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NEWS



High School Cagers In Tulia Tournament Past Week End

Coach Carl Irlbeck's High School basketball teams were entered in the Tulia Basketball tournament held the past week-end, December 11-12-13. The boys came out third place but the girls were unable to muster a win.

Boys drew Slaton in the first round. Scoring by quarters the tally stood at 19-12, 33-24, 46-30 to the final 61-50 with Clarendon leading all the way. Charles Louis was tops on the score board with 20 points. Steve Adams dropped in 15 and Jim Moore 12. High for Slaton was Sumnar with 16 points.

Local boys played Dimmitt in their second game. The game was tight and fans on edge throughout play. By the end of the first period of play Clarendon led by one point, 17-16, and by halftime the score was tied 30-30. Dimmitt topped the local team 44-45 in the third period and edged by Clarendon 60-67 to end the game. Wayne Carter and Charles Louis hit 17 each, Bennie Reese 10, and Jim Moore and Steve Adams 8 each. High for Dimmitt was Bobby Baker with 38.

Clarendon defeated Tulia to take third place by a score of 62-48. By quarters scoring was 15-9, 31-21, and 44-38. Louis was high with 25, Moore followed with 15, and Carter 12. Mike Gleason was high with 16 for Tulia.

Clarendon girls had trouble getting on the scoreboard from the first game with Canyon winning 18-74. Quarter scores were 6-30, 6-50, and 11-63. Joan Smith dropped in 11 points and Annette Alexander 5. High for Canyon was Cheryl Davis with 31.

Friana defeated Clarendon in the second game 27-53 with quarter scores of 6-15, 16-29 and 20-40. Annette Alexander hit 10 and Lee Ann McCracken 9. High for Friana was Diane Day with 14.

Tuesday night of this week local teams traveled to White Deer. Clarendon boys led in scoring throughout the game 21-13, 33-24, 51-36, to the final count of 65-48. Louis was high with 22; Adams dropped in 15 and Carter and Reese each hit 11. High for White Deer was Ricky Thurman with 27.

White Deer girls defeated Clarendon girls 59-15. Clarendon trailed 2-12, 4-32, and 13-47. Lee Ann McCracken tallied 7 and Carolyn Barrow 4. High for White Deer was Twila Jackson with 17.

This week end Clarendon varsity teams will be playing in the Salt Fork Classic here. Girls will play at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, today, and the boys at 8:30 p.m. today. If all teams participate as of this time. Wins and losses will determine further play.

The Clarendon B teams will be entered in the Hedley Tournament in progress at the same time. Their first opponents will be the Quail teams.

Tuesday night, December 23, varsity teams will play at Shamrock.

CC Bulldogs 2-1 In Conference Play

The Clarendon College Bulldogs go into the holidays with a 2-1 conference record, by virtue of beating arch rival Amarillo 71-70 last Thursday, and then falling to surprising Frank Phillips 88-78 on Monday.

The Bulldogs eased by the Amarillo Badgers via the free throw line in a real squeaker last Thursday night. After building a lead of 11 points midway in the first half, the Badgers fought back to within five at half-time. The second half saw the Bulldogs jump out to leads of 11 points twice only to have the Badgers battle back both times. With 4:40 to go on the clock and the Bulldogs ahead by three, the Dogs went to their delay game to pull the Badgers out of their zone defense. A bad pass turned the ball over to the Amarillo team who scored to draw them within one. From that point, it was a see-saw battle until Poncho Garcia hit two free throws with 20 seconds to go to put the Bulldogs up by 3. This proved to be the winning factor as Amarillo scored once more and then the Bulldogs ran the last eight seconds off the clock for the win.

Amarillo fouled 21 times and the Bulldogs fouled 20, as each team had the opportunity to win the game from the Charity stripe. The Badgers chipped in on 12 of 27 opportunities, while the Dogs capitalized on 29 of 33, missing only 4 free throws all evening. Tony Moya led the Dogs with 19 points and 14 rebounds with Garcia, Rocke Ellis led the Badger scoring with 19.

The Bulldogs got off to a fast start against the Plainsmen of Frank Phillips, but couldn't hold their 9 point lead early in the contest.

Pressing full court and fast breaking enabled the Dogs to break an early lead, but the poised Plainsmen started whipping the leaky press and quickly pulled back into the game.

The Plainsmen, who upset South Plains the preceding Friday, were not to be counted out as they went to the dressing room at half-time with a 2 point lead, 43-41.

The second half proved to be disastrous for the Dogs, as the Plainsmen warmed up from the field. The Bulldogs couldn't contain 6'6" Lynn Sanders as he scored almost at will during the entire ball game. Sanders wound up with 33 points.

With 2:38 to go the Borger team busted the game wide open as they scored 4 quick buckets to build a 14 points lead. The Bulldogs pulled to within ten, but couldn't mount a closing rally.

Jackie Thrasher led the Bulldogs scoring with 15 points, followed closely by Tony Moya with 13.

First Christian Church To Present Christmas Story December 21

As a climax to the Community Christmas program sponsored by the Ministerial Alliance, the public is invited to attend the dramatization of Henry Van Dyke's famous story, "The Other Wise Man," Sunday evening, December 21, at 7:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church. In the event there is an overflow attendance, the drama will be presented again on Monday evening, December 22.

History tells of three wise men who brought gifts to the King, but legend tells of another named Artaban, portrayed by Jay Lamberth, who also saw the star. As the story goes, his father and brother tried to dissuade him from what seems madness for Artaban is exchanging all of his property for three great jewels to carry as a gift to the newborn King.

On the way, Artaban finds a dying man. By delaying the three wise men by departing without him, a sick man needs food and medicine. In Bethlehem a mother begs him to save her baby from slaughter by Herod. He can use a jewel as a bribe but has he the right to use it?

In the final scene, Artaban is old and discouraged but still seeks the King.

You are extended a cordial invitation to be present for the portrayal of this inspiring and beautiful Biblical story.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Annie B. Lott

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Beulah Lott, age 76, a former resident of Clarendon, were held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 16, 1969 in Murphy Memorial Chapel with Rev. Carl Nunn, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

Mrs. Lott died Friday afternoon, December 12, 1969 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Laverne Greene of Palestine, Texas. She was born January 31, 1893 at Gorman, Texas and lived in Clarendon for about 30 years before moving to Palestine about 3 years ago. Her husband, Will Lott, died January 4, 1948. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Clarendon and the Clarendon Rebekah Lodge.

Survivors include her daughter, Mrs. Laverne Green of Palestine; one brother, Ed. C. Cole of Stafford, Arizona; and a grandson, William Richard Greene with U. S. Navy in Norfolk, Va.

Bearers were Donald Baller, Elba Baller, Gerald Noble, R. R. Dingler, B. C. Antrobus, and O. C. Watson.

Closing Schedule For School, County and City Announced

The closing schedule for the holidays for the school, county and city has been announced for the convenience of those who may be anticipating business transactions with those agencies.

The Public School and College business offices will be closed December 24th until December 29th and again January 1st until January 5th. The Public Schools will turn out this Friday for the holidays and return January 5th.

County offices will be closed from Wednesday, Dec. 24th until Monday, Dec. 29th and again Monday, Dec. 29th and January 5th until Monday, January 5th.

The City will close Wednesday, Dec. 24th at 4 p.m. and open Monday, Dec. 29 at 8 a.m. and will close again at 4 p.m. Dec. 31 and will open Monday, January 5 at 8 a.m. The police force will be on duty at all times.

Leader To Be Early Next Week; Copy Needed Early

Your Christmas edition of the Donley County Leader carrying greeting ads and the many, many Santa letters will go in the mail Tuesday night, December 23rd and all news copy for Christmas week must be turned in early.

We ask that your copy be turned in at the Leader office no later than Monday morning to assure publication. Your cooperation in this matter is needed and will be sincerely appreciated not only by the staff at the news office but by the hundreds of youngsters who are expecting to see their Santa Letters in print Christmas eve.

Clarendon Hosts Salt Fork Classic Tournament December 18 - 20

The annual Salt Fork Classic, Clarendon High School Basketball tournament, will be held in Bulldog Fieldhouse on the campus of Clarendon College beginning today, Thursday, December 18 at 10:30 a.m. and continuing through Saturday, December 20.

