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A Fine Paper For Fine People

CHS Boys Hold Lead In District Basketball

Clarendon High School boys under the direction of Coach Carl Irbeck maintained their lead in District Basketball play bringing their district standing to 4-0 with their wins the past week. Their season record is 19-5.

Friday night the Bronchos played Silvertown here defeating the visitors 83-47. A wide margin was maintained throughout the entire game with a tally of 29-11 in the first period and at halftime 38-26. The third period ended on a 52-25 count. Charles Louis was high for the Bronchos with 18 points; Monroe hit 15, Jim Moore and Wayne Carter 11 each. High for Silvertown was Hettel with 15 points.

Monday night of this week the Bronchos traveled to Happy. The game was close and a thriller to the end. The first period of play saw the two teams tied 7-7 and at halftime the score was 19-18. The third quarter saw 32-29 on the score board. Charles Louis paced CHS with 21 followed by Steve Adams with 12, and Everett Monroe with 9. Culp hit 11 for Happy. All of the boys did a fine job in this game, reported Irbeck.

The Clarendon girls didn't fare so well in their games. They were defeated by Silvertown Friday night 51-37, trailing throughout the game 5-19, 11-37, and 21-45. Cheryl Hardin hit 17 to pace Clarendon while Evelyn Wood hit 15 for Silvertown.

At Happy Friday night the final count was closer with Clarendon taking the lead in the first period of play only to lose out in the final quarter 34-37. By quarters the count was 9-8, 24-14 and 30-22. Lee Ann McCracken hit 14 and Kathy Mears 11 to pace Clarendon. High for Happy was Linda Mays with 15.

B Girls played at Silvertown Friday night and won their game by a wide margin of 52-19. Scores by quarters were 18-5, 27-10, and 39-14. High for CHS was Julia Taylor with 17, Anette Alexander with 15, Diane Cornell and Carolyn Barrow with 10 each. High for Silvertown was Sharon Jarret with 6.

Friday night Coach Irbeck and his teams will be traveling to McLean for another district game. McLean boys and girls stand 0-4 in District. These games will conclude the first half of District play. Tuesday night the teams will go to Wheeler. B Boys games will precede Varsity games each night with Varsity girls playing at 6:30 p.m. followed by the Varsity boys.

Support of local fans is always appreciated and is an inspiration to the teams to put forth their greatest efforts. So if at all possible, make your plans to accompany the teams in their play this week.

QUALITY JOB PRINTING
AT THE LEADER

Joint Church Study To Be Concluded

The study, NEW FORMS OF MISSION, will be concluded Sunday evening, February 2, in the United Presbyterian Church. A Fellowship Dinner will be served in the dining hall at 5:30. Each is asked to bring a covered dish.

For three Sunday evenings the members of the United Presbyterian and United Methodist Churches have been engaged in serious study of problems of the modern church and of new methods that may be employed to remedy some of them. Next Sunday, following a short devotional, an audiovisual will be shown that will further depict conditions existing within some institutional churches.

Wall Services Held In Groom Wednesday

Funeral services for James Marshall (Jim) Wall, 70, a Groom businessman and farmer, since 1925, were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, January 29th in the First Baptist Church at Groom with Rev. J. E. Godwin of Amarillo and Rev. Alvin R. Hiltbrunner, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Groom Cemetery under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

Mr. Wall died Monday morning, January 27th in Northwest Texas Hospital at Amarillo. He was born March 28, 1898 at Jacksboro and married Loula Leeman on October 25, 1916 at Jacksboro. He was a member of the First Methodist Church in Jacksboro.

Survivors include his wife, of the home in Groom; one daughter, Mrs. Morley C. Doss of Groom; a grandson, Johnny Byrd of Amarillo; and two great grandchildren. Bearers were Dr. Richard Hall, Bob Pool, Art Britten, Billy Burgin, Bill Britten and Donnie Black.

AG MAGAZINES NEEDED BY COLLEGE

Sarah Cline, Librarian at Clarendon College, is making an appeal for Agriculture magazines of any type to place on file in the College Library. Anyone having any of these magazines is asked to contact the Librarian at the College and arrangements will be made for these magazines to be picked up.

Services Pending For Noel D. Hewitt

Funeral services are pending with Murphy Funeral Home for Noel Douglas Hewitt who died early Wednesday morning in the Veterans Hospital at Dallas following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Hewitt was a long-time Clarendon resident and had been an employee here of the Texas Highway Department for the past 26 years. He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife Ethel of the home, three daughters, Mrs. Vernon Wallace of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Cecil Short and Mrs. Charles Brown of Amarillo; one son, Bobby Hewitt of Clarendon, two brothers and three sisters.

Palacio Place Opens

It was announced this week that Palacio Place, a twelve acre subdivision located in Sherwood Shores IX, is under development and will be offering fashionable building sites to selected owners.

This property overlooks a quiet, tranquil range of Greenbelt Lake and is banked on the south by low, rolling hills. A castle wall, colored in soft pastel, will encircle the perimeter; and down the center of the tiered double-row of homes will run a private, lighted roadway, providing off street access to garages.

The principle asset of property owners is an individual dock facility that is both private and within walking distance of their homes; also a membership in the private Palacio Boat Club.

The nearly one mile of castle wall is under contract to Troy Guy, and Ira Page is currently engaged in shaping the dock and building sites.

George and Dixie Howard are the owners and developers of Palacio Place, and plans are underway for La Pasado, a similar installation to be located on the south banks of Carol Creek Center.

Jamie Hudson is sales promotion manager of both developments.

An advertisement concerning the development of Palacio Place is being carried in this issue of The Leader.

GREENBELT LAKE STOCKED WITH BLUE CAT FISH

Jack Crabtree, fisheries biologist from Canyon reported that Greenbelt Lake has been stocked with 3,000 blue cat fish from 6 to 8 inches long. These fish have been recorded as weighing as much as 150 pounds. The fish were delivered here from the Parks and Wildlife Department State Fish Hatchery at Sheldon near Houston and are the largest of the Catfish family.

Mrs. Laverne Goldston of Alarwood visited Mrs. Edith Longan and Mrs. Ethel Robinson of Pampa Tuesday morning.

Jr. High Teams In Wellington Tourney

Clarendon Junior High Basketball teams were entered in the Wellington Tournament held Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of the past week end. Clarendon boys played their first game against Wellington defeating them by a score of 32-31. Tommy Shields was tops for the locals with 16 points. The Clarendon boys lost their second game to Paducah 26-26. Joe Shade dropped in 13 points.

Clarendon girls lost to Wellington 13-36 in their first game with Carrie Neal high point with 6. They won their second game taking Arnett 13-11. Carrie Neal was again tops with 11. Their third game saw them defeated 27-12 by Hollis. Carrie Neal hit 6.

Monday night, January 27, Clarendon played Wheeler in a district game. Wheeler took Clarendon 43-30 with Steve Carter's 11 points pacing the local team. Local girls also lost 28-15. Carrie Neal was high with 6 points.

Junior High's next game will be February 6 when McLean will play here. Memphis seventh graders will play here February 10, and Silvertown here February 13. Game time will be 6:30 p.m. All fans are invited out for these games, stated Coach Jack Hall.

DANCING CLASSES FOR YOUTH IN PROGRESS

Clarendon young people are fortunate in that they are now able to take dancing lessons. Mr. and Mrs. George Elder of Amarillo are conducting classes in Ballet, Tap, Acrobatic, and Modern Jazz. They plan to start classes in Ballroom dancing within the near future and if enough adults are interested there is a possibility of an adult class being formed.

Classes are held each Tuesday afternoon beginning with the Preschoolers at 2:30 and continue throughout the afternoon with classes determined by age group.

Anyone interested in these classes may contact Mr. and Mrs. Elder at the Youth Canteen any Tuesday afternoon.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Elder are experienced in their field and are presently conducting classes in a number of Panhandle towns. These lessons help youth in many ways. They are taught social graces, become poised and confident, and develop talents — just to name a few of the advantages which will help them in later years.

CAIN NAMED DIRECTOR COUNTY SPELLING BEE

Stina Cain, Clarendon Junior High School Principal, has been named the 1969 Spelling Bee Director for Donley County. Prior to April 1 a County Bee will be held to determine who will represent Donley County at the Amarillo Spelling Bee to be held April 19 when a regional championship will be determined to represent this area in the National Spelling Bee.

Last year Angela Messer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Messer of Hedley was the Donley County representative. Shauna Hardin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Hardin of Clarendon was County Junior Champion last year.

The 1969 Golden Spread Bee is being co-sponsored by West Texas State University and the Amarillo Globe-News with L. J. (Jack) Edmondson, West Texas State University Director of Public Service, serving as Bee Director. There will also be a secondary contest — the Junior Spelling Bee, open to contestants from the 6th and lower grades.

SAMSON BACK HOME

Samson, the Clarendon College Bulldog mascot which strayed from his pen last week, was located at Groom and returned in time for the basketball game with Howard County Saturday night. The boys were overjoyed with his return and almost won the game.

