dallas or rancehrs to use in filing other appropriate regional forms for fuel allocations, FEO office asking that he be assigned to a supplier.

were issued today by

Delbert M. Fowler of

Dallas, Regional Admini-

strator for the Southwest

Region of the Federal

emphasize that the farmer

should make every effort to

solve his problem through

his individual supplier."

The farmer or rancher is entitled to 100 percent of his current requirements, and

his supplier should see to it

But I also want to

that this fuel is delivered."

emphasize this does not

exempt the farmer or rancher from using

conservation measures like everyone else." Fowler

noted, adding the warning, This status can be taken

away just as easily as it

was given if the privilege is

There are two instances

where a person involved in

agricultural production

would apply directly to the

FEO regional office, using

(1.) If he qualifies as a

wholesale purchaser the

buys 20,000 gallons or more

annually), and none of the

suppliers he has contacted

are willing to accept him as

a new customer as they are

obligated to do under the

regulations, he has the

desired supplier fill out

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March 25-28 in San Antonio.

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Fowler continued.

Fowler said.

First of all I want to

Energy Office (FEO)

(2.) If he qualifies as a wholesale purchaser, and he and his supplier cannot agree on the base period allocation volumes to be provided, he has his supplier indicate the disagreement in block 12 on the Form 17 and send the Form 17 application to the Dallas or other appropriate

regional FF office for

There are the instances when a person involved in agricultural production would apply directly to his state allocation office. If he encounters either of the two situations described above. but is an end-user who does not qualify as a wholesale purchaser, he would apply to the state office on FEO Form 20 for assignment or adjustment, rather than to the regional office.

to longer term actions. If in the short term the farmer or rancher is out of fuel and is a hardship case, he contacts his state allocation office and make application

on FEO Form 20 It is not necessary for the farmer or rancher who does not qualify as a wholesale purchaser to submit any form unless he finds himself in one of the situations described above. If his retailer or supplier

asks for certification of this requirement, an ordinary letter should suffice.

The address of the regional FEO office is: Federal Energy Office-Region VI P.O. Box 2263 Dallas, Texas 75221

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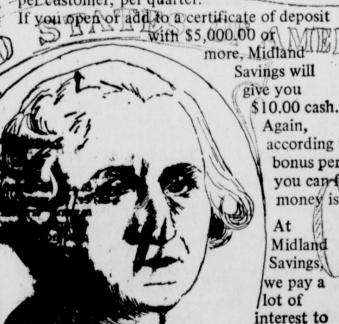
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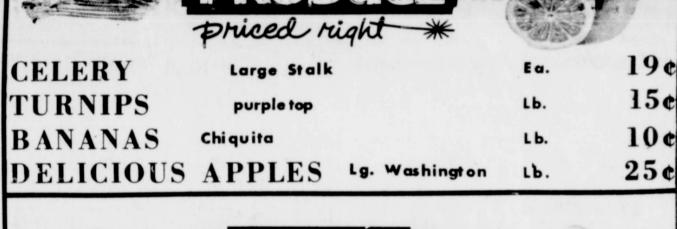
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Public Notice. The Charles Eckert account at the First National Bank has been closed. Any holders of checks signed by Charles L. Eckert after March 4, 1974, contact Mrs. J.F. Sims, 3500 Baumann, Midland.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 2 p.m. on March 27, 1974 at the Community Center at Stanton for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for Martin County.

As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, and means and methods of taking the wildlife resources in Martin County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

CARD OF THANKS

The Family of Mrs. B.F. Smith, wishes to express our appreciation for the many courtesies and expressions of love given to us in our bereavement.

I wish to thank everyone for the cards, visits and flowers sent to me during my stay at Malone and Hogan Hospital in Big Spring. May God Bless you. Mrs. Pearl Jones

Rho Xi Sorority Holds Meeting

The Rho Xi Sorority held its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Milt Yater in Stanton last week, with Mrs. Bonnie Yater serving as hostess for the meeting.

Marsha Todd, president. called the meeting to order. the roll was called and the minutes read and approv-

Rules concerning attendance were voted on and added to the by-laws and new developments on the Little Miss Martin County contest were announced. An election was discussed

and set for March 7. followed by the program, given by Clara Stewart. Mrs. Stewart entitled her program "The Dance."

served to conclude the of length, the average word -Martha Bradshaw, Judy Brandenberger, Mary Deitiker. Bonnie Franklin, Becky Graham, Danny Jones, Marilyn Newman, Beverly North, Brenda Rovertson, Clara Stewart. Marsha Todd, Vickie Wells, Linda White, Patricia Wilson and Bonnie Yater.

