

Grain Sorghum Versus Corn

The nutritional value of grain sorghum versus corn will be the topic of discussion during the March 6 session of the ninth biennial Grain Sorghum Research and Utilization Conference in Lubbock, Tex.

Participating in the panel discussion will be leading nutritionists from throughout the state including Dr. L. S. Pope, serving as moderator, Dr. T. D. Tanksley Jr., swine specialist, Dr. Lloyd Sherrod, cattle specialist and Dr. James Osburn, economist.

Sponsored by Grain Sorghum Producers Board, the two-day research conference opens at 4 p. m. March 4 and will conclude at noon March 6 with an awards luncheon. All activities will be conducted at South Park Inn on Loop 289. More than 300 plant scientists and animal nutritionists are expected to attend.

A. W. "Dub" Anthony, Jr. of Friona, Tex., president of Grain Sorghum Producers Association, will serve as general chairman of the March 6 activities, C. C. "Pap" Reed of Kress, Tex., chairman of the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board, will serve as chairman of the March 5 activities which include discussion on exports and the foreign livestock industry, as well as grain sorghum physiology.

The Plains Nutrition Council and the Sorghum Improvement Committee of North America will conduct their meetings in conjunction with the two-day conference.

GSPA will conduct its annual business meeting following adjournment of the conference March 6. Highlight of the GSPA meeting will be a talk by Glenn Weir of Washington, D. C., associate administrator of the USDA's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Lakeview News

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Bristow spent last week visiting their son Kerwin in Houston.

Mrs. Larry Monk, Cara and Ranae of Tahoka visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson.

Rev. James Eger of Lubbock was guest speaker at the minweek service February 26th.

Pam Gilmore of Lubbock spent last weekend with her grandmother Mrs. Oleta Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Shoemaker and sons of Utah visited in the Reita Smith home recently.

D. W. Matthews of Oklahoma City and his sister Mrs. Lee Cowart of Afton, Oklahoma were here to be with their brother Gene Matthews who underwent surgery early this week in Methodist Hospital for a circulatory condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Campbell of Dimmitt visited the Dwain Bristow's Sunday.

Sgt. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis of Reese Air Force Base are announcing the birth of a baby daughter, born in February. Mrs. Davis is the former Lorena Cruz and lived in Lakeview community for several years.

Clayton Eger went by plane to Canton to attend funeral rites of Vance DuBose brother of R. A. DuBose a former resident of this area. He died in a Tyler Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Mrs. T. B. Stone, early day Abernathy resident, has this new mailing address: 4945 Mockingbird Lane, Douglasville, Georgia 30134.

New mailing address for former Abernathians Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brownlow: Rt. 5 Box 350, Conroe, Texas, 77301.

Bilingual Advisory Committee Meets

The Community Advisory Committee for Bilingual Education met February 24 in the Elementary Library with eighteen members present and four guests. Director Mrs. Carolyn Wade told the group of four teachers and the director visiting Bilingual Education Program in Eagle Pass to study and observe their individualized reading programs in both English and Spanish. She also reported what was learned at the Regional Bilingual Meeting concerning the rules and regulations for Title VII Application.

Presenting questions concerning the bilingual program for committee discussion was a panel composed of group members Mona Tolera, Dan Ryan, Pete Cuevas and Janice McKenzie. The group felt that many questions were answered and encourages all parents of bilingual children to attend these meetings. The meetings are open and anyone may attend. Other members present were: Messrs. and Mrs. Phil Grindstaff, Joe Garcia, Mike Valdez, Max Garcia; Messrs. Ruben Garcia, Leonardo Cortez; Mmes. Roseetta Bradley, Hilda Ronce, Coleen Miller, Donna Ryan; and guest Mr. and Mrs. Bill Raybon, Mr. and Mrs. John Kweton.

The next meeting will be March 24, 1975, at 8:00 p. m. in the Elementary Library. All parents are also encouraged to attend the Title VII Hearing, Thursday, March 6, in the Elementary Library at 8:00 p. m. concerning Title VII Application for the 75-76 school year. All interested persons are encouraged to attend this important meeting.