JOINS LOCAL SCS



JERALD CRUMP
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Jerald Crump, Soil Scientist with the Soil Conservation Service, is moving to Clarendon to work in that capacity with the local Soil Conservation office. Crump comes to Clarendon from Wheeler where he has served as Soil Scientist.

Crump, who has been working in the field approximately four years, is a graduate of Texas Tech, Lubbock, and had worked at Abilene prior to moving to Wheeler. We welcome him, his wife, and young daughter to our community.

Completion of the Donley County Soil Survey, mapping all acreage in the entire county will be his immediate project. The survey will be printed in book form and will be of use to farmers, ranchers, and city residents in planning for the future.

Services Held Sat. For Paul Jones Moore

Funeral services for Paul J. Moore, 56, Donley County Road Maintenance Employee for over 20 years, were held Saturday afternoon, January 25 in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Bryan Knowles, pastor of the Martin Community Baptist Church, officiating, assisted by Rev. W. R. Lawrence, pastor.

Interment was in Citizens Cemetery under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

Mr. Moore died of an apparent heart attack at 1:15 a.m. Thursday, January 23rd as he was dining at AM's Cafe, east on Highway 287. He was born at Windom, Fannin County, Texas October 12, 1912 and married Florence Johnson March 19, 1937 at Memphis. He has resided in and around Clarendon for the past 40 years. He was a member of the Martin Baptist Church and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Josephine Moore of Clarendon; one sister, Mrs. Linnie Johnson of Santa Barbara, California; two brothers, Troy W. Moore of Amarillo and Ivan Moore of Ft. Smith, Arkansas.

Bearers were Clarence Reynolds, Albert Johnson Jr., Lee Roy Johnson, Charlie Hearn, Raymond Alexander and James McKinney.

QUAIL SEASON ENDS FRIDAY, JANUARY 31

The longest quail season in recent years will come to an end Friday, January 31st with nimrods probably filling the field today and tomorrow as a last fling at this most sporting bird.

As most recall, the season opened this past year November 9th and has lasted almost three months which a majority of hunters feel is too long a season. The birds have had a long siege of survival but from all reports there's enough birds left to raise another bountiful supply for the hunting season this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Brogdon and children of Amarillo visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Helton.

Leader Advertisements Pay Dividends

CC Bulldogs Strong Contenders In Conference This Year

Clarendon College Bulldogs lost their first conference game of the season to Howard County Jayhawks 62-60 in a disappointing game Saturday night. The Bulldogs started slow but as the game progressed built momentum to outplay the Jayhawks, out-rebounding them 38-23 from the floor. Two injuries late in the game, one to Jackie Baker and the other to Mike Inman, resulted in chaotic conditions and gave the Jayhawks a chance to come back in the last four seconds of the game to take a win.

Jackie Baker, Western Junior College Conference leading scorer led the Bulldog attack with 20 points. Mike Inman dropped in 17, and Richard Robinson 11. Big Vincent Brogdon controlled the backboards.

Monday night the Bulldogs bounced back and took their sixth conference win 63-58 over the strong Odessa College club, Big Chris Peacock, All Conference, All Region basketball player of last year, made his first appearance for the local team. The CC team played without the services of Jackie Baker who was still out of the game due to injuries.

Richard Robinson took up the scoring aided by Chris Peacock and Mike Inman while Brogdon controlled the boards to bring about the Bulldog victory. Richard Robinson accounted for 23 points; Chris Peacock dropped in 14 points and pulled down 13 rebounds. Mike Inman scored 14 points and pulled down 13 rebounds.

The Bulldogs now stand 2-3 in Conference play holding second place, out-ranked only by Howard County with a 6-0 record.

The Bulldogs will entertain the West Texas State University Freshmen Thursday night in Bulldog Fieldhouse. Game time is 8 p.m. The young Buffs have a fine club and this should be a good game. Jackie Baker will be returning for action to help the CC cause. Probable starting lineup for this game will be Vincent Brogdon 6'7"; Mike Inman, 6'6"; Chris Peacock 6'6"; Richard Robinson 6'; and Jackie Baker 5'10".

Saturday night conference play will be continued in Bulldog Fieldhouse when South Plains Junior College Cowboys will play here. This game will pit the Number 1 Offensive team in the conference against the Number 1 Defensive team of the conference. With the rivalry that exists between the two teams, the game promises some fine basketball handling for fans.

Wednesday night of next week, February 5, the Amarillo Badgers will be in town for a game at 8 p.m. These two teams have long been rivals. The Bulldogs have defeated the Badgers in two previous games this season but the Amarillo club is much improved and making a real battle in conference play.

Everyone is invited to attend these games in the new Bulldog Fieldhouse.

NEW 1969 CAR TAGS GO ON SALE MONDAY

The new 1969 vehicle license plates go on sale at the County Tax Office Monday, February 3rd. They are white this year with black letters and the numbering for the county will begin with BMN-125.

Vehicle owners are reminded that it is a must to have your title and last year's license receipt before your new tags are issued. It will save you and the tax clerks time and effort if you have these two items with you your first trip.

VISIT HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Dunn of Ft. Bragg, North Carolina are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Just of Lelia Lake, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Nelson of Ashtola.

Leader Classifieds Get Results

Voter Registration Is Better But Still Lagging At Deadline

CC Enrollment Up For Spring Semester

According to College Registrar Tex Selvidge Clarendon College enrollment for the Spring semester is up some 17 students over the same period a year ago and enrollment will continue through February 12th. At present a total of 249 students have registered and a total of around 275 is expected by the deadline.

This figure includes both day and night students. Enrollment in night school will continue for two more nights. Marriages, drop-outs, etc., account for the decrease in enrollment from the fall semester and we have had very few transfers, Selvidge reported. At present we have gained more new students than ever before for a spring semester, he concluded.

Rites Held Sunday For Mrs. W. B. Ayers

Funeral services for Sarah Marguerite Ayers, 83, a resident of Clarendon the past 13 years, were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, January 26th in the Church of Christ with Robert C. Jones, Church of Christ minister, and Tom Watters, local minister, officiating. Other services were on Monday, January 27th at 3:00 p.m. in The College Hill Church of Christ at Corsicana, Texas. Interment was in Oakwood Cemetery at Corsicana under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ayers died Thursday, Jan. 23rd in Hall County Hospital at Memphis. She was born August 10, 1885 at Jacksboro and lived in Corsicana 40 years before her marriage to William Burton Ayers November 25, 1955 at Greenville. She was a housewife and had worked as a sales clerk in earlier life. She was a member of the Church of Christ in Clarendon. Survivors include her husband W. B. Ayers of Clarendon; two daughters, Mrs. V. E. Howard of Texarkana, Texas, Mrs. R. L. Nolen of Arlington; two step-daughters, Mrs. Agnes Morris of Phoenix, Arizona, Mrs. Winnie Wester of Canyon; two step-sons, Clarence C. Ayers of Lelia Lake, Gilmer G. Ayers of Highlands, Texas; one sister, Mrs. A. A. Carter of Walters, Oklahoma; five grandchildren; fifteen step-grandchildren; fifteen great grandchildren, and eighteen step-great grandchildren.

Bearers were Gordon Mann, Fred Bourland, H. G. Bobbitt, Mark Allen, Doug Burgess and Roland Shields.

SQUARE DANCE LESSONS TO BEGIN FEB. 3

The Y-Knot Twirlers are sponsoring a series of Square Dance lessons to begin Monday night, February 3 at 8 p.m. at Lions Club Hall. L. L. Wallace will be the instructor. Anyone interested in taking these lessons is invited to come out Monday night.

With only two days left in which to register to vote in this year's elections, 1525 Donley County residents had done so by Wednesday morning of this week.

Friday, January 31 is the deadline for registering at the County Tax Office which will close at 5 p.m.

Considering an off-election year, the above figure is pretty good but still not what it should be in case important elections are called throughout the year. If there is a big registration, a majority instead of a minority will have an opportunity to decide an issue or elect candidates that will be running for city or school trustee positions.

Requirements are that those voting in the statewide election must be over 21 years old and a citizen of the United States on the day of the election. The voter must also have resided in Texas one year immediately preceding the election, and he must have registered for the voting year in which the election is held. Persons over 60 also must register.

Registration annually is required of Texas voters. The 1969 voting year will begin on March 1, 1969, and end on Feb. 28, 1970. The registration period for the 1969 voting year began last Oct. 1 and will end on Jan. 31, 1969. Any citizen of Texas who now possesses the necessary qualifications for voting or who will attain them by Feb. 28, 1970, may register during the current registration period.