EGG CLINIC ... Commercial egg producers are invited to the 19th Annual Texas Commercial Egg Clinic at Texas A & M University March 27. The program will highlight discussions oncurrent production and merchandising techniques, including reducing egg breakage, rearing pullets in cages. dehydration and use of poultry waste, pullet condition and future performance, effective egg merchandising, in-line production-packing sysyems, and laying rations



students at Texas Tech University who have been awarded the Distinguished Military Cadet Award for the second semester-the second highest award a cadet can receive while still in the corps-was Virginia N. Pribyla, senior journalism major from Tarzan. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Pribyla of Star Route, Tarzan. The award was presented by Col. Mack E. Baker, professor of aerospace studies at Texas Tech University. Recipients are chosen on the basis of grade point average, activity and leadership ability in the corps, summer camp ratings, and characteristics exemplifying an Air Force Officer. The cadets will be commissioned as Air Force second lieutenants upon completion of their various degree programs at Texas Tech. (Tech Photo)

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The middle chapter and

the shortest is Psalm 117. only two verses. The middle verse in the Bible is Psalm 118:8. The middle book of the Old Testament is Proverbs. The middle chapter of the Old Testament is Job 29. The shortest verse in the Old Testament is I Chronicles 1:25; the longest, Esther 8:9. The middle verse in the New Testament is Acts 17:17: the middle chapter is between Romans 13 and 14: the middle book is II Thessalonians. The shortest verse in the New Testament in English is John 11:35; in Greek, I Thessalonians 5:16.

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it to be wise, believe it to be safe, and practice it to be holy. It contains light to direct you, food to support you and comfort to cheer you. It is the traveller's map, the pilgrim's staff, the pilot's compass, the soldier's sword, the Christparadise is restored. Heaven opened, and the Christ is its grand object. our good its design and the glory of God its end. It should fill the memory, rule the heart and guide the feet. Read it slowly, frequently and prayerfully. It is a mine of wealth, a paradise of glory and a river of pleasure.

Enforcement Of Limit Promised

Austin--Colonel Wilson E. Speir, director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said today he is disturbed by many comabout drivers refusing to obey the 55-mile-per-hour speed limit, and has directed DPS troopers to intensify their enforcement efforts.

When the new law went into effect January 20 of this year,' he said, 'our surveys indicated a high degree of voluntary compliance on the part of Texas drivers.

But since that time, we have noticed that motorists, or at least many of them, have been gradually 'inching' up their speeds on Texas highways. Consequently, our troopers have been increasing their volume of speeding citations, and will have to continue to intensify their efforts until a more reasonable degree of voluntary compliance is achieved.

Speir said he has received numerous reports by motorists who are complying with the new law who are frightened and angered by others who pass them at speeds dangerously above the legal limit, and

County. Angel.

them when they can't pass for one reason or another. We commend those

drivers who are cooperating in the state and plaints by Texas motorists national effort to reduce accidents, save lives, and at the same time conserve fuel by driving within the legal limits,' Speir said.

'And we solicit the cooperation of those who would forget or ignore the dangers posed to themselves and others by dangerous and illegal speeds on the highways of our state.

We would remind everyone that consistently through the years, excessive speed is involved in more fatal accidents than any other single factor.

Cancer Unit Holds Meeting

The Martin County unit of the American Cancer Society met Monday at noon at the Belvue Restaurant in Stanton with Mrs. Leo Turner presiding in the absence of chairman, Mrs. Gladys Jackson.

A memorial gift of \$5 was reported for February.

Mrs. Forest Smith, crusade chairman, reported on plans for the house-to-house crusade to be held on Tuesday evening, April 2. SHe also gave information on covering the business section of town and Martin

Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, publicity chairman, stated that material had been distributed to the news media concerning the crusade and activities of the

Present were field representative, Chris Torti, of Midland: Mrs. Leo Turner. Mrs. Forest Smith, Mrs. Glenn L. Brown and Ton Ed

CENTER STARTED Ground was broken for the Texas 4-H Center at Brownwood Februry 22. with about 300 4-H youth. adult leaders and other interested individuals in attendance.

