



# THE JAYTON CHRONICLE



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## Jaybirds Spoil Sands Homecoming With 67-0 Victory

### Commissioners Court Votes To Buy New Cattle Guards

The Kent County Commissioners Court in its Monday meeting, passed several important matters.

The minutes in the office of the county clerk show the following:

A motion was made by W. H. Parks and duly seconded by Donnie Carriker to approve the assessment roll summary for 1976. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by W. H. Parks and duly seconded by George Taylor to approve the Assessor-Collectors delinquent tax roll for 1975-1976. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Sarah Byrd and duly seconded by Donnie Carriker to purchase five cattle guards from Riley Welding Service in Snyder, Texas, for \$30.00 each, delivered to Jayton, Texas. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by George Taylor and duly seconded by W. H. Parks to advertise for bids on a new truck and bids on a new dump truck bed. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Sarah Byrd to approve all bills presented before the Court on this date. Vote on this matter was unanimous. Motion carried.

### Band Places Fourth at Lubbock Fair

The Jayton Jaybird band placed fourth in the competition in the South Plains Fair Parade, which began Monday morning, going through downtown Lubbock.

For winning fourth place they were the recipients of a \$500 prize. There were 11 class B bands entered in the parade with 41 bands in all representing the various school band classes.

The first place winning band was Sundown, second place, Sudan and third place Ropesville.

The 85 members of the Jaybird band left Monday morning at 6:30 for Lubbock. They are under the direction of Jim Cockburn, who is in his second semester as director.

The band will march in the Wilson homecoming parade tomorrow (Friday) beginning at 4:00 p.m.

**So Live**  
So live that you wouldn't be ashamed to sell the parrot to the town.

**Some Do**  
Some men scheme for years to get political office and, getting, don't know what to do with it.

—Whittier  
—Blade, Toledo.

### Junior Jaybirds Play Three Games With Rotan Yellowhammers

On Thursday, September 23rd the Jayton Jr. High and Jr. Varsity went to Rotan to take on the young yellowhammers in three games.

In the first game the Jr. High "B" team was beaten by the score of 23-6. The young Jaybirds played well but could not move the ball against the much larger yellowhammers. The Jaybird score came when they blocked a yellowhammer punt and covered the ball in the end zone by Raton Garcia.

In the 8th game the young Jaybirds were again outmanned by a large yellowhammer team. In this contest the final score was 33-6. The Jaybirds were able to play the yellowhammers close in the first quarter and a half as the score was 14-6 during this time. The yellowhammers size began to wear down the smaller Jaybirds and the Jaybirds were never able to get back in the game. The Jaybird score came midway through the second quarter as Joe McMeans scored on a 35 yard scamper breaking several tackles along the way. This was the first score against the Rotan eighth grade this season.

In the J.V. game, the yellowhammers measured the Jaybird J.V.'s by the score of 29-0. The Jaybird J.V. played well and has shown vast improvement in the last few weeks. The Rotan J.V.'s are a fine football team and have several transfer players which could play varsity ball if they were eligible. The Jayton J.V. is working hard and will win a few before the season is over.

### New Loan Approved For Cap Rock Co.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Congressman Omar Burleson announces the approval of a \$2,290,000 Rural Electrification Administration loan to the Cap Rock Telephone Company, Inc., with headquarters at Spur. The areas served are Crosby, Floyd, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Dickens, Briscoe, Cottle, Hall, King, and Motley counties.

The purpose of the loan is to finance facilities to connect 125 additional subscribers; construct 99 miles of new line; upgrade service in the Afton, Hackmont, Peacock, and Jayton exchanges to all one-party lines; finance additional headquarters facilities; construct new dial central office buildings in the Afton and Hackmont exchanges; and finance system improvements.

**JAYTON H.D. CLUB MEETING**  
The Jayton Home Demonstration club will meet on Thursday, October 7 beginning at 2:30 in the afternoon. Mrs. Roberta Stanaland, Kent County Home Economics Extension Agent will be the program leader on Time Management. All club members and other interested persons are urged to be in attendance at this meeting.

The club meets each first and third Thursday afternoons.

### This Is Fire Prevention Week

Anything will burn and nothing is fireproof. This fact was brought out by Ben Bullard, Assistant Safety Director for the Texas Farm Bureau, Waco, in a graphic animated fire prevention demonstration held Thursday at Jayton School.

The three things needed to start a fire, air-fuel-heat, brightly illuminated as Bullard plugged in the parts of his fire triangle board, causing the flashing "F-I-R-E" sign. He defined fire control as he removed, (one at a time), the three parts.

As part of a discussion on fire control and the classes of fire (A, B, C, D), Bullard demonstrated taking away air by smothering the flame of a candle; smothering the flame of a kitchen fire pot of burning grease-Class B) and taking away the air or oxygen of another class B fire - a burning gasoline rag.

The audience also witnessed the burning of steel (steel wool); the loud shotgun-like explosion of one drop of gasoline and they saw the wiring burn inside the wall and in the attic of Bullard's model house (Class C).

With each sequence of animated and actual fire hazard of the various classes both inside and outside the house and around the farm, Bullard gave applicable prevention and control suggestions. For fire control, Bullard pointed out that many fires in the home, vehicles, equipment and other buildings can be extinguished while in the incipient stage; provided you have a U/L approved extinguisher of the correct size and type. "Recharge each portable extinguisher after each use", he added.

This very educational fire program was brought to Jayton School under the sponsorship of the Stonewall County Farm Bureau. Janet Johnson assisted Bullard as Junior Fire Marshal.

