First Cotton Harvested Monday



FIRST BALE OF COTTON was baled here Monday by Olton Co op Gin. The 466 pound bale was brought in by Kenneth Sjogren, who is pictured here with his wife.

By the margin of one sunny day, three bales of cotton were ginned in the Olton vicinity ahead of Wednesday's untimely 'snow'.

Weighing in at Olton Co-op Gin Monday about 5 p.m. was Kenneth Sjogren, with a load of Paymaster Dwarf seed cotton which ginned a twenty percent 'turnout'. The bale weighed 466 lbs.

Planted double row, May 15, on pre-watered land, the cotton was never irrigated. Harvesting was done with a John Deere Broadcast stripper. 'Mike' reading was 3.8, a premium range.

Compressed by the new Universal Density method, it is ready to go anywhere in the world without further compressing.

The cotton was grown on the M.L. Armstrong place, located two and one-half miles south and three-fourths mile east of the city.

Sjogren commented "For this cotton, the freeze hit just right; we were getting ready to defoliate. It looks like it will make about a bale to the acre."

The second and third bales of cotton in the area were brought to Circle Gin Tuesday. F.W. Bearden brought in the first cotton about 2:30 p.m. from which a 550 pound bale was produced. The Paymaster 18 was grown near Springlake and was watered once. Turnout of the seed cotton was about 21.4 percent.

Just 30 minutes later, Vernon Britton brought 2410 pounds of cotton and a 508 bale was ginned.

Britton's cotton was Paymaster Dwarf and the turnout was 21 percent. It was raised north of circle on the R.L. Shaw place.

80% Of Goal Reached By United Way Campaign

Funds for the United Way campaign have reached the 80 percent mark and little time remains before the end of the drive.

Failure to meet the goal of $8,500 will mean that Oltonites will be contributing less than their "fair share" askings to seven service and health organizations.

Budget assignments were made to the American Heart Association, American Cancer Society, Caprock Council of Girl Scouts, Haynes District of Boy Scouts, American Red Cross, Salvation Army and Cystic Fibrosis Foundation on the basis of past years' goals. Insufficient giving to United Way will force the reduction of contributions to those organizations.

Persons not yet contacted by a volunteer United Way worker may leave their contributions at Olton State Bank or contact UW campaign chairman, Melvin Rape.



'Lock 'Em' Says Chief

Chief of Police Don Hatley issued the plea this week for people to please lock their parked vehicles when they leave items in them which provide bait for would-be thieves.

This is especially important, he says, with Christmas shopping season approaching.

A CB was stolen Wednesday night from an unlocked vehicle parked on Main Street while its driver played pool.

"If a thief wants to get in, the locked doors won't keep him out but maybe it'll stop some," Hatley says.

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Mrs. Weathers Services Held

Last rites were conducted Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Jack Weathers, 70 in Assembly of God Church.

Officiating was the Rev. Robert Fields of Amarillo, former pastor of the Baptist Church of Halfway. Interment was in Olton Cemetery under the direction of Parsons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Weathers died Saturday in Central Plains Hospital in Plainview. The former Delina Jane Copeland, she was born Oct. 12, 1906 in Hill County. She had been a resident of Olton since 1922 and was married to Jack Weathers July 4, 1927.

Survivors include her husband; one daughter, Wanda Jean Stovall; two sons, Gerald Dean of Kelso, Wash. and Edwin L.; two sisters, Mrs. Herman Bell of Plainview and Mrs. Roy Roberts; three brothers, John Thomas (Jay), Durwood and Ray Copeland; 12 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Lester Cox, T.J. Smith, Dub Leathers, Butch Carter, Billy Griffith and Henry Ahrens.

Police Report

Chief of Police Don Hatley investigated two theft reports last week involving local juveniles. Both were worked out without charges being filed.

A two-vehicle collision Saturday morning resulted in no injuries, according to Chief of Police Hatley. The accident occurred Saturday morning at Avenue M and Highway 70.

Gary Durham, driving a 1973 Ford, was traveling east on Highway 70 when his car was struck by a 1969 Chevrolet pickup being driven by Raymond Perez. Perez, driving west, was attempting a left-hand turn on Avenue M.

Neither men were hurt. Damages to the Durham vehicle was estimated at $550. Approximately $50 damages were reported on the pickup.

Monday morning, Richard Hernandez of Edinburg reported the theft of a CB from his 1976 White International truck parked at Hi-Plains Grain. A small window on the truck cab was pried open to gain entry into the vehicle.

Entry was made through a window Monday night to the home of Dolores Burch. Items which had been discovered missing by Miss Burch early Tuesday were a jewelry case, three Timex watches and some 12 or 14 silver dollars.

Nichols Family Enjoys 'Big Country' Activities

"This is our most beautiful time of the year. Right now, with fall foliage at its peak, the aspen leaves look like, they had been covered with gold flourescent paint. Of course when winter comes, we think it is just as beautiful with our winter snow-cover and the air is so clear and sharp," Mrs. Jerry Nichols modestly described the Pinedale, Wyo. area in which she and her family have lived the past 16 years.

Jerry and Sally, with their son and daughter, George and Elaine, are native to this area. Jerry and Sally wore the blue and white of Olton High School all of their school years and rather expected their children to do likewise. But a pioneering spirit cropped out in Jerry and he decided to take his family north and west . . . to Wyoming.

Jerry is son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nichols. Sally is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clark. As an Olton Mustang, Jerry was in the class of '53 and Sally in that of '54.

Nichols originally had visions of some type ranch job up in the 'big country' but instead he worked several years for a butane-propane company. He now operates a Conoco filling station in Jackson, and automotive parts stores in Jackson and Pinedale. A recent convention in Houston brought the Nichols by Olton for a few days visit with family and friends.

When asked to tell about life in Pinedale Sally began "Well, last week before we left we killed two elk, and had them processed for our freezer. We like the elk meat much better than venison. Properly cared for, we think it is delicious."

"There are tricks to be learned about preparation and cooking wild game. First of all it should be skinned as soon as possible and allowed to cool properly. We have ours done commercially. We like to prepare 'jerky' from the roasts. This makes it most usable to carry on hunting or other trips into the mountains, it is lightweight and very nutritious.

"In cooking wild game one needs to do anything possible to hold moisture. I 'chicken-fry' steaks and chops. It is well to remove all game fat from the meat for it gives a strong taste, add bacon strips if fat is needed. Also remove all bones you possibly can, as they too add an unpleasant taste.

"We have an abundance of wild game in addition to the elk. There are many deer and some black bears, but we do not care for bear meat and, since Jerry is not a 'trophy' hunter, he usually shoots only for use. The moose, too, are always there, they come down into town and are a general nuisance. In fact they are a real problem to ranchers."

Sally admits that she goes hunting with Jerry, shoots right along with him, 'usually a little late . . and sometimes in the wrong place, this ruins the meat, so I'm not so good at shooting.'

The Nichols also enjoy fishing, both lake and stream sports. But their business is more confining during this season. They have more time for winter sports. Formerly they did lots of snow skiing, but have shifted their allegiance to the snow-mobile or snow-machine.

This little vehicle is particularly well adapted to their area. "It is so beautiful to ride out across the mesa, or to a hilltop, just for the view of the great expanses of snow and natural beauty. With friends we often ride to a certain restaurant, 38 miles distant, just for a meal together.

We travel separately on the machines. It is possible to ride two to the machine, but they are so much more maneuverable when ridden singly, and gain greater heights when not so heavily loaded. When riding, just for fun, we carry about a gallon of extra gas each, pack a lunch and go for an all day ride.

"We have gone into Yellowstone Park to Old Faithful Lodge in winter, when the only way to get there was via snow-machine," Mrs. Nichols mused, "We were there last March when snow covered the cabin in which we stayed and we had to climb down into the passageway that had been cleared to the door of the building. It was Jerry's birthday and friends gave him a real 'surprise' . . .they shoved a snowbank down into the passage and blocked the doorway.

"In Yellowstone, during winter, the wildlife is fantastic. We saw "Trumpeter" swans, notable for the unusual trumpet-like sound they make. They are almost an endangered species. And, of course, Canadian geese, along with buffalo, moose, elk and deer.

There is never a time of year here, except perhaps the spring, when outdoor activities are not in full swing for anyone with the inclination to participate. In the fall elk, deer, moose and antelope hunters are busy. Also fall elk, deer, moose and antelope hunters are busy. Also fall fly fishing is very good. In our numerous rivers and lakes may be found some of the best trout fishing in the nation.

"Earlier in the fall there is a short sage-chicken season, for bird hunters. A young sage chicken is 'pretty good eating' but an older one is tough and tastes like sage. They are a fairly large bird, also called 'fools hen' because they are slow fliers and slow to sense danger, making them easy targets early in the season, before they get 'spooked'.

During the winter, there is snow skiing eleven miles from town, snow-mobiling and ice fishing. The more sophisticated and dedicated ice fishermen have little collapsible houses they set up on the ice. They have power ice augers to drill a hole in the ice, which is usually 12 to 18 inches thick. With a small heater in the house some of them fish all day. The biggest fish are caught through ice. The Mackinaw weighs from 20 to 45 pounds.

"Skiing usually lasts from Thanksgiving to Easter. Snowmobiling starts around mid-December and lasts through March.

"We like all the seasons. Perhaps the winters are most enjoyable, when we are not so busy. We have 'singspirations and take some overnight snow-mobile trips.

"This time of the year, everyone in Pinedale goes wood-cutting. Some 90 percent of the homes here have wood burning stoves or fireplaces. About 75 percent of these have been installed during the past three years (since the energy crisis). Wood is plentiful, and for a $1 permit you can cut all the wood your needs dictate. Using wood we save about one-third on our fuel bill."

The Nichols family belongs to a small Independent Baptist Church in Pinedale, which they have been instrumental in helping to establish. Church attendance usually numbers about 100. Sunday school attendance averages about 75 or 80. Sally teaches the ladies class and Jerry the high school young people.

"We would probably never have been so active for the Lord, if we had stayed here. But, up there it takes the help of every Christian to keep the work going. It has brought us much happiness. We have our own church building and a parsonage. We are now in the process of building a Christian Camp.

"We have 15 acres of virgin timber land . . . ten acres have been donated and we have bought five more. It will be a long term building project. The timber has to be cut, then we plan to use it for the buildings. We are trying to do all the labor we can to keep the cost down. When in operation, we plan to keep prices as low as possible so that many people may be able to attend and find inspiration . . . . we even hope Olton people will want to come for some sessions there," she added.

Pinedale is located in Wind River Mountains, which Sally defends as 'just as beautiful' as her illustrious neighbors, the Teetons. In fact, she states, the highest mountain in Wyoming is in the Wind River Range.

Each year, the second Sunday in July, Sublette County Historical Society produces an historical pageant called "Green River Rendezvous" usually attended by some 3000 people. The pageant is a re-enactment of mountain men bringing their furs down; a meeting of Indians, fur traders and buyers, all in authentic costumes. A barbecue dinner is one of its featured attractions.