Reporter:
Janice McKenzie

MISSIONARY CONFERENCE

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The Sunday School hour, and Brother Ladigbolu will meet with all the adults in Fellowship Hall. During the morning worship hour in the sanctuary, beginning at 11:00 a. m., Ladigbolu will bring a missionary testimony, and Dr. Pedraza will preach a missionary sermon.

Rev. Ladigbolu will return to Dallas Sunday afternoon, but Dr. Pedraza will remain through the evening worship time to bring a missionary message at 6:00 p. m. Following the evening service, a time of fellowship will be observed in Fellowship Hall Refreshments will be served.

Song leader during the Missionary Conference will be Wayne Starch of Lubbock, choir director at the First United Methodist Church at Shallowater and Director of HONDA, the special education cooperative with headquarters at the Abernathy School. Special music will also be featured, with groups from Lubbock as well as a men's group and a ladies' group from the local church.

Faith Promise

During the Sunday morning and Sunday evening services, members of the congregation will be given the opportunity to designate an amount they feel the Lord is prompting them to give to missions during the next 12 months. Faith Promise cards will be distributed near the end of each service that day.

Words on the cards include "My Faith Promise"

Upon completion of the County Food Show, preparation continues for the District Food Show. Eight young Hale County 4-H'ers will participate, reports Karen Miller, assistant County Extension Agent. Main Dish category: Kym Thompson of Abernathy and Jana Hegl of Petersburg; Side Dishes: Dana Stout of Hale Center; and Sue Ann Day of Petersburg Bread and Desserts--Annette Wile of Hale Center and Kevin Igo of Halfway; Snacks and Beverages--Melody Marshall and Tanya Tyer, both of Hale Center.

The District Food Show will be held in Lubbock on March 22 in the Texas Tech University Ballroom. The competition will be between about 160 4-H'ers from the 20 counties surrounding Lubbock.

A special salute should be given to some very special ladies--the Foods and Nutrition project leaders. These women conduct group meetings for 4-H'ers interested in Foods and Nutrition, and prepare them for the County Food Show. This year, the leaders were: ABERNATHY: Mrs. Johnny Skipper, Mrs. Charles Lutrick, Mrs. A. L. Stone, Mrs. Ruth Fulton, Mrs. Don McKenzie, Mrs. Harold Thompson, and Mrs. L. G. Montgomery. HALF-WAY: Mrs. L. D. Ballard. HALE CENTER: Mrs. Carl Marshall, PETERSBURG: Mrs. Dale Milner and Mrs. Clifton McDonough. EDMONSON: Mrs. Bill Ed Pinkerton. PLAINVIEW: Mrs. Wesley Schumacher, Mrs. Donald Russell, and Mrs. Pat Russell. FRIARIEVIEW: Mrs. Robert Rigger and Mrs. Margaret Reese.

"Thanks for a fantastic job," Karen stated.

4-H FOOD SHOW WINNERS PREPARING FOR DISTRICT

For World Evangelization, with dependence upon God, I will endeavor to give the amount submitted below, to apply toward the world-wide missionary commitments of the United Methodist Church of Abernathy. Three blank spaces are then provided, and read \$ _____ per week for 1 year \$ _____ per month for one year \$ _____ as God will provide within 1 year.

Emphasis is being placed upon ASKING GOD what amount He wants that person to give (above and beyond what that person is already giving to the church), and then BELIEVING that God will provide that amount within the next 12 months.

Rev. Al Jennings, pastor of the church, and the congregation invite the public to attend all services and activities of the weekend.

Gem & Mineral Show in Plainview

The Hi-Plains Rock Club is sponsoring a Gem and Mineral Show in Plainview at the National Guard Armory, March 5th from 10 a. m. until 10 p. m., and March 9, from 10 a. m. till 6 p. m.