- Church Directory -

TARZAN BAPTIST CHURCH

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Richter is attending Cooke County Junior College

Easter Seal Appeal let-

ters are being delivered

this week in Martin County

according to R.O. Anders-

son. Easter Seal Repre-

sentative of the Easter Seal

Society for Crippled Child-

ren and Adults of Texas. As

representative Anderson serves as contact rep-

resentative for disabled

persons needing Easter

Seal rehabilitation services

and also serves as treas-

urer of the Easter Seal

The Easter Seal Society

offers physical and occupational therapy, speech

Appeal in Martin County.

Jaycee-Ettes Attend Meet

Four members of the Stanton Jaycee-Ettes attended the District One Winter Convention last Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Abilene

The center of activities for the weekend was the Abilene Convention Center, where a "Get Acquainted Party" was held to kick the convention off Friday night.

Different types of competitions and clinics were held Saturday morning for the Jaycee-Ettes, followed. by a catered lunch. Guest

speaker for the lunch was with each area electing National Jaycee President Rick Clayton

The Abilene Jaycee-Ettes were host to a Style Show and Brunch honoring the state officers Saturday afternoon in the convention center. A banquet, hosted by the Abilene Jaycees, was held Saturday night with Lewis Timberlake serving as the main

A business session and awards meeting opened activities Sunday morning.

vice-presidents for the next year. Susy Gardy of El Paso was elected Area I-B vice-president and will be installed in El Paso at the state convention in May.

Texas Jaycee-Ette President Billie Tustison of Irving and past-president Kay Johnston of Garland spoke to the district members and guests aften the business session. The Stanton chapter then presented the president with a

The state's representa-

tives expressed their sup-

port of the West Texans'

efforts and promised

prompt action. Purnell and

Askew asked that future

efforts for long-range relief

be directed to the Federal

Energy Office in Washing-

ton, D.C., while request to

the State Energy Office for

short-term interim aid be

coordinated through the

Permian Basin Regional

According to Yater, in

order to promote a region-

wide effort for additional

Planning Commission.

mously to support Rose Bell of El Paso for the Texas Javcee-Ette President in elections to be held at the state convention. The local women attended the Jaycee Awards Luncheon with the Stanton Jaycee Chapter bringing home several top honors and awards.

Jaycee-Ettes from Stanton attending the three-day event were Peggy Sorley, Lauraine Vinson, Patricia Wilson and Sandra Pinker-

being made to present the

The PBRPC has been

delegated regional coordi-

nator for emergency en-

ergy requests, and will be

the area contact for retail

and wholesale suppliers.

Hospital

News

Feb. 26--Jeanette McBride

Feb. 28-Letha D. Wright,

Mar. 1--Keta Pendland.

and Washignton.

Admitted

and infant son

Latrell Welch

Leslie Warren



Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Earney Maker of 409 St. Francis Street in Stanton announce the approaching marriage of their daughter Judy Beth to Michael Gilbert Madison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Madison of 1111 Carpenter St. in Stanton. The marriage will be

case to the FEO in Dallas

April 9, at 7:00 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of

Bond Sales Total \$858

According to County Bond Chairman James Jones, December sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Martin county totaled \$858. Sales during 1973 amounted to \$20,943 for 70 percent of the yearly sales goal of

Texans purchased \$15,960,418 in Savings Bonds during the month. Total Bond sales during 1973 were \$222,144,125 for

103 percent of the state's

goal of \$216.6 million. Some 79 counties in the state have achieved their 1973 sales goal.

PORK SUPPLIES -- Pork supplies should remain tight through 1974, with generally steady prices for producers, says a livestoc marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Despite current high prices, pork producers aren't expanding due to the high price

Local Judge Joins PB Reps In Seeking Energy

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and hearing programs, and

special equipment loans to

enable disabled persons to

make the best use of their

abilities to overcome hand-

icaps. These services are

financed by the annual

public education programs,

provides scholarships for

training of professional

personnel to staff reha-

bilitation centers, and helps

provide for national re-

search into the causes and

Anderson pointed out that

cures of crippling con-

Easter Seal Appeal.

in Wichita Falls, and is also a graduate of Burkburnett High School. He is employed by the

Manhatten Department Store in Burkburnett. A wedding date has been set for April 20, in