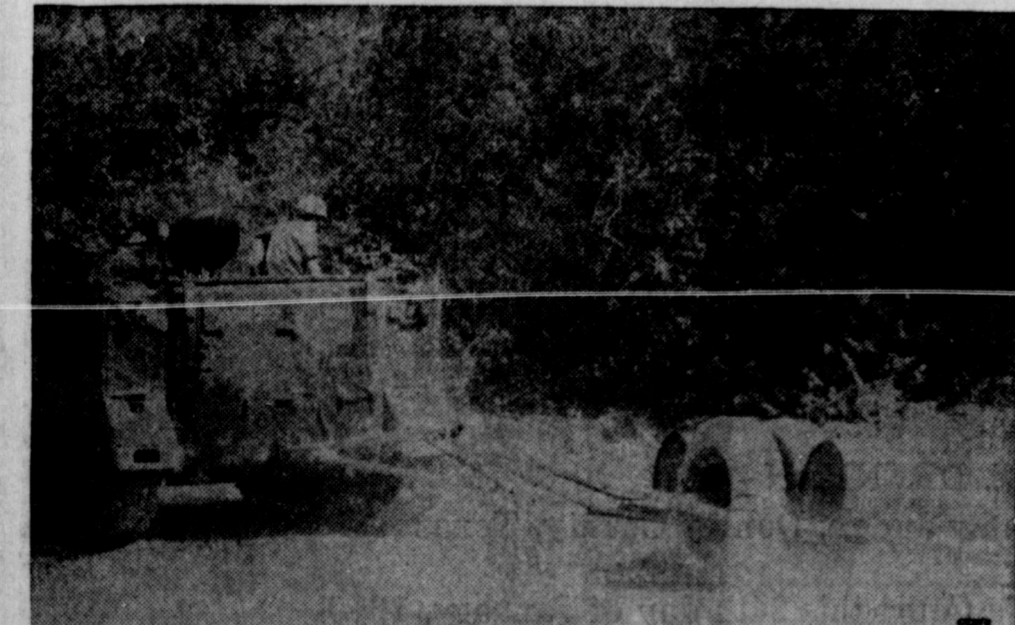
Except for three limited classes of voters, all persons wishing to vote at any time during the 1969 voting year must register by the Jan. 31 deadline, even though they may not yet possess full qualification for voting. The only registration permitted after Jan. 31 is (1) by persons who move into Texas after Oct. 1, 1968, (2) by persons who become 21 years old after Jan. 31, 1969, and (3) by former aliens who are naturalized after Jan. 31, 1969. The first and second classes may also register during the regular period. Registration certificates issued to persons not yet qualified to vote are marked to show the date on which they will become qualified.

The husband, wife, father, mother, son, or daughter of a voter may act as the voter's agent in applying for registration if the relative is a qualified voter in the same county. Except for these listed relatives, which do not include those related by marriage, no one may act as agent for another in applying for registration.

AGGIE CLUB SPONSORS DANCE FRIDAY NIGHT

The Aggie Club of Clarendon College is sponsoring a dance at the Electric Theatre Friday night of this week, January 31, beginning at 8 p.m. and continuing until 12 p.m. Music will be by J. Riley and his Western Band of Amarillo.

The public is invited to attend.



OVER THE SHOULDER — A soldier tows a homemade mine sweeper with his armed personnel carrier. The sweeper is an innovation of the Qui Nhon Support Command's 8th Transportation Group, Republic of Vietnam. Made of a few feet of metal tubing, four inflated tractor tires and two sand-filled 55-gallon drums, the sweeper is designed to probe the soft shoulders of a road where enemy mines are frequently placed.



Ben Barnes became the 37th Lieutenant Governor of Texas and the youngest ever to hold the office as he was administered the oath of office by Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice Robert W. Calvert.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may occur in the columns of THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the management.

NOTICE: Obituaries and poetry are published in this paper at the rate of 6 cents per word. A charge of \$1.00 is made on cards of thanks. Stories of deaths and funerals published in time to retain news value are not rated as obituaries.

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LELIA LAKE NEWS

Mrs. Pauline Roberts

Our sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. W. B. Ayers here to attend the funeral and who died Thursday night. Those here to attend the funeral and be with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Ayers were Mr. and Mrs. Gilmer Ayers, Houston, Ralph Ayers, Belton, Mrs. Winnie Wester, Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Green, El Paso, Mrs. Agnes Morris, Phoenix, Ariz., Mr.

and Mrs. Cliff Stogner, Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Swindel and Stephanie, Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and Lynnett of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shields were in Childress Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cook visited Monday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Chunn in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butler visited in Childress Sunday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. John Bob Butler and family.

Mrs. Oneta Munger and boys, Fritch and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Head and family of Panhandle visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Head and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Knox and Mrs. F. A. Floyd attended the funeral of a relative in Marlin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mills were in Amarillo Friday for a medical checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mooring visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Finley in Alanreed.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shields and boys visited Sunday in Hedley with her mother Mrs. W. H. Moss and sister's family Mr. and Mrs. Don Springer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Vaught, Steve and Jeri and Bill Roberts of Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Roberts Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Mae Keithley of Bremerton, Washington returned home after spending a month with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Stotts.

Lavern Banister of Amarillo, Mrs. Cleo Crutchfield of Clarendon and daughter, Mrs. Joyce Blasingame and children of Hereford visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Usrey.



DAYS OF HANNIBAL — Elephants laden with a rice harvest supplement a helicopter evacuation of Vietnamese villagers. Leading the elephant convoy is First Lt. Eugene Gwynn (right) and a team of Vietnamese Civilian Irregular Defense Group soldiers. The villagers were moved from the proximity of a North Vietnamese infiltration route near the Cambodian border to the safety of Tien Atar, Republic of Vietnam. Lieutenant Gwynn, a member of the 5th Special Forces Group, is from San Diego, Calif.

Dale Wood of Kermit visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood and Cecil.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shields attended the open house of the new Church of Christ in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dizmang of Duncan, Okla., and Ruth Harper of Wichita Falls visited the week end with Glen Williams. They are cousins.

Mrs. Etta Holt Brown and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lotspeich of Fort

Worth spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Quattlebaum.

Mrs. E. E. Fox who underwent surgery last Monday in Amarillo is doing fine. She is expected to be released from the

hospital the first of the week. We hope she will be able to come home soon after that.

R. E. Jones of Bula visited Friday with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shields and family.

Mrs. W. E. Carter of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mathis of Albany visited Wednesday through Friday with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood.

W. W. Jones and Glen Williams made a business trip to Memphis Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Stotts is visiting a sister in Texline this week.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mills Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. James King and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Mills and family of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mills and family who are moving from Questa, N. Mex. to White Deer, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Taylor of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self of Wellington visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shields and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wood and Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Milligan of Muleshoe were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wood and Cecil.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Altman visited patients in the Hall County Hospital Wednesday. A mong

those were Jess White, Mrs. Rains and Sheron Wheatley. They visited Sunday with Don's grandmother, Mrs. J. H. Ward in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Floyd of Lazbuddie visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Floyd and Short Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Moffitt and Mary Lynn spent the week-end in Amarillo with his mother, Mrs. Lois Moffitt. They attended a wedding in Dumas Saturday night.

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Fund	Balance 12-31-67	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance 12-31-68
Jury	\$ 5,946.31	\$ 1,383.94	\$ 1,220.20	\$ 6,110.05
General	(16,435.78) O.D.	69,273.24	96,987.52	(44,150.06) O.D.
Road And Bridge	51,490.50	100,987.81	85,465.46	66,996.85
Farm To Market	23,908.19	17,003.22	30,310.42	10,600.99
Lateral Road	33,572.84	19,417.96	34,976.36	18,014.44
Permanent Improvement	856.68	724.95	882.62	699.01
Jail Sinking	1,438.36	---	---	1,438.36
Social Security	44.33	17,558.00	7,864.34	9,737.99
Road And Bridge Warrant	1,778.87	---	1,778.87	---
Donley County Road Bond Sinking	16,440.83	9,550.43	18,311.25	7,680.01
Donley County Special Right-Of-Way	19,035.45	62,105.91	45,242.31	35,899.05
Road And Bridge Funding Series 1935	25.73	---	---	25.73
Road And Bridge Funding Series 1935A	184.62	---	---	184.62
Road And Bridge Funding Series 1935B	661.57	---	---	661.57

INDEBTEDNESS

Precinct No. 3 - \$ 6,333.73

Precinct No. 4 - 20,000.00

Right-Of-Way Purchased 1960 Highway No. 287 West - Farmers State Bank - \$7,000.00, Donley County State Bank - \$18,000.00

Donley County Unlimited Tax Road Bonds - \$80,000.00

Securities Owned - \$4,968.00

THE STATE OF TEXAS ()
COUNTY OF DONLEY ()

I, P. C. Messer, County Clerk in and for Donley County, Texas do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct account of receipts and disbursements of county funds for the year ending December 31, 1968, and correctly reflects the condition of county funds as disclosed by the records in my office.

P. C. MESSER
County Clerk, Donley County, Texas

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of January, 1969.