A number of area teams are entered this year. These include Clarendon, Canyon, Wellington, Shamrock, Quitaque, Memphis, Turkey, and Sanford-Fritch. Play will include both boys and girls.

Clarendon girls play their first game at 1:30 p.m. Thursday. Memphis will be their opponent. Clarendon boys will challenge Memphis at 8:30 p.m. Thursday. Wins and losses will determine further play for local teams.

This annual event is sponsored by the Clarendon College and Clarendon Chamber of Commerce. The winners will be taking home beautiful trophies provided by individuals and business firms. Games are expected to be good and everyone is invited to come out for fun and relaxation during these busy days of holiday rushing.

Admission will be \$1.00 for adults and 50c for students per session.

Donley County Feed Lot Now Incorporated

Charles H. Payne, mgr. of Donley Co. Feedlot Inc. has just recently announced that Donley Co. Feedlot has been incorporated and the charter has been obtained from the Secretary of State describing the complete incorporation of Donley Co. Feedlot.

The newly elected board of directors are Charles Payne, President and manager; Ed Peters, Vice President, Treasurer and assistant manager; and Enos Jones, secretary.

The charter was set up for a million shares of stock to be issued of which 38,000 shares have already been issued. Other stock is expected to be issued to prospective stock holders in the near future to obtain capital needed to expand all phases of operation.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients as of Wednesday, December 17: Olin Bain, Mary Welch, Wes Sullivan, Dr. Joe Goldston, Glen Williams.

Dismissals: Mae Blackwell, Vadie Carpenter, Gary Gerdes, Beulah Nance, Lillie Mae Owens, June Palmer, Dudley Wilson.

LIONS ANNUAL FRUIT CAKE SALE NOW IN PROGRESS

The local Lions Club is featuring their annual Fruit Cake Sale again this year. The cakes will sell for the same price at \$3.50 and are available at Estlack Machinery Co., Alderson Chevrolet, George's Cleaners, Chamberlain Motor Co. and Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co.

No resident sale will be made so all who are interested in these fine, pre-sliced fruit cakes may go by the above named places or call and they will be delivered to you.

Leader Out-of-County Rate \$5

Progressive Services Planned by Churches

In keeping with the progressive Community Christian services sponsored by the Clarendon Ministerial Alliance, services will be held at the Presbyterian Church from 6 to 6:45 p.m. Sunday evening, December 21. At that time the group will go to the Methodist Church for a 6:45 to 7:30 p.m. service.

Climaxing this season's program will be the presentation of "The Other Wisemen" at the First Christian Church from 7:30 to 8:15.

You are invited to attend all are any part of these Sunday services. The progressive program opened with a Christmas cantata at the Baptist Church the past Sunday.

The Leader Makes a Good Christmas Gift.

Former Resident Receives Award

Danny Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mills of Clarendon and a high school senior at Lefors High School has been named to receive the Best Sportsmanship award at Lefors. Danny is staying with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sutton.

JR. HI. BB TEAMS WIN TWO, LOSE ONE

Clarendon Junior High Basketball teams played McLean here Thursday night, December 11. Seventh grade girls won their game with Clarendon hitting 16 and McLean 1. Eighth grade girls were losers in their game with a 16-28. The eighth grade boys came back to defeat McLean 59-16.

Clarendon Junior High will be playing again tonight, Thursday, December 18, at 6 p.m. when they will host Claude.

You are invited out for the games.

Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Eva Sanford

Funeral services for Mrs. Eva Sanford, age 83, a resident of Clarendon for over 60 years, were held at 11:00 a.m. Friday, December 12, 1969 in the First Baptist Church with Rev. W. R. Lawrence, pastor, and Rev. Carl Nunn, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment followed in Citizens Cemetery under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

Mrs. Sanford died Thursday morning, December 11th, in Adair Hospital after a lengthy illness. She was born September 20, 1886 in Panola, County, Texas and was married to Buel Sanford September 20, 1910 at Clarendon. She came to Clarendon in 1909 from Tehena, Texas. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and was a long time member of the T.E.L. Class in the First Baptist Church and the Kil Kare Keedle Club.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Frances Skelton of Clarendon and Mrs. Pauline Oswald of Tulsa, Oklahoma; six grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren.

Bearers were C. L. Benson, Claude Moore, Lawrence Neece, H. M. Breedlove, Loyd C. Johnson, Jack Clifford, Bill Moore and Bill Greene Jr.

Hedley High School Tourney Dec. 18-20

Hedley High School will be holding a high school basketball tournament December 18, 19, and 20. Play will begin at 1 p.m. Thursday for the girls and at 2:30 p.m. Thursday for the boys.

Teams participating will include Samnorwood, Lakeview, Clarendon B, Memphis B, Quail, and Estelline.

Admission will be 50c and 25c until the tournament reaches final play when admission will advance to \$1.00 and 50c.

The public is invited to attend. A Junior High tournament will be held in January.

NEW AND USED TYPEWRITERS & ADDERS AT THE LEADER

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fowler of Memphis visited Mrs. James Smith Friday.

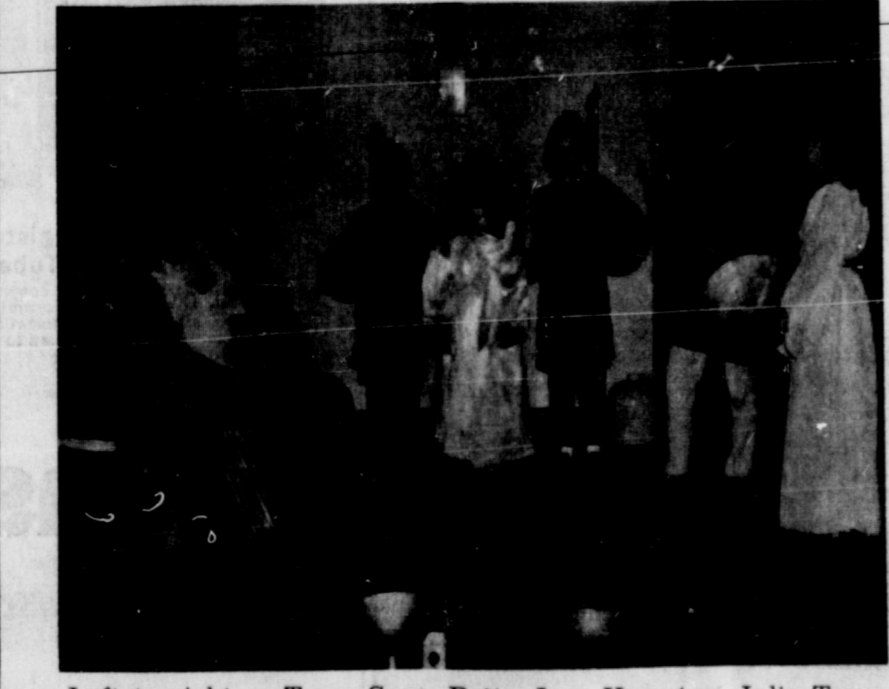
Scenes from "The Other Wise Man" to be presented at First Christian Church Sunday Night



Left to right — Nity Leeper, Ned Ann Tucker, Lanette Alexander, Carrie Neal, Cindy Myers.



Left to right — Bobby Pool, Patrick Robertson, Mike Leeper, Jay Lamberth, Danny Monroe. —Photo by Saye's



Left to right — Terry Saye, Betty Jane Hampton, Julia Taylor, Larry Doane, Joni Myers, Randy Croslin, Bobby Leeper, Dianne Swinney.



Left to right — Timmy Saye, Dean Hawkins, Barry Doane, Dennis Swinney, John Tucker, Roy Monroe, Dewey Bob Myers.

MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY DRIVE SUNDAY

The annual Muscular Dystrophy campaign for funds will be conducted by members of Beta Sigma Phi Sunday afternoon, December 21, from 2 to 4 p.m. This year's drive will be conducted from door to door.

Everyone realizes, of course, that this is a very busy time of the year for all. If possible have your contribution ready when these young women call at your door.

