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WHS Invitational Draws Sixteen Top Area Teams

Wellington High School will host its invitational basketball tournament Thursday through Saturday, December 14, 15 and 16, the first in about 5 years.

Plans were announced by Don Lacy.

Sixteen teams are entered, including both boys and girls

teams from Paducah, Memphis, Quail, Wellington, Shamrock, Samnorwood and Clarendon, along with Hedley girls and Quanaah boys.

Handsome trophies will go to first, second, third and consolation winners in each division. In addition, all tournament

teams composed of six girls and 5 boys will be named.

There will be three sessions on Thursday and Friday, beginning at 9:00 a.m., 12:30 and 5:30 p.m. Saturday games will begin at 12:30 and 5:30 p.m.

In the girls division, Hedley has been seeded first and Wellington second, Memphis third and Samnorwood fourth.

Paducah boys were seeded first, with Shamrock second, Quail third and Wellington fourth.

Tournament play will begin at 9:00 a.m. Thursday when Memphis and Quail girls meet. The other first round games will be:

10:30 - Shamrock and Memphis boys.

12:30 p.m. - Samnorwood and Clarendon girls.

2:00 p.m. Wellington and Clarendon boys.

3:30 p.m. - Hedley and Paducah girls.

5:30 p.m. - Paducah and Samnorwood boys.

7:00 p.m. - Wellington and Shamrock girls.

8:30 p.m. - Quail and Quanaah boys.

Consolation bracket play will begin at 9:00 a.m. Friday when the losers of the Hedley Paducah and Memphis-Quail girls games meet. Other consolation games will come from the Paducah-Samnorwood and Quail-Quanaah boys at 10:30; the Wellington-Shamrock and Samnorwood-Clarendon girls games at 12:30 and the final consolation game Friday will be from the Shamrock-Memphis and Wellington-Clarendon



FOR 30 YEARS SERVICE

Lynn Courtney, conservation technician with the Soil Conservation Service at Wellington, is shown receiving a thirty-year service award from Douglas Cunningham, Area Conservationist. Mr. Courtney worked at Lubbock and the Corsicana area before coming to Wellington 21 years ago.

Champion Claude First 2-A Opponent

Wellington Rockettes remain the only undefeated girls team in the area, but coming up is district play and their opener with the defending Class A State Champions -- Claude girls.

Coach Don Lacy said that Hedley and Canyon girls shared the undefeated status with Wellington until Saturday night, December 2, when both lost in the finals of the tournament competition.

District play begins Tuesday, December 12, when both the Wellington boys and girls travel to Claude.

Before that time, however, Wellington teams will play in

the Samnorwood Tournament Thursday through Saturday, December 7-9, and on Monday, Paducah boys and girls will come here for a return game.

The key games, however, are those at Claude. Not only are the girls the defending State Class A champions, the boys are the defending District 2-A champions.

Coach Lacy predicted this year's district championship is a four-way race between Claude, Valley, McLean and Wellington.

Graduation cut heavily into Claude's girls championship team, and there are two starters back from that impressive team. However, Claude had great depth, and they still have a fine team, plus some girls up from last year's strong B team, Coach Lacy reported.

Claude boys team has four starters back from last year, whereas Wellington has only one.

The Monday night game is the second meeting with Paducah. On the Dragons court, Wellington boys lost, but the Rockettes won.

"They have two real fine

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County Cotton Ginning Reaches 10,877 Bales

Collingsworth County has ginned 10,877 bales of cotton from this year's crop, which many consider the best since 1949.

In the Wellington and Dodson areas, it is estimated that around one-third of the crop has been harvested. North of Salt Fork, however, pulling is just getting under way with not more than 10 per cent of the cotton out of the fields, reports indicated.

Yields that would have been impossible to produce a few years ago are being produced. Much dry land cotton is harvesting more than a bale per acre and some as much as a bale and a half. It is the dry land cotton that has amazed the growers and ginners.

Some two-bale per acre cotton has been reported and more is expected from irrigated land.

W.E. Marchant, manager of the Farmers Co-op, said the

best yield his gin has received was brought in by Mac Willis who pulled 992 pounds per acre. He added that a lot of the dry land cotton in the Wellington area is producing a bale per acre, and a lot of the skip-row cotton is making up to a bale and a half. "Some of the dry land cotton is better than the irrigated," he said.

He and other gin managers credit this year's remarkable yield to ideal weather throughout the growing season, good underground moisture to begin with, the small acreage that had to be replanted, and low insect damage.

It has been a cheap crop to raise, in comparison to some years. Spraying costs were low, although chopping costs were higher than in some years.

In spite of rain and snow that has fallen through recent weeks, quality of the cotton remains good. Much of the early cotton graded Middling,

although with the wet weather, most of it has now dropped to low middling and strict low middling.

A considerable amount of inch, 1-1/16 and 1-1/32 was reported.

Several ginners are of the opinion that when the weather clears, the quality will improve if growers will let the cotton dry out before harvesting.

Veteran gin manager Alonzo Cartwright considers the best crop he has ginned since 1949, the banner production year for the county.

Shortage of workers has slowed ginning of cotton that is harvested. Only one gin, the Dodson Farmers Co-op, is operating on a 24 hour basis, and that with crews brought to handle operations.

Mr. Marchant said he has two crews and considers himself fortunate. Even so, there is quite a turn over of workers. Mr. Cartwright said he had one crew working long hours and felt he was lucky to have them. A similar report came from Grover Graham of the Davis Gin, Dodson, who said his one crew was working from 12 to 15 hours "about all the hands can stand."

This has resulted in considerable stacking up of cotton on the gin yard, with from 500 to 600 bales at a time stacked up at the two Wellington gins.

Methodist Women to Hold Annual Dinner

Traditional foods of the holidays will be among those served by the women of First United Methodist Church when they hold their annual Christmas Dinner Saturday, December 9.

It will be held in Bura Handley Community Center, with the serving hours to be from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

This will be a traditional turkey dinner.

Co-chairmen of this year's dinner are Mrs. J.B. King and Mrs. Barney Glenn. Ticket sales have started, and these may be bought from members of the Women's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild. Upon request, plates will be delivered.

This is one of the major dinner events of the Christmas season open to the entire

community, the co-chairmen remind, and it provides an occasion each year for visiting with friends. "It also provides an opportunity for a delicious dinner without preparation

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Lions Clubs Hear Of Probation Work

Bob Watson, chief probation officer for the Multi-County Juvenile Probation program, was the guest speaker at two Lions Club meetings to explain the work of his office. He spoke before the Wellington Lions Monday, November 27, and the Shamrock Lions Thursday, Nov. 30. Alvin Minatrea, probation

officer in the program, accompanied.

Mr. Watson pointed out that a parent who does not keep his child in school, can, under the penal code, be fined on county or justice of the peace court, and upon conviction, be fined \$5.00 for the first offense, \$10 for the second and \$25 for each offense thereafter, with each day being a separate offense.

If the case is tried in county court, the parent can be found guilty of contributing to the delinquency of a minor and the penalty for this is a fine of up to \$500 and/or 6 months in the county jail.

The role of the probation officer in truancy cases was discussed. Mr. Watson reported that in the first two months of operation, in the schools involved in the program, all reported that the unexcused absences have been greatly reduced due to the effort of the probation department. These schools are Shamrock, Samnorwood, Quail, Hedley and Valley.

He also discussed the history of the juvenile court system in Texas. In 1836, Texas adopted the common law of England as the basis of its

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Hospital Honors 10 Employees at Dinner

One hundred and twenty-five years of service given to hospital care of people in the Wellington area was recognized Monday evening, December 4. The occasion was a dinner for employees of Collingsworth General Hospital and their guests.

This century and a quarter of service was rendered by nine women and a man, staff members of Collingsworth General and its predecessor, St. Joseph's Hospital.

They will receive service pins.

Those honored for 5 or more years of service were Mrs. Cora Brown, director of nursing service, and Mrs. Georgia Porter, nurse's aide;

Ten or more years: Mrs. Vera Bishop, Mrs. Ruby Lee Nash, and Mrs. Harriett Powell, all in the dietary department.

Fifteen years: Mrs. Ella Mae Jones, housekeeping; Mrs. Tommy Murdock, operating room technician and central supply; Mrs. Louise Templeton, medical records librarian.

Twenty years: King Bowen, purchasing, maintenance and housekeeping; and Mrs. Willie B. Harwell, x-ray, laboratory and operating room technician.

The dinner was informal, with Garner Altom, hospital administrator, as master of ceremonies.

Members of the Hospital Board and their wives were introduced, and included Mr. and Mrs. George Henry, Mr.

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District Lions Governor to Speak Monday

Wellington Lions will entertain the District 271 Governor of Lions International, Raymond White of Hereford, for his official visit Monday, December 11. The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. and this will be a ladies night event, President Bill Long announced.

Governor White will be the guest speaker at this meeting.

Known as a community leader in the Hereford area, he has been a member of Lions since 1950, and has served as its president, vice president and secretary-treasurer. He has a 16-year perfect attendance record.

Perhaps his greatest community service achievement came when he was chairman of the Encounter '71 Evangelistic Crusade, which hosted between 20,000 and 25,000 people in July 1971.

Interested in the agriculture and the schools of the Hereford community, Governor White holds a B.S. degree in agriculture from Texas Tech University and manager of H&W Implement Company in his town. He also has taught school and was president of the Hereford School Board in 1960-1970.

Trades Day Winners Named

Winners at the first Trades Day drawings, Saturday, December 2, were announced by Mrs. Margaret Vines, Chamber of Commerce secretary.

Tommy Thomas received \$35 in script, Jan McGill \$25 and Mrs. Lewis Morris \$15.

Children winning basketballs were Lisa Hartman and Tracey Gassiot.

An additional merchant is participating in the Trades Day program, Mrs. D'Ette Creed, who owns D.C. Bargain Shop.

There will be three more Trades Day drawings, Mrs. Vines reminded, coming on Saturday, Dec. 9, Saturday, Dec. 16, and Saturday, Dec. 23, all at 4:00 p.m. on the court house lawn.

Santa visited Wellington children Saturday, December 2, and will make his final appearance on Dec. 23.

Methodist Choir Gives Annual Cantata Sunday

"King Forever," a Christmas cantata, will be presented by the Chancel Choir of the First United Methodist Church Sunday evening, December 10, at 6:00 p.m., in the church sanctuary.

Preceding the annual cantata, a thirty minute prelude of Christmas music will be presented by Miss Juliana Baumgardner at the piano and Miss Connie Lewis at the organ, beginning at 5:30 p.m.

Mrs. Dan Henard, organist, and Mrs. Robert Owens, pianist, will accompany the choir, which is directed by Mrs. Hiram Cudd.

One of the favorite among the cantatas given in recent years, "King Forever" was composed by James Denton with the text by Frank L. Cross.

The title song, "King

Forever" will be sung by the choir to open the cantata which will follow this with "The King of Love."

Mrs. Richard Nall will be the soloist for "The Song of the Angels" then the Women's Chorus will sing "They Would Believe It," with the choir joining in.

A double duet composed of Mrs. B.M. Sims, Mrs. Orville Vaughan, Tom Lewis and L.B. Bratten will present "The Birthday of a King." The next segment of this story in music and song will be "Let Us Go and See Him," with Mr. Bratten as soloist, joined by the choir.

The men's chorus will sing "Neath the Eastern Skies," and the entire choir will join to sing "Wonderful Child."

"King of Kings" sung by the choir, with Mrs. Nall and Mrs. Robert Lewis in the

duet part.

However, to end this evening of Christmas music, the complete choir will sing that traditional Christmas hymn of praise, George F. Handel's "Halleluyah Chorus."

Members of the choir include:

First sopranos: Miss Juliana Baumgardner, Miss Ramona Ford, Miss Vikki Saunders, Mrs. B.M. Sims, Mrs. A.C. Lowry, Mrs. James Sullivan, Mrs. Cliff Campbell, Mrs. Tom Lewis, Mrs. Wayne Cudd, Mrs. E.F. Bartlett, Mrs. Art Kane, Mrs. Raymond Ford and Mrs. Richard Nall.

