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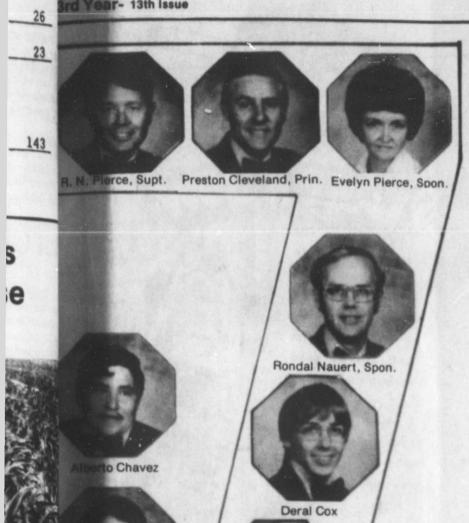
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The Polls

The polls, not always accurate because they sample public opinion and don't measure it, indicate Ronald Reagan can't win in November.

What makes this indication of primary political importance is the margin by which Jimmy Carter beats Ronald Reagan. While polls are sometimes wrong, when the margin is 53-34 per cent, as was the latest Harris Poll, the indication is eye-opening. The same poll showed

The same poll showed President Ford and Jimmy Carter in a very close race, and that independent voters were evenly divided between Ford and Carter.

If one studies recent presidential elections, it will be found the parties almost always nominate the candidate with the best public opinion showing. Of the candidates nominated, the poll favorite almost always wins. There have been few exceptions in recent years.

Play On Words

"My wife," said one "is very poetic. She gets up at sunrise and says, 'Lo, the morn."" "Huh!" said the other

sadly. "Mine says, Mow the lawn.""

Price Control? "How much are potatoes worth now?"

"No more than they were, lady, but they're costing about sIT times as much?"

No Limit

Tailor-About the little bill of yours, sir, when can I hope for payment? Slowpay--Always.

Jaybirds Set Two School Records In State Track Meet

The Jayton Jaybirds set two school records at the boys state track meet this past week-end in Austin. The sprint relay of Don Wayne Jones, Mark Fincher, Billy Wilson and Harold Parker ran 43.9 for seventh place. The school record for this event had been 44.9 set in 1975 at the state meet.

Mark Fincher scored in the 100 yard dash with a time of 10.1 and sixth place. Mark's time was the same as the third place time of 10.1 seconds. Mark holds school record 10.0 in regional this year.

Harold Parker took a second place medal with a fine time of 49.4 in the 440 yard dash. Harold should make his presence felt in Austin before he graduates in the effect that he is only a Sophomore. Harold set the school record in the 440 yard dash in 49.3 at the regional meet this year.

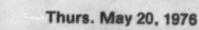
The Mile Relay set a school record with a time of 3:27.2. The members included Robert Segura, Billy Wilson, Mark Fincher and Harold Parker. The old school record was 3:33.3 set in 1975 at the regional meet.

This has been an outstanding season for the Jaybird track team. The team was 48 members strong and were team champions of seven track meets. Included in these championships, were the District championship with a score of 206 points and eleven individual, along with two relays qualifying for the Regional Meet in Levelland. The Jaybirds scored a first in winning the Regional Track Championship for the first time with a score of 57 3/4 points.

A special thanks from the coact to all the young men that word the Black and was a job well done, also thank you to the parents and friends that followed and gave their support to these young men. It will be a year to remember.

Waitresses Take Part In Memorial Day Coffee Project

Several hundred waitresses within a 100 mile radius of Abilene are already busy selling plastic American flag pins in participating restaurants as a part of the 1976



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the District

e First Baptist Church of Jayton will conduct in Bible School May 24-28, Monday through The school will meet each morning at 8:30 and 1:30. Each boy and girl of our town, ages 3-12 are and urged to attend the school, the pastor said. In teacher and worker is experienced and well ind. "The boys and girls will have a good time and

Debbie Baker

rn much about God and the Bible. Boys and girls end the five day school will learn as much as they itending Sunday School for four or five months,"

Arents encourage your children to attend the We will be looking forward to meeting and ling each boy and girl on Monday morning May 8:30 at the First Baptist Church. Brother Truetf lier is the school principal."

ERVATION AWARDS AND SOIL

Conservation Breakfast and Tour is planned on V, May 21 by the Duck Creek Soil and Water rvation District.

he Breakfast and Tour will start at approximately m. at Swenson Park at Spur.

wards for outstanding accomplishments in Soil rvation work will be presented.

e public is invited to attend the Tour and

W. L. mayer Kathy Ballard

Don Wayne Jone

Jesse Lee

Deborah Smith

Eloise Robertson

Winners Named In Peace Officers' Rattlesnake Rodeo

The Caprock Peace Officers held their annual meeting Thursday in Clairemont, Headquarters for the Association. Peace Officers from all branches of law enforcement was on hand to witness the shootoff of the top marksmen in each group. When the smoke had cleared, over 100 rattlesnakes had bit the dust as some of the best scores were registered since the meet first started.

Winners in the different groups were as follows:

Gerald Saffel, Deputy Sheriff, Aspermont; Bobby Goff, Game Warden, Lubbock; Jerry Griffin, Highway Patrolman, Tahoka; Steve Holmes, City Patrolman, Plainview; George Frazier, Texas Ranger, Big Spring; John Mason, D.P.S., Lubbock; D.E. Woodard, Sheriff Posse, Spur; Billy Hutchison, D.P.S. Lubbock; L.D. Holmes, Preacher, Big Spring; Allen Ingley, Sharpshooter, Lubbock and A. Howard, Visitor, Floydada.

Bobby Goff was overall winner of a pair of Justin Boots and Allen Ingley won the Rattlesnake belt for the visitors. Near record attendance of approximately 250 members was on hand to witness the bicentennial program and enjoy a barbeque lunch.

Directors wish to thank area merchants and county officials for their help in making this years meeting a success.

Strange!