**DISTRICT GOVERNOR IS LIONS CLUB SPEAKER HERE MONDAY**  
District Governor Bill Hogge of Plainview was a guest speaker for the noon luncheon meeting of the Jayton Lions Club on Monday, September 27. The meeting was held in the Jayton Cafe.

Other district Lion dignitaries in attendance were: Deputy District Governor at Large Jere B. Smith of Lubbock, Deputy District Governor R. H. Farris of Crosbyton, also Jimmy Sherman of the Plainview Lions Club and Mike Farris, son of R. H. Farris.

Lion Boss Bill Parks gave the welcome. He also led in the pledge to the American flag. The invocation was given by Bill Harrison.

Lion Boss Parks introduced the Deputy District Governor, who in turn then introduced the Deputy District Governor at-large, who introduced the District Governor.

The guest speaker spoke on the importance of Lionism. A chicken, ham or roast dinner was served to the 17 in attendance.

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Getting along amicably in life is largely a problem of getting along with people just about as good as you are.

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Someone wants to know why anyone should go to church; it might be better to tell us why anyone should not go to church.

The victory hungry Jayton Jaybirds got it all together Saturday night, and spoiled the Sands Homecoming, rolling them 67-0 in a wild scoring affair by the Birds.

Jayton scored in every quarter, 7 points in the first, 33 in the second, 7 in the third, and 20 in the final period.

Boyd Dees started off the ten touchdown spree as he went in from the one yard line in the first period, and Prince kicked the extra point.

Other scoring plays were:

Gene Cleveland scored on a 44 yard punt return, with the extra point being missed.

Segura scored on a 9 yard sweep, and Prince kicked the extra point.

Cleveland went in on a 2 yard power play, with Prince kicking.

Segura followed with a one yard sweep, Prince kicking.

Parker passed to Kidd for 14 yards, the kick missed.

Cleveland went in from 30 yards on a quarterback keeper and Prince kicked.

Segura 2 yards on a power play, Prince kicking.

Brian intercepted a fumble in the air and went 20 yards for a TD, the kick missed.

Parker passed to Kidd 40 yards for TD and Prince kicked the extra point.

Leading Jaybird rusher was Robert Segura with 71 yards on 16 plays. The whole defense was outstanding, led by Gary Sumner, Joe Martinex, Ronnie Cheyne, Mario Segura, Kyle Jackson and Charles Arnold.

The Jaybirds led in the first downs 23-4. Jayton completed 5 of 9 passes for 75 yards and two TDs. Sands completed 2 of 8 passes for 6 yards. Jayton ran 40 plays for 191 yards and Sands ran 37 plays for 28 yards. Jayton had a total of 266 yards, and Sands 34 net yards.

The Jaybirds were penalized 15 times for 125 yards. Sands was penalized 10 times for 85 yards.

### The Jaybirds Plan Trip To Wilson Friday Night

The Jayton Jaybirds got in the victory column last week, after losing their first three outings of the season.

This week they go to Wilson to see if they can continue winning. This will be a big district game, and Wilson is always a tough foe.

All local fans are urged to make the trip to Wilson to boost the Jaybirds on to their second district win.

**BIRTHDAY CALENDAR PROJECT**  
According to Jayton Jaybird band director Jim Cockburn the band boosters organization is now in the process of completing the community birthday calendar.

Persons who have not been contacted to have their names appear on the calendar should contact either Mrs. Lou Williams at phone 237-2991 or Mrs. Vera Parker at 237-6442 by Monday, October 4.

This is a fund raising project of the booster club. The proceeds from the sale of the calendar goes to pay for the annual banquet and receptions following each of the concerts.



Holding the positions of wing back and defensive back for the Jayton Jaybird team is Harold Parker. He is a junior student and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy H. Parker, and has resided in Jayton all his life.

He has lettered for one year. This year he is wearing on his Jayton Jaybird uniform and weighs 190 pounds.

Harold is vice-president of the student council and participates in basketball and track.

Last year he played the position of defensive half back. He completed 29 tackles, intercepted two passes and caught six passes.

The coach says that Harold is in the process of making a new position this year and has begun to make good progress at his wing back position. Harold would make an outstanding player before he graduates from the Jayton high school.



Billy Harrison plays the position of strong guard on the Jayton Jaybird team this year. He is a junior student who has lived in Jayton for 16 years. The son of Mr. Billy Harrison weighs 175 pounds and is wearing No. 77 on his Jaybird uniform this year.

Besides football Billy plays on the basketball team. Last year he played guard on the junior varsity team. He completed four tackles.

The coach says that—Billy is one of our top linemen that came up from the junior varsity team. Billy is making a very good strong guard and should be one of the top linemen in our area next year.



Craig Hagar is wearing No. 70 on his Jayton Jaybird uniform this year. The son of Mr. and Mrs. C.V. Hagar he has attended the Jayton school for eight years.

He is a 210 pound junior that plays center on the team this year. He plays basketball and was the track manager.

Craig played tackle on the junior varsity team last year and completed two tackles for the team.

His coach states that—Craig is one of the most improved players that I have seen in Jayton these last two years. Craig has good size and strength and is becoming a good football player for Jayton.



Ronnie Cheyne plays the position of tackle on the Jaybird team this year. He is wearing 75 on his uniform and weighs 200 pounds.

The son of Mrs. Velma Cheyne, he has resided in Jayton for 11 years and has lettered for one year. Ronnie is a member of the Junior class.

He has participated in the V.I.C.A.