Second sopranos: Miss Gwen Lewis, Miss Connie Lewis, Mrs. Jack Davis, Mrs. Michael Breedlove, Mrs. Lynn Morris, Mrs. Fred Covey and Mrs. John Holton.

Altos: Miss Phyllis Sullivan, Mrs. J.F. Michael, Mrs. Robert Lewis and Mrs. Orville Vaughan.

Tenors: Lynn Courtney and Tom Lewis.

Basses: Merritt Dufey, Orville Vaughan and L.B. Bratten.

Kelso Recovers From Surgery

Jimmie Kelso, who underwent back surgery in Northwest Texas Hospital Friday, December 1, is doing well and should be home in a few days, Mrs. Kelso reported.

The surgery was to correct a ruptured disc of his spine, she said.

Their daughters and sons-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lockridge of Austin, came to be with Mr. and Mrs. Kelso during his surgery.

Rocket Musicians in All-Region Band

Eight members of That Skyrocket Band were named to the All Region Band at try-outs in Panhandle Saturday, December 2.

Four of the 8 won first chairs in their sections, reported Steve Schmidly, band director.

These were Earl Hartman, first chair baritone; Lillie Rogers, first chair clarinet; Debra Long, seventh chair clarinet; Kathy Kersten, eighth chair clarinet;

Betty Burba, first chair flute; Jean Ann Owens, second chair flute; Dickie Johnson, first chair cornet and Randall Sims, seventh chair trombone.

Others participating in the try-outs but not making the all-region band were Debbie Stallings, Geanie Morrow, Genrah Welch, Donnie Settle, Patti McAlister and Lennie Morgan.

"I was very, very pleased with the results, and especially with our getting four solo chair players in the band," said Mr. Schmidly.

"Students who tried out did a superior job. For example, in the flute section, 42 people tried out for 10 spots and we got first and second chairs. Over all the competition was very stiff and the kids were well prepared."

David and Carla Groves Present Concert Tuesday

A talented young husband and wife who are studying music at West Texas State University will be presented in concert here Tuesday, December 12.

They are Mr. and Mrs. David Groves, and the concert will be in the sanctuary of First Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. It is first appearance in concert here for the talented young couple since their marriage in the early summer.

Mr. Groves plays the trumpet while his wife, Carla, is a violinist. Their accompanist, to be announced, will also come from WTSU.

Wellington Federated Music Club is the sponsor.

Mr. Groves will open the concert with the trumpet solo, "Wonderland by Night," by Klaus-Gunter Nouman, and he will follow this with "Spnata for Trumpet and Piano by Paul Holms.

Mrs. Groves will give a violin solo "Concerto, First Movement, Op. 26," by Mon Bruck, then the two will give "Duet for Two Flutes," (three movements) in an arrangement for their instruments.

He will close the program with "The Holy City," by Stephen Adams, again a trumpet solo.

pet solo.

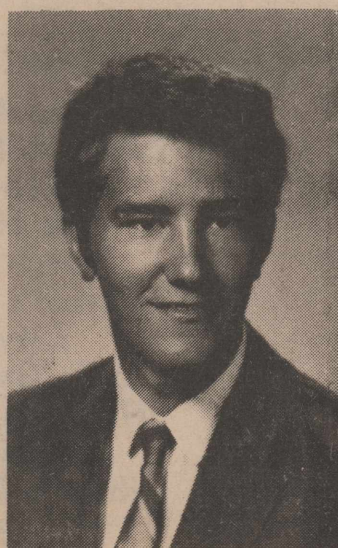
Mrs. Groves is a violinist with the Amarillo Symphony Orchestra and plays in the West Texas State University Band. She was graduated from Caprock High School in Amarillo and is a member of a national music sorority. She is a junior at WT.

Mr. Groves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Groves, has shared his musical talent with the community since he was a youth. Now a senior in the University, he plays in the WTSU band and was its president last year. He is a member of the Brass Choir and WTSU Orchestra.

He is president of Chi Mu Alpha, National Professional Music Fraternity.

Scholastically he has been on the dean's honor roll each semester, belongs to Alpha Chi honor society, and was elected to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

During the summer, he was assistant director of light and sound for the production, "Texas."



DAVID GROVES



CARLA GROVES

Temperatures

Reported by Dwane Scott
U.S. Weather Bureau Observer

Readings taken at 7 a.m.

Date	High	Low
Wed. Nov. 29	35	
Thurs. Nov 30	52	27
Fri., Dec 1	63	27
Sat., Dec. 2	69	27
Sun. Dec 3	30	29
Mon. Dec. 4	36	17
Tues. Dec. 5	40	18
Wed. Dec. 6		6

Moisture:	
Nov. 30	Trace
Dec. 5	Trace
Dec. 6	Trace

Owens Goes to Post With Beaumont Port

A young man who was born and reared in Wellington is the new sales and traffic manager for the Port of Beaumont, one of the largest on the Gulf Coast.

He is Doyle G. Owens, 32, who resigned as transportation and pricing supervisor for the Kerr-McGee Corp., Oklahoma City, to accept the Beaumont Post. He is the son of Mrs. Velma Owens, and the late G.M. Owens.

He was described as highly accredited traffic and transportation executive, when the announcement of his appointment was made by the Beaumont Port Director John H. Grau.

He is in charge of all freight traffic rate and service duties at the Port of Beaumont and will keep the port on a competitive basis with other ports throughout the region and nation. He will also serve as area sales representative for the port.

A graduate of Wellington High School, Mr. Owens was employed by the Santa Fe Railway in various positions in the traffic department in Amarillo from 1958 to 1969 when



DOYLE G. OWENS

he joined Kerr-McGee initially as a rate analyst.

He is a certified member of the American Society of Traffic and Transportation and has been admitted to practice before the Federal Maritime Commission.

Having recently met requirements set by the Interstate Commerce Commission, Mr. Owens is awaiting licensing by the Commission as an ICC Practitioner.

While at Oklahoma, he received an associate degree in pre-law from Oklahoma City Southwestern College, and he plans to continue his studies at Beaumont.

He and his wife have two children.

Visiting with Mrs. Nell Cook Thanksgiving were her son, Mr. and Mrs. J.N. Cook of Roswell, N.M.; and her grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cook of Lubbock.

Visiting Deputy Sheriff Art Taylor during the week end were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Taylor of Shamrock, and his brother and family, S/Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmy Taylor and two children, Lisa and Matt, of Altus Air Force Base.

New Cars

H&W Leasing Co. Chevrolet 2 1/2 ton truck-tractor. Riley Dunson, Wellington, Oldsmobile sedan.

P.P. Fielding, Quail: Oldsmobile sedan.

N.J. Turner, Wellington, Ford half ton pickup.

Kyle Janes, Wellington, Chevrolet two-door.

Leonard Karnes, Wellington, Oldsmobile sedan.

P.M. Scott, Wellington, Ford fordr.

Ernest Nipper, Wellington, half ton pickup.

E.C. Alexander, Dodson, Oldsmobile coupe.

Billy Williams, Wellington, Ford fordr.

H.L. Jenkins, Wellington, Ford half ton pickup.

Awards Given At Cub Pack Meeting Nov. 30

Wellington Cub Scouts held their pack meeting Thursday evening, November 30, at the American Legion Hall with Bill Anders, cubmaster, presiding.

Awards were presented to these boys:

Den 1: Glenn Hamilton, denner cord; and Quincy Weatherly, Bobcat.

Den 2: Ed Tom Campbell, Wolf Badge, one gold arrow, two silver arrows and denner cord.

Webeles: Robert Bueno, denner cord and athletic award; Juan Granados, athletic award; Craig Darter, denner cord, scholar and citizen award; and Harold Scott, athletic award.

The skit was presented by Den 4, with Mrs. James Herring, den mother, and Brent and Darren Jones, Kevin McClendon, and Sidney Herring. It was a demonstration relating to the Cub Scout promise, salute, motto and handshake. The attendance banner was

Thirty-one on 6-Weeks Honor Roll at Norwood

Thirty-one students in the eighth through twelfth grades of Samnorwood Schools were listed on the Honor Roll for the second six-weeks period, according to Supt. Rex Peeples. Four of the students had a 4.00 grade point average out of a possible four.

The honor roll included:

Seniors: Rosa Oldham 4.00, Lyna Coleman 3.85, Connie Knoll 3.65, Janice Snead 3.65, Kyle Janes 3.50, Lena King 3.50, Byron Bell 3.30, and Nancy Colson 3.30.

Juniors: Le Ann Bruton, 3.85, Connie Roberts 3.80, Mary Blair 3.70, Johnny Morgan 3.60, Daniel Martinez 3.50, Harold Hill 3.30, Joel Rainey 3.20 and Mike Oldham 3.00.

Sophomores: Elaine Purkey 4.00, Robin Waters 3.50, Judy Bell 3.00, Janette Oldham 3.00, Doug Coleman 3.00.

Eighth grade: Carl Stages 3.80, Bobby Myers, 3.80, Debbie Clark 3.40, and Mabeline Bryant 3.20.

Seventh grade: Margaret Sanderson 4.00, Di Anna Schaub 4.00, Leitha Martindale, 3.20, Donnie Knoll 3.20, John Birkey 3.20, and Tonya Kincannon 3.00.

won by the Webeles Den with 21 persons present for that den.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Scott, Gary and Lisa of Morton and Mrs. Ray Scott of Wellington spent Thanksgiving in Grandview, Missouri with Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Scott's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gray, Debbie and Sheri. Mrs. Gray is Mrs. Ray Scott's granddaughter.

Former Quail Resident Dies

Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Pendergrass have returned from Winton, Calif., where they attended the funeral of her brother, the Rev. J.D. (Dates) Long.

Mr. Long, 68, died suddenly Sunday evening, November 26, while he was preaching at the Presbyterian Church of God in Winton. His death was attributed to a heart attack.

Mr. Long was ordained in the Church of God in 1951, but had retired from his pastorate due to ill health.

Born at Carey, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Long, and came to Quail in 1919. He moved to California in 1935.

Mr. Long was married to Miss Goldie Thompson of Quail.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, November 30 in a funeral chapel at Atwater, Calif.

Survivors are his wife; a daughter, Mrs. LaWanda Hollman of San Jose; three grandchildren; 5 sisters and 6 brothers: Mrs. Martha Reeves and Mrs. Pendergrass of Wellington; T.C. Long of Rattan, Okla.; J.R. Long, Byrl Long and Mrs. Doris Fisher of Arlington; Lawson Long of Grand Prairie; Iris Lee Long of Dumas; Mrs. Nellie Savage of Watsonville, Calif.; Edward Long of Laton, Calif.; and Mrs. Annie Funderburg of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Raburn and children, Robin and Kent of Marlow and Sam Raburn, Jr. (Tony) of Dumas spent the Thanksgiving holiday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Raburn.

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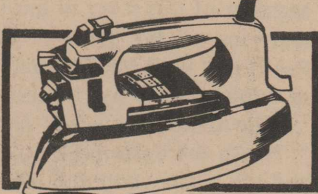
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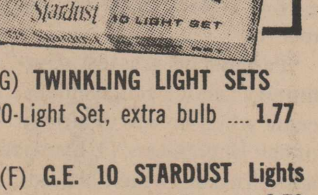
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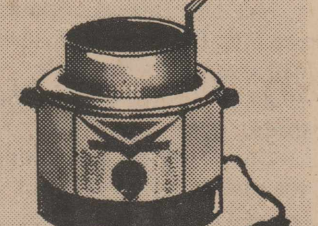
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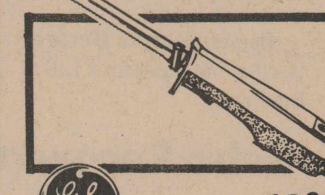
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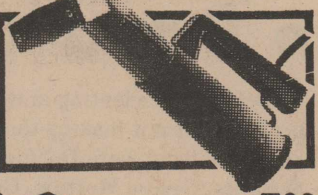
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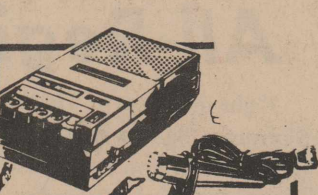
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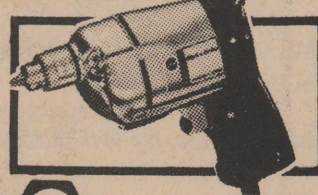
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DRAWINGS:

December 2, 9, 16 and 23

IN SCRIPT

There will be three drawings each day at 4 p. m. The first drawing will be for \$35.00 in script. The second will be for \$25.00 in script and the third will be for \$15.00 in script. In each drawing, numbers will be drawn until it is claimed. There will be no hold over of prizes. For convenience in shopping, script will be issued in denominations of \$5. Script will be void after January 2, 1972.