Doctor-Did you say that there was something wrong with this hot-water bottle? Striker-Yes, sir, I put some water in it yesterday and it isn't hot yet.

Just Right

A dress should be tight enough to show there's a woman inside of it-but loose enough to show that she's a lady. -Record, Columbia, S.C.

HIGHWAY ACT

President Ford has signed the \$17.5 billion Federal Highway Assistance Act, calling it "an important step toward meeting the nation's transportation needs."

Memorial Day Coffee Project which benefits the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Last year's project raised \$8,250 to help the Rehab Center during the critical summer funding period. The lapel flag pins, which sell for \$1.00 each, entitle the wearer to a free cup of coffee in any of the participating restaurants on Memorial Day (May 31).

Top waitresses in each of five categories will receive a western wardrobe valued at \$100. from Luskey's Western Wear of Abilene. In addition, any waitress selling as many as 100 pins will receive a \$10. gift certificate.

Last year almost 125 restaurants throughout West Texas participated in the project.

According to Shelley V. Smith, Executive Director of the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, the project provides the necessary funds for a special five weeks therapy-recreation program for almost 100 of the Center's handicapped youngsters. Smith said, "Without this project the summer program for the kids would have to be discontinued. For the past four years waitresses have keptthe program going."

Jayton Junior High Graduation Is held

The Jayton Junior High School graduating program was held in the auditorium May 18th at 8 P.M.

On the program, Barney Murdoch played the processional and the recessional. Penny Gregory gave the invocation, and Gayla Prince the welcome.

Preston Cleveland and John Richey handed out awards and Greg Nauert gave the address.

Preston Cleveland made the presentation of awards, and Lori Murdoch gave the benediction. Ushers were Joe Mc Means and Roby Brazee. Usherettes were Jamie Pierce and Donna Smith.

TO FIDE OF GITA DOTTING OTTIN
Class members were:
Larry Arnold
Bobby Benevides
Chip Brazee
Nathan Brooks
Bim Bural
Myra Cheyne
Danny Chunn
Billy Fowler
Penny Gregory
Kim Kelley

Angie Long Lori Murdoch Greg Nauert Tammie Panter Patrick Parker Gayla Prince Estella Segura Jimmy Smith Lisa Smith Vicky Smith Dean Trammel

Jayton FHA Girls Plan Salad Supper

A salad supper was hosted by the F.H.A. girls May 11th honoring their special guests, their Secret Grandmothers and the eighth grade girls.

The installation ceremony of the 1976-77 officers was conducted, and everyone enjoyed a delicous meal. The Secret Grand-daughter's then revealed themselves to their Secret Grandmothers.

Everyone had fun visiting and exchanging thoughtful gifts. It was a grand evening for all Heporter

Hunting Is Growing

night at the Library with President Tucker Reeve presiding. Roll was answered by fifteen. We are glad to welcome Mrs. Joe Seaton, Mrs. Bobby Stanaland, Howard Freemyer, and Mark Geeslin as new members. Othere present were Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Reeve; Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Hoggard; Jan Harrison; Bess Porter; Roseanna Johnson and Joy Kidd. Visitors were Mrs. Howard Goswick; Mrs. Robert Harrison and Bubba Edwards.

The 1880 Kent County Census that is ordered didn't come in but Jan Harrison gave a good program on reading old census rolls. She showed copies of a 1830 Butler County, Alabama census and a 1860 census. She also showed some old writings and abbreviations used on the census.

A demonstration of the microfilm reader was given using some microfiche cards and showed how to use the oppier. Everyone is anxious to get in some film to look at.

We hope to get some reels of an old farm newspaper, The Semi-Weekly Farm News beginning with 1909. I'm sure this will provide some interesting reading.

We have a book on Handwriting donated to the Library for anyone interested. There are several other good books on Family Research.

Refreshments were served by Jan Harrison and we enjoyed Show and Tell time and general discussion.

The next meeting will be June 10 at 8:00. Hope you oan come.Reporter

Interest In Family

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Meeting Set

INDEPENDENT CATTLEMEN'S ASSOCIATION TO MEET

A meeting of the Kent County Independent Cattlemen's Association will be held Monday, May 24 in the District Courtroom in Jayton.

A discussion and plans will be made for a barbecue. Any interested person is invited to attend, a spokesman stated.



ON NAVY BUDGET The Ford administration

has asked Congress to boost the Navy's budget by nearly \$1.2 billion to speed the rebuilding of the U.S. fleet, now the smallest since before Pearl Harbor.

WOMEN LIVE LONGER

 Women get sick more often an than men, but their life expectancy is longer, according to a new government report.

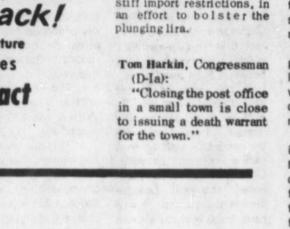
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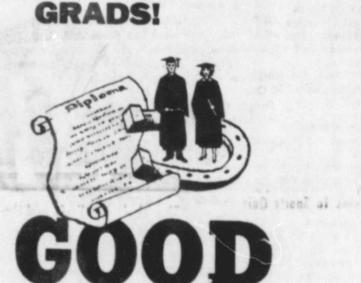
Ford said the time has come to consider federal support for amateur athletics. He will ask Congress to approve \$28 million to help construct facilities for the 1980 Winter Olympics in Lake Placid, N.Y.

ON PERSONAL INCOME RESEARCH TRIANGLE PARK, *N.C. -- Information compiled by the Southerm Growth Policies Board (SGPB) shows that personal income grew faster in the South than in the nation as a whole every year from 1970 through 1975.

ITALY'S LIRA

ROME--Italy has imposed strong curbs on foreign exchange dealings, including stiff import restrictions, in an effort to bolster the plunging lira.





Burleson Reports From Washington

Omar Burleson, M.C. 17th District, Texas

WASHINGTON, D.C.--"The Attempt To Steal The Bicentennial" is the title of a report of a Senate Internal Security Subcommittee. The target of the Subcommittee's report is the "Peoples Bicentennial Commission."

