



THE JAYTON CHRONICLE



yton Jaybirds Consolation r Patton Springs

Jayton Jaybirds had their best game in rnament, as they beat Patton Springs for tion 60-35. Gene Cleveland led the scoring Deral Cox had 12, Mark Fincher 10. Kelley 8, Harold Parker 8, Gary Sumner 6, ed Dees 2.

was a runaway all the way, with Jayton ting both boards. Excellent defence by Bob Harold Parker who blocked several shots, ne Cleveland, and Deral Cox who stole the umber of times.

Politics Begins

Jan. 1 marks the

opening of the political campaign.

Three local people have indicated to the Chronicle they will be candidates for reelection. They are Sarah Byrd, Commissioner of Prec. 3, W. H. Parks, Commissioner of Prec. 1, and Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector R. G. Goodall. Their formal

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alldogs [girls] Front-42-Glenna Gregory, 14-Cathy Collett, 30-Christy 24-Paula Lee, 40-Mary Owens, Back-12-Essie Kelley, 20-Dorothy, 52-Jamie Gage, 22-Laura King, 34-Laura Bass, 50-Dana Spradling, Wendell Neff. They won the tournament.



Lady Jaya-Front-43-Tricia Gregory, 21-Danella Sartain, 31-Rena Bural, na Wright, 15-Vickie McMeans, 23-Pam Trammell, 25-Karen Smith, ette Hamilton, 11-Kathy McMeans, 51 Nylene Sherer Coach Cox. They cond.



rie-20-Jane Arledge, 32-Pam Skiles, 14-Sarah McGaughey, an, 50-Marylon Burt, 30-Jewell Culbertson, 44-Gayle Ware, 2-Rhonda Skiles, 10-Beverly Ward, 12-Jamie Clonts. They wen

The Jayton Girls Lose In Final

The Jayton girls had a fine time in their tournament, winning the first two games, but losing the finale to take second place.

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the they won over Crosbyton 52-38. Brigette Hamilton made 18, Danella Sartain 16, Pam Trammel 12, and Vickie McMeans 6. Nylene Shere, Donna Wright and Rena Bural played excellent defense.

In the second game against Asperment they won 62-47. Danella Sartain made 23, Pam Trammel 17, Brigette Hamilton 14, and Vickie McMeans 8. Again, fine defensive playing by Sherer, Wright and BURAL.

They lost the final game in a cliff-hanger to Spur 40-39. Sartain made 14, Trammel 19, McMeans 4, and Hamilton 2.

Spur controlled and dominated the first half, but the Jayton girls came back and tied it up and went in to lead. The last few minutes of the game the lead changed 8 times. But the final whistle caught Spur girls ahead by 1 point. It was a fine close to an outstanding tournament.

Asperment Wins Jayton Tournament Here Saturday

Good enthusiastic crowds of people and strong competition between the players marked the annual basketball tournament held in Jayton this past week-end. In the boys division Asperment took home the top trophy. Second was Spur, and Crosbyton third. The home standing Jaybirds took

The tournament, which has been going for several years, has set some pretty good marks. Listed below are some of them:

Most points scored in tournament-Post scored 254 in 1970. Most total points in the game for two

teams-157 K.City and Spur-1976.

Most points scored by one team in one game-Post scored 95 against Roby in 1970. Most field goals by one team (3 games) 107

were made by Post in 1970 tournament. In one game, Leuders-Avoca made 42 in 1968 Most free throws made by one team (1game) Matador made 23 in 1969.

BOYS INDIVIDUAL RECORDS Most points in one game-40 scored by Mike Hunt of Spur in 1970.

Most points scored in tournament-91 Terry Henning-Asperment in 1976

Most free throws in one game-10 by Johnny King of Turkey in 1968, 10 by Mike Hunt of Spur in 1970, 10 by Parker Kidd of Jayton in 1970. Most free throws in tournament-21 by Mike

Hunt of Spur in 1970. Most field goals in one game-19 made by Kim NIchols in 1969 (Jayton) Most consecutive free throws-Wolsch made 7

in 1976 (Old Glory) Most field goals in tournament-Terry Henning made 41 in 1976 (Asperment).

