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Skyrockets, Sanford -Fritch in Bi District Fri.

After an absence of about a decade, Wellington Skyrockets return to bi-district playoff competition Friday night, Feb. 24, to meet Sanford-Fritch in neutral Wheeler, Coach Gano Wilson has announced Wednesday morning.

The game will be played in Mustang Gymnasium beginning at 7 p.m. The Skyrockets will be the visitors with fans sitting on the visitors side.

This long absence from the bi-distraict level has whetted the appetite of both Skyrockets and their fans for victory in that bracket--and beyond.

Coach Wilson urges Wellington fans to come along to Wheeler. "We need your help!" he declared. "It's been a long time since we've been to bi-district. If we win Friday night, you'll be part of it."

Sanford-Fritch goes into the game with a 26-1 record. The only school that has defeated them is Nazareth in a warm-up game.

Wellington takes a 17-11 season record and 9-2 second place district record onto Mustang court.

Also on Friday night, Memphis Cyclone will take its district 2-2A championship up against Gruver Geyhounds, who hold the No. 2 spot in District 1-A. That game will be played in Caprock High School gymnasium, Amarillo, starting at 7:30.

Bob Allen, junior high principal, said Wednesday morning he will take the student bus to Wheeler if there are enough students who want to go.

It will leave Wellington High School at 6 p.m. and the cost will be $1.00. Allen will be the driver. The bus can carry from 40 to 42 students.

Coach Wilson assessed the Bi-District game on Wednesday morning:

"We understand that Sanford-Fritch has flu among its players. So do we. Mark Hunnicutt was unable to make the warm-up game with Speaman Tuesday night."

"We have shot the ball pretty well all year and we have played good defense all year," but Wilson questions how this will hold up against SF Eagles big 6-7 player who likes a location under the goal, and three kids who can shoot the ball well from outside.

"We need your help," he told fans again. "If you've got a red and white suit, wear it Friday night. We need some help up there."

The winner of Wellington-SF game will go south to play the winner of the Lorenzo-Haskell game being decided this week.

Memphis will advance to play the winner of the Hale Center-Paducah game.

Wellington lost the District 2-2A championship to Memphis 59-43 in a game at Clarendon College Gym that provided more than on-court fireworks.

The Skyrockets were playing well until late in the second quarter and the score was 16-15.

An electrical fire in the gymnasium resulted in a 15-minute delay.

"When play resumed, the Rockets were cold and never could recover," Wilson commented.

"Memphis, who had not been playing very well up to that point, played a whole lot better."

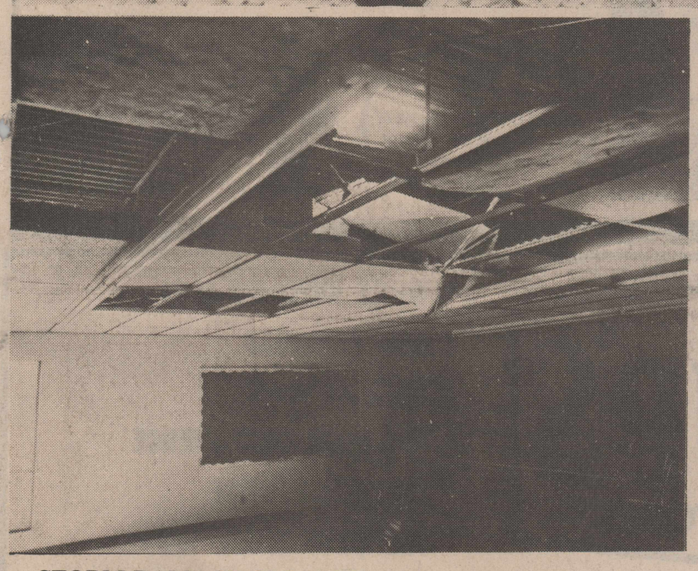
Wellington also dropped the warm-up game Tuesday night with Spearman 84-60.

"They are probably the best team we've faced all year," Wilson believes.

"They had a press breaker. They never got flustered when they were pressed. They could play good defense, they rebound-

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STORM DAMAGE CLEANUP

Wellington Volunteer Firemen, community volunteers and school personnel, top, clean the elementary school roof Saturday morning of debris from a hail and windstorm. From left are Shane Cobb, Billy Wilkerson, Kenneth McKay, Joe Thomas, Danny Davis, Donald Gray and Walter Clements. Below left, damage is visible in a classroom where heaters and air conditioners were ripped from the roof. Below right, volunteers move furniture and equipment from a classroom to temporary quarters.

Service Thursday for Crash Victim

Funeral services for Laci Rena McCloy, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monty McCloy, will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 23 at First Baptist Church in Spur, where members of Mrs. McCloy's family live.

Laci died at 9:50 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 18 after the pickup driven by her mother, was in a collision with a station wagon driven by David Siegler, 20, of Paducah, at the intersection of Highway US 62 and Texas Highway 70 in Matador, according to Highway Patrolman Dudley Steed of Matador.

Annette (Nan) McCloy and her two small sons, Clint, 2, and Matt, 9, were taken to Caprock Hospital, Floydada, and later transferred to Lubbock General Hospital.

Patrolman Steed said Mrs. McCloy's injuries were not as serious as at first believed, although she suffered from cuts, lacerations, facial and head injuries. She was due to be released from the Lubbock Hospital Wednesday. Two-year-old Clint has a broken jaw, for which he was treated at Lubbock. Both boys have cuts and lacerations but were reported doing well.

The family had lived on the McCloy ranch on Elm Creek about 10 year until August, when they moved to a ranch in the Lefors-Alanread area.

Kenneth Martindale of Samnorwood said the family was in the process of moving from Lefors to Dickens, where McCloy has been employed by the Pitchfork Ranch. At the time of his family's accident, he was

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Sky Falls on Elementary Building Friday

A small tornado or a strong straight wind in a hail storm peeled the southwest corner of the roof off of Wellington Elementary School Friday night, Feb. 17.

Supt. Kenneth McKay discovered the damage Saturday morning.

The storm ripped several air conditioners and heaters from the school roof and broke the gas line connected to the heaters. Gas apparently had flowed all night through a broken 3/4 inch line. There was no explosion or fire, however.

Storm winds blew away all roofing material down to the metal roof deck over the classrooms in the southwest corner of the building and over the library, and left the

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Reserve Officers Help In Variety of Duties

[Editor's Note: This is the first of a series of articles on volunteer groups in Wellington and Collingsworth County, a follow-up report on the Collingsworth Chamber of Commerce's Outstanding Citizen award which this year went to all of the county's volunteers.]

During their first year and a half of operation, Collingsworth County Sheriff's Reserve Officers have guarded prisoners at the hospital, helped transport prisoners, served on storm watches, assisted in handling evidence, refurbished emergency vehicles, assisted with traffic at sports activities, sponsored firearms training for women, and recently helped capture an escapee from a neighboring county's jail.

And it's an all-volunteer organization. Reserve officers are not paid for their services, and they have to furnish their own uniform, equipment, firearm, and radio.

And it's not a job that you just sign up for and begin work. Each reserve officer completes 70 hours of training before he receives his commission from the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Education. A reserve officer must complete 8 hours of firing range instruction and be re -certified each year on the range.

Training includes study of Texas motor vehicle laws, first aid, Texas criminal law, Texas drug laws and instruction in rules of evidence, criminal procedure, civil procedure and traffic.

And you have to keep working at it. To maintain their certification, reserve officers must put in 16 hours of volunteer work each month. Reserve officers must not have been convicted of D.W.I. in the last ten years and must never have been convicted of a felony.

Thirty-two men and women currently are certified as reserve officers in the county. They live in Wellington and throughout the county, and their varied locations help regular officers during storm season to maintain a county-wide alert, and are available to help quickly in any emergency situation. Reserve officers are assigned to duty with regular officers and they do not carry firearms unless they are on duty. Volunteers often ride with regular officers as a backup on night patrols. They do not issue traffic citations or confront law violators except as back-ups to regular officers.

Several of the reserve

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SHERIFF'S RESERVE VOLUNTEERS

Members of the Collingsworth County Sheriff's Reserve Officers display the 4-wheel-drive ambulance, jeep and pickup they have refurbished for use in emergency situations. Front row, from left, are Elmer Green, Johnny Barnett, Danny Gray, Walter Clements, Don Gray and Joel Sherwood. Seated, from left, are Patsy Gentry, Saundra James and Sue Brandvik. Standing at left, are Kenneth Davis, Olan Lowe, Randy Motsenbocker, Jimmie Barber, Kenneth Peeks and Gary Tarver. Standing at right are Eddie Davis, Billy Wilkerson, Howard McCann, John Green and Lynn Wauer.

Quail Fire Fighting Truck Demonstrated Sun.

The fire fighting truck purchased by the county for Quail Volunteer Fire Department came in during the weekend and on Sunday afternoon community residents turned out to see a demonstration of its capability.

Fire Chief Donald Langley expressed the pride of the community in having a volunteer department and the truck that is capable of giving protection through the west and southwest parts of the county.

Sunday, it became apparent that women as well as men of the community are involved in the fire department.

"Everybody will be accustomed to driving it," said Ben Carson, DVM, whose office is at a key location in Quail. "It may be that women will be the first to get a fire call and two or three of them can be the first to get the truck to a fire, get it hooked up and ready to fight a blaze before the men can get out of the fields and start to the fire," Carson explained.

He emphasized that safety will be foremost in fighting fires.

The new Quail vehicle was acquired through a Texas Forest Service program by the commissioners court.

It is a Jeep 5/4 ton truck, four-wheel drive, with 320 gallon water tank, 18 hp water pump, two 1½" water lines and one red line (1" line), Carson said.

"It will go anywhere and it will be good for grass fires as well as any other type of fires," he continued. "We will keep the tank full at all times, but it has the capability of pumping and refilling from ponds, stock tanks, or wherever there is water available," he said.

"We have lots of training to do and we will keep safety in mind at all times."

Quail firemen do not yet have uniforms and Carson and Langley report that the department will secure such equipment as bunker coats and hard hats, and in the long range will acquire a water tank and trailer that can be taken to fires.

"It's sure a comfort to the people out here to know we have a fire service," Carson declared.

The truck will be housed in a building available on the Quail Booster Club grounds, however, high winds blew off half the roof Friday night, and this will have to be recovered.

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officers are also certified as Emergency Medical Technicians and are available to help with emergency medical assistance.

One of the activities of the reserve officers has been repair and maintenance of 3 government-surplus vehicles for use in emergencies. The group maintains a 4-wheel-drive jeep, ambulance and pickup.

Another activity was sponsoring of a firearms class for women. Proceeds from the class were used to sponsor a training school for new reserve officers.