R. E. DRENNAN
County Judge, Donley County, Texas

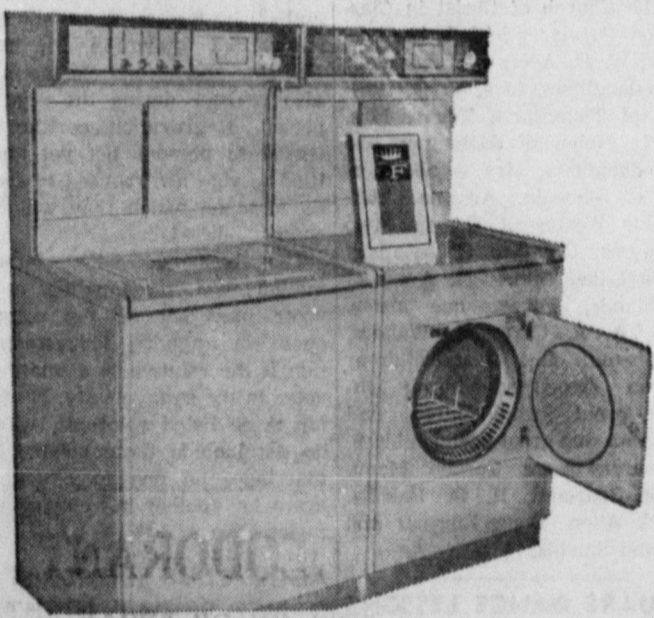
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County Judge, Donley County, Texas

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MARTIN

Mrs. Raymond

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jimmy, and Mr. Neal Wright of Borsday with Mr. and Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eld Melinda visited day with relative

Mrs. Raymond Beth and Valoria Trner guests Sunday Allison and girls.

Leane Risley, Tom Carol Cornell, and home from College for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes family moved to Wh the week end.

Beth Waldrop night in Hedley with Mrs. Darrell Lef

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MARTIN NEWS

Mrs. Raymond Waldrop

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Able and Jimmy, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Neal Wright of Borger spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lyles and Melinda visited in Turkey Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and Beth and Valoria Trout were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Joe Allison and girls.

Leane Risley, Tommy Waldrop, Carol Cornell, and Don Lyles are home from College at Lubbock for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mills and family moved to White Deer over the week end.

Beth Waldrop spent Friday night in Hedley with Neva Hill.

Mrs. Darrell Leffew and children and Mrs. Buddy Brunson and family of Lubbock spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs.

Othel Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Schollenbarger and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Schollenbarger spent the week end in Yukon, Okla. with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bain and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Wood of Lubbock visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Mann and family and Sunday they had lunch with their mother, Mrs. J. D. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Schollenbarger shopped in Amarillo Thursday and Chris and Connie spent the day with Grandmother Risley.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Churchman visited Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Mann.

Mrs. L. O. Christie and Mrs. Roland Salmon visited Friday with Mrs. Hazel Edens.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shadle went to Crosbyton Saturday to attend funeral services for a brother-in-law.

Mrs. Hazel Edens and Mrs. Roland Salmon visited Sunday in

People, Spots In The News



WATER RESISTANCE of watches is checked in Bulova chamber that simulates pressures of 666 - feet - deep water.



CAPT. RANKIN (Robert) of Goshen, Ind., shows 19 medals he won flying 100 missions over Vietnam in six months.



JEANNE WILBAR decided even Miami Beach was cold enough, one morning, to call for a fur!

IT'S THEIR BAG! A couple of alligators take a funny siesta at Houston's Herman Park zoo.

Claude Rest Home with Mrs. Edens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Formway and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole and children Saturday evening.

Mrs. Joe Sasser and children of Amarillo spent Saturday with

Mrs. Faylon Watson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Fitzgerald of Silvertown.

Don Lyles and Mary Sue Ashford visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ashford in Groom Sunday.

UNCLE ZEB



Someone has said that when folks started taking vacations to the moon it would be because they didn't have a thing on earth to do.

They tell us that 80 per cent of all the scientists who have ever lived are living now . . . This shows from another angle just how much this old world has advanced and changed in this lifetime.

We read someplace that the lowly peanut is not classed as a nut at all but is a member of the bean family. I don't know why it matters. . .

In the same breath that we are told "We never had it so good", we find that we never had it

get away so fast. . . . Gossip travels faster over a grapevine that is slightly sour.

Sign on a watermelon patch: "May the Lord help those who help themselves." . . . We wonder why it was as a youngster that watermelons always seemed to taste better if sneaked from a forbidden patch . . . My cousin and myself sneaked into their patch, ate one and plugged several . . . We got caught and found that cancelling a trip to a movie was my uncle's brand of punishment . . . It sure did hurt at that.

"A bore is a fellow who keeps on talking after we have interrupted".

"Some of this modern music is more decomposed than composed.

"A friend is a person who knocks before he enters, instead of waiting until after he has left."

"Spare the rod and you wind up with a beat generation."

"Even though Thank You is written with small letter, it is always a capital idea."

be so bad if we didn't find ourselves running into our creditors." "With todays modern transportation there is no such thing as a distant relative."

GOLDSTON NEWS

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pool had dinner Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield visited Sunday evening with Mrs. Joe Hood and son, John, of Claude.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield and family spent the week end in Tulia with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Littlefield and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pritchard and granddaughter of Shamrock visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield spent Thursday in Amarillo and visited with their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Adams and family and the Dwane Littlefield, also her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Taylor.

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Society NEWS

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Religious Program At Pathfinder Club Friday

Pathfinder Club met at Patching Club House Friday afternoon, January 24 for their religious program of the year.

Meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. L. N. Cox, and the invocation offered by Mable Mongole.

Mrs. Cox introduced Rev. Carl Nunn, pastor of the First United Methodist Church who showed 58 slides made of outstanding oil paintings of a Lamesa artist. These paintings were illustrations of her interpretations of the Book of Revelation. Rev. Nunn gave his comments as the slides were shown. A worship center was at the right of the screen.

Those attending were guests: Rev. Carl Nunn, Mesdames Roy Beverly, S. M. Lowry, and W. G. Word; also members Mesdames C. E. Bairfield, George Benson, H. T. Burton, L. N. Cox, Pete Kunz, Walter Lowe, S. W. Lowe, Lacy Noble, Frank Phelan, Jr., Dick Shelton, Frank White, Jr., Misses Mable Mongole, Wilma McLean, and the hostess, Mrs. Heckie Stark. Rep.

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Miscellaneous Shower Honors Recent Bride

Mrs. Robert Naylor, of Panhandle, the former Miss Doris Annis of Clarendon, was honored at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. F. O. Hodge Monday evening, January 27.

A pink and white decor was carried out. Bonnie Rogers presided at the guest book.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth over pink and centered with a floral arrangement in pink and white. Appointments were crystal. Mrs. Gus Havens and Mrs. Bob Havens presided at the table.

The honoree received many lovely and useful gifts.

Hostesses for the courtesy were Mesdames R. L. Lockwood, Gene Swearingen, Louise Fricks, Steve Rogers, Lillian Peters, Lillie Mae Carmichael, F. O. Hodge, A. J. Hicks, Van Knox, Mertie Formway, Billie Ashcraft, Laveta Estes, Lois Moore, Louise Horton, Lena Smith, and Earnestine Allison. Rep.

Conservation means intelligent utilization of our resources today and their maintenance for the use of our children tomorrow.

GOOD NEIGHBORS CLUB

Bessie Helton hosted the meeting of the Good Neighbors Club Friday, January 24. Five members were present. Those to enjoy the day and the noon meal were Rosa Bingham, Lida Warren, Emma Davis, Carrah Mixon, Mr. Helton, and the hostess, Bessie Helton.

Piecing quilts was the program for the day. Carrah Mixon, Lida Warren and Maggie Easterling received polyantha gifts.

Members decided to meet once monthly, the fourth Friday of each month. The next meeting will be with Carrah Mixon, Friday, February 21. Rep.

YOUNG HOMEMAKERS HOLD MONDAY MEETING

The Clarendon Young Homemakers met Monday, January 27, at 7:30 p.m. in the Home-making Department of Clarendon High School.

An interesting program was presented by Mrs. Velma Bourland. Her subject was Spook Art and the making of Burlap Flowers. She gave a demonstration and each one present tried her hand at the art.

Nine members were in attendance. Rep.

ASHTOLA NEEDLE CLUB

Ashtola Needle Club met January 23 with an all day quilting. Fourteen were present. These included Mesdames Gladys Gresham, Tressie Hughes, Lillie Knox, Lena Mae Graham, Irene Gray, Nell Gray, Addierne Mahaffey, Veda Mahaffey, Johnnie Poovey, Dona Dewey, Mary Belle DeBord, Irene Vinson, Roeda Rattan, and one visitor, Mrs. Eleanor Martin.

Our next meeting will be February 6 when we will have our Valentine party. Hostess will be Lena Mae Graham and Veda Mahaffey will be leader. Rep.

QUIVIRA GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL MEETS

The annual council meeting of the Quivira Girl Scouts was held Saturday, January 25, in the First Methodist Church at Pampa followed by a banquet in the church. The program was presented by several scout troops in the council area.

Standard size troops were presented Piper Banners. Clarendon Brownie Troop was among those to receive a banner.

Delegates and guests attending from Clarendon were Cloe Ann Newhouse, Barbara Sanders, and Robbie Hill.