The "Commission," despite the official sounding name, is not official at all. It is a private organization headed by left-wing radicals, who, according to witnesses before the Senate Subcommittee, have a \$300,000 operation. The report says that this outfit has been more successful in reaching our churches, schools and news media than has the official American Revolution Bicentennial Administration with \$21 million in Federal funding.

A first thought occurs that is this organization, with comparitively modest means, preaching further American revolution against the "establishment," including our capitalistic system, can be so effective, why can't the official Bicentennial with greater means do better? The conclusion seems to be that the Peoples Bicentennial Commission is cleverly operated in the big cities with propoganda outlets to reach great numbers of people. The official Bicentennial has a greater activity at grassroots level. These people have evidently gone far on their cleverness and energy in sending out their materials by the ton. The report says that a series called "Voices of 76" sponsored by the Peoples Bicentennial Commission has been placed over 924 radio and 102 television stations across the country. Seemingly, it has a number of gimmicks to serve some purpose or other, such as offering \$25,000 to secretaries who inform on and get their high-ranking corporate bosses imprisoned for crime. It seems they have also circularized wives to suggest that they quiz their husbands about corporate morality.

The hearings held by the Senate Subcommittee producing this report have been criticized by some liberals as reverting to McCarthyism and not enough witnesses were brought before the Committee to really develop and substantiate all the allegations made in the report.

On the other hand, the subcommittee in the introduction says that their conclusions are, "this heavily documented evidence establishes beyond challenge that the Peoples Bicentennial Commission is a far-left organization whose true views are far closer to those of Castro and Mao than they are to those of our founding fathers." They further say of this organization, "Its participation in the Bicentennial is a deception and a fraud. By muscling in on the Bicentennial observance, it seeks first of all, to pervert its meaning and, secondly, to exploit it for the purpose of overthrowing our free society."

The Document's introduction was written by Senator James O. Eastland, Chairman. He had this to say, "Peel back the patriotic veneer of the name, "Peoples Bicentennial Commission" for the purpose of examining and laying before the Congress and the public, facts by which the legitimacy of this organization's publicly stated goals and objectives and the integrity of their spokesmen, may be objectively evaluated."

Whatever may be the conclusion of the Subcommittee's report, it is a rather strange operation that this official-sounding organization would attempt to divert attention to its own disguised radical aims from the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration.

Complete Standard First Aid Course

Builock's Raiders Collect A Million

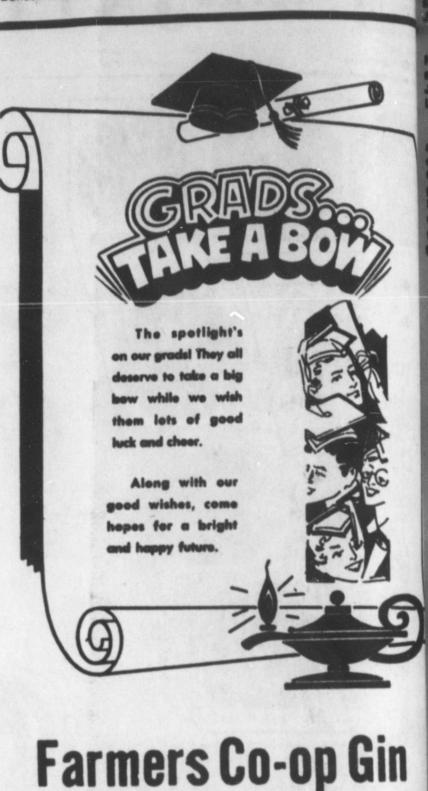
AUSTIN--Comptrolier Bob Bullock said Friday his department has collected nearly \$1 million in sales tax judgments in the 16 months since he took office. more than was collected during the previous eight years.

Bullock said his sales tax

division has collected \$993,000 in judgments since January 1, 1975,

"These judgments were against hard-core delin-

compared to only \$763,000 collected in the previous eight years since the sales tax was implemented.



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Mark A. Geeslin and Family



We salute you, Class of 1976

Kent Co. Nursing Home

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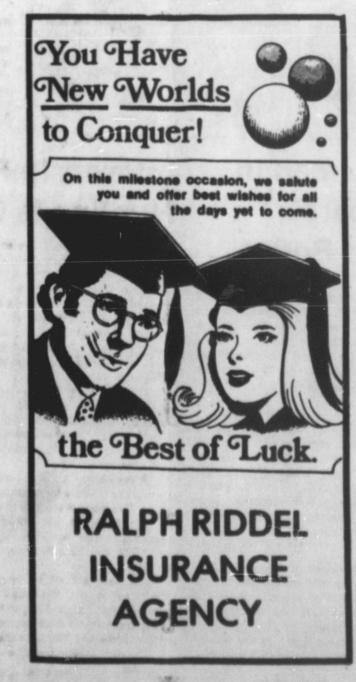
By Mark A Geeslin

Six Kent County people completed a Standard Red Cross First Aid Course sponsored by the Kent County Program Building Committee and the County Extension Office.

Certificates were presented to Flo Cheyne, Bubba Edwards, Jewel Goodall, Odell Harrison, Dorothy Judy, and Lois Turner.

Course instructors were Mrs. Joe Seaton and M.A. Geeslin.

Future classes will be taught when a number are interested and a class can be organized. Contact County Extension Agent M.A. Geeslin if you are interested.



as another Senior Class comes to graduation.

To each of the industrious and capable Seniors in this memorable class of Graduates we send our greetings and heartiest good wish-

Goodall Ford Sales



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Cap Rock Telephone C

You've made it! And we're awfully proud of you! Keep up the good work as you move on to bigger and better things ahead.

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This Was News In Jayton In 1943 Chief Machinist Mate, They also toured part of Mason, of Dallas, South Texas while on their nt Christmas in Jayton trip. Visiting the State his parents Mr. and Capitol at Austin and the R. L.H. Mason. Alamo at San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Gilbert and Wade of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilbert and son of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs.

and Mrs. Lee Christmas day. Junior and Bill David of Lubbock spent the Christmas in Jayton with their parents Mr. and Mrs.