In addition there will be another drawing, for a child's toy. Draw off same tickets. Child must be 12 years of age or under and accompanied by one parent. Toys to be given away are: 1st week, 2 basketballs; 2nd week, 2 transistor radios; 3rd week, 1 tape recorder; 4th week, bicycle.

Get Tickets from These Merchants

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Owens & Scott Thriftway
Wellington Leader
Montgomery Ward
Scott & Lee Gro. & Station
Wellington Lumber Co.
Wellington State Bank
Town & Country
City State Bank
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Sullivan Hardware & Furniture

Ace Hardware
Fabric & Ready to Wear
Fair Store
C & H Pharmacy
Hatch Dry Goods
Saied's Dept. Store
City Grocery
Lewis Grocery & Mkt.
Harrell's Ben Franklin
Fashion Shop
Gibson's Discount Center
D.C. Bargain Shop

Rockettes Champions Of Memphis Tourney

Wellington girls won the Memphis Invitational tournament championship Saturday night, December 2, keeping their season's winning record intact. The Rockettes defeated Estelline girls 35-24 in the finals.

Quail girls, who lost of Wellington in second round play Friday, went on to win third.

In the boys division, Memphis won the championship of their own tournament. Arnett Indians, coached by Ralph Word, former Wellington High School teacher, came in second, Wellington was third and Quail won the consolation bracket.

Wellington placed two girls on the all-tournament team, Patti McAlister, and Janie Davis, and Quail placed Lenora Oatman. Others on the team were Janie Morris and Alexis Abram of Estelline and Teresa Beck of Memphis.

Quail placed Terry Canada and Gary Brown on the all-tournament team, and Arnett had Voight and Boyle. Johnson of Memphis was the fifth player selected.

Both Wellington teams drew a bye in the first round, when Groom, their scheduled opponent, found itself with its football team in state competition and forfeited both its basketball games and withdrew from the tournament.

Wellington girls defeated Quail Quails 54-29 Friday afternoon. The Rockettes jumped to a 16-4 lead by the end of the first quarter and were ahead 34-11 at half time. The score at the third period was 48-18.

Patti McAlister was high point player with 18, Phyllis Sullivan had 16 points, Edi Watkins 14, Teresa Patterson four and Dian Brooks two. Lucy Sullivan was the other forward.

Guards were Katy Sullivan, Janie Davis, Gwen Lewis, Mary Thomas, Maxine Sterling, Lenie Morgan, Kathy Kersten, Toni Taylor and Renee Mitchell. Lenora Oatman scored 13 points to lead Quail, Debra Culpepper had 11 and Sheri Gan-

ada 5. Guards were Sandra Sullivan, Sheri White, Tanja Alston, Sharon Childers and Nancy Pendergraft.

Wellington also had 12-6 lead over Estelline girls by the end of the first period in the championship game. The Rockettes led 10 points at halftime, then Estelline came back to within four points of Wellington, but a last period rally pulled the game out for the Rockettes.

The game was almost free of fouls. Wellington shot two free shots and made one; Estelline shot 7 and made four.

Patti McAlister scored 21 points, Edi Watkins 10 and Phyllis Sullivan four. Guards were Katy Sullivan, Janie Davis, Gwen Lewis and Maxine Sterling.

Janie Morris scored 12 points for Estelline, Teresa Abrams 10 and Patti Welch two.

"Our defense throughout the tournament was the big factor in our winning, and it has been in all the 5 games we have won," said Coach Don Lacy.

When Arnett Indians went in the second round game with Wellington, they had defeated Quail by only one point, and their victory over Wellington was by three, 47-44. The Indians lost to Memphis by three points in the finals.

Wellington trailed 14-2 at the end of the first period, 31-16 at halftime, and 42-30 at the third. In the final quarter, however, Wellington scored 14 points while holding Arnett to 5.

Bobby Shrubs and Dickie Johnson scored 11 points each, Jay Thomas 10, Bruce Oney 8, Randall Hodges and Mike Williams two each.

Arent's Drew scored 15 points, Boyle 14, the Voight brothers 10 and 7, and Sophy one.

Wellington Rockettes defeated Memphis B 78-31 in their final game. The game was a run-away from the start, and Coach Lacy played every boy present at the tournament.

Jay Thomas scored 18 points, Johnson 15, Shrubs 14, Oney 12, Keith Davis 10, Hodges three, Brent Wade and Jim Bob Nall two each. Other players were Steve Kane, Ken Maxwell and Barry Long. Milton had 14 points for Memphis.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Allred and Don last weekend was their son and brother, Alfred Allred of Dallas.

Lunchrooms

SAMNORWOOD

Monday, Dec. 4: Breakfast: fruit punch, hash browns, drop biscuits, butter, jelly and milk; Lunch: Breaded steaks, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, lettuce and tomato salad, fruit cocktail, cookies, and milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 5: Breakfast: orange juice, farina butter, bow-nots, milk; Lunch: baked turkey, dressing and gravy, cranberry sauce, green beans, rolls, milk, honey.

Wednesday, Dec. 6: Breakfast: 1/2 banana, dry cereal, do-nuts, milk; Lunch: Bar-b-que on bun, French fries, tossed salad, peanut butter cake, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 7: Breakfast: orange juice, kalaches, bacon strips, milk; Lunch: Irish stew, cheese sticks, crackers, cabbage and tomato salad, cornbread and butter, pumpkin pie and topping.

Friday, Dec. 8: Breakfast: applesauce, sausage patty, drop biscuits, jelly, butter, milk; Lunch: Spaghetti/meat, vegetable salad, whole wheat rolls, banana pudding, milk.

WELLINGTON

Monday, Dec. 11: Barbecued beef on a bun, broccoli with cheese sauce, oven fried potatoes-catsup, apple half, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 12: Turkey A La King, buttered English peas, peaches, steamed rice, cinnamon crisps, hot buttered bread, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 13: Spaghetti with meat sauce, black-eyed peas, French fried onion rings, carrot sticks, hot buttered bread, chocolate pudding, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, Dec. 14: Hamburger on a bun, onion, pickles, mustard, lettuce and tomatoes, French fry potatoes-catsup, green beans, fruit juice, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

Friday, Dec. 15: Ranch style beans with pork, fried okra, pear half, carrot sticks, cornbread, white cake with pink icing, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

Pioneer Vinson Farmer Dies on November 27

R.M. Talkington, 86, who had lived in the western Oklahoma area since its territorial days, died Monday, November 27. A prominent Vinson farmer, he was the father of Mrs. Vernon Peters, a teacher in Wellington Elementary Schools, and the grandfather of Mrs. Dan Henard, Jr.

Born April 7, 1886 in Texas, the son of Max and Emma Talkington, he came with them to the White Flat community in 1893, where they lived until 1906 when they moved to Vinson.

He was married to Miss Vinnie Rodgers in June of 1910 at Mangum and they farmed in the Vinson community for the rest of his life. Following a short illness he passed away in Mangum City Hospital Monday morning.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon in Vinson Church of Christ, with Paul Evans, minister of the Hollis Church of Christ officiating. Burial was in Cave Creek Cemetery at Vinson.

Survivors include his wife, and eight children, Mrs. Freda Peters, Vinson; Mrs. Myrtle Stucker, Gustine, Calif.; Mrs. Dovie Lee Wells, Culver City, Calif.; T.M. Talkington, Denton, Forrest Talkington, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Zannie Mendon, Sherman Oaks, Calif.; Mrs. Troy Finuf, Ventura, Calif.; Dallas Talkington, McCook, Nebraska; 14 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren.

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Real Estate Transactions

R.L. Templeton to C.A. Winton, lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 65, Wellington.

Ervin Kersten to C.A. Winton: lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 65, Wellington.

Cemetery deed: City of Wellington to Mrs. Juanita Phillips: North 5 feet of lot 4, block 155, Thomas and Cook Cemetery, Wellington.

Lora Glenn to Tommy Lewis and wife: 272.42 acres being the E/2 of a tract of land in section 67, block 10.

Barney Glenn and others to Tommy Lewis: 272.42 acres of land being the W/2 of a tract of land in section 67, block 10. Russell Marsh and wife to Rosa D. Whitaker: lots 2, 3 and 4, block 82, Wellington.

Lutie Templeton to R.L. Templeton: lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18, block 84, Wellington.

Edith Painter and others to Tolbert Painter: lots 9 to 12, both inclusive, in block 38, Dodson.

Charles Darter and wife to Glenn Thomas: N/2 section 59, block 21, less 1/16 oil, gas and mineral interest.

Quit-Claim Deed: Raymond Mitchell to Frank King Post: No. 249, American Legion: S/2 lot 1, block 16, addition to the Wellington Cemetery in the Northeast part of Wellington.

Corrected deed: Frank King Post, no. 249, American Legion: S/2 lot 1, block 16, addition to the Wellington Cemetery in the Northeast part of Wellington.

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Quail Lions Hold Supper

Quail Lions entertained their wives with a pre-Christmas party Monday evening, December 4, at the school cafeteria.

A salad supper was served, followed by a short business meeting in which members voted to sponsor a Peewee basketball tournament February 4, 5 and 6. James Stavenhagen, president, was in charge.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wischkaemper, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Don Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Canada, Miss Sherri Canada, the club sweetheart, and Mr. Stavenhagen.

Shower Given Miss Childers

A kitchen shower was given Monday, November 27, to honor Miss Brenda Childers of Quail, fiancée of Monte Ferguson of Gruver.

The event was held in the Heritage Room of Wellington State Bank, and a color theme of green and gold was used.

Gold flowers formed the centerpiece of the serving table and silver and crystal appointments were used.

The hostesses were Mrs. Jerol Morris, Mrs. Charles Darter, Mrs. Raymond Neeley, Mrs. Sandy Parsons, Mrs. Zook Thomas, Mrs. Glenn McLain and Mrs. Johnny Carson.

Guests called between six and seven in the evening.

Spice Party Honors Bride

A spice and rice party honored Miss Brenda Childers Saturday, Dec. 2, in the Heritage room.

Miss Childers is the fiancée of Monte Ferguson of Gruver. The hostesses were Mrs. John Alf Thomas and Mrs. Delbert White.

Centering the refreshment table, which was covered with a purple lace cloth, was a large spice rack. White tapers tied with purple ribbon were on each side. Silver appointments were used.

Guests called between 10 and 12 in the morning

James Havron Home Setting of Big Family Gathering for Thanksgiving

During the Thanksgiving Holidays, the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Havron was the setting for a family get-together, which at times saw as many as 40 to 50 relatives present for visiting and music.

Four sisters were together for the first time in about ten years: Mrs. Havron and Mrs. Lewis Tingle of Wellington; Mrs. Royce Campbell of Amarillo and Mrs. Hadley Matney of Pleasant Grove, Ark.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Havron of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Etzel Havron, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morris, and Michelle, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Branch and children, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Campbell, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Rondell Havron, Tammy and Allan of Mountain View, Ark.; Mrs. Hadley Matney and Ava Matney of Pleasant Grove, Ark.; Mrs. Ray Gales of Tulsa; Ray Matney, Genie, Lavon and Joy of Pampa;

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tingle; Doris Tingle of Clarendon College; Jerry Havron of North Texas State University, Denton; Sandra Gibbons of Amarillo College; Mrs. R.H. Gibbons Jr Ann and Debbie of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Sain, Angela

Who's New in the Wellington Area

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Johnson of Kelton are the parents of a daughter, Noel Dawn, born December 1 at Shamrock General Hospital. She weighed five pounds and seven ounces. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Wright and Mrs. Nora Johnson, and the great grandmother is Mrs. Lenora Jackson, all of Wellington.