The Nichols son, George, has had eye surgery three times in Denver and is presently with his parents recovering from the last bout. He is manager of the gas station.

Elaine, now Mrs. Bill Hout, lives in Pinedale. The Houts have a son, Ty, who is three and one-half years of age. Elaine works with her parents during summer months.

'Molly Brown', a Brittainy Spaniel, completes the Nichols household. "We've had her so long, she's like a member of the family," Mrs. Nichols explains.

Nichols has a pilot's license and flys a Cessna 182, which makes it possible for them to visit homefolks rather regularly. Sally has had a few lessons, but has not pursued flying to the point of securing a license. She said she only wanted to feel that she could 'set the plane down in case of an emergency.'

Not entirely weaned away from their Texas heritage, they make an annual pilgrimage to this area for quail and pheasant hunting, still one of Jerry's favorite pastimes . . . . possibly because the huntsmen are all friends and relatives of a family that really enjoys being together.



SCENERY AND MOBILITY - Both are fantastic, during winter months for snow machine travelers. Day long jaunts with friends are commonplace. Proper dress for the event, plus some heat from the engine, makes the trip pleasant comfortable. (Personal photo)



READY AND WILLING to go for a snowmobile ride is Ty Hout, grandson of the Jerry Nichols. Sometimes the ride begins right in town, more often the machines are taken on trailers into the country. There they take off on a forest trail for a ride into 'high country'.

Night Police To Be On Duty

William Hammonds of Earth will assume duties Monday as night patrolman and will also be on duty Sundays. He has been filling in for Chief of Police Don Hatley on Sundays.

Married and the father of three children, Hammonds plans to move to Olton when housing becomes available.

He gained police work experience while serving with the Army and stationed at Leavenworth, Kans. He also has some law enforcement experience while living in Missouri.

Football Contest Not Easy

Picking wasn't easy last week for contestants in the Enterprise football contest. Plagued with upsets, no contestant was able to claim fewer than five misses while most were wrong on six and more.

Wade Nafzger and W.E. Andrew were wrong on five games each with the tie-breaker naming young Nafzger the winner for the

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Editorial

Don't Vote - Nov. 2

For President

The American people will go to the polls Tuesday, Nov. 2 to determine into whose hands they will put the future of our country, our children's future and our own future.

These names that appear on the ballot . . . . some are familiar, others are not. Do not simply mark the ballot FOR because you have heard the name. Just because his or her name is a so-called "household" name, doesn't qualify them to hold an office.

These people are just ordinary people asking for a job. WE, YOU AND I, are their employers . . . . we pay their salary. (If you don't believe it, look at last year's taxes you paid).

So, if we are going to hire someone to do a job, we want that someone to be the best qualified for that job, right?

Alright, how do we determine if we are going to hire a person for a job at our places of business . . or our farms? We look into their background, if possible, and also talk to someone who knows them or someone whom they have worked for and see what kind of person they are and what kind of job they do.

So, why not be concerned about the people who hold the destiny of our country in their hands? Shouldn't we be just as careful or more careful about such a job?

The amount of political statistics that passes over our desk each day is staggering. Despite this, we have held onto the releases which are from the Democratic and Republican headquarters, and have tried to come up with a few facts for our readers. (Remember, this information came from "the horses' mouth" so to speak. These are not our opinions; they are fact.)

The Democratic Party Presidential nominee wants expanded federal programs, except the defense program.

The Republican Party nominee wants to lower taxes and balance the budget.

Carter wants to have a federally-financed "Guaranteed annual income", and federalize all welfare programs.

Ford says no to "guaranteed annual income," and federalizing welfare programs. He wants tighter work requirements for welfare recipients.

Carter wants a national health insurance program, funded by the government.

Ford does not favor a compulsory national health insurance program.

Carter is in support of abortion and opposes a constitutional amendment protecting the lives of unborn children.

Ford supports a constitutional amendment for the protection of the right to life for unborn children.

Carter wants to repeal Section 14(b) of the Taft-Hartley Act (state right to work law).

Ford supports the right-to-work law.

Carter is in favor of mandatory school busing for school desegration.

Ford is in opposition to forced busing for racial balance in schools.

Ford is supportive of a constitutional amendment allowing non-sectarian prayer in public schools.

Carter says he would not favor such an amendment.

Ford does not favor Federal gun registration.

Carter favors gun registration.

These are only a few of the very many differences the two parties have. It is up to us to decide which we want.

Jimmy Carter has said he wants to balance the budget, just as President Ford has stated. Can we have a balanced budget and at the same time put taxes and increase federal programs?

Can you operate your business or farm within a budget and buy every new gadget or piece of machinery that comes along just because it would make it easier for you?

We must apply the same principles to government that we apply to our businesses.

Big labor unions are backing Jimmy Carter. He supports a California proposal to permit union bosses to go into private property without the owner's permission to oranize farm and ranch workers and to picket. Do we want this in Texas?

Carter has refused to answer reporters questions on how deeply involved he is with Philip Walden of Capricorn Records.

According to "The Spotlight" newspaper of Washington, D.C., Walden is responsible for raising one million dollars for Carter's presidential campaign. Walden is under investigation in a rapidly-spreading narcotics scandal in Georgia in which 36 people have thus far been indicted.

Take a long look at these two men.

We encourage everyone to look at the record of Gerald Ford who took office in trying times. Granted, he hasn't pleased everyone . . . . but then who has? When we look at his overall record we think he has for the most part done what has been good for our country.

Which do you want working for you?

We choose Gerald Ford.

For Congressman

Your vote for your congressman is just as important -- or maybe more -- as your vote for the president.

After all, it's the group of men and women in congress that control our government.

We need to take a look at the qualifications of the two men who are running for congress in our district.

George Mahon has been a member of Congress for the past 42 years. He is one of the most powerful men in Washington.

But, he is now 76 years old. Is he getting too old to really serve his district?

Jim Reese, 46 years of age, running against Mahon says he got into the race because he felt something had to be done to preserve our constitutional form of government for the sake of our children, pointing out the fact that more and more government controls are being added each day.

Reese is a man of highest integrity and moral courage according to those who know him best.

He is against forced busing,; he wants to get control of welfare and put people to work who should be working instead of drawing welfare checks; he is against gun registration.

He'd like to see the terms of those serving in Washington limited. "So then maybe they would think more about how their actions will affect the next generation rather than their own next election."

He would like to see inflation halted . . . he says the way to do it is to get the big spenders out of Congress.

He feels that agriculture should be allowed to operate without government interference. He'd like to see government regulations reduced, and place end-dates on all bureaus and agencies with the "sunset" provision.

We feel George Mahon has done a good job in Washington.

We feel now, however, it's time for him to step down, when there is a younger man like Jim Reese to take over this great task.

We might not have such a choice again.

For Water

Proposal 1 would authorize an additional $400 million in Texas water development bonds. It will be one that should be of vital interest to all areas of the State and particularly those areas where water development will be needed in the next few years.

Proposal 2 deals with water quality and would add $100 million to the water enhancement fund for the purposes of making grants and loans to cities to update their sewage treatment facilities to meet federal standards, thereby qualifying Texas cities for matching federal funds for these purposes.

For: Amendment #1. Funds available in the water development fund for use in developing water projects have been almost depleted. Failure to provide additional funding will result in inadequate water supplies in the future. Money for development of all in-state water supplies can be provided through the Water Development Fund.

Against: Amendment #1. The authorization provided for the Texas Water Development Board to issue an additional $400 million in water development bond would double the Board's existing bond authorization and would further encourage the development of water supplies through the building of reservoirs which some say would be a deterrent or a detriment to the environment.

For: Amendment #2. The future of Texas depends upon the quality and supply of its water. Passage of the proposed amendment would make more funds available to assist local governments in providing necessary facilities, thereby enhancing both the quality and quantity of the State's water.

Against: Amendment #2. The experience of other governmental entities in the United States in relying on bonded indebtedness as a source of financing has not been good. Texas should cease reliance on longtime bonded debt and seek other avenues of financing needed projects.

Supreme Court

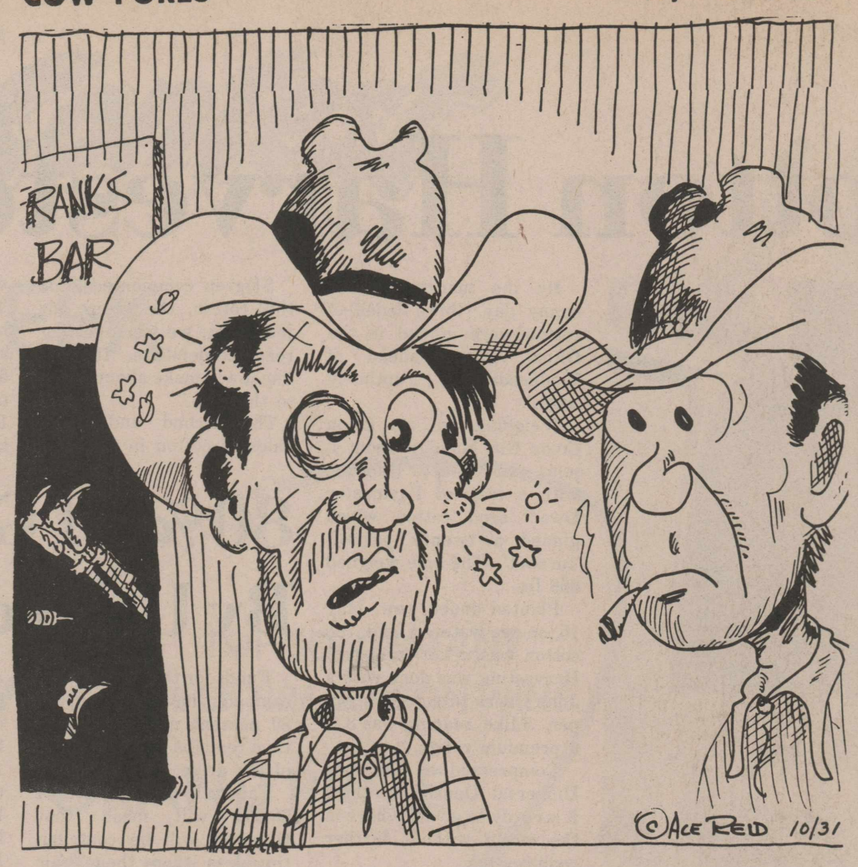
Don't overlook the race for the Texas Supreme Court, in which Don Yarbrough, a man who is the target of 17 civil lawsuits and subject of an examination by the state bar of grievance committee, is the only name on the ballot.

Now, if you don't wish to put a man of his character into such an important position, there are two write-in candidates who are seeking that office, Tom Lorance and Sam Houston.

If you want to vote for them as a write-in, be sure and ask the election judge what procedure you must use in order to write one of their names in.