The Spur Girls Win Tournament

In a strongly fought game that went right down to the wire, the Spur girls outdistanced the Jayton Lady Jays to take the top trophy here Saturday night.

Knox City was third, and Rule took consolation honors. Some of the individual honors won in the

tournament down through the years are listed below: Most points scored in tournament-Turkey

scored 219 in 1969 Most total points in one game for one team-Turkey scored 76 in 1969.

teams-129 points scored in game between Jayton and Post in 1970. Most field goals scored by one team in three games-Jayton made 64 in 1969.

Most total points scored in one game for two

Most free throws made by one team in three games-Post made 61 in 1970, 41 made by Jayton and Post in 1970 in one game

GIRLS INDIVIDUAL RECORDS Most points in one game-44 scored by June Brewer of Jayton in 1970.

Most points scored in tournament-103 scored by Kathy Wedge of Turkey in 1969. Most free throws in tournament-55 by Kathy Wedge in 1969 of Turkey

Most free throws in one game-Kathy Wedge scored 22 in 1969. Most field goals in one game-Kitty Cave of Jayton scored 14 in 1969.

Most consecutive free throws-Kathy Wedge scored 15 in 1969. Most field goals in tournament-Kitty Cave scored 37 in 1969.

We have never been The best way to earn a able to figure out a way to avoid work.



Asperment Hornets [boys] Front-11-Bennett Cook, 13-Joe Kenady, 21-Steve Godfrey, 51-Craig Clark. Back 33-Terry Henning, 34-Jerry Selter, 53-Loy Hahn, 25-Mike Godfrey, Coach Jerald McCanlies. They won the tournament.



Spur Bulldogs [boys] Front-14-Rusty Crawford, 42-Tim Gage, 34-Jim Gregory, Back-44-Billy Ashley, 30-Danny Reynolds, 32-Eugene Solis, 52-Mark Driggers, Coach Wendell Neff. They won second place.



Crosbyton Chiefs [Boys] Front-14-Mike Mitchell, 25-Billy E. Terrell, 24-Sam Ferris, 12-Ronald Wiley, 32-Robby Karr, 22-Frank Mullins, Back-42-Donald Harris, 34-Joe Cargile, 33-Kent Gilbreath, Coach Larry Morris. They won



21-Boyed Jaybirds-31-Mark Fincher, Cox, 13-W.L. Mayer, back, 11-Gene Cleveland, 55-Harold Parker, 35-Bob Kelley, 43-Gary Sumner, Coach Cox. They took the consolation trophy.

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Rest Home News

Our sincere thanks to Mary Lynn Johnson and

George for the lovely big box of fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Decker, Debra, and Debbie; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Decker of Goree visited Mrs. Lillian Baldree, Christmas Eve.

Many thanks to the group of young people who sang carols.

Thanks to Mrs. John Harrison for the gift to the Home. The box of bibs and aprons are appreciated and so very useful.

Debbie and Penny Sumners came to see Ike Spain and wished him a Merry Christmas. Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harrison for the

crate of oranges. Anson Sewalt and two daughters visited his

mother, Belle Sewalt Christmas Day. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hager visited Rube Grice

Mrs. Finis Butler and girls visited Mrs. Butler

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Akin from Okla. City visited Mrs. Laredo Hagins recently. Mr. and Mrs. Mack McCarty from Lubbock

visited Mrs. Eunice Loe recently. Thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hall for the bag

of grapefuit. Saturday afternoon we had an unexpected, but most enjoyable "sing-song". Mrs. Hales daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph East, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hahn, Judge Norman Hahn, and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson East visited and sang.

Everyone enjoyed the music and fellowship. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris visited Miss Minnie Harris

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hagar visited Mr. Grice Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Walker visited the

residents Sunday. The Assembly of God Church had a nice

service. The music was beautiful and the words of Brother Ron are always a blessing. The Commissioner's Court bought and

delivered a new commercial dryer for the home. This is a much needed appliance and is most appreciated.