A percentage of money contributed in the campaign will be available for Muscular Dystrophy patients in Donley County as well as other areas counties for needs, equipment etc for the patients of the area. As one patient no longer requires or out grows a particular type of equipment, say a chair for example, that equipment is returned to a central center and other equipment made available for the patient.

Consider this great need and give generously when contacted.

Mrs. Aredell Duncheon of Wilderado was a luncheon guest in the home of Mrs. James Smith Monday.

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Soil Conservation
District News

Parallel Terraces
Do you plan to construct terraces on your cropland after crops are harvested? If so, now is the time to start planning and making arrangements to get the work done.

Parallel terraces may be the answer to saving your soil, increasing production, and making the job of farming easier. Parallel terraces can be laid out to fit four and six row equipment. Construction cost is greater than for conventional terraces, but there will be no point rows. Both cuts and fills are made over wide areas and the land is smoothed so that each row carries the water that falls in it. Smoothing and leveling of the land is before parallel terrace construction is begun. This makes farming with multiple row equipment a pleasure where par-

allel terraces have been properly constructed.

Where satisfactory outlets are available, graded parallel terraces may be constructed. Also, plan to get the right kind of equipment to construct the terraces. Usually three pieces of heavy equipment are needed on the parallel terrace job. These are cut and scraper, motor grader, and elevating grader-terrace. The best equipment and an experienced operator, can reduce construction costs.

Contact your Soil Conservation Service for technical assistance in applying parallel terraces to your farm.

The 10-year extension and broadening of the Great Plains Conservation Program in legislation recently enacted by Congress can mean a doubling of the needed soil and water conservation work on Texas farm and ranch lands. State Conservationist Clyde W. Graham of the USDA Soil Conservation Service said today.

The law extending the program,

was signed by the President on November 18, 1969. The program had been scheduled to end December 31, 1971 but has now been extended to 1981. The legislation authorizes an additional \$150 million in Federal funds for the cost-sharing of conservation measures.

In addition to cost-sharing regular soil and water conservation work, the broadened program will provide for the enhancement of fish, wildlife and recreation resources on farms and ranches where it will improve the economic condition of landowners. It will also provide assistance on agriculture-related pollution problems in keeping with the program's overall objectives.

It also authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to enter into contracts on land not generally considered to be agricultural but where erosion is so serious that conservation work is needed to protect farm or ranch holdings.

Graham pointed out that the law brings the responsibility of soil and water conservation districts more sharply into focus, stipulating that "approved conservation plans developed in cooperation with the soil and water conservation district in which their lands are situated shall form a basis for contracts."

"The success of this program can be assigned to the willingness of landowners to enter into formal contracts with the Secretary of Agriculture to move ahead faster toward completing the conservation job on their entire units," Graham said. "This often includes an agreement to shift cropland to grass where the cropland is incapable of sustained, safe production. The whole idea of the Great Plains Conservation Program is to enable the landowner to make needed changes in his cropping and grazing system, to change the use of his land as indicated by soil information, and to install needed soil and water conservation treatment measures."

In Texas, 19,908 farmers and ranchers have signed contracts covering 13.7 million acres and obligating \$37 million in cost-share funds. Nearly 1,200 Texas farmers and ranchers have ap-

plications on file to take part in the program.

The seeding of unsuitable cropland to grass, development of water resources, reduction of the soil erosion hazard through various conservation techniques, control of invading brush on rangeland, improvement of irrigation systems to use available water most efficiently, and better grassland management are among steps taken by landowners in the program to create resistance to drought and other emergencies and thereby reduce suffering and financial stress once common in the Plains. Plains farmers and ranchers have returned nearly 2 million acres of hazardous cropland to grassland uses in the program.

Highlights
and Sidelights
From Your
State Capitol
By Vern Stanford

AUSTIN, Tex. — A 1968 constitutional amendment did not affect the amount of fees that should be paid county tax assessor-collectors for assessing and collecting county taxes, but it limits the amount that may be paid by the state. So ruled Atty. Gen. Qawford Martin recently. (State cannot be required to pay more than two per cent of state taxes assessed which are actually collected.)

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

State Department of Public Welfare is authorized to spend money to refurbish the interior of a building which is leased by a county on a long-term basis and furnished the welfare agency rent-free.

An otherwise recordable affidavit of heirship may be recorded in the office of a county clerk even though the unprobated will is attached. However, the unprobated will not constituting the exhibit to an affidavit may not be recorded with the clerk although it contains acknowledgment.

Texas Board of Corrections is not obligated to collect, nor must public utilities pay, for placing lines along public roadways transverse state-owned lands under prison system control. (TBC has no authority to reserve the exclusive right to grant utility easements over such public roadways.)

Harris County Hospital District may legally enter into a lease contract for an X-ray equipment system for a period of five years, contingent on availability of appropriated funds.

DDT BAN URGED — Travis Audubon Society of Austin called on Governor Smith to use "all resources" to ban the use of insecticide DDT in Texas.

Resolution claimed that DDT is harmful to wildlife, remains toxic in environment for 10 years, is spread by wind and water, and has been "implicated" as

a possible cancer cause. Arizona, California and Michigan, Czechoslovakia, Sweden and Denmark have banned DDT already, the Society contended, further noting that: "numerous other insecticides can do the job and become harmless to the environment within a few weeks."

COURT SPEAK — Supreme Court found that a truck driver who was shot during an overnight stop was not entitled to workmen's compensation for disabilities.

In other cases the high court ruled that:

A former liquor store executive is not entitled to recover \$1 million in "back salary" from the business.

Court has no jurisdiction to hear the appeal of a Houston attorney who was disbarred in 1961 for alleged fraudulent and dishonorable conduct.

High Court also heard arguments that refusal to approve a new economy air flights service between Dallas/Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio would frustrate efforts of Texas Aeronautics Commission to develop an efficient intra-state air carrier system. Air Southwest Company seeks certification for service, but Braniff International, Texas International and Continental airlines have blocked TAC from issuing credentials.

Federal court here took under advisement the government's request to dismiss atheist Madalyn Murray O'Hair's suit to outlaw prayers by astronauts in outer space.

Court of Criminal Appeals upheld the death sentence of a man convicted of slaying during service station robbery in West.

CAUSE URGED — A Rio Grande Valley delegation, including Cameron County officials and Chamber of Commerce spokesmen, urged the Texas Highway Commission to approve a \$7.8 million Port Isabel-South Padre Island causeway.

At the same hearing, an East Texas group asked for a \$1 million four-lane railroad overpass in Jacksonville.

Highway commissioners indicated they favor the idea of a new Queen Isabella Causeway since traffic has nearly doubled during the last two years. \$300,000 of the cost.

APPOINTMENTS — Dr. Fred Wendorf, Southern Methodist University professor from Dallas, is new chairman of the fledgling State Antiquities Committee, and Truett Latimer is acting executive director.

Woodville attorney and State Bar President Josiah Wheat has been appointed to the National Water Commission of the U. S. Department of Interior.

Jerry Brock of Austin, formerly of San Antonio and Dallas, is a new research staff assistant to Governor Smith.

ANTIQUITIES — Texas' State Antiquities Committee has decided to spend \$2,000 of its \$25,000 budget to help preserve the artifacts found in the wreck of a Spanish galleon off Padre Island.

Dr. Fred Wendorf, Southern

Methodist University archaeologist who was elected chairman of the committee, proposed the expenditure for chemicals and photographic supplies for emergency work to prevent rusting of iron cannons and other iron artifacts.

Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler, who is a member of the Committee, made it clear that it is now absolutely illegal for anyone to explore for offshore artifacts without a permit from the new committee.

SPANISH LAND CLAIMS — Mrs. Celia Saiz Montez of Victoria is trying to collect a debt from the United States that she says Mexico has owed her, under a treaty between the two governments, since 1934. Debt goes back to a land grant given her ancestors by King of Spain. Under a treaty, the United States agreed to pay the claims of Americans living in Mexico and Mexico agreed to pay the claims of Mexicans living in the United States. However, the Mexican government has refused to pay Mrs. Saiz Montez because she is an American citizen and the United States has refused because it argues that her ancestors were Mexicans. She is taking the case to Federal district court.