If you do not wish to vote for Yarbrough and do not write in a name either . . . . at least you haven't helped put this kind of man in office!

COW POKES — By Ace Reid



"Whew! I wish they would cut them happy hours to about 15 minutes!"

Leaving The Nest

By Ron Winckler

As an eagle stirreth up her nest, fluttereth over her young, spreadeth abroad her wings, taketh them, beareth them on her wings:

So the Lord alone did lead him, and there was no strange god with him. Duet. 32:11.12

The above scripture relates how a mother eagle stirs up her nest in order to encourage her young eaglets to fly. The time has come, they are now ready to leave home. To stay any longer would be detrimental to their growth.

There is no doubt in my mind that the young birds in no way want to leave the security and warmth of their nest. They have been fed by their mother and father, protected by a home safe from predators and had the fellowship of their brothers and sisters. Now they are being asked to leave, to make their way alone in the world.

Remember when you left home to marry that man or woman of your dreams, which at times has seemed more like a nightmare? Or possibly followed after a profession that you studied and worked long hours to attain. Whatever the reason, one thing is certain, you can't go back. Sure you can daydream, you can wish you had never left or think of how nice it was at one time. But something is different, people have changed, you've changed and now your beginning to see that you have outgrown that nest.

Spiritually speaking it is the same, we are spoon fed, coddled and taken care of as we grown up in the church. Often we are never encouraged to try our "wings" on our own. To leave the nest and explore new vistas, canyons and mountains of the Spirit is expressly forbidden. Nevertheless, the Holy Spirit continually stirs us, encouaging us to finally leave the nest and seek the fellowship of eagles who know how to fly. It is, at times lonely, our old nest partners don't seem to care about the beautiful sights and visions that are seen in flight. They just raise their eyebrows and mutter to each other that old so and so has finally gone off the deep end. They are convinced that flight is for the previous dispensation.

For those of you have "left the nest" and find yourselves wishing that you could go back, let me encourage you to keep your wings spread, your spirits free. For you who are being "stirred up" by the Holy Spirit, allow yourselves to be "borne upon the wings of God" and carried into those heavenly places with Christ. "And the Lord, He it is that doth go before thee; He will not fail thee, neither forsake thee: fear not, neither be dismayed." Deut. 31:8.

Farmers

BY RODNEY LEWIS

At the time of the American Revolution, 19 out of every 20 Americans lived on a farm. Today, it's just the opposite, only one out of every 20 live on farms.

But farming is now, and will always be, one of the most important jobs. If it weren't for farmers, what would we eat?

You may ask, how it is that so few farmers feed all the rest of us. It's because farming methods have changed so much.

In the early days of America, most farmers could produce only enough food and fiber to feed and clothe themselves and their families. Farmers' tools were very crude and their only source of power besides his own muscles was an ox or two.

Today's farmers use big modern tractors and attachments for seeding, cultivating and harvesting. With all the new machinery and methods he can do many times the work that the old-time farmers could do. Today's farmers can produce enough food and fiber for 45 other persons besides himself and his family.

IN BROWNFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Pinson stayed Saturday night and Sunday with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Pinson, Brandon and Bryan of Brownfield.

IN FARWELL

Mrs. James Spurlin visited Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. J.E. Randol of Farwell.

Everything But The Kitchen Sink

By Mozelle Trotter

Dear Courtney Nicole:

Welcome to the world, darling. Your arrival at 2:59 a.m. Tuesday brought an end to the anxious waiting of your parents, grandparents, great-grandparents, uncles and aunts, cousins and a host of friends.

Everyone already lucky enough to be a grandparent has proclaimed the wondrous blessing of a grandchild and, little one, they're right.

Nine pounds of pink preciousness, you will not lack love and attention. Hopefully, we will not yield to the temptation to over indulge -- to pamper you a little too much.

You became very important to us long before the miracle of your birth Tuesday. First things are always "special" and first grandchildren must hold very treasured places in the hearts of their grandparents. That is how you are for us. And yet, when little sisters or brothers come to join you and little cousins arrive, they'll also have very "special" places too.

Darling little Courtney Nicole, it seems just yesterday that your Daddy was MY baby. Years have vanished like wisps of smoke and now he's learning the wonder of being a parent.

New as you are, you're making life fresh and exciting. A whole world of new experiences await us as you, like an opening rose bud, will blossom before our eyes.

We'll bask in the happiness you bring into our lives with that first smile...the pat-a-cakes we'll play...the first wet kiss...those first unsteady steps...and the first time you call our names (will we be "Granny and Gramps", "Grandma and Grandpa" or will it be your own clever little interpretation of our titles?)

Ah yes, Little One, you have two middle aged sentimentalists wrapped in your ten tiny fingers.

Someone has said that a baby is God's "masterpiece" and it must have been a grandparent.

We love you Courntey Nicole,

Two Brand New Grandparents

Dear Editor

Dear Editor:

It is my belief that unless Texans give solid support to the Water Amendments in the November 2 vote, we may have to revive the aged poem, "The Ancient Mariner," as our state song.

The arguments being advanced by opponents are pointless when they say, "There must be a specific plan before we vote to tackle the water problem." You do not sit down and draw up a 25-year water plan for the southwest as you would for a 10-story building.

Before any master plan can be considered, we must have studies and conferences with various states, with dozens of federal agencies, and even international bodies. These studies cannot be even started until monies are made available by citizens of the southwest who have everything at stake and absolutely no lead time to spare.

The irony of it all is that when time runs out in the 1990's, and we have done nothing, the entire southwest will go down like the Titanic because of lack of vision and wisdom on the part of us now enjoying all the bountiful blessings of the present day.

From Houston, Texas, to high lonesome New Mexico, this is by far the biggest question facing the southwest today. Think it over.

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Lullaby Coffee Fetes Mrs. Dennis Givens, Dale

Master Dale Wayne Givens, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Givens, was honored along with his mother Monday at a coffee held in the home of Mrs. Gary DeBerry.

The refreshment table, laid with a yellow and white checked cloth, was centered with a miniature bassinet encircled with yellow flowers and greenery. Sweetbreads, fruit and sausage tidbits were served informally along with coffee and spiced tea. Milk glass appointments were used.

Mrs. Danny Collins registered gifts and guests.

Hostess gifts included an electric feeding set, yellow blanket set, diaper bag and clothing.

J. Burkhalters To Be Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Burkhalter will be honorees Friday, Nov. 5, at an open house to be held at their new residence five and one-half miles north, three east, and one and one-half miles north.

The house-warming party has been scheduled after the Muleshoe-Olton football game. Friends and relatives are cordially invited to attend.

Ornaments To Be Shown

Young Homemakers have scheduled a meeting of that organization Tuesday, Nov. 2 at 7 p.m. in the Homemaking Cottage on the school campus.

Mrs. Eldon Towery, guest speaker, will describe "How To Make Christmas Ornaments." Members are urged to be present. Interested persons will be welcome.

Shower To Fete Miss Peters

Miss Debbie Peters, bride-elect of Jim Walters, will be complimented with a pre-nuptial courtesy Saturday, Nov. 13 in the home of Mrs. John Thompson. Calling hours are 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Friends and relatives are invited.

FROM HART

Sunday visitors of Mrs. R.V. Ellis were her sons wife and children, Mrs. Paul Ellis, Twana and Richard of Hart.

Don Loafmans To Be Feted

Mr. and Mrs. Don Loafman and children will be honorees Friday, Nov. 5, at a Going-Away Party, slated to be held in the PCA Party Room.

Friends are cordially invited to attend the event, following the Muleshoe-Mustang football game.

Party Honors Miss Loafman

Miss Lee Ann Loafman was feted Tuesday afternoon with a Going-Away party. Misses Rhonda Goen and Kelli Hukill were the junior hostesses for the event held in PCA Party Room.

The gift table was covered with a red cloth and centered with an 'autograph hound'. The honoree was presented a party hat and an Hawaiian lei. Punch and cookies were served to thirteen girls.

Attending were the honoree, Jane Ellen Taylor, Lynn Hughes, Christine Pedroza, Angie Rey, Tanya McCall, Leasa Walden, Carol Williamson, Tammy Franks, Shelle Sivley, Alexia Andrew, the hostesses, Mrs. Loafman and Wade, Mrs. Doug Goen and Mrs. Dewey Hukill.

VISITS COUSIN

Mrs. Otis Meadows spent Monday in Lubbock visiting with her cousin, L.M. Wynn.



MRS. DALE DeBERRY

Cook Of The Week

Yummy desserts and an easy to prepare main dish are the recipes shared this week by Mrs. Dale DeBerry.

Debra, Dale and little three-year-old Dawn have just recently moved into a brand new home on Avenue M and are enjoying its newness, convenience and beauty.

Moving to Olton last November from Stinnett, the young DeBerrys were really just "coming home." Dale was born and reared in Olton. Debra moved here as a little girl and lived in Olton for a number of years.

Dawn attends Kiddie Hide-a-Way mornings while her mother works at High Plains Incorporated.

A member of Young Homemakers, Debra likes snowmobiling and says she has only recently become interested in plants.

The DeBerrys attend First Baptist Church.

STEAK SUPPER

1½ lb round steak
1 env onion soup mix
2-3 potatoes
3 med carrots
3 stalks celery
2 T butter
½ t salt

Tear off large piece of foil and place meat in center. Sprinkle with soup and cover with vegetables and dot with butter. Sprinkle with salt and fold foil over and seal. Bake at 350 degrees for 1½ hours or until done.

BANANA SPLIT CAKE

Combine and press into 9 X 13 pan, 2 cups graham cracker crumbs and 5-6 tablespoons melted oleo. Mix and beat for 10 minutes.

Mix 2 cups powdered sugar, ¼ lb. oleo, 1 t. vanilla and 2 eggs. Pour over crumbs. Add 3 sliced bananas, 1 #2 can crushed pineapple. Top with 2 pkgs. Dream Whip prepared by package directions. Sprinkle with nuts and marachino cherries. Refrigerate until set.

HOT FUDGE PUDDING CAKE

1 c flour
2 T cocoa
¼ t salt
2 T melted shortening
1 c brown sugar
¾ c sugar
2 t baking powder
½ c milk
1 c nuts
¼ c cocoa
1¾ c hot water

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Mix flour, sugar, 2 T cocoa, baking powder and salt. Stir in milk, shortening and nuts. Pour batter in ungreased 9X9X2 pan. Stir together brown sugar and ¼ c cocoa and sprinkle over batter. Pour hot water on batter. Bake 45 min. While hot cut into squares. Invert on dessert plates and spoon sauce over.

SON VISITS

Bennett Worley of Dripping Springs was here recently with his mother, Mrs. Freda Worley. They went to Crosbyton one day to be with a friend, Mrs. Edra Taylor.

Mmes. Witten And Carson Present Club Program

A meeting of Olton Garden Club was hosted recently by Mrs. L.G. Elkins and Mrs. Maude Lambright in Woman's Club House.