Political

Announcements

The following persons have indicated to the

Jayton Chronicle they

are candidates for office,

subject to the First

Democratic Primary the

For State Representative

first Saturday in May.

101st District

Bill Heatly

For Sheriff and

Prec. No. 1 W. H. Parks

Prec. No. 3

Sarah Byrd

FOR SALE:

R. G. Goodall

Reelection

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For Co. Commissioner

100 Telephone Poles. See R.G. Goodall, Jayton Phone 237-3543. 46-2tp

Women Aided

Growth In U.S.

Cotton Industry

Women have made important

contributions to America's cot-ton industry throughout its

One of the first attempts to

establish textile manufacturing in the South, for example, was made by a woman. Mrs. Fran-

ces Ramage, a South Carolina widow, began operation in 1789 of a cotton mill that was powered by mules on James Island near Charleston.

And it was a Georgia widow

who suggested to Eli Whitney in 1793 that he turn his inventive talents to designing a cotton gin. Mrs. Catherine Greene, whose husband Nathanael had been one of Washington's con-

Reelection

Tax Assessor-Collector

Registration -- - -

Kent County Tax Collector R.G. Goodall says all voter registration applications have been mailed out. Voters are urged to fill in these applications and return to his office.

This will set up a permanent registration system, Goodall said.

Middle-Age Gum Problems

Periodontal (gum) disease affects two out of three vocabulary is one who middle-aged Americans, accounting for about 75 percent of tooth loss after the age of 40. Although gum disease is one of the easiest to control if detected early, only 3.6 percent of all dental visits made during a one-year period were for gum treatment.

A problem that sometimes accompanies gum disease is dental hypersensitivity. A dentist speaking at a symposium on pain and sensitivity said this may be related to the fear of causing pain or injury with the toothbrush. "As a result, plaque accumulates, the gingival tissues become more tender and tend to bleed, and the teeth become more sensitive," Dr. Abraham I. Chasens of the Fairleigh Dickinson University School of Dentistry said. Patients must be repeatedly assured that the little twinge of pain and bleeding that may accompany brushing will cause no harm, he said, and if they endure the initial discomfort, the symptoms will soon disappear.

Other reports indicate that special therapeutic dentifrices are designed to relieve the pain of teeth that are overly sensitive and thus help patients return to a regimen

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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Jayton, Texas Rev. Bill Perkins, Pastor Church School, 10:00 a.m. Morning Wroship, 10:50 a.m. Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study. 8:00 p.m. Youth and Children Bible

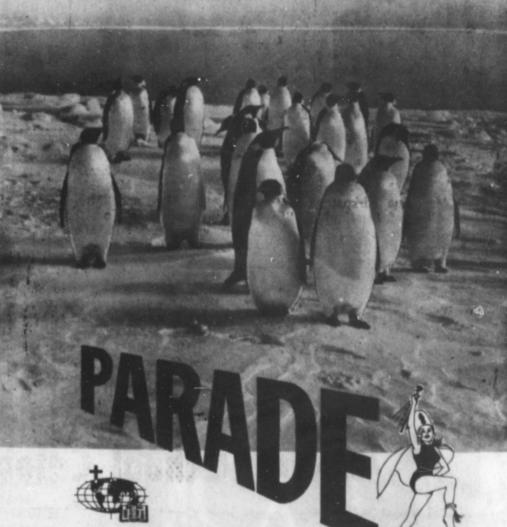
CATHOLIC CHURCH OF THE **EPIPHANY** Mass 9:00 Saturday Evening Rev. Malcolm Neyland

CHURCH OF CHRIST Jayton, Texas Edward M. Steph, minister Sunday School, 10 a.m. Morning Service, 11 a.m. Evening Service, 6 p.m. Wed. Pgayer Meeting, 7:30

CHURCH OF CHRIST Girard, Texas Abe Martin, Minister Morning Service, 10 a.m. Evening Service, 6 p.m. Wednesday Evening Bible Classes, 7 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

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



Strutting across the ice, penguins make a comically pompous picture. They are at once dignified and ridiculous, and if we look at them very long, they remind us uncomfortably of ourselves!