Walton Davis. Mr. and Mrs. James visited his parents Mr. and Guy Brown. Mrs. M.V. Jay last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Hembree and children of Ballinger, visited her mother Mrs. J.C. Jones last week.

Tom Wade of Alpine, spent the Christmas holidays in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L.F. Wade L.F. Wade in Jayton

BIRGESS CONTRA

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson of Abilene visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Cox during the holidays.

Slim Brown of Carlsbad, New Mexico is spending the holidays in Jayton with Wallace Jay of Lubbock his parents Mr. and Mrs.

CONGRATULATIONS

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We hand to you the responsibility for your world- the future- we know you'll succeed.

Davis of Lubbock spent the Walton Davis.

Rollie Bilberry and Harve Robinson had business in Abilene Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones visited her sister Mrs. Fred Hall and family at Eden, and her mother Mrs. Hicks at Temple, Texas last Wednesday and Thursday:

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice and Inez spent Christmas day in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Herman

Bush and children. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wade and son of Lamesa, spent Christmas day in

Jayton with his parents Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas and Mrs. L.F. Wade. Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Daniels of Lubbock spent

Christmas in Jayton with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Blain and children of Seymour, visited Mr. and Mrs. P.C. Blain and Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Byber during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fincher and Mr. Charlie Fincher of Girard, went to Breckenridge last Thursday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Audie Armes and children of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Womack and children of Spur, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armes during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Black and Jody spent Christmas at Clovis, New Mexico with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bush and children of Lubbock, spent last Sunday in Jayton with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rice and Inez.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar

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Mrs. Eunice Huls of Spur Healer and family spent artificial type. They said holidays in Jayton with bis spent Christmas day in Christmas at Anson and that many of the high parents Mr. and Mrs. Jayton with her mother Roby with relatives. Mrs. J.T. Bond.

> Joe Elton Cox and family Mr. and Mrs. J.H. of Rotan, visited in Jayton Fulcher had business in with relatives last week-Spur Monday afternoon. end.

> Mrs. Bill Vencil was Mr. and Mrs. Sam called to Carbon last Matthews of Cleburne, Sunday to be with her spent several days last week with his parents Mr. mother who is ill. and Mrs. L.H. Matthews.

Christmas, as their only Mr. and Mrs. O.V. conception of snow is the

Girard H. D. Club Has Meeting 12th

Car Talk, basic things any woman should know about her car, was the demonstration given by our agent Roberta Stanaland on May 12, to eight club members, with four guests from Jayton at the Girard Community Center.

Read your car manual, take care of regular oil changes, keep radiator grill cleared, water in the battery, tires checked and rotated, watch hoses for leaks or cracks. Have brakes checked once in awhile, and spark plugs changed for better gas mileage; as most women do a lot of driving on trips. If your car is being checked under the hood, get out and watch to be sure that you arent conned into making unnecessary repairs.

Our monthly council meeting was held the same day with reports given by Mrs. Fuller about the bake sale, and a trip to the District meeting at Quanah. Election of officers for council, Mrs. Pauline Wilson, chairman; Mrs. Vera Thomas vice-chairman; Mrs. Nellie Fuller, secretary; Mrs. Lois Simpson, reporter.

Delegates to the state meeting were elected. Mrs. Turner reported that six Girard Club ladies had made an informal tour to Spur. An interesting visit guided by Mrs. Frankie McAlpin through Salty's Apparrel; Mrs. Mamie Martin's unusual house plants, and tips on growing them; Mr. Gunn's rock garden, Mr. and Mrs. Ortiz Nursery, were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Miriam Sweet treated us to refreshments.

Present for both meetings were: Lois Simpson, Clara Darden, Ila Nance, Opal Swaringen, Ethel Clark, Miriam Sweet, Lois Turner, Robbie Wyatt of Girard; Nellie Fuller, Lillian Boland, Pauline Wilson and Roberta Stanaland of Jayton.

Refreshments were served by Lois Turner, the hostess.

-Reporter Answers To Sports Quiz ONE MINUTE SPORTS OUIZ

Championship of Ten-

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1. Who won the Women's 1. Sally Little. International Golf Tour- 2. Boston Celtics.

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 - 3. Bjorn Borg.
- JoJo White plays pro

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Conner spent the holidays school pupils at Port Lavaca had never seen real snow either.

in San Angelo. Mrs. Leonard Browning

and L.E. spent the holidays in Plainview and O'Donnell with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Mabry McAteer and Helen were Mr. and Mrs. Healer seeing friends and relatives spent the week-end in the in Jayton last week-end. home of Mr. and Mrs. Teet

Yarborough. Mr. and Mrs. J.T.



Odell and Laverna Harrison



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We salute Your fine

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Achievement

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Stamford visited Mrs. Pearl Chisum last week. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alexander and children of Duncan, Oklahoma visited relatives in Jayton last week.

> Rink Cave of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Cave in Jayton during the holidays.

Cleburne Dibrell of San Antonio, visited his mother Mrs. Maurine Dibrell last

- Mark Haves basketball for what 5. Oakland A's. team?
- Henry Kissinger, Secretary 3. Name the winner of the of State: men's singles World

"The United States has the military power and the 4. Who won the Byron Nelpolitical will to resist Soviet expansion in Africa."

HOWARD AND SUE FREEMYER AND FAMILY





Bob's Mobil Service





BYINGTON REJECTED The Senate Commerce Committee rejected Presi-

dent Ford's choice of S. John Byington to a sevenyear term as chairman of the Consumer Product Safety Commission.



U.S. NOT 2ND PLACE ON POSTAL SERVICE Fourteen congressmen

operate at a deficit.

Gen. William Westmoreland have criticized the Postal says he disagrees with Service's decision to con-Ronald Reagan's charges sider shutting down some that the United States has rural post offices that lost military superiority over the Soviet Union.