Martin County Judge Car- which special emphasis rol Yater and a contingent of 25 Permian Basin city and county officials, along with two representatives from the Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission, traveled to Austin last Wednesday to request emergency gasoline allocations for the Permian

Charles Purnell, executive assistant to Governor Dolph Briscoe, and Al Askew, administrator of the State Energy office in Dallas, met with the West Texas delegation to discuss the fuel shortage. The state officials were presented with an extensive brief in

vices for 20,570 children and

adults who were in need of

assistance. Easter Seal services are available to

any disabled person who

can benefit from help

provided by the Easter Seal

Society, and who do not qualify for any other

assistance, Anderson add-

Easter Seal Letters Mailed In Martin County

The Society also finances · vided treatment and ser-

was made to the fact that 25 percent of the nation's energy is produced in the Permian Basin, yet at present, the region is only receiving 75 percent of 1972's fuel allocations.

This figure is estimated to be at least 50 percent below current requirements needed to support the region's petroleum and agriculture activities. Due to the large number of high priority consumers in the Permain Basin, those being the petroleum industry and agriculture users, the present allotments will not allow industries to function

gasoline consignments, the PBRPC, along with Midland Councilmen Jim Kent, will be holding a series of

Mar. 2-Carolyn Sue Edwards. Rhonda Gaye Marmeetings throughout the 17-county area of the commission to assist local retailers in applying for emergency allocations. The planning Commission has informed the Federal En-

tin and infant daughter. Willie W. Clements, Eva Mae Thomas Mar. 3--Virginia Shelton, Era Burns, Clarence Moon Dismissed:

Mar. 1--Jeanette McBride and infant son Mar. 3-Eva Mae Thomas

all these programs are important if Texas is going The Easter Seal Camto continue to provide the paign will continue through best in rehabilitation serergy Office of existing Easter Sunday, April 14. vices for its own disabled shortages and plans are During 1973, the Texas Easter Seal Society pro-

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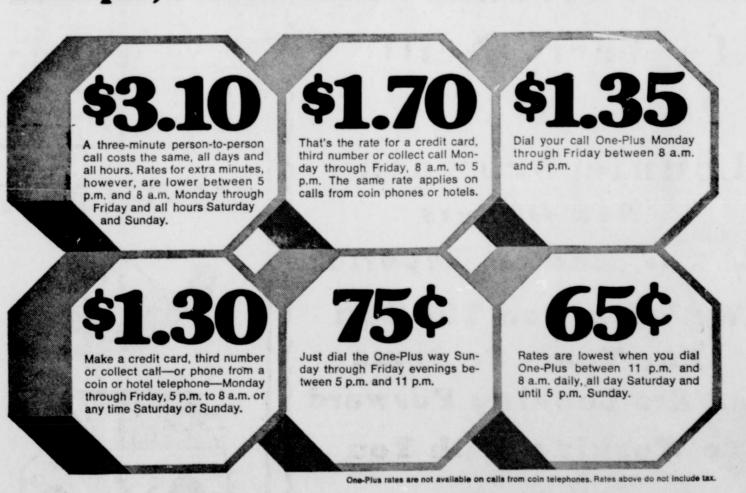
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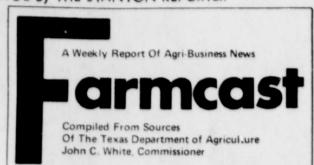


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Counties in Texas eligible for the program are Cottle, King, Dickens, Borden, Scurry, Mitchell, Taylor, Callahan, Midland, Glasscock, Sterling, Coleman, Crane, Upton, Jeff Davis, Pecos, Presidio, Kinney, Uvalde, Medina, Bexar, McCulloch, San Saha, Mills, Stephens, Erath, Brown, Comanche, Hamilton, Bosque, Coryell, Lampasas, Bell, McLennan, Burnet, Williamson, Hood, Milam, Jim Wells, Nueces, Kleberg, Kenedy, Brooks, and Willacy.

The Texas Department of Agriculture is responsible for the program on a state level. Other agencies cooperating include the Texas Agriculture Experiment Station, and The Texas Rodent and Predator Control Service as well as the Extension Service. The project is in cooperation with the Environmental Protection Agency.