We, too, are apt to mass together on occasion and to be, perhaps, a little ludicrous in our efforts to be "part of the scene." Sometimes following the leader may, indeed, be the best thing to do. But it can also be the easy way

Today, especially, we need the courage of our convictions. We need to stand up for what we truly believe in. We need to do the im-Like going to church.

Psalms 111: 1-10

Thursday

Psalms 24: 1-10 Psalms 115: 1-18 Monday Psalms 29: 1-11 Friday Psalms 136: 1-26

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Receipts

Recording	Fees				 	\$ 5,852.00
Financial						581.70
Certified (1,321.20
Brands						30.00
Marriage L	icense				 	 45.00
Fees & Fin						609.00
Criminal J						25.00
Probation						470.00
Passports.						21.00
Notary Pub	lic Bond	ls			 	 274.00
Misc					 	 98.50
Deposits o	n all Co	urt	Case:	S	 	 1,017.53
Trust Acco						1,140.00

\$ 11,484.93 \$11,484.93 Total Receipts

Disbursements

County Treasurer	7.965.60
disc	74.00
Expenses on all Court Cases	270.03
Notary Public Bonds	198.00
J. S. Passport Office	50.00
Trust Account	

Total Disbursements 9,697.63 9,697.63

Petty Cash Fund

5.00

Bank Balance as of Dec. 31, 1975 \$ 1,782.30

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF KENT

I, Zana Sherer, County and District Clerk in and for said County and State, hereby certify the above to be a correct account of the Receipts and Disbursement of this office for the year 1975.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at Jayton, Texas, this 6th day of January, 1976.

> Zana Sherer, Co. & Dist. Clerk, Kent County, Texas.

E IS A SCENE from the Jayton-Spur girls game at the tournament. The shows the large crowd in the stands that attended the game.

hool Honors e Given **Students**

The following is a list of honors recently inted at the Jayton High School:

Teacher of the Year-John Richey, Mr. S.-Bobby Kelley, Miss J.M.S. Vickie Means, Mr. Spirit of '76-Deral Cox, Miss Spirit 6-Leann Kuenstler, Friendliest Boy-Joe Seaton, ndliest Girl-Brigette Hamilton, Cutest Boyed Dees, Cutest Girl-Deborah Smith, Most Boy-Mark Fincher, Most Athletic Donna Wright, Most Ambitious Boy-Mark her, Most Ambitious Girl-D'Lynn Byrd.

Class Favorites chosen were: Senior-D'Lynn and Billy Wilson, Junior-Leann Kuenstler and Sumner, Sophmore-Ronnie Cheyne and Sally ia, and Freshmen-Ikey Dillishaw and Grace

NK KING, SR.

raveside services for Frank A. King, Sr., 74, of N. Ave. N., Lubbock were held at 2 p.m. rday, Dec. 27th in City of Lubbock Cemetery the direction of Rix Funeral Directors. ciating was Ray D. Fulenwider of Broadway rch of Christ.

King died at 9 a.m. Thursday in Texas City wing a lengthy illness.

A Lubbock resident since 1941, King had been

exas City for the past year. Survivors include two sons, Frank of Lubbock Doyle of Texas City; three sisters, Mrs. Bea man of Utah, Mrs. Sue Kirkpatrick of Girard Mrs. Edna Allen of Stratford, Calif.; two hers, Monroe of Bowie and Bill of Childress; three grandchildren.

well Weicker, Senator (R-Conn), on energy

busing:

"It's one last act of deption in congressional orts to convince Amerns that something is ng done about energy."