There will be door prizes given every hour on the hour. A grand prize will be given at 8:00 p. m. on March 9th. There will be four dealers with working demonstrations. It is non-competitive. The admission to the show is 75¢ for adults and 25¢ for children.

TWO ELECTIONS SET APRIL 5TH

Balloting will be conducted in Abernathy City Hall April 5, in two elections.

Voters in the City of Abernathy will select a mayor and two aldermen. The terms of Mayor Pete Thompson and Aldermen Cliff Newton and Bobby Cunningham expire this year.

Holdover aldermen are Larry Griffin, L. Miller and W. D. Sanders.

The other election at City Hall April 5, will be for two trustees of Abernathy School District. School Board members whose terms expire this year are Joe Lovelace and David Finson.

Holdover school trustees are Loren J. West, Billie Harrison, Lon Carmickle, Joe Oswald and Bob Riley.

As of noon Tuesday, the list of names for the Board of Education included David Finson (re-election), Jim Bob Smith and Richard L. Howarth.

Pete Thompson has filed for re-election to the Mayor's post, while Sammy Hunley has filed for a position on the city council. Alderman Cliff Newton has filed for re-election.

GSPA DIRECTORS TO HOST OFFICIAL

Glenn Weir, associate administrator of the Agricultural Conservation and Stabilization Service in Washington, D.C., will discuss government farm programs Thursday in a talk at the annual meeting of the board of directors of the Grain Sorghum Producers Association (GSPA).

The GSPA board meeting will be in conjunction with the ninth biennial Grain Sorghum Research and Utilization Conference at the Southpark Inn.

The meeting of the GSPA board will follow an awards luncheon concluding activities at the utilization conference.

A. W. "Dub" Anthony of Friona, GSPA president, will preside at the board meeting.

Other business will include an election of officers and a review of GSPA policies related to government farm programs and agricultural marketing practices.

Current GSPA officers are Anthony, K. B. Parrish of Springlake, Melvin Barton of Dimmitt, and Mabry Foreman of Felt, Okla., all vice presidents; Pat Northcutt of Silverton, secretary-treasurer; and John Smith of Cameron and Larry Abeldt of Hope, Kan., directors.

Elbert Harp of Abernathy is executive director of the GSPA, headquartered at Lubbock. Operating in five states throughout the sorghum belt, GSPA is a national organization for grain sorghum farmers and is active in research, market development and legislative representation.



ECOLOGY PROGRAM--Dr. Harold Reese (right), Wayland biology professor and research assistant Charlene Steele (not shown) presented findings of their research team to the 1935 Study Club of Abernathy, Feb. 13 in the home of Mrs. Cal Tucker (left). As part of the Study Club's emphasis on ecology for 1975, the program dealt with the effects of pollution on water sources and how those problems could be solved.
(Wayland photo by Connie Comer)

DR. REESE SPEAKS TO 1935 STUDY CLUB

Dr. W. Harold Reese, Wayland Biology professor, and research assistant Charlene Steele presented findings of their research team to the 1935 Study Club of Abernathy, Feb. 13 in the home of Mrs. Cal Tucker. As part of the Study Club's emphasis on ecology for 1975, the program dealt with the effects of pollution on water sources and how those problems could be solved.

The research team, composed of Wayland students Mark Lemmon, Kevin Randolph, and Miss Steele, and supervised by Dr. Reese, has found a way to reclaim liquid waste economically by using biological means. "We want to trick Mother Nature into cleaning up herself," explained Miss Steele. Their research is concentrated on organic pollution which comes from slaughterhouses and feedlots, the most common pollution in West Texas. Instead of using chemicals, the researchers use microorganisms to take the pollution out of the water.

In the program, Dr. Reese emphasized the necessity of a solution for pollution in West Texas. "We have to do something without our own problem before anybody else will help us with it." He added, "We can work out a solution to just about anything if we just get our heads together."