The 27 men and 5 women who currently are members of the reserve officers are Eddie Davis, reserve commander, Johnny Barnett, assistant reserve commander, Cary Don Neeley, reserve captain, John Green, lieutenant, Tommy Lindley sergeant, Jimmie Barber, Billy Jackson, Saundra James, Kenneth Peeks, Dale Tarver,

Billy Wilkerson, reserve captain, Danny Gray, lieutenant, Patsy Gentry, sergeant, Truett Owens, sergeant, Kenneth Davis, Robert Powell, Joel Sherwood, Gary Tarver, Richard Wauer,

Benny Carson, reserve captain, Elmer Green, lieutenant, Robert Coffee, sergeant, Walter Clements, Don Gray, Howard McCann, Louise Powell, Mark Tarver and Leon Martin.

Four Collingsworth County dispatchers are also certified as reserve officers: Robin Rainey, Sue Brandvik, Randy Motsenbocker and Olan Lowe.

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taking some things from Lefors back to the ranch on Elm Creek.

Mrs. McCloy and the children were to meet members of her family at Dickens and go to the house on Pitchfork Ranch, Martindale reported.

Seigler, a student in Texas Tech, was en route to his home at Paducah, according to Steed.

McCloy had served on the Samnorwood School Board, taught a Sunday School class and served as assistant Sunday School director at Samnorwood Baptist Church. Nan McCloy taught a Sunday School class, and was a member of Samnorwood PTO and the SWAT Club in Shamrock.

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ed well. They had two kids who could play underneath real well and they had three kids who could shoot the eyes out of if from the outside."

Kirby Pennon with 27 points was high point man for Wellington and for the game. Dwayne Culpepper had 16. Wilson said he was proud of the way the Skyrockets played.

"We had two lapses in the game. When we didn't get back on defense and they scored 14-16 points on us in that time. That made it easy for them. This would have been a good close game had it not been for those lapses."

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building open to wind and water damage.

The library was standing in two inches of water when volunteers and school personnel began clean-up operations Saturday morning.

The elementary school's computers were housed in the library and in the southwest classroom, but they did not suffer any damage, and there was apparently no damage to library books, although they are now out of sequence due to the hasty move.

The estimate of damage to the interior of the building and to instruction materials and books has not been completed yet. The school board did, however, at a special meeting Monday, accept Davis Welding and Constructions bid to repair the roof. That figure was over $6,000.

Classes from the damaged rooms have been moved to unused classrooms or have been combined with other classes until repairs are completed. Roof repairs have already begun.

Monday and Tuesday had previously been scheduled as teacher work days and student holidays, so school personnel worked through the weekend and Monday and Tuesday to prepare for classes to resume at their regularly scheduled time Wednesday morning..

Wellington Volunteer Firemen and other community volunteers assisted school personnel Saturday in clearing the roof of debris, hail and water in order to prevent more water damage.

Books were moved out of the library and damaged classrooms were cleared.

Most of the damage occured in the migrant program room, the two fifth grade rooms and the library.

Public Asked to Aid in History Publication

Evelyn King, chairman of the Collingsworth County History Book committee, has called on county residents to help in compiling this Collingsworth history book. The new publisher, selected recently is Taylor Publishing Co., Dallas.

"Everyone who lives in the county at the present time, everyone who has lived in the county and now lives elsewhere, everyone who has had a relative live in the county at any time, everyone from age one day to past 100 years of age and of all races may be included if the families are sent to us," she said.

"The more people involved, the more family histories counted, the more complete this book will be, and everyone is invited to contribute their stories," Mrts. King continued.

"Each family history can be up to but not over 500 words free space, with one family picture," Mrs. King continued. "This means one story for great-grandparents, one story for grandparents, one story for parents and one for the present family," she continued.

Each unit is asked to be written as a separate story.

Mrs. King also announced that the first publisher for the book has withdrawn from the project. "They said there was not enough public interest shown in this non-profit project which is backed by the Chamber of Commerce.

"Everyone is asked to bring the family histories as soon as possible to the Chamber of Commerce Office, or they can be mailed to that office, Box 267, Wellington, Texas 79095. They should be marked "History."

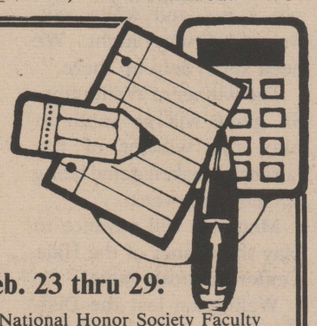
The stories will be turned over to the book committee.

A meeting of the commiottee is scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 23.



If your nose itches, some say, it is a sign that you will have a fight.

School Calendar



for the week of Feb. 23 thru 29:

***Thursday, Feb. 23:** National Honor Society Faculty Committee Meeting - 4:00 p.m.

***Friday, Feb. 24:** Sanford - Fritch playoff at Wheeler - 7:00 p.m.

***Saturday, Feb. 25:** Solo and Ensemble at West Texas State University.

***Wednesday, Feb. 29:** Junior High speech play - 3:00 p.m.

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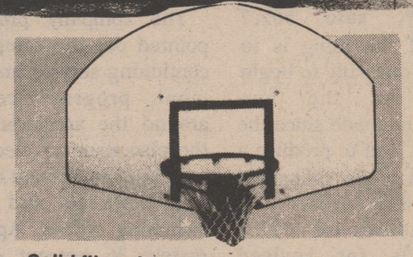
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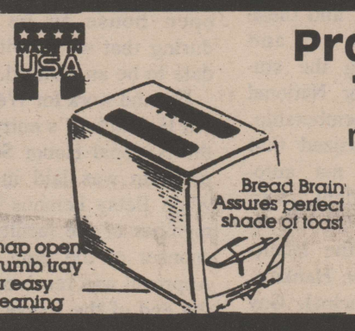
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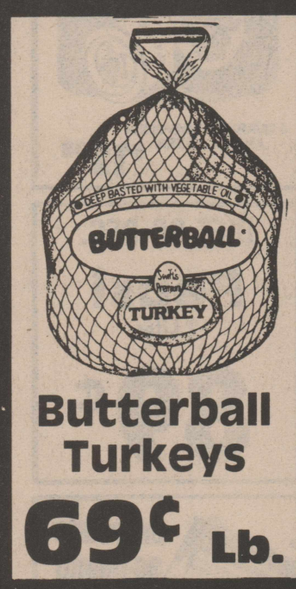
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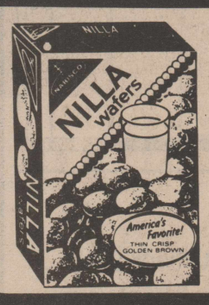
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GTE Asks for $84.8 Million Rate Hike

General Telephone Company of the Southwest Feb. 17 filed an $84.8 million request for new revenues with the Public Utility Commission of Texas. The Wellington and Dodson telephone exchanges are among those that will be affected.

In Wellington and Dodson, residential bills for one-party residential phones would increase from $8.55 to $14.10 per month under the proposed rate request, according to information released by company president E.L. Langley.

One party business rates would rise from the present $22.15 to a proposed $36.55

The proposed one-party residental rate of $14.10 is for exchanges in local rate ''Band 1,'' the lowest offered any town. There is no EAS (Extended Area Service) Exchange access rate band for either of these two towns, therefore nothing would be added to the $14.10 local rate band 1.

The exact amount would vary among the different communities served by the company over the state.

The proposed increase would affect 822,000 customers statewide, company officials said.

Only half of Collingsworth County is served by GTE. Telephone users north of Salt Fork River are served by Bell out of Shamrock, along with a few served out of McLean.

Langley, said $62.7 million of the filing is to allow the company to begin earning on the new investments made since the last filing, and to produce a fair return on the company's investment in Texas.

The additional $22.1 million is for revised depreciation rates that are more consistent with today's rapid technological changes and customer demands for accelerated change to more modern service, and to comply with recent Federal Communications Commission proposed accounting changes in regard to company-owned telephone instruments leased to customers at regulated rates.

''The new investment dollars were spent to expand the local network in order to meet the increase in the number of customers served, to improve and modernize service as required by the mandates of customers and the public utility commission, and to expand services to meet the needs of today's customers,'' Langley said.

The company president pointed out the company's continuing service improvement program centers around the acceleration of the placement of electronic switching equipment in both long-distance and local switching offices. Approximately 36 percent of the company's customers were served by the sophisticated and versatile systems at the end of 1983 with current plans to increase that percentage to around 53 percent by the end of 1984, to 68 percent by the end of 1985 and to 75 percent by the end of 1986.

At the same time, he said computerized testing equipment is being installed throughout the company which routinely identifies problems or potential problems in the local and long-distance network, often permitting corrective action before the customer is even aware that a problem exists.

He said the company's overall intrastate earnings are currently 10.8 percent compared to the 12.7 percent previously allowed by the commission. ''We have expended $253,746,000 for capital improvements in Texas during this period, which required the company to sell bonds at 12.75 percent interest.

''Continued earnings below the present cost of interest on borrowed money would force the company to reduce or even discontinue our programs. Rather than have that happen, we are seeking higher rates to support these expenditures.''

Langley said the company, as required, has proposed a number of recommendations for recovering the needed revenues.

''The rates we have proposed reflect changes that place the costs of individual services on the customers using the services rather than spreading some of those costs over the entire customer base,'' Langley said.

General Telephone last sought new revenues in Texas in February 1983 based on investment and expenditures for the year ending Sept. 30, 1982. The company was granted $32.5 million in increased revenues which were made effective May 19, 1983.

Langley also pointed out that the amount of new revenues granted affects how long it is before additional revenues are requested.



GARY WELLING

Gary Welling Joins Schooler-Gordon Staff

Gary Welling, 25, of Matador, has joined the staff of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors, Wellington, as a funeral director, according to Larry Adams, manager.

He succeeds Bobby Copeland.

Welling, who was born and grew up in Matador, graduated from Dallas Institute of Funeral Service August 19, 1980.

He worked for Seigler Funeral Home at Paducah and Matador, and since July 1983 he has been manager of the funeral home in Matador.

Welling, who is single, belongs to the Lions Club, and is active in civic work. He is a Baptist.

''We are glad to have Gary here,'' said Adams. ''We look forward to having him associated with our funeral home, for we feel he will fit into Wellington well. We'd like to have our friends come by Schooler-Gordon and meet him.''



A car that shifts manually has been estimated to get an average of two miles more per gallon of gas than a car with automatic shift.

Jr. High at UIL Practice Meet

Wellington Junior High Students in 6th through 8th grades attended the UIL practice meet at Memphis Wednesday, Feb. 8, Bob Allen, principal, announced.

Ready writing was the only event in which 6th graders competed at the meet.

Scott Covey placed first and Mycal Garcia second. Others participating were Tracey Kane and Wiley Fires.

Seventh and 8th grade students competed in three events and won first place in each.

Oral reading: Carrie Langford, 1st; Ronny Mote, 2nd. Others competing were Dana Isaacs and Dione Moore, alternate.

Ready writing: Shelly Thomas, 1st, D'Nae Keller, Dana Isaacs and Nickie Dodson, alternate.

Spelling: Thomas Crytser, 1st; Toni Bell, 3rd (tie), Tony Fike and Valerie Noakes, alternate.