CHAMBERLAIN CENTER

The Chamberlain Community Center will meet Friday night, January 31, at 7 p.m. Hosts will be Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman. Everyone bring cookies or cup cakes. Drinks will be furnished by the hosts. Rep.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McCarty of Amarillo announce the arrival of a son January 22. The young man weighed 7 lbs., 8 oz. and has been named Jeffery Don. Grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Howard Eason of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCarty of Clarendon. Great grandparents are Mrs. W. A. Guy of Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCarty of Pauls Valley, Okla.



MARGARET ANN WAGES

WAGES-FINLEY WEDDING PLANNED

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Manford Wages of New Deal, Texas announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Margaret Ann, to George Edward (Eddy) Finley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Willis Finley of Alanreed, Texas.

The wedding date is June 6 at St. John's Methodist Church in Lubbock, Texas.

Margaret attended public school at Lubbock and was graduated from New Deal High School. She is a junior elementary major at Texas Tech.

Eddy attended school at Alanreed and graduated from McLean High School. He is an animal science major at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

HEDLEY MASONIC LODGE ENTERTAINS LADIES

The members of Hedley Masonic Lodge entertained their ladies Saturday night, January 25th, with a chili supper. The ladies aided by furnishing pies and cakes, while the men also provided coffee and cokes.

More than forty persons were in attendance and as they enjoyed eating and visiting music was furnished by Woodrow and John Clendennen aided by Jack Woodward and T. Mullins.

LELIA LAKE CENTER

There will be no meeting Saturday night, February 1, at the Lelia Lake Community Center. Instead we will meet February 8 at 6:30 p.m. Please keep this in mind. Rep.

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THURSDAY — Pizza, Corn, Green Salad, Enriched Bread, Cookies, Ice Cream, Milk.

FRIDAY — Hamburger on Bun, Lettuce, Pickles, Onions, Potato Chips, Fruit Pie, Milk.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients as of Wednesday, January 29 — Mrs. C. C. Bailey, Mrs. Leck Goldston, Mrs. H. S. Richerson, Lula Budd, W. G. Johnson, Reagan Bain, Walter Hughes, Mrs. C. B. Grissom and G. L. Leeper.

Dismissals — W. J. Greene, Lynn Kemper, Mrs. John Rhoades, Martin Thornberry, and Weldon Vaughan.

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Stockman Urged To Study Tax Return

Lack of communication may cost a livestock producer more tax dollars than he cares to think about.

Income from the sale of livestock may be reported in at least four places on a tax return, points out Ed Garnett of Amarillo, area farm management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Since the amount of tax paid on a particular sale varies according to where it is reported, a livestock producer must be sure his tax accountant knows what "kind" of livestock sale was made. A deposit slip simply showing "livestock sales" won't get the job done.

To help report livestock sales accurately and to save on tax dollars, Garnett suggests that the following information be kept in mind and that distinctions be made in records or on deposit slips:

1.—Raised calves—total amount of this type of sale is taxable.

2.—Stockers purchased for resale — since tax is paid on only the profit above the purchase price, be sure to have the purchase price of ALL cattle sold. This is sometimes confusing since stockers are often bought in one year and sold in the next.

3.—Purchased breeding stock (subject to capital gain) — only one-half of the gain (sale price minus unrecovered cost or depreciable balance) realized from the sale of breeding stock held at least 12 months is taxed.

4.—Raised breeding stock (subject to capital gain)—only one-half of the sale price is taxable.

5.—Cow and calf — the cow and calf must be assigned individual values. Sale of the calf produces ordinary income and is fully taxable; sale of the cow is subject to capital gain treatment as discussed above.

Careful consideration should be given to these items, urges Garnett. By avoiding a tax payment resulting from a reporting error

on the sale of one cow held for breeding purposes, enough money could be saved to pay a tax accountant's fee.

Choose your market for cleanliness especially when buying chicken or turkey, say foods specialists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. A good market keeps fresh birds refrigerated and frozen birds frozen at all times.

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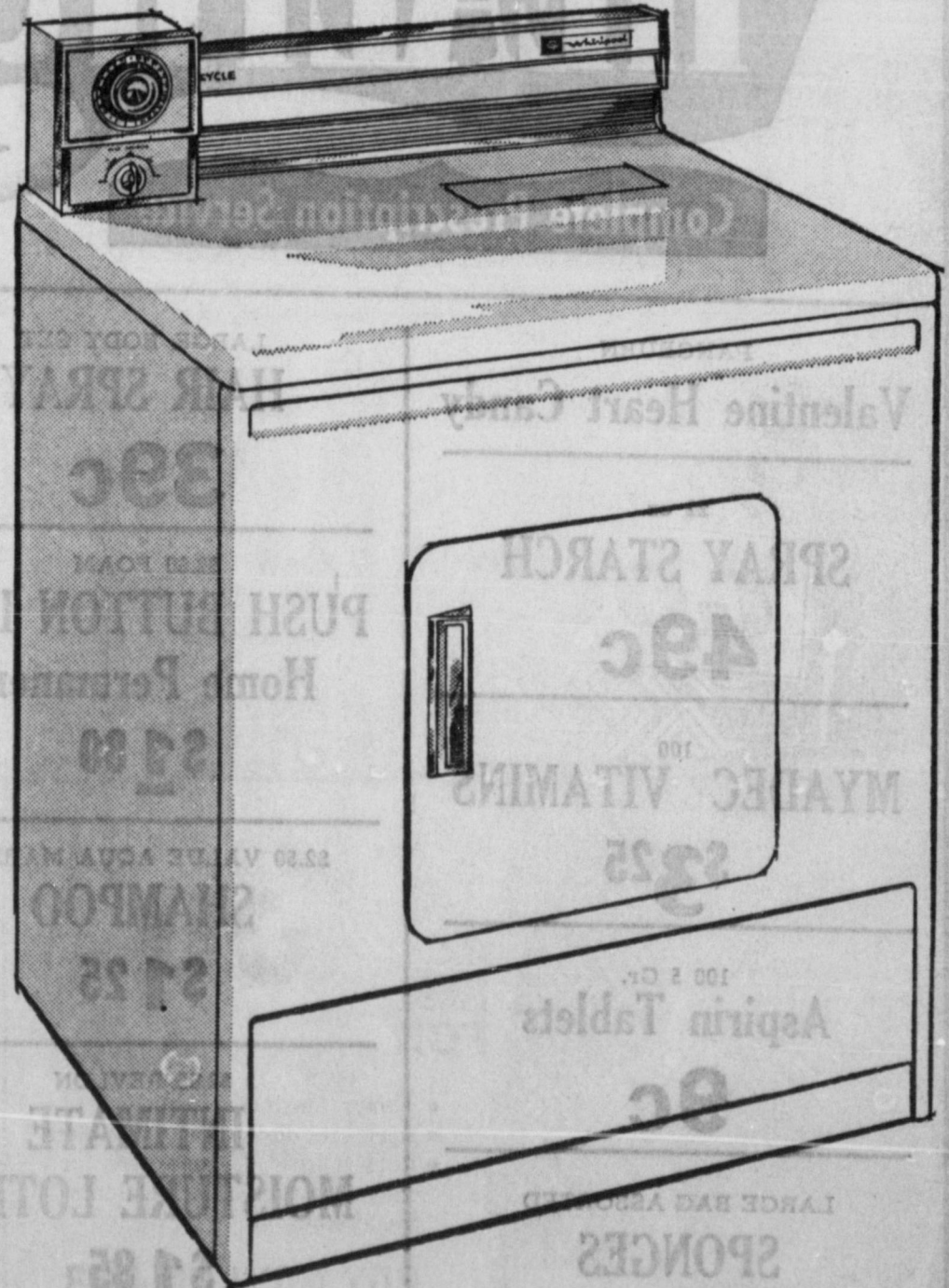
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Soil Conservation District News

By DALE REDING
Soil Conservation Service

It has been said that Waterways are not for the easily discouraged.

Possibly this is true. It is definitely true that grassed waterways are not for the landowner that likes gullies or that likes to keep every foot of his land clean even though it is washing away.

A grassed waterway will not solve every gullying or washing problem. To work efficiently it must be used in conjunction with other conservation measures such as terraces, diversions, and good farming methods. When used with these measures it will do its part in solving these problems.

A grassed waterway is a vegetated water course designed to handle runoff water with a minimum of erosion. It may be shaped to a certain width and depth or it may be a natural depression.

Waterways are used to carry outside water safely across cultivated fields or as outlets for terraces and diversions. Either way they help to prevent gullies.

A well vegetated and maintained waterway is pleasing to the eye, as well as being a soil and land saver, while a gully is an eyesore and a land waster.

Waterways may be vegetated with any adapted perennial grass such as western wheatgrass, buffalograss, sidecoats, grama, and switchgrass. In some cases bermuda grass and johnson grass are satisfactory.

It is sometimes hard to get vegetation established in a waterway and it may take several years to get a satisfactory cover.

This is why it is said that waterways are not for the easily discouraged.

Once established, though waterways are worth all the money, time, and effort expended on them.

