



On The BEAM

By J. W. King, Sr.

Loraine has an organization that every citizen can be justly proud of, the Volunteer Fire Department.

Members of this organization serve both the town and rural area virtually without pay. They are always ready to go when the fire alarm sounds whether it is in the wee hours of the morning or the middle of the day. Whether it is hot or cold, fair or raining, firemen answer the call for help.

Because of the firemen and the splendid equipment they have Loraine property owners are saved a considerable sum in the insurance to say nothing of the peace of mind afforded by the protection given from fire. Our hats are off to the men who have the welfare of their home town at heart enough to serve as firemen.

Speaking of having the welfare of the town at heart... there are a lot of people who should think of the welfare of their home town when they go to spend their money for merchandise of any kind. After all the money you spend in Loraine is the money that provides a well equipped fire department, paved streets, water, sewer, etc. The money you spend in other towns is money that helps provide those things for those towns.

CEMETERY FUND

Donations to the Loraine cemetery fund the past week included Mrs. A. F. Wilcox of Wasco, California \$5.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Troy Jones entertained with a dinner at noon Sunday complimenting Troy on his birthday.

Present for the dinner were Billy Long of Tarleton State College, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bob Long and daughters, Sherri Kay and Terry Sue of Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sisson, Abilene, Mrs. W. J. Jones and Mrs. Cora Hall, Sherri Kay and Terry Sue were weekend guests.

ATHENEUM CLUB HISTORY

By Club Historian Mrs. W. Pratt Atheneum Club, year 1961-62 was an interesting and eventful year. Our being a new club, our course of study "Knowledge Today, abundant Living Tomorrow".

The year began with a salad luncheon at the home of Mrs. K. L. Taylor. New year books were presented by Mrs. Hubert Meadows. The President, Mrs. Burce Johnson, gave a talk which was both informative and inspirational.

Mrs. C. C. Thompson of Colorado City was a guest, and gave a short talk on "Enthusiasm and Activity for club work."

At our meeting on September 26, with Mrs. Joe Terry, we had the installation of officers by three members of the Self Culture Club of Colorado City.

The program on Education was given by Mrs. Floyd Coffee. She spoke on the subject "Do our School's Demand enough of our Children?"

Our program on Legislation was presented by Mrs. Lynn Compton and Mrs. J. W. King at the October 17th meeting.

Mrs. Bennett Scott of Colorado City, registered nurse, gave a most unusual and informative talk on "Cancer Research", on our November 7th program of Health and Safety.

Mrs. Thomas Riden gave a very interesting program on "The American Home", and showed colored slides on room decorations for the November 21st program.

The Christmas program was under the direction of Mrs. Hubert Meadows. She reviewed "Merry Christmas, Mr. Batchler", and also showed a film depicting an old fashioned Christmas in 1880.

Mrs. Lily Bennett and Mrs. K. L. Taylor presented our program on Jan. 2. Fine Arts was their program theme.

Mrs. T. C. Wilson and Mrs. R. K. Thornhill brought a program on "Conservation of Natural Resources", at our January 16th meeting.

We voted to join the County Federation of Clubs, and also to sponsor the "March of Dimes", at this meeting. Our special contribution finances are: Penny Art, Musical Penny, Care, and Headquarters Maintenance and endowment.

A highlight of the years programs, was having Miss Eudora Hawkins as guest speaker at our "Public Affairs" tea. Miss Hawkins helped us to realize that "Public Affairs" are "personal affairs" and how we need to be "Responsible, Responsive Citizens" because politics affects all phases of our lives.

Athenum Club momentarily reminisces. We step forward to a new year, with new ideas and hopes, and a determination that 1962-63 will be a better year.

Read in More Homes in The Loraine Territory Than Any Other Newspaper

The Mitchell County News

IN THE HEART OF MITCHELL COUNTY'S IRRIGATED FARM LAND

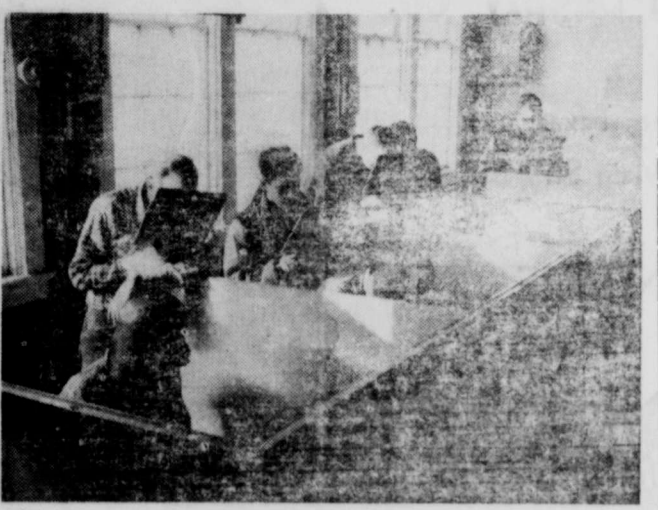
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Local Chapter Observes FFA Week



Shown in the above picture are Vocational Agriculture 2 students and sophomores in Loraine High School practicing in are welding using equipment in the agricultural shop. Welding is one of the many skills participated in by students enrolled in vocational agriculture.



Shown in the above picture are four vocational agriculture students, observing the recently completed 8' x 9' door for the vocational agriculture shop. Left to right are Stanley Moore, V. A. 2 student and FFA Chapter secretary; Don Redwine, V. A. 4 student and Chapter treasurer; Larry Blair, V. A. 4 student and Chapter President; and Johnny

FEBRUARY 17-24 IS NATIONAL F. F. A. WEEK
Future Farmers of America members throughout the nation are scheduling special activities to focus public attention on the work of their organization during FFA Week, February 17-24, 1962.

Locally, members of the Loraine FFA Chapter plan to inform the public of some of their activities at school each day of the vocational agriculture curriculum.

Membership in the FFA is made up of farm boys who are students of vocational agriculture in high school. The organization's activities are designed primarily to help develop rural leadership and good citizenship, and to stimulate the boys to better achievement in their study and work toward successful establishments in farming.

The Loraine FFA Chapter has 42 members. Officers are: Larry Blair, President; Linton Webb, Vice President; Stanley Moore, Secretary; Don Redwine, Treasurer; Jackie Narrell, Reporter; and Danny Cain, Sentinel.

The National Future Farmer organization has 380,000 members with 9,000 local chapters in the 50 States and Puerto Rico.

BETTER TRAINING FOR THE FUTURE

By the time this year's freshmen finish high school, there will be even fewer farms than there are now—far fewer farms than farm-minded boys. For many of them, there will be no farm to go to.

Whatever they do instead, they'll be better prepared for it, in Texas, than they might have been a few years ago. Texas high schools are giving emphasis to a new approach in vocational training for farm boys. It's aimed at preparing them better for jobs related to agriculture, as well as to the increasingly complicated and expert skill needed for farming itself. Even those who go into non-agricultural vocation will be

better prepared for it.

Mr. J. B. Cushing, Superintendent of Loraine Public Schools, states that, "Every school district charts its own vocational agriculture training. But a new Curriculum Guide by the Vocational Education division of the Texas Education Agency encourages each of the state's 1,048 vocational agriculture departments to adjust its training program to the new outlook. And every local school district is being urged to build and equip the best, most complete vo-ag shop possible."

"Part of the new emphasis will be on better training in agricultural science," according to Raydon Holt, Vocational Agriculture teacher in Loraine High, and "understanding more about plants, soils and animal nutrition, for example. It'll be training high school boys more nearly at the college level."

"We are strengthening our vocational program in accordance with the Curriculum Guide and doing various renovations to the shop and equipping the shop in order for each student to have a broad background in shop work," stated Mr. Cushing.