Devotional thoughts, "The Worth of a Smile", were presented by Mrs. Juanita Adams. Roll call was answered with a statement "What I Like Best About Autumn."

A program, demonstrating making String Chimes, was presented by Mrs. Lucille Witten, she was assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Harlan Carson.

Mrs. Lester Kennedy directed a short business meeting.

Attending, in addition to the special guests, were Mmes. Tom Smith, Pearl Schreier, Preston Sampler, Doyle Pinson, Minnie Melton, Athol Light, J.G. Estes, V.H. Giles, Naomi Cooner, Linnie Campbell, Raymon Carson, Jack Allcorn, Adams, Elkins, Lambright and Kennedy.

FROM FT. STOCKTON

Coming Friday to visit Mrs. G.T. Sides were her daughter and family, Mrs. Danny Smith, Stacy, Shelly and Scott of Ft. Stockton.

FROM CANYON

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards had as visitors last weekend their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Turner and Chris of Canyon.

30% off
one rack of
Men's & Boys
clothes
Country Lad
in the Mini Mall Plus

Let Us Tell You About



Courtney Nicole Trotter

Arrival: October 26, 1976
Weight: 9 lbs ¼ oz
Height: 20½ inches
AND BEAUTIFUL!!

Details readily provided by
Grandma Mozelle and Grandpa Gene
P.S. Pat & Pam are pretty proud too!

OLTON LIONS CLUB

urges each and every one to

VOTE

Lions Support State Constitutional Amendment 1.

CONGRATULATIONS
to
F.W. BEARDEN
who brought us our
FIRST BALE OF COTTON
Tuesday, October 26, 2:30 p.m.
AND ALSO TO
VERNON BRITTON
for his first bale at 3 p.m. Tuesday
Circle Gin



Jayne and I have lived and raised our family here in West Texas. We love this country. But we're afraid our children won't have the kind of opportunity we have had if Congress continues to allow big government to grow unchecked. The bigger the government — the less freedom we leave to our children.

The future of America is bright — if we make it so.... and the future of America is now.

Jim Reese

Jim Reese
U.S. CONGRESS

pol. adv. paid for by Jim Reese for Congress Committee, Jim Smith, Treasurer, Box 7099, Odessa, Tex.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Sunday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Margaret Burrus were her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Evans of Palmer and Mrs. Burrus' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Granbery.

IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Eby were in Lubbock Saturday as guests of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Hall. Also there were the ladies brothers and sisters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Johnson, Abernathy and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Johnson, Lubbock.

MEN'S
WRANGLERS
Checks And Solids
$8 pair
Country Lad
in the MINI MALL

VISIT MOTHER

Visiting last week with Mrs. M.E. Taylor were her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brock, Atlanta, Ga. They were met here by Mrs. Brock's son, Richard Santmyer, stationed at an Airforce base in Kansas.

TO HOBBS

Mr. and Mrs. J.I. Brothers spent the weekend with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brothers and Mike, Hobbs, N.M.

FROM SLATON

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Trusty of Slaton stayed during the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V.J. Trusty who had as other luncheon guests Sunday their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Trusty.

Dinner Party Honors Trio

Friday evening Mrs. Randall Small of Dimmitt, her husbands father J.L. Small and his brother-in-law, E.J. McCord were honored with a dinner party observing their birthdates. The event was in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Small.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Small, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Small, Jeri, Kelli and Toni and Mr. and Mrs. E.J. McCord.

Small's birthday is Oct. 22, Mrs. Randall Small, Oct. 21 and Mr. McCord, Oct. 9.

NEPHEW VISITS

Herman O. Edwards of Amarillo was here Monday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards.



CLASS OF '26 - Pictured at a recent reuinion are five of the ten original members of an early class of Olton High School. At a luncheon held in the home of Mrs. Ruth Gautier, Lubbock, are Carroll (Pug) Jones, Louise; Mrs. Eugenia (Dye) Hooper, Amarillo; Lee (Colonel) Dodson, El Paso; Mrs. Gautier; and Roy (Oscar) Granbery, Truth or Consequences, N.M. (personal photo)

Church Directory

Attend The Church Of Your Choice

St. Peter's Catholic
200 11th Street
FATHER CLARENCE HUBER

Sunday Morning Mass	8:30 a.m.
Confessions (Sunday morn.)	8:00 a.m.
Monday Evening Mass	7:30 p.m.
First Friday Mass	7:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church
6th & Avenue G
JOHN LEWIS, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Christian Training	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	
Evening Worship	7:30 p.m.

Assembly Of God
11th & Avenue G
RAYMOND MAYFIELD

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Youth Service	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	
Evening Worship	7:30 p.m.

First United Methodist
312 3rd Street
ELTON WYATT, Pastor

Church School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
Study Groups	7:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	
Youth Prayer Breakfast	7:00 a.m.
WEDNESDAY	
Men's Prayer Breakfast	7:00 a.m.

Victory Missionary Baptist Church
Corner 8th & Ave. E
BILL GREEN, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Training Union	6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	
Bible Study	8:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	
W.M.A.	10:00 a.m.

Bohner Chapel Baptist
1510 Avenue A
REV. W. JOHNSON, of Canyon, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.

Main Street Church Of Christ
3rd & Main
DON JONES, Minister
REX BOYLES, Youth Director

Bible Study	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:40 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	
Ladies Bible Class	10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship (Sept. thru May)	7:30 p.m.
Evening Worship (June thru Aug.)	8:30 p.m.

Northside Church Of Christ
2nd & Avenue G

Sunday Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.

Trinity Baptist Mission
14th & Avenue I

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:15 a.m.
Training Union	5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	6:15 p.m.
TUESDAY	
Prayer Meeting (In Homes)	8:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service	8:00 p.m.

La iglesia de dios del Primogenito
13th Street
GUMECINDO FLORES, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Sermon	11:00 a.m.
Lord's Supper & Feet Washing	11:30 a.m.
Evening Service	6:15 p.m.
Thursday Services	7:30 p.m.

Church Of The Nazarene
10th & Avenue E
REV. TERRY V. CONNALLY, pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Youth Service	5:45 p.m.
Evening Worship	6:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	
Evening Worship	7:00 p.m.

Reorganized Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints
6th & Avenue H
JAMES WELCH, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.
Scripture Study	7:00 p.m.
SECOND WEDNESDAY	
Prayer Service	7:30 p.m.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church
9th & Avenue G
E.M. JENNINGS, Pastor
1st & 3rd Sundays

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.

Hillcrest Temple
5th & Avenue B
Ron Winckler, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	
Women Aglow	2:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	
Prayer Service	8:00 p.m.

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Leon's Grocery | Thompson Chevrolet | Olton State Bank
Don's Super Market | Thompson Implement | Sluder Ins. Agency

Mrs. M.L. Funderburk Celebrates 90th Birthday

Mrs. M.L. Funderburk was honored with a dinner observing her ninetieth birthday in Circle K Restaurant Wednesday, Oct. 20. Hosting the event were a sister-in-law, Mrs. Nora Billingsley of Canyon and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Berry of Oregon. Mrs. Funderburk's daughter, Ray Wanbaugh of Crescent City, Calif. was present.

The table was centered with fall flowers. The birthday cake was decorated with multi-colored floral designs and the lettering, "Happy 90th Birthday." Restaurant personnel greeted the honoree with the birthday song.

At a birthday dinner party in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Curtis, guests were the other daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wanbaugh, Crescent City, Calif. and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Funderburk, Ft. Stockton, the Curtis' daughter and family, Mrs. Harvey Garrison, Kerry and Jana of Dumas were there.

Mrs. Funderburk was born in Johnson County at Joshua, Oct. 20, 1886.

Ex-Teachers Meet Tuesday

Retired and Ex-teachers of Olton schools will meet Tuesday, Nov. 2, according to Freda Worley, reporter.

The meeting, in the home of David Howton, will begin at 2 p.m.

United Methodist Women Bake Sale, Bazaar Set

United Methodist Women will sponsor their annual bazaar and bake sale Saturday, Nov. 6 in fellowship hall of the church.

Chili with beans or stew will be served from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. "Trimmings" will include relishes, tea, coffee and homemade pie.

Handcraft items and baked goods will go on sale at 10 a.m. Persons wishing to place orders for special cakes or pies or other goodies may do so by contacting bazaar chairman, Mrs. Kenneth Williams.

RECENT VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts stayed Wednesday night in Breckenridge with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Roberts. Thursday the Oltonites visited with Mrs. Robert's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Lambert. They went to Whitney where they stayed until Monday with Mrs. Nell Stewart, mother of Mrs. Roberts.

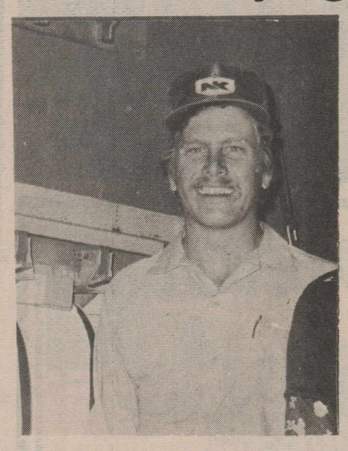
FROM AMARILLO

Visiting during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Limbocker were a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Dalton, Julie and David of Amarillo.

IN LITTLEFIELD

Mrs. Tom Stansell and her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Joiner, Cory and Brandon of Dimmitt called Friday evening in the home of Mrs. Stansell's nephew-in-law and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kirby of Littlefield and Mrs. Kirby's father, John T. Forbis Sr., formerly of Wellington and Childress. He is brother of Mrs. Stansell.

Kenneth Sjogren



was first to gin a bale of cotton
with Olton Co op Gin in Olton this year

We Congratulate Him!

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Mr., Mrs. Jack Edwards Return From Tour

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards recently made a tour of several states. They found the most beautiful autumn foliage in Cimarron Canyon of New Mexico. At Angel Fire, N.M. they stayed overnight with Edwards' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Edwards.

Viewing the snow capped Rockies of Colorado the Oltonites went into Wyoming where they were in Sinks Canyon, Yellowstone Park, Grand Teutons and Big Horn Mountains. They saw the Devils Tower which is one mile in circumference at the base and rises 865 feet above the ridge at the bottom. This tower was designated the first national monument.

At Riverton, Wyo. the Edwards visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Minter, parents of their son's wife, Mrs. Jarrell Edwards of O'Donnell.

They saw Mt. Rushmore with its carving depicting Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Theodore Roosevelt. Traveling through the Bad Lands and the rolling grass lands of North Dakota Mr. and Mrs. Edwards were in Weyburn, Saskatchewan, Canada.

As they were returning they went through Bismarck, N.D., Pierre, S.D. and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S.A. Freeman, Lexington, Neb. Freeman is a former minister of Main Street Church of Christ. They went through Dodge City and Liberal, cities in Kansas and stayed the last night of the journey with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don Edwards of Pampa.