> CANCER STUDY WASHINGTON -- A nearly complete five-year study of cancer treatments may show that radical surgery is no more effective than less drastic techniques in controlling the disease, the director of the National Cancer Institute reports.

ATLANTA--Retired Army

ON PRIMARIES

Democratic National Chairman Robert Strauss_ said primary results show it may be the Republicans who pick their presidential nominee in a smokefilled room.

CONGRESS & PAY Freshman congressman Larry Pressler (R-SC) has asked federal court to block any more pay raises for senators and representatives unless Congress votes them.

JUST WAITING WON'T MAKE PALM OIL IMPORT PROBLEMS GO AWAY, SAYS FARMERS UNION

MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, May 15, 1976----U. S. producers and processors of vegetable oils are faced with chronically depressed market conditions for as far as we can see ahead, Joe Rankin, Vice President of the Texas Farmers Union, declared here today.

Appearing at a hearing of the House Agriculture oilseeds and rice subcommittee, Rankin testified on behalf of National Farmers Union, which has been critical of the Ford Administration's refusal to use availability authority to place reasonable limits upon imports of palm oil, which doubled in 1975, will double again by 1980 and triple by 1985.

Rankin, a farmer producting cotton, wheat and feed grains and President of the Plains Cooperative Oil Mill at Lubbock, a processor of vegetable oils, said that the "Ford Administration apparently hopes that if we wait long enough, the problem will go away. But, it has not gone away and undoubtedly will not for at least 10 years unless something is done."

The Farmers Union spokesman cited a study issued this week by the U.S. Department of Agriculture Economic Research Service (ERS) which acknowledges that the outlook is for soybean oil prices in the range of 12 to 14 cents a pound to 1980 and soybean prices perhaps in the range of \$4.30 to \$4.85 a bushel-a figure which could be as much as \$1.00 a bushel or more below the cost of production.

Rankin noted that U.S. farmers are cutting soybean acreage by 10% because they lack confidence in the outlook.

He revealed that soybean oil exports for the period from October through February are only about half what they were for the comparable period a year earlier, soybean oil stocks will be very high and the soybean oil carryover on October 1 will be at an all-time high of over one billion pounds.

In the processing industry, Rankin said, operations are now at only about 75% of capacity.

The Ferniers Union statement said that the Ford Administration has ample grounds to invoke import quotas under Section 22 of the Agricultural Act of 1933, because the level of imports is rendering ineffective the conduct of the soybean price support program and reduc ing the volume of oils processed by the domestic industry.

Rankin said that a reasonable ceiling should be placed on palm oil imports until such time as an international fats, oils and oilseeds agreement is negotiated and implemented.

Noting that the U.S. is the only major Nation which has no restrictions of any kind on palm oil imports, Rankin declared that "there is nothing in this world which requires us to be the catch-all market for all of the supply any overseas producer wants to ship in our direction.'

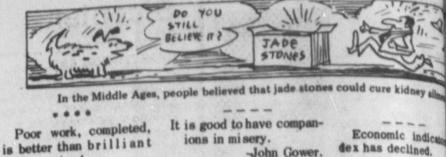
"No other Nation presents itself as an unlimited market. There is no reason for our cottonseed and soy bean oil producers to sacrifice themselves because someone else has chosen to expand their production far and beyond any conceivable volume the market could absorb," he said.

Letter to Editor

Dear Editor.

This letter is written in protest of the gasoline -pumps recently installed at the Co-op Gin in Jayton. Undisputably it is the privilege of the Co-op to have them as it is mine to speak against them. Already one of the only three service stations in Jayton has closed. Will the Co-op handle all the accessories the gas stations

have it the others are forced from business?



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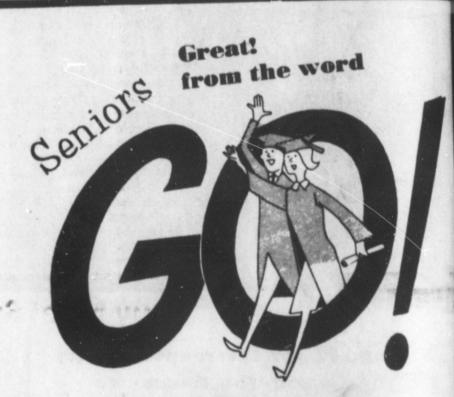
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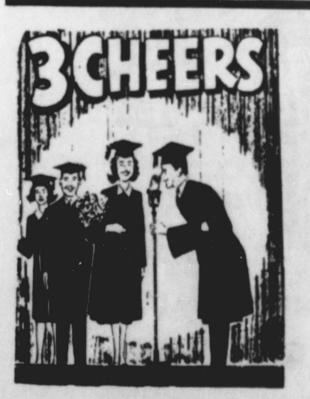
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Congratulations to all of the graduates of the Jayton High School. We wish you the best of everything, and a good future.

Dickens Electric Cooperative



Parker Butane And Appliance



... Are not enough ... 100 cheers for our JAYTON GRADUATES Thos. Fowler Agency

Bob and Patricia Hamilton

ON MILITARY AID BILL

President Ford has vetoed a \$4-billion foreign aid SWINE NOT TO BLAME FOR FLU PROBLEM authorization bill. He said the measure contained unprecedented and unconstitutional restrictions.

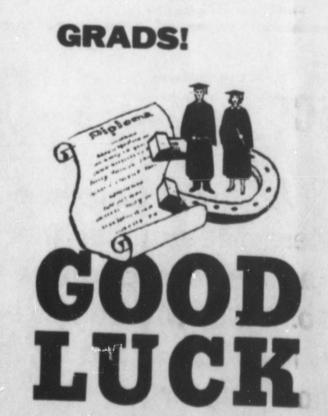
Cheer Up If you can look happy when you aren't, you'll get along all right. -Current, Carlsbad, N.M.

Fortunately there are still a few who would rather have businesses in Jayton than one large self-service block. After all where would farmers drink coffee or "shoot the breeze" when the other businesses are closed?