In many departments, farm shopwork will be getting the biggest push. Under the new Guide's plan, about a third of each student's vo-ag training time will be spent in shopwork. With better equipped shops, better trained vo-ag instructors and broadened programs in shopwork, that will be more specialized training, too.

The farm boy who has been through three (or four) years of voag training in a "typical" department now can expect to become highly skilled in metalworking, woodworking, farm electricity, farm mechanics and/or several other skills.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McGee of Slaton spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Neill and Mr. Neill.

Revel Phillips, accompanied by Earl Harris and Mrs. Ace Phillips of Colorado City, carried Revel Phillips to Dallas Saturday where she entered a Dallas hospital for treatment for her back.

Little Cassie Ruth DeVaney of Midland spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Cary.

Funeral Friday for Frank Beights

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at the First Methodist Church here for Frank W. Beights 72, who died at the Root Hospital in Colorado City Wednesday, Feb. 7. The pastor, Rev. Frank Story officiated assisted by the Rev. J. E. Shewbert of Cheyenne.

Mr. Beights was born in Asherville, Mo., August 19, 1889, and came with his parents the late, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Beights, and other members of the family to Loraine in 1906. He was a member of the First Methodist Church here.

He married Jewel Hildebrand in Loraine on March 9, 1913. She died Feb. 17, 1952. He married Geneva Miller in Weatherford on Sept. 23, 1957.

Surviving are his widow; three sons, Ira of Loraine, Voyd of San Diego, Calif., and Rex of Midland; two daughters, Mrs. Avlene Hallmark of Colorado City and Mrs. Ivan Bell of Abilene; two brothers, Dr. D. M. Beights of DeLand, Fla., and Roy Beights of Los Angeles, Calif.; four sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Hallmark of Midland, Mrs. W. R. McAfee of Colorado City, Mrs. Ruby Compton of Memphis, Texas and Mrs. Pearl Bruce of Loraine; 15 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were nephews; Ralston, Ronald, Byron, Cletus, Albert, Royce and Harvey Beights and Russell McAfee and also Bim Carlock and Atwood Sheffield.

VISITS IN MEXICO

Martin Garcia returned home last week from Monterey, Mexico where he spent several days on business. Martin said while he was in Monterey he saw a big demonstration against the Governor, so the people believed, had been dealing with communists.

Survivors include two nieces, Mrs. L. A. Colman of Wilcox, Mrs. Clark Taylor, Clyde; two nephews, Owen Nelson of Abilene and Maj. Allen Nelson, Jr., of Lubbock.

Pallbearers were: Joe Bennett, Frank Crowner, Kirk Taylor, Tommie Miles and Virgil Walker, H. E. Wallingsford.

Use Classified Ads

J.C. Hall Jr. Elected To Serve Again As Chief of Volunteer Fire Department

CLYDE BANKS BROTHER-IN-LAW BURIED TUESDAY

James Edward Holmes, 45, of 401 Idlewild Street, Midland, died at 5 p.m. Sunday in a Midland hospital of a heart seizure suffered earlier in the afternoon.

Mr. Holmes was brother-in-law of Clyde Banks of Loraine.

Funeral services were held at 9:30 Tuesday in the Bellview Baptist Church in Midland and burial was in the Trinity Memorial Park at Big Spring.

A native of Marengo County, Ala., Holmes moved to Midland in 1957 from Big Spring. He was active in church work and was president of a Bellview men's Sunday School Class.

Survivors include the widow, two sons, James C. Holmes and Larry Holmes both of Midland; a daughter, Mrs. Belinda Pyle of Bowie; the father, J. D. Holmes of DeLeon; five brothers and two sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Windell Banks and Mrs. Mrs. Jasper Doyle attended the funeral.

REVIVAL AT ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

The public is given a cordial invitation to attend the revival services at the Central Assembly of God Church located on 17th and Watson Street, Colorado City beginning Feb. 18, through Feb. 25.

The young evangelist who will be doing the preaching is the Rev. Bobby Compton of Amarillo. The pastor, Rev. L. G. Flowers invites the public to come out and hear Bobby during the weeks service.

REVEL PHILLIPS IN DALLAS HOSPITAL

R. H. Phillips, accompanied by Earl Harris and Mrs. Ace Phillips of Colorado City, carried Revel Phillips to Dallas Saturday where she entered a Dallas hospital for treatment for her back.

Mrs. Ace Phillips remained in Dallas with her niece.

Miss Lillie Nelson Dies Of Heart Attack

Funeral services for Miss Lillie Nelson, 80, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the First Methodist Church with the pastor, Rev. Frank Story officiating, assisted by the Rev. Murriel Abbott of Clyde.

Miss Nelson, a resident of Loraine since 1906 died about 1 p.m. Thursday in the Hendrick Memorial Hospital, apparently of a heart attack. She was carried to the hospital after falling at her home in Loraine early Tuesday morning and breaking her hip.

Lillie May Nelson, the last member of her family, was born August 15, 1881 in Travis County, near Austin. She moved to Loraine with her parents the late Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Nelson, one brother, Allen, and two sisters, in 1907. They moved to Loraine from Midland and established a General Merchandise business here which they operated until Mr. Nelson's death in 1932.

Miss Nelson assisted as sales girl in the dry goods department and added millinery to the business. In addition she took care of all long distance telephone calls coming into Loraine, as the local telephone exchange did not handle the long distance calls.

Miss Nelson operated her own millinery and later sold hats for a firm in Abilene. She worked for the late Loraine Mercantile firm from 1912-1917 in charge of the millinery department. She later worked for Levy Dry Goods, Sweetwater, Askins Dry Goods and the Fred B. Ison Dry Goods in Loraine until she retired in 1947.

Miss Nelson had been a member of the Methodist Church here for more than fifty years, she was one of the fifty year members recognized when the church held their 50th anniversary in March 1961.

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Members playing were Dr. and Mrs. John Hamblin, Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson, Messrs and Mmes Glen Coon, Jack Coffee, Hubert Thomas, B. W. Tarr, Henry Doss, Dips, coffee, Cokes, and jello pie were served.

NORTH LORAIN H. D. CLUB

Katrina Wells is to be sponsored as a candidate for the Tumbleweed Queen contest by the North Loraine Home Demonstration Club, as voted by the club which met in the home of Mrs. Frank Story on Wednesday February 7.

The meeting was opened with the club prayer led by Mrs. F. M. Richey. Roll call was answered with "What I would like most to change about my house". Minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. J. E. Price.

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Wedding Plans Told for Pauline Cornutt

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Pauline Cornutt to Hank Pitman of Big Spring has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cornutt.

Pitman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pitman, 1208 Turnpike St., North Andover, Massachusetts.

The couple plan a spring wedding in the home of the bride-elect's parents.

Miss Cornutt is a graduate of Loraine High School and attended Howard County Junior College in Big Spring, where she was a member of the Baptist Student Union and Lass-O Girl's Club. Before attending college, she was employed as society editor of the Colorado City Record.

Prospective bridegroom is a graduate of North Andover High School and is stationed at Webb Air Force Base in Big Spring with the 331st Fighting Squadron. He was formerly stationed at Amarillo Air Force Base.

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High School Seniors Hear Lamesa Pastor At Baptist W.M.U. Sponsored Banquet

Burial Here For Former Lorainian

Graveside rites were held here at 2:30 Saturday for Roy Hugh Swann 57, a former Loraine man. Mr. Swann died at 4:30 a.m. Thursday at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. He had lived in Abilene since 1952 where he was a carpenter until he retired last August after a heart attack.

He was born July 10, 1904 in Callahan County. He attended Loraine schools and married Elnor Buchanan in Las Cruces, N. M. Oct. 11, 1932.

He is survived by his wife, four daughters and three sons. He is also survived by four brothers, a sister and 10 grandchildren.

BAND TO PRESENT "POP" CONCERT

The Loraine High School Band, directed by Buck Hughs, will present a "Pop" Concert Thursday night, February 15, at 7:30 at the high school cafeteria.