Producers who participate in the experiment must keep records of all results with the M-44. Violation of the regulations can result in loss of eligibility for a county. The program will continue through June, 1975.

Further details may be obtained from the Texas Department of Agriculture or your county agent.

CATTLE feeding in Texas has shown a resumption of increasing numbers, the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service notes. In Texas, there were 2,340,000 cattle and calves on feed for slaughter markets as of February 1. This is six per cent above a year ago and six per cent above the number on feed a month ago.

Placements into Texas feedlots during January totaled 467,000 head which is a gain of 44 per cent above January of 1973 and 69 per cent more than the previous

However, marketings of fat cattle during January totaled 332,000 head, which is six per cent below a year

Nationwide, the number of cattle on feed in the seven major cattle feeding states. Texas, Arizona, California, Colorado, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas-totaled 9,632,000 head. This is a three per cent increase from a month ago but four per cent less than those on feed a year ago at this time.

SALES for all kinds of livestock at Texas auctions compared to a year ago and a month ago are higher. Cattle and calves marketed through auctions during January were 54 per cent above a year ago and 17 per cent above a month ago.

Cotton's Future Looking Up

MIAMI, Fla .-- Buying cotton on price has become a thing of the past, David Cox, vice president of Cotton Incorporated, told members of the Knitted Textile Association at their annual convention here.

"Profit, not price, is the new basis for cotton marketing." Cox declared. 'And I mean profit for the producers of cotton as well as for the industries that spin, weave and knit it."

Cox, who heads the division of supply and demand at the Cotton Incorporated research center at Raleigh, N.C., said his company is openly moving to exploit every opportunity opened up by the energy crisis to regain lost market share for cotton and to open new markets.

"Those same opportunities can mean new profits for cotton customers, too,

Cotton Incorporated carries out research and sales and marketing activities for America's cotton growers in the largest agricultural self-help program in the world. Company operations are centered in New York and Raleigh.

"Cotton is the most energy-efficient known to man," said Cox. But more importantly today, cotton is available.

He said U.S. cotton farmers have already demonstrated both ability and willingness to respond to marketplace demands. 'Cotton production jumped 32 per cent from 1971 to 1972--based on market demands alone," said Cox. That was over a year before cotton price showed any significant increase."

He pointed out that total U.S. cotton production in 1973 remained at a high level, despite disastrous flooding in the Mississippi Delta. "Again, the reason was the responsiveness of American cotton producers to marketplace demands.

Cox said the 1974 cotton crop will be "as big as is needed." But he cautioned mill men to let cotton

producers know their needs and to respect the producers profit position.

'All farming inputs are showing steep rises in price this year," he said. "Still, cotton farmers will deliver what the market can take--as long as they deliver at a profit.'

Cox advised mill men to order early and not to be afraid of price. domestic mills allow cotton prices to fall, they are signalling producers that more cotton is not neededand it will be the mills themselves that will suffer the consequences.

Cox, a marketing expert with diverse experience in computers and agriculture, said mills that do not order early this year will have to take their chances. "Cotton farmers may opt for alternative high-profit crops on their land.

He warned mills against taking any calculated risk based on the supply of man-made fibers. "Shortages of synthetic fibers had become serious long before the Arab oil embargo was imposed," he said, "and the shortage will continue far beyond whatever time

again into the United States.

He said the shortages of natural gas and crude oil together add up to a huge question mark for synthetic fibers. "The energy crisis may last six months, or a year, or two years, or a decade. But who among the synthetic fiber makers will risk hundreds of millions of dollars on new production plants in the face of uncertain supplies of petro-chemical feedstocks?"

Cox told the knitters they should pay special attention to fiber markets. "Synthetic fibers have penetrated your industry deeply," he said. "And in many ways you may have become the unwitting victims of the cheap energy myth.'

He acknowledged that cotton has been a risky fiber to buy, with boombust pricing and undependable supply

"Cotton was not in a position to bargain with customers on the basis of profits. Customers bought cotton on a price basis only. But now all that has changed.

The energy crisis has cut the ground from under the once-dominant position of Arabian oil starts flowing synthetic fiber makers all

An Editorial

Give To County Cancer Drive

High on the list of those who contributed to enactment into law of the National Cancer Act, is the American Cancer Society. Under this law the conquest of cancer has been made a national goal. It has also brought a considerable increase of funds for the government's cancer research program.