If businesses are to be continually closed instead of built it won't be long until the multi-million dollar school system is in a ghost town. **James Botts** Sincerely,

Star Route Clairemont, Texas

Although swine suffer from influenza each fall and winter just as humans do, the virus that affects them is not the same that afflicts humans. So, swine should not be tabbed the villians in the current concern over a flu epidemic this fall, contends a veterinarian for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The current influenza danger is a human-to-human problem and does not really involve hogs or pork. Although influenza spreads rapidly in swine, most animals recover in 3 to 10 days.



The Richards Family

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nomic indicat as declined.



Watergate Salad

Submitted by Mrs. Oliver Davis Pine Bluff, Wyoming

ton (9 ounces) whipped topping instant Pistachio pudding (1 ib.) crushed pineapple and juice ture marshmallows

ld dry pudding mixture into whipped topping. Add and juice, marshmallows and nuts. Refrigerate

Pistachio Cake

a (2 layer size) white or yellow cake mix Jello Pistachio Flavor Instant Pudding and Pie Filling

up chopped nuts.

p club soda

nd all ingredients in large mixer bowl, then beat 2 ites at medium speed. Bake in greased, floured 10 Bundt pan at 350 degrees for 50 minutes. Cool 15 ites; remove from pan and cool on rack. Split into 3 ead about 1 cup of frosting between layers, a rest into center. Chill. Garnish with chopped nuts. ake frosting: Blend 1 1/2 cups cold milk, 1 envelope hip Whipped Topping Mix and 1 package Jello lavor Instant Pudding. Whip until thickened; nutes.



Bicentennial Notes THE WAR TO THE NORTH -- SUCCESS

GREETS REBEL ARMY

Colonial Army forces now are poised for an attack on Quebec, following heartening victories over British garrisons at St. Johns and Montreal, Canada. A victory at Quebec could mean complete elimination of the British threat from the north, and thus have considerable impact on the war raging in the lower colonies.

Brig. Gen. Richard Montgomery and Benedict Arnold are in command of separate forces fighting in Canada. Montgomery readers will recall, was an officer in Gen. Philip Schuyler's expedition against Quebec which left Fort Ticonderoga August 28 with 1,000 men. Schuyler was forced to return home by poor health, leaving Montgomery in charge of the forces, which by that time had laid slege to the 600 man British garrison at St. John's

The British capitulated on November 2, and Montgomery lead his troops to Montreal, which the British left uncovered in their desire to reach Quebec. On November 13, then, Montgomery occupied Montreal, and the Americans captured a flotilla of 11 small British ships on the St. Lawrence River six days later.

Meanwhile, Benedict Arnold and his force of approximately 650 men are waiting just outside Quebec for Montgomery to join them. Arnold set out for Quebec on September 12, reaching the St. Lawrence opposite the city on November 8.

SBATo Give Advocate Award

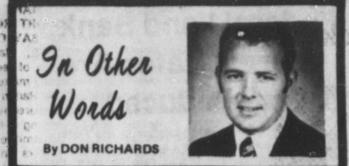
Philip J. O'Jibway, District Director for the Lubbock District of the U.S. Small Business Administration, will present an award on Friday, May 14, 1976, naming the College of Business Administration, Texas Tech University, Small Business Advocate of the Year for SBA's Lubbock District. Dean Carl Stem will accept the award for the College.

The Small Business Advocate Award is being made to acknowledge the leadership and active participation of the College of Business Administration in SBA's Small Business Institute. The SBI has grown from the "Tech Project," which originated in the Spring of 1970 when Dr. Vincent P. Luchsinger, of Tech's Department of Management, suggested the possibility of a program to involve upper level business majors directly in business operation through the auspices of SBA.

Students in the SBI program are assigned in teams, usually two or three to a business, and each team spends one semester working closely with a business in the capacity of management counselors. They are thus able to share the knowledge and theory they have gained in their course work, while gaining valuable experience in the actual operation of a business.

At present, more than 350 colleges and universities throughout the U.S. are participating in the Small Business Institute, and several thousand small businesses have had the benefit of its innovative programs. Dr. Stem and his faculty are currently planning a Small Business Development Center at Tech, where business people, educators and representatives of Government agencies can coordinate their efforts for the benefit of the area's small businesses.

Buy Meat Specials For The Freezer



History was made last week in Washington. But it wasn't the kind we normally like to put down in history books

The House of Representatives special committee of Ethics met for the first time in its seven-year existence to consider the actions of a Congressman. And it did so this time only because of public pressure.

The special committee was created seven years ago so there would be some way of checking into the ethics of House members who are suspected of violating the rules of Congress. It should have been the committee holding the most meetings.

Almost all representatives have known about the actions of Rep. Bob Sykes of Florida. It seems Mr. Sykes' personal income statement has grown considerably since he has been in Congress and it appears his vote on many issues was tied to benefits he later received. "60 Minutes", the informative news program on CBS each Sunday afternoon, did an excellent show about Mr. Sykes several weeks ago.

CBS's Dan Rather did a good job of pointing the conflicts of interest between Sykes' vote in Congress and his business affairs. The program pointed out how much of the government land in Floriday has been converted to personal use by Sykes and how he has made thousands of dollars as a result.

Sykes refuses to be interviewed on the subject and only through the effort of the consumer-oriented group "Common Cause" and the CBS program has the Ethics Committee decided to act. However, we doubt they will take any action other than a slap on the hand for Sykes.

That's what is so ridiculous about it all. Why does the House even have an Ethics Committee if it never meets? What our representatives are saying is that in the past seven years, not one member of the House has needed to be investigated.

It will be interesting to see if the Congressmen will really do anything about one of their fellow members. Our guess is that they will not.

Wouldn't it be nice if you could control your own salary and adjust it so that you would never be affected by the rises in the cost of food, gas, clothes, utilities or any of the factors of inflation. Everytime the cost of living went up your salary would just increase to offset it.