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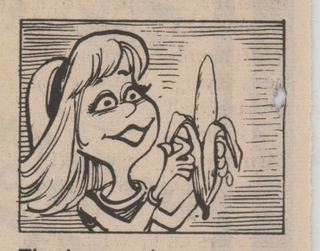
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E.B. Seale, Jr., and wife, Amey, to Kenneth E. Tramel and wife, Phoebe: 5 acres out of NW/4 sec 42, blk 15.

Quit-claim deed: Ocie Scott to R.P. Scott: lots 21, 22, blk 75, Wellington.



The banana does not grow on a tree. It grows on an herb—the largest known of all plants without a woody stem or solid trunk.

School Board Extends Contracts

Wellington School Board extended contracts for principals and the athletic director at regular board meeting Monday, Feb. 13.

The board extended the contracts for athletic director James Williams for 1 year, elementary principal Melvin Cardwell 1 year, junior high principal Bob Allen 1 year and high school principal Eddie Hankins 2 years.

The board adopted a calendar for the 1984-85 school year. The calendar is reproduced on another page in this issue.

The board tabled for further discussion a proposed contract with an Amarillo law firm to collect delinquent taxes.

The board also approved changes in its employment policies to conform to state and federal regulations on non-discrimination.

Elementary principal Melvin Cardwell reported that absences during the flu epidemic reached as high as 18 percent in elementary. Cardwell also said that traffic conditions when parents pick up children after school had improved after new guidelines were put into effect.

High school principal Eddie Hankins reported that the National Honor Society had been reactivated in high school. He also said that the date of the Junior-Senior Banquet had been changed to Thursday, May 17 at the request of participating students.

The board also reviewed natural gas consumption figures which have been unusually high this year because of extremely cold weather.

Present were board members Bill Spillman, Frances Schmidt, Reed Souder, John Barton, Carroll Nunnelley and Dan Langford. Kirby Campbell was absent.

LUNCHROOM

WELLINGTON

Monday, Feb. 27, breakfast: juice, dry cereal, buttered toast, half pint milk; Lunch: pigs in blanket with mustard, salad, mashed potatoes, green peas, ice box cookies, half pint milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 28, breakfast: applesauce, hot biscuits, butter, half pint milk; lunch: burrito with taco sauce, salad, whole kernel corn, half slice bread, apple cobbler, half pint milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 29: juice, cooked cereal, buttered toast, half pint milk; lunch: hamburger on a bun with mustard, lettuce, tomato, pickle and onion, oven fried potatoes with catsup, pears, cookie, half pint milk.

Thursday, Mar. 1, breakfast: juice, muffins, butter, half pint milk; lunch: turkey a la king, lettuce and tomato salad, Harvard beets, peaches, hot rolls and butter, half pint milk.

Friday, March 2, breakfast: juice, cooked cereal, buttered toast, half pint milk: lunch: macaroni with meat sauce, salad, green beans, buttered carrots, bot rolls with butter and jelly, half pint milk.

National Honor Society Formed

Membership in the newly-formed chapter of the National Honor Society is being extended to 18 sophomores, juniors and seniors in Wellington High School who meet the national required criteria.

The faculty council met last week and set up a scholarship requirement of a minimum grade point average for all high school at 88. The 18 who are invited to join are those with the 88 grade average, explained Deanna Van Pelt, the chapter advisor. These 18 have received applications for membership, and these must be filled out and returned, stating the student's desire for National Honor Society membership.

It was emphasized that membership is not automatic when a student has an 88gpa.

Members of the faculty council are Eddie Hankins, high school principal, Gay McAlister, Louis Graham, Judy Cudd, Frank Aue, Loyd Hays and Barbara Roberson.

Individuals completing applications will be considered for final selection on the basis of leadership, service and character, in addition to scholarship. The faculty council will review all applications and official letters of invitation to be inducted into the National organization of more than 20,000 chapters. Letters of invitation will be sent to all students selected by the faculty council.

''Membership is more than an honor,'' said Mrs. Van Pelt. ''It carries with it more than certain privileges. It incurs a responsibility and an obligation to demonstrate those outstanding qualities that resulted in individual selection.''

The 1983-84 service project of NHS will be the K-12 Academic Fair to be held during Texas Public School Week Monday through Friday, March 5-9.

The public is invited to view all projects during open house to be held during that week, with the date to be announced.

Ground work for Wellington Hgh School's entry into the National Honor Society program was laid in 1980 when Betsy Lemons was a member of the faculty and sponsor of the Beta Club. Approval was received near the end of the school year, however, Mrs. Lemons resigned to pursue another field of work, and the project was dropped the following year.

Pluto, the furthest planet from the sun, takes 248.8 Earth years to make an orbit around the sun.

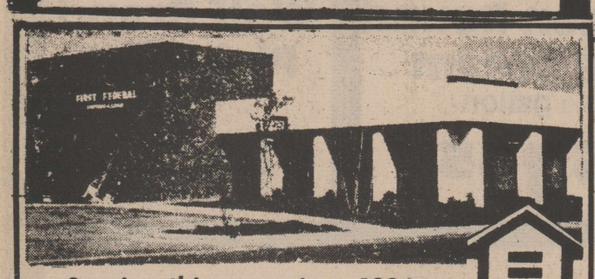
Theodore Roosevelt was America's first president to fly an airplane. The event took place in 1910, more than a year after he left the presidency.

Leader Readers

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VFW Gains Life Charter

Glynn Moore Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has received its Perpetual Post Charter No. 4310 indicating it has exceeded the required number of life members required for the charter.

Glynn Moore Post No. 6438 has 42 paid up life members out of a total membership of 141, Post Commander Ike Paschall reports.

The charter was presented to Paschall Sunday, Feb. 19, during ceremonies at the District 13 convention in Dimmitt. Making the presentation was Department representative Clyde Hall, a past department (state) commander and a former Wellington man.

"A post has the right to be proud when it attracts new members and when those new members become active and eventually become life members," Hall declared.

"The greatest honor a member can pay to his organization is in becoming a life member. In doing so, he is saying, 'The VFW has proven itself to me.'"

A post may earn its Life Membership charter (Perpetual Post Charter) by having at least 25 life members on its rolls. Glynn Moore Post far exceeds this with its 42 life members, points out Commander Paschall, who went overseas in World War II with the 1st Armored Division.

Going to the District meeting with Paschall were John R. Henard, Mrs. Henard, who is president of the Auxiliary Unit, J.R. Bowen and Monty Micthell.

The 42 life members from Glynn Moore Post are:

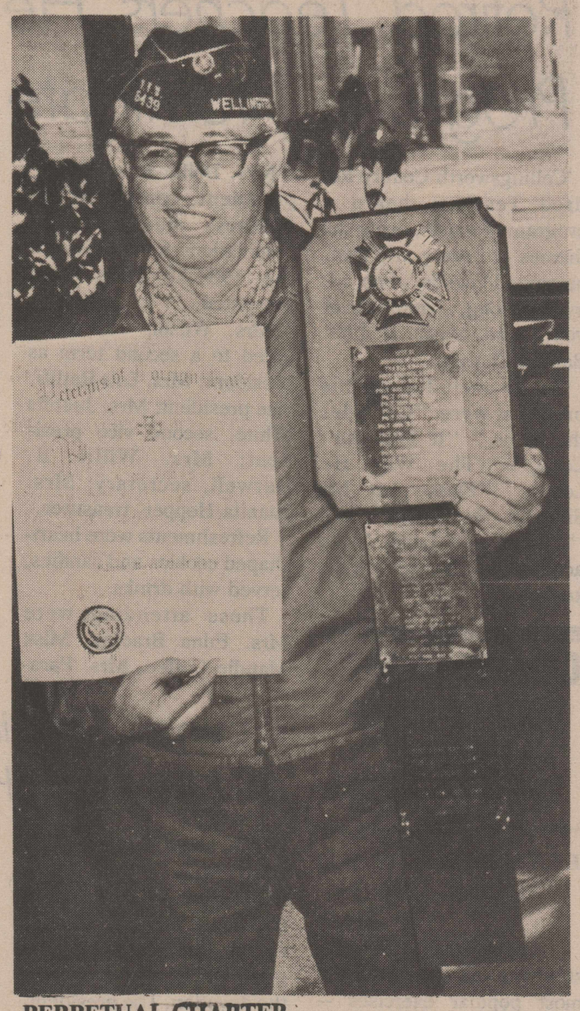
Don Jones, Donald M. Curry, Richard Fourmentin, Dennis Holland, A.J. Fires, Sam L. Adams, Ross O'Hair, Epifanio Castillo, Jr., William E. Anders, John R. Henard, Jr., Marvin Blevins,

Billy M. Sims, R.L. Mabery, Tony Stephens, John M. Brown, Douglas Coleman, Bob Sessions, V.H. Breedlove, Buster Hughes, M.W. Paschall, Ross A. Swift, Randolph H. Hunt,

Varion L. Hoggatt of Memphis, Howard A. Hunt, Clyde Alexander, Dudley Coleman, Earl C. Patterson, Dr. Chester L. Harrison of Hollis, H.L. Jenkins,

Sam H. Thompson, Monty Mitchell, J.P. Sikes, Clifton E. Hartman, Billy R. Hayes of Ft. Worth, Gene Morrow, Willie Robertson,

Dennis E. Cudd, Kenneth E. Kromer of Vinson Clifford C. Lowry, Guy W. Owens, John Holton and Cecil Shanks.



PERPETUAL CHARTER

M.W. Paschall, commander of Glynn Moore Post No. 6439, on Sunday, received on behalf of the post, the Perpetual Post Charter for the large number of life memberships left, and the District 13 traveling plaque for the members present and distance traveled to the convention.

Dr. Jack Rose Attends Seminar

Dr. Jack L. Rose of Memphis and Shamrock attended a weekend meeting of Optometrists in Amarillo.

Dr. Montague Ruben, M.C. from the University of Houston spoke on treatment of corneal diseases with contact lenses. Dr. David Booth, an Ophthalmologist from Lubbock spoke on Diabetic Retinopathy and the use of the Argon and Yag laser in eye surgery.

Terri Thomason Listed on ACU Honor Roll

ABILENE- Terri Lynn Thomason, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Thomason of Route 2, is one of 673 undergraduate students named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at Abilene Christian University.

A student must earn a 3.5 grade point average, based on a four-point scale, on a minimum course load of 12 semester hours to be named to the Honor Roll.

Miss Thomason is a junior finance major from Wellington. She is a 1980 graduate of Wellington High School.

TABS Tests Given 150

TABS tests - Texas Assessment of Basic Skills-- were given to students of three grades in Wellington Schools Tuesday through Thursday, Feb. 14-16, according to Louis Graham, school counselor.

More than 150 students in 3rd, 5th and 9th grades took these tests which measure skills in mathematics, reading and writing. The latter test covers organization of material written, punctuation, capitalization and spelling, Graham explained.

Reports on the tests will be sent to the school in May and will be available for the parents. These reports will be written out, telling the weaknesses and strength of each student in these three areas.

Forty-nine students were given the TABS test in grade 9, 47 in grade 5, and 58 in grade 3.