Springlake Grad In Seminary

Elroy Ernest Wisian Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Elroy E. Wisian Sr. of Springlake is a student of the Master of Divinity degree program at Asbury Theological Seminary, Wilmore, Ky.

Asbury Theological Seminary, an interdenominational graduate school of theology, offers the Master of Arts in Religion, the Master of Divinity and the Doctor of Ministry degrees.

The 590 students enrolled this semester represent 256 colleges and universities, more than 40 states and the District of Columbia, 13 foreign countries and 34 church denominations.

Wisian is a graduate of Springlake-Earth High School and Texas Tech University. He and his wife, Donna, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Dunnam, Lubbock, have a two months old daughter, Carla.



Mr. and Mrs. Pat Trotter of Hereford announce the arrival of a daughter born at 2:59 a.m. Oct. 26 in Palo Duro Hospital in Canyon. The little miss weighed nine pounds one-quarter ounce and has been named Courtney Nicole. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Trotter. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swint of Hereford are maternal grandparents. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. K. Trotter and Mrs. Hazel Whittington. Mrs. Irene Swint of Schnectady, N.Y. is her maternal great-grandmother.

FROM AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Edwards of Amarillo stayed Friday night with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edwards.

Mrs. H. Cooper Hosts Meeting

Springlake Home Demonstration Club meeting was hosted Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Herman Cooper who presented the Devotional, a reading of the club collect.

Members answered roll call by giving a recipe learned from their mother.

Mrs. Leon Foster gave a report of the Texas Home Demonstration Associaton state meeting, the fiftieth anniversary of Home Demonstration clubs and the bicentennial observance held recently in College Station.

Mrs. Foster stated the 1016 women in attendance represented the 24,000 Texas Home Demonstration Club members. Mrs. Foster said the workshops were interesting and the installation of state officers was impressive.

Mrs. R.W. Fanning received the door prize at the Springlake Club meeting Thursday which was attended by Mmes. T.V. Murrell, Hilbert Wisian, Myrtle Steinbeck, Bob Boone, A. Hollingsworth, Keith Boone, Fanning, Foster and the hostess.

IN AUSTIN

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Huckabee were in Austin last week with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Huckabee, Elaine and John. Saturday the Oltonites and the host family viewed the African Violet show displayed in one of the city parks of Austin. Among the hues displayed were deep scarlet, blue, purple and various shades of pink. Some blue and purple species were edged in white. A portion of the flowers were for sale while others were arranged for viewing only.

IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. G.T. Sides, her sister, Mrs. T.G. Ballard of Levelland, Mrs. Helen Bohner and her niece, Mrs. Mary Poeth of Pennsylvania had lunch together Monday in a Lubbock restaurant.

CAMP TRIP

Enjoying a recent two night camping trip in Cimarron Canyon were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Griffin, Carol, Fonda and Allan. With the Griffins were his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffin and Reba of Canyon and Susie Reed.

IN SPRINGLAKE

Mr. and Mrs. V.G. Wood attended worship services Sunday evening at Springlake Church of Christ. Mr. and Mrs. Wood were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conner, Terry and Chuckie who live in the Springlake Community.

Season Standings

84 - Jim Curtsinger; **83** - Wandie Hutson, Amos Walden; **82** - Sherri Hutson, Paul Walden; **81** - Eldon Franks; **80** - W.E. Andrew; **79** - Caleb McClure; **78** - Lucille Bryant; **77** - Darryl Dennis, Lynn Martin, Leslie Mills; **76** - Martha Miller, Scott Parker; **75** - Joel Nelson; **74** - Monte Chitwood.

Game Results

Friona 26, Littlefield 6; Floydada 13, Tulia 7; Petersburg 0, Spur 0; Hale Center 31, Ralls 0; Nazareth 21, Silverton 7; Missouri 34, Nebraska 24; Texas A&M 57, Rice 34; Texas Tech 52, Arizona 27; Oklahoma State 31, Oklahoma 24; Boston College 27, Army 10; Pittsburgh Steelers 27, New York Giants 0; New England Patriots 26, Buffalo Bills 22; Cincinnati Bengals 27, Houston Oilers 7; Morton 24, Olton 13.

TO MULESHOE

Mr. and Mrs. V.Y. Jefferies were Sunday afternoon callers of his aunt, Mrs. Florence Young who lives in Muleshoe.

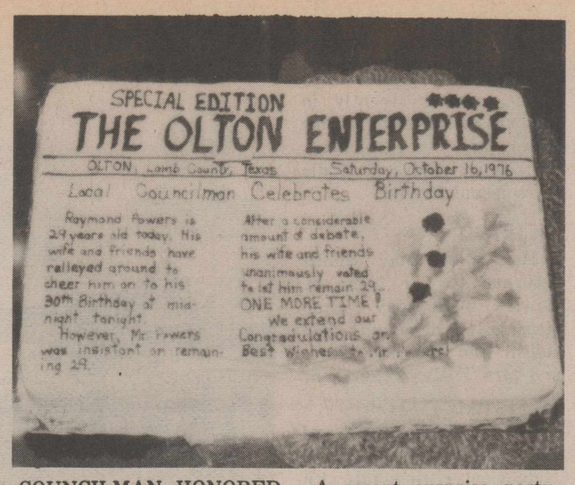
IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Fancher visited Sunday night and Monday in Lubbock with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fancher, Cathy and Danny and with another son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fancher.

WEEKEND VISIT

Staying during the weekend with Mrs. Juanita Follis were her daughter and family, Mrs. Ann Custer, Cricket, Laurie and Rhyan of Lubbock who visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Custer's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroyce Kersh, Mike, Billy and Leigh Ann.

CATTLE RECOVERY IN '77?---Cattlemen won't see higher beef prices in 1977 unless a lot of cows, non-fed cattle and calves are slaughtered this year, says a livestock marketing specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Cattle numbers are still high, with 53.8 million cows, 11.2 million replacement heifers and 96.7 million feeder cattle on hand. The main goal of cattlemen should be to cut feeder cattle availability by putting more cows, calves and non-fed cattle on the market. Feedgrain prices and winter pasture conditions will also affect cattle prices this fall and into 1977.



COUNCILMAN HONORED - A recent surprise party honored Raymond Powers on the event of his birthday. A Special Edition birthday cake was featured at the party hosted in the Powers home by his wife. (personal photo)

IN PORTALES

Mr. and Mrs. V.G. Wood and his father G.H. Wood visited in Portales, N.M. Sunday with the elder Mr. Wood's niece-in-law, Mrs. Bonnie Wood and her daughter Donna and family of Dora, N.M.

ATTEND CONCERT

As a member of the Collegiate Choir at West Texas State University Miss Jennie Lynn Gunter participated in the concert presented at 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 17, in the Fine Arts Auditorium. Miss Gunter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Uil Gunter attended the event.

IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Daugherty were luncheon guests Sunday of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Daugherty who had as other luncheon guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.H. McAdams.

DRIVE COMPLETED

Under direction of Mrs. Harlon Watson of Springlake and Mrs. Ricky Byers of Sunnyside contributions to the Cystic Fibrosis 1976 drive totaled $850.61 in the two communities. Springlake-Earth Young Homemakers club members assisted in the drive and have voted to have the Cystic Fibrosis Campaign as an annual project of the club.

FAMILY VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lively and Brocke attended a dinner party Sunday in the home of Mrs. J.C. Matlock of Springlake, grandmother of Mrs. Lively. Others present were Mrs. Matlock's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Matlock, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Matlock, all of Alba, the hostess' daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hedrick, Brent and Bryan of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradley, Kent, Kelby and Kyle of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Adams and their grandson, Keeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Adams.

Olton Graduate In LCC Band

Miss Jan Burkhalter daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burkhalter is a member of Lubbock Christian College Royal Blue Band for 1976-77.

Under the direction of Music Department faculty member Eddie Chance, the 60-member band takes two tours annually, which go across Texas and throughout the Southwest. Campus concerts include chapel appearances, pep rallies, home basketball games, a winter concert and commencement exercises.

A bass clarinet player, Miss Burkhalter is a sophomore majoring in secondary education at Lubbock Christian College. She is a 1975 graduate of Olton High School.

Plan Workshop For Older Deaf

Billy J. Shannon, Lubbock, coordinator of Regional office on Aging, announces that Nov. 15 South Plains Regional Office on Aging will co-sponsor a workshop with the Commission for the Deaf which will deal with the needs of the older Deaf person in South Plains area.

Speakers will discuss special problems of the older deaf and how to contact and include this group in services for the elderly.

The workshop which is free will be held at Garden and Art Center, 4215 University Avenue, Lubbock.

FROM DUMAS

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Garrison, Kerry and Jana of Dumas were here Sunday with Mrs. Garrison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Curtis and their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wandaugh of Crescent City, Calif., brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Curtis.

FROM NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Martin of Ft. Sumner, N.M. stayed Tuesday until Thursday with her cousin, Mrs. J.O. Bledsoe.

what's cooking at school

MONDAY - Frito pie, green peas, mashed potatoes, apricots, gingerbread, rolls and milk.

TUESDAY - Beef enchiladas, new potatoes in sauce, broccoli, prunes, ½ apple, rolls and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Corn dog, brown beans, spinach, pickle, apricot cobbler, cornbread and milk.

THURSDAY - Grill cheese sandwich, French fries, catsup, baked beans, orange juice, doughnut and milk.

FRIDAY - Steak, gravy, green beans, mashed potatoes, peach half and cinnamon struesel.

SUNDAY VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Lively were in Hale Center Sunday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Minnie Zeiss and son Herman Zeiss of Ogdon, Utah. With the Oltonites was their son Paul.

VISIT MEADOWS

Visiting with Mrs. Otis Meadows recently were Diane Powers and Mrs. Meadows' grandchildren, Larry, Dusty, Trey, Sheila and Kristy of Plainview, children of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Beasley.

RECENT GUESTS

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Raiford Daniel were his sister, Mrs. L.L. Clark of Floydada and their sister and her daughter, Mrs. Lois Williamson and Doris of Brooklyn, Ore.

TO SPADE

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Leroyce Kersh and Leigh Ann visited Mr. and Mrs. D.F. Roberts, D.F. Jr., James and Vickie of Spade.

ATTEND SHOWING

Saturday Miss Jennie Lynn Gunter was one of the models at a style show featured at a luncheon hosted by a Plainview Dress shop. Mrs. Uil Gunter and Mrs. H.B. Carson, mother and grandmother of Miss Gunter were guests at the event, Mrs. Carson was recipient of the door prize.

SUNDAY CALL

Mrs. Nell Wood, her daughter, Mrs. T.C. Kennedy and daughter, Karin Kennedy called Sunday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Kennedy's uncle and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wood of Cotton Center. Also visiting there were the host couples' daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Adrian, Clay and Erin of Petersburg.