Last year Ronnie played the position of tackle for the Jaybirds. He completed 62 tackles and recovered three fumbles.

The coach states that—Ronnie is one of the best defensive linemen on our team and he is always close to the football. I like the way Ronnie plays football with that little smile on his face. Ronnie should make a great one.



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## GARAGE SALE

**BACK YARD SALE:**  
Pete Gannon residence, 606 N. Burlington. Lots of odds and ends, furniture, clothes, and misc. items. Hamster and poodle for sale. All day Saturday.

## FARM SALES & SERVICE

**FOR SALE:**  
Blue Lake Beans, tomatoes, cucumbers, Bell peppers, also Cubanelle peppers, and Jalapeno peppers. 20 miles S.E. Floydada; 15 miles N.E. Crosbyton; 1/2 mile East Blanco Gin in Mt. Blanco Community. Phone 983-3654. 30-3tc.

## CARDS OF THANKS

**CARD OF THANKS:**  
The family of Sam Johnson would like to express our sincere appreciation to everyone for the many acts of kindness extended to us during the illness and death of our Dear Love One. We are truly grateful to each one of the flowers, memorials, food, calls, visits and especially your prayers at this time.

**NURSING HOME NEWS**  
Thursday morning singers included: Myrtle Healer, Eva Han, Mary Louder, Amos Fincher, Ruby Matthews, Mrs. Harvey, with Grace Fincher leading, accompanied by Mrs. Fowler at the piano.

Albert and Amanda Harris of Girard visited the home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Walker visited Sunday afternoon.

Visiting patients Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Walker, Vi Hall and Beale Pearson; Mr. and Mrs. Zedrick Chisum, Belinda, and Tommy Dale of Aspermont, visiting Mrs. Sam Johnson and Bruce Meador; Mr. and Mrs. K. Morris and Millard Smith of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Dink Johnson; Cecilia and Jim Gardner of Aspermont; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hale, visited Ella Hale.

Rev. Clyde Cook of Shallowater visited Darwin Hill Monday afternoon.

Thanks to Barbara Capps for the watermelon and to Bill Parks for the squash.

**GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
Guys and Dolls Golf Tournament will be held October 3rd.  
Entry fee is \$1.00 and tee off time is 2:00 p.m.

**FEWER FOOD STAMPS**  
A half million people dropped out of the government's food stamp program in July, reducing enrollment to an estimated 17.5 million, the Agriculture Department said.

**CARD OF THANKS:**  
I would like to thank all my friends who made my stay in the hospital more bearable. For the flowers, gifts, cards, visits and prayers I shall always be thankful. And to those who brought food to us since I have been home we also say, thank you.  
Mrs. Gordon (Flo) Cheyne

**DENMARK IS NEW STUDIES, TRAINING SPECIALIST**

Dr. Kenneth L. Denmark is the new studies and training specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Denmark, who has served as the associate state 4-H and youth leader for the Extension Service for the past several years, fills the position formerly held by Dr. John T. Pelham. Pelham assumed the position of state 4-H and youth leader on July 1. Denmark will be responsible for all Extension training programs, including staff development and professional improvement.

**PRODUCERS SHOULD PREPARE FOR '77 FARM BILL**

If producers expect to influence 1977 food policy issues, they must begin planning, organizing and acting, contends an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Since the position of many political decision makers will be moulded in the upcoming election, producers should study the issues and candidates and make their voices heard. The overriding issue is the degree of government involvement in agriculture, with Democrats favoring increased involvement and Republicans favoring less involvement, or a "free market." Key issues in next year's farm bill will be grain reserves, target prices and loan rates, commodity programs, disaster payments, acreage allotments and food aid.

**"ROOM TO GROW" IS 4-H WEEK THEME**

4-H youth throughout Texas and the nation will be letting the public as well as prospective members know about their program during National 4-H Week, Oct. 3-9. Theme of this year's event is "4-H Room to Grow." The week is designed to bring public attention to the values of 4-H as an informal, youth educational program that stresses development of practical skills, leadership and citizenship, says the state 4-H and youth leader with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Texas boasts some 120,000 4-H members.

Earth's crammed with Heaven,  
And every common bush  
afire with God.  
-E. B. Browning.

Nature covers all her  
works with a varnish of  
beauty.  
-Schopenhauer.

Spring is a Virgin, Summer  
a mother, Autumn  
a widow, and Winter a  
stepmother.  
-Polish Proverb.

## Bol I Weevil Spraying Gets Into Swing Over The Area

**DICKENS**-In an all-out effort to arrest movement of the cotton boll weevil, officials of the USDA Plant Protection and Quarantine Service and the producer-owned Plains Cotton Grower of Lubbock have completed first and second insecticidal spraying of 275,000 acres of cotton. Acreage treated extends from Briscoe County on the north to Borden and Dawson counties on the south, along the Caprock's eastern edge.

Roy Moritz, district supervisor with PPQ, and Ed Dean, director of field services for Plains Cotton Growers, who are coordinating the Diapause Boll Weevil Control Program, say the first boll weevil spraying operations of the fall were carried out from September 6 to 16. Second insecticidal applications of the 275,000 base acreage area was to have ended Friday, September 24, following a record treatment of over 100,000 acres the day before. The two treatments represent an aggregate total acreage sprayed of over a half million acres.

A third insecticidal application is slated to begin in early October.

Moritz, who is coordinating field operations, says 20 spray planes are being used to cover the huge territory, and he expects up to five control zone treatments will be conducted unless an early freeze occurs.