The 15th century Inca system of relay runners moved messages across their South American empire at a rate of 150 miles a day.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1984-85

First Semester

August 20 Cluster in Service	1 day
August 21 Teacher Preparation	1 day
August 22 — 1st Day for Students	
October 15 Cluster In Service	1 day
August 22-September	28
Aug. 22-Sept. 28 — 1st Six Weeks*	28 days
Oct. 1-Nov. 9 — 2nd Six Weeks*	29 days
Nov. 12-Dec. 21 — 3rd Six Weeks*	28 days
Dec. 20 and 21 — 1st Semester Exams	
January 2 Teacher Work Day	1 day
Total Instruction *	85 days
Total In Service	2 days
Total Work Days	2 days
	89 days

Second Semester

Jan. 3-Feb. 14 — 4th Six Weeks*	31 days
Feb. 19-April 12 — 5th Six Weeks*	31 days
April 15-May 22 — 6th Six Weeks*	28 days
February 15 Local In Service	1 day
February 18 Cluster In Service	1 day
April 9 Local In Service	1 day
May 23 Teacher Work Day	1 day
Total Instruction *	90 days
Total In Service	3 days
Total Work Days	1 day
	94 days

*Teaching Days

Junior High Graduation May 23, 1985 7:30 p.m.
Senior High Graduation May 24, 1985 8:00 p.m.

HOLIDAYS

November 22 & 23	Thanksgiving
December 22-January 1	Christmas
March 11-March 15	Spring Break
April 5-April 8	Easter

Tentative TABS Dates:
Weeks of Feb. 11-Feb. 22, 1985

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Assignment and bill of sale: pipeline easements: Ashland Oil, Inc., a Kentucky corporation to Aztec Gas, Inc., Midland: easements in sections 91, 92, 93, 94, blk 12; sec. 100, blk 16; secs 19-20, blk 17; secs 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 17, blk 13.

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Two CJC Students Honored as "Best Dressed" in College

The Clarendon College awards ceremony was held Tuesday, Feb. 7, sponsored by the Clarendon College Student Senate.

Chosen as Best Dressed Girl was Lisa Hartman of Wellington, while the Best Dressed Boy was Adam Richards of Troy Alabama.

Others nominated for the award were Read Cates, Andy Forehand, Marty Hammond, Dennis Knowles, Dora Bonsal, Maria de Keratry, Melody Moreman and Linnie Salmon.

This year Miss Hartman, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hartman, is also president of the Green Masque Drama Club and starred in "Right Bed, Wrong Husband."

She has the leading role in the upcoming production, "The Butterfly" which will be on tour the first two weeks in April. Wellington and Samnorwood Schools



LISA HARTMAN-ADAM RICHARDS

are among those the drama club will visit. Miss Hartman was also named to the National Dean's List of Distinguished College Students this year.

B&PW Hears Program on M.D. Anderson Activies

The Wellington Business and Professional Womens Club met Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, at Bura Handley Community Center with 18 members and 6 guests attending. Loretta Wright presided.

In charge of the program for the evening and hostesses were Hettie Keller and Leatha Thomas. Mary Johnson provided the entertainment with a selection of songs of love appropriate for Valentine's day.

Mrs. Keller spoke on the B&PW Foundation and Mrs. Thomas gave a report on the M.D. Anderson Hospital and Cancer Institute, and the cancer research and treatment done there.

The Texas B&PW and the local B&PW supports M.D. Anderson and a large percent of donations go to provide wigs to the cancer patients who have lost their hair during chemotherapy treatments.

Other members attending were Jeanice Adams, Goldie Barnett, Nancy Janes, Pauline Estes, Pearl Harwell, Willie B. Harwell, Myra Hays, Lucille Kelso, Erma Faye Kersten, Nancy Lindsey, Nell McKinney, Charlene Poteet, L.C. Sweat, Geneva Thomas, and Dollie Mae Wilson.

Guests attending were Margaret Hartman, Lennie Morgan, Helen Fires, Pat Pruitt, Julianna Baumgardner, and Mary Johnson.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday evening, Feb. 28.



During the American Revolution, many brides did not wear white wedding gowns; they wore red as a symbol of rebellion.

Inventor Peter Cooper obtained the first patent for a gelatin dessert in 1845.

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Mr., Mrs. Mack Horton Honored At Valentine Luncheon Feb. 10

Keenagers of First Baptist Church had the Bible study groups as their Valentine luncheon guests at noon Friday, Feb. 10.

The Rev. Jerry McFather, revival evangelist, presented the Bible study and led in several choruses, accompanying himself on the guitar.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Horton were crowned Valentine King and Queen for 1984. Mrs. Virgil Estes played the piano during the meal. In charge of arrangements were Mrs. Albert Fulcher, director, Mrs. Harold Keller, Mrs. Lucille Savage, Mrs. Louise Smith, Mrs. Jamesy Keller, Mrs. Bessie Tucker and Mrs. Claudia Sweat.

Others present were Alvin Horton, Mrs. Eva Fulcher, Janice and Joe Hughes, Barbara Reed, Doc Turner, Albert Fulcher, Mrs. E.P. Haynie,

Mrs. Dollie Mae Wilson, Mrs. Pearl Harwell, Mrs. Lois Ratliff, Mrs. L.C. Sweat, Benny Lay of Amarillo, Mrs. Tom Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moore,

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haralson, Mrs. Rosalie Roberson, Mrs. Verne Harper, Mrs. Susie Crawford, Mrs. Sue Jett, Mrs. Amey Seale, Miss Doris White,

Miss Elaine Smith of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Long and the Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Hughes and son, James.

Good Neighbors Hear Program on John Wesley

The Good Neighbor Club met in the home of Mrs. Lowell Wells Friday, February 17 at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. Robert Barjenbruch opened the meeting and asked each member to offer a sentence prayer. Roll call was answered with a scripture verse.

Mrs. Melvin Kiker presented the program on John Wesley. She said he came from a family of 25 children and had 19 of his own.

Mrs. Kiker displayed a picture of the first Methodist Church in England of which John Wesley was the first bishop. Mrs. Kiker's brother-in-law, Kenneth Wyatt, has painted a larger version of this first English Methodist Church and many churches in the area have inquired about getting one. Many interesting facts were brought out about the Wesley family.

Present were a visitor, Mrs. Herbert Duncan, Mrs. Janie James, Mrs. Ray Clubb, Mrs. Kiker, Mrs. Mary Karnes, Mrs. Frank Fourmentin and the hostess, Mrs. Wells.

Hospital Notes

Visiting Hours: 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 8:30 p.m.
No children under 12 in patient area

Martha Raburn was admitted Feb. 13 and dismissed Feb. 16.

Dora Sanchez has been a patient since Feb. 13.

Angela Marple was admitted Feb. 14 and dismissed Feb. 15.

Mary Lois Scott was hospitalized Feb. 14 and released Feb. 15.

Thomas Nichols has been a patient since Feb. 16.

Angela Kilgore was admitted Feb. 16 and dismissed Feb. 18.

Tommy Walker was admitted Feb. 16.

L.P. Tow was admitted Feb. 16 and released Feb. 18.

W.D. Lewis was admitted Feb. 16.

Kenny Black was hospitalized Feb. 16 and released Feb. 18.

J.Y. Martin was admitted Feb. 17.

John Coleman was admitted Feb. 17 and dismissed Feb. 18.

If you were born in June, your birthstone is the pearl.

Leona Elliott was a patient from Feb. 17 to Feb. 19.

Ina Tatum was admitted Feb. 17 and released Feb. 18.

Dominga Herrera was hospitalized Feb. 18.

Valerie Thomas was hospitalized Feb. 18.

Baby daughter Latoya Shantel Thomas, Feb. 18.

Lucille Gilmore was admitted Feb. 19.

Ranee Tarver was hospitalized Feb. 20.

Patients admitted earlier and dismissed since Feb. 14:

W.D. Lewis, Feb. 14.
Earl Alexander, Feb. 14.
Robert Sherwood, Feb. 15.
Jimmie Sessions, Feb. 16.
Lorene Boyles, Feb. 16.
Bernice Simpson, Feb. 16.
LaRue Ellis, Feb. 16.
H.P. Scott, Feb. 16.
Otha Brewster, Feb. 16.
J.Y. Martin, Feb. 16.
Bill Tarter, Feb. 17.
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Retired Teachers Hear Music Program, Nominate Officers

Collingsworth County Retired Teachers heard a program of music, using the themes of beauty and love, presented Tuesday, Feb. 14, by Ron Long, minister of youth and music at First Baptist Church.

Songs included on his program were "Consider the Lilies," "If That Isn't Love," "The Way He Loves," "Please Let Me Sing in the Choir," and "Praise the Lord." He accompanied himself on the keyboard.

Mrs. Dollie Mae Wilson, president, conducted the business meeting when nominations for officers for the 1984-86 term were presented.

Mrs. Wilson was nominated to a second term as president; Mrs. Lois Ratliff, vice president; Mrs. Juanita White, second vice president; Mrs. Willie B. Harwell, secretary; Mrs. Juanita Hopper, treasurer.

Refreshments were heart-shaped cookies and candies, served with drinks.

Those attending were Mrs. Edna Bradley, Miss Maudie Coffee, Mrs. Paralee Coleman, John Coleman, Mrs. Florence DeArmond, Mrs. Florrie Graham,

Mrs. Harwell, Mrs. Nan Henard, Mrs. Roxie Hill, Mrs. Myrtle Hill, Mrs. Hopper, Mrs. Mary Jones, Mrs. Kedron Mitchell, Mrs. Isla Mae Morris,

Mrs. Ratliff, Mrs. L.C. Sweat, Miss Hattie D. Wells, Mrs. Juanita White, Mrs. Merle White, Miss Bonnie Willis, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Novella Word of Hollis.

Hostesses were Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Merle White, Miss Wells and Mrs. Word.

COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY AGENT REPORT

by Nancy Janes

ENJOY WALKING FOR GOOD HEALTH

Enjoy exercising by stepping into one of today's most popular exercises -- walking.!

Walking can help reduce fatigue, depression and obesity, as well as helping to maintain good health.

Regular walking will help build endurance. The amount you should do depends on your age and physical condition. A beginner might try a brisk 20-minute walk every day, working up to a 3-mile hike in 45 minutes at least three times a week.

Obesity and high blood pressure are among the leading risks for heart attacks and strokes. Walking may help get ride of stress, which is often associated with both conditions.

Walking is not the fastest way to lose weight, but it is one of the most enjoyable. If you can walk 3 miles per hour, you can burn up 66 calories per mile. If you can walk a mile in 12 minutes, you'll use up 124 calories per mile.

Increase your walking to a mile a day and by the end of the year, you can take off about 10 pounds--if you decrease or maintain your present intake of calories.

There are additional advantages to walking. You get to know your neighbors. Also the quite time will give you a period to think through the day's activities, meditate or enjoy the beauty of nature.