MRS. CHAUXEAUX

Mrs. Doug Chauveaux Sweetheart Of Delta Sigma Phi at McCamey

SWEETHEART . . . Mrs. Doug Chauveaux has been chosen as the Sweetheart of the Omicron Omicron Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and will be representing her sorority at the annual Sweetheart event in February as well as other occasions. Mrs. Chauveaux received her B.S. Degree in May 1971 from West Texas State University, majoring in elementary education, with a minor in physical education. She is in her second year of teaching in McCamey School System, teaching physical education grades 5 through 8 and also

coaches junior high girls basketball. Her husband is also a coach and teacher in McCamey High School. He coaches the high school girls' basketball team and is assistant football coach. He teaches Health. He received his B.S. Degree in physical education from West

and Anthony of Arlie; Mrs. Laquita Bowen, Barry and Greg of Amarillo; Howard Golden; Johnny Golden of Louisiana; Howard Murdock and R.A. Newman of Pampa.

Furnishing the music were Tammy Havron, on the autoharp and Allan Havron, guitar, both of Mountain View, Ark., Jerry Havron of Denton, and Elvis Sain, guitar.

Lillie Club Members Honor Husbands At Thanksgiving Dinner Thursday

Members of the Lillie Home Demonstration Club entertained their husbands with a Thanksgiving dinner in the Heritage Room Thursday evening, November 30.

The Rev. Phillip Daniels gave the invocation.

Following the dinner, Mrs. Daniels, club president, directed the program, centered around the Thanksgiving season and the American heritage.

Mrs. Haskell Manuel led the group in singing, "America," followed by two readings, "One Day at a Time," by Mrs. Bill Lindsey, and "A Heap of Living" by Mrs. Ozro Bartlett.

Mrs. Daniels closed the program by reading "American Heritage."

Later members played games or visited as they wished.

Attending were the Rev. and Mrs. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Emmert, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yarbrough, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and their grandson, Rocky Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Langford and their son, H.C. Langford of Perry, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Horton,

Mr. and Mrs. David Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haralson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Phipps, Mrs. Lowell Wells, Mrs. Charley Hill,

Texas State University in August 1969. Mrs. Chauveaux is the former Becky Brewer. While in college she was a cheerleader three years and was a class favorite her sophomore year. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Childers, Whose Wedding Will Be December 30

Miss Brenda Childers, the fiancée of Monte Robert Ferguson of Gruver, was honored at a bridal shower in the Home making Cottage at Quail Wednesday, November 22. The couples wedding is planned for December 30.

Shower hostesses were Mrs. Loyd Langley, Mrs. Donald Langley, Mrs. Roy Canada, Mrs. Carl Brammer, Mrs. Dan Guthrie, Mrs. Carl Wischkaemper, Mrs. Ross Oatman, Mrs. Carey Don Neeley, Mrs. Raymond Ross, Mrs. Harold Caldwell, Mrs. Billy Joe Patterson and Mrs. Lonnie Needham.

Mrs. Ross received the guests and presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. N.E. Childers, and Mrs. Robert Ferguson of Gruver, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Miss Sharon Childers, sister of the honoree, presided at the registry table, which was covered with a lace cloth and decorated with the bride's wedding candle.

The tea table was laid with a

Mrs. Zook Thomas, Mrs. Lindsey, Mrs. Manuel, Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Bartlett.

Francis Guests Home on Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. A.O. Francis of Erick, Oklahoma, had three of their sons, visiting with them during the Thanksgiving holidays. They were Jimmy G. Francis and Son, Gaylen of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Don Francis, Christopher Kirk, and Cheryl Dawn and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Francis of Oklahoma City.

Joining the group for lunch on Saturday were Ray Legsdon, Hollis, and Leon Feley of Minsen, and John Francis, an uncle of the boys.

Other guests were Mrs. Sandra Schrader and daughters, Cinde and Lisa of Albuquerque.

The Francis Ranch is in the northeast part of the county, south of Texola.

Visiting Mrs. L.A. Johnson over the week end were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Johnson, Dennis and Joe of Amarillo. They also did some quail hunting, and visited with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Farrar.

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Wellington State Bank Traditional Dinner Opens Christmas Season Here

The traditional dinner given by Wellington State Bank to herald the opening of the holiday season was given Saturday evening, December 2.

Each year this honors the bank employees, directors, officers and stockholders and their guests.

The setting was Bura Handley Community Center.

C.T. Hubbard, bank president and banquet toastmaster, welcomed the group and reminded them how good it is for the banks family to come together each year. This year it included several stockholders who came from out of town especially for the occasion.

Entertainment was by the Singing Sweethearts of Hedley. This group of seven boys and girls, all 12 years and under, directed by Mrs. Don Springer, a teacher in the Hedley schools. She also serves as their pianist and Mr. Springer is the guitarist.

Variety was the spice of their program, which included Christmas songs, rock and roll, country and western tunes, and popular numbers. Members of this group are Kim Woodard, LaMoss Springer, Sherrie Hill, Perry Potts, John Duke, Randy Woodard and Ricky Springer.

Banquet tables, laid in white with red accents, were

decorated with Christmas candles. A large Christmas candelabra, with foliage, poinsettas and miniature santas banked around the base, was the centerpiece for the buffet table. The meal was the traditional turkey dinner.

Banquet guests registering were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Glenn, Jack Neeley, Greg and Allison Neeley, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Thompson, Mrs. Marie Watkins, Mrs. Dorothy B. Copeland of Lubbock,

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Birchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wooldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Brown, George Shadid, Mrs. P.E. Starr Mrs. Lewis Morris, Miss Hattie D. Wells, Mrs. Deskins Wells, Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hiett and children,

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Nicky Watts, Mrs. J.M. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Garner Altom, Mr. and Mrs. Muri Lacy, Miss Rose Shadid, Miss Marie Shadid, Miss Terri Shadid of Memphis, Mrs. Elmer Feemster, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Estes, Mrs. Luther Gribble, Miss Virginia Robey, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Settle, Donnie Settle, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman, Mrs. Kay Gassiot, Scott, Tracy and Sherry Gassiot, Dana Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox, Mrs. Lowell Wells, Mrs. John Holton, Mrs. Heber Brantley, Mrs. J.M. Orr, Mrs. Earnest Nipper, Mrs. V.R. Ratelov of Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Dickens of Big Spring, Laura Gragson, Evelyn Gragson, Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bell, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Morgan and Henry Sullivan.

Snoopy Helps Junior High Gridders Celebrate at Banquet on Saturday

The Wellington Junior High Firecracker football team was honored at a banquet Saturday, December 2, in the American Legion Hall.

Guests arrived at a room decorated by Snoopy cartoon figures, mostly Snoopy wearing his Firecracker football helmet and carrying a football.

Mothers of the boys in the seventh and eighth grade teams gave the banquet.

The highlight of the banquet was the presentation of red and silver trophies to each eighth grade player and the managers by Coach Carroll Nunnelley. The trophies were inscribed, District 2-A Champ 1972.

Letters were presented to each seventh grade football player and their managers by their coach, Dick Hamilton, and assistant coach, Lester Guesby.

Recognition was given the six Firecracker cheerleaders, Kathy Patterson, head cheerleader, Janee Taylor, Rane Taylor, Kloette Camp, Cindy Hernandez and Leigh Ann Jeffrey.

The centerpiece for the banquet table was a football autographed by the Dallas Cowboys, which belonged to Lee Templeton. Joe Ed White made the original large Snoopy place cards for all 65 guests.

Ernest Moody gave the invocation and Ronny Waters the benediction.

A social hour followed.

Guests who registered were Coach and Mrs. Hamilton, Coach and Mrs. Nunnelley, Coach Lester Guesby, Lee Templeton, Leslie Doty, Don Allred, Janee Taylor, Larry Adams, Rane Taylor, Tony Cox, Leigh Ann Jeffrey, Shane Tarver, Susan Kimbro, Harrell Lowe, Suzie Patrick, Curtis Nash, Barbara Blakes, Audie Watson, Rhonda Hernandez, Allen Sanders, Kay Coffee, Bobby Cantu, Rosa

L. Vela, Joe Baumgardner, Kathy Patterson, Ernest Moody, Bob Cummings, Jessie Davis, Danny Morris, Tony Martinez, Cliff Pennon, Cody Grubb, Lupe Gonzales, Alfred Castor, Tim Cummings, Terry Fowler, Kelly Baker, Roger Baker, Kathy Trimble, Randy McGill, Tammie Lovell, Albert Perez, Irene Saldana, Allen Murdock, Kloette Camp, George Darton, Iva Nell Shrubs, Cindy Hernandez, Lyn Hurst, Lon Kiker, Ronny Waters, Kent Riley, Pat White, Joe Ed White, Craig Needham, Clemon Blakes, Porferio Mejia, Clay Don Lacy, Robert Sterling, Stephen Settle, Johnny Cooley, Jesse Vela, Mingo Martinez and Jeff Langford.

Two Honored On Birthdays

Two residents of Wellington Nursing Center were honored with a birthday party Thursday afternoon, November 30.

Mrs. A.B. Hicks observed her 94th birthday on November 11 while Mrs. Sam White had her seventy-third birthday November 28.

A snow-man cake centered the birthday table, and gifts were presented to the two honorees.

King Bowen presented piano music and Mrs. Helen Hardin directed the game period.

Refreshments were served.

Visiting Mrs. J.B. Clark over Thanksgiving were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. King, Lynn and Lynna Ruth of Vega, and two other grandchildren, John King of Abilene, Karen King and a guest, Scotty Witt of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wayne Ingram and children, Steve and Stacy, of Amarillo visited recently with his mother, and his sister, Mrs. Homer Ingram and Miss Azalea Ingram.



MRS. KEN RIBBLE BAXTER

Miss Holmes and Ken Baxter Marry In Church Ceremony at Shamrock

Miss Janis Ruth Holmes and Ken Ribble Baxter were married in the sanctuary of First United Methodist Church in Shamrock at seven o'clock Saturday evening, November 25. The Reverend Rollo Davidson, pastor, officiated.

Members of pioneer area families, parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. William F. Holmes of Shamrock and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Baxter of Dozier.

Altar decorations were six-branched candelabras, entwined with garlands of smilax and woodwardia fern. Floor baskets of white gladiolas and foliage were at each side.

Wedding music was presented by Mrs. Cabot Brannon, organist, and Mrs. George Dunkin of Arvada, Colorado, the vocalist.

Mr. Holmes gave his daughter in marriage.

She wore an empire gown of silk organza and bridal taffeta, with a bodice overlay of peau d'ange lace. Scallops edged the neckline. Tracery of seed pearls accented the floor-length a-line skirt, which was edged in a wide band of the scalloped lace. The chapel train, also was edged in lace. A portrait style coil of flowers and leaves held her fingertip heirloom veil and she carried a cascade of white roses and stephanotis, tied with satin ribbon. Her only jewelry was a strand of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Johnny Brunson of Red River, New Mexico, matron of honor, and junior attendants were Miss Janna Henderson and Miss Joann Henderson of Dallas, Miss Beth Snell of Austin, all nieces of the bride, and Miss Becky Baxter of

Hale Center, niece of the bridegroom.

The matron of honor wore a floor-length dress of candlelight chiffon, made with a victorian neckline and long full sleeves, gathered into deep cuffs. A sash of embroidered French ribbon accented the waist, and her headpiece was a cranberry bonnet with shoulder length veil. The junior attendants also wore candlelight chiffon dresses with cranberry sashes and bonnets. All carried nosegays of feathered cranberry carnations.

Preston Stephens was the best man, and ushers and groomsmen were Robert Earl Martin, Nelson Dwyer, Freddy Mayhugh, Larry Parks of Memphis, and Bill Henderson of Dallas.