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Henry Jackson, Senator (D-Wash), on forced

"Its positive results are scattered; its negative results are large and

POLITICAL

from page 1 announcements will follow with a later issue of

the paper.
Also several national, state and district officers have indicated they in-tend to run for new

State Representative Bill Heatley, Cong. Omar

Burleson, and other.
This should be an interesting year for poli-

Watch the Jayton Chronicle to keep up with things pertaining to Kent County.

Plenty of Room He calls his girl Stadium for there seems to b€ room for everyone in her

Tough Break

"I'm surprised that your mother agreed to your marrying Bill when she dislikes him so."

"Well, she said she just wants to be his mother-inlaw a while."

Few question the benefit of taking a brisk earlymorning walk. Few take such walks.

Mrs. Dorothy Judy, Kenny, and Harold spent Christmas in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Owen and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Forest Harper at the Brownwood Lake over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cox visited Larry Cox and family Christmas. Mrs. Travis Smith is visiting the Robert

Bybee's in Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shipp and boys visited

Kenney in Oklahoma Christmas Eve. Mrs. Oleta Moore has been visiting in DeLeon

with her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Johnson and Janet spent Christmas in Oklahoma. Those attending the Byrd Christmas dinner at

Jayton Community Center were: Mr. and Mrs. Bob

Byrd, Lori and Barry from Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. David Sims, from Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Basil Puckett and Mrs. Ann Gray, all of Post; Mr. and Mrs. James Dye, Donna, Mike and Pat; Mr. and Mrs. M.D. Ellis of Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Ellis, Mark, and Terry of Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Shafer, Tim and Will of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Byrd, Shawn, DyLynn and Kellis of

> and Mrs. Sarah Byrd of Jayton. The ladies luncheon will be held at the regular meeting time, January 13th in Jayton Community

Center at 11:45 a.m.

Gerald Ford, President:

"Drug abuse is a tragic

national problem and a

major contributor to our

growing crime rate."

Clairemont; Mr. and Mrs. Woody Byrd, Kent and

Lee Ann of Clairemont; Mrs. Marilyn Clark and

Kailynn of Jayton, Mrs. Jewel Puryear of Rotan

Everyone come and bring a lady with you, a spokesman stated.

Spending New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith were: Mr. and Mrs. C.R. LeMond and Neil of Abilene; Mrs. C.H. Graham of Asperment, Mr. and Mrs. Rayborn Fite of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Trammell, Britt and Ricky of Asperment and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Trammell and Chad of Asperment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith in Stratford Christmas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cheyne visited their son and family Christmas

January School Calendar

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			Jayton "A"	School Resumes Basketball Tournar	nent
High @ latador 6:30			Jayton "B" Tournament Hamlin Jr. High Tournament	Patton Springs there @ 7:00 - A	Jayton "B" Tournament Hamlin Jr. High Tournament
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tton Springs High here 6:00	McAdoo here @ 7:00 - A	Student Council 5th period FHA - 4:15		Guthrie here @ 7:00 - A @ Colorado City 16	Jr. High Tournament @ Aspermont Tournament
16		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	"B" Tournament @ Aspermont nt 7, 8, 9 Boys &	Matador there © 7:00 - ASpeech Tour © San Angelo	"B" Tournament @ Aspermont nament Science & Math @ Lubbock
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	Patton Springs here @ 7:00 - A	Student Council 2nd period		McAdoo there @ 7:00 - A	Science & Math @ Andrews
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Favorite Recipes of Opal Richards



Chili Rellenos

cups uncooked Rice

1/2 cup oil 1 large onion, chopped 1 can whole green chili peppers 1/2 lb. or more cheddar

cheese 4 cups beef stock* Salt and pepper to taste

*May use 5 boullion cubes and 4 cups water for stock.

Saute rice in oil until golden brown; drain.

Cut chili peppers in half and stuff with grated cheese;packing Using a large casserole start with a layer of rice, then a layer of onions, and a layer of peppers. Repeat, ending with a layer of rice on top. Dot with butter and pour boiling stock over casserole. Bake 45 minutes at 375 degrees in covered dish.