TEXAS HIGHWAY PATROL INVESTIGATE ACCIDENT

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated one accident on rural highways in Donley County during the month of December, according to Sergeant Vernon Cawthon, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in an estimated property damage of \$650.00.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the calendar year of 1968 shows a total of 47 crashes resulting in three persons killed, 23 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$50,727.00.

The final date of the 1968 motor vehicle inspection period for all motor vehicles registered in Texas is drawing near. Sergeant stated, "Since the beginning of the inspection period, September 1, 1968, only about one and one-half million vehicles have been inspected and approximately five million more remain to be inspected."

Texas law requires inspection of brakes, lighting equipment, horns and warning devices, mirrors, windshield wipers, steering, wheel sand rims, and front seat belts in vehicles where seat belt anchorages were part of the manufacturer's original equipment.

The inspection fee is \$1.75. This does not include the cost of repairs and adjustments necessary to enable the vehicle to pass inspection.

TYPEWRITERS & ADDERS AT THE LEADER

Texas Farm Bureau Growing Organization

The first Texas Farm Bureau was organized in the summer of 1920. The organization grew rapidly at first. Within the first year, it established a cotton marketing cooperative, and soon a number of other marketing cooperatives were set up.

In 1924, the organization's by-laws were amended to permit the marketing cooperative to pay members' dues. Thus, all members of the Farm Bureau cooperatives automatically became members of the Farm Bureau. As the cooperatives either failed or became separated from the parent organization, Farm Bureau's membership dwindled. By 1932, the first Farm Bureau in Texas had ceased operation.

With the increasing interest in agricultural legislation during the first years of the New Deal came renewed efforts to organize Texas farmers and ranchers.

The Texas Agricultural Association was chartered in 1934. Two years later it became affiliated with the American Farm Bureau Federation, and still later changed its name to Texas Farm Bureau.

The fledgling organization never had more than a few thousand members during the 1930s although dues were only \$2 a year during that period.

By 1945, there were some 7,000 members in the Farm Bureau in Texas. During the next five years, it grew to more than 50,000 members as scores of new counties were organized. Dues averaged about \$5 per year during that period. Dues were increased to an average of \$10 per member in 1950. (Dues vary by county.) The organization has grown each year since 1952.

The Texas Farm Bureau has accomplished much in the field of state legislation in the past three decades. Among its accomplishments are animal health laws, farm-to-market road system, egg grading law, tractor gas refund, exemption from sales tax on farm machinery, funds for agricultural research and education, improved feed, seed and insecticide laws.

The Texas Farm Bureau initiated its first service-to-member program in 1944 when it entered into an agreement with Blue Cross-Blue Shield of Texas for a hospital and surgical program. In 1946, the TFB joined

with other states to found the Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance Co. The Southern Farm Bureau Casualty Insurance Co. was established in 1947 in association with other southern state Farm Bureaus. In 1950, the TFB set up its own TFB Insurance Co., offering fire and extended coverage. The company, which was converted into a mutual company in 1958, later began writing crop-hail insurance for members.

In the early 1960s, the TFB expanded its services to include promotion and development of export markets in Europe for Texas commodities. In 1966, the TFB inaugurated a domestic cattle marketing program limited to pilot counties. A used-hen marketing program was begun in 1967.

The latest economic service program, instituted in 1965, involves sale of Farm Bureau's own Safemark tires and batteries to members through independent dealers. More than 175 Texas counties are now participating in this service program. Texas is one of 33 states in the program.

The Texas Farm Bureau today has 110,689 members in 203 organized counties. About 165 counties have their own offices.

The Texas Farm Bureau board of directors is composed of 13 directors, one from each of the 13 districts in the state. Officers of the organization are elected by board members from among their own number.

Social Security News

If you were entitled to any social security benefits in 1968 but had earnings of over \$1680, or if you had reported that you would have such earnings, you are required to complete a special report between January 1 and April 15, 1969.

This report is separate from your income tax return.

Beneficiaries who notified social security that their 1968 earnings would exceed \$1680 should receive their annual earnings report forms in the mail. However, if the form is not received by mid-March, they should request one from the Amarillo social security office.

If you go to the office for assistance, or visit with the representative who services the town where you live, be sure to bring your 1968 income tax return and any W-2 forms showing wages you earned in 1968. Also, bring your records showing what months you worked less than \$140 if you worked for wages, and the months you did not work, or worked very little, if you were self employed as payment may be made for these months of little or no work.

Beneficiaries who were 72 or over in all months of 1968 do not have to file the annual report as their earnings will not cause loss of benefits regardless of amount.

The Amarillo social security office is located at 1006 South Adams Street. It is open Monday through Friday from 8:15 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. staying open until 6:30 p.m. Thursdays.

TIPS ON PLANTING A ROSE GARDEN

Now is the time to plan and plant a rose garden to insure beautiful flowers during the coming growing season. Locate the rose garden in an area of the yard where it will receive at least 6 hours of sunlight each day and will not be in direct competition with the roots of nearby trees and shrubs.

There are three primary requirements for a good rose garden. They are:

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ASHTOLA NEWS

Mrs. Hubert Rhoades

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McLaughlin of Hedley spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahaffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown of Amarillo visited Tuesday afternoon with the Hubert Rhoades. Jim Lovell of Dumas and Mrs. Willie Roberts of Amarillo visited Mrs. W. A. Poovey Thursday.

Mrs. Ollie Nelson and T. B. Nelson of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Nelson Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Roehr are at the Tom Blasingame home in Claude. He went Monday for a checkup.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hall of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Lewis visited Saturday in Higgins with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Billingsley.

Our sympathy to the family of Paul Moore who died Thursday night.

Horace Green and Billy Jack Green of Umbarger made a business trip to Wise County Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox attended a business meeting of her company in Canyon Wednesday. They went on to Dimmitt and spent the night with Maurine Hinderson and her sister, Mildred.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mahaffey of Amarillo visited Tuesday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahaffey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades visited in Borger Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Austin Rhoades

and Mrs. Kay Green.

Our sympathy goes to the family of Mrs. Sallie Ayers who died Thursday night at Hall County Hospital in Memphis.

Mrs. Mary Dozier entered Groom Hospital Wednesday morning. Mrs. Fedric reported little change in her condition Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox visited Thursday in Littlefield with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Simmons.

Ronda Chamberlain of Panchandle had lunch Wednesday with Mrs. Horace Green and Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades visited Mary Dozier in Groom Hospital Thursday evening.

A six pound five ounce son was born Tuesday, January 21, at Lubbock Hospital; parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robin Green. The young man has been named Robin Morris Green, Jr. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Horace Green of Ashtola and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Woodberry of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Roehr of Samnorwood visited Friday evening in Claude with Mr. and Mrs. Chet Roehr and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Leggett of Lakeview visited Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horschler.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Mills and Cecil Ray of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Partain.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Springer of Hedley visited G. J. Hinders at Hall County Hospital Sunday afternoon. They report he is better.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Hoover of Vernon and Bill Waters of Pam-

pa were Galloway buyers who visited Clarendon herds this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hall and children were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horschler of Clarendon were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades.

Mrs. Fedric reports at this time that Mary Dozier is still in Groom Hospital and will be there for several days.

Bernie Green of Lubbock made a business trip to Clarendon last week end.

Dean Cook of Liberal, Kansas and Sara Beth Montgomery of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mrs. W. A. Poovey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Doerrie of Greenville were guests in the Horace Green home at Clarendon and the John Morris home at White Deer during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Lewis spent the week end in Guymon, Okla. with the Bob Lewis family.

Mrs. Addierene Mahaffey visited Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. N. L. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Green, Beth, Ellen and Jerry went to Lubbock Sunday and were guests along with the B. F. Woodberys of Odessa in the Robin Green home.

Tom Evans of Claude visited Sunday afternoon in the Lowell Hall home at Goodnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley visited Sunday afternoon in Claude at the Tom Blasingame home with Mr. and Mrs. Chet Roehr. They plan to be home on the ranch after his checkup Monday.

Larry Green and Ronda Chamberlain returned to East Texas

Teen-Age Volunteer Workers 'GO MOD' To Support March of Dimes Programs

Teen-age volunteers for the March of Dimes are following the lead of their national chairman, TV star Kathy Garver, as they "GO MOD" in a meaningful manner.

They work extremely hard to raise money for the March of Dimes (MOD) fight to prevent birth defects, and they work equally hard on the community service and education programs needed to win that fight.

For example, Teen Age Program (TAP) volunteers for the March of Dimes brought the good old summertime to handicapped children in Portsmouth, Va. this year.

TAPs in this southern city boosted a recreational project praised by Portsmouth Health Department and civic organization co-sponsors. Their unanimous verdict was that TAPs reached the children in a way that adults could not.

The Portsmouth teen-agers devoted the summer holidays to making summer as much fun for physically handicapped children as it is for boys and girls enjoying normal health.

Each TAP became a "buddy" to a particular youngster. They drove the children to and from the city park, where games and arts and crafts classes were set up for them. They played checkers, catch-ball games, held sing-alongs, read stories and helped their small charges romp through other specially planned activities.