After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes were hosts at a reception to honor the couple.

The bride's table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with a tiered silver candelabra. Silver vases held arrangements of white pom pom chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Judd Graves of Dallas and Mrs. Gray Benson of Lubbock served the guests, assisted by Mrs. James Henderson, Mrs. Virgil Snell and Mrs. Ernest Henderson.

The bridegroom's table, also laid with a white cloth, held a silver coffee service and apricot ring. Mrs. Holmes Brannon poured.

Mrs. Preston Stevens was at the registry, which was decorated with a large white anniversary candle and two white tapers in silver holders.

A graduate of Shamrock High School, the bride received the Bachelor of Arts Degree from Texas Tech University and her Master's degree from North Texas State University. She

Glenns Host Family Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Glenn were hosts at a family dinner Sunday, November 28, following the christening of their young granddaughter, Melissa Killian at First United Methodist Church.

Melissa is the small daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Granvel Killian of Hollis.

Attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. L.S. Riley of Pampa, his son, Dick Riley of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. Killian, Kristi and Melissa and Miss Jan Glenn of Houston.

Joining them in the afternoon were two of Mrs. Glenn's sisters and a brother-in-law, Mrs. Lewis Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Hezze Jones.

Baxters Host

Rehearsal Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Baxter were hosts at the rehearsal dinner honoring their son, Ken Baxter, and his fiancée, Miss Janis Ruth Holmes, Friday evening, November 24, at the Shamrock Country Club.

The buffet was centered with a pedestal arrangement of white chrysanthemums and cranberry carnations, and these flowers were repeated in the centerpiece for the head table. Other tables were decorated with arrangements of white ranunculus and fern, tied with cranberry ribbon, alternating with sprays of maple leaves.

Attending were Miss Holmes and Mr. Baxter; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Holmes; and Mrs. Johnny Brunson; Mrs. George Dunkin; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Baxter and children, James and Rebecca; Mr. and Mrs. Cabot Brannon; Mrs. Bill Corbell; Miss LaDone Vermillion;

Mr. and Mrs. James Henderson and children, Bill, Britt, Janna and Joann; Sammy Pak-an; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Snell and children, Ben and Beth; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Parks; Robert Earl Martin; Nelson Dwyer; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Stevens; Freddy Mayhugh; and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter.

Attend Wedding In Shamrock

Wellington residents who attended the wedding of Miss Janis Ruth Holmes and Ken Baxter in Shamrock Saturday evening, November 25, included Freddy Mayhugh, who was a member of the wedding party, Miss Maudie Coffee and Larry Henard.

now teaches English and is librarian in McLean High School.

The bridegroom was graduated from Samnorwood High School and received his Bachelor of Science and Master's Degrees from West Texas State University, Canyon. He is Director of Guidance and Testing for Wheeler County Public Schools.

Since returning from a short wedding trip to points in Oklahoma, the couple is at home at 405 East Second, Shamrock.

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B Teams to Play Only One Game Weekly

Wellington High School B Team Basketball schedule was announced this week by Jimmy Forrester, the girls coach, and Lester Guesby, boys coach.

For the first time, the B Teams will be playing in an Interscholastic League District, which is 2-A and corresponds to the varsity district.

There is one major change this year. After conference play begins December 12, each B team will play only one game per week, and will play it along with the varsity, making a triple-header evening. B team boys and girls will alternate, and their games will begin at 5:00 p.m., to be followed by the Rockettes at 6:30.

The B Team schedule for the remainder of the season will be:

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, December 7, 8 and 9, Childress B Team tournament for boys.

Monday, Dec. 11 - Shamrock there, boys and girls, 6:00 p.m.

DISTRICT 2-A GAMES

Tuesday, Dec. 12 - Claude there, B Team boys.

Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 14, 15 and 16 - Memphis Tournament, boys and girls.

Tuesday, Dec. 19 - Silverton, here, girls.

Friday, Dec. 22 - McLean here, boys.

Tuesday, Jan. 2 - Memphis there, girls.

Friday, Jan. 5 - Clarendon here, boys.

Tuesday, Jan. 9 - Valley there, girls.

Thursday, Jan. 11 - Paducah here, boys and girls (Non-district).

Friday, Jan. 12 - Wheeler there, boys.

Tuesday, Jan. 16 - Claude here, girls.

Friday, Jan. 19 - Silverton there, boys.

Tuesday, Jan. 23 - McLean there, girls.

Friday, Jan. 26 - Memphis here, boys.

Tuesday, Jan. 30 - Clarendon there, girls.

Friday, Feb. 2 - Valley here, boys.

Tuesday, Feb. 6 - Wheeler here, girls.

Group Here for Willard Rites

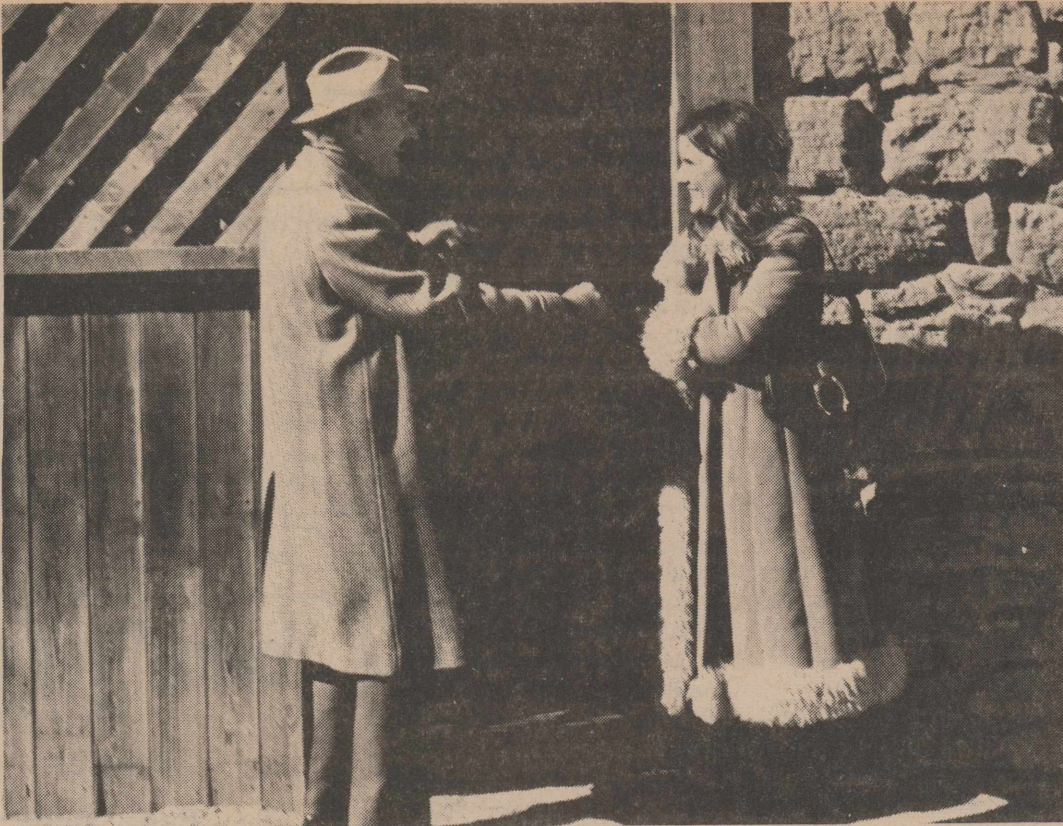
Out of town relatives and friends here for the services of N.E. Willard included: Aubrey Willard, Santa Fe, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Willard and Karen, Quanah; Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Willard, Chillicothe; Rev. and Mrs. B.C. Stonecipher and Mrs. Bud Barber and Rebecca, Muleshoe.

Mrs. Tommy Judd, Mrs. Marjorie Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Judd, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Sell, Rev. Jim Usleton, Mrs. Joe Hill, Mrs. Arlis Ellis, and Jack Hill, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Willard and Elizabeth, Oklahoma City; David Willard, Bakersfield, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon C. Willard, Bovina; Ervin Willard, Matador; Jimmy Willard, Lubbock; Mrs. Kelton Parker, Fort Worth; Mrs. Virginia Sinclair, Irving; Miss Marilyn Willard, Vernon; Rev. and Mrs. M.W. Reynolds, Vernon; Mrs. Marvin Henson, Mrs. Roy Blanchard and Mrs. Guy Calhoun, all of Chillicothe.

Johnny Harris and Debbie Neinst of Texas Tech, Lubbock, were week end guests of his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Harris and Annabelle.

Mrs. David Armstrong of Lubbock came late last week to visit her mother, Mrs. W.W. McClaskey, and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Smith and Ann.

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DEDICATION

M.H.W. Ritchie, left, president of the JA Cattle Company, and his daughter, Cornelia Wadsworth Ritchie, enjoy cutting the leather ribbon which officially opened the JA meat and

milk cooler to visitors at the Ranch Headquarters at The Museum of Texas Tech University. The ceremony took place Nov. 25. (Tech Photo.)

Junior High Schedule for Season Given

Wellington Junior High basketball schedule for both seventh and eighth grade teams was announced this week by Coach Carroll Nunnelley.

The eighth grade is playing in a Junior High district that corresponds to High School District 2-A, with Mr. Nunnelley as coach. The seventh grade, coached by Dick Hamilton, has scheduled 8 games and a tournament for the season on a non-district basis.

All Firecracker (8th grade) district games begin at 6:00 p.m. The hour of the other games is indicated. District games are starred.

FIRECRACKERS
Thursday through Saturday, December 7-9: Memphis Tournament.
Monday, Dec. 11: Shamrock there.

Thursday, Dec. 14: * McLean There.
Monday, Dec. 18: Childress boys there.
Thursday, Jan. 4: * Memphis here.
Monday, Jan. 8: Samnorwood here 6:30 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 11: * Wheeler there.
Monday, Jan. 18: * McLean here.
Monday, Jan. 22: Samnorwood there 6:30 p.m.
Thursday through Saturday, Jan. 25-27, Shamrock Tournament.
Monday, Jan. 29: * Memphis there.
Thursday, Feb. 1: * Wheeler here.
Monday, Feb. 5 through Friday, Feb. 9: District Zone playoff.

SEVENTH GRADE
Thursday, Dec. 7: Childress boys here 5:00 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 11: Estelline there 6:30.
Thursday, Dec. 14: Lela there 7:00 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 18: Childress boys here 5:00.
Thursday, Jan. 4: Memphis

Peace Study Begins at UT

AUSTIN, (Spl.) - The notion that world peace is a proper field for scholarly study and research has prompted establishment of a new professorship in the Lyndon B. Johnson School of Public Affairs at The University of Texas.

A \$750,000 trust fund from the estate of the late Tom Slick of San Antonio has endowed the Distinguished Visiting Tom Slick Professorship of World Peace.

Each Slick Professor, who will be a person with an international reputation in peace-related work, will spend a year in residence at the LBJ School.

boys here 5:00.
Monday, Jan. 8: Shamrock there 6:00 p.m.
Thursday through Saturday, Jan. 11, 12, 13: Estelline Tournament.
Monday, Jan. 15: Shamrock here 6:00 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 19: Lela here 6:30.

Eighth Grade Boys Defeat Estelline 54-29

Wellington Firecrackers basketball team won over the previously undefeated Estelline eighth grade boys 54-29 in Skyrocket Gym Monday night, December 4.

The girls, after a bad third quarter, could not pull ahead of Estelline and lost a close 15-13 game. It was their first game, and Estelline girls already had 12 games behind them.

The Firecrackers took a 16-6 lead by the end of the first period and by the half it was 30-13, and 41-21 at the third.

Shane Tarver led Wellington scoring with 30 points and Jessie Davis added 10.

Danny Contreras had 14 for Estelline.
"I felt this was one of the best first games that my team

has ever had," said Coach Carroll Nunnelley. "Estelline boys had played 10 games previously and had not been defeated."