Guacamole Salad

2 avocados, peeled and mashed 1 med. tomato, peeled and diced 1 small onion, grated 1 T. lemon juice

½ t. salt Combine avocados and tomato; mix well. Add remaining ingredients; blend thoroughly. Serve on crisp lettuce leaves. Serve crisp fried tortillas, cut in fourths, with salad. Yield: 8 servings. NOTE: If salad is made ahead of time, add

Pot Luck Blackeyed Peas

1/4 lb. bacon 2 cups chopped celery 2 cups chopped green pepper 2 cups chopped onion 2 cans (1 lb. each) tornatoes 2 cns (1lb. each) blackeyed peas.

Saute bacon with celery, green pepper and onion. Add tomatoes and peas. Simmer 30 to 40 minutes. Serve i n

soup bowls with Jalapeno corn bread. Serves

Jalapeno Corn Bread

1 No. 2 can creamstyle corn 3 t. baking powder

11/2 c. corn meal

1 c. sharp grated cheese Make a batter of all ingredients except 2 T. chopped bell pepper the batter into greased Jalapeno peppers, skillet.Sprinkle with 1/2 cup grated cheese. Repeat process. Bake at 425 degrees for 45 minutes.

1 c. sour cream Yield: 8 servings. 1/2 c. cooking oil

HOSPITAL QUIPS



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TEC Handles A Heavy Work Load

While paying out record-breaking amounts of unemployment insurance benefits in the past fiscal year, the Texas Employment Commission still managed to find jobs for more than 400,000 unemployed Texans.

The jobless benefits paid from the Texas Unemployment Compensation Fund in the year ending last August 31 amounted to \$167,347,622, the commission said in its recent annual report.

Not included in that total was \$65,755,538 in federally-funded unemployment benefits paid because of prolonged unemployment resulting from adverse economic conditions.

Commission employees made 413,538 job placements during the year, at the same time handling the heaviest unemployment claim load in the history of the agency and performing the other regular responsibilities of the agency.

Although job placements declined slightly during the year because of employment cutbacks, the TEC emphasis on increased services to Texas employers and on the placement of applicants in productive employment remained evident. The agency made 1,334,390 referrals to jobs. Veterans were hired for 92,135 of these job openings.

At the end of the fiscal year, more Texas the Texas employers were covered by Unemployment Compensation Act than ever before--207,631, up 5,783 from the previous fiscal year. These employers paid \$15.6 billion dollars in taxable wages to workers in the year ending June

In spite of national economic problems, the Texas labor force registered a 3.2 percent gain from August, 1974, reaching an estimated 5,367,900 workers.

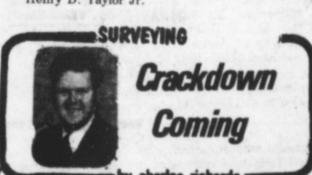
ahead of time, add The AmazingCowboys to help keep it from Go To Super Bowl

The Dallas Cowboys became the first wild card team in history to earn a spot in the Super Bowl.

This was supposed to be a rebuilding year for the Dallas Cowboys, but they came up with several brilliant rookies to go along with old veterans like Roger Staubach, Charley Young, Bob Newhouse in the backfield, and Jethroe Pugh, Larry Cole, Leroy Jordan in the Defensive line. Cliff Harris, Charley Waters, Mel Renfro are also outstanding players. The Dallas team has an explosive offense that is capable of beating any team in Pro. football. They also have a smart coach in Tom Landry.

Like it or not the Cowboys have been a super team for the last nine years. They are tough in the clutch and always seem to win the big ones, so long live the Dynasty of the Dallas Cowboys.

Henry D. Taylor Jr.



There may be some dissatisfaction in the coming weeks over the Food Stamp program.

Not that there hasn't been unhappiness about it in the past. But heretofore, most of the complaints have been from those not on food stamps, mumbling about free food being given to those who don't deserve it.

Indications are that there soon will be some unhappiness shown by some of the recipients.