That would be nice, wouldn't it. Of course, we all cannot do that; but let's look at the people who can do that. Not only can they do it, but they have done it -- at our expense

Congress, which is usually slow at moving on anything, recently rushed through a bill which guarantees each congressman a rise in salary (they make \$42,500 per year now) in accordance with the rise in the cost of living. They used to have to vote themselves a raise each time, but now they have voted so that their salary automatically increases each year.

That's a fine example to set of how they are working so that the public can have some relief from inflation. We all depend on Congress to pass legislation tc help us with inflation. Instead, they pass a law which insulates them (at our expense) from inflation.

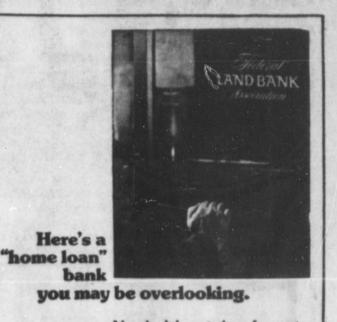
There is another bill before the House to abolish that

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SEARCH FOR WORLD'S LARGEST EGG

The search is on for the world's largest chicken egg. The prize winner will be selected at the Central Maine Egg estival on July 31, points out a poultry specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Entries must be from domestic chickens and must be produced on or after Aug. 1, 1975

> Dr. O. R. Cloude CHIROPRACTOR Spur, Texas



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Wedding Plans Told

and Mrs. Gerald Boland of Huntsville announce gement and approaching marriage of their Shawna Marie, to Billy Ringo, the son of Mr. James Ringo, of Huntsville.

Boland is the grandaughter of Mrs. Lucille Madisonville and the late Tom Wilson and Mr. Ben Boland of Jayton.

o is a graduate of Huntsville High School and is employed by his father.

wedding date has been set for the afternoon of The couple will make their home at 227 1/2 11th ntsville.

COLLEGE STATION--Some consumers, taking advantage of meat "specials", are buying large quantities and freezing for future use. But this requires special care to ensure the meat is packaged properly to keep for a long time, Mrs. Sally Coble, a foods and nutrition specialist, cautions. She is with the Texas Agriculture Extension, Service, The Texas A&M University Sytem.

"Use only moisture-vapor proof freezing paper. This prevents evaporation of moisture and subsequent freezer burn.

"The drugstore wrap is best. Fold the paper down over the meat, press flat to expel air pockets and fold ends under the package to make a tight wrap. Then fold ends over and seal with gummed tape," she explained.

She suggested labeling the package with the name, date packaged and amount of meat.

Freeze packaged meat as soon as possible. For best results, meats should be quick frozen at commercial plants. Store in the freezer at O degrees F. or below.

"Precautions are necessary when packaging meat for frost-free freezers. Meat should be at least double wrapped to protect again freezer burn," she said.

recently passed automatic salary increase. However, it is tied up in committee and, for some reason, is not getting the same "top priority" as the salary increase bill received.

If you are inclined to write your congressman then we suggest that this is one reason to write. Urge him to help abolish the automatic salary increases.

If members of Congress don't like the way inflation tears apart their pay check, then we suggest they get busy and do something for all of us. We know a few people in the Azle area who could tell them about inflation.

4-H ROUNDUP FEATURES TOP TALENTS

The top youth talents in Texas will compete in judging contests, demonstrations and skill events at the State 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M University, June 1-2. Some 1,800 4-H members will compete in more than 30 events ranging from public speaking and livestock judging to demonstrations on safety and use of electricity. The State 4-H Food Show, a major part of Roundup activities, will be held June 1. Roundup activities will officially get under way with an opening assembly at 5:30 p.m. that day. During Roundup, special awards will be presented to outstanding adult leaders, businesses, organizations and individuals who have given long-time support to 4-H programs.

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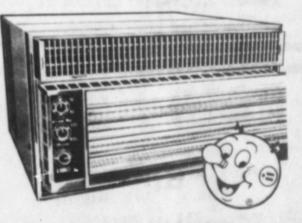
Robert Hall Chevrolet **Jayton**, Texas

Notice Farmers

The Annual Common Stockholders Meeting of the **Jayton Farmers Cooperative** Society No. 1 Gin will be held Saturday, May 22, at 8 p. m. in the school cafeteria.

A Free Barbeque meal will be served, and there will be drawings for prizes. You are invited.

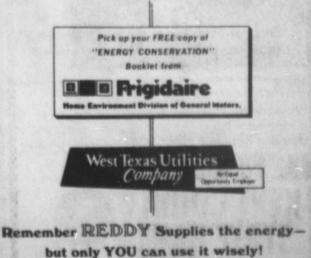
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- * Your air-conditioner will operate inefficiently if filters are not cleaned regularly. Dirt and lint, collected on the filters, restricts air flow to the coils. Clean filters every two weeks.
- ★ Let nature help you save energy by shading your home with trees and shrubs to help cut down on summer cooling costs. Draw draperies against afternoon sun.
- * Remember to keep outside doors, windows, and fireplace dampers closed. If you have window units, close the heating vents near the floor, as cool air falls and can escape through vents.



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CARD OF THANKS:

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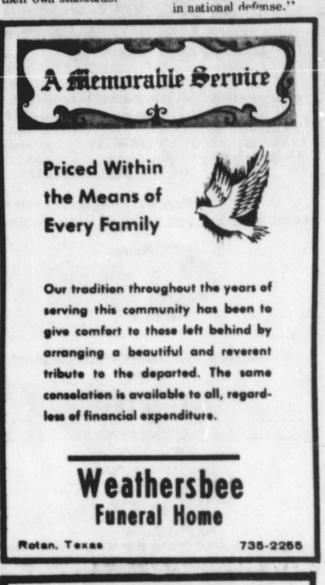
prices. HURST DEPT. STORE, Spur, Texas. 4-tfc William Westmoreland, retired Army General: "I deny categorically that we are in second place

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Sincerely,

their own standards."