"All fields are being block sprayed from Matador southward to Jayton, plus acreages below the Caprock in Garza and Crosby counties," Moritz says. "Fields are being sprayed on a selected basis in all other areas within the control zone unless boll weevil infestations warrant block spraying."

He says boll weevils are more widespread on top of the Caprock this year than in the last several years due to in-migration of weevils from the east and successful overwintering below the Caprock as a result of an abnormally mild winter.

"We believe we have the necessary expertise and resources to adequately cope with this widespread infestation," says Moritz.

He emphasizes that the heavier than usual boll weevil populations found along the eastern and southeastern portions of the Caprock were forseen back in May whenever boll weevil trap catches showed an increase in weevil populations over previous years for that time of the year. At that time PCG and PPQ officials recommended that producers consider early season spraying for weevil control in July.

The Diapause Boll Weevil Control Program was

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## TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

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begun in 1964 along a 15 county area stretching from the upper South Plains southward and southwestward to the New Mexico line, along the Caprock. Its purpose is to use pest management concepts, including spraying and scouting, to prevent the boll weevil from migrating westward from its overwintering areas below the Caprock.

### PEP RALLY IS HELD SATURDAY

At 1:00 Saturday afternoon a pep rally was held in the Jayton school gymnasium for the game between the Sands school of Ackerly and the Jayton football teams.

A skit was held. It featured Sands Mustangs (represented by Danella Sartain, Bridgett Hamilton and Janet Johnson). They were out fishing in a small boat. The Jayton Jaybirds (represented by Bobby Capps, Lee Pickens and Tricia Gregory) were also fishing. The fish were the freshmen class. The Mustangs were jealous because the Jaybirds had so much spirit and enthusiasm. They inquired and discovered the Jaybirds had "spit rocks". The Jaybirds threw the corks at the Mustangs and sank their boat.

At the pep rally the junior class got the spirit started. This means they chanted the victory spell out louder than the other groups.

Immediately following the rally the band members left for Sands. The team left at 3:00 that afternoon.

Autumn is marching on: I saw old Autumn in the misty morn  
even the scarecrows are wearing dead Stand shadowless like  
leaves. lence.

-Nakagawa

-Thomas Hood

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### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Jayton, Texas  
Gene Louder, Pastor  
Church School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.  
Youth and Children Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

### 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. Prayer Meeting, 7:30

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Girard, Texas  
Ray Robertson, 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.

## THE JOY OF SHARING

There is pleasure in doing things with others. It may be looking at a picture magazine, or riding toys, or for parents it may even be sharing knowledge of the day's events that bring joy.

God's people have a desire to share with you in the greatest joy, that of worshiping together in God's House. ATTEND CHURCH

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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Guy Arney Welding  
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The Teen Scene  
Bill Williams Service

and Supply  
Thos. Fowler Agency

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Cheyne Welding Shop  
Kent County Lumber  
and Supply

Jayton Cafe

Jayton Food Store

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Favorite Recipes of Opal Richards



Slow Cookery Recipes

TEXAS BEEF AND BEANS  
by Mrs. Don Wilson

1 lb. dried pinto beans  
6 cups cold water  
1/2 lb. salt pork, cut up  
1 lb. lean chuck steak, cut into 1 inch cubes  
1 red chili pepper  
1 medium onion, chopped  
2 cloves garlic, minced  
16-oz. can tomato paste  
2 1/2 tsp. chili powder  
1 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. cumin seed  
1/2 tsp. marjoram leaves  
1 whole chili pepper (optional)

Soak beans in water overnight. Brown salt pork in skillet or slow cooker with browning unit. In slow cooker, combine soaked beans (with water), browned salt pork and remaining ingredients. Cover and cook on low for 9-10 hours. Makes 8 servings.

PUMPKIN NUT BREAD  
by Mrs. Don Wilson

1 1/2 cups flour  
1 1/4 tsp. soda  
1 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. ground cinnamon  
1/2 tsp. ground nutmeg  
1 cup canned pumpkin  
1 cup sugar  
1/2 cup buttermilk  
1 egg  
2 tbs. soft butter  
1 cup chopped pecans

Sift flour, soda, salt, and spices. Combine pumpkin, sugar, buttermilk, and egg in mixing bowl. Add dry ingredients and butter; beat until well blended. Stir in nuts. Spread in well-greased and floured 4 to 5 cup mold or 1 lb. coffee can. Cover with foil. Place rack in slow-cooking pot. Pour 2 cups hot water in pot. Place covered bread container on rack. Cover pot and cook on high 3 to 4 hours. Turn out on cooling rack. Serve warm or cool.

CHINESE PEPPER STEAK  
by Mrs. Bennie Smith

1-1 1/2 lbs. round steak  
2 tbs. oil  
1 clove garlic, minced  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1/4 tsp. pepper  
1/4 cup soy sauce  
1 tsp. sugar  
1 cup fresh or canned bean sprouts, drained  
1 cup canned tomatoes, cut up  
2 green peppers, seeded and cut into strips  
1 tbs. cornstarch  
2 tbs. cold water  
4 green onions, sliced

Slice steak into narrow strips. In skillet or slow-cooking pot with browning unit, brown steak in oil. Combine with garlic, salt, pepper, soy sauce, and sugar in slow cooking pot. Cook on low 6-8 hours. Turn control to high. Add bean sprouts, tomatoes, and green peppers. Dissolve cornstarch in water. Stir into pot. Cover and cook on high 15-20 minutes or until thickened. Sprinkle with onions. Makes 4 to 5 servings.