Reason:the local official in charge of the Food Stamp program says he is fixing to crack down on the program and intensify efforts to make sure people are prosecuted for fraud if they cheat the program.

Jerry Flores, who over-sees the Food Stamp program in Levelland and surrounding area, came before the county commissioners' court recently to warn them they would be getting complaints from the people soon.

When you crack down, you are going to get complaints," he pointed out.

That's alright," replied commissioners, who said they were all for his attempt to get rid of any freeloaders.

Flores said he teets there are very tew families who give false information to get food stamps, but where the Department of Public Welfare has found violators, they have been flagrant.

The tendency has been not to prosecute many cases, and some of those who have been prosecuted have been let off lightly. That brings on more violations, Flores said.

"The attitude of the people is that there are NO consequences. The only thing that will keep them from lying is to know that if they get caught, they are going to have to pay." he said.
"It's a vicious circle," county judge Gano

Tubb said in reply. "If we put them in jail for fraud, we have to feed them and county's out money, and they're right back on welfare." But if you don't put them in jail, Flores countered, "there are no consequences for their

fraud, and instead of one or two doing it, you've got four or five. Flores said there are even some books out entitled, "How To Beat The Food Stamp

Applicants have to put down their sources of income, and many will leave out the jobs of one or two members of the family, because the more income a family has, the more it has to pay for the food stamps it gets. One problem, Flores said, has been that employers-questioned by the Welfare Department-will go along with the employee and lie to the department about whether members of the family are working for him.

"When a employer goes along with it, he's liable for the fraud too, although it is almost impossible to catch," Flores said.



Well, well, the good old postal service has finally come through with a super-duper miracle. Never again will I accuse them of not being able to deliver the mail with all due speed.

Friday, Jan. 2nd, I received a letter in my box, from Bob Bullock, State Comptroller, that was postmarked in Austin Jan. 5th. This is what I call speed--delivered three days ahead of the post

But there was one fault in the matter. Which ever of Bob's Raiders that handled the letter, only registered ten cents on the postage meter, and the local office intercepted the letter and pulled the extra three cents out of our postage due trust fund and added the three cents before depositing it in

There are a lot of crusading newspapers over the area, and many of them are doing fine jobs keeping the public informed, about a lot of things they are entitled to know.

Recently I was in conversation with one of them, about riding herd on the various governing bodies, like city hall, and the court house. I asked him if he could determind just how much good he was doing, and what it all amount to.

He replied, "Well, sometimes you may get a good man beat." And by this I suppose he meant, that in giving the public the facts, maybe some people would mis-read or mis-understand.

Around the press conventions, and in newspaper circles, particularly the weeklies and the semi-weeklies, there is always the discussion, about should, or should not a newspaper publish the police blotter--you know a list of those arrested and charged with having committed a crime, large or small. Many insist it is public happenings, and should be carried, regardless of where if falls.

One good example of this is the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal. Many people arrested, or charged, are more in fear of getting listed in the paper, than of the results of the actions of the courts. This is proof that publishing the list, does, in fact tend to hold down crime.

The other side of this picture, and in this group is this newspaper. We feel that no real good comes from publishing the list of the offenders--that the main result is it embarrasses the innocent members of the family, the friends,

One area newspaper recently carried a list of persons charged in court. The next week, this newspaper came out with an apology. It seems that the person listed as being charged-there were three people in the community with that same name--and the newspaper was apologizing to the other two--we didn't mean you--was the tone of the

One of the big news items over the holiday period was the bombing at LaGuardia airport in New York, when a number of people were killed.

In October of 1969 I flew into New York City, and landed at LaGuardia. I have a clear picture in my mind, of the baggage area where the bomb exploded, as I got off the plane, then went to the baggage compartment and waited for my bags to arrive from the plane.

I remember well, how we came in. On the landing approach the huge plane flew over water, until just before it landed, the wheels touched ground. I recall looking out the window, and it seemed like the wheels were almost skimming water, before there was ground, and the landing strip for the wheels to touch.