AWARDS GIVEN PNG EMPLOYEES

LEVELLAND--Certificates of achievement were awarded Tuesday (Feb. 18) to 36 Pioneer Natural Gas area servicemen who completed a course in basic applied electricity.

The course was sponsored by Pioneer Natural Gas Co. of Lubbock and the Regional Occupational Center Lubbock, a division of South Plains College.

Awarding certificates was B. P. Robinson, dean of the Regional Occupational Center in Lubbock, Homer McLean, associate professor of physics at SPC, and Joe Price, division manager and Phil Mast, service coordinator, both of Pioneer Natural Gas.

Recipients included Clayton Lisenby, Millard Thinkston and Larry Turner, all of Abernathy.

By May of this year 180 servicemen for Pioneer Natural Gas Panhandle Service Area will have completed the basic electricity course.

TEXAS TALK

by Harold Thompson

Q: What do the terms "canner" and "cutter" mean?

A: Canner and cutter are two of the terms used to describe beef cattle carcass classification. Specifically, "canner" is the lowest of the eight common quality grades of mature beef. The designation canner would indicate virtually no marbling in the meat and advanced age when slaughtered. "Cutter" is essentially the same except generally there would be less maturity and at least a trace of marbling. Canner and cutter grades are used only for the older or mature animals and may include steers, heifers, cows, bulls and stags. The other six quality grades used in the beef class include: Prime, choice, good, standard, commercial and utility. Southwestern beef, usually finished in the feedlot, customarily falls into either the choice or prime categories.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SPECIAL ELECTION APRIL 22, 1975

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. No. 3)

Repealing Sections 48a, 48b, 51e, and 51f of Article III and Sections 62 and 63 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide for the revision and consolidation of provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and to provide that all general laws that have established retirement systems and optional retirement programs for public employees and officers in effect at the time of the adoption of this constitutional amendment will remain in effect, subject to the general powers of the Legislature.

Provide that the amount a participating officer or employee contributes to the employee retirement system or the teacher retirement system shall be established by the Legislature but may not be less than 6% of current compensation and providing further that the amount contributed by the state may not be less than 6 nor more than 10% of the aggregate compensation paid to participating persons, except that in an emergency, as determined by the Governor, the Legislature may contribute more than 10% of the aggregate compensation paid to persons participating in state retirement systems.

Provide that the Legislature shall provide for local retirement systems created by any city or county for its officers and employees and shall further provide for a state-wide system of benefits for officers and employees of counties or other political subdivisions of the State which may voluntarily participate, and

to further provide that a state-wide system of benefits shall be provided for officers and employees of cities which may voluntarily participate.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment revising and consolidating provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and providing for a maximum state contribution to state systems of 10 percent of the aggregate compensation paid to individuals."

NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. No. 6)

Amending Article III, Section 24 of the Texas Constitution to:

Provide an increase in salary for members of the Legislature from \$400 per month to \$600 per month.

Provide an increase in the per diem rate for members of the Legislature from \$12 to \$30 for each day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legislature.

Provide an increase in the transportation allowance for members from \$10 per mile to the rate prescribed by law for employees of the State of Texas.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment setting the salaries of members of the legislature at \$600 per month and setting a per diem of \$30 per day during legislative sessions and a mileage allowance at the same rate provided by law for state employees."

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This edition of the Review and its researchers suggest you visit the Little Italy Restaurant for a unique and pleasant dining experience.

AHS GIRLS TEAM, COACHES AND MOTHERS ATTEND STATE TOURNAMENT

AHS girls coaches Lewis and Cray and three mother's Lois Ann Lovelace, Dean Huffaker and D'Aun Shipman took the AHS girls basketball team and some members of the Jr. Varsity team to Austin to attend the State basketball tournament last week.

Those girls going were: Penny Thomason, Susan Devenport, Nelda Rogers, Melinda Huffaker, Nan Shipman, Barbara Barton, Cheryl Rogers, Cindy Connell, Karen Lambert, Elaine Hamilton, Dorinda Lovelace, Jane Goheen, LaDawn Vickers, Jan Phillips, Velda Belvins, Phyllis Peterson, Sheila Mathis, Lonnie Sanders, Julene Dorman, and Betty Cagle from Amarillo.