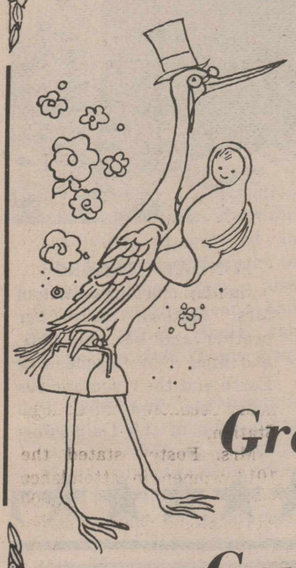
WEEKEND GUESTS

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Don Hatley and family, were his daughter and family, Clyde and Donna Tyson, Matt and Brandi of Rankins, also his son Kerry Hatley of Levelland.

Cosmetics & Jewelry

North Side Gift Shop

Happiness Is...



A Baby Girl

Congratulations

Grandpa & Grandma

Gene & Mozelle

(Trotter)

Register all hand-guns?

Carter says yes.

Ford says no.

What do you say?

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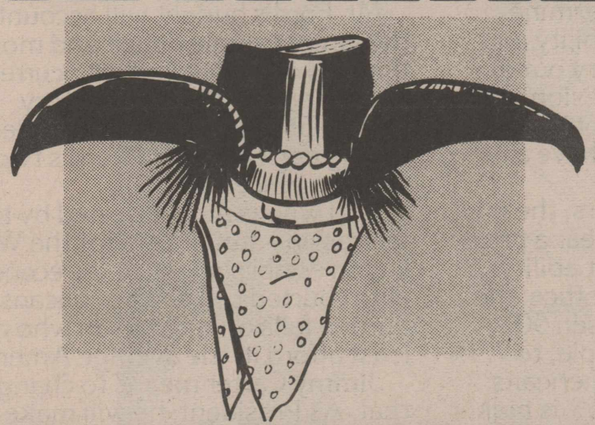


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News Of Our Servicemen

Captain Steve Exter is now at the University of Virginia at Charlottesville, where he will take a nine week course in Military Law.

FROM SPADE

Mrs. D.F. Roberts of Spade was Saturday afternoon caller of Mrs. Lyndol Kinser.

TO DALHART

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Burkhalter, Shannon and Kellie, visited recently in Dalhart in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carson and family.

TO BOWIE

Mrs. Ollie May Smith returned to her home at Bowie Wednesday after staying ten days with her cousin and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree.

HOSPITAL VISIT

Friday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Small visited in Hale Center Hospital with W.B. Smith Jr.

Allow union organizers on our farms and ranches without permission?

Carter says yes.
Ford says no.
What do you say?
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SNOW IN OCTOBER seemed to be a bit unusual. Pictures of the early falling white stuff were made Thursday prior to the additional snow which fell Thursday night. Residents were greeted Friday morning with an additional six inches and more was falling.



ATTEND GAME

Mr. and Mrs. Lauis Hair attended the ballgame in Lubbock Saturday night between Texas Tech and Arizona State. The Hairs visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fancher, Cathy and Danny.

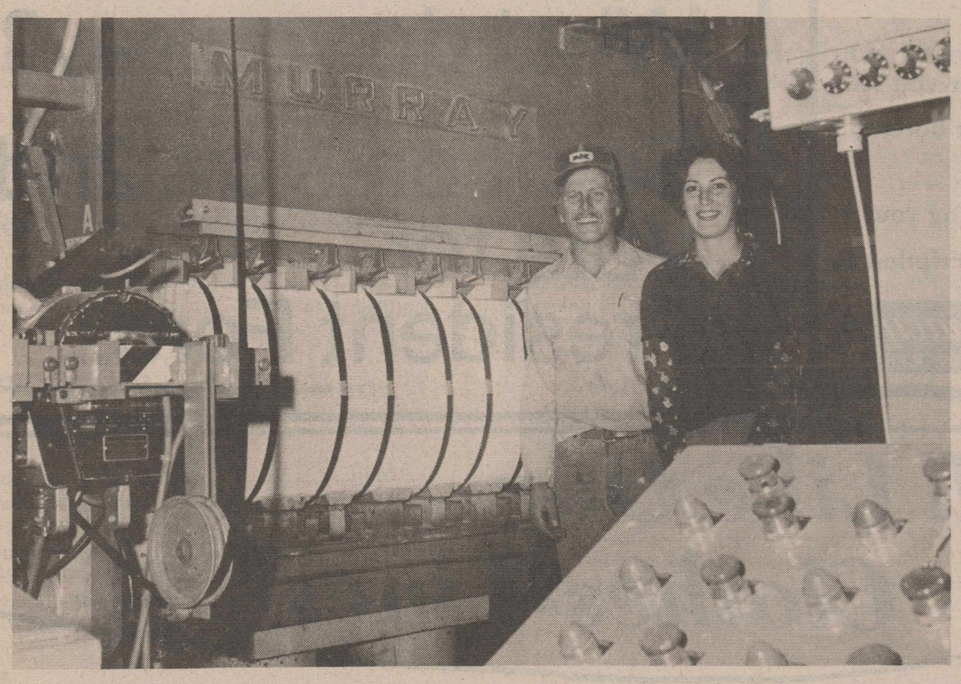
IN HEREFORD

Sunday luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Sides, Kriston and Ricka of Hereford were Sides' mother, Mrs. G.T. Sides and her daughter and family, Mrs. Danny Smith, Stacy, Shelly and Scott of Ft. Stockton.

SUNDAY CALLERS

Sunday morning callers of Mrs. Matlock were her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Bearden of Earth and their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bearden of the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

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During the past two years, the middle class has paid far too dear a price for a President lacking that ability.

Since Gerald Ford took office, the unemployment rate has risen 50%, from 5.5% or 5 million people, to 7.9% or 7-1/2 million jobless Americans.

Today's inflation rate of 6% is higher than it was at any time between the Korean War and the inauguration of Richard Nixon.

The 1968 food dollar is now worth 57¢.

Mr. Ford's budget will account for the largest single deficit and more than 1/3 of the public debt incurred during our entire 200-year history.

Real GNP has actually declined during each of Gerald Ford's two years in office.

And who is most affected by these distressing statistics? Not the Washington establishment, or the economic elite courted by the Republicans. The burden falls on the person who can least afford it: the average American.

Jimmy Carter means to change all that. As President, he will make government responsive to your needs.

Tax Reform: "The average family in this country actually pays a higher proportion of their income in taxes than the average family that makes more than a million dollars a year. That's disgraceful. We need to move toward a truly progressive and simplified tax system, with reduced tax rates for the average American."

Economy: "We'll never have a balanced budget nor an end to the inflationary problems as long as we have 7-1/2 million people out of work. Employment needs to be the major thrust of the whole domestic policy of our government."

Efficiency in Government: "We now have in the federal government the most bloated, confused, wasteful bureaucracy ever created. There's no way to get an answer out of Washington and no way to understand what's going on there. We need to reorganize completely the executive branch of government, making it fair, efficient, effective, and responsive to our people's needs."

Housing: "No government that cared about our neighborhoods would stack the tax deck against them. A landlord can let a building run down and make a good living on tax breaks. But when a home owner spends a little hard-earned money fixing up his home, the assessor raises his taxes. And the FHA no longer cares about families getting started in their own homes. I intend to restore the FHA to the time when, for a down payment, a family could get a mortgage which the government would insure."

Health Care: "We need a nationwide health care delivery system which will make adequate health care a right for all people."

Jimmy Carter has the strength to take charge of our government. If you are tired of paying the high price of Republican ineffectiveness, you have only one choice on November 2nd, and that choice is for change.

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Vote for JIMMY CARTER. A leader, for a change.

Contest

Continued from page 1

week. He was 18 points off with a 21-14 prediction on the Mustangs-Morton game. Andrew missed by 26 with a guess of 22-7.

Eleven persons missed six games each and two will divide third place money. J.W. Dear of Springlake and Eldon Franks were off 22 points each on the tie-breaker with predictions of 24-13 and 21-7.

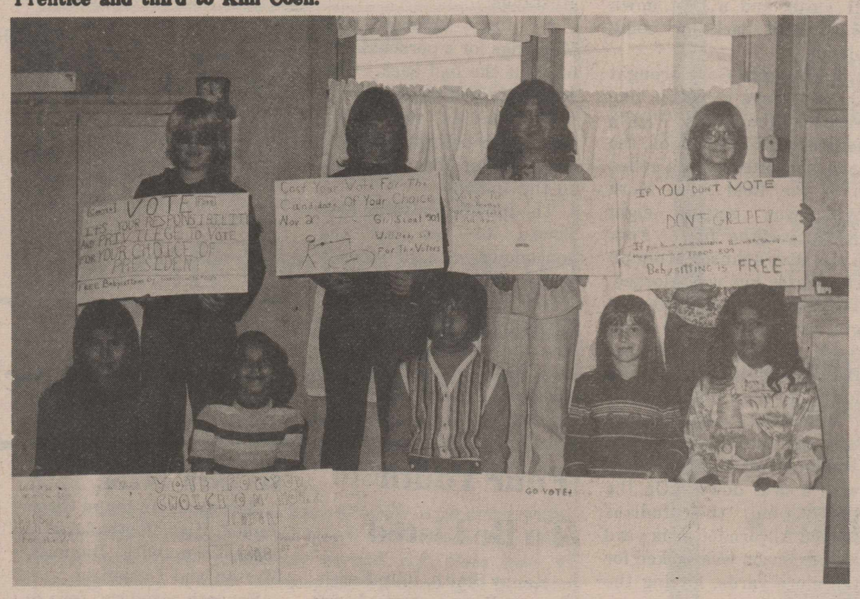
Others who missed six games and their tie-breaker predictions were Jolene Chitwood, 25, 14-0; Mike Hodges, 25, 21-7; Leslie Mills, 25, 20-6; Luis Rey, 25, 20-6; Mark Watt, 25, 20-6; Sherri Hutson, 26, 21-6; Caleb McClure, 27, 22-6; Monte Chitwood, 32, 21-0 and Lucille Bryant, 33, 28-6.

Jim Curtsinger of Lubbock still holds a narrow one-point lead for the season with 84 correct picks. Contestants with 74 or more points are listed elsewhere in this issue.

The contest continues as long as the Mustangs are in competition so there is still time for standings to rise or fall so no contestant should stop trying to earn the season's grand prize, $50. Too, any person can be a weekly winner.



GET OUT AND VOTE - Girls Scouts will be on hand to take care of small children Nov. 2 while their parents exercise their right to vote for the candidate of their choice. A poster contest was held and first place winner was Merilynn Mills, second place went to Cathy Prentice and third to Kim Coen.



POSTERS ADVERTISING BABYSITTING were made by Girl Scouts, pictured here, front row, l to r, Melinda Salas, Gaylene Truelock,Celia Garcia, Kim Coen and Silvia Garcia. Back row, Merilynn Mills, Danette Burgess, Mary Jane Garcia and Cathy Prentice.