How does this affect the role of the voluntary health agency in the field of cancer - the American Cancer Society? All the evidence at hand shows that the demands upon the Society have increased greatly since passage of the National Act.

More scientists than ever before have requested research grants from the Society at the same time that government funding increased. The President of the American Cancer Society: Dr. Justin J. Stein, described the special role often played by ACS-sponsored research

"The American Cancer Society," Dr. Stein has written, probably has a more flexible policy for research, with fewer restrictions, and is able to fund promising young investigators who are just getting started. The Society also funds certain categories of grants which are not available from other sources...

An example of the unique role of the Society's research is its sponsorship of the Cancer Prevention study. More than a million individuals have been studies for many ears to find out what environmental factors may cause

This monumental study was made possible because the ACS has tens of thousands of volunteers all over the country and the scientists directing the study could enlist their support. Out of this study came valuable information about cigarettes as a cause of cancer, about the dangers of asbestos and other occupational and environmental

Insofar as education and service to cancer patients are concerned, there is no substitute for the voluntary agency. This April the American Cancer Society is bringing a message about cancer's seven warning signals to more than 40 million homes.

And in its rehabilitation programs the Society helps improve the quality of survival of thousands of women who have had breast cancer; it teaches those who have lost voice boxes how to talk again; it helps assure normal life to many who otherwise might have been defeated by the disabilities resulting from cancer.

So when a volunteer comes to your home, give generously and help realize the Society's goal of wiping out cancer in your lifetime

over the world, said Cox. "And cotton is available to fill vacated markets. Cotton will continue to be

available. It can ensure

repeated sales and profits.' As the company representing America's cotton growers. Cotton Incorporated can now offer knitters better profit proposals than synthetics, Cox said. "And that's just the start.'

He said Cotton Incroporated textile research and development already has discovered new knitting technologies that increase the ratio of cotton in blends. 'We can show you new

fabric constructions that are predominantely cotton, and they yield nothing in consumer appeal to old blends that favored synthe-

The Cotton Incorporated research center houses the

most sophisticated collection of knitting machines in the world devoted primarily to research on cotton, Cox told the assembly.

Other textile research is centered on flame retardance and durable press. At the same time, multi-million dollar programs of agricultural research are giving cotton farmers new production techniques, new technology for harvesting, handling and ginning and new efficiencies in all farming operations.

"Our total cotton marketing approach, including research, is to make cotton a true agro-industrial product, not subject to the vagaries of weather or pestilence," Cox declared. He lauded cotton for its

energy efficiences. "On the basis of energy inputs to produce it, cotton is five

synthetic fiber," he said. 'Cotton is produced through the action of photosynthesis--non-polluting energy from the sun. Add in the fact that for every two pounds of cotton fiber we produce, we get

over one pound of cotton seed food--and cotton looks better all the time. Cotton's energy efficiencies show up even when people wear it. Cox continued. "It is cooler in summer and warmer in winter. And when you finish with it, it is bio-degradable. It breaks

ecological balance. In addition to its fundamental and aesthetic values, cotton fits the profit equation for the knitting industry today, Cox said.

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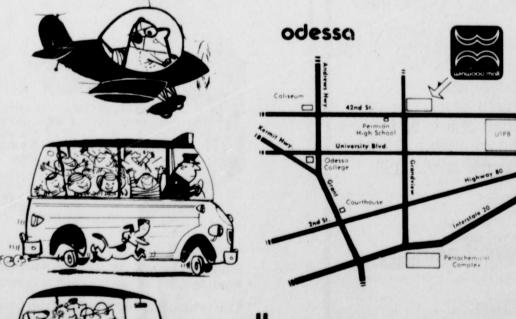
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Big Textile Texas' is the tit article in the F issue of America's Reporter-Bulleti ties in perfectly theme of our u annual meeting Donald A. Johnson tive Vice Presi Lubbock-based Pla

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The 'big push' is exactly what we have in mind on the High Plains, Johnson said, 'and while the move is already underway we expect it to gain additional momentum with the full airing of the area's textile potential at our annual meeting on March 19."

The meeting is to be held at Van's Catering Service just East of Lubbock on the Slaton Highway. The program is built around the creation of new markets for High Plains cotton, primarily in open-end spinning mills both on the High Plains and elsewhere.