While they attended the tournament they visited with former Abernathy coach Mitch Lemonis, his team from Midway High in Waco won State Champions in AAA. They played Canyon. They also visited with former AJH teacher Bill Caffey and his daughter Shana now from Sidney. They were there to see Comanche play in the tournament.

The group returned home Sunday night. They reported seeing many good teams.

Little Dribblers Games Schedule

- Abernathy Little Dribblers GAME SCHEDULE THURSDAY MARCH 13 6:00 P.M. Maroon vs. Green 7:00 P.M. Blue vs. Orange 8:00 P.M. Red vs. Light Blue 9:00 P.M. Yellow vs. Black FRIDAY MARCH 14 6:00 P.M. Maroon vs. Blue 7:00 P.M. Green vs. Orange 8:00 P.M. Red vs. Yellow 9:00 P.M. Light Blue vs. Black THURSDAY MARCH 20 6:00 P.M. Maroon vs. Orange 7:00 P.M. Green vs. Blue 8:00 P.M. Red vs. Black 9:00 P.M. Light Blue vs. Yellow FRIDAY MARCH 21 6:00 P.M. Maroon vs. Green 7:00 P.M. Blue vs. Orange 8:00 P.M. Red vs. Light Blue 9:00 P.M. Yellow vs. Black MONDAY MARCH 24 6:00 P.M. Maroon vs. Blue 7:00 P.M. Green vs. Orange 8:00 P.M. Red vs. Yellow 9:00 P.M. Light Blue vs. Black THURSDAY MARCH 25 6:00 P.M. Maroon vs. Orange 7:00 P.M. Green vs. Blue 8:00 P.M. Red vs. Black 9:00 P.M. Light Blue vs. Yellow

Conference Room at T. T. U. Named For Gary Lambert

The student association of Texas Tech University has named its conference room for Gary Lambert. Gary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lambert who died unexpectedly in January of this year, was a member of the Student Senate at Tech.

A resolution passed by the Student Senate and sent to the Lambert family noted that Gary Lambert was the only member ever to serve five terms on that student legislative body. The resolution stated that the Student Association's present conference room, and the new one when completed, would hereafter be known as the Gary D. Lambert conference room.

WORKS OF ART ON DISPLAY HERE

Works of art, featuring water colors and oils, decorate the walls in the offices of The Abernathy Weekly Review, Pope Insurance Agency and Jack P. Barton's real estate office. Six of the paintings are by former Abernathian Carroll Powell, who is now teaching art and coaching at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, northwest of Amarillo. His paintings presently on display are water colors.

Two paintings are by an Abernathy school teacher, Mrs. Bill (Pat) Corning. Her paintings, both in oils, include one field and cornerpost scene, and one of two small birds sitting on an abandoned water bucket hanging on a vine-draped water faucet. Three large paintings of flower arrangements are by Bob Hudson of Amarillo. Bob teaches a painting class on Saturday afternoons in the large room behind the offices here. He is a former teacher in the Abernathy Schools.

He is a native West Texan, having grown up at Abernathy. He is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Powell, and is a brother of Abernathian Dale Powell. Carroll is married to the former Wanda Ryan, older daughter to Rev. and Mrs. Conrad Ryan, now of Hale Center. Carroll is a graduate of West Texas State University where he earned a degree in Art and Physical Education. "My interests have always leaned toward the unlikely combination of physical as well as artistic development," he stated. At present he is putting both of these talents to work by coaching and teaching art at Boys Ranch.

Since writing this last week, another local artist, Mrs. Murry (Carmelita) Brewer, brought in a beautiful oil painting of flowers in a vase of water.