In an outrageous waste of money, taxpayers are shelling out millions of dollars for tea tasters, deodorant detectors and hundreds of other advisors on overlapping and often ridiculous federal advisory agencies.

Last year a shocking \$42.3 million was spent to finance 1,242 advisory committees. And in the first 7 months of this year, Congress incredibly created 65 more such panels. Despite belt-tightening by recession-rocked

taxpayers, the panelists' pay is a juicy \$100 a dax for a minimum of work, topped off by an additional \$33 for expenses. Sen. William Roth (R.-Del.) angrily charged

that Congress "is violating its own instructions" under existing federal law by continuing to create non-essential advisory groups.

"Stamp out one or two of them and two or three others suddenly appear in its place," he fumed.

Rep. Thomas Kindness (R.-Ohio) charged that the committees were wasting "millions of taxpayers' dollars each year." He is preparing legislation that would drastically reduce their

Zeroing in on committees that perform similar or identical functions. Kindness said there are 13 different U.S. advisory boards on cancer, four on air pollution, four on petroleum and three on alcoholism. In a dramatic illustration of duplication, he

continued, the Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare is spending \$150,000 for three committees on allergies which review applications for similar research grants.

Then there are "the useless agencies." Kindness snorted, such as the Plant Protection Board and the Panel on the Review of Antiperspirants.

"We even have people paid to sip tea a Board of Tea Experts," he snapped.

One of the most preposterous panels nine-member Committee on Wild, Free Ro Horses and Burros-which has made just recommendations since it was created in 197 Interior Dept. spokesman admitted.

And, underscoring the difficulty in sta out the committees, the spokesman said the on wild horses and burros actually went of business in January-only to be reestablish April at the "insistence" of the secretaria agriculture and interior.

Another Tourney In Jayton Gym

The Jayton Jaybird gym will be the center attraction for the second week in a row as host their second tournament of the year. The time will be at 11:00 AM on Thursday when Snyder B Team will meet the Spur B. Team girl

Games will continue on through the day Jayton B. girls will meet the Rule B. Girls at 6: AND THEN THE Jayton B. boys will take on Rule B. boys at 7:45.

Games will resume on Friday at 11:15 for second round with the finals slated for Satu beginning at 11:00 A.M. The tournament slate composed of teams from Roby, Post, Spur, Spur Roscoe, Motley County, Rule, and the host Jay These teams should assure an outstanding exciting tournament.

The Jayton Lady-Jays and Jaybirds will go Patton Springs this Friday at 7:00 to start District round of games.

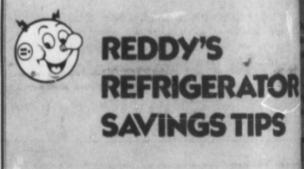
Cotton Prices \$1.00 to \$2.50 Higher

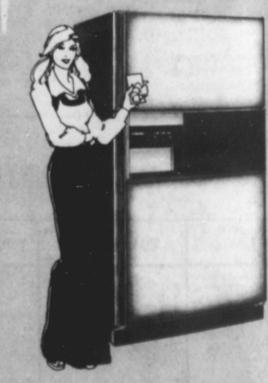
Grower prices were \$1.00 lower to \$2,501 bale higher during the week ending January according to Paul R. Dickson in charge of Lubbock Cotton Classing Office.

Farmers sold mixed new crop lots of m grades 32, 42, 52, 33, and 43, staples 30 and mikes 3.0 through 4.9 for 46.00 to 47.00 cents pound. Mixed lots of mostly grades 32, 42, 52 and 43 staples 29 and 30, mikes 3.0 through brought 42.50 to 43.00 cents.

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W Buy the size that fits your needs. An overlarge refrigerator or freezer wastes space & well as electricity.

W Clean external coifs, fins and motor often and keep them free from dust.

To Defrost your refrigerator and freezer before ice deposit exceeds 1/4 inch. Excess ice causes your refrigerator to work harder.



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