Leader Readers

Mary Stockstill, Fairview, Ok.; Bill Lee, Pampa; Dorothy Jane Riggs, San Diego, Ca.; Marjorie Barnes, Lubbock; Mrs. M.E. Jones, Amarillo; Vercie Rippetoe, Hollis, Ok.; KVII TV, Amarillo; Cathy Pipins, Arlington; Kim Martindale; D.C. Thomason.

Coupon Clipping Discussed At Midway EH Club

The Midway Extension Club met Wednesday, February 15 at 2:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Charles Cason. The hostess led the group in prayer and gave the devotion. The president, Mrs. Herbert Duncan conducted the business meeting. The secretary's report was read by Gertrude Mayhugh and Pauline Masten gave the council report.

Mrs. Russell Hill presented a program on food coupons. She explained the advantages of using coupons and gave pointers on those to clip.

Those present were Mrs. Erma Faye Kersten, Mrs. Mastine, Mrs. Dorothy McQuirk, Mrs. Donald Curry, Mrs. Mamie Terry, Mrs. Deloyce Savage, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. John Brown, Mrs. Annie Caison, Mrs. David Peters, Mrs. Edna Rudy, Mrs. Mayhugh, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. E.F. Bartlett and Mrs. J.R. Bowen.

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Dodson News

by Wanda Hightower Cardwell

The Wellington Zone talent contest was held Saturday, Feb. 18, at 2 p.m. at the Dodson Church of the Nazarene. These contestants will compete in March in the district contests.

The children's division of the district contest, Church of the Nazarene, will be at Big Spring.

The teen division will be in Hereford in March. About 25 young people will participate.

The Church of the Nazarene sponsored a zone banquet Saturday, Feb. 18, at 6 p.m. at the American Legion building.

Mrs. Lameda Black was the banquet chairman.

Rev. Don Bland of the Church of the Nazarene, Wellington, gave the invocation. A reading was given by Dione Moore, a calendar girl pageant was presented by the young people, the Ervin Emmerts sang and Buddy Weens was the speaker. The Rev. C.M. Huff was the master of ceremonies and Rev. Emmert gave the benediction. About 75 attended from Shamrock, Wellington, Wheeler, Clarendon and Dodson.

Mae Jackson Sims died Friday, Feb. 17 in Amarillo. Her funeral was Sunday, Feb. 19. Mae will always be remembered by her friends in Dodson as an efficient business woman. She worked at Owens Grocery at Dodson for many years. Her friendliness and kindness were superb.

Several Dodson residents have visited Mrs. Ila Orr who is a patient in the Hollis Hospital.

Hillard Scott has been a patient in the hospital in Wellington for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bouchelle attended the funeral of Mrs. Mable McKinney in Borger last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rush Alexander, Dr. Fred Alexander, Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Crownover, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Bundy Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Farris, Mrs. Ethel Ketchersid and Mrs. Lorene Barnes attended a birthday party for Tillie Alexander at K-Bobs in Childress Saturday, Feb. 18. Clyde Alexander joined them for dinner.

The Nazarene World Missionary Society met Tuesday, Feb. 14, in the home of Mrs. C.M. Huff.

Bill Gaston, a former Dodson resident, was in town last weekend. He left Dodson in 1948.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hightower, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hightower with Timothy and Zachary, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Harwell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pugh, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Ford and family last weekend in Ft. Worth.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Norman Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rowe and Blossom and John Elmer Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cochran accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cochran of Goodland, Kansas, to Rockport recently. They visited in the winter home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy McDuff. The McDuffs are from North Pekin, Ill.

It was cold in Rockport much of the time as well as rainy weather.

They went to Corpus Christi on a harbor tour, to Port Aransas and they picked up sea shells at North Padre Island.

At Fulton Harbor they watched men shuck oysters. So many of the beautiful palm trees were frozen in this area.

The Cochrans also went to Nuevo Mexico. One interesting thing the Cochrans did was to visit the old Fulton Mansion in Fulton. The Fultons began the construction on the mansion in 1874. They chose the fashionable French Second Empire style of architecture with its characteristic mansard roof. Virtually all materials and equipment for constructing the house were shipped from New Orleans or the East Coast at considerable trouble and expense.

Mrs. Agens Aaron of Matador visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Norman last week.

Samnorwood Peewees in McLean Tourney

Samnorwood Peewee basketball teams will play in the McLean Peewee Tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Feb. 23 through 25.

The Samnorwood teams will meet Miami Thursday, with the girls playing at 2:30 p.m. and the boys at 3:30.

Players on the norwood teams are in graders 3 through 6.

Cancer Society Meets Feb. 23

The Collingsworth County unit of the American Cancer Society will meet Thursday, Feb. 23 at 7 p.m. in the Heritage Room.

Sandy St. John, field representative from the Amarillo unit, will give the program.

THOMAS NURSING CENTER NEWS

By Ilene Brinkley

First of all we wish to welcome our new residents, Mrs. Otha Brewster, she is in Room 10 on B Wing, Hilliard Scott, he is in Room 4 on A Wing, and Earl Alexander, he is in Room 8 on A Wing.

Our game winner last week was Mrs. Lucille Kilgore. Volunteers for our games were Mrs. Bessie Tucker, Mrs. Mary Fulcher, Mrs. Elise Wilson, Mrs. Leland Downs, and Mrs. Addie Lou Ogletree who was visiting from Arlington.

Our Tuesday afternoon Sing-a-long was conducted by Mrs. Ola Parker and Mrs. Ruth Wilhelm. We combined our singing with a Valentine, and birthday party. Our birthday honorees were Mrs. Lillian Smith, Mrs. Opal Maxwell, Mrs. Grace Cummings and Mrs. Beatrice Jenkins. Mrs. Ruby furnished our birthday cake, which was served along with punch. Wednesday evening the singing of the Church of Christ was enjoyed very much by our residents.

The singing of the Quartet delighted our residents Friday evening.

Sunday morning worship services were conducted by Minister Haun Kite and other members of the Church of Christ.

Sunday afternoon worship services were conducted by Rev. Elvis Pitts and other members of the Quail Baptist Church.

OUR VISITORS:

Mrs. Bertha Hardin of Amarillo visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Sutton.

Visiting Mrs. Beatrice Jenkins were a granddaughter, Mrs. Reta Ann Jenkins of Groom, and a great grandson Sam Warrick of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Harrison of Hollis visited his mother, Mrs. Lonie Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Clement of Pampa visited his mother, Mrs. Alma Clement.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Hanes of Borger visited his mother, Mrs. Emma Hanes.

Visiting Mrs. Clara Bettis were a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bettis of Amarillo, and a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Marquis of Erie, Pa.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Obie White were a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis White and Tammy of Clarendon, a daughter Mrs. Marie Farris of Amarillo and a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cabbell of Los Alamos, N.M.

Visiting Mrs. Myrtle West was a great grandson, Donnie West of Dallas.

Visiting Mrs. Ethel Ray were a son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ray, Dorinda, and Darren, a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Ray, a granddaughter, Mrs. Karen Husband, all of Childress, and friends Mr. and Mrs. Glen Norman of Bryan, and Mrs. Glenda Wauters and Andrea of Grand Prairie.

Visiting J.C. Norman were his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Norman of Bryan, a granddaugher and her daughter Mrs. Glenda Wauters, and Andrea of Grand Prairie, a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Ray a granddaughter, Mrs. Karen Husband of Childress.

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Also, we want to thank those individuals that helped with the recent basketball tournament that benefitted the department.

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HOME DELIVERED MEALS FOR THE HOMEBOUND

Monday, Feb. 27: sausage patty, peas and carrots, cauliflower, canned prunes, bread and butter, milk.

Tuesday, Feb. 28: liver and onions, whole potatoes, green beans, peach cobbler, bread and butter, milk.

Wednesday, Feb. 29: meat balls, brown gravy, scalloped potatoes, peas and carrots, yellow cake, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday, March 1: steak fingers, cauliflower, glazed carrots, cake, bread and butter, milk.

Friday, March 2: baked franks and rice, spinach, lettuce with mayonnaise, peach cobbler, bread and butter, milk.

Quail Class Reunions Set

Reunion plans for two Quail School graduating classes have been announced. Both reunions will be held Saturday, April 22 along with the annual Quail Ex-Student Reunion. The 1954 graduates will celebrate their 30th anniversary and the 1959 class their 25th anniversary.

The 1954 Class reunion will be held in the Farm Bureau Hospitality Room from 2 p.m. until the time of the ex-student banquet at Quail.

Those who cannot come are asked to contact Wayne Lacy, 2711 Pine Shadows, Huntsville, Tx. 77340, or Jimmy Langford, 1703 Corsicana St., Wellington, Tx., 79095.

It is emphasized that anyone who was ever a member of the class is eligible to attend and is urged to be there.

The 1959 graduating class reunion will be at 1611 Graham Street, with Annell Lacy Simcoe of Green Brook, New Jersey and her mother, Mrs. Edith Lacy, as hostesses.

The reunion will begin at 2 p.m. and visiting will continue until time for the banquet at Quail. There were 9 boys and 9 girls in this class.

"Everyone that was ever a member of this class is invited," said Mrs. Lacy.

Those needing more information should contact Annell Simcoe, 52 Longview Dr., Green Brook, N.J. 08812.

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Norwood Exes Name Officers

Members of Samnorwood Ex-Students Association met Wednesday, Feb. 15 at 8 p.m. to elect officers and begin plans for the 1984 reunion.

President of the ex-students is Kenneth Martindale. Clifford Oldham was elected vice-president and Kay Martindale secretary-treasurer and Connie Roberts Dwyer, reporter.

In other business. the date of the 1984 reunion was set for Saturday, June 30, the Saturday closest to the Fourth of July.

The group was due to meet again Tuesday night, Feb. 21, to continue their planning.

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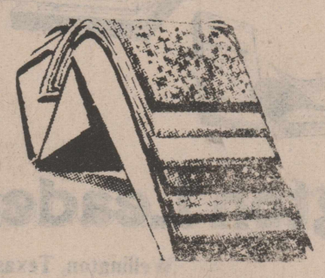
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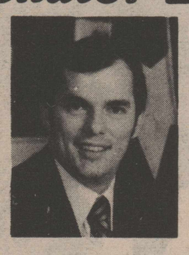
Here's a heartwarming story: If you've been depressed by your utility bills from the zero-degree weather earlier this winter, you should know that it could be worse. Wellington school board got a report at its last regular meeting on the school's natural gas consumption figures. The bill for one month alone was $11,000. The school's budget only allows for $41,000 for natural gas for the whole year.

Collingsworth County farmer John Brim has a new cap that reads "Wheat Farmers Knead More Dough."

Buddy Yates called about our report on the pigeon Elmer Feemster found a few weeks ago. She said I should call the Audubon Society in Amarillo and gave me the number. It turns out the Audubon Society meets at the Amarillo Garden Center and the Society uses the Garden Center's phone. The center's receptionist gave me the number of Audubon Society member Vera Deason. Mrs. Deason said she knew someone who was interested in pigeons and gave me his number. He turned out to be Amarillo geologist Ray Meador who is the former president of the Amarillo Racing Pigeon Club. He said the AU on the band indicates the bird was banded by a member of the American Racing Pigeon Union. The '82 indicates it was banded in 1982. He's checking on further identification and he'll let us know more next week.