Social Security Representative Here March 18th

The social security representative from the Plainview social security office will be working in the City Hall in Abernathy from 9:00 a. m., Tuesday, March 18. Anyone who needs assistance with a social security or Medicare claim, application for a social security number, or information about any part of social security may see him. If more convenient, contact our social security office at 1401-B West 5th Street in Plainview. A telephone call may save you a you a trip. Our number is 293-4371.



Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Klatt of Lubbock are parents of a son, Robert Clayton, born March 3. He weighed 8 pounds and three-fourths ounces.

The baby is a grandson of Robert H. Klatt, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Golden Furgeson.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Durrett and Kris of Lewisville, Texas announce the arrival of their new daughter and sister Kori Dianna. She was born February 3. She weighed 5 pounds 5 ounces and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents of Kori are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Toler, and Mrs. Pauline Durrett of Abernathy.

Mrs. Pauline Durrett is visiting in Lewisville, helping with the new granddaughter.

West Texas Firms Receive Safety Awards

Several West Texas firms were honored this week in Houston for industrial safety achievement during the 36th Annual Texas Safety Conference & Exposition. Included in the list of those being presented Industrial First Place Awards for exemplary safety records on a competitive basis were General Telephone Company of the Southwest, and Southwestern Public Service Company. General Telephone also received a first place award for transportation safety achievement. The Texas Safety Association Railroad Transportation Section presented and Award of Honor Plaque to Santa Fe Railway Company, Western Lines, Amarillo.

We can justify our every deed but God looks at our motives. (Pro. 21-2)

BRIEFS

Mrs. Amylee Smith returned last week from a six week visit in California. She visited in the home of a relative Julia Groves in Montebello and with other relatives throughout California.

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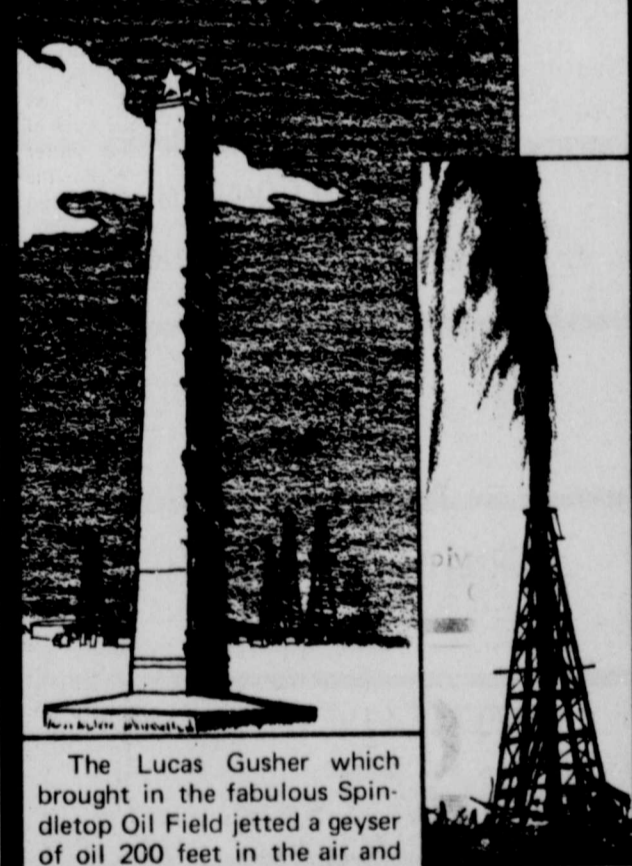
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DIGGING BEGINS — Construction of the Llano Estacado Museum, a bi-centennial project, began recently when earth moving equipment started digging the basement excavation. The museum is scheduled to be completed in 1976 as part of the local Bicentennial celebration.

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SOUTHWEST FARM SHOW OPENS

Just as surely as March follows February, the Southwest Farm Show opens on Friday morning, March 7, and continues through Sunday night, March 9.

New and interesting farm tractors and equipment, shown for the first time in the Southwest, will be on display for the over 50,000 farm-oriented people expected at the Tarrant County Convention Center in downtown Fort Worth.