The Portsmouth project was only one outlet for the thousands of March of Dimes TAPs who serve communities across the nation year-round. In cities, towns and rural centers they help to support the March of Dimes in its nationwide program to prevent birth defects.

Since 1958, when the voluntary health organization redirected its energies and resources from the successful war on polio, it has established more than 100 Birth Defects Centers. The extensive March of Dimes program includes patient care, research, profes-



TAPPING OUT TUNES was part of a summer of fun organized by the Teen Age Program (TAP) of the March of Dimes at a recreational project for handicapped children in Portsmouth, Va.

sional education and public health information programs.

Despite our nation's excellent health standards, a quarter of a million infants are born each year with physical or mental defects. As future parents, teen-agers have shown their concern for preventing these tragedies.

Community education ranks high with TAPs. Evidence of this is the growing attendance at Young Adult Conferences on Birth Defects sponsored during the year by the March of Dimes.

The organization's first national conference held at Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah, drew more than 300 TAP representatives from 48 states as well as delegates from 28 youth organizations and 17 adult organizations.

In October, the fourth annual Young Adult Conference on Birth Defects at Sargent College of Allied Professionals at Boston University, had a record attendance of 1,000 young people. The same month, 650 participated in a confer-

ence at Colby College in Waterville, Maine.

But TAPs do more than attend conferences. A whirlwind Miami, Fla. TAP, Maria Landry, 18, recruited teen-agers to renovate quarters for a local Birth Defects Center, spoke before youth groups about birth defects and helped the Northeast Miami Junior Women's Club and B'nai B'rith to sponsor county-wide youth conferences. She also arranged layette showers for needy mothers and enlisted more than 300 young people to serve as volunteers for non-professional duties at Jackson Memorial Hospital.

Susan Merritt, 18, of Colton, Calif., teen chairman of the March of Dimes San Bernardino County Chapter, was awarded a Junior Volunteer Service Award by the Mayor and City Council for her outstanding community service.

Miss Merritt organized many successful education programs for young people and also helped raise more than \$10,000 for the March of Dimes.

prehensive code regulating consumer credit.

"It seems assured, however, that the 61st Legislature will consider some changes in the Texas code to make it conform with new federal truth-in-lending law," Miskell said.

COLLEGE GRANTS APPROVED

Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System allocated \$315,000 in federal funds to Texas colleges for community service and continuing education proposals.

Thirteen institutions and 26 programs will be financed by the funds, plus matching state outlays at each school.

Institutions receiving the money were:

Texas A&M \$58,847 for five projects; Texas Technological College \$37,114 for one project; Lee College \$14,901 for one project; Texas Christian University \$34,847 for seven projects; The University of Texas at Austin \$17,000 for one project; Southern Methodist University \$3,519 for one project; Lamar State College of Technology \$6,000 for one project; The University of Texas at El Paso \$14,771 for two projects; University of Houston \$40,820 for two projects; The University of Texas at Arlington \$49,728 for two projects; Austin College \$20,000 for one project; and Texas Woman's University \$2,833 for one project.

SUNKEN TREASURE

Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler displayed the treasure salvaged from a Spanish ship sunk by a hurricane off the Texas coast in 1553. It's the first such treasure-trove found in Texas waters.

A gold crucifix, which Sadler estimated to be worth \$100,000, plus a gold bar (showing a ragged end where the tax collector had cut off the crown's share), over 500 coins of Charles V of Spain and his mother, Queen Joanna "the Mad", and some 30-pound "plates" of bulk silver were among the items displayed.

Exact value of the treasure hasn't been set, but may run into "millions," Sadler said. Texas and the Indiana salvage firm working the wreck will split the treasure 50-50, which Sadler says is the best deal worked out for any government. Legally, the

treasure — or the money from it — belongs to the Permanent School Fund, which owns the land on which the ship sank. Details on the exact sharing of the booty have yet to be worked out. And there are four other ships which sank in the same area during the hurricane that are expected to yield more "goodies."

VENDING MACHINES

Final open meeting of the State Public Affairs Subcommittee studying state amusement vending machines closed with the beginning of contempt proceedings against a Dallas vending machine owner, C. E. Bradshaw.

Rep. Richard Cory of Victoria said that Bradshaw, owner of the National Amusement Company, refused to answer any questions directed to him at a meeting of the subcommittee in Dallas last November. Bradshaw said that the subcommittee was illegally formed.

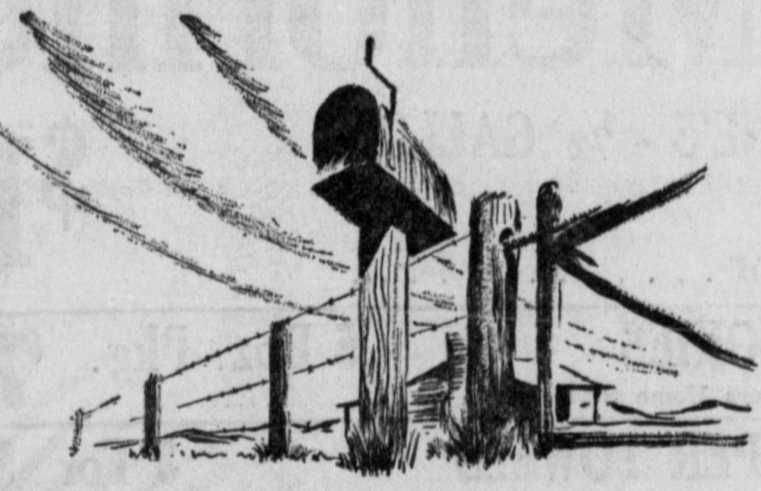
PLAN YOUR GARDEN

During periods of inclement weather the avid gardener can obtain much satisfaction as well as many hours of enjoyment by studying the seed catalogs and planning the garden for the coming season. Because of the intense competition among the seed companies the information contained in their catalogs can be relied upon for accurate information concerning the plants and supplies listed.

The catalogs provide a free source of details about flower varieties and in many cases are the only sources for new varieties. Using the information given on colors, heights, and planting tips it is easy to plan a well arranged attractive garden. Don't forget to include a few of the new varieties described in order to provide a conversation piece in your garden. When selecting garden supplies remember that price doesn't necessarily determine quality. Choice quality usually comes from reputable firms that do not care to risk their reputation by offering inferior products.

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State at Commerce Sunday where they will enroll for another semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burns and daughter of Amarillo visited in the Van Knox home Sunday evening.

Hugh and Veda Mahaffey have been on the sick list this week end.

Welcome to the Gus Havens of Clarendon who moved to the Poovey home this week end.

This Community joins so many in sending sympathy to the family of Dr. J. Gordon Stewart who died at Groom Hospital.

Mrs. Ben Nelson and Noni Lou and children of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Nelson Wednesday.

IRS Answers To Taxpayers Questions

This column of questions and answers on federal tax matters is provided by the local office of the U. S. Internal Revenue Service and is published as a public service to taxpayers. The column answers questions most frequently asked by taxpayers.

Q—Do the new tax forms explain how to figure the surtax?

A—Yes, the tax surcharge is explained in both the 1040 and 1040A instructions.

Q—I had my 65th birthday in 1968. Will that make any difference when I file my tax return.

A—Yes, there are various benefits the law provides for taxpayers 65 years of age and over. These are explained in our Publication 554, "Tax Benefits for Older Americans."

For one thing, taxpayers 65 and over are allowed an extra exemption because of age. If you are presently employed and have taxes withheld from your wages, you may want to file a new withholding statement, Form W-4, with your employer to claim this extra exemption. Doing so will reduce the amount your employer withholds.

Your employer should be able to provide you with a copy of the Form W-4.

Q—I went into business for myself this year and have several employees. Is there any deadline for me to issue their withholding statements? One of my people already asked about it.

A—The law requires employers to issue withholding statements by January 31. Many employers try to issue them as soon as possible after January 1 so their employees may file tax returns early.

Q—I sold some stock at a loss

last month. Can I take a deduction for this on my Federal tax return?

A—Yes, losses on the sale or exchange of stock can be deducted for income tax purposes when they exceed capital gains.

The loss, whether short or long-term, must first be used to offset any capital gain you had during the year. Any excess loss can be deducted to the extent of taxable income computed without regard to exemptions or capital gains and losses, but no more than \$1000. Capital losses in excess of the amount you are allowed to deduct can be carried over to future tax years. Use schedule D of Form 1040 to compute capital gains and losses.

Q—Will farmers be entitled to a refund on gas tax again this year?

A—Yes, farmers are entitled to a credit for Federal tax paid on gas used on the farm for farming purposes. This credit should be entered on line 19 of the Form 1040.

Farmers claiming this tax credit should complete Form 4136, Computation of Credit for Federal Tax on Gas and Lubricating Oil, and attach it to their return.

Q—Who has to file a tax return?

A—A return must be filed by every person under 65 who has gross income of \$600 or more during the year. For those 65 and over, a return does not have to be filed until gross income reaches \$1,200. However, if you are self-employed, you must file a return if you had net self-employment income of \$400 or more, even though your gross income was less than \$600.