Federal Land Bank Interest Rates Are Being Reduced

E.H. Flournoy, Jr., Manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Spur, announced today that the Federal Land Bank's billing rate on rural residence variable interest rate loans would be decreased from 9 percent to 81/2 percent effective May 1, 1976. The billing rate on farm and ranch loans will continue at 8 1/2. percent.

The variable interest rate plan was introduced by the Houston Bank in July, 1969, with a biling rate on loans outstanding to follow the variations in the money market, and at this time, 79 percent of the Bank's portfolio is on the variable rate. In making this announcement, Flournoy stated, "This interest rate reduction follows the recent trend on home loans.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston makes long-term real estate loans on farm and ranch land and rural residences throughout Texas and now has more than \$1.15 billion loans outstanding. The local Association makes and services loans in Crosby, Dickens, Kent, Stonewall and a portion of King Counties.

Officers and Directors of the Association are E.H. Flournoy, Manager, R.H. Farris Jr., President, M.L. Bilberry, Vice President, Dallas Kenady, Director, Coy Morris, Director, Donald Wooten, Director and Arvil L. Campbell, Director.

NURSING HOME NEWS

Rev. Marvin Fisher visited residents and staff Wednesday, Attending the "Sing-Along" this past week were: Rev. Truett Kuenstler, and Mrs. Kuenstler, Mrs. Healer, Lessie Harrison, Ruby Matthews, Ruby Hoggard, Betty Williams, Mrs. Harvey and Mary Lynn Johnson. Mrs. Tom Fowler was at the plano after a long absence. We especially welcomed her back.

Other visitors in the home this past week were: Pete Hagins; Mearl Rose and grandson from Lubbock.

Our advice: take care of

your heart, and live a

MAIN DISH

Casseroles with macwhile. aroni, spaghetti and noodles make family economy main dishes. They're low in cost and easy to freeze. Also, they are easy prepare--using just to about anything on hand, Mrs. Sally Coble, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, points out.

VITAMINA

Carrots top all major vegetables in Vitamin A. Mrs. Gwendolyne Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with Texas Agricultural the Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

Gerald Ford, President, signing Highway Assis tance Act: "The law will be an important step toward meeting the nation's transportation needs."

**** Feed Grain Prices Remain Stable**

COLLEGE STATION --- The feedgrain industry is alive and well in the United States and Texas. Prices are remaining stable, and exports are going strong.

That assessment comes from Roland Smith, grain marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service

'U.S. corn exports are keeping up with previous estimates, and sorghum exports are running ahead of last year's levels," says Smith. "Prices should not ease much, even with a large feedgrain crop this year, because of the strong export market."

According to April 1 acreage intentions, U.S. farmers plan to plant six percent more acres of corn. Texas corn acreage should also make another increase. However, the planting intentions indicated a smaller sorghum crop.

"The decrease in sorghum acreage could be the result of pessimism from the earlier dry weather throughout the state," notes Smith. "However, recent rains may cause farmers to plant more than was indiciated April 1. Feedgrain planting is off to a good start in Texas and throughout the U.S."

More export markets, increased cattle feedlot placements, and an increase in hog numbers all have contributed to a fairly favorable feedgrain situation, points out the Texas A&M University System specialist.

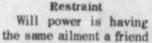
Smith says cattle feedlot placements in the first quarter of 1976 were up 14 percent from last year's level and the total cattle on feed was up 28 percent. These were somewhat below the levels that were projected, however.

In addition, hog farrowings for the December-February period were up 15 percent from the 1975 level, 5 percent over earlier expectations.

"All this will create a larger livestock base for feedgrain usage of the 1976 crop," notes the specialist.

But Happy An old-fashioned wife is one who tries to make one has and not mentioning

husband last a lifetime. it. -Tribune, Chicago.



-Globe, Atchison, Kan.



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Jayton, Texas Truett Kuenstler, Pastor Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Worship, 11 a.m. Training Union. 6 p.m. Evening Worship. 7 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting. Choir Practice, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Jayton, Texas Rev. Marvin E. Fisher, Pastor

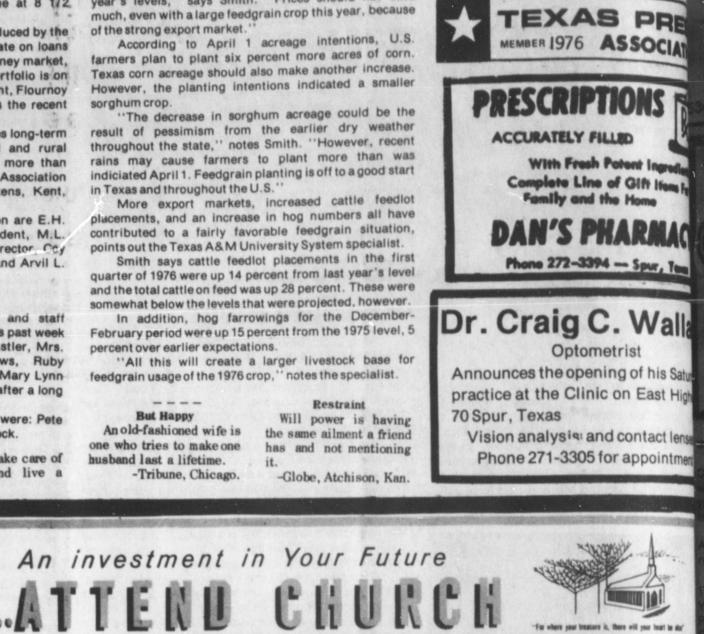
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MICRO WAVE

When frying bacon in a microwave oven, cook in a covered pan with a rack so the drippings can be saved for other uses, Mrs. Lillian Chenoweth, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

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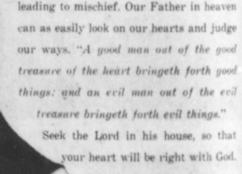
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FIRST ASSEMBLY OF **GOD CHURCH** Jayton, Texas Rev. Ron Meadows, pastor Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Youth Meeting, 6 p.m. Evening Worship, 7 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting 8 p.m.

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