CHICKEN AND HERB DUMPLINGS  
by Mrs. Bennie Smith

1 (2 1/2 to 3 lb.) chicken, cut up  
1 tsp. salt  
1/4 tsp. pepper  
2 whole cloves  
8 to 10 small white onions  
1 clove garlic, minced  
1/4 tsp. powdered marjoram  
1/4 tsp. powdered thyme  
1 bay leaf  
1/2 cup dry white wine  
1 cup dairy sour cream  
1 cup packaged biscuit mix  
1 tbs. chopped parsley  
6 tbs. milk

Sprinkle chicken with salt and pepper; place in slow-cooking pot. Insert cloves in one onion. Put all onions in pot. Add garlic, marjoram, thyme, bay leaf, and wine. Cover and cook on low 5 to 6 hours. Remove bay leaf and cloves. Stir in sour cream. Turn control to high. Combine biscuit mix with parsley; stir milk into biscuit mix with fork until well moistened. Drop dumplings from teaspoon around edge of pot. Cover and cook on high for 30 minutes. Makes 5 servings.

Pear Chutney

1 gal. ground pears  
1/2 gal. chopped onions  
14 bell peppers, chopped  
8 hot peppers  
1 cup salt on above and let stand several hours. Drain in colander.  
1 1/2 qt. vinegar  
4 cups sugar  
2 Tbsp. turmeric

2 Tbsp. mustard seed  
2 Tbsp. celery seed  
Boil vinegar, sugar, and spices for 5 minutes. Drain all juice from pears and other ingredients in colander, mix with spiced vinegar solution, and boil for 5 minutes. Place in sterilized jars and seal.

Pear Relish

1 Tbsp. celery seeds  
3 (small jars) chipped pimientos  
1 small hot pepper (if desired)  
Mix well. Let stand for 1 hour. Cook over medium heat for 45 minutes. Pour into sterilized jars and seal. This relish goes well with all kinds of meats.

Grind: (medium blade)  
36 fresh pears  
8 onions  
10 green bell peppers  
Add:  
4 cups vinegar  
3 1/2 cups sugar  
1/2 cup salt  
1 (9 oz. jar) prepared mustard  
2 Tbsp. turmeric

HEART ASSOCIATION NAMES CHAIRMAN OF MEMORIAL GIFTS DIVISION

Mrs. Roberta Stanaland, president of the Kent County Heart Association this week named Miss Bess Porter, Memorial Gifts Chairman in Jayton.

Miss Porter explained that a memorial gift to the Heart Association is a living tribute to relatives, friends or loved ones who died from heart disease. She added that memorial gifts also are given to mark special occasions, such as birthdays and anniversaries.

"In addition to honoring those who have died from heart diseases, memorial gifts give hope to the living by supporting research, education and community programs aimed at reducing the toll of heart and blood vessel diseases—the nation's number one killer."

To make a memorial gift, sent the name of the person to be honored, your own name and address, and that of the person to be notified. A check or money order also should be enclosed. The address is: Kent County Heart Association, Box 326, Jayton, Texas, 79528.

When a memorial gift is received, Miss Porter said, an acknowledgment card is sent to the family of the person for whom the donation is made. The amount is held confidential, and a receipt for the contribution, which is fully tax deductible, is sent to the donor.

For information and forms, call 237-9440.

EXERCISE

There is much truth in the old expression "Exercise may not add years to your life, but it will add life to your years." There is no scientific proof at this time that exercise alone will make you live longer. It is an accepted fact that appropriate exercise is one factor in helping you to have a healthier life. Mrs. Vivian Blair, family life education—aging specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says,

RESTRICTING X-RAY

Routine use of X-rays to detect breast cancer should be restricted to women over 50 and those younger women in high-risk groups, the National Cancer Institute said.

Eternal question: Death—the end or the beginning of life?

*Fashion*  
Good news, for larger women who wear 20-plus clothes, is that designers are featuring flattering garments for their figures. This is a change from the past when the over-sized figure was usually ignored by fashion designers.

FABRICS

Fabric stains caused by fruit juices, artificially sweetened soft drinks or alcoholic beverages are sometimes invisible. Prolonged storage or heat used in drying or pressing caramelizes the sugar, causing a noticeable yellow, tan or brown stain. As soon as these stains are known, they should be sponged with rubbing alcohol or diluted bleach as safe for the fabric, reminds Mrs. Becky Culp, area clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

ON WOMEN BISHOPS

MINNEAPOLIS — The House of Bishops of the Episcopal Church has voted to admit women to the priesthood, a step that would alter church tradition of more than four centuries.

For dancing this coming season the slim skirt will have a split up from the bottom on one side. It may reach to a point just above the knee.

Private initiative seems to function best when liberally supported by public funds.

ABOUT YOUR HOME  
By April Rhodes

Christmas cactus should be allowed to dry considerably between waterings this month to stimulate the formation of flower buds.

Winterize your camper before cold weather sets in. Remove bedding, clothes and food. Drain all water and add antifreeze (as recommended by dealer) to toilet, holding tank and sink traps.

To prepare hanging yard plants for indoors, move to a shaded area, allow them to dry down between waterings and reduce the amount of fertilizer.

Drawers that have a tendency to stick because of temporary swelling of the wood in damp weather should be lubricated by rubbing paraffin or candle wax on guide strips.

As It Looks From Here

By Rep. Omar Burleson  
Member of Congress, Texas



17th District, Texas  
WASHINGTON\* D.C.—The American Federation of Government Employees, an affiliate of the AFL-CIO, met here in Washington a few days and had on its agenda the matter of unionizing the Armed Forces—the Army, Navy, Air Force and the Marine Corps.