The filing requirements also apply to minors. If, for example, a child has income of \$600 or more from a savings or trust account or any other sources, then a return must be filed on behalf of that child.

Highlights and Sidelights From Your State Capitol By Vern Stanford

CREDIT CODE STUDY — Texas Finance Commission is making a comparative study of the 1967 Texas Credit Code and the proposed Uniform Consumer Credit Code.

Study will be submitted to the Legislature for guidance in revising the code adopted two years ago.

Uniform code was drawn by National Commissioners on Uni-

form State Laws, approved by American Bar Association and recommended for adoption by all states.

If adopted in Texas, uniform code would supplant the 1967 state code.

Consumer Credit Commissioner Frank Miskell said Texas is the only state which has a com-



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Farm News

1969 FARM PROGRAMS—Sign-ups under the 1969 Cotton, Feed Grain, and Wheat Programs will begin Monday, February 3, and run through March 21, 1969. To be eligible for payments under any of these programs, you must sign up before the deadline.

The feed grain program will be basically the same as for 1968. However, barley has been included in the feed grain base for farms that previously had a barley base. The payments for grain sorghum will be slightly larger due to an increase in the projected yields and a slight in-

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crease in the per bushel diversion payment rate.

To participate in the wheat program, producers must divert an acreage equal to 15 per cent of the farm allotment. The allotment has already been reduced and the full amount can be planted. Diverting this 15 per cent will entitle you to earn certificate payments on 43 per cent of the allotment plus an opportunity to divert an additional 50 per cent.

The cotton program will require no diversion and will not provide a diversion payment. The entire allotment may be planted. Participating producers will earn a price support payment of 14.73 cents per pound times the farm projected yield on 65 per cent of the allotment provided this much is planted. There is a small farm provision also.

PROVING YIELDS — Producers who are interested in proving feed grain or wheat yields for 1969 will have until February 12 to file appeals. The three years to be used is 1965, 1966, and 1967.

Sediment is a terrible example of a resource out of place. It hurts the land where it comes from and hurts the water where it goes. —Secretary of Agriculture Orville Freeman.

Naman Speaker At Donley Farmers Union Meeting

Jay Naman, President of Texas Farmers Union, told a Donley County audience of farmers and ranchers here Tuesday night that first priority should be given by the new congress to extending present farm programs. The present programs expire next year.

Naman of Waco, said that "there is nothing wrong with the existing farm program dealing with the major commodities that adequate funding and favorable administration would not correct."

Naman reported that Farmers Union would be working with the people in the new administration to make present farm commodity programs work better. "This will necessitate adequate funding," Naman said.

The farm spokesman discussed proposed state legislation to outlaw corporation farming in Texas and pointed out that the movement of large corporations into agriculture posed "a serious threat to the existing pattern of agriculture and rural communities."

David Bray, Jr. of Clarendon is president of Donley County Farmers Union. Other officers are L. A. Watson, of Clarendon, vice-president, and Mrs. David Bray, Jr., secretary-treasurer.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL 3RD SIX WEEKS

8th Grade

ALL A'S — None.
A'S & B'S — Raenell Alexander, E. Wayne Barbee, Melissa Estes, Danny Holland, Ray Fichte, Jeff Campbell, Elaine Ford, and Kay Molder.

7th Grade

ALL A'S — SHAUNA HARDIN.
A'S & B'S — Gary West, Cynthia Price, Terry Saye, Terry Ellerbrook, Tommy Hill, Paula Howard, Sue Luttrell, Richard Maxey, Stan Shelton, and Shella Smith.

6th Grade

ALL A'S — WAYNE HARDIN.
A'S & B'S — Jennie Barbee, Calvin Burrow, Mary Connolly, Larry Doane, Andi Eads, Regina Knorpp, Richard Leathers, Camille Mann, Laurie Smith, Russell Baldwin, Randy Croelin, Scott Hamilton, Tony Hill, Kim Horton, Robert Talley, and David Butler.

NEW AND USED TYPEWRITERS & ADDERS AT THE LEADER

SCHOOL CENSUS TO BE COMPLETED THIS WEEK

Only a few days remain to complete the annual School Census. Superintendent Arling Cordell has asked that all students attending the local schools the coming year be enumerated by the end of the month, January 31. It is most important that all of these students be listed on the census. It aids the administration in making plans for the coming year and provides a basis for estimating the amount of state funds to be allocated this school next year.

If you have not filled out a census form please contact the business office at school and make arrangements to fill out a form. All six year olds, or those who will be six by September 1, 1969, up to and including those through high school must be enumerated. Your cooperation will be sincerely appreciated.

Most everyone is concerned about water pollution from sewage, industrial wastes, chemicals, and the like. A small number are aware of the significance of pollutants from animal wastes, saline salts, pesticides, inorganic fertilizers, and solid wastes.—D. A. Williams.

FRIDAY DEADLINE FOR W-2 FORMS

Friday, January 31, 1969, is the deadline for employers to give employees their 1968 W-2 forms, showing the amount of earnings, income tax withheld and social security information, Ellis Campbell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue for Northern Texas, said today.

Forms W-2 have to be filed with income tax returns and those who had more than one job last year should make sure they have received all of them when they file their returns.

HERITAGE FOUNDATION ANNUAL MEET FEB. 13

The annual meeting of the Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation, Inc. will be held Thursday noon, February 13, at the Amarillo Club, 112 West 7th, Amarillo. Business will start at 11:30. Speaker will be L. P. Gilvin, recently appointed chairman of the Texas State Parks and Wildlife Commission.

Membership in the Foundation is open to everyone who is interested and ranges in cost from \$5 a year up through memorial donations. For further information write Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015.

GAS TAX MAY BE INCOME TAX DEDUCT

Farmers and ranchers can deduct 4c per gallon of gasoline used in farming or ranching from their income tax report for 1968, says County Agent Ronald Gooch.

The Federal Gasoline Tax refund is now claimed as a tax credit on the annual income tax report if the report is filed on time. The gas tax credit will not be allowed on late reports.

In addition, a tax credit of 6c per gallon on lubricating oils and 2c per gallon on diesel and special motor fuels not used in highway vehicles are deductible.

Farmers and ranchers will need accurate records of fuel purchases and IRS Form 4136 as they prepare to file their 1968 Income Tax Report.

For more information, Gooch suggests that a copy of IRS publication number 308 be obtained from the County Agent's office or the Internal Revenue Service.

The stability and endurance of the farmer are a priceless part of our nation's heritage. His love of the land expresses the American dream — that a man should be able to shape his own destiny with his own hands. —President Lyndon B. Johnson.

FARMER'S TAX GUIDE NOW AVAILABLE

Copies of the 1969 edition of the Farmer's Tax Guide are available at your local County Agent's office, according to Ronald Gooch, County Agent.

The Farmer's Tax Guide has been redesigned this year to make it easier to use and more helpful to you in preparing your income tax return. Provisions of the tax law that apply to farmers and ranchers are explained in everyday language, and examples throughout the booklet show how these rules are applied to actual farming and ranching situations.

Copies of the Farmer's Tax Guide can be picked up at the County Agent's office or call the office at 874-2141 and a copy will be mailed to you, free of charge, Gooch said.

ATTEND WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Estlack of Clarendon and Allen Estlack of Hedley attended the wedding of Miss Jean Page and Mr. Robert Wayne Eastlake Sunday afternoon, January 26, at the First United-Methodist Church in Burkburnett, Texas.

Mr. Eastlake is a nephew of Homer Estlack and son of P. I. Eastlake of Wichita Falls, Texas.

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SAUSAGE Fresh, Home Made	2 Lbs.	\$1.17

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LANE'S - 1/2 GALLON	3 for	\$1.00
COOKIES Bakkers Home Style	5 Doz. Pkg.	79¢
PAPER TOWELS Scot, Big Roll	3 For	\$1.00

SYRUP Blackburns Crystal White	Pint Bottle	19¢
PUREX Bleach	1/2 Gal.	29¢

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TOMATO JUICE White Swan, 46 oz. Cans	3 For	\$1.00
PEACHES White Swan, Sliced or Halves, No. 2 1/2 Cans	3 For	89¢
PINEAPPLE Del Monte Tidbits, Tall Cans	4 For	\$1.00

Spring Produce

GRAPEFRUIT Texas Red	5 For	49¢
LETTUCE Large Head California		15¢
BANANAS Central American	Lb.	10¢

OXYDOL Giant Size		67¢
BLACK PEPPER White Swan	4 oz.	29¢
TAMALES Ellis Jumbo, Large No. 2 1/2 Cans	3 For	\$1.00

DOG FOOD Red Heart, Beef or Chicken	7 For	\$1.00
BISCUITS White Swan - Sweetmilk or Buttermilk	13 For	\$1.00

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MARYLAND CLUB All Grinds - Pound		.69
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JELLO Assorted Flavors, 6 Oz.	5 For	\$1.00
TOILET SOAP Camay, Bath Size	2 For	35¢

Spuds 10 Lbs. .39

OLEO Royal Scot, Solids	7 For	\$1.00
CRACKERS Sunshine Krispy	2 Lb. Box	59¢