The Reporter-Bulletin influx of textile mills to locate cheek by jowl with the sprawling cotton fields. would provide encouragement and solidity to the

Big Textile Push in as well as some very real advantages to the mills themselves." It goes on to say that Texas growers, particularly in the High Plains area around Lubbock, have been most anxious to develop additional end uses for the particular tope cotton that flourishes in the High Plains.

Recent information has bound that High Plains low micronaire cottons produce a stronger more uniform yarn when processed by open-end spinning than when processed by conventional ring spinning. and the yarn from High Plains cotton is said to be especially suitable in denim

production. In agreeement with what PCG has been saying all along, the textile magazine article stated 'Confirmation of these findings could open the door to huge new markets for High Plains cotton in coming years."

Market demand for denarticle points out'...an im fabric for use in jeans is expected to continue strong both in the U.S. and abroad for some time to come. the advantages of our kind Textile analysts have pro-jected there will be a 42 spinning mills. Johnson Textile analysts have pro-



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Speakers for the PCG

annual meeting March 19

will include Nick Hahn.

Vice President in Charge of

Sales and Marketing for

Cotton Incorporated, with

headquarters in New York

City: James S. Parker,

Director of the Textile

Research Center at Texas

of jeans and jeans-cut trousers between 1971 and

One textile mill using open-end machinery, Southwest Textiles, is already in operation at Abernathy, and two other such mills are in advanced planning stages.

The Reporter-Bulletin article singled out labor availability, proximity of suitable raw materials. availability of less expensive natural gas, the Texas Right to WOrk Law. and nominally priced real estate and tax concessions from local governmental authorities as a few of the assets which will attract additional textile industry to the High Plains.

PCG hopes to exploit all of these advantages plus cotton growing community percent growth in the sales said, to the end that within Feather Fabrics Incorporated, which is now in the process of installing an open-end spinning plant in

The meeting will begin at 2:00 p.m. with adjournment contemplated at about 5:30.

The Stanton Volunteer Fire Department elected officers for 1974 Monday night, with Gary Deitiker becoming the new fire

Stanton VFD Elects Officers Monday

ed at the Monday night meeting included Bob Vinson, secretary; Corky Blocker, first assistant; Gene Byrd, second assist-

and continues to gain wider-

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Many consumers rate it the

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Other new officers elect- ant; Bob Haislip, president and Paige Eiland, vice-president.

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teewoman for Precinct One and also as secretary of the Martin County Democrats. Hall served as Martin County Democratic Party Chairman for 32 years before his death last year

+ HANCE

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outstanding students. Hance is well known in area politics for his successful role as campaign manager for several winning candidates over the past five years. This will be his first race as a candidate.

Dr. Pepper Sales Up Over February

lonage sales in February were better than 12 percent ahead of the same month last year, it was reported in Dallas today. It was the highest February volume on record for the company and the 154th consecutive monthly gallonage sales increase over the corresponding month the previous year.

Company president W.W.

volume increase is coming from vertical sales growth in areas where Dr. Pepper has been available for many years. Franchise bottlers are doing an increasingly better job of merchandising and distributing Dr. Pepper he

tinuted aggressive promotion and advertising would be done at both the local and national levels in Success of Sugar Free Dr. Pepper has been significant,' said Clements.

The company has just released its 1973 figures which showed healthy sales and earnings gains for the

drink on the market,' he Tech University, and Paul Clements said much of the P. Cook. President of SANCAP BECAUSE YOU HAVE ENOUGH SOIL PROBLEMS

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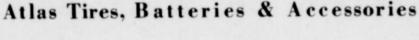
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were Callisburg of Gaines ville, third; Snyder, fourth; and Lindsey, fifth. Denneth Hull, James Franks and Gary Henson made up the second place Stanton team.

Individually Stanton also did well, with Bromine ending up in thrid overall with 398 points. Freton was fourth with 390, followed by Franks with 390 for fifth and Hull in seventh with 389 points out of a possible 400. Only the top five teams and top 10 individuals receive awards at the Houston

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This weekend the Stanton team will travel to the San Angelo Livestock Show and attempt to repeat as junior and senior winners there. The same two teams will

ELECTION

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of the Buff first place winners, taking all competition in the 120-yard high hurdles with a 15.6 clocking against a strong wind. Brown also placed fourth in the long jump with a leap of

Bill Howard, one of the Buffalos top sprinters, was nursing a sore leg and ran only the 440-yard relay, and Mark Eiland, a good 440-yard dash prospect, was also suffering from a sore leg. Gordon Eiland ran on the winning relay team,

UPSET

took fourth in the 100-yard dash and joined Vernon and Elvin Brown and Bob Rees on the mile relay team.