NATURAL GAS RATE — Texas Railroad Commission, after hearing testimony by consultants and Pioneer Natural Gas Company officials, has recessed its hearings on a proposed increase on the city gas rate for 61 West Texas towns until Dec. 15.

The proposed increase amounts to 8.33 cents per thousand cubic feet of gas.

LABORERS — R. L. Coffman, Texas Employment Commission administrator, reports that the moderate increase in placement of farm workers in October was due to early citrus fruit harvesting in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Increase came amid the seasonal decline in most other

activities reported by local offices.

TEC filed almost 3,000 more farm jobs in October than September. Non-farm openings in October were down 6,727 from September and non-farm job placements were down 3,604 from the preceding month.

HOG CHOLERA — Both the State and Federal Departments of Agriculture are warning ranchers to be careful of hog cholera during winter. They report that hog cholera struck 19 Texas herds during October. A total of 1,684 animals in 19 infected and 23 exposed herds were disposed of during the month at a cost of \$46,300. Departments said that "Every outbreak that is located and eliminated this winter re-

duces the chance for spread next spring when movements of pigs will increase again."

DEMONSTRATORS — Texas' Board of Regents of State Senior Colleges endorsed the suspension of 10 Southwest Texas State University students by the school's president for participating in an unauthorized demonstration. Students were suspended by Dr. Billy M. Jones after they failed to break up a moratorium demonstration on university property. American Civil Liberties Union has said they will take the case to the courts.

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BRONCHO COLUMN

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DRILL TEAM NEWS

The Drill Team met Tuesday, December 16. Members are selling tickets for a 15-pound Christmas turkey. If anyone would like to buy a ticket each sells for 50¢ and can be purchased from any member of the drill team. The last day for buying one will be Thursday (today).

DR. JACK L. ROSE

OPTOMETRIST
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HAVE YOU HEARD

Candy, why don't you come in out of the snow or use "Head and Shoulders"?

— CHS —
Mrs. Bromley, home is the place to get dressed, not at school!

— CHS —
Creta, Jayne, and Pam, it's supposed to be hay, not cotton seed.

— CHS —
Willie, I've heard of being lead around, but with a sucker?

— CHS —
Creta, Bobby is just trying to make you jealous. I'll be ready at 8:00.

— CHS —
Saturday night, Bobby.

CONTEST WINNERS

The door decoration contest was a big success. Mr. and Mrs. Arling Cordell judged them Monday morning during activity period. The winners were: First—Spanish Club, Second—Sophomore class, Third—Senior class.

Thanks to everyone for making the halls so pretty for Christmas.

BASKETBALL TIME IS HERE

The time of year for basketball has finally arrived. This year the girls team is composed of: Myrtis King, Leann McCracken, Annette Alexander, Joyce Louis, Joann Smith, Dianne Cornell, Marcia Longan, Julia Taylor, Shellah McAnear, Pat Hastey, Carolan Barrow, and Margaret Reese.

The boys team is composed of: Charles Louis, Jim Moore, Bennie Reese, Steve Adams, Wayne Carter, Danny Hill, Brian Tucker, Jeff Howard, Ronnie Hill, and Mack Tomlinson.

CHRISTMAS

From all of us to all of you—Merry Christmas. Our sentiments are expressed below.

Steve Lewis — Christmas is the most cheerful season of the year.

Melissa Estes — Christmas is a time of getting pleasure from giving.

Betty Dromgoole — Christmas is a time to be thankful for being alive in a place where we can have freedom to say what we want, and to be the person we really are.

Pat Hill — Christmas is a time for good food!

A SAFE CHRISTMAS

During the hustle and bustle of the Christmas holidays, people are busy getting things in order for the big day. In their rush, many people are careless. Because of this carelessness, many accidents will happen.

During this time of gaiety, do not let tragedy strike because you did not do the job right the first time or because you thought you did not have time. Do not be the cause of someone's getting hurt.

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candles; make sure they do not set the curtains on fire.

This is the time of family reunions and gatherings, but make sure these gatherings are not at the side of someone who is hurt because of carelessness.

This is the time of the year of remembrances, so remember to take all safety precautions, and have a happy and healthy holiday season!

LELIA LAKE NEWS

Mrs. Pauline Roberts

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. Dickey Moffitt and Mary Lynn of Memphis visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Floyd in Lazbuddie. While there they went pheasant hunting with good results.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sweeney of Dumas visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Aten. They formerly lived here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hunt and Stacy of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dishman.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Turpin of McLean visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith and Shelia shopped in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Head and Eddie Jr. of Garland spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Head, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Head and family of Panhandle visited them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butler shopped in Amarillo Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brock of Bovina spent the weekend with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kinch Leathers. They also visited Mrs. Ruby McDowell in the Memphis Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDaniel spent the weekend in Nocona visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Nelson Jr. attended a Christmas party which was held Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Altman in Hedley.

M. E. Tyler is in Hall County Hospital. We hope he is better and will be able to come home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Sanchez shopped in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Snow who has been visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poole, for the past week returned to her home in Colorado Springs, Colo. Monday. LaMoss Springer of Hedley visited his cousin, Craig Shields, Sunday.

Earl Fox has been released from the Hall County Hospital and is now home. We hope he is much better.

Adell Hurst who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox, returned to her home in Wellfleet, Mass., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Asher, June, Bobby and Patrice Shields were in Amarillo Tuesday to see Santa Claus and attend to other business.

Glen Williams is in Adair Hospital in Clarendon. We hope to see him improved greatly and back home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Aten had business in Amarillo Thursday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dishman attended the funeral of a relative in Tulla Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Butler shopped in Amarillo Saturday.

Vida Shields, Joan Shields and Thelma Shields shopped in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mills visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mills and family, in White Deer Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Shields of Lawton, Okla., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shields.

Mrs. L. D. Aten and Mrs. Quinn Aten had business in Turkey Monday.

Adell Williams of Borger spent the weekend with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mace. While here he visited other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moore spent the weekend in Kelton visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Moore and family.

Mrs. Dorothy Butler and Mrs. Vera Tucker of Clarendon took all their children to Amarillo to see Santa Claus and do Christmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. U. V. Stephens made a business trip to Pampa Friday, and also welcomed a new grandson.

Americans eat almost 57 pounds of frozen foods a year, reports Gwendolyn Clyatt, Extension consumer marketing specialist. Most of this is prepared foods, juices and poultry.

Social Security News

By Travis C. Briggs

Q—My company plans to retire me at the end of this year. I will be 65 in January. When should I apply for my retirement insurance?

A—You may apply now for cash benefits and for Medicare. Even those persons who do not intend to retire at 65 should make a claim during one of the three months before the month they are 65. This will assure the protection of Medicare at the beginning of the month they become age 65.

Q—Do I have to pay income taxes on my social security benefits?

A—No. Social security payments are not subject to income taxes.

Q—I am now receiving my social security. I understand earnings of \$1680 or less in a year will not affect my check. If I should take a parttime job covered by social security, would

I have to pay the social security tax on my wages?

A—Yes. Your wages would be subject to social security taxes.

Q—I saw in the paper where social security beneficiaries are going to get a raise in social security payments. How much will it be, and when does it start?

A—The President has recommended an increase for everyone, and Congressional leaders have said they favor it. However, the date and amount of an increase will not be known until a law is passed.

At that time, it will be widely publicized.

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Society NEWS

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Good Neighbors Club Christmas Party

The Good Neighbors Club met for a Christmas party Friday, December 12 in the home of Emma Davis. All 10 members were present. We have had a wonderful year of quilting and visiting in the homes.

Bessie Holton was elected president for another year. Members voted to send a quilt to Giristown at Whiteface for Christmas this year.

As the program Mrs. Bingham read from the Bible after which gifts were distributed to everyone from the beautifully decorated tree.

Refreshments of candy, cookies, sandwiches, punch, and coffee were served to Tressie Hughes, Carrah Mixon, Lada Warren, Rosa Bingham, Jewell Sickles, Maggie Easterling, Florence Harp, Alta Spradlin, Bessie Helton and the hostess, Emma Davis.

Everyone reported a good time. The next meeting will be January 9, 1970. Rep.