County agents and key farmers from throughout the state will begin arriving at the Convention Center Friday morning for the "New World of Agriculture" Forum. Speakers with world knowledge of farm-related subjects, will discuss the farmer's role in the crucial years ahead. The Forum will conclude with a luncheon with the principle speaker being Congressman Jerry Litton from Missouri. The Forum is co-sponsored by Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Tickets are required.

A man is known by his actions; an evil man lives an evil life; a good man lives a godly life. (Pro. 21-5)

We are looking forward to the Missionary Conference that we will be having this weekend.

We are praying that the people will come and that we will all come with open hearts and hear and learn what the Lord has for us to know.

We had a good time this afternoon, Dolores baked a cake and we went up to Mrs. Wilson's to wish her a happy birthday and several friends were there to see her as she just came home yesterday from the hospital following surgery. So it was kinda a welcome home and birthday celebration together. She is really a blessing to us. She is up and feeling well and giving God the glory for being with her through her surgery and stay in the hospital. She received some lovely gifts and cards and it was really a wonderful time of Christian fellowship. Everyone here seems to be busy. I know that things are busy with you and Carl also.

Well, I guess I'd better close and get busy so we won't have to work so late tonight.

Tell Carl hello for us and give little Scott a hug for all of us. Ps. 103:1

Love, Vicki

Visitor From Canada

Miss Pierrette Chabot of Montreal, Quebec arrived at Lubbock Airport last Wednesday, February 26, to see West Texas and visit the Arno Struves. To some extent it was a return visit since the Struves had been her guest in Montreal at the time of Expo '67.

Miss Chabot is truly an international person. Her travels were extensive even prior to her employment by Air Canada. A stay in Mexico City in 1966 at Casa Chavez brought about the acquaintance of Miss Chabot and the Struves. Cass Chavez was at that time a large private home that had been converted into a "boarding house" or in other terminology a "pension".

Her employment at Air Canada permits her to travel all over the world at little expense, one of the attractions of such employment. A recent week in Ireland in the company of friends she had made as they passed through Montreal has given her great respect and an appreciation of that great little country. She is to return soon to Ireland accompanied by her parents who also have special travel privileges because of her employment.

The Struves were supposed to meet her in Rome last year but a change in her timetable made this impossible.

Her first language is Canadian French which she has to watch carefully when she visits France because of the colloquialisms inherent in her native tongue. Of course she speaks English and in addition to this she has studied enough Japanese, German and Spanish to get by in the appropriate countries.

Pierrette is certainly the personification of the liberated woman of the twentieth century, the proof of women's potential to be independent in this day and time.

While in Abernathy she was interested to see a cotton field, the prosperous homes in Abernathy, our Academic Center, the oil field, cotton gins, churches, textile mill, all of which were pronounced interesting and different from anything in her previous experience. As souvenirs she took a fancy cotton burr bonnet, a dirty cotton boll and several stems of pampas grass.

Of course, included in the sight-seeing was a visit to the "big" city which to her was a small city, Texas Tech University complex, the civic center "abuilding", the many shopping centers especially the mall, the hospitals all brought expressions of interest and approval.

At last just before departing plane time an entertaining visit to praise dog town enchanted the visitor. Happily, the weather cooperated to leave a most pleasant impression on a person in a position to tell others about wonderful West Texas.

SWPS JONES STATION EMPLOYEES HONORED

Southwestern Public Service Co. employees of Jones Station near Lubbock were honored for the completion of an accident-free year during 1974 at a recent dinner at the Bush Steak House.

The 47 Jones Station employees have worked 299, 311 hours without a lost time injury. There were no lost-time accidents in any of the SWPS power plants in 1974 and the plant employees as a group have accumulated more than 1 million man-hours without a lost-time injury.

Residential Citations for safety leadership were presented to the plant supervisors and foreman. Included in the list of recipients were Glenn Selke of Abernathy, 13 years, and former Abernathian Louis Sinclair, 28 years.