Admission will be 10 and 25 cents.

SENIORS WILL SPONSOR COLONEL LARSON

The Loraine Senior Class will present Colonel Larson, All-American athlete, in an assembly program Tuesday, February 20, in the gymnasium. Prices are 25c for grades 1 thru 6 and 50c grades 7 thru 12.

Colonel Larson studied at Onarga Military Academy in Illinois, continuing at State Teachers College at River Falls, Wisconsin, where he received his Bachelor of Science Degree. His teaching career includes physics, chemistry, biology, physical education and coaching.

He was All-American star in Football and received national and all-state honors in Track, Basketball, and Baseball.

He conquered an attack of polio which left him confined to a wheel chair presumably for life with such hobbies as rope-twirling, whip-cracking, etc. His is a great story of courage and Colonel Larson is a splendid example of Americanism.

His work in experimenting in color genetics, hair pigment of mice producing such colors as red, lilac, blue, etc. brought him national fame in this field.

Cinematographer for National Newsreels filming such celebrities as Ex-president Truman, Roy Rogers, Gene Autry, Cecil B. DeMille, John Hopkins, the Picard Brothers, and many new events has given Colonel Larson a wide scope and understanding of world affairs.

Veteran of radio and television shows, Larson is also an author and writer, some of his subjects being treatises on "Tropical Fish", "Trick and Fancy Roping", and "People and their Hobbies".

RETURNS TO HOME IN WEATHERFORD

Mrs. Al Bodine returned to her home in Weatherford last week end and her mother, Mrs. D. E. Gunn accompanied her. Mrs. Bodine has been here some 18 months during the illness and death of her father.

Mrs. Gunn plans to visit several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Bodine.

FROM OUR FILES

Taken From The Files Of The News Of February 13, 1947

18 members of the Loraine FFA are entering 42 head of livestock and poultry in the Mitchell County 4-H and FFA Livestock Show in Colorado City on Feb. 17-18 and in Sweetwater, Feb. 20-21.

Boys entering stock and poultry are: Pat Maynard, Weldon McAdams, Charles Wood, Truman Boyd, Delmas Bowlin, Clayton Hughes, Deryl Bennett, Melvin Baumann, Otis Adrian, Ray-Hackfeld, Maurice Coldevey, Don Mathis, Weldon McCollum, James Stewart, Donald Gene Black, James Hallman, Donald Lee Graham.

Loraine Bulldogs defeated the Roscoe Plowboys again in basketball game here. Dell Johnson left Monday for Midland where she has accepted a position with Shell Oil Company.

Norma Lee Jean was introduced in the Loraine high school seniors.

Glenda Kay is the name given the baby daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. William Bowlin on Feb. 10.

Rex Beights of Hardin Simmons University spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonzo Dunnahoo entertained with three tables of 42 at the regular Game Club meeting.

2,220 citizens of Mitchell County bought poll tax this year according to Bruce Hart, tax assessor-collector.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, Mrs. Ruby Robertson and Mrs. Kenneth Day and son Wayne left Thursday for Mrs. Day's home in New Orleans, La. after she and Wayne had spent two weeks here with her parents.

Spell Quiz

Which of the following is spelled correctly?
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(Meaning deviation from a standard.)

See Page 2 for correct answer.

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Conception

You Sell The
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PRIZES

First Prize - - - 4 Piece Bedroom Suite
Second Prize - - - Knee Hole Desk
Third Prize - - - Presto Pressure Cooker
Fourth Prize - - - Service Cart
Fifth Prize - - - Table Lamp

Contest Ends Saturday 5:00 p. m., March 3, 1962

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Save 51.45

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Save 20.00

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137.50 foam Rubber Mattress set 89.50

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Veterans News

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. Is an insurance dividend now being paid by the VA to holders of Korea GI policies designated "RS"?

A. Yes, provided that the policies with the letters "RS" preceding the policy number are exchanged for permanent policies or lower-cost term policies bearing the letter "W" before the policy number. Policyholders have until September 13, 1963, to make this change and still qualify for the dividends. The nearest VA office can supply more details.

Q. Isn't the War Orphan Education program aimed at education at college level?

A. Not necessarily. While actual high school courses are not allowed, those eligible children of deceased veterans may take vocational subjects and other subjects of above high school standards that may help them in their vocational field.

Q. I have remarried and my present husband has adopted my daughter. Thus she is not an orphan. Since her father died from injuries sustained in World War II, is she entitled to training under the War Orphans Assistance program?

A. Yes, her eligibility is based on the fact that her parent died from service-connected causes. Subsequent adoption does not affect this original eligibility.

Q. I am a veteran who was discharged for a service-connected disability. Because of that, am I entitled to a special deadline date for a GI home loan?

A. Yes, Veterans discharged for service-connected disabilities are eligible for home loans until the maximum deadline, regardless of the time they left the service. This date is July 25, 1967, for World War II veterans and January 31, 1975, for Korea veterans.

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Today's MEDITATION

from The World's Most Widely Used Devotional Guide



The Upper Room

Read Romans 8:31-39

May, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us. (Romans 8:37) In our service for the Master, we are often too eager to see our accomplishments right away. Dwight L. Moody tells that one morning he was in his study, cast down because he could not see much fruit of his work.

One of his friends came in and sensed his gloom. He had studied the life of Noah, Moody replied, "No, I never studied his life particularly."

When the visitor left, Mr. Moody took down his Bible and read how Noah struggled and toiled for God many, many years, yet never got discouraged.

Moody said to himself, "Well, I ought not to be discouraged." The clouds lifted, and he could say:

National P.T.A. Reaches 65th Birthday With Glance Back, Plans for Future

An organization that devotes itself to children and their welfare reaches senior citizen status this February, with a schedule of further projects in behalf of children for the years ahead.

The National Congress of Parents and Teachers celebrates its 65th birthday on February 17, the anniversary of the "National Congress of Mothers" held in Washington, D. C., in 1897.

This session marked the beginning of the P.T.A. Its founding, by Alice McLellan Birney and Phoebe Apperson Hearst, will be observed this year by more than 47,500 parent-teacher associations throughout the U.S. and in communities of Americans living overseas.

Mrs. Clifford N. Jenkins, of Roslyn Heights, L.I., N.Y., president of the National Congress, calls the P.T.A. "a great social invention."

Like other inventions, she notes in her Founders Day anniversary message, "it was created out of need—the need of parents for more knowledge about children's health, growth, and development; the need for child labor laws and juvenile courts; the need for health and recreation facilities; the need to build broad highways of educational and vocational opportunities that might be traveled by all children and youth, not just the fortunate few."

Historic-minded P.T.A.'s across the country may mark the Founders Day observance with a glance back to the time of the first Congress. In the words of one historian for the National Congress, those were days "bustling with progress and growth..." but with educators "calling for increased appropriations to the public schools, more attention to teacher training, more practical curriculum, and greater consideration for handicapped children."

The time was ripe for reform—"especially for launching a movement directed toward the welfare of children."

Young Mrs. Birney and the philanthropic Mrs. Hearst sparked what was soon to become a nation-wide organization of which they are memorialized as Founders.

—Since that time, P.T.A.'s have continually directed their efforts toward:

—Establishing and supporting public kindergartens;—Promoting hot school lunch programs and supporting adequate appropriations for them;—Conducting parent-education workshops in all parts of the nation;—Sponsoring safety legislation

and programs of home and traffic safety education;

—Urging regular physical examinations for millions of children from birth through high school;

—Raising the standards of treatment for youthful offenders and helping establish juvenile courts for minors;

—Donating millions of dollars in scholarships for prospective teachers.

—Backing bond issues directed toward improving facilities for children's education and recreation.

Large as such achievements may seem, Mrs. Jenkins points out that "much remains to be done for children, in this changing world of 1963."