H. D. CLUB TO MEET

The Home Demonstration Club will meet Friday at the home of Mrs. C. H. Darling for its annual Christmas party. Meeting time will be 2:30 p.m. There will be a Christmas program. Rep.

CHAMBERLAIN CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ivey and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lindley will host the meeting at the Chamberlain Community Center Friday night, December 19, at 6:30 p.m. Each person bring a pie for refreshments. Hostesses will serve drinks. Rep.

Silverfish thrive in damp, cool places. The best control, according to Extension home management specialists, is commercially prepared sprays or dusts, or sodium fluoride bait. This is the best time of year to begin control.

GOLDSTON QUILTING CLUB MET DECEMBER 11

The Goldston Quilting Club met in the lovely Christmas decorated home of May Pearl McDonald, Thursday, December 11, for the Christmas party. Pollyannas were revealed and all exchanged gifts by number.

Refreshments of hot tea, coffee, cake, candy, cookies, and mixed nuts were served to Lilia Roberts, Della Allen, Quata Phillips, Lena Mae Graham, Nora Helm of Phillips, Eleanor Martin, Blanche Gray, Bonnie Davis, Johnnie Bryson, Joy Roberson, Christine Christopher, and little Todd Roberson, and Tommy Bible by the hostess, May Pearl McDonald.

Nora Helm, who recently lost everything in a fire was showered with several nice and useful gifts. All had a very nice time and wishes were given for a happy Christmas and a good New Year.

Driving on controlled-access divided highways is considered 2.5 times as safe as on older, conventional highways.



Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent sorrow. For the beautiful service, floral offerings, and other kindnesses, we are deeply grateful. The family of Carroll B. Hudson

We would like to express our humble thanks to all of you who helped us so much during our time of sorrow. We appreciated all of the food, flowers and other kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of Edith Lynette and Jimmy Don Lockeby.

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AUTUMN GLOW—Lush cotton velour in glowing fall colors offers the ideal combination for campus wear: stylish good looks with all the comfort of cotton. At left, a long-sleeved style with striped trim at neck and sleeves echoed in a dashing tie belt. At right, contrasting stripes parade across a short-sleeved skimmer. Both by Knitique.

LANDSCAPING— A LONG TERM INVESTMENT

Everett E. Janne
Extension Landscape Horticulturist
Texas A&M University

Are you interested in realizing a return of \$1000 on a \$200 investment within ten years? You can do it by using trees and shrubs adapted to the area in a correctly planned home landscape.

To make sure trees and shrubs are properly placed, it is essential that a landscape plan be developed before planting. If you are building a new home, it's best to design the landscaping before the new house is constructed. Funds for landscaping should be allocated in the budget.

It is not too late to develop a plan even after the house is several years old. Renovation of the existing plan can be done anytime the need arises. Consider the various use areas of the yard. Are these areas being used to their fullest potential? The approach or public area

is usually considered first as it provides the setting for the home. Don't hide the house by planting a forest in the front yard. Remember a tree or shrub must have room to grow and develop in order to attain its full potential in beauty and usefulness. Simplicity should be the keynote of your design.

The major emphasis should be on the development of the outdoor living area. When designing this area, keep in mind the special needs and interests of the various members of the family. It should be designed so that the homeowner will have time for relaxation and enjoyment instead of using all his spare time for maintenance. Generally, the outdoor living area will be in the back yard and screened with a fence, wall or shrubs to provide privacy. For convenience, it should be readily accessible to the living or family room so a feeling of unity between the two areas can be achieved.

An outdoor work area is also a necessity for most homes. It should be convenient to the work area of the house, that is

near the kitchen, utility room and garage. It is usually screened from public view. Depending upon the requirements of the owners, it may include space for a garbage can rack, tool storage facilities and compost box.

For maximum returns on your investment, it is best to consult a professional landscape architect. If this is inconvenient or you enjoy doing the planning and planting, there are many excellent references on home landscaping available in the garden section of your favorite book store or library.

Cottonseed Is a High Protein Feed

Whole cottonseed may be used as a source of protein and energy when the price of a pound of cottonseed does not exceed the cost of two-fifths of a pound of cottonseed meal and three-fifths of a pound of ground sorghum grain, reports County Agent, Ronald Gooch.

He said the question of feeding cottonseed is often asked during this time of year. Cottonseed, he added, is a 20 percent crude protein feed. Four pounds of seed will furnish as much protein and more than twice as much energy as two pounds of 41 percent cottonseed meal. But no more than four to five pounds of cottonseed should be fed daily per head to mature cattle, the county agent noted.

If cattle are fed too much cottonseed, they may scour badly due to the high oil content of the seed. There is no advantage in grinding cottonseed when feeding it to cattle, advises the county agent.

Xi Lambda Xi Awards Green Stamps

Xi Lambda Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi awarded fourteen books of Green Stamps to Mrs. Margaret Waldrop Saturday, December 13. Proceeds from the ticket sales will be used to purchase tables for the annual Queen of Hearts Charity Ball.

Thanks are extended to everyone participating and helping in the support and success of this project.

Most wild turkeys can be sexed and aged by the size and other characteristics of the lower leg.

Social Security

(Have you a question about social security? Address it to: Travis C. Briggs, District Manager, Social Security Administration, 1006 Adams Street, Amarillo, Texas 79101. You will receive an answer in this column or by mail.)

In the holiday season, many business are hiring extra and part-time employees. Travis C. Briggs, social security manager, reminds area employees of the need for these employees to have a social security number.

Most employers correctly report their regular employees, but some of the part-time and extra employees do not have their numbers, or some of the women employed have had a name change since they secured their number.

Briggs cautioned that an employee can fail to receive credit for his wages on his social security record if they are not reported correctly. Employees needing a social security number, or a card with a correct name, can secure one by contacting the local social security office at 1006 Adams, Amarillo, telephone 278-5151, or by contacting their local post office for the proper application forms.

Q.—I am planning a long vacation through the United States now that I am retired. If I am injured or become ill while in another state and require hospitalization, will my Medicare hospital insurance help with my total bill?

A.—As long as the hospital you enter is one that participates in Medicare, it does not matter where it is located in the United States. All participating hospitals, whether non-profit, proprietary, or government, operate under the same rules and regulations concerning Medicare payment and unless you are hospitalized for over 60 days, your hospital insurance should pay all covered costs except the first \$44, which is, of course, your responsibility.

Q.—My Medicare Handbook

lists home health benefits under both Part A (hospital insurance), and Part B (medical insurance). Are these benefits available locally?

A. There is a home health agency in Amarillo. These services are available only upon referral from your doctor. Your Medicare Handbook explains how you can qualify for these benefits.

Q.—I have been covered by Medicare since March of last year, but have never filed a claim on my doctor bills. How

do I send in a claim? A.—If you will bring the doctor bills to our office, a representative will assist you in filing your first claim and will explain how you can submit claims in the future.

"Low calorie foods" are being used by 64 per cent of U. S. housewives, report Extension food and nutrition specialists. Low-calorie canned fruits are used by 32 per cent of the families compared to 16 per cent in 1965.



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Caution Urged in Grazing Chemically Treated Cotton Fields

It is a well established fact that pesticides and other chemicals are essential for profitable cotton production in Texas. Agricultural chemicals, points out John Thomas, Texas A&M University Extension entomologist, are commonly used as herbicides, insecticides, defoliants and desiccants. They are very effective, he adds, for the purposes intended but producers should also be aware of certain limitations and hazards associated with their use. Fields treated with most defoliants, desiccants and insecticides, and some herbicides should not be grazed by livestock following the harvest of the cotton crop, reminds Thomas.

Some of these chemicals are highly toxic and death losses can occur when treated fields are grazed. Besides causing direct death of animals, chemical residues from treated fields may contaminate meat or milk making them subject to seizure under state and federal regulations, explains the entomologist. It is the producer's responsibility emphasizes Thomas, to adhere to the specific restrictions on grazing fields treated with any pesticide or harvest-aid chemical. Label directions for usage, limitations should be studied and understood and the material should be used only in accordance with container label instructions. If any doubt exists concerning use of grazing restrictions, Thomas suggests a visit with the local county agent or a representative of the chemical company from which the material was purchased.