---Henry Wells

Senator Bill Sarpalius Reports



AUSTIN — Telling the future with any certainty is just not possible. Yet, most changes and crises can be anticipated through trends to which we apply the sophisticated procedures possible through technology.

That is certainly true with state government. We have been watching our educational situation move steadily to a point to where it becomes apparent that change is necessary. We have watched our highways building to the point of near crisis.

Hopefully the Legislature will have the opportunity to prevent these situations from becoming full-blown crisis situations by preventing them, rather than reacting to them.

Writer Alvin Toffler explained the way government usually reacts by saying, "Our political decision-makers swing widely back and forth between doing nothing about a problem until it explodes in crisis and, alternately, racing in with ill-equipped, poorly-prepared crash programs."

If those in the policy-making level of state government would devote more time to discussing the future we could turn possible futures into probable futures that would be preferred futures.

We in state government must begin with the assumption that the state's future is not predetermined and that policy-makers and citizens are able to design and anticipate the future.

Over the next several issues of our report, I will scratch at some of the items on the menu for the future in Texas. These are issues and trends which our policy-makers and citizens would do well to make decisions concerning which way we want to go, and what we need to do to get there.

Our future is dependent on what we do now, since all alernative futures only exist at the present.



The first hand-held camera was invented by George Eastman in 1888.

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Texas is searching for a new director of the Texas Department of Corrections following the departure a few days ago of W. J. Estelle, Jr.

Estelle took the post 12 years ago, heralded as one of the finest penologists in the nation. He left with numerous prison system audits and investigations of corruption underway.

While no one has charged Estelle with a criminal offense, his administration and its recent history of construction cost overruns and other expenditures has been under close scrutiny by the Texas Legislature.

Last week, the prison system reported that the cost of maintaining state prisoners has increased over 275 percent during the past decade. That same report incidentally found that 27 percent of the prisoners are from Houston and 26 percent from Dallas; 44 percent are black, 37 percent are white and 19 percent are Hispanic.

According to one Board of Corrections member, Estelle's taking actions and spending money without board approval got him into hot water he couldn't survive.

In 1979 the Legislature appropriated $300 million for emergency prison construction to be managed by Estelle and other TDC officials. Critics charge he mismanaged those funds and other revenues, by arbitrarily awarding sweeping merit raises and hazardous pay to clerical and white-collar workers.

In stepping down, Estelle made no statement in defense of the criticism. Board members will attempt to replace him in the next three months.

Texas House

The leadership in the Texas House of Representatives will be different next sesson. At least 11 of the 33 standing committee chairmen are not going to run for re-election.

Some are going into the private sector; others, like Tom DeLay of Fort Bend County running for Congress, are seeking higher office.

The vacancies will allow Speaker Gib Lewis to choose a good many new lieutenants as about 30 of the 150 incumbents are estimated to voluntarily step down.

No Tax Bill?

Some observers believe that one factor influencing the decision not to return is the threat of a special session to raise taxes that Gov. Mark White wants to call before the summer ends.

Many legislators do not want to be forced to vote on a tax hike just prior to either the primary or general election. By calling it quits, they can serve until January 1985 with no such pressure.

But the en masse retirement might spell doom for White's tax bill.

The 30 departing members may not want to vote for the tax hike in special session, preferring to postpone it until the regular session just six months later.

And legislators eager to find favor with Speaker Lewis so they may fill the leadership slots may be hesitant to pass a tax bill which Lewis opposes.

Goddess of Liberty

Experts renovating the Capitol have discovered several cracks in the statue of the Goddess of Liberty atop the Capitol dome.

The 96-year-old zinc statue was originally cast in the Capitol basement and raised to the dome in 1888. The Goddess holds a sword in her right hand while she raises a five-pointed Texas star with her left.

The experts plan to repair the Goddess where she stands—on top of the Capitol—rather than attempt to lower her to the ground.

War of Words

The war of words between two Democrats running for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by John Tower has unity-minded Democrats wringing their hands.

Last week, for the second week in a row, State Sen. Lloyd Doggett, an Austin liberal, delivered a caustic attack on former Ambassador Bob Krueger.

This time Doggett's campaign mailed out over 50,000 fund-raising letters highly critical of Krueger and another opponent, Congressman Kent Hance of Lubbock. The letter depicted Krueger as a tool of special interests and criticized Hance for co-sponsoring Reagan's three-year income tax reduction bill.

Though mailed by the Doggett campaign, the letters bore the signature of Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower.

Hightower Apologizes

Hightower immediately issued a statement disavowing the letter, saying it was distributed without his approval by Doggett. He apologized to both Krueger and Hance for the error.

Earlier, Doggett had accused Krueger of voting to support foreign assassinations while on a television debate.

Krueger has responded by accusing Doggett of distorting his record and running "the dirtiest campaign I've ever encountered," which Doggett denied.

AUSTIN—Gov. Mark White, who has been swimming upstream in his bid to call a special legislative session to raise taxes for teacher salaries, may be finding the current turning his way.

White's top assistant, former Texas speaker aspirant Gerald Hill, said last week his telephone poll of House members indicates the majority of his former colleagues are of a mood to consider a tax hike for state highways and educational reform.

House Speaker Gib Lewis said he believes Hill's findings could be accurate. Lewis for months opposed any tax increase, but not long ago said he could support a temporary tax tied to education reform.

Hill told reporters the mood now favors higher taxes on gasoline and other items if White can guarantee "a new and improved road system" and improvements to the quality of education.

White's first efforts to pass such a bill last session were ineffective and as late as a couple of months ago legislators were nervous and cynical of his plans to call them into special session to raise taxes in an election year.

The big roadblock was Lewis, since Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, who presides over the Senate, was the first official to acknowledge the need to raise taxes.

Three Turn-Arounds

Turn-arounds on at least three major factors now indicate White has a chance to get his tax hike in a special session.

The new stance by Lewis is critical. The Speaker is losing a good many of his staunch lieutenants to retirement and may be harder pressed for votes to stop a tax hike. Moreover, at least two of his top floor leaders, Hill and Jim Turner of Crockett, have joined White's staff, and other exiting legislators who will lobby various issues will also need to rely on White's signature in the future.

White's hiring of the well-respected Hill and Turner gives new credibility to his legislative liaison team. Hill is well-liked by House members and is savvied in the ways of passing bills. Turner, who announced just last week he will resign his House seat to work for the governor, held positions on the powerful tax and budget committees. Any bill shaped by White will need expertise to navigate those waters.

Election Year

With election filing deadlines behind them, lawmakers without heavy opposition can breathe easier —and even vote for a tax hike if that is their conviction. The governor's indications that he would call the special session after the primary elections, instead of before, has also helped. Most House members are Democrats and wanted to avoid the intra-party bloodbath that a pre-primary session might have precipitated between liberals and conservatives.

Now, a recent report from the Reagan administration stressing the need for educational reform, plus the coming Texas report from staunch conservative H. Ross Perot, which will outline several "no frills" reforms, may defuse any Democrat-Republican fight over the tax hike.

As Gerald Hill said, "We want this to be a coordinated effort that everyone can support."

Highway Funding

State highway commissioners pointed out new directions last week for financing new roads, also a big sore point in legislative budget battles.

The commissioners urged that state funds not be spent buying land for proposed highways. That land should be bought by builders who plan to develop land along proposed highways and stand to profit from the new roads.

That means that areas with enough local backing to buy land for new highways will probably get new highways.

Such a change will also relieve pressure on the Legislature to raise taxes to support highway construction.

Of course, if White is successful in raising the gasoline tax, new revenues by law will be divided between education and highways.

Mattox Re-indicted

Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox was re-indicted on a felony charge of commercial bribery in Travis County last week.

The new indictment clears up a wording defect in the original charge. Had the new grand jury failed to re-indict Mattox, the charges would have been dropped. The latest action puts Mattox back to square one in his efforts to untangle his legal and political problems.

Mauro, Hightower

On a brighter note, Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower and Land Commissioner Garry Mauro will visit Israel next month to study drip irrigation and other techniques of arid land management.

Both Hightower and Mauro will inspect the Israeli drip irrigation system, recognized as the world's best, and Mauro will visit mining operations in the Dead Sea and energy-gathering technology sites.

Both officials will have drought-plagued West Texas in mind on the tour.

THOMAS' ROLL CALL REPORT

Your Congressman's Votes Reported Each Week

WASHINGTON -- Here's how area members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes Feb. 2-8.

HOUSE

BABY DOE By a vote of 182 for and 231 against, the House rejected an amendment to delete tough "Baby Doe" provisions from the federal child abuse law. Right-to-life groups applauded the vote.

Members voting no wanted greater federal and state power to keep severely handicapped babies alive.

Voting yes: Jack Hightower, D-13.

Voting no: Kika De la Garza, D-15, Charles Stenholm, D-17 and Kent Hance, D-19.

RATES The House passed, 288 for and 113 against, a bill (HR 555) preventing utilities from automatically requiring consumers to help pay for a new power plant during construction of the facility.

Members voting yes favored delaying rate hikes to cover utility construction until after the project is completed.

Voting yes: De la Garza.

Voting no: Hightower, Stenholm and Hance.

SENATE

EVIDENCE The Senate passed, 63 for and 24 against, and sent to the House a bill (S 1764) whose effect is to soften the Constitution's prohibition of unreasonable searches and seizures.

Senators voting yes wanted federal judges to be able to waive the exclusionary rule in certain criminal proceedings.

Lloyd Bentsen, D, voted yes. John Tower, R, voted yes.

TAPING By a vote of 41 for and 51 against, the Senate rejected an amendment to ban government officials other than law enforcement and intelligence personnel from secretly taping their telephone conversations.

Senators voting yes wanted to outlaw the secret taping of telephone calls by government officials except those dealing in intelligence and law enforcement.

Bentsen voted yes. Tower did not vote.

WASHINGTON -- Here's how area members of Congress were recorded on major roll call votes in the days before the presidential birthday recess.

HOUSE

PARTY CLASH By a vote of 153 for and 237 against, the House rejected a move to allocate committee and subcommittee slots to Republicans in the same proportion as they hold seats in the 435-member House. The vote occurred during debate on H Res 436.

Members voting yes wanted the GOP to have proportional representation on House committees and subcommittees.

Voting yes: Jack Hightower, D-13, Charles Stenholm, D-17.

Not voting: Kika de la Garza, D-15 and Kent Hance, D-19.

SENATE

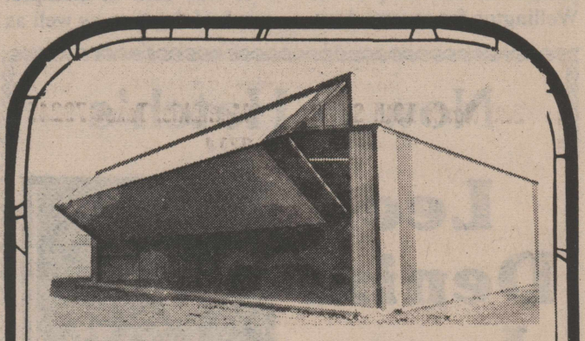
DEATH PENALTY By a vote of 65 for and 26 against, the Senate cut off a filibuster by senators opposed to reinstating the death penalty for certain federal crimes.