"Through the P.T.A.," she says, "we help alleviate the hardships and confusion that result from change, and we help to establish services to meet new needs."

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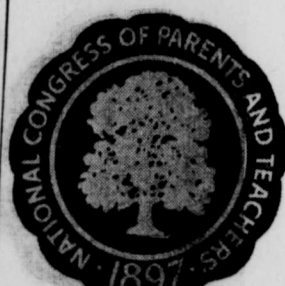
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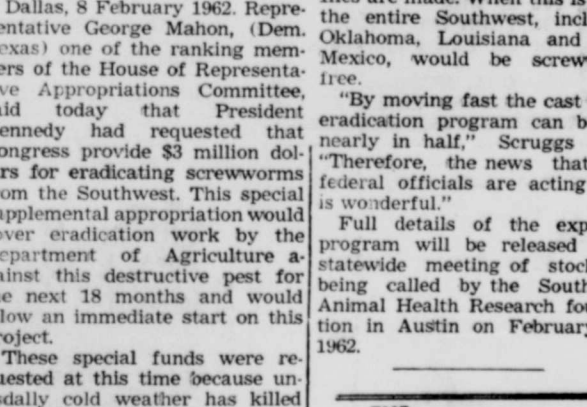
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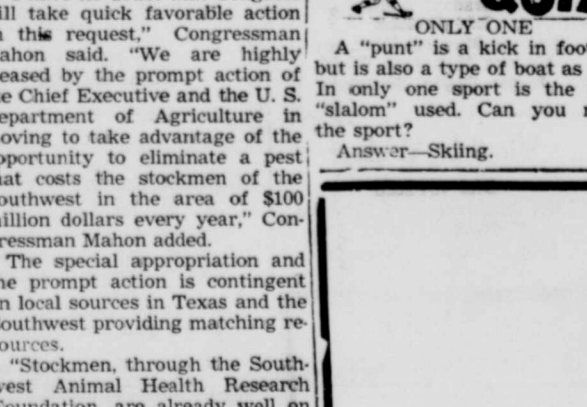
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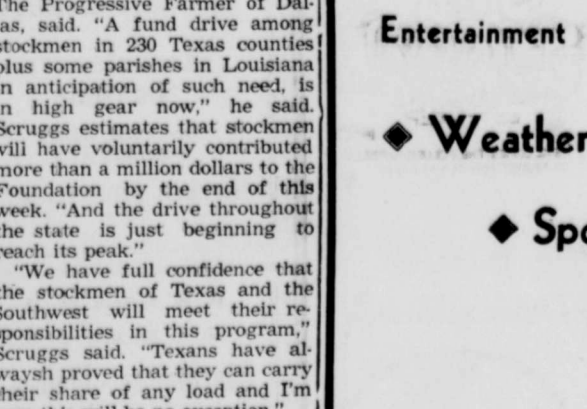
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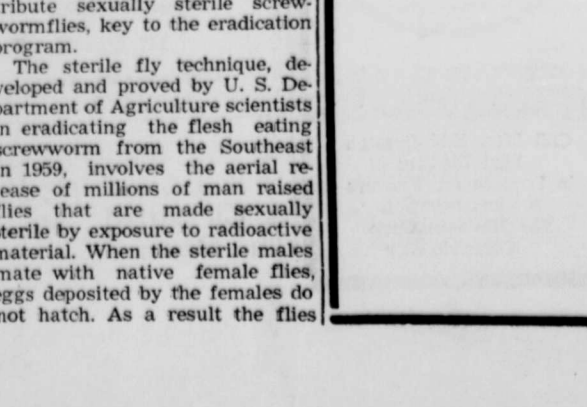
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Austin—The Texas Department of Public Safety reported today that major crime in Texas increased 2.2 per cent in 1961 over 1960, with an estimated total of 203,285 offenses for the year compared to 198,956 in 1960.

Murder and homicide was up 0.7 per cent, rape increased 5.7 per cent, robbery decreased 16.5 per cent, burglary was down 6.7 per cent, aggravated assault increased 0.3 per cent, theft increased eight per cent, and auto theft was down 0.8 per cent.

Murder and homicide was up from 1,080 to 1,088, rape was up from 1,196 to 1,264, robbery was down from 3,560 to 2,974, burglary was down from 56,976 to 53,149, aggravated assault was up from 12,128 to 12,166, theft was up from 108,869 to 117,619, and auto theft was down from 15,147 to 15,025.

"The totals for 1961 mean that one major crime was committed in Texas every three minutes, there was a murder every eight hours, a rape every seven hours, a robbery every 3 hours, a burglary every 10 minutes, an aggravated assault every 43 minutes, a theft every four and one-half minutes, and an auto theft every 35 minutes," Col. Homer Garrison Jr., DPS Director, said.

"They also indicate approximately a 60 per cent increase in major crimes in our State since 1955—an increase which far outstrips the population increase during this period."

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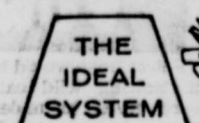
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By Vern Sanford

When a race horse starts too soon it is known as breaking the barrier. When a track man gets in a hurry he jumps the gun. When an ammunition maker moves out ahead of a gun manufacturer, it is a headache for just about everyone concerned. During the last two or three years there has been a tremendous craze for so-called magnum loads. These oversize loads have been around for a long time. But only recently have

hunters wanted to try them. When the magnum load was first developed, it was a 3-inch 12-gauge shotgun shell. It carried more shot than the regular high velocity loads. But being a 3-inch shell, it required a gun with a longer chamber. Then a new powder was developed and ammunition makers produced a magnum cartridge in a standard 2 1/4-inch length. Duck hunters began buying them and reaching for the moon. They could be used in almost any old shotgun.



Governor Price Daniel proclaims FFA Week in Texas, February 17-24. L-R are: James Morris, President, Texas FFA; Governor Daniel; Clemon Montgomery, Executive Secretary, Texas Association FFA.

If you could stand the kick you could shoot them. These overloaded hulls were a definite advantage to the not-too-good-shooter. They carried more shot. Hence they made a better killing pattern. Unfortunately, most hunters thought the magnum load was almost equal to a rifle for distance. But they soon learned different. In most instances they would kill five yards farther, but mainly because of the more efficient patterns resulting from more pellets.

Although the magnums were first loaded in the 12s, they are now being loaded in 20s, of course, there are 10-gauge magnums, too. But we'll pass over them because so few hunters own this type of cannon. Federal Cartridge Corporation now has a 3-inch 20-gauge magnum, loaded with 1 1/4-ounces of shot. This is compared with 3/4-ounce of shot in the original 20-gauge light load.

As shot loads are increased breech pressure also increases. This was a very important factor until a new slower burning powder was developed which did not increase the breech pressure. The rub, however, is that there

are not many guns around that will handle this 3-inch load. H. C. Russel, director of sales for Federal, shoots them in a Model-21 Winchester, which no longer is made except on special order at \$1,000 each.

Col. Charles Askins of Fort Sam Houston shoots them in a rechambered over and under Browning. The lowest price of this gun is \$260 retail. Because they are 1/4-inch longer than the standard high-velocity cartridge, they cannot be chambered in the regular pump or automatic.

Sheldon Smith, president of Ithaca, says "the Model-37 is NOT designed for that one, nor is it chambered for it and that load should not be utilized in our Model-37."

Since Marlin produces a double ou gun we asked Lawrence Ferguson about rechambering for the 3-inch shell.

He says "the Marlin Model-90 cannot be chambered for the magnum 3-inch shells. It is chambered only for the 2 1/4-inch shells. It would be dangerous to attempt using a magnum in the 90."

Incidentally, he also said that it would not be practical to build a 41-magnum on the present Model-90 in the 410 frame. Savage, which produces the Stevens and Fox doubles, says its guns should not be rechambered.