If this sounds absurd—it is. If it is dismissed as impossible—it isn't. To ignore the idea is to lend encouragement to the effort which will doubtless continue.

Legislation has been introduced in the Congress to prohibit the unionization of our military forces which, though not publicized, dampened the enthusiasm of the national union's leaders from developing the issue at their recent convention. It faded out as not being practical at this time but it certainly does not mean that the plan is dead.

The Bills introduced will not be considered in the days left in this expiring Congress but will be reintroduced in the new Session beginning next January.

It is obvious that if the AFGE Union could enlist the membership of more than two million men and women in uniform, their political power, which is already tremendous, would be greatly enhanced. Its power is already felt throughout Government and when, and if, the Hatch Act is repealed, nearly three million Federal workers will be free to participate in political activity. This again will be another issue in the next Congress.

It is argued by the supporters of unionizing the Armed Forces that, because we now have volunteers instead of conscription, it is the same as private employment. Actually and fundamentally, the issue is whether the Government or a union is going to determine who runs the military and foreign policy of the U.S. Imagine our military personnel going on strike at the order of union leaders. Under such circumstances, the unions could refuse to let soldiers make an all-night march because conditions were too harsh or the Marines were out of shape because their shop stewards insisted that physical training is too strenuous. Beyond this, it might become possible that fighters and bombers be grounded until a new contract was negotiated.

In San Francisco last year, when firemen went on strike, the National Guard was called out to fight fires and save lives. It is a picture of horror to imagine that both might be on strike when your house was on fire.

Maybe all this is a little preposterous at the time but the fact remains that this is the ambition of the union which already controls large numbers of Government employees at all levels. The power to strike essential public services has already paralyzed some cities. It is a fear in the hearts of public officials who have, for political reasons, caved in to the union's demands. This is a major reason why some of the big cities across the Nation are worse than broke, notably New York City. These cities are run by the unions, not by the elected representatives of the people. The cities of New York, San Francisco and Detroit can hardly afford to pay garbage collectors from \$25,000 to \$30,000 and big pensions on an early retirement.

It is a matter of whether or not the Federal Government will eventually be run in the same way and, more seriously, as to whether our military defense will depend on what a union orders members of the armed services to do. The idea of the union organizers is not simply to provide collective bargaining but to require compulsory membership when they volunteer their services.

Inherited  
"You say Myrtle inherited her beauty?"  
"Yes, her mother left her a cosmetic shop."

Congress completes work on tax bill.

RECENT BRIDE IS HONORED

Mrs. Bobby Lee Dibrell was honored with a bridal shower on Thursday, September 23, beginning at 4:00 in the afternoon in the home of Mrs. Barney Murdoch.

The serving table was laid with a dainty white lace cloth trimmed with green satin ribbons. The table was centered with an arrangement of yellow and white daisies on either side burned white candles in silver holders. Lime sherbet punch was served from a crystal punch bowl along with white cake squares, frosted in white, with green confection trim. Multi-colored mints and assorted nuts were also served. Appropriate napkins further carried out the theme.

The honoree was the recipient of a large array of useful gifts including a large electric skillet from the hostess group who were: Mmes. Rhoda Jones, Jan Gallagher, Lauda Geeslin, Mary Bell McAteer, Lillian Nichols, Barney Murdoch, Mary Lynn Johnson, Evelyn Pierce, Gene Murdoch, Mildred Caves, Leone Harvey, Leona Stanaland, Lucille Kyle and Zephie Brown.

Special guests included the bridegroom's mother Mrs. Bobby Nell Dibrell and grandmother Mrs. Eula Fuller, Mrs. Rhoda Jones, Hobbs, and Mrs. R.T. Cumbe, Aspermont were out of town guests.

4-H COUNCIL IS SET

Mrs. Roberta Stanaland, Kent County Home Economics Extension Agent announces that there will be a 4-H council meeting on Monday, October 4 beginning at 4:30 in the afternoon in the community building of Jayton. All council delegates and presidents of 4-H clubs throughout the county are urged to make plans to attend this meeting.

Mrs. Stanaland also announces that there will be a food nutrition leadership training meeting on Wednesday October 6 beginning at 4:30 in the community center of Jayton. This is for all county 4-H leaders interested in food nutrition.

Unemployment Statistics

There is a growing realization among economists that the current government method of measuring the nation's unemployed is of limited meaning.

With Democrats pointing to Bureau of Labor Statistics figures on unemployed in major political attacks, a growing number of economists say the Bureau's figures have become increasingly misleading.

This is true, they argue, because of the growth in recent years of the number of families with two wage earners and the growth of cushions and aids to the unemployed—by local, state and federal agencies.

The result is that today many families with one wage earner unemployed are not suffering hardship and some with the only wage earner unemployed are not. What economists like Sar Levitan of George Washington University and Robert Taggart of the National Council on Employment Policy propose is a new measurement. A new formula would be used to measure economic hardship in families (not just unemployment numbers). Such economic hardship could result from unemployment, low pay or part-time employment.

By the old method of measuring, unemployment has risen sharply in recent years but employment has also risen. Many of today's unemployed are not suffering unduly, the new theory holds, because there are other wage earners in the family (perhaps the father) and because of so many built-in cushions or aids for the unemployed today.

FORD ON ALIENS

President Ford circumventing a Supreme Court ruling, ordered the Civil Service Commission to continue barring aliens from government employment.