Texas Has Five New Champion Trees

Four new tree species and five new Champion Big Trees, including a National Champion, have been recorded in Texas Registry of Big Trees, according to John A. Haislet, Texas Forest Service, College Station. Purpose of the Big Tree program, which is conducted by the Texas Forest Service, a part of The Texas A&M University System, is to locate outstanding examples of the more than 200 tree species growing in Texas; obtain the tree owner's cooperation to protect and preserve the trees as landmarks for future generations to enjoy; and to stimulate interest in and a greater appreciation of trees.

The National Champion, a Pyramid Magnolia (Magnolia pyramidata) in Newton County, has been listed by the American Forestry Association, Washington, D. C., as the largest of its species in the nation. The tree is owned by the Newton Lumber Co. and is located behind the Newton Wildlife Kingdom office about 10 miles southeast of Newton, near the Jasper-Newton County line. Its measurements are: circumference at 4 1/2 feet above ground, 76 inches; height, 60 feet; and crown spread, 37 feet. New tree species added to the State Champion Tree Registry of Texas are Sugar Maple (Acer saccharum), Carolina Laurel-cherry (Prunus caroliniana), Laurel Oak (Quercus laurifolia), and Black Willow (Salix nigra). The first three trees are located on the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation near Livingston, in Polk County and the Willow is

near Boykin Springs; on the Angelina National Forest, in Jasper County.

Four former State Champions have been dethroned by larger specimens. A Hackberry (Celtis occidentalis) in front of Rusa Taylor residence, 3/4 mile north of Crockett on State Highway 21 in Houston County, replaces a Hackberry near Moss Hill, in Liberty County.

A Two-Winged Silverbell (Halesia diptera) in a Roadside Park, 1 1/2 miles south of Jasper on US 96, replaces the previous champion located near Shepherd in San Jacinto County.

An Eastern Cottonwood (Populus deltoides) on the east side of the Trinity River about 24 miles southwest of Crockett in Houston County replaces the present champion in Parker County near Weatherford.

The Planer Tree (Planera aquatica) on Kirby Lumber Corporation land in Hardin County was replaced by a larger specimen found on the Davy Crockett National Forest in Houston County.

Texas now has 91 tree species listed in its Champion Big Tree Registry of which 28 are the largest of their kind in the nation.

Only about half of Texas' native tree species are listed in the Registry and new listings are especially welcomed. A list of the State and National Champion Big Trees of Texas, contest rules and nomination forms are available Service, College Station 77843.

It reports that last year 4,232,000 acres burned from a total United States forested area of 1,165,039,000 acres. In 1967, the acreage burned was 4,658,586 acres. (Source: United States Department of Agriculture.)

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic Primary May 2, 1970. All announcement fees must be paid in advance.

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Cotton Classing News

Harvest has resumed in the area with clearing weather and sunshine. As of December 12 the Memphis classing office reported 15,510 samples worked the past week bringing the total to 65,588. Grades remained the same as last week with Light Spotted predominating. Weather conditions will be reflected in cotton harvested this week. Staples showed 30% in the 15/16 bracket, 31% in the 31/32 bracket, and 35% 1 inch and longer. Mike readings remained predominately 3.5 to 4.9. Markets continued strong with prices ranging from 20.32 to 19.69. Cottonseed continued to bring \$49 per ton at gin points.

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ASHTOLA NEWS

Mrs. Hubert Rhoades

Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary Friday by attending a business luncheon in Tulsa. Friday night they spent in Dimmitt with Mrs. Mildred Hinderson and son, J. C. Hinderson. Congratulations, folks!

Those calling in the T. A. Nelsons Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Caffee of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horschler of Dalhart.

Mrs. J. R. Graham visited Mrs. Nuford Dill Monday afternoon.

Buford Holland of Hedley visited the Leon Fosters Monday and Mrs. Leon Foster visited her mother, Mrs. Dovie Meador Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley visited Wednesday afternoon with the Paul Schulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Clet Hansard of Memphis spent Sunday with the R. R. Partains.

Derlene Crump of Clarendon visited Tuesday with Mrs. Mary Belle DeBord.

R. R. Partain visited Nuford Dill Wednesday. Mr. Dill made a business trip to Memphis Wednesday.

Mrs. Veda Mahaffey was released from Adair Hospital Monday.

Mrs. Lena Mae Graham visited the Leon Fosters Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Partain were in Amarillo with Rudy Monday and Tuesday. Rudy was released from High Plains Baptist Hospital Wednesday after surgery to correct vision problems from the car accident he had recently. He is recuperating at home.

Hugh Mahaffey has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Dora Joyner of Amarillo

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People, Spots In The News



EEEE! Four-story floating restaurant squeezes through causeway bridge at Miami Beach en route to new site.



WELCOME BACK! Sharon Hartwell, 3, goes for Animal Crackers, restored with other National Biscuit goodies after absence caused by strike.



GRIM vignette of Vietnam war is Montagnard boy on hunt in army rubbish dump.

'WRITE TO THE POINT' is admonition of John Stair, copy chief of Carl Byoir & Associates, leading public relations firm. It's also title of his new book of writing tips and guidelines.

spent a few days with Mrs. Ollie Nelson and Mrs. Luvella Kooz. Mrs. Ruby Jewel Hardin and Mrs. Lena Mae Graham visited Mrs. Nuford Dill Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahaffey and Hugh and Mrs. Blanche Higgins had lunch Wednesday with the Hubert Rhoades.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Lewis have moved to the big house at SJ Ranch and the Harold Moores have moved to their house. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lewis and Shane of Guyton, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lewis and children of Claude visited and helped with the moving.

Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday.

Mrs. Ralph Keys called on Mrs. Leon Foster Wednesday morning. The Leon Fosters made a business trip to Memphis Wednesday afternoon.

Gary Dean Bible reported for duty with the U. S. Army at Ft. Ord, Calif., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milligan of Amarillo called on the H. S. Mahaffeys Friday.

Mrs. Pearl Self and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Meyers visited Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Roehr and children of Samnorwood spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Chet Roehr and visited the J. B. Lanes Saturday evening before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nuford Dill visited Saturday night in Clarendon with Raymond and Iva Dea Hinkle and Stella Goode.

Herman Vinson of Pampa visited the week end with his mother and family, Mrs. Irene Vinson.

Mrs. Leon Foster visited Thursday with Mrs. Odell Wallace and Mrs. LaQuita Lewis of Mena, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox attended the Palo Duro High School Mechanics class banquet in Amarillo Saturday night as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Reynolds.

Horace Green accompanied his mother, Mrs. Joe Green of Canyon, and brother, Billy Jack Green of Umbarger to Iowa Park

noon with Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Doerrie of Vegas spent the week end with the Horace Green family. Jerome attended a Physics Workshop at the College Saturday.

Mrs. A. H. Moore accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Van Knox to Amarillo Sunday afternoon to see the Little Theatre performance of "They Were Too Late" in which Mrs. Jean Moore, Dean of Women at WTSU had a part.

Bobby Lynn, Vinson of Ft. Eustis, Virginia is home on a 15 day leave.

Mrs. Pauline Jones of Clarendon and Buford Holland of Hedley visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fosetr.

Mrs. Vernia Bible and Dale of Canyon spent the week end with the Clovis Bibles.

H. S. Mahaffey, Frank Mahaffey and Hugh made a business trip to Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Laymon Hightower and children of Groom spent the week end with the George Greshams.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bates and Mrs. Lena Mae Graham visited Sunday evening at church with Mrs. Mae Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Horschler of Dalhart called on the Hubert Rhoades Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis of Clarendon visited Saturday with the Leland Lewis family.

Mary Ellen Green was among the music class that attended the musical activities at the Civic Center in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mahaffey and Hugh visited Saturday night with the R. A. Whites in Clarendon and played 42.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Partain and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades had coffee and cake with Mrs. Blanche Higgins Sunday night after church.

Mrs. Floyd Shannon of Guyton, Okla., and Mrs. Kate Jones of McLean visited Sunday afternoon with the H. S. Mahaffeys.

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Joe Miller was a Claude visitor last week.

Mrs. W. M. Boston made a business trip to Wellington Friday. Dudley Christian, James R. Lovell, Lynita and Johnny of Dumas visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lovell Sunday.