The first 12-gauge magnum ever developed was for a Fox gun many years ago. This gun however, was specially bored for the heavier load.

Matador, the Spanish shotgun, is made in a double barreled model that is chambered for the 3-inch 20-gauge. It sells for \$169. Most recent magnum 20-gauge entry is a Remington Model-570 pump selling for around \$100 to \$160.

Stevens also produces a repeater which will handle the 3-inch 20-gauge magnum shell, selling for about \$80.

Shooters who have tried the 3-inch cartridge on ducks, geese and doves, say they will perform along with the 12-gauge standard loads.

Price-wise the 20-gauge magnum with 3/4 drams of powder and 1 1/4-ounces of shot is listed to sell retail for \$3.40. This is exactly the same price of the 12-gauge high power load with 3/4 drams of powder and 1 1/4-ounces of shot. The regular high-speed 20 lists at \$2.95.

In the medium brass shells, the 12-gauge lists at \$2.65 and the 20-gauge at \$2.40. In the target loads, the 12-gauge 2 1/4 drams with 1 1/4-ounce shot lists at \$2.80 and the 20-gauge with 2 1/4 drams and 7/8-ounce shot lists at \$2.30.

Since there is no doubt about the magnum giving cleaner kills, there is an advantage in them for the average shooter.

For the man who stretches his gun barrel, however, there will be little advantage. Game frequently is killed at ranges in excess of 60 yards, but they can not be considered as lucky shots. Consistent killing doesn't usually take place beyond 40 yards, or just about the depth of an ordinary city lot.

Actually, the lead you take may be the deciding factor in killing your game. It's a good idea to know what shell throws the best pattern in your gun and to stick with that shell, be it magnum or regular load.

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1962 FEED GRAIN SIGN-UP PERIOD SET

College Station-Producers who wish to comply with the 1962 feed grain program will sign up between February 5 and March 30, reports C. H. Bates, extension farm management specialist.

Provisions of the 1962 program are very similar to those for 1961. One change is that idle and fallow land for the years 1959 and 1960 will be considered in the soil conserving base for farms. This will give less flexibility in the use of land diverted from feed grains, explains Bates.

Payment rates for diverted acres will be in line with those for 1961 because support prices for feed grains have been set at identical levels. The rates are again based on the normal production of the farm times the county support rate. The minimum acreage reduction (from the 1959-60 base) is 20 percent, which will earn a payment based on 50 percent of the local support price. For diversion of between 20 and 40 percent the payment will be figured at 60 percent of the local support price.

Barley, which was not included in last year's program because of late passage of legislation, is included in the 1962 program. A producer having barley plus grain sorghum or corn can participate in barley reduction independent of the other crops. If he wishes to comply on barley alone, however, he must stay within his 1959-60 base on corn and grain sorghum if he wants to receive price supports. On the other hand, if he wishes to comply on the corn and grain sorghum he must not exceed his base acreage for barley.

Cooperating farmers will be eligible for price supports on their 1962 crops of corn, grain sorghum, barley, oats and rye, subject to the base yield limitations, Bates continues. Also, they are permitted to draw one-half of their total diversion payment at the time of their sign-up.

Non-cooperating producers will not be eligible for price supports on feed grains, but they will receive the market price for them. Since no acreage will be diverted they will not receive payment for any additional conservation use.

Grain producers should study carefully their individual alternatives in these programs. Decisions should rest on the estimated outcome for each operator, based on the goals he is seeking, says Bates.

Producers having questions about the effects of varying levels of compliance on their 1962 operations should contact their local County ASCS office manager or their local county agent.

MITCHELL COUNTY HAS GOOD TRAFFIC RECORD FOR THREE YEARS

Mitchell County has an amazing traffic accident record over the past three years, reports Sgt. B. J. Butler of the Texas Highway Patrol in Sweetwater.

In 1959, 1960 and 1961 there were only 2 fatal rural traffic accidents in Mitchell County with 2 persons killed.

There was a slight increase in personal injury accidents in 1961 over 1960, Butler said, with 43 persons injured in 26 accidents as compared with 34 persons injured in 22 accidents in 1960. However, there was a decrease in property damage accidents with 44 accidents causing a property loss of \$46,970 in 1961 as compared with 51 accidents causing property loss of \$60,615 in 1960.

In the ten-year period 1952 through 1961, Mitchell County had 41 fatal accidents with 54 persons killed; 253 personal injury accidents with 409 persons injured; and 465 property damage accidents with a property loss of \$679,539.

Sgt. Butler credits the good record of the past three years to a stepped up enforcement program by local highway patrolmen Buddy Hertenberger and Windell Rehm and to an increasing awareness of the seriousness of our motor vehicle traffic problem by the people of Mitchell County.

HALE COUNTY TESTS PROVE VALUE OF SOIL TEST

College Station, Feb. 5-Result demonstrations in Hale county have shown the value of a soil test in determining fertilizer need. The demonstrations were conducted by Charles Cyfert, associate county agent, together with farmer cooperators in the county.

On the Charles Bucy farm, the soil test recommendation called for 60 pounds of nitrogen and 30 pounds of phosphorus as P2O5. Mr. Bucy's crop yielded 602 pounds of lint per acre without fertilizer. With the application of 60 pounds of nitrogen, the yield was 678 pounds per acre. The 60-30-0 rate increased the yield to 731 pounds of lint per acre.

Cyfert points out that in both of these cases the application of a soil test recommended rate returned the greatest net profit per acre. This is typical of the results that farmers are obtaining by using soil tests to determine fertilizer needs. Have you had your soil tested?

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Saturday 7 p. m.
Sunday 10 a. m. and 7 p. m.

COMPANION S. S. CLASS

Mrs. Walter Teeters and Mrs. T. M. Ingram were co-hostesses at the February meeting of the Companion S. S. Class of the First Baptist Church in the Teeters home Thursday afternoon.

What a Friend we Have in Jesus was the opening song and Mrs. O. C. Lucas led in prayer. Mrs. J. C. Hall presided over the meeting, and Mrs. L. E. Crutcher brought the devotional reading Psalm 32:5 with her talk on the subject, "Our Need for Forgiveness."

Mrs. Teeters was elected assistant teacher of the class during the absence of Mrs. R. K. Thornhill. The class voted to send Valentines to shut-ins and also voted to pack a box for the Orphans Home at the next meeting which will be hosted by Mrs. Crutcher and Mrs. Bessie Mahoney.

In closing the song Bless the Tie that Binds was sung by the group.

Hostesses served refreshments of Ritz cheese sandwiches, cookies, coffee and Cokes to Mmes: W. C. Rogers, O. C. Lucas, W. C. Hook, Ed Shultz, Dottie Marshall, C. A. Land, W. H. Long, L. E. Crutcher.

BAPTIST W.M.U. CIRCLES

"The Catholic Plan for America," was the theme of the program when the Mae Taylor Circle of the Baptist W.M.U. met at the home of Mrs. Harvey Leach at 2 p. m. Monday.

Mrs. Leach was program leader and brought the Introduction. The group sang America in opening the program and after reading the Calendar of Prayer for the day, Mrs. Cullen Payne led in prayer.

Mrs. Leach read scriptures Mark 12:13-17 preceding the Introduction on the program theme.

Others giving parts on the program were Mmes: Dottie Marshall, Roy Baird, Hal Bennett, J. C. Hall and Woodrow Pratt. After prayer led by Mrs. Lucas, Mrs. Bennett read two letters from Miss Sarah Lou Henley, a former Loraine girl who is now missionary in Nigeria, Africa.

Mrs. Baird led in closing prayer and the hostess served cookies and lemonade to Mmes: J. C. Hall, Dottie Marshall, Woodrow Pratt, Hal Bennett, W. H. Long, O. C. Lucas, Della Claxton, Stella Ellington, Cullen Payne, Roy Baird.