Playing for Wellington were Bobby Cantu, Shane Tarver, Tony Martinez, Jessie Davis, Danny Morris, Don Allred, Cliff Pennon, Ernest Moody, Scott Gassiot, Joe Baumgardner, Tony Cox, Curtis Nash, Allen Sanders, and Lee Templeton.

The girls game was tied 3-3 at the end of the first period, and Estelline led only 5-3 at the half.

Estelline had a good third quarter that put them up to 13-6. In the fourth, Wellington scored 7 points while holding their opponents to two, but it was not enough.

"First game turnovers and mistakes hurt us badly, but I feel like with some game experience we will develop into a strong team," said Coach Nunnelley.

Players were Suzy Castleberry, Kathy Patterson, Iva Nell Shrubs, Rane Taylor, Janee

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Taylor, Rhonda Hernandez, Kathy Trimble, Teresa Vassey, Gay Lynn Cook, Penny Morgan, Barbara Blakes, Tina Powell, Kay Coffee, Cynthia Black.

Suzy Castleberry was high pointer with 9, and for Estelline it was Suzy Hendricks with 8.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jones were their daughter, Judy Jones, a student in West Texas State University, also Mrs. S.S. Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones and boys of Clarendon. Mrs. G.L. Jones joined the group.

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Billboards Must Comply by Dec. 31

Owners of advertising signs along Interstate, US and major State-numbered highways have until December 31 to apply for permits required under the Texas Highway Beautification Act, according to O.V. Johnson, highway engineer.

The act controls all outdoor advertising signs from the largest signboard to the smallest sign hanging from a fence along the right of way line.

The Texas Highway Commission established the deadline under the legislation which became effective on June 29. The act requires that no person may erect or maintain a sign within 660 feet of an Interstate or federal-aid primary highway in Texas without a license to engage in outdoor advertising.

In addition to the license, the sign owner must have a permit for each sign he has now or which he plans to erect.

Mr. Johnson said the license fee is \$25.00 and the permit \$5.00 for each sign erected.

He cited one Wellington business man who has a sign erected on his own farm along Highway 83 near town. That man also is going to have to buy a license and permit to keep the sign on the land he owns.

On-premise signs -- those advertising activities conducted on the premises and those offering the property for sale -- are exempt.

The act will be implemented in stages. The first stage requires the owner of the sign to obtain a State license and post a bond. The license fee is \$25 and the license is valid for an indefinite period.

The license application must be accompanied by a bond in the amount of \$2,500 for each

county in which signs are located, or a maximum bond of \$10,000 for owners with signs in more than three counties.

After obtaining a license, the owner is required to obtain a separate permit for each existing and new off-premise sign on the affected highways. Sign permit application forms can be obtained from the Right of Way Sections of the Highway Department district offices.

For each sign permit required, the owner should submit an application accompanied by a check or money order for \$5 to the Highway Department district office for the county in which the sign is located.

If the permit application is for an existing sign, the Highway Department will check to see if the sign conforms with the Highway Beautification Act.

Permits now will be issued for signs in place prior to June 29 even if they do not conform to the law. They will be permitted to stay in place until programmed for acquisition or renewal.

Permits for new signs will not be issued unless they conform to the law.

Anyone planning to put up a new sign on the controlled highways should check with the Highway Department district office in his area before doing anything, to determine if the proposed sign location conforms to the law.

The Highway Department also has begun removal of abandoned and illegal signs on controlled highways. An abandoned sign is one in which the owner no longer claims any interest. An illegal sign is one which is located on private property without permission of the

Hospital Notes

Mark David Watts, 16-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll W. Watts, medical, November 27 to 30.

Mrs. Paul Schaub, medical, November 27 to December 4.

Mrs. Gertrude Wolf has been a medical patient since November 27.

Houston Green, medical, has been a patient since November 27.

Mrs. Lonie Harrison, has been a medical patient since November 28.

Mrs. Dovie J. Reynolds, medical, November 28 to December 2.

Mrs. Lila E. Treadwell of

property owner. Property owners on the affected highways with such illegal signs should contact the Highway Department district office.

Mr. Johnson said that these regulations have no bearing on FM highways. He added that I-40 through Wheeler County alone, there are 150 signs, including one from a Las Vegas, Nevada, club.

This will affect approximately 65 signs along U.S. 83 in Collingsworth County.

A license and permit will not be required for (1) Directional and other official signs owned by a political subdivision, governmental agency or nonprofit organization, (2) on premise signs, or (3) utility warning signs.

All signs regardless of nature of sign must be removed from Highway right of way.

Any information regarding local signs may be secured from the office of O.V. Johnson, Resident Engineer in Wellington.

Wheeler, medical, has been hospitalized since November 28.

Rufus Sweat, medical, November 29 to December 1.

James K. Porter, medical, November 29 to December 3.

Jimmy Black, medical, November 30 to December 2.

Mrs. Ike Rogers has been a medical patient since December 1.

Bob Thomas entered the hospital for medical treatment December 2.

Robert H. Young, medical, was admitted December 3.

Patients admitted earlier and dismissed since December 27: Mrs. Hayden Williams, Nov.

27.

Felix Hunt, Nov. 28.

Mrs. Ethel Harrison, Nov. 28.

Rev. Porfirio Mejia, Nov. 29.

Mrs. Ura Scott, Dec. 1.

Mack Saied, Sr., Dec. 4.

Mrs. Lorraine Boverie, Dec.

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Visiting Mrs. Frank Thomas during Thanksgiving were her granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hillburn of Houston.

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AUSTIN, Tex. -- Most homeowners are expected to get a big break on insurance rates next year.

Exceptions will be those who live in the 27-county Gulf Coast area.

The industry-oriented Texas Insurance Advisory Association recommended the State Board of Insurance reduce by 17.7 per cent extended coverage (hail, windstorm, vandalism, etc.) rates and by 16.2 per cent homeowner's rates in the North-Northwest area. That includes most of the Panhandle and South Plains.

Association recommendations for the big Central Inland Territory (Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio, El Paso, Austin areas) included a 12.1 per cent decrease in extended coverage and 10.9 per cent reduction in homeowner's premiums.

The Seacoast territory (Beaumont-Port Arthur, Houston, Galveston, Corpus Christi and Brownsville areas) would get a 17.5 per cent hike in extended coverage premiums and an 8.3 per cent increase in homeowner's policy rates.

All territories would benefit from an Association proposal to reduce fire insurance rates statewide by 7.7 per cent.

An Association spokesman estimated total savings of \$6 million for extended coverage and \$9.8 million for homeowner's insurance in the Central Inland territory. He calculated increases of \$8 million for extended coverage and \$5.9 million for homeowner's rates in the Seacoast territory.

About 500 insurance agents who attended the Board hearing on the proposals expressed approval but loudly protested another recommendation by the Association to standardize their commissions.

The Board staff is awaiting directions as to whether to calculate new rates on its own formula or the new recommendations.

COURTS SPEAK -- Texas Supreme Court agreed a re-trial is in order for a lawsuit against Union Carbide Company as a result of an explosion which killed two and injured two.

The Court of Criminal Appeals held a San Antonio man cannot complain about exclusion of blacks from his murder trial jury since he agreed to the exclusion himself.

The Third Court of Civil Appeals held property owners in Wylie County School District should have the right to join the Abilene School District.

The Supreme Court threw out a district court injunction preventing a State Bar grievance committee investigation of complaints against a former Hill County district attorney.

A Houston Court of Civil Appeals decision that heirs of a man who died in a Waller County Hospital after an auto accident should get a full trial of a malpractice suit against a doctor who treated the wreck victim was upheld by the State Supreme Court.

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Meditations

Bend low, O dusky Night,
And give my spirit rest,
Hold me to your deep breast,
And put old cares to flight.
Give back the lost delight
That once my soul possessed,
When love was loveliest.
— Louise Chandler Moulton

They spell it Vinci and pronounce it Vinchy; foreigners always spell better than they pronounce.
— Samuel Longhorn Clemens (Mark Twain)

Somewhere — in desolate wind-swept space —
In Twilight-land — in Noyman's land —
Two hurrying Shapes met face to face,
And bade each other stand.
— Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

I have considered the pension list of the republic a roll of honor.
— Grover Cleveland.

The thorns he spares when the rose is taken;
The rocks are left when he wastes the plain;
The wind that wanders, the weeds wind-shaken,
These remain.
— Algernon Charles Swinburne.

We live, but a world has passed away with the years that perished to make us men.
— William Dean Howells.

When false things are brought low,
And swift things have grown slow,
Feigning like froth shall go,
Faith be for aye.
— Thomas Hardy.

but a barber may not operate a beauty shop without a cosmetology license.

* A district attorney who applies for retirement on a certain date fixes the date his office is vacated.

GAS PROBLEMS TOLD -- Natural gas supplies are dwindling and producers are not meeting agreements, the Railroad Commission was told in a hearing last week.

The Commission is studying a possibility of setting priorities for gas distribution when there is short supply.

One pipeline company claimed a chief supplier delivered little more than half the gas it agreed to provide. A company spokesman suggested homes and schools get first priority on the gas supply available, with second priority allocated to generation of electricity for domestic consumers.

HORSE RACING REVIVAL? -- A Senate committee is conducting a survey, results of which admittedly may be used to bolster a new drive for pari-mutuel horse race betting.

The Senate Horse Racing Study Committee sent out 5,000 questionnaires to assess the horse industry and its economic impact on Texas.

Among questions asked of the horse owners and riding equipment suppliers is whether pari-mutuel wagering would expand their operations and how local lawmakers would vote on the issue.

The Committee vice-chairman said results of the survey "could be used to build an economic case" for wagering on horse races. A meeting of the panel is slated here December 14 to hear opponents of racing and pari-mutuel gambling and to receive a report on potential state revenue from legalized wagering. Committee heads said a constitutional amendment would be necessary to revive pari-mutuel betting on the races.

HOW TO PICK UP \$5 MILLION -- Texas could gain \$5 million a year in delinquent sales taxes by changing collection procedures in the comptroller's office, a Senate interim study committee has been told.

Actually, an Illinois tax expert estimated, the state could collect \$8 million more each year, but hiring of an additional 200 state sales tax auditors would take about \$3 million of the gain.

An attorney general's representative said Attorney General Martin wants to require Texas businesses to post bond to insure payment of the sales tax they collect.

POLLUTION MONEY MAY BE LOST -- Texas may get on-

ly half of the federal funds it counted on to help build new sewage treatment plants, State Water Quality Board Chairman Gordon Fulcher stated.

A new federal act, said Fulcher, would cut Texas' allocation to \$55.4 million for fiscal 1973 for treatment plant aid, as compared with \$106.3 million for fiscal 1972.

Fulcher said the loss would "hurt a whole lot of cities and towns in the state," particularly smaller communities which depended on federal help (up to 75 per cent) to finance the plants.

SHORT SNORTS -- Atty. Gen. Elect John Hill has pledged to head up a "strike force" of lawyers to fight organized crime in Texas.

The State Bar came up with a plan for prepaid legal services. A seven-months' survey has been initiated by the U.S. Department of Agriculture to detect citrus blackfly infestations in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

Parks and Wildlife Department has ordered an exhaustive study of Mustang Island in preparation for developing the site as a new state park.

A consumer protection study committee of the state Senate heard a plea for new laws to protect tenants from unscrupulous landlords who refuse to refund security deposits or make needed repairs.

Morris Webb of Waco has been named to the state advisory council for technical-vocational education.

Gov. Preston Smith plans to make about 50 appointments to offices before his term expires.

An El Paso representative-elect will introduce a bill to protect the confidential nature

The stately ship is seen no more,
The fragile skiff attains the shore;
And while the great and wise decay,
And all their trophies pass away,
Some sudden thought, some careless rhyme,
Still floats above the wrecks of Time.
— William Edward Hartpole Lecky

Life is a mystery as deep as ever death can be; yet, oh how dear it is to us, this life we live and see!
— Mary Mapes Dodge.

The play is done; the curtain drops,
Slow falling to the prompter's bell
A moment yet the actor stops
And looks around to say farewell.

All that tread the globe are but a handful to the tribes that slumber in its bosom.
— William Cullen Bryant.