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not in good shape, but gave:

a supreme effort and

showed great courage in

'This is by far the best

attitude we have seen. We

do not have many on our

track team, but we have

winners who do not mind

paying the price. Everyone

should back them all the

way. We would love to see

our fans at Iraan Saturday,'

Stanton's girls picked up

18 points, with Connie

Christon and Rae Jones

pulling off most of the

third in the 220, third in the

dash. Miss Jones came in

fourth in the discus, and

other girls competing in-

The girls track team

travels to Robert Lee

Saturday and the boys

compete at Iraan. The

Robert Lee meet will

begin at 8:30 a.m. and the

Iraan meet will be kicked

off at 9 a.m. with finals

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slated for 1:30 p.m.

Becky Lambert.

Richardson concluded.

their event,' Richardson

Other Stanton tracksters participating included John Higgins and Robert Oglesby in the 440-yard dash and Ronny Dickenson, H.A. Schulke and Tim Hall in the

shot put and discus. SHS track mentor Bob Richardson was understandably elated over the Buffalo victory, 'I have never been prouder of a bunch of athletes in my life.

Lakeview Demonstration These boys had only five Club Meets real workout days and are

The Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met Feb. 21 in the home of Mrs. Alfred Franks

Mrs. Bill McEvain, president, called the meeting to order and led the club

Roll call was answered with a suggestion for improving appearance.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Mrs. E.P. Madison gave the council

The club voted to help the council in sponsoring '4-H Girls Revue Winners' with

points. Miss Christon won trophies Mrs. Joe Mac Gaskins of 100 and fourth in the 60-yard Knott, was guest speaker. She gave an interesting talk fourth in the 100 and fifth in on 'Community Environthe 60. Vicky Christon won ment'. She stated that the district supervisor of the highway dept. is responsicluded Carla Welch and ble for having rest areas on highways in this district. Our district supervisor lives in Odessa.

> Mrs. Gaskins said that local residents should plant trees, shrubs and flowers to make homesites more attractive. Growing plants is natures way of cleaning and purifing the air, she added, and trees, the largest of the plants, are great pollution fighters as well as furnishing shade.

OWNERS

Browning is a graduate of Pickton High School, Paris Junior College and East Texas State University. He was employed for four years by the Texas Agriculture Extension Service as county extension agent for Van Zandt County.

Browning is married to the former Elvira Petross of Sulphur Springs, and the

a member of the executive council of the Boy Scouts.

Billie Morgan, president of the Mu Lambda Sorority of Stanton presided when the Pledge Ritual was held Monday night for Vena Fortune and Lela Shankle. Assisting Billie in the candlelight formal ceremony held at the home of Billie Flanagan, were Mabel Atchison, Mickey Lander, Rhonda Patrick, Billie Flanagan, Clairese Hale and Pauline Graves.

The president led the opening ritual with Rhonda Patrick, secretary protem making the roll call and reading the minutes of the last meeting.

Billie Flanagan gave the treasurer's report and Mabelatchison presented the sorority study and brought the "it" gift, which Mrs. Patrick received. Vena Fortune gave the program on "Language" and a panel discussion was

Mu Lambda Elects New Officers Mon. held by the group. The Mu Lambda chapter will host the October monthly birthday party at the Stanton View Manor.

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couple has two children

Lisa, four-years old and

He has been owner and

operator of Circle B

Western Wear for the past

one and a half years, and is

a member of the Lions Club

in Canton. Browning is also

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Brad, 10 months.

Election of officers was also held during the meeting. New officers are Mabel Atchison, president; Pauline Graves, vice-president and alternate to city council; Vena Fortune, secretary: Billie Flanagan, treasurer: Rhonda Patrick, corresponding secretary and delegate to city council; Lela Shovele, historian; and Mickey Lander, sponsor. Nine members and one guest, Peggy Hale attended.

A Hawaiian Party will be held at the next meeting, March 18 in the home of Clairese Hale. The group will meet at Vena Fortune's home at 7:15 p.m. and go from there

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