Lamb County Eligible For FHA Loans

Congressman George Mahon, 19th District Representative, announced Thursday that the U.S. Department of Agriculture has designated Lamb County to be eligible for Farmers Home Administration emergency loans.

Emergency designation was made because of drouth conditions experienced in the County from January to August this year, also because of this year's hail storms which struck the County on July 29 and Aug. 2.

Mahon pointed out applications for emergency loans can be made at Farmers Home Administration office in Littlefield. Loan applications for production losses which resulted from damaging weather may be submitted until July 13, 1977. Loan applications for physical losses may be made until Dec. 14, 1976.

Mrs. Aubrey Smith Sings At Lions Club Luncheon

Mrs. Aubrey (Nina) Smith, accompanying herself on the guitar, entertained Olton Lions with a medley of ballads and folk music at their luncheon meeting Tuesday.

Lion Wayne Cole announced that contributions of bricks are coming in for use at the city park and enough has been received to build a sign. If enough used bricks are donated, picnic tables will be built, Cole said.

Park equipment, purchased with a federal grant, will arrive in approximately one month. Guarantee date, Cole said, was Nov. 22-14. The equipment will come unassembled and will require considerable time in order to be put together.

Cole also announced that persons who wish to help complete the park are invited to donate one yard of concrete. To do so, contact Cole or any Lion and state your interest in making the contribution.

Lions made door-to-door calls Tuesday selling trick or treat candies.

Tuesday's guests were Mrs. Russell Strain, Bill Yokum and Ken Beebee of Anton.

WELCOME TO OLTON



BILL GREEN & FAMILY

Welcome is extended to Bill Green, new minister of the Victory Baptist Church and his wife, Linda and their children, Lisa who is four years old and Troy, six years old.

The Greens moved here about six weeks ago from Carthage. Green was serving as minister of Liberty Chapel there and attending Jacksonville Baptist College. He also served on the police department in Carthage.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Green attended school in Tulia, where she was graduated. He received his high school diploma from Panola Junior College.

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HOSPITAL VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Daugherty were Sunday afternoon callers of their nephew, John Arthur Daugherty in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. Daugherty's home is in Artesia, N.M.

TO HOUSTON

R.G. Hanvey recently was in Houston with his daughter and family, Mrs. Clydene Brown, Mike and Clay and his son, Robert Hanvey.

FROM LITTLEFIELD

Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Tom Stansell were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ferrill and Miss Sharla Lowery, residents of Littlefield. Mrs. Ferrill and Miss Lowery are former members of Mrs. Stansell's piano class at Earth.

IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Exter attended the Texas Tech-Arizona State ballgame in Lubbock Saturday night.

IN EARTH

Mr.and Mrs. J.D. Lively visited Friday night with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lively, Terece, Todd and Ty of Earth.

IN TULIA

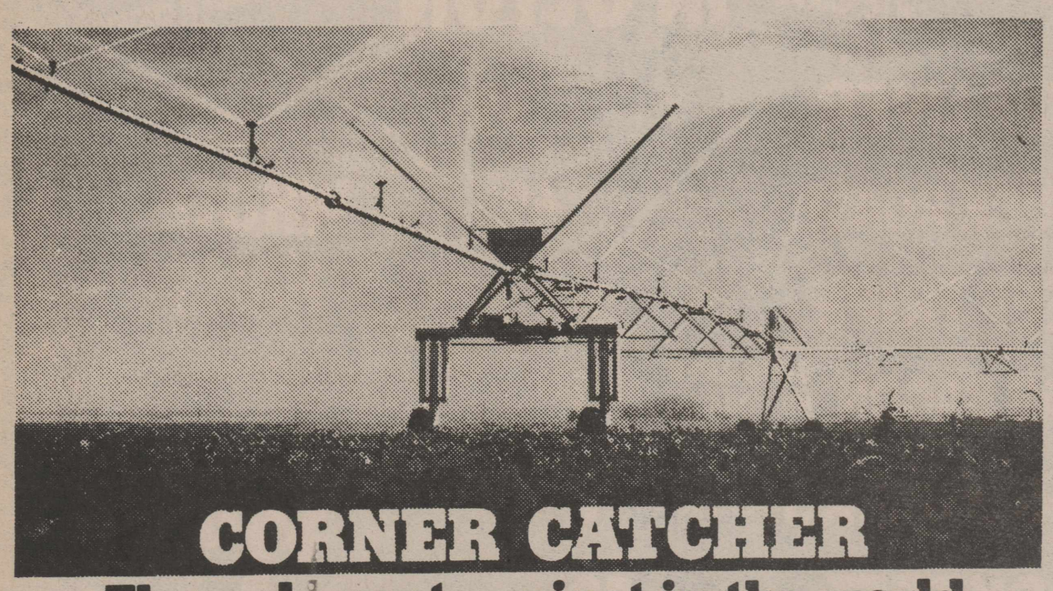
Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Hall visited Monday in Tulia with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bauer Jr. Bauer is receiving treatment as an out patient of Veterans Hospital, Amarillo.

FROM HOUSTON

Bill Benton and young son, Brandon, of Houston recently paid a visit to West Texas. While Benton was involved in business transactions, Brandon spent several days visiting in the home of his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Duncan.

PARENTS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Adams of Monroe, La. came Friday to stay a few days with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Feriend.



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Score 24-13

Morton Indians Tame Mustangs

By Gary Cooper

Only 10:04 minutes into the game, the Mustangs passed to Wendell Averyhart and in he went for the touchdown and Olton was on the scoreboard. The PAT was off to the right.

The Indians were held and forced to give up the ball. Olton took three plays to gain the first down. Then Olton fumbled but it was recovered by Brad Allcorn. Steve Johnson threw a pass to Robert Offield for eleven yards on a first down. Johnson attempted to pass but, was hit for a six yard loss on the play.

A pass to Leslie Gary for 21 yards and a first down was called back for being offside.

A screen to Gary brought the Mustangs to within five yards of the first. With a fourth and five situation, the goal line offense was called onto the field with Mark Williamson getting eight yards and the first. Four plays later Johnson attempted to pass but was blocked. The Indians using the shot gun moved the ball for a first down. The next series the Indians couldn't go and was forced to give up the ball.

With thirty eight seconds left in the quarter, the Mustangs started the series with a first down. On the thirty one the Indians sacked Allcorn for a six yard loss. Johnson was sacked for ten more yards, forcing the Mustangs to punt.

The shot gun again helped the Indians to pass for the first on the Mustangs thirty six yard line. In the shot gun the Indians passed for the touchdown only to be called back for a personal foul. With another penalty the Indians were forced to punt.

On the second play Morton recovered a Mustang fumble on the five yard line. The Indians on the third play made the touchdown. The PAT failed with the score 6-6 tied.

Johnson passed to Offield on the fifty for the first. A fumble was recovered by Morton with a flag.

The penalty was declined to give Morton the ball. On the second play Morton Tino Sabala was sacked for seven yard loss by Gary.

In the shot gun Sabala passed only to have Ruben Saldivar intercept the ball and a thirteen yard run back. The Mustangs were forced to give up the ball on downs. Morton ran three plays to bring up the half with the score still tied 6-6.

Morton went into the shot gun to pass for the first down. The Indians were forced to give the Mustangs the ball on downs. On the third play Johnson passed to Offield on the twenty seven yard line. Williamson gained the first for the Mustangs.

A flag against the Mustangs for a personal foul brought the ball back. The Mustangs had to punt.

Both teams went four plays each before having to punt giving the ball back to the Indians.

The Indians got three first downs to set up the touchdown with 10 seconds left in the third quarter. The score was 12-6 Indians.

On the twenty-five yard line the Mustangs gambled and lost the ball to the Indians. Two plays the Indians got the first down on the five yard line. The Mustangs held the Indians for two yards in three plays. In the shot gun Sabala ran to the left corner for the touchdown. The PAT failed leaving the score 18-6 Indians.

Johnson passed to Offield for the first. Lloyd went for another first down. Another pass to Gary set the ball within one yard of the first. Lloyd went to the nine yard line and the first down. Two plays later Gary went in for the touchdown with 5:11 on the clock. The PAT was good with the score 18-13.

The Indians were forced to punt four plays later.

Johnson's pass to Offield went high to be incomplete. Johnson was sacked for a two yard loss at the five. On the fourth down, Olton again gambled as Johnson passed to Gary to within a foot of the first only to give up the ball on the fifteen yard line.

Morton ran to the right side for the touchdown. The PAT failed with the score 24-13 Indians.

With forty seconds left in the game, Johnson passed to Offield for the first. Morton intercepted the pass from Johnson with twenty five seconds left to play. Morton ran for two yards to run out the clock.

	OLTON	MORTON
1st downs	22	20
pass	12	12
complete	6	4
incomplete	5	8
intercepted	1	
fumbles	5	1
lost	2	0
penalties	9/35	8/45
TD	2	4
PAT	1	0

Four Youth To Be Listed

Kenny Smith, Billy Kersh, Larry Peters and Larry Perez will be listed in the Babe Ruth Baseball's "Athletes of the Year" program for 1976. The four were members of Olton Butane's Junior Babe Ruth team.

Nominations for "Athletes of the Year" were made by Babe Ruth league managers from across the nation. They were invited to nominate candidates with best record of local achievement on their teams or in their leagues.

The four will be included in the 1976 edition of Babe Ruth Baseball 'Athletes of the Year' annual to be published in December.

GRANDSON VISITS

McAlan Duncan stayed with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGill and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Mack McGill last week when his parents vacationed and attended a sales meeting at Lake Cherokee in Afton, Okla.

Football Scoreboard

SEVENTH GRADE

Recent action found Olton Junior High footballers in competition with Dimmitt, Morton and Littlefield.

Seventh graders fell to Dimmitt 6-22 but played well in the losing effort said coach Tom Duncan. Kevin Kirk connected on a 25-yard pass to Johnny Hutson for the score. Point after try was no good.

In their best game of the year, the locals held Morton to a 14-14 deadlock which was declared a win by Coach Duncan. "We outgained them and outhit them, so we look on it as a win and something to base a future on."

Hutson took a pass of some 15 yards from Dewayne Wade for Olton's first TD. Hutson made it 8 with a three yard plunge for the extras.

A 70 yard interception and return by Albert Ruiz gave the locals 14. PAT was no good.

Hutson, Kirk, Mike Williams and Doug Smith were outstanding on offense. Starring on defense were Joey Duran, Wade, Billy Lewis and Steve Graham.

EIGHTH GRADE

OJH eighth graders whipped Dimmitt 16 to 6 in an "exceptional team effort," said Duncan.

A 15-yard pass from David Smith to Roy Luera accounted for the first TD. Cabrera ran the extras. The second TD drive was completed by an eight yard run by Cabrera. Ken Smith put the PAT's on the board.

"We were behind 14-12 at halftime," said Duncan of the eighth grade's 34-22 victory over Morton. "But the kids started playing more aggressive and they played great."

Cabrera notched the first touchdown on a one yard run; point after, failed. A seven yard run made it 12 for Olton and again the PAT was not good.