News Of Men In Service

Redstone Arsenal, Ala. (AHTNC) Feb. 5 --- Private Wilbert R. Sciles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie A. Sciles Sr., Route 1, Hale Center, Tex., completed the ammunition storage course at the U. S. Army Missile and Munitions School here.

During the 10-week course, he learned to receive, store, ship and issue ammunition, ammunition components and military explosives. He also received instruction in the destruction of unserviceable and irreparable ammunition and explosives.

COMMUNITY CENTER TO HOLD ELECTION

To those interested in the community center an election will be held Monday March 10 at the center to elect a representative for the Plainview Board. Time of election will be March 10 at the center at 7 p. m.

Only the lower income may vote at this election. Alice Pace, Abernathy O. E. O. Community Director

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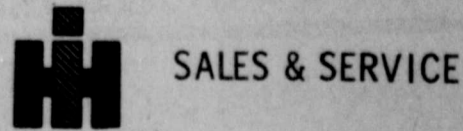


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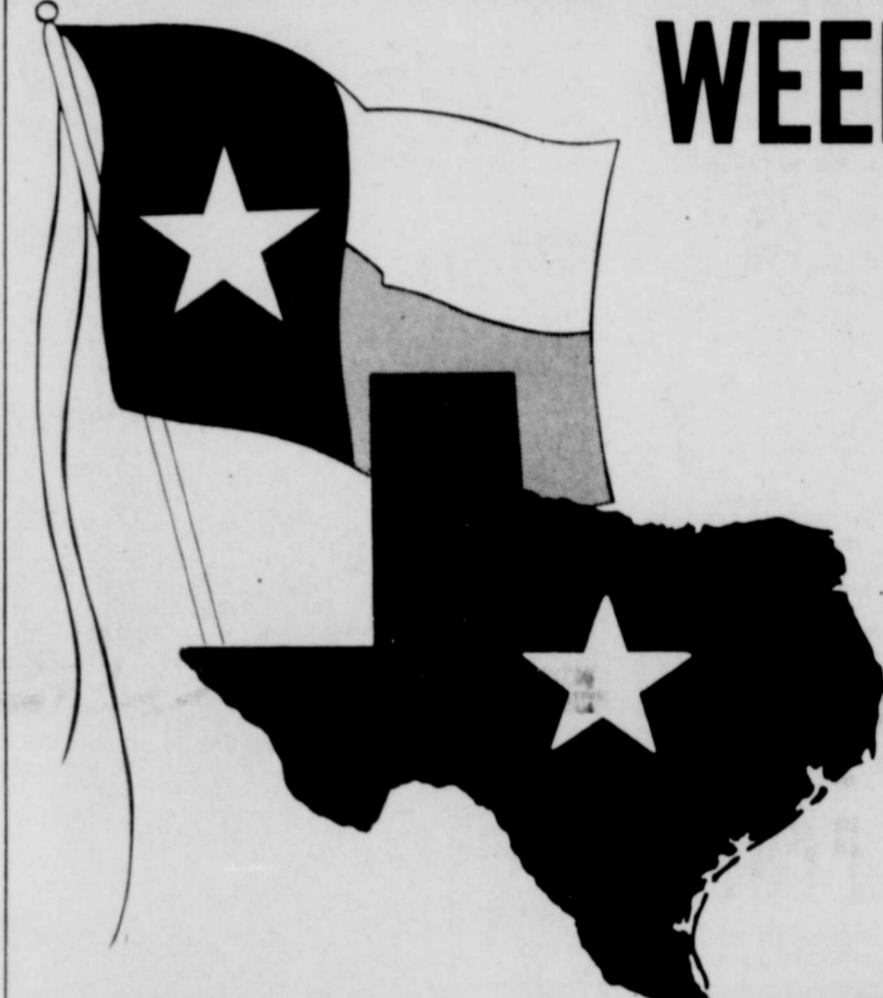
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