Oh stay! oh stay!
Joy so seldom weaves a chain
Like this to-night, that oh 't is pain
To break its links so soon.
— Thomas Moore.

The brightest blades grow dim with rust, the fairest meadow white with snow.
— Oliver Wendell Holmes.

So when some dear joy loses
Its beauteous summer glow,
Think how the roots of roses
Are kept alive in the snow.
— Alice Cary.

CROSSROADS REPORT

Dear Editor:

I see where the U.S. Postal Service has been wanting to raise the price on letter mail above the measly 8-cent rate, but the public howl has daunted them.

A crafty campaign to get everybody to put the 11-cent Air Mail stamps on all of their letters apparently didn't accomplish its purpose.

So now it seems the USPSers are giving 8-cent first class mail a new CS (for cheap skate) class that goes by ox cart or something and to get better than 10-day service on a letter we had better put the other 3 cents on it.

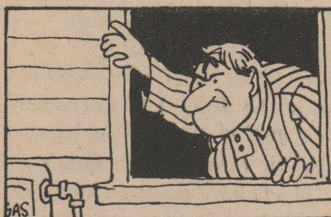
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An old-timer is one who recalls when the Old Man couldn't possibly get back from a coast-to-coast business trip in less than four days.

Other Editors Say . . .

More Secret Seessions

Despite a new law designed to give the public a better look at Capitol Hill proceedings, the United States Congress is holding more secret sessions than ever before.

The so-called Legislative Reorganization Act is proving to be a farce. Public business should be conducted in public. But congressional committees ignore that imperative.

In 1971, Senate committees conducted 30 per cent of their meetings behind closed doors. This year, when the new law became effective, 37 per cent of sessions were held in secret.

The House record is as bad. The figure there jumped from 41 to 44 percent.

What the House cannot possibly explain is that federal legislators who are concerned with matters where the nation's security may be in jeopardy should not open their deliberations to the view of the entire world.

However, how can the Senate Agriculture Committee justify holding 59 per cent of its meetings behind closed doors? Or why should 38 per cent of meetings concerned with veterans' affairs be held in secret?

The House Appropriations Committee, which counsels how the taxpayers' money is to be spent met in secret 92 per cent of the time. Why?

We would hope the next session of Congress takes time to study its own rules against legislating in secret.

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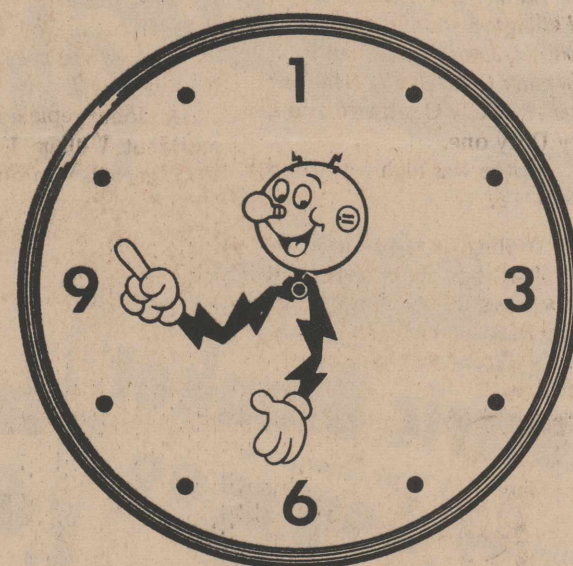
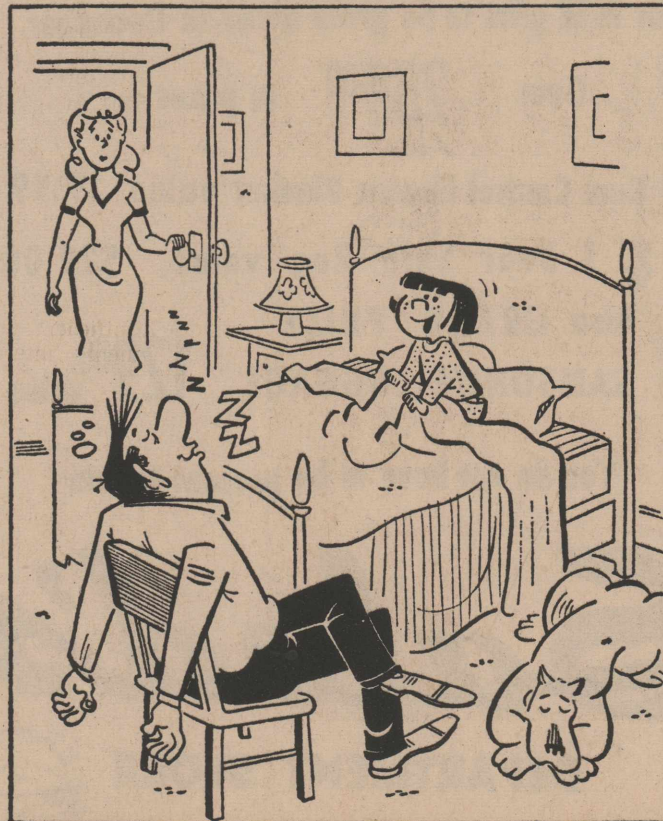
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B Team Boys Down Paducah

Wellington High School Boys B team defeated Paducah Dragon B 46 to 42 in an overtime period Thursday night, November 30, on the Paducah court.

The game was tied 42-42 at the end of regulation play. Edward Thomas picked up the first basket for the Rocket B, then George Brewer added the other as the buzzer sounded. At the same time, the Rocket defense held the Paducah boys to no points.

Wellington started off a little fast, but by the end of the first period, Paducah led 14-10. The Dragons led 27-19 at half-time and 33-28 at the third period, of this fast-paced game, in which the Rockets were working on their zone and full court press. The Dragons, recognizing this, began to come in behind the Wellington boys, and the Rockets went back to a 2-3 zone. They brought out their full court press again in the latter part of the game to tie it up.

Brewer and Thomas led Wellington scoring with 10 points, James Davis had 9, Sammy Gonzales 7, Neal Cochran, 5, Kelly Cook two and Larry Doty one.

Moore was high for Paducah with 19.

Wellington boys hit 35 per cent of their shots from the floor and 36 per cent of their free throws. Paducah scored only 22 per cent of the free throws.



DR. JOHN JONES

Jones Heads Medical Group

Installed as the new president of St. Anthony's medical and dental staffs during ceremonies Monday evening was Dr. John E. Jones of 6316 Elmhurst, an Amarillo pediatrician.

Dr. Jones, who has been chief of the pediatric section and a member of the executive committee, took office during the annual Christmas party for the medical and dental staffs hosted by the Board of Trustees and the sisters and St. Anthony's.

Dr. Jones replaced outgoing president, William J. Hegedus who specializes in obstetrics and gynecology.

A graduate of Baylor University College of Medicine in 1957, Dr. Jones served his internship at Jefferson Davis Hospital in Houston. He completed his residency program

LEADER READERS

Duane Campbell of Arlington, Sidney McGill of Odessa, Sharon and Lynn Pense of Yukon, Oklahoma, Aubrey A. Spear, Jr. of Follett, Curtis Bullington of El Reno, Oklahoma, Lyman Daniel, Collingsworth County Library, Rev. Ted Savage, W.F. Harbin, Mrs. S.L. Lindsey, Mrs. R.R. Crawley, Eddie Smith, Miss Noia Beeks, Mrs. C.S. Bearden, R.A. Williams, Mrs. J.F. Michael, Mrs. T.C. Fike, and Mrs. Dorothy Trimble of Wellington. Bill Depaue of Amarillo, Fred Venter and B.F. Chance of Shamrock, Jim Posey of Bethany, Darby Mercantile Company of Duke, Donald Johnson of San Antonio, Wm. A. Leach, of Nederland, Mrs.

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FOR SALE: Large 3 bedroom brick home with small acreage. Priced to sell. ALSO 2 bedroom home close in. Real Nice. C.E. Caldwell Real Estate. Office phone 447-2263; home 447-2157. 19-tfc

FOR SALE: 26" West Point, girl's bicycle, white with chrome fenders. Mrs. Dick Sweat. 19-1c

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDER OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—GREETING:

WHEREAS, on the 9th day of October 1972, Roy M. Horn and Wife Ruth Horn recovered in the District Court of Collingsworth County, a judgment against C. O. Caison for the sum of \$1,358.19 with interest thereon from the 9th day of October, 1972, at the rate of 10% per cent per annum and costs of suit; and whereas, the said judgment is a foreclosure of a Deed of Trust lien on the following described property, to-wit:

A parcel of land out of a 10 acre tract deeded from L. A. Manzer and wife, Pauline Manzer, to Roy M. Horn, described as being a part of Section 82 in Blk. 14 of the H&GN Ry. Co. Survey in Collingsworth County, Texas. BEGINNING in the North line of said Sec. 30 feet West from the NE Corner; THENCE South 300 feet for the NE corner of tract described; THENCE West for 330 feet to a point for the NW corner, THENCE South 220 feet to a point for the SW corner of the tract; THENCE East 330 feet along the North boundary line of land now owned by C. O. Caison to a point for the NE corner of this tract described; THENCE North 220 feet to the point of beginning and the NE corner of tract as said Deed of Trust lien existed on the 9th day of October, 1972 and it is ordered and decreed by said judgment that said property be sold as under execution in satisfaction of said judgment.

THEREFORE, you are hereby commanded that you proceed to seize and sell the above described property as under execution, and that you apply the proceeds to the payment and satisfaction of said sum of One thousand three hundred fifty-eight & 19/100 Dollars, together with the interest due thereon, and all costs of suit. And if the said property shall sell for more than sufficient to pay off and satisfy said sums of money, then you are hereby directed to pay over the excess thereof to the defendant.

If the property cannot be found, or the proceeds of such sale be insufficient to satisfy said judgment, interest and cost of suit and the further cost of executing this writ, then you are to make the money or any balance thereof remaining unpaid out of any other property subject to execution of the defendant, as in case of ordinary execution.

Herein Fail Not, but due return make hereof within 30 days, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of the District Court of Collingsworth County at my office in Wellington, the 14th day of November, 1972. Carmen Lindley, Clerk. District Court, Collingsworth County, Texas.

By Beth Adams, Deputy. [SEAL] 19-3c

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Cards of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks for the many kindnesses shown us and for the beautiful flowers the food and cards of sympathy sent by our many friends at the time of the death of our loved one.

May God bless each of you. The family of Mrs. A.F. Null

With deepest gratitude we extend this word of thanks to all those who were so thoughtful and kind to us at the passing of our loved one.

And to Dr. Holcomb, Jimmie and Gladys Kelso, and the nurses of the nursing home and hospital, we are truly grateful. May God bless each of you.

The family of Mrs. J.C. Hartman, Sr.

With grateful hearts we wish to extend our appreciation to those of you who expressed your sympathy in so many thoughtful ways during our recent bereavement. To all our friends who sent floral offerings, cards and memorials, we want to say thank you. A very special thanks to the ones who sang in the choir, Rev. James Boswell and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso. Your kindness will long be remembered.

The family of N.E. Willard

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—by Deskins Wells

THE BUILDINGS of The University of Texas, M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute are three times as large in floor space as they were when I came here as a patient for the first time in 1965. Now plans are underway to double the present size and capacity of this vast complex at a cost of \$39 million dollars of which \$33 million has already been secured.

ONE of these new buildings will be the Anderson Clinic which will have 11 floors and which will be 324,500 square feet in size. It will enable the Clinic to see or treat 1,200 patients a day. The present Clinic handles 600 patients a day in a space originally designed for 300.

THE LUTHERAN Hospital Pavilion will provide a new 350 bed addition to the hospital facilities. It will rise to a height of 14 floors and have an exterior harmonious with the exterior of the present buildings. The facade of these buildings is finished in a beautiful marble.

JUST what kind of marble is something I hope to find out before I return home. The receptionist in the Gimbell building said it was Florida marble. The receptionist in the hospital said it was Alabama marble and the driver of the bus that runs from the hotel to M.D. Anderson said it was West Virginia marble. I did not dispute any of the statements because I was not asking the questions, but somebody is wrong and a whole busload or two roomfuls of people have been misinformed.