In the second half, Cabrera ran an 80-yard kickoff return. Extra points by Ken Smith were good. Greg Smith's 60-yard interception run gave Olton their fourth TD; Ken Smith added the extras.

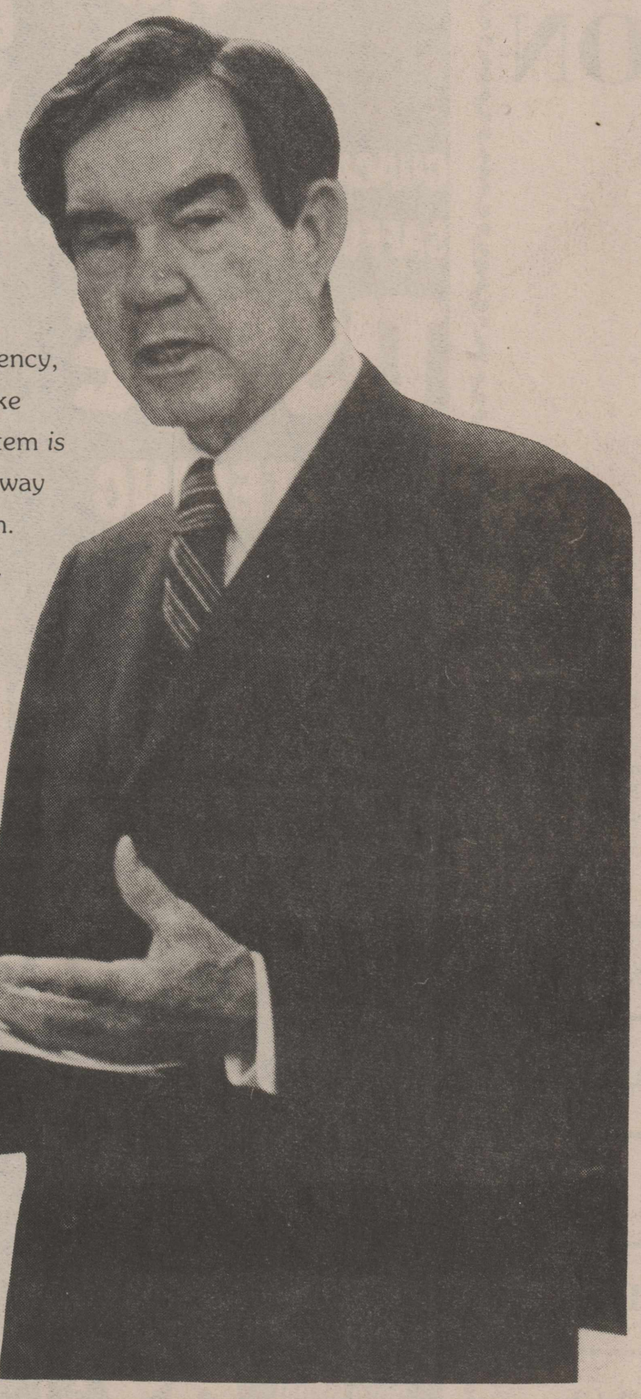
The final TD came with a 10-yard run by Kelly McCall. PAT was no good. A 52-yard field goal attempt also failed.

"The kids have played great every week, I'm proud of them - both the seventh and eighth grades. They've been playing football like they knew how football was played - full speed."

"The fans have been great in turning out for our games. I want to thank them."

Information on Littlefield games not available at presstime.

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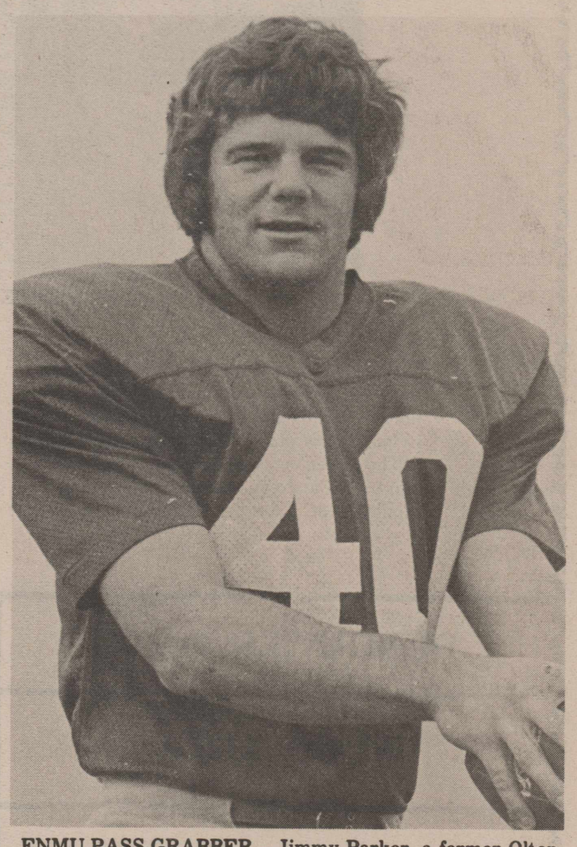
By Kenneth Burgess
Olton State Bank

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ENMU PASS GRABBER -- **Jimmy Parker, a former Olton** High School standout, is currently providing outstanding pass receiving support for the Eastern New Mexico University Greyhounds. Parker, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Parker, is a freshman math major and is a 1976 graduate of Olton High School. While in high school he was named All-District, All-South Plains and second team All-State in football. Parker was also named All-District in basketball and participated in regional competition in tennis and track while also lettering in baseball and golf. The Greyhounds will host the Tigers of East Central Oklahoma State University this Saturday, Oct. 30th, in Greyhound Stadium. Game time is set for 7:30 p.m. (Photo by ENMU)



NEW AUTO INSTRUCTOR COMES TO SPC -- Larry Kirkpatrick (right), explains the intricacies under the hood to first-year automotive-diesel mechanics students Timmy Smith (left) of Loop and Bobby Shipley (center) of Olton. Kirkpatrick joins the staff this fall at South Plains College with more than 30 years experience in the mechanics field.

4-H Council Report Given

Lamb County Council met Saturday, Oct. 9 in the Courthouse. Dorothy Powell installed the new officers for 1976-77: Debbie Spencer, chairman; Brad Walden, first vice chairman; Dawn Branscum, second vice chairman; Tommy Graham, secretary-treasurer; and Kelly Prentice, reporter.

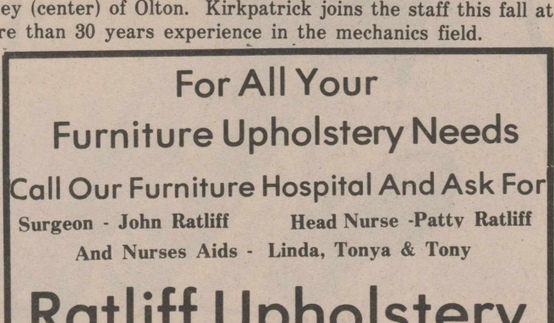
Minutes of the last meeting were read by Tommy Graham. The Council discussed the 4-H Achievement Banquet, and set the date for Nov. 8, in the Lamb County Ag. and Community Center at 7:00 p.m.

Present were Cathy Ham and Gary Brownd of Sudan; Brad Walden, Dan Foley and Debbie Spencer of Littlefield; Tommy Graham of Springlake-Earth; Kelly Prentice of Spade and Rodney Smith and Shannon Thomas of Olton. Buddy Logsdon and Dorothy Powell, County Extension agents, and Nadine Foley and Frances Reynolds, leaders from Littlefield Club, were also present.

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Democratic National Platform

- **NATIONAL DEFENSE**
  For reducing defense spending by $6 billion.
- **FORCED BUSING**
  For mandatory school busing for school desegregation.
- **GUN CONTROL**
  For gun control.
- **WELFARE**
  For federalizing all welfare programs and guaranteed annual income.
- **EMPLOYMENT**
  For massive tax-financed employment programs.
- **ENERGY**
  For divestiture and discouragement of nuclear power.
- **HEALTH**
  For mandatory national health insurance.
- **RIGHT-TO-WORK**
  Favors repeal of Section 14(b) of the Taft-Hartley Act.
- **BALANCED BUDGET**
  Favors increasing federal spending.
- **BUREAUCRACY**
  Favors national economic planning and intensified regulation of industry and farm production.
- **PRAYER IN SCHOOL**
  No position taken.
- **RIGHT-TO-LIFE**
  For abortion on demand.

Republican National Platform

- **NATIONAL DEFENSE**
  Supports a "national defense posture second to none."
- **FORCED BUSING**
  Opposes forced busing.
- **GUN CONTROL**
  Supports the right of citizens to keep and bear arms.
- **WELFARE**
  Opposes federalization of welfare and guaranteed annual income concept.
- **EMPLOYMENT**
  Opposes massive, federally-funded public employment programs like the Humphrey-Hawkins bill.
- **ENERGY**
  Opposes divestiture of energy companies.
- **HEALTH**
  Opposes compulsory national health insurance.
- **RIGHT-TO-WORK**
  Supports right-to-work.
- **BALANCED BUDGET**
  Supports a balanced budget and reduced taxes.
- **BUREAUCRACY**
  Favors reducing federal regulation, including reducing the burden of federal paperwork, and encouraging full production for farmers.
- **PRAYER IN SCHOOL**
  Supports a Constitutional Amendment to allow non-sectarian prayers.
- **RIGHT-TO-LIFE**
  Supports a Constitutional Amendment to prohibit abortion.

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FOR SALE - 24 X 40 steel building. Chisum Company at Denim Plant 385-5587 41-3tc

FOR SALE - 3 bedroom house. Leon Noack, 285-2473 or 285-2315. 40-tfc

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FOR SALE 2 steel cotton trailers, 20 x 8 Coby chassis. Bob Boone, 986-3544. 40-2tp

FOR SALE - Combine trailer and Aspirator for L-Gleaner combine. 285-2374 35-tfc

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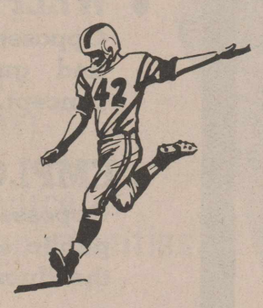
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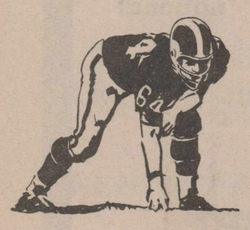
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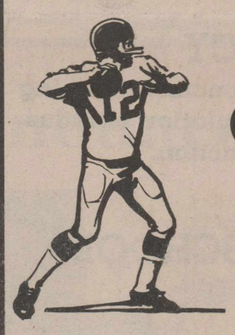
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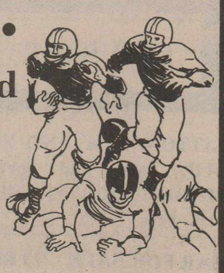
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