Lloyd Bentsen, D, voted yes. John Tower, R, did not vote.

APPEALS The Senate passed, 67 for and nine against, a bill to limit the filing of federal habeas corpus appeals by persons convicted in state court. The bill (S 1763) was sent to the House.

Bentsen did not vote. Tower did not vote.

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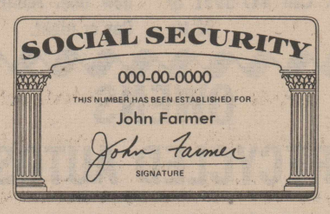
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Fire Damages Parker Home Sat.

The two-bedroom house at 1300 Bowie St. belonging to Margie Parker was heavily damaged in a fire that broke out at midnight Saturday, Feb. 18.

Fire Chief Danny Gray, said it is believed the fire started in the bathroom from an open flame heater.

Ms. Parker was at Childress at the time, he said.

Most of the damage was to a bedroom. bathroom and hall, with the remainder of the house receiving smoke damange, Chief Gray reported.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Parker.

COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY AGENT REPORT

BY DON REEVES

WEED CONTROL IN WHEAT

The current warm spell encourages rapid growth of weeds that have germinated earlier or that may be germinating now. These broadleaf weeds include tansy and treacle mustard pepperweed, false flax and kochia.

On land that is being rotated to other crops, 2,4-D, MCPA or bormoxynil can be applied when the temperture is intended only for wheat or barley production for the next few years a producer may want to consider applying Glean.

A March application will control most winter broadleaf weeds as well as preventing the growth of kochia and careless weeds that become established later in the spring causing problems at wheat harvest.

An added advantage of Glean is that most weed growth will be controlled during the summer between wheat crops.

Grassy weeds and volunteer wheat can be controlled by one or two sweep tillages or by applying low rates of Roundup or paraquat.

Substituting herbicides for tillage usually enhances the establishment of the next wheat crop because moisture is not depleted by weed growth or frequent tillage.

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obituaries.....

Service Held Sunday for Cora Mae Sims

A former Dodson Woman, Mrs. Cora Mae Jackson Sims, 1538 Biggs, Amarillo, died Friday, Feb. 17, in her home.

Mrs. Sims moved from Dodson in the 1960s.

Born Jan. 21, 1908, in Pontotoc, Okla., she was the daughter of the late L.T. and Ada Jackson. She grew up in Dodson. Mrs. Sims was a Baptist.

Services were conducted Sunday, Feb. 19, at 4 p.m. in the chapel of 1st Baptist Church, Wellington, with the Rev. Stanley Hughes, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery, Wellington, under the direction of Patterson Funeral Service, Hollis, Okla.

Pall bearers were R.T. Jameson, Duggie Jameson, Bob Hightower, Howard Hunt, Thurman Crownover and Melvin Cardwell.

Survivors are a brother, E.J. Jackson of Rockport; two sisters, Bess Lee Dodd of Amarillo and Ozie Shirley of Hereford.

Mrs. Sims was an aunt of Bill Owens and G.T. Owens of Wellington.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Sam Sims.

Services for Mrs. Curtis at Silverton

Catherine Louise Curtis, a former Wellington woman, died Tuesday, Feb. 14, in a Plainview hospital. She was 64 years of age and will be remembered here as Catherine Austin.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 17, at First Baptist Church, Silverton, with the Rev. Jerry Miller, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Silverton Cemetery by Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

Mrs. Curtis moved to Briscoe County in 1979 from Amarillo. She also lived at Tulia after leaving Wellington.

She married E.W. Curtis in 1961 at Tulia.

At the time of her death, she was a housewife. She was a member of First Baptist Church where she was active before becoming ill. She was also active in Senior Citizens.

Mrs. Curtis lived in Wellington most of her life and attended school here. She was employed at Parsons Drug.

Survivors include her husband, E.W. Curtis; a son, Jimmy Cummings of Sioux City, Iowa; two daughters, Glenda Morrison of Odessa and Pam Nease of Silverton; three sisters, Mrs. Modena Horton of Wellington, Mrs. Dorothy Jones of Amarillo and Mrs. Ella Mae Martin of Crowell; three brothers, T.D. Austin of Lubbock, J.C. Austin and Jerry Austin both of Plainview; 8 grandchildren and one great-grandson.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF CIDDIE RICHARDS WALL

Notice is hereby given that on 13th day of February, 1984, Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Ciddie Richards Wall, deceased, were issued to Mary Ann Lowe and Betty Winslett, Residents of Collingsworth County, Texas, by the Honorable Probate Court in Collingsworth County, Texas, in Cause No. 2196, pending upon the Probate Docket of said Court.

All persons having claims against said Estate being administered are hereby requested to present the same within the time prescribed by law to Bill Spillman, Attorney, at 910 West Avenue, Wellington, Texas.

Mary Ann Lowe
Betty Winslett
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING

Collingsworth County Hospital District for Collingsworth General Hospital, 1014 15th Street, Wellington, Texas 79095, (THFC File -AH84-0116-037), is scheduled to appear at a hearing at 9:00 a.m. on April 12, 1984, in the offices of the Texas Health Facilities Commission, 1600 West 38th Street, Suite 305, Jefferson Building, Austin, Texas, to present evidence in support of the application for a Certificate of Need to offer skilled nursing services through participation in the Federal "Swing-Bed" program. The hospital will continue to operate 25 beds providing medical/surgical services. The total number of licensed beds, 25, will remain unchanged. The Commission proposes to render a decision on the application no later than the ninetieth day from the date of publication of this notice.

A request to become a party to the application may be made by filing a sworn affidavit with the Commission using the format prescribed by Commission Rule 515.9 no later than 5:00 p.m., March 25, 1984, and by forwarding a copy by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the applicant and all other parties."

Note: if no request to become a party or petition for hearing is timely filed with the Commission, the Commission may proceed without a hearing on the application for a Certificate of Need at any time after March 25, 1984, upon written request by the applicant.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The State Department of Highways and Public Transportation will conduct an informal public meeting on Tuesday, March 27th, 1984 at 7:30 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Collingsworth County Courthouse in Wellington, Texas.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the need for and suggested alternatives for the possible improvement and paving of the county road from U.S. Highway 83, 8.0 miles North of Wellington, East and South, to Panfork Camp.

All interested citizens are invited to attend this public meeting to express their views.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF PROPOSED BANK MERGER

Notice is hereby given that the Wellington State Bank, Wellington, Texs, has made application to the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Washington, D.C. 20429, for its written consent to merge with the New Wellington State Bank, Wellington, Texas.

This notice is published pursuant to Section 18(c) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act.

Any person wishing to comment on this application may file his/her comments in writing with the Regional Director of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation at its Regional Office, 350 North St. Paul Street, Suite 2000, Dallas, Texas 75201. If any person desires to protest the granting of this application, such person has a right to do so if the protest is filed with the Regional Director by Friday, March 9, 1984. The nonconfidential portions of the application are on file in the Regional Office as part of the public file maintained by the Corporation. This file is available for public inspection during regular business hours.

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A complete set of revised rate schedules has been filed with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and is available for public inspection in each of the Company's Business Offices in the State of Texas. A summary of the Company's rate filing has also been sent to the Mayor's office of each affected Municipality.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NO. 5514
IN THE 100th JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR COLLINGSWORTH, TEXAS
Jeff Puryear and Helen L. Puryear, Plaintiffs, VS Vesta A. Borin, Widow of Charles S. Borin, Et Al, Defendants
CITATION BY PUBLICATION
State of Texas TO:

All the heirs of Charles S. Borin, Deceased, including Vesta A. Borin, widow of Charles S. Borin; Frank W. Borin, brother of Charles S. Borin; Ida Leighty, Ada Warner, Ruhama Euhus, Ruth Conner, Dorcas Downard, Abigail Potter, Rebecca Damon, Lydia Maddy, and Esther Lovell, sisters of Charles S. Borin; Iona Ward, Theodore M. Cooper, and John F. Cooper, Deceased, children of Alma Iona Cooper, deceased, sister of Charles S. Borin; Ada Perterson, James O. Borin, Louise Fioss and Vivian Barrows, children of James G. Borin, deceased, brother of Charles S. Borin; Leighton H. Borin, Lee D. Borin and Georgette Hoover, children of John H. Borin, deceased, brother of Charles S. Borin; Delores V. Puthuff and Charles B. Puthuff, stepdaughter and stepson-in-law, respectively, of Charles S. Borin, deceased; all of the unknown heirs of the aforementioned heirs, if same not now be living; All of the unknown heirs of Charles S. Borin, Alma Iona Cooper, John F. Cooper, James G. Borin, John H. Borin, and all of their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and legal representatives; All unknown owners or claimants of, and all persons claiming any title or interest in, the lands hereinafter described, claiming or to claim under, through or by virtue of that certain deed dated March 31, 1947, executed by James A. McFarland and wife, Dora L. McFarland, conveying an interest in the real property hereinafter described to C. S. Borin and filed of record on April 2, 1947 in Volume 96, Page 295 of the Deed Records of Collingsworth County, Texas; any and all children heretofore born to or adopted by C.S. Borin and wife, Vesta A. Borin, which said child or children are unknown to Plaintiffs; and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and legal representatives of each and every child heretofore born to or adopted by the said Charles S. Borin or Vesta A. Borin.

You, and each of you, are hereby commanded to appear and answer before the Honorable 100th Judicial District Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse of said county in the city of Wellington, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of Forty-two (42) days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of Monday, the 19th day of March, 1984, and then and there to answer the First Amended Original Petition of Jeff Puryear and Helen L. Puryear, Plaintiffs in Cause No. 5514, styled Jeff Puryear and Helen L. Puryear, Plaintiffs, vs Vesta A. Borin, et al, Defendants, wherein the following persons are defendants:

All the heirs of Charles S. Borin, deceased, including Vesta A. Borin, widow of Charles S. Borin; Frank W. Borin, brother of Charles S. Borin; Ida Leighty, Ada Warner, Ruhama Euhus, Ruth Conner, Dorcas Downard, Abilgail Potter, Rebecca Damon, Lydia Maddy, and Esther Lovell, sisters of Charles S. Borin; Iona Ward, Theodore M. Cooper, and John F. Cooper, deceased, children of Alma Iona Cooper, deceased, sister of Charles S. Borin; Ada Perterson, James O. Borin, Louise Fioss and Vivian Barrows, children of James G. Borin, deceased, brother of Charles S. Borin; Leighton H. Borin, Lee D. Borin and Georgette Hoover, children of John H. Borin, deceased, brother of Charles S. Borin; Delores V. Puthuff and Charles B. Puthuff, stepdaughter and stepson-in-law, respectively, of Charles S. Borin, deceased; All of the unknown heirs of the aforementioned heirs, if same not now be living; All of the unknown heirs of Charles S. Borin, Alam Iona Cooper, John F Cooper, James G. Borin, John H. Borin, and all of their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and legal representatives; All unknown owners of claimants of, and all persons claiming any title or interest in, the lands hereinafter described, claiming or to claim under, through or by virtue of that certain deed dated March 31, 1947, executed by James A. McFarland and wife, Dora L. McFarland, conveying an interest in the real property hereinafter described to C.S. Borin and filed of record on April 2, 1947 in Volume 96, Page 295 of the Deed Records of Collingsworth County, Texas; any and all children heretofore born to or adopted by C.S. Borin and wife, Vesta A. Borin, which said child or children are unknown to Plaintiffs; and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and legal representatives of each and every child heretofore born to or adopted by the said Charles S. Borin or Vesta A. Borin.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit, claim and cause of action is as follows, to wit: Plaintiffs bring suit for a declaratory judgment pursuant to Article 2524-1 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, claiming that they have acquired full legal title to certain real property located in Collingsworth County by virtue of, among other things, the adverse possession limitations statutes of the State of Texas covering the real property described as follows:

Section Eighty-one (81) and Section Eighty-two (82), Block O.S., A.B. Smith Survey, Collingsworth County, Texas, containing an aggregate of 175.14 acres.