The Goodnight Community is holding its annual Christmas party this evening.

Lyn and Vickie Cope went to Amarillo for Christmas shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Tyler called on the D. C. Pedens last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Clack made a trip to Amarillo one day last week.

Mrs. Young and her mother-in-law were Sunday evening visitors in the home of Mrs. W. M. Boston.

The H. M. Horschlers made a business trip to Hedley Saturday.

We are sorry to hear Mrs. L. O. McGehee has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bailey are expecting friends and relatives this week to help them celebrate the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Palmer, Ward and Lee Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lewis, David and Steve went Christmas shopping in Amarillo Friday night.

Debbie Kollmar called on Mrs. Boston Sunday.

Mrs. Alda Hudson had callers in her home last Sunday evening.

Mrs. L. A. Watson, Mrs. Bob

GOODNIGHT NEWS

Lee Ann Palmer

Congratulations to the CHS Basketball boys.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McGehee visited in the W. R. Clark home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morgan of Claude were Sunday visitors of Mrs. W. M. Boston.

The C. C. Horschlers of Dalhart were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Horschler Sunday.

We are sorry Mrs. C. C. Bailey has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Ben Lovell called on her mother, Mrs. W. A. Poovey, Saturday.

Mrs. Lee Palmer and Ward, also Mrs. W. R. Varbie shopped in Amarillo Thursday

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Cole, Tim and Shanna visited Wednesday in White Deer with Mrs. Wesley Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lyles visited her sister, Mrs. Eugene Furgerson in Hall County Hospital Wednesday night.

Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and Beth and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole and children were dinner guests Sunday with Mrs. Wes Sullivan.

Mrs. Marshall Harp left Saturday for Lubbock to spend the holidays with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harp and children.

Norma Self of Canyon visited her mother, Mrs. Pearl Self, over the week end.

Mrs. L. O. Christie and Mrs. Marshall Harp visited with their mother, Mrs. Jacobs, in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baten of Pampa visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bell of Chillicothe visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lyles and Melinda.

Mrs. Lloyd Risley and Connie Schollenbarger drove Leane Risley back to Amarillo Monday and shopped.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott shopped in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lois Putman and Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott played 42 with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Spivey Saturday night.

Mrs. Ruby Jewel Hardin visited one morning last week with Mrs. Melba Risley.

Richard Thornberry had lunch Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Risley, Leane and Jim.

Mrs. Raymond Waldrop attended a Sunday School class party in the home of Mrs. Alvin Hicks Monday night.

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Mrs. Raymond Waldrop

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HEDLEY NEWS

Mrs. Mabel Bridges

Mrs. Edith Bain is visiting Mrs. Vera DeWeese in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Ima Brumley is home after undergoing surgery in a Quanah Hospital.

Miss Jessie Davis is a patient in Hall County Hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Earl Wheatley underwent surgery in Hall County Hospital Thursday. She is doing fine.

Mrs. Jap Shaw and Mrs. Kenneth Taylor attended funeral services for Mrs. O. B. Sharp in Amarillo Monday.

Glendon Cherry of Amarillo visited the T. J. Cherrys Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Acor of Santa Anna, Calif., visited a short time Wednesday with Hedley friends.

Mrs. Roy Jewell is spending a few days with her daughter, the

V. C. Hopson family, Dimmitt. Mr. and Mrs. Ned Grimsley attended funeral services for his granddaughter, Mrs. Glenda Wincompleck, in Amarillo Saturday. She will be remembered in Hedley as Glenda Anderson, daughter of Olen Anderson of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Koose Woodruff and friends from Fort Worth enjoyed a Pheasant hunt at Stratford over the week end.

The Bill Bridges family of Amarillo spent the week end with Mrs. Mabel Bridges.

Mrs. Bill Bridges is slowly improving from her car accident several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hartwell of Amarillo spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Nora Hartwell. Mrs. Paul Lair attended a bridal shower in McLean Saturday afternoon honoring Miss Jeaneane Jones, bride-elect of Jerry Koontz of Clarendon.

Mrs. Clifford Johnson and Danny Bernardin made a business trip to Childress Monday.

The Hedley Lions Club met Thursday night of last week.

George Bourns and Leonard Selvidge of Clarendon presented the program. It was on Clarendon College.

A fried chicken supper was served at last Tuesday night's meeting of the Hedley Post of the American Legion. The Post now has 70 members with dues paid in advance for 1970. The Post's quota is 100.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stafford shopped in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. C. L. Johnson and Mrs. Opal Evans shopped in Amarillo Thursday.

Visitors at the United Methodist Church Sunday, Dec. 14 were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myers of Lelia Lake, Mrs. R. L. Lester of Memphis, Dr. Don Cox of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. Ronald Doherty and Mrs. Preston Gilbreath.

Mrs. Merlene Sargent and Mrs. Dottie Bogue are in Temple this week going thru the Clinic.

NEW AND USED TYPEWRITERS & ADDERS AT THE LEADER

CHAMBERLAIN NEWS

Mrs. A. O. Hott

Mrs. Emmett Daugherty of Chula Vista, Calif., arrived Saturday night to visit her brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright and attended funeral services for Mrs. Will Lott.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hardin went to Wellington Thursday and Friday to visit her sister, Miss Kathryn Turner. Miss Turner is not doing well at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Dozier Sunday. He felt some better.

Mrs. A. B. Ivey is not feeling well at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wylie of Marysville, Calif., and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Wylie of Pampa returned to their homes Thursday after spending several days with their sister, Mr. and

Mrs. A. B. Ivey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott visited Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Smith Friday night.

Mrs. Morris Crump and boys and Mrs. Larry Crump and children visited their sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Bolin and children, in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Busby of Lockney visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williams, Sunday. Junior Mann of Amarillo ate lunch Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dingler. In the afternoon, Gene Grimland and Don Hedgecoke of Amarillo visited with the Dinglers.

Mrs. Vivian Phelps and Kevin of Amarillo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomason.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hatfield and Lanell of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ivey, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Emmons of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Lindley Friday night.

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GULF COAST DISASTER AREA—When vicious Hurricane Camille tore into the Mississippi and Louisiana Gulf Coast, thousands found shelter, food, and clothing in hundreds of Red Cross shelters such as this. Designated the official disaster agency for the nation, the American Red Cross will be providing emergency care and long-term assistance for all those who need it. Red Cross hopes to raise a minimum of \$15,000,000 for Gulf hurricane relief. More fortunate Americans can aid Red Cross in this gigantic humanitarian task by sending their contributions, small or large, to the nearest Red Cross chapter;



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Our thoughts are kind of like good soil they need to be turned over once in awhile in order to make a good crop.

Memory is that which reminds us that we have forgotten something which we can't recall.

The first time we ever attempted to get a political payoff was when we carried an apple to the teacher.

The worst kind of indigestion is that caused from having to eat our own words. This is another good reason for making them tender and sweet.

A diplomat is said to be a fellow that can think twice before saying nothing.

If we keep our shoes polished we at least shine on one end.

GOLDSTON NEWS

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Rhoades and Mr. and Mrs. Doss Finley of Ashtola played 42 Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lockwood of Amarillo spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown. All spent the week end in Oklahoma City and attended the National Rodeo finals.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ledbetter visited Wednesday evening with Ed Smith in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Ed Smith of Pampa spent last week in St. Anthony's Hospital where he had a medical check-up. Mr. Smith is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Ed Ledbetter.

Mrs. Roy Roberson and grandson, Todd Roberson, spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Sullivan and children of Adrian.

Mrs. John White had coffee with Joy Roberson Friday morning.

The club had a nice Christmas party last Thursday at May Pearl McDonald's home. We had some new members and we want to welcome them to our club.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield spent Sunday with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Littlefield and children of Vega.

Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin Bray of Dallas visited Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hulsey and boys of White Deer and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith of Pampa visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ledbetter.

We are sorry to report that little Vanell Littlefield is in Groom Hospital. We hope she will soon be able to come home.

Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield and children shopped in Amarillo Saturday and visited with Doyle's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dwane Littlefield and family of Amarillo.