The Willie Mae Kennedy Circle met with Mrs. Bernice Hallmark in the home of Mrs. Myrtle Martin at 2:30 Monday.

The meeting opened with group singing America and prayer led by Mrs. Walter Teeters.

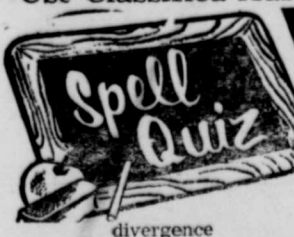
Mrs. J. W. King, circle chairman directed the short business session and Mrs. Edwin Hallmark read the secretary-treasurer report.

Mrs. Bernice Hallmark, program chairman led the discussion of the afternoon's program from the Royal Service magazine, on the subject "The Catholic Plan for America."

Others taking part on the program were Mmes: J. W. King, W. C. Rogers, Edwin Hallmark, and Teeters.

Cokes and cookies were served

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GLEANERS S. S. CLASS

The Gleaners S. S. Class of the First Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, Feb. 13, at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Joe Bennett co-hostesses.

The President, Mrs. Hamilton was in charge of the business. Mrs. Hugh Hallmark led in singing the class song, What a Friend we Have in Jesus and prayer was led by Mrs. W. W. Rowland.

Mrs. J. G. Bruce, Bible Study leader, brought the lesson from the book of Jude and Mrs. Marshall Bruce led in prayer after study.

The next Bible study will be the first and second chapter of Rev.

Mrs. T. C. Wilson read the report of the past two meetings.

During the social hour the birthday song was sung. C. M. Duke, Mrs. Hugh Hallmark and Mrs. Hamilton.

Mrs. Jim Johnson led in closing prayer and the hostesses served a Valentine plate to visitors Mrs. W. W. Rowland, Lubbock and Mrs. T. T. Boatler, and members, Mmes: Jim Johnson, C. M. Duke, T. C. Wilson, J. B. Mahon, Hugh Hallmark, Marshall Bruce, Floyd Richey, J. D. McDonald, C. T. Belights, Jo Marshall, J. G. Bruce, and Miss Annie Jarrett.

The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jim Johnson.

PRIMARY SUNBEAMS

The Primary Sunbeams of the First Baptist Church held their regular meeting Monday, Feb. 12, continuing the study of the mission book, A Kite for Billy Ching.

Valentine cookies and candy were served by Mrs. Donald Graham and Mrs. N. C. House to the following members: Belinda Sheff, Don Graham, Susan Comp-ton, Nancy Graham, Betty Graham, Lenora Mosher, Richard Claxton, Debbie Claxton, Debbie Claxton, Margaret Galvan, Mary Glenda Ellington, Cindy Hackfeld, Rhonda Sanford, Ricky Sanford, Donnie Lacey, Nola Mahoney, Doug Graham, Bennie Mosher, Jerry Graham, Tim Green, Gary Scarber, Mark Terry, Byron Byrne and one new member, Josie Martinez.

YOUTH FOR CHRIST

The Youth For Christ of the First Baptist Church met at 5 p. m. Sunday afternoon, February 11, for choir practice. Before practice, Loretta Tarrt led in prayer; plans for the Sweetheart Banquet were discussed. After rehearsal, refreshments were served to the 34 members attending.

Thomas Vest and Linton Webb led the procession into the auditorium. Sherry was Kellie Harlote, Byron Moore, Harold Preston, and Danny Tarrt. Beth Shepherd read the scripture, The Fruits of Life, Galatians 5:22-26. The choir sang a special, "When I See Christ" aided by Mr. and Mrs. Shep Compton.

The Youth For Christ meets for practice every Sunday afternoon at 5 in the church auditorium. Won't you-Juniors, Intermediates, and Young People-come and join the fun, fellowship and worship services? You will get a real blessing from it.

The Lord needs your voices, and we want your help!

W. S. C. S.

The weekly meeting of the W.S.C.S. of the First Methodist Church was held at the church at 9 a. m. Wednesday.

The meeting opened with group singing "Let the Lower Lights be Burning" and "Others". Mrs. J. D. McDonald brought the devotional reading Romans 12 and talking on the subject, Love and Brotherhood and closed with prayer.

Mrs. J. G. Bruce, study leader talked on Latin America as given in the first chapter of the study book, Land of Eternity, and Mrs. Frank Story told of the Frances DePaul's Home for Mexican girls in Hollywood, California, which is sponsored by the W.S.C.S.

Mrs. W. C. Jacobs led in closing prayer.

Others present were one visitor, Mrs. W. W. Rowland, Lubbock and Mmes: Harold Martin, Lily Bennett, Jim Johnson, Floyd Richey, Kirk Taylor, Willie Taylor, Jack Linam.

READY S. S. CLASS

Mrs. Gene Britton and Mrs. Joe Terry were co-hostesses at the February meeting of the Ready S. S. Class of the First Baptist Church Thursday night, in the Britton home.

Mrs. George Lee led in opening prayer and Mrs. Loyd Wiggins brought an interesting devotional on "A Christian's Testimony", reading scriptures on the subject and closed with giving the poem, "I Must go Shopping".

Mrs. E. J. Schroeder presided over the business meeting when the class voted to purchase a pair of sheets for a shut-in and to sponsor victrol and blue gifts for Mrs. Victor Galvan and baby.

Projects in the interest of the class were discussed and hostesses served ice box pie, coffee and hot chocolate to Mmes: George Mahoney, E. J. Schroeder, Herbert Mearse, Price Hall, Loyd Wiggins, Leroy Lucas, George Lee, B. W. Tarrt, Calvin Forbes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lecroy and children visited his brother and family in Tye Sunday.

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MRS. COMPTON HOST

WEDNESDAY CLUB

Mrs. Lynn Compton was host at three tables of 42 when she entertained at the regular Wednesday Club meeting last week. Guests were Mrs. J. H. Carlock and Mrs. W. C. Rogers.

Members playing were Mmes: W. I. Barron, T. F. Finley, M. A. Gann, Cora Hall, W. F. James, C. A. Land, J. D. McDonald, Wade Preston, Walter Teeters, Henry Riden, T. C. Wilson.

A refreshment plate of ritz sandwiches, potato chips, cookies and coffee was served.

JORETTA HALL CHOSEN

FOR TWO BAND

Joretta Hall, Loraine High School senior, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price Hall, has been selected as a member for the Texas Women's University high school band festival to be held at that University in Denton, February 23-24.

This is the sixth annual all-girl band festival sponsored at the University.

Girls will spend two days in rehearsal for a concert to be presented in the University auditorium at 8 p. m. Saturday, Feb. 24. Their parents and friends are invited to attend.

MRS. HENDRICK HOME

FROM SOUTH TEXAS VISIT

Mrs. G. W. Hendrick has returned to her home here after being in Corpus Christi since Nov. with a son and daughter and families, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hendrick and Mr. and Mrs. Cledie Hall.

Mrs. Hall brought her home Tuesday and another daughter, Mrs. Robert B. Miller, an six year old son Christopher came in Wednesday from Poughkeepsie, N. Y. for a visit through February. Chris who is attending his first year in public school enrolled in school here Monday to attend while they are here.

Mrs. Hall returned to her home in Corpus Christi Sunday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cook and Mrs. Ruby Robertson Friday were Wade Robertson and friend, Mr. Finley from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Davidson of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hall and Donna of Stanton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Price Sunday. Visiting in their home Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Price of Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rowland of Lubbock spent the week here with her sister, Mrs. Jim Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis spent Monday and Tuesday in Ackerly with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Gibson.

Roy Beights left for his home in Los Angeles, California and Voyd Beights left for his home in San Diego, California Saturday after being here to attend the funeral of their brother and father, Frank Beights.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Mitchell County News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic Primary in May, 1962.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE: Elmer Martin (Re-election)

COUNTY CLERK: Gilbert R. Leach (Re-election)

COMMISSIONER PREC. 4: C. E. (Jack) Walker (Re-election)

FOR DISTRICT CLERK: J. M. Templeton (Re-election)

FOR STATE SENATOR: 24th Senatorial District: David Ratliff (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER: Mrs. Eula McClure (Re-election)

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE: 80th District: Max Carriker (Re-election)

Van Baucum

IN GAINESVILLE

WITH MOTTER

Suplt. and Mrs. J. B. Cushing. Sandra and Joe returned home Tuesday after being in Gainesville during the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Claud Hatcher who had major surgery on Wednesday.

Mrs. Hatcher stood the operation fine and her condition was reported good until Sunday when she developed a heart complication which caused her condition to be grave for a two day period. They are hopeful now for a rapid recovery.

While in Gainesville they also visited Mrs. Cushing's mother, Mrs. Beulah Nugent.

BUYS L. G. BAKER BUSINESS

James Hallmark purchased the stock and fixtures of the L. G. Baker business on main street this week and will move his photography equipment there and be open for business in the near future.

Mr. Baker has done picture framing and other such work there and also has had a full stock of variety goods, electrical appliances, and gift line.

He put all his stock at a greatly reduced price before the Christmas holidays, then he became ill and has not been able to return to the business.

James plans to operate his photo studio in connection with the other work and business.

ATTEND RITES OF FRANK BEIGHTS

Relatives from out of town here to attend the funeral of Frank Beights Friday were Mrs. Walter Rose, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Sanders, Mrs. Ira Mae Beights, Abilene, Mrs. Lela Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Von Gibbs, Rowden, Texas; Mrs. Berta Beights, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Landfried, Roscoe; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays and baby, Spearman; Mrs. Leonard Hallman, Mrs. Joe Whorley, Coahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Casey, Fort Stockton; Mrs. Russell McAfee, Van Horn; Mrs. C. H. Compton, Memphis; Mr. Roy Beights, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Dolf Richard Winters; Mrs. F. L. Curtis and baby, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Beights, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGaughey, Mrs. A. L. Hallman, Mr. G. E. Hallman, Rev. Cletus Beights, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hallmark, Mrs. J. C. Carrithers and daughter, Big Spring.

Friends attending from out of town were from Hermleigh, Roscoe, Abilene and Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Linam and baby daughter, Jill of Midland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linam.

Mr. and Mrs. Armon Shultz of Richardson visited Mrs. Ed Shultz Sunday as they were enroute to El Paso. They visited here a short time Thursday and Mrs. Shultz returned with them for a ten days visit in their home and with another son, Leo and family in Dallas. Others visiting Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Collett of Roscoe and daughter, Mrs. Mary Houghton of Tucson, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Bullard of Lamesa spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint McCollum.

Hospital Notes

Admitted: Rachel Garret, Colorado City; Artie Lee Griffin, Clyde Linam, Mrs. Weldon Bosworth, McArthur, Griffin, Mrs. Cecilio Garcia, Mrs. Murry Carpenter, Antonio Garcia, Mrs. Olen Mayes, Mrs. Lorenzo Gutierrez, Mrs. N. J. Brans, Mrs. Etta Williams, Mrs. Rosendo Dela Paz Loraine, Mrs. Bobby Bentle, Sweetwater.

Born to: Mr. and Mrs. Donley McKee, Colorado City, a boy, Feb. 7; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Bosworth, Colorado City, a son, Feb. 8; Mr. and Mrs. Cecilio Garcia, Hermleigh, a son, Feb. 10; Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Gutierrez, Colorado City, a girl, Feb. 12.

Dismissed: Mrs. Thomas Wise, Mrs. R. J. Hale, Mrs. Glen McIntire and baby, Doroteo Anzalova, Mrs. Ross Marshall, Mrs. Mary Arenas, David Hestand, Mrs. Donley McKee and baby, Joe Reed, Mrs. Weldon Bosworth and baby, Alfred Cooper, Rachel Garrett, McArthur Griffin, Mrs. Cecilio Garcia and baby, Artie Lee Griffin, Antonio Garcia, Mrs. Rosendo DeLa Paz, Mrs. Bobby Bentle, Mrs. Olen Mayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Land left Tuesday night for Midland, La. for a two week visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook of Maryneal and son and wife, First Lt. and Mrs. David Cook from San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cook Wednesday. Lt. Cook is being transferred from San Antonio to a base in Virginia.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Richey Sunday were a nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Clark and Danny of Abilene.

Mrs. J. M. Bruce, Mrs. John Clark and Mrs. Brown from Bonito attended the funeral of Mr. Frank Beights here Friday and visited in J. J. Land home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King were in Plainview Sunday to visit their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Anders, Mrs. T. P. Finley and Mrs. Della Claxton visited in the homes of Mrs. Alonzo Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Claxton in Sweetwater Sunday afternoon.

The Rev. Jim Uselton, Mr. Mike Stone and Miss Sylvia Telford, the group from McMurtry College, bringing the program at the First Methodist Church Sunday morning were dinner guests of Miss Katrina Wells. Rev. Uselton is from Hereford, Mr. Stone from Muleshoe and Miss Telford from Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Owen of Tarleton State College spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Owen and Mr. and Mrs. John White.

There is no guessing when you read it in the paper. If you fail to get the meaning the first time, you can read it again.

In 4-H Payoff

A young forester from Northeast Texas has returned from the 40th National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago.

Alan Dreesen, of Jefferson, celebrated his 17th birthday anniversary while attending the week-long congress on his expense-paid trip provided by

the American Forest Products Industries, Inc. The youth was one of 12 4-H'ers from different parts of the country to earn trips to the event through excellence in forestry.

More than 1,400 4-H'ers from every state took part in the congress, attending banquets, a pop concert, sightseeing, dancing, and getting a chance to make friends with youths from far off places.

Young Dreesen began his forestry work when he was 10—planting 1,000 pine seedlings on four acres of his parents' 221 acre farm in Marion county.

Since the first planting, he has put down 1,500 more seedlings while harvesting some of his first crop for pulp wood.

He credits 4-H training with his ability to prune and mark trees and for his plans to create fire lanes to protect, as he describes them, "nature's stationary giants."

One of four children, he is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilborn J. Dreesen.

In addition to winning his trip, Dreesen was given a matching pen and pencil set.

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Ground Beef Fresh Lean 2 lb .85
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Bacon lb .45
Pork Chop Fresh lean center cut lb .59
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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Compton and children of Midland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wheeler and Mrs. Lynn Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Treadway of Eastland and Rev. W. C. Ray of Haskell visited in the E. B. Hale home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Richardson and little daughters, Vickie Lynn and Brenda Sue of Lubbock spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Faulkner of Fort Stockton and Mrs. M. M. Page of Lubbock came in Friday and spent the weekend with their sister, Mrs. G. K. Baker. Mrs. Baker joined them Saturday and they visited their aunt, Mrs. Joe Alexander in Baird, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Preston and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Henderson visited their sister, Mrs. O. O. Hill in the Malone-Hogan hospital in Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Banks and Mr. and Mrs. Windell Banks spent the weekend in Crane with Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ray Finch and Clayton.

Gary Parnell of Tarleton State College spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson visited in the Dan Butler home Friday as they were enroute to their home in Abilene after spending the week in Fort Stockton and Lamesa.

C. W. Mahoney of Big Spring visited his mother, Mrs. Bessie Mahoney Thursday and she returned with him and visited until Monday.

Mrs. Alfred Richey returned home Wednesday after visiting since Christmas in Corpus Christi with a daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Horton and Johnny.

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HAYS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hays and baby of Spearman spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays and attended the funeral of her uncle, Frank Beights Friday. They went from here to Odessa where he will attend an Oil Company Driller course the next six weeks. Also spending the weekend here was another daughter, Treva Hays of Hardin Simmons University.

VISIT IN WINK, KERMIT

Mrs. Lester Webb went to Wink Sunday where she is visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Nix and while there she will consult an Odessa specialist for an allergy. She was accompanied by Mrs. M. D. Cheek who is visiting in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lee in Kermit.

SCHOOL MENU FEB. 19-23

Monday-Vegetable soup, cheese sandwiches, green salad, fruit cobbler, crackers, butter, milk.
Tuesday-Barbecue buns, buttered corn, pickles, onions, fruit jello, butter, bread, milk.

Wednesday-Meat loaf, buttered rice, green lima beans, vegetable salad, hot rolls, syrup, milk, butter.
Thursday-Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, buttered English peas, raisin sauce, sweet potatoes, milk, bread, butter.

Friday-Fish sticks, tartar sauce, creamed potatoes, cabbage-apple-raisin salad, grapefruit sections, bread, butter, milk.

VISIT MRS. HOWELL

Mrs. T. F. Finley and Mrs. Dottie Marshall visited Mrs. W. H. Howell in Abilene Friday.

Mrs. Howell, who moved from Loraine to Albany a few years ago to be near her daughter, became ill and was a patient in the Hendrick hospital before being carried to a private home at 835 N. 6th Street in Abilene where she is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Euel Coles of Iraan spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. S. H. Hart.

Stanley Martin and Barbara Mahon of Texas Tech spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Mahon.

Mrs. C. C. Reeder and Mrs. Theo Yarbrough of Weatherford were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Meadows and in the J. B. Mahon and C. H. Martin homes.

Mrs. Parks Bryant of Abilene spent from Wednesday until Monday with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Hock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton spent the weekend in Panhandle with a daughter and son-in-law, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smith.

These so-called "pep" foods may be all right. But in my opinion what we really need is breakfast cereal guaranteed in writing to give the children less and less energy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Robertson spent the weekend in Sand Springs with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Greenfield.

Rev. and Mrs. Monroe Teeters and children of Friendship spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Teeters.

ANNOUNCE ADOPTION OF SON
Mr. and Mrs. Chick Tiger of Fort Wingate, N. M. are announcing the adoption of a fifteen month old baby son named Chris. Mrs. Tiger is the former, Irma Hays, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays.

F. M. Casey returned to his home in Matador Friday after visiting since Wednesday with his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Riden and Mr. Riden.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord McCollum and children and her mother, Mrs. Ida Cantwell of Odessa spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clint McCollum. Others visiting were Mrs. Paul Terrell of Sweetwater and Mrs. Claude Willis and Mrs. D. F. Brians of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Robertson spent the weekend in Sand Springs with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Greenfield.

Harold Bennett and son Tom of Snyder visited his father, T. R. Bennett Sunday.

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SGT. FERGUSON AND FAMILY VISIT HERE

Sgt. and Mrs. Gaston S. Ferguson and son Leroy visited his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miles during the weekend as they were enroute from Fort Sill, Oklahoma to Fort Sam Houston to await overseas orders for Sgt. Ferguson.

At a party in his honor by officers at the base in Fort Sill just before leaving there a letter of commendation was read Sgt. Ferguson by officers of the base. The following is excerpts from the letter.

"Prior to your departure from Fort Sill, I wish to commend you for the outstanding manner in which you have performed your duties as NCOIC in Food Supply, U. S. Army Hospital, Fort Sill, Oklahoma. The efficient operation of the Hospital Food Service is largely dependent upon adequate control over the purchase, receipt, storage, issue, and utilization of food supplies. Your initiative and good judgment made it possible for you to work with a minimum of direct supervision. Your adaptability and willingness to try new methods and procedures have been invaluable in helping to mold a more efficient organization here. It did not take long for you to realize that a real need existed for a complete reorganization and expansion of the Food Supply Warehouse. You accepted this with a challenge to your ability and after many hours of hard, persevering work you had obtained dunnage which was needed and moved every food item and expanded the food supplies to more than double the size. . . . The letter closes with 'your dedication to duty and your practice of military courtesy have set an example for all military personnel in this section. The many off-duty hours that you spent in an immaculate preparation for the special mention by the Inspector General in the Command Inspection in 1960. The honesty and integrity which you have demonstrated in dealing with personnel and supplies have made you an outstanding member of the Food Service Division, U. S. Army Hospital, Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Your leaving will be indirectly felt by all members of this hospital."

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Mr. and Mrs. Arden Drake and son Rob of Tow, Texas, spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Caswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Nance and children Paul and Peggy of Midland spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Caswell.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the City Hall in Loraine, Texas, on Tuesday, April 2, 1962, for the purpose of electing two (2) aldermen for the City of Loraine.

Only qualified voters who reside within the city limits of Loraine, Texas, will be eligible to vote in the election.

All candidates for office in the City must be bona fide residents of the city and qualified voters in the State of Texas.

Candidates for the office must file his name with the City Secretary of Loraine, Texas, not later than 5 p. m. on March 20, 1962.

Ordered by the City Council of Loraine, Texas, at the regular meeting at the City Hall on February 5, 1962.

Bruce H. Johnson, Mayor

Homer Hart, City Secretary

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Mr. and Mrs. Jud Jean spent the weekend in Midland visiting in the homes of their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nunn and Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pruitt of Midland spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Forbus and Marilyn visited his sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jennings and in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeder and Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Lightfoot in Odessa Sunday.

Guests of Mrs. Stella Ellington and Glenda Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Webb of China Grove.

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lb **.49**

Hubert Thomas Food Store Dial 2279



Buccaneer Stamps



Ketchup Heinz 14 oz **.25**

Baby Food Heinz 6 jars **.69**

Vegetole Armour's 3 lb tin **.69**

Peaches Rose Dale No. 2 1-2Can **.25**

Apricots Forrest, pie gal. **.89**

Eng. Peas Kurer's Tender garden No. 303 **.19**

Purex Plastic Bottle 1-2 gal **.39**

Bleach Fleecy White qt. **.19**

Trend Liquid 12 oz 2 for **.59**

Trend 2 Box reg. **.39**

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1-4 Inch Sweeps

6 inch Sweep	1.05
8 inch Sweep	1.25
10 inch Sweep	1.45
12 inch Sweep	1.70
14 inch Sweep	2.20
16 inch Sweep	2.60
15 inch One Piece Buster	5.95

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Dial 734-2267
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"There's a way to do it better --find it"

Thomas A. Edison



The challenging words of Thomas A. Edison, whose birthday, February 11, opens National Electrical Week, are a constant reminder to seek new efficiencies that will help serve you better and make your electric service an even greater value.

The electric power systems of only a relatively few years ago cannot compare in efficiency with the electric generating, transmission and distribution systems of today.

Each new Texas Electric power generating plant, the power lines, and all of the many other facilities have been designed to take advantage of the advancing technological knowledge in the industry.

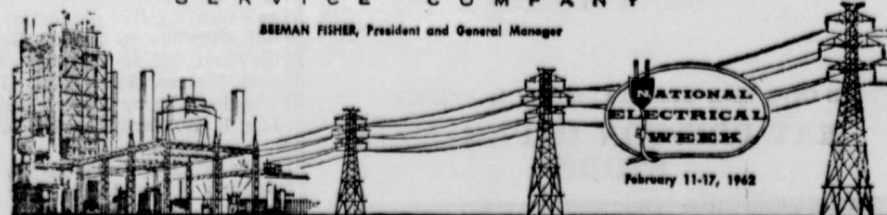
Texas Electric has pioneered in the construction of outdoor-type power plants which have made possible new efficiencies and economies in power

plant construction. A new steel-tower transmission line now under construction will ultimately carry more efficient, higher voltages than were possible just a few years ago.

Through research, such as participation in the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation, the company is looking to the future. You may be sure that Texas Electric will continue to seek the better way to keep electric service constant and dependable.

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