BAN ON BONE BITS

Consumer organizations have asked a federal judge to continue an order banning interim Agriculture Department regulations permitting bone bits to be included in meat.

PARK PROPOSAL

President Ford has sent to Congress his \$1.5 billion proposal to upgrade and double the size of the nation's park and recreation areas.

BANS INCREASE

The House voted final congressional approval to a bill to ban increases in postal rates through March 15, 1977, while bailing the Postal Service out of \$1 billion of its debts.

A gifted mind is one that easily discovers plausible excuses.

House approves abolishing WACS bill.

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Jayton Food Store





One of the best stories I have read lately, Donny Richards had it in his column "In Other Words" last week in his Azle News. It goes like this—

Some years ago, a psychologist made up a story. The way people reacted to the story was supposed to give clues to their personal adjustment and maturity. The story began:

A man was permitted to visit both Heaven and Hell temporarily, to observe them. In Hell, he found a banquet table, laden with delicious and wholesome food. But all the people sitting at the table were gaunt, starving and unhappy. The reason was evident at once; each person had a three-foot long fork attached to each arm. No one could get food to his mouth with the long utensils, so all were starving.

On his visit to Heaven, the observer found a similar table. These people, too, had long forks attached to their arms, but they all were healthy, well fed and happy.

The psychologist asked, "How do you account for this difference?"

Try to answer it yourself. See how your friends would answer it. In your answers there might be some indications about your attitude toward life and humanity.

The correct explanation, of course, is: In Heaven, they were feeding each other.

"Fat Cops are endangering their own lives, and costing the taxpayers money" it was pointed out this week, in a survey given by the International Association of chiefs of police. This group has a membership of two thirds of a million officers.

It was pointed out that many officers eat too much, smoke too much, drink too much coffee, and get far too little exercise. This, they say not only endangers their health, but slows them down, and they can not do as good a job as they should.

Before you light up that cigarette, you might consider the fact that most people near you would rather you cracked your knuckles, chewed gum, or whistled, according to a recent report on Adult use of Tobacco, just released by the National Clearinghouse for Smoking and Health.

Also this report says that divorced and single or separated people are much heavier smokers than married people.

Almost half of all adult Americans now smoke cigarettes. Seventy percent of them say they would quit if there was an easy way to do it.

The first great political debate of 1976 has come and gone, and nobody seems to know very much more than they did before it took place. The news hounds are all taking polls and interviews to try to determine who won and who lost, and they, too, are just about where they were when they started.

People viewed the debates depending on how they viewed the candidates for the most part. People who favored Ford seemed to think he did a good job, and the same for Carter lovers.

Personally, I thought it was mostly summed up in two remarks. Carter accused Ford of being a typical Republican, and then outlined the difference in their philosophy. It has been simplified by saying the Republicans believe in the trickle down system—you know, help big business, and enough of it will trickle down to the little people. This was the Hoover system, and it has always been the Republican way.

Ford, who criticized the Congress for what he considered reckless spending, was asked how he expected to get his programs through the Congress, if he were elected to a new term? His answer was evasive.

If Carter is not elected, it will not be Ford who beats him. Carter has developed a severe case of what has been termed as the foot and mouth disease—you know—putting his foot in his mouth.

It apparently has not yet dawned on him, that regardless of who he is talking to, the whole nation and the whole world is listening.

When he referred to Presidents Nixon and Johnson as "Liars, etc...." he probably was not thinking that Mrs. Johnson and all the Johnson friends would read his remarks. When he gave his interview to Playboy magazine, and used typical Playboy salty language, he probably had forgotten that all of the thousands of "fellow Baptists" many who do not read Playboy, would also know about his remarks.

Carter is still ahead in the polls, but he is going to have to learn to keep his feet out of his mouth, or he will see his lead vanish like a snowball in the August sun.

**IS STUDENT AT T.C.U.**

Don Wayne Jones of Jayton is enrolled in the Ranch Management program at Texas Christian University in Ft. Worth. The course provides classroom instruction in basic principles of land, grass, livestock, records and marketing.

Field work includes during the year, five week-long trips to different parts of the country to observe livestock operations.

Don Wayne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E.M. (Bill) Jones. He is a graduate of the Jayton high school and was an active member of the Kent County 4-H clubs.

Don Wayne visited his parents at Jayton during the weekend.

**ATTEND DISTRICT CONVENTION**

Mrs. Don Wilson and Mrs. Nellie Fuller of the Jayton Home demonstration club and Mrs. Opal Swearingen of the Girard Home Demonstration Club represented Kent County at the Texas Home Demonstration Association 50 year convention, at College Station. The meetings were held on the A&M campus.

The women went on a chartered bus with other area club members from Anson. They left Tuesday September 21 and returned Friday September 26.

The meeting was dedicated to 50 year club members. There were 1,063 women in attendance.

The Kent County club women attended workshops on cultural arts, citizenship, safety, health, 4-H and family life.

A portion of the entertainment featured the Singing Cadets from A & M.

**ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW**

Mrs. Bobby Stanaland, County Extension Agent-Home Economist, returned September 21 from visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dutton in Jordan, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Neighbors and daughter spent the week-end at Hordes Creek Lake near Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. G.L. Hamilton and children Pat and Tracie visited recently with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Ford in Sayer, Oklahoma.

Bruce Meadows has returned from being a patient in the Aspermont hospital. He is a resident of the Kent County Nursing Home.