Mrs. Sid McElroy visited Wednesday morning with Joy Roberson.

Mrs. Dennis Harrison exhibited her husband's artifacts and her art at the Clarendon College Sunday. Mrs. Harrison reported a very interesting show.

Mrs. Larry Hicks, sister-in-law of Mrs. Dennis Harrison, re-

mains in the hospital but is better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gurvis Kennard and Jennifer in Amarillo.

An anti-aging pill, modern solution to the Fountain-of-Youth, some day may be available, reports Extension specialist for aging Minnie Bell. Research on use of pills or treatment by radiation may help keep the body younger longer.

The more water poultry contains the less meat Mrs. Home-maker gets for her food dollar. Birds with the U. S. Department of Agriculture inspection mark contains a minimum amount of water necessary for shipping and processing safely.

College costs are going up again. Tuition, room and board bills are running about seven to eight per cent higher than last year, Extension Home Management Specialist Linda Jacobsen reports on a survey from the Institute of Life Insurance.

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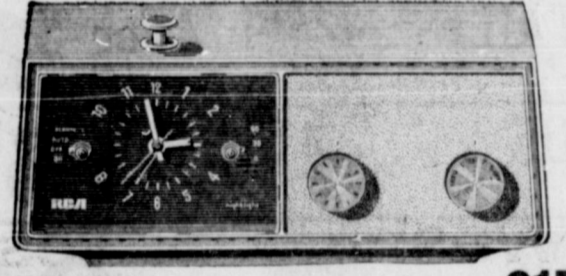


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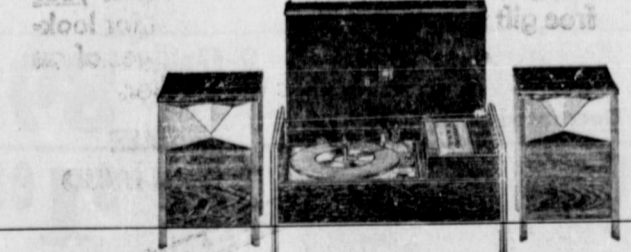
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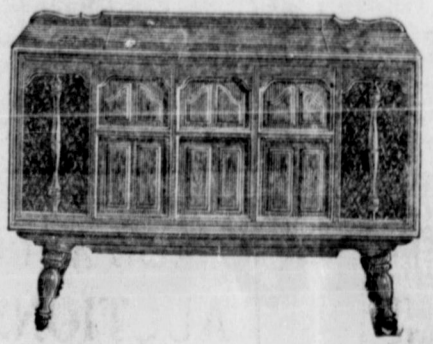
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Measurement Service

Let us remind you that a measurement service is available for wheat. Producers who have fields that are difficult to measure and are in doubt about the accuracy of their measurements should consider this service. We had several producers who lost money this year by failing to measure acreages correctly. Don't let this happen to

you. Guessing about acreages can cost you money either through over-planting or under-planting. Measurement service takes the guessing out.

Cotton Transfers

Transfers of 1970 cotton allotments due to sale, lease, or by owner may be made through December 31, 1969.

Holidays

This office will be closed Thursday, December 25th and January 1st. We would like to take this opportunity to wish each and everyone of you a Merry Christmas and a joyous and prosperous New Year.

C. L. LEWIS ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION AS JUSTICE OF PEACE

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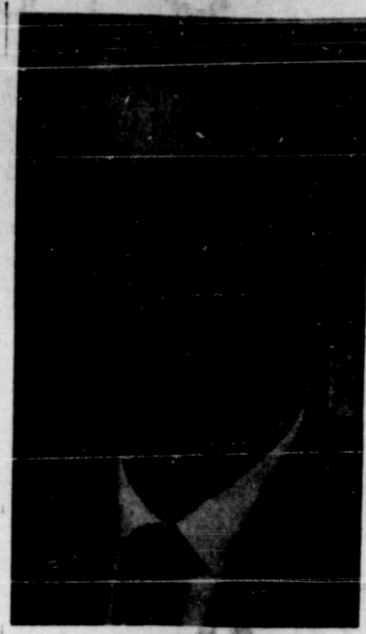
Copies of the 1970 edition of the Farmer's Tax Guide are available at your local County Agent's Office, according to Ronald Gooch, County Agent.

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.

JUNIOR HIGH HONOR ROLL

The name of one student was inadvertently left off the Junior High School Honor Roll last week. We would like to add the name of Jerry Holland to those listed in Section 8-A, with an A and B average.



W. F. FREY RECEIVES GILCHRIST AWARD

W. F. Frey, husband of the former Margaret Goldston and son-in-law of Mrs. Leck Goldston, was recently presented the 1969 Gilchrist Award at opening ceremonies of the 43rd Highway Short Course at Texas A & M University.

Frey, The Texas Highway Department's engineer of urban planning and a veteran of 20 years with the department, was nominated for evoving proce-

dural guidelines, training personnel, and enlisting community support in the preparation of 26 urban transportation studies underway in urban areas in Texas. He is a native of Stephenville and holds a B.S. degree in civil engineering from Texas A & M University and an M. S. degree from the University of Michigan. The award includes a \$1,000 benefit established by John S. Redditt, former chairman of the Texas Highway Commission.

WILLIAMS ANNOUNCES FOR COMMISSIONER OF PRECINCT NO. 4

The Leader has been authorized to announce the candidacy of Earl Williams for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct 4.

In making his announcement, Williams stated that he had been a resident of this precinct the past three years and was a son-in-law of the late Hugo Reimer, pioneer rancher of the Spade Flat area. He and Mrs. Reimer have three children, one married and two attending high school in Clarendon.

I will appreciate the support and vote of all qualified voters in Precinct 4, he added.

The Leader A Gift For Christmas

Greenbug Activity Evident in Area

Due to increased greenbug activity producers are urged to inspect their fields regularly for this insect and its damage. Under heavy infestations of this insect entire fields of small grains can be killed. Conditions during the past few weeks have been favorable for greenbug population buildups, according to County agent Ronald Gooch.

Greenbugs reproduce well at temperatures between 40° and 95° F. and predators and parasites that prey on greenbugs increase slowly at temperatures below 65° F. Thus, in cool weather the greenbug may increase to enormous numbers while its natural enemies multiply slowly.

Information on determining the need for applying an insecticide for control of greenbugs is given in MP-339, "Texas Guide for Controlling Insects and Mites on Grain and Forage Crops." This guide can be obtained at the county agricultural agent's office.

Insecticides listed in MP-339 for control of greenbugs are malathion, methyl parathion, parathion and phosphemidon. Since the guide was printed, disulfoton

(Di-Syston) has been cleared for control of greenbugs on wheat only. Disulfoton should be applied only once per season and treated fields should not be grazed. These insecticides are more effective when the temperature is about 50° F. Malathion is not as effective as disulfoton, methyl parathion and parathion but may be used where a less toxic material is preferred for ground applications.

Producers should read and follow closely information given on the label. Safety precautions in handling insecticides should be given careful consideration.

McANEAR TO GRADUATE AT STEPHENVILLE

Ronnie McAnear, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McAnear will be among the 131 candidates for degrees at graduation December 21 at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, Texas. McAnear is slated to receive the Bachelor of Science degree with a major in General Agriculture.

Ever see a racoon dip its food in water before eating it? Reason is not to wash the food but to facilitate digestion. This because the racoon has poorly developed saliva glands.

FIRE STATION BEING CALLED BY MISTAKE

Fire Chief Billy Jack Land reported this week that a number of calls had been made to the phone number, which is used to report a fire, by mistake which confuses the situation at the Fire Station. Those making the calls were using the emergency numbers in the first part of the phone book and were trying to call the Sheriff's office. If you will note, the first column of numbers is headed by Fire for the various towns served by the company and the last column to the right is for law enforcement agencies. The correct number for the Sheriff's office is 2233 or 3313 and the number to be used to report a fire is 3755. Your cooperation will be appreciated, Land stated.

If you have trash-collection service, wrap small containers of surplus pesticides in several layers of newspapers and place them in the trash can. Do not dispose of the surplus where it may be a hazard to fish and wildlife, say Extension home management specialists. Do not discard it outdoors or where it can contaminate water.

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