The nature of this proceeding is fully shown by Plaintiffs' First Amended Original Petition on file in this suit and a true copy of the same will be furnished to any Defendant herein by Ty M. Sparks, of counsel Hayes & Sparks, attorneys for Plaintiffs, P.O. Drawer 1178, Canadian, Texas, 79014, promptly upon request.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law and make due return as the law directs. If this citation is not served within Ninety (90) days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at my office in the City of Wellington, Texas, on this the 30th day of January, 1984.

/s/ Helen Gollihugh
Clerk, 100th Judicial District Court of Collingsworth County, Texas
29-4c

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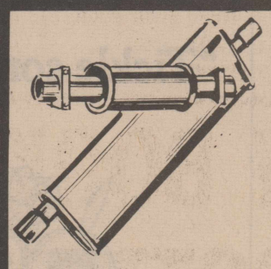
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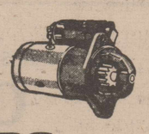


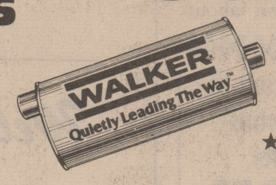
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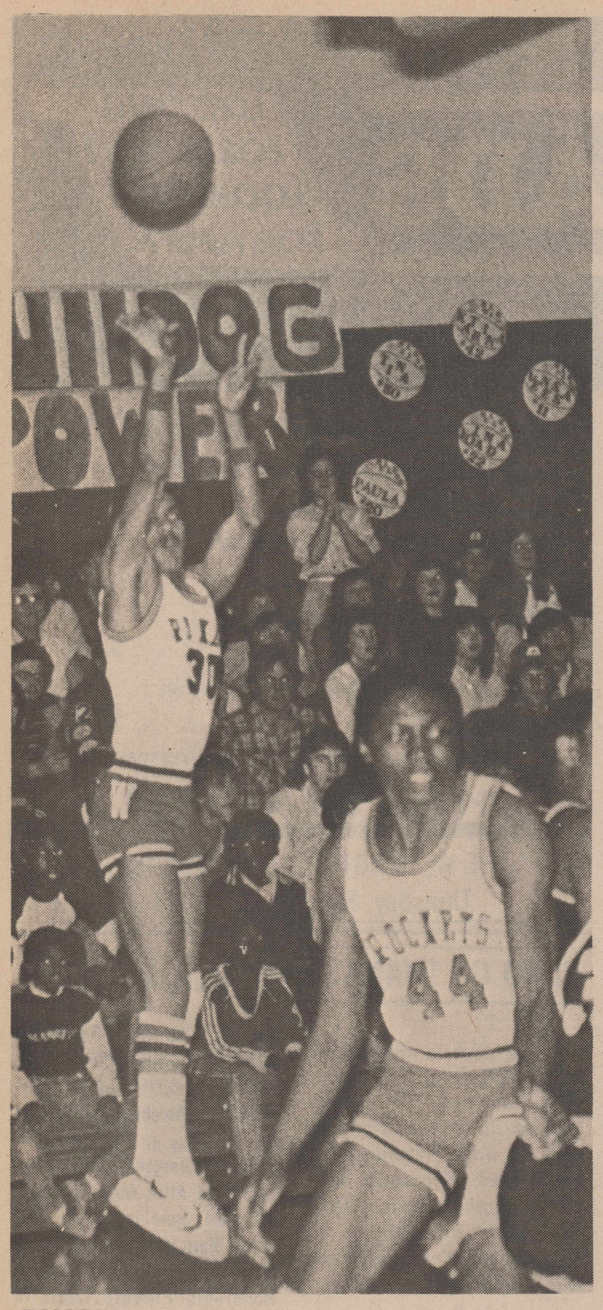




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GATE Students Attend Seminars

BY WES REEVES

Five seminars were held in Amarillo for Gifted and Talented students at the Region XVI Service Center Wednesday, Jan. 25.

Among those attending from the Wellington High School G-T group were Mike Myrick, Holly Wilson, Wes Reeves, Leslie Hammons, Jay Anders and Tracy Day.

The seminar subjects were criminal justice, architecture, aviation, lasers and computers.

Myrick attended the criminal justice seminar, where Capt. Gary Battles of the Potter County Sheriff's department instructed the students in arresting and booking procedures, indicting and grand jury procedures, and the processing necessary after conviction.

This seminar was held at the new jail facilities near TSTI. There the students met and talked with several prisoners.

An informal tour of notable examples of architecture was conducted by Amarillo architect Jim Doche, as the main activity of the architectural seminar. Doche, a professional architect, has been involved with many important projects in Amarillo and the surrounding area. Among the buildings they visited was the Cancer Center.

Holly Wilson and Wes Reeves were accompanied by GATE coordinator Deanna Van Pelt to this seminar.

Leslie Hammons was present at the Aviation seminar. Activities included visiting aviation facilities in the Amarillo area. The students received a general orientation to the private aviation field and its John Claypool, an instructor of an aviation course at Hereford High School.

The lasers seminar was conducted by Eddie Edwards, who teaches physics at Amarillo High. Enrolled from Wellington was Jay Anders. Ms. Edwards brought her own laser equipment for students to experiment with.

Students visited medical facilities that use lasers in treating their patients.

Students in the computers seminar were allowed to work with microcomputers in the microcomputer lab at Region XVI Service Center. Rusty Owens of the center provided instruction in the use of computer language, LOGO. Tracy Day was the only Wellington student attending.

WHS Classes Give Reunion Plans

An update of plans for the Wellington Ex-Students Reunion and for the class reunions to be held at the same time, was announced by Louise Lancaster Peters, secretary. The 1984 reunion will be on August 4.

Mrs. Peters praised the cooperation from many people in securing new addresses for those who have moved. "It is important that we have all these new addresses," she said.

"The search for names of students we have either lost contact with or never had an address for has been quite successful."

Sue Ingram, corresponding secretary in Amarillo, urges all Wellington exes in that area who would like their names on the mailing list or who might know of any ex-student addresses to contact her by calling 806-355-6449.

Classes that will have special events have started their plans.

The 1928-29 classes will have their regular Saturday noon, Aug. 4, luncheon at Roberson's Restaurant. This will be the 55th anniversary for the 1929 Class. Anyone having questions should contact Mrs. Donald Curry, 1001 Haskell St., Wellington, 79095, phone 447-2457.

Classes of 1932-1933-1934 and 1935 will meet in the club room of Bura Handley Community Center Friday, Aug. 3. The door will be opened early, but dinner will begin at 7 p.m. This will be the 50th anniversary for the Class of 1934. Anyone needing information about any of these classes should contact Mrs. Hug Bowen (Ineva Cudd), 1104 Houston St., phone 447-5116. No plans have been announced for the 45th anniversary of the 1939 class.

The 1944 class will have its 40th anniversary dinner on Friday night, Aug. 3, at the Wellington State Bank Heritage Room. Anyone needing more information should contact Betty Godbey Tipton, Quail, Route 1, 79251, phone 447-5740 or Louis Graham, 110 15th St., Wellington, phone 447-5495.

The 1949 Class will be having a special reunion, but plans are incomplete at this time. Get in touch with Morene Amerson Childers (Mrs. N.E.), 709 Floydada, Wellington, phone 447-2994, or David Baumgardner, Route 2, Wellington, phone 447-2795.

Plans for the 1954 Class special reunion have not been made at this time. Anyone interested may call Delores Ward Patterson (Mrs. Earl), Route 1, Wellington, phone 447-5684.

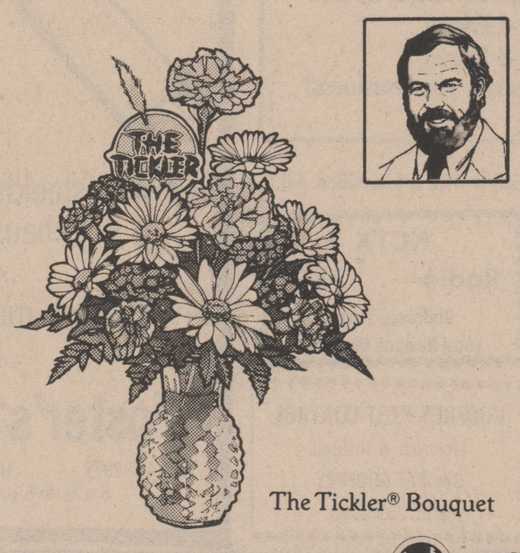
The 1959 Class is planning a dinner to be at Roberson's Restaurant Friday, Aug. 3, at 7 p.m. This will be the 25th anniversary. Anyone may contact Charlesreen Motsenbocker Bolton, 1404 Ennis St., phone 447-2110; Johnny Nash, 1311 East Ave., phone 447-2494 or 447-2916 or Carroll Nunnelley, 1707 Graham St., phone 447-2091.

Plans for the 1964 special class reunion are incomplete. Anyone interested may call Mrs. Dan Langford (Anne Henard) 1515 Amarillo St., phone 447-2851, or Mrs. Glenn Thomas (Jane Orr) 907 El Paso St., phone 447-5624. A meeting of the 1969 Class will be held soon to discuss plans for a 15 year anniversary reunion. Contact Mary Lou Souder (Mrs. Reed) Route 2, Wellington, phone 447-2443 or Mrs. Earl Lynn Feemster (Connie Hughs), 1802 Ellison, phone 447-5452.

The 1974 Class is planning a special reunion, but plans will be announced later. Contact Mrs. Mike Belew (Debra Long) 1703 15th St., 447-2487.

The 1979 Class will be meeting for their 5th anniversary on Saturday evening, Aug. 4, at 6:30 p.m. at Pioneer Park north of Wellington, Highway 83 and Salt Fork River Bridge. Contact Mrs. Randy McGill (Lynda Brooks), 802 Haskell St.

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