Mrs. Gordon Cheyne, clerk in the A.S.C.S. office of the Kent County Court House returned to her job after being absent for two weeks and a patient in the Fisher County Hospital. She is reported to be improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Favor visited their daughter Miss Kathy Favor in Pecos during the weekend. She is an English teacher in the Pecos high school.

Rev. and Mrs. Gene B. Louder and Monte Gene spent Friday night and Saturday in Lubbock. Rev. Louder attended a ministers meeting at the St. John's United Methodist Church in Lubbock. Mrs. Louder attended a meeting of the ministers wives in the home of Mrs. Gene Butler and Monte visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Southard and Tina.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Goswick attended the funeral Sunday afternoon of his niece Mrs. Nina Johnson in Snyder.

Mrs. Logan Williams and Rev Carr visited Mickey Taylor in the Stamford hospital recently. He is feeling pretty good now and will have to miss another week of school at least.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Goswick visited her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Martin Parks in Fluvanna on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Goswick attended the funeral of his niece Mrs. Nina Johnson in Snyder, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Lewis were in Abilene Tuesday for the eye surgery of her sister Mrs. J. Henry Fry of Anson. Mrs. Fry is now at home and reported to be much improved.

Mrs. Barney Murdoch spent the weekend with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Toby Morton and children Brett and Bart. They celebrated Brett's seventh birthday on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Carr visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harris on Friday.

Terry Fowler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler spent last week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Atkin Cook in Lubbock.

Mrs. Hobert Lewis spent the day on Wednesday last week with her aunt Miss Arrie Barrett in Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Goswick visited her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Martin Parks in Fluvanna on Friday.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boland on Sunday were his sister Mrs. Melvin Stephens of Spur, his sister-in-law Mrs. Mary Boland of Tulsa, Oklahoma and his niece Andrea Boland of Guthrie.

Kathy Ballard, Steve Neighbors and Deborah Smith students at Western Texas College in Snyder were among the college students visiting relatives in Jayton over the weekend.

Mrs. Juanita Bilbrey of Abilene visited Monday and Tuesday with her husband Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Long.

Mrs. Clark Peek of Midland visited her cousin Mrs. Frankie Mayfield last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks visited recently with their son and his wife Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks, Jr.

Mrs. and Mrs. Martin Meadow of Jal, New Mexico are with his parents Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Meadows. Mrs. Meadows remains in serious condition in the Fisher County Hospital and Mr. Meadows is a resident of the Kent County Nursing Home in Jayton.

Mrs. C.D. McCurry, who was a patient in the Lubbock Methodist hospital has returned to the hospital as a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker spent Friday at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. J. Pat Byrum and family. Pat had serious artery surgery Friday morning. The Lee Parkers visited again Sunday afternoon with Pat. He is doing nicely now. Mrs. Byrum is Mrs. Parker's sister.

Mrs. Wilburn Dixon was a patient in the Aspermont hospital last returning home on Wednesday. The Dixon's daughter Priscilla was also a patient in the Aspermont hospital during the time that her mother was.

The Lee Parkers visited in Crosbyton Friday evening. They found Lee's mother, Mrs. Leila Parker and his brother Bernard Parker doing very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Freemyer and Mrs. Dorothy Judy were Abilene visitors Saturday.

Sam Mathews of Arlington visited his mother Mrs. Ruby Mathews over the weekend.

Mrs. Homer Hodges is a patient in the Fisher County Hospital near Rotan.

Mrs. Kathleen Parks of Dallas returned to her home today after spending several days in Jayton attending to business interests.

Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Goodall visited her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Paul at Willis Point. Before returning home Sunday night they visited their grandchildren Torri and Trey Teel in Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Rose of San Saba visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Geeslin returning home Tuesday of this week.

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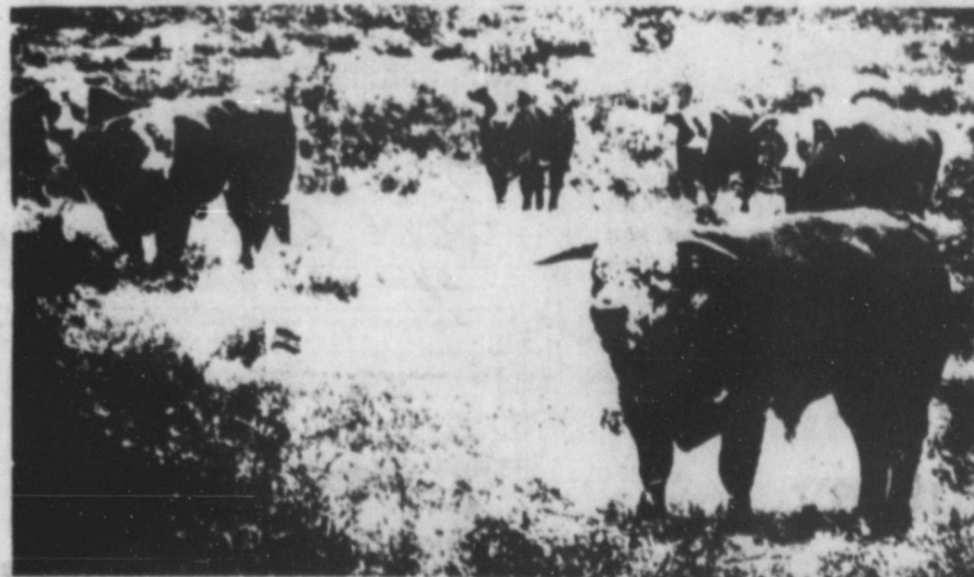
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