THE SPLIT goose hunting season has ended and will not resume until December 9. The outdoor editor of the Houston Post, Stan Slater, thinks they may have a poor goose and duck season this year due to an anticipated severe winter that will drive them farther south. -- No, it is not warm in Houston all winter. Each time there was a snow in Wellington, there would be a cold spell in Houston. A stiff breeze, 100 per cent humidity or blowing mist and 40 degree temperature does not make a pleasant morning. And it can get cold enough to drive the geese south.

THEY have a lot of sandhill cranes in this part of Texas; but they can't hunt them. The reason is that it is too near the winter home of the whooping cranes and the Federal people don't want anyone making a mistake. There is a heavy fine for shooting any kind of crane. So the sportsmen here go on sandhill crane hunts near Lubbock. One hunter bagged a greater sandhill crane that measured 75 inches across the wings.

SANDHILL cranes are supposed to be better eating than geese. There are two kinds -- the greater sandhill crane and the smaller one, which the Federal regulations list as "little brown crane." That is an odd name since they are not little and they are not brown. Those cranes that hung out at Grover Graham's and other places in the neighborhood two years ago -- or was it three -- must have been the greater sandhill cranes. They looked plenty big in the air. I never saw them on the ground.

MR. AND MRS. Dan Guthrie and their daughter Melissa, came to M.D. Anderson the last of November. Melissa received a good report and they planned to start back home the same day. A hospital is not always the most cheerful place in the world; but it is pleasant to feel a touch on your arm and see a smiling face from home.

YES, it is true that a hospital is not always the most cheerful carefree place you know; but it is a place where you see more love showing through devoted eyes than you will ever behold in an airport, a hotel or any other public place. Sometimes it will be two parents and their afflicted child. Again it is a young husband



MRS. RITA OWENS

Mrs. Rita Owens On Wellington State Bank Staff

Mrs. Rita Owens began work Monday, December 4, in the bookkeeping department of Wellington State Bank, C.T. Hubbard, president, has announced.

Mrs. Owens resigned December 1 as Collingsworth County tax assessor-collector, closing out a 15-and-one-half year tenure as deputy and later assessor-collector. She was elected to the office in 1965.

She was reared at Quail and is the wife of Bill Owens. "We are happy to have Mrs. Owens join the staff," said Mr. Hubbard. Her experience and her knowledge of the people of the county will be valuable to us," Mr. Hubbard said.

#5—continued from page 1 criminal law system in which a child over the age of seven years could be put to death. There were numerous cases, said Mr. Watson, where young children below the age of 10 were put to death for minor offenses such as the theft of shoes.

Now a child is not considered an adult until the age of 17, and in juvenile court today, the child's rights are fully protected.

#3—continued from page 1 teams and an exceptionally strong boys team that won by a wide margin over us. We hope to at least play them a closer game, Coach Lacy said. The Rockettes have strength from several sources this year. Four of the six starters are now in their third year of starting together. Patti McAlister and Phyllis Sullivan came directly from Junior High to the varsity squad. Katy Sullivan and Janie Davis came onto the team as sophomores. This year Gwen Lewis and Ed Watkins have stepped into the starting positions of Mary Saied and Leigh Nall, who graduated. Both were top reserves on the varsity last year. The Skyrockets sole starter from last year's team is Bruce Oney.

Coach Lacy, however, has confidence that he is going to have another fine team that will be a strong contender for the district title. This is an honor that eluded the Rockets as long as they were in the district with the Childress Bobcats.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Savage was her son, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dillon of Deer Park.

holding his young wife in his arms as she stares unseeing at the dread of the unknown. And sometimes it is a sedate and composed elderly couple as he or she pushed the mate of many years in a wheel chair. Yes, there is a lot of love showing in a hospital -- be it a touch on the arm, the gentleness of a nurse or the efficiency of a doctor.

LIFE proceeded on an even course at M.D. Anderson last week; but events were more diversified at the hotel where I am staying. We did not have hot water all week except at unpredictable intervals. At times there would be no hot water and at other times there would be no water at all. Sunday brought a change. The plumbers had the water running under high pressure with cold water in the hot water taps in the lavatory and bathtub and steaming hot water flushing the commode.

Eighth Grade in Memphis Tourney

Wellington eighth grade basketball team will play in the Memphis Invitational Junior High tournament Thursday through Saturday, December 7 to 9.

Four teams are entered, and each will play the other three, round robin style, according to Coach Carroll Nunnelley.

Should there be a tie, the winner will be the one which tallied the largest number of points.

Wellington boys and girls will play Memphis seventh grade teams at 4:00 and 5:30 Thursday; Estelline at 4:00 and 5:30 Friday; and Memphis eighth grade at 11:30 and 1:00 p.m. Saturday.

"We are expecting a lot of competition with Memphis eighth grade," said Coach Nunnelley.

Wellington Eighth grade plays this year in the District 2-A Junior High District, which is divided into two zones. Wellington, McLean, Wheeler and Memphis are in the east zone, and Clarendon, Claude, Valley and Silvertown in the west zone.

The winners of each zone will play for the district championship during the week of February 3.

#2—continued from page 1 boys games, to begin at 2:00 p.m.

Games in the championship bracket will follow immediately afterward on Friday afternoon.

At 3:30, winners of the Hedley-Paducah girls game will meet the winners of the Memphis-Quail game. The 5:30 game will be from the winners of the Paducah-Samnorwood and Quail-Quannah boys game; at 7:00 p.m. the winners of the Wellington-Shamrock and Samnorwood-Clarendon girls games will meet, and at 8:30 p.m., the winners of the Shamrock-Memphis and Wellington-Clarendon boys games.

The losers of these games will meet to determine third place winner, with the boys playing sometime between 5:30 and 10:00 p.m. Friday and the girls at 3:30 Saturday.

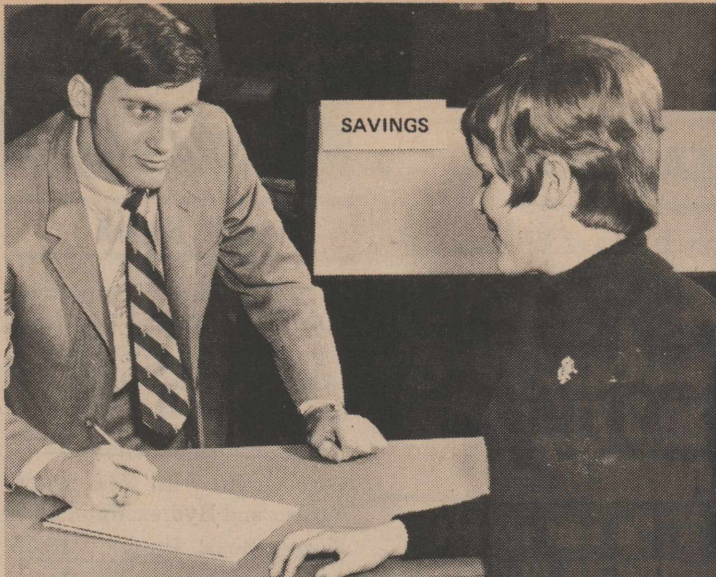
Girls consolation finals will be played at 12:30 Saturday and the boys consolation finals at 2:00 p.m.

The championship finals will come Saturday night, with the girls starting at 7:00 p.m. and the boys at 8:30.

Mr. Lacy said that officials will come from the Amarillo Chapter of the Southwest Basketball Officials Association and will include John Fustin, Ernest McNabb, Wayne Bagley and Sherman Stockton.

Mrs. Bill Wilson and Mrs. P.M. Scott will be the official scorekeepers and Charles Floyd the official clock keeper. Mr. Lacy is tournament director, assisted by Coach L.B. Guesby and Athletic Director Jim Forrester.

Mr. and Mrs. Les White had as their guests over the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Alfred White, their son, of Amarillo and their grandson, Bill White of Plainview.



4-H helps young people acquire traits that will be useful in their later lives. The ability to manage one's own affairs, is an important part of the growing up process. 4-H'ers in the 4-H home management program, sponsored by Tupperware Home Parties, learn how to manage their personal lives in constructive and meaningful ways. Over 100,000 young people are enrolled in the program, which is supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Sanford at Insurance Meet

Jack Sanford, a co-owner of Wells & Wells Insurance, was in Austin recently to attend a meeting of the Texas Association of Insurance Agents.

In a meeting with the State Insurance Board, they recommended a downward revision of fire, extended and home-owner insurance rates.

Between 500 and 600 independent insurance agents from throughout the state attended. Going with Mr. Sanford were Dick Preston of Childress and Lester Campbell of Memphis.

#4—continued from page 1 for those who work downtown and for others already in the Christmas season," said Mrs. King.

Four hundred tickets are available, Mrs. Glenn said, as she reminded that early purchase is necessary in order to assure getting them. The number of turkeys will provide generous servings for even the most enthusiastic turkey lovers.

Mrs. Pearl Aaron is in overall charge, but all women of the church join in preparing the various dishes to complement the turkey and in decorating the tables.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. O.V. Johnson over the Thanksgiving holidays were her father, J.R. Berryman of Matador and their son, Barry Johnson, a student in Baylor University, Waco.

Here during the week end were Mrs. Vernon Ratzlow of Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Dickens and son, Wayne, of Big Spring. They were guests of their brothers, Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan and Phyllis, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan, Katie and Lucy.

Holiday visitors in the homes of Mrs. J.L. Burt and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ford were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brinson, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Brinson, Brooks, Boyd, and Branch of Fritch and Mrs. Maggie Johnson of Borger. Mrs. Roy Brinson remained for a longer visit with her mother, Mrs. Burt.

Emmert's Hold Revival Series

The Rev. and Mrs. Ervin Emmert have returned from Atoka, Oklahoma, where they held a week end revival at the Church of the Nazarene.

The couple, now in full time evangelistic work, moved here with their son, Steve, from Elkhart, Kansas, in September.

Wellington is their headquarters and Steve is attending high school here as a sophomore.

Recently they have been in revivals at Smith Center, Kansas, Colorado Springs, Scott City, Kansas, Borger, and Hollis.

They have an older son, Lynn, who is attending school in Bethany, Oklahoma.

Rev. Emmert is the son of Mrs. Ike Emmert and the late Mr. Emmert.

#1—continued from page 1 and Mrs. Otis Emmert, Mr. and Mrs. John Eron Forbis, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Hubbard, and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Howell. Unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones.

Other special guests were Wellington's doctors and dentists, Dr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Jones, Dr. and Mrs. Carter Holcomb and Dr. and Mrs. J.M. Orr, along with their office staff members.

Entertainment was by the Singing Sweethearts of Hedley, a group of 7-pre-teen boys and girls who sing under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Don Springer.

Their numbers included Christmas songs, country and western ballads, rock and

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roll and gospel hymns.

Those who registered were Mr. and Mrs. Payton Mallard, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Langford,

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Miss Myrna de Venecia, Miss Rebecca R. Reyes, Miss Louella R. Cabel, Miss Lilian P. Quimbao, Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Defoor, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. John Eron Forbis, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Needham,

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Terripleton, Mrs. J.M. Wells, Mrs. Lorraine Parker, Miss Virginia Robey, Dr. and Mrs. Holcomb, Mrs. Gracie White, Mrs. Carmen Lindley, Mr. and Mrs. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Garner Altom,

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Darter, The Reverend and Mrs. Elbert Shumaker of Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Dr. and Mrs. Jones, Dr. and Mrs. Orr, Mrs. Ella Mae Jones, Noel A. Overton, Miss Alice Romo, Paul Gollighugh,

The Rev. and Mrs. Porfirio Mejia, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Hunnicutt, Mrs. Lucy Meadows, Miss Mary Young, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Roberts, Miss Janie Davis, Jay Thomas, Mrs. Mary Ruth Davis, Mr. Larry Tennon, Mrs. Charlotte Cleveland and Mrs. Barbara Daves, and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Jones of Pampa.

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