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Succeeds Deskins Wells

Dent Named to Red River Post

Judge Otha F. Dent of Austin has been appointed Red River Compact Commissioner for Texas by Governor Dolph Briscoe and will take the oath of office Friday, March 21.

He succeeds Deskins Wells, who was first appointed to the office by Gov. Preston Smith in 1972 and has continued to serve in that capacity under Governor Dolph Briscoe since January of 1973.

Judge Dent has long been active in the development and conservation of water in Texas having served as a member of the Texas Water Rights Commission under five different Governors. He was first appointed as a commissioner of TWRC by Gov. Allen Shivers and has served during the administrations of Governors Price Daniel, John Connally, Preston Smith and Dolph Briscoe.

Concerning the appointment, Deskins Wells said: "I know of no man who is better qualified to fill the important position of Red River Compact Commissioner for Texas. Judge Dent has a detailed knowledge of the Red River basin and the long and involved history of the compact negotiations between the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana as they sought to draft a compact that could be ratified by the Legislatures of the respective states and the Congress of the United States. He will bring valuable experience and a brilliant mind to his new work. I wish him every success and am pleased to be followed by a man of such proven ability."

Upon the completion of his term, Deskins Wells was commended by Gov. Dolph Briscoe in a letter in which he wrote: "The term of service which you have

rendered to the state as Red River Compact Commissioner for Texas stands as a monument to wise and capable public service. I want you to know how very proud I am of the contribution which you have made and extend to you the sincere thanks of all the people who have been well served by your tenure as Commissioner."

In replying to Wells' letter of congratulations, Judge Dent wrote: "I am somewhat hesitant to assume the task you have perfectly successfully performed in the past few years. It is my understanding that a fair and equitable apportionment of waters of Red River and its tributaries, is nearer than at any time, during the history of the negotiations. All Texans who are acquainted with your labors appreciate the progress made."

Skyrocket Band Goes to UIL Contest Thurs.

That Skyrocket band will compete in the University Interscholastic League concert and sight reading contests Thursday, March 20, in Panhandle, the band director, Gary Wofford, said.

Fifty-one members will be included in the competition band. Their program will include "Charter Oak" by Eric Osterling; "Two Russian Songs" by George Gates; and "Festovo" by Václav Nelhybel. Mr. Wofford added.

Competing in the Borger Band Festival Thursday, March 13, That Skyrocket Band received a Division III rating in concert playing and Division II in sight reading.

Museum Members at Association Meeting

Four members of the Collingsworth County Museum Association, attended the annual meeting of the Texas Association of Museums in Lubbock, Friday and Saturday, March 15 and 16. Attending the sessions, and watching behind-the-scenes work were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Drake, Mrs. Wilbur DePauw and Mrs. Jim Wood.

"You get so much from the people at these meetings. At least 50 per cent are professionals, many with years of training in museum work," said Mrs. Drake, director of the museum here. She attended a session on "How to Take a Museum Inventory," conducted by Diane Taylor of the University of Texas at Austin Winedale Museum.

Mrs. Wood and Mrs. DePauw also visited the area where much of the museum work is done, including the storage rooms, research rooms and areas where they

saw how much of the material is preserved.

An assistant director of the Museum of Texas Tech showed Mr. and Mrs. Drake how their audio-visual exhibits are used, and took them into the areas where the panoramic exhibits are put together.

Cowboys -- and the homes they had moving with the cattle industry across Texas -- took the spotlight at the Saturday meeting.

The Ranching Heritage Center, where the story of the cattle industry from its birth on the Texas Coastal Plain in the 1830s to its maturity on the High Plains at the turn of the century was studied and visited by more than 100 area and state museum persons.

Historical restoration of buildings in an outdoor museum was explained by Peter Rippe, executive director of the Harris County Heritage Society and Mrs.

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OBSERVE GIRL SCOUT WEEK

Wellington Girl Scouts held the flag-raising ceremony as part of the observance of annual Girl Scout Week. Lisa Nix, left, holds the ropes while Karen Whitten attaches the flag and

Cynthia Gollighugh, right, holds it. All students of Elementary School were present, along with a number of visitors.

Miss Wellington, 1975 To Be Chosen Saturday

Miss Wellington of 1975 will be chosen from among 37 lovely high school girls participating in the annual pageant Saturday, March 22. It will be held in the High School auditorium, with curtain time at 8:00 p.m.

Sponsored by the senior class, this is one of the highlights of the school year. Miss Wellington of 1974, Renee Mitchell, will crown her successor. Besides representing the school, Miss Wellington traditionally represents the town in such events as St. Patrick's Day celebration and Wheatheart of the Nation contest, and other similar events.

Background music for this year's pageant will be furnished by Earl Lynn Bartlett, organist. Talent numbers will be directed by Mrs. Dick Pendleton and Mrs. Bob McAlister will be mistress of ceremonies.

Miss Wellington contestants and the Wellington business firm sponsoring them include:

Alicia Terry, sponsored by

Gibson's Discount Center; June Sanders, Singley Mill and Elevator; Kathy Mote, Cablecom General, Inc.; Geney Morrow, Herman Childress Mattress Co.; Denise Archer, Cochran Drug;

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Cathy Trimble, Sam's Garage; Stacey Neeley, City Grocery; Evelyn Gragson, Saied's Department Store; also

Becky Seitz, Dairy Queen; Betty Lewis, D.C. Bargain Shop; Lucinda Aguilar,

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Decision Awaited On Gas Increase

The City Council Monday night, March 17, covered a broad range of business, from a discussion of the proposed Lone Star Gas Co. rate increase to action which will put city residents in a position to get flood insurance.

Mike Lockett, local manager, met with the council regarding the rate increase, which has been requested of all towns and cities served by the Lone Star system. It was brought out in the council meeting that the Railroad

Commission has approved the increase for certain of these towns. However, the United States Supreme Court since then has ruled that the Railroad Commission does not have the authority to make these rulings.

"All we can do is sit pat and see what happens," said City Manager Glen Taylor later.

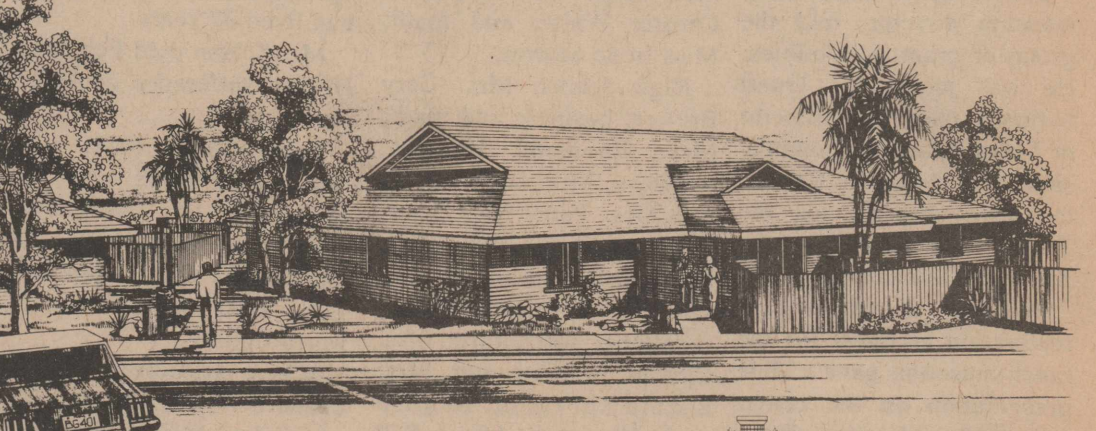
The low bid for a new pickup to be used in the street department went to Clark Chevrolet for \$3,239.55.

Two motions approved are tied in with federal regulations. A resolution was approved for the city to go into the National Flood Insurance Program of the Federal Insurance Administration, an agency of HUD. There was a July 1 deadline on this. Acceptance by HUD will enable local insurance

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Judges will not be

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APARTMENT COMPLEX PROPOSED FOR WELLINGTON

Here is the architect's drawing of a 12-unit apartment complex proposed for Wellington. Final determination will rest with response from a questionnaire being handled by the Chamber of Commerce. The builders are Lev Old Connor

and Tommy Patterson of Lev's Housing, Dalhart. Jim Faulk of Austin is the architect. Retired and older people will be given first preference in renting.

Each unit has its own patio, walled off from other units and from the street.

The style planned is known in some areas as cluster housing. Each unit has two walls adjoining other

apartments. This is considered space-saving as well as cost-saving. Yet each unit has all the advantages of a private, one-family home.

A tentative location has been chosen, which will be near to the Wellington business area.

Retired and older persons will be given first preference in renting the units, Mr. Conner said.

The builders only recently completed an apartment complex in Texline, and within a few days they are starting another in Miami.

School Board Names Classroom Teachers

Wellington classroom teachers were elected for the 1974-75 year by the school board Monday, March 10.

At the same time, Supt. E.W. Clement announced the retirement of three long-time faculty members, Mrs. Ben Ratliff, librarian; Mrs. Rufus Sweat, junior high English; and Mrs. Sam Thompson, first grade.

Elected to replace them were Mrs. Jack Campbell, first grade; Mrs. Gary Lemons, librarian; and Mrs. Garry Wofford, junior high English.

Mrs. Campbell is a graduate of West Texas State University with majors in elementary education, music and art. She taught three years in the Amarillo schools. Reared here, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell. Her husband is in charge of the insurance program for Farm Bureau.

A graduate of Hardin Simmons University, Mrs. Wofford was an English and speech major. She taught one year at Clyde and two at Trent. Her husband is band director of the Wellington Schools.

Mrs. Lemons was valedictorian of the 1971 Wellington High School graduating class. The former Betsy Castleberry, she completed work for her degree at Texas Tech University in three years, majoring in English and Spanish. She was a staff member of La Ventana, university yearbook. Mrs. Lemons is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobo Castle-

berry and her husband is manager of Sears Service Center.

Elementary school: Mrs. Joe Tarver, kindergarten; Mrs. Vernon Peters, first grade; Mrs. Charles Floyd and Mrs. Walter Camp, second grade; Mrs. Dan Henard and Mrs. Colene Barton, third grade; Mrs. Claude Savage and Mrs. R.B. Tucker, fourth grade; Mrs. Lynn Carter and Mrs. J.I. Morgan, fifth grade. Epco personnel have been recommended for rehiring, subject to their regulations: Miss Rita Lowrie, language

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Kiwanis Sponsors Golf Project For Youths

Bill Spillman, president of the Kiwanis Club, announced this week that the club is sponsoring a project to collect old golf balls and clubs if a high school golf team is formed.

Jim Terry, golf pro at Hay Camp Country Club, has offered to give free lessons, and Mr. Spillman said he has a number from Wellington and Hollis who are interested.

"Anyone wishing to donate golf equipment should bring it to the high school, to Hay Camp pro shop, or contact any member of Kiwanis," Spillman requested.

Bloodmobile Receives 108 Units Tuesday

Collingsworth people, 118 strong, volunteered as blood donors during the semi-annual visit of the Red River Regional Red Cross Bloodmobile Tuesday, March 18.

A total of 108 units was accepted, as 10 of those coming were unable to give blood. Nineteen were first timers.

The quota was 118 units. Rev. Ervin Emmert, pastor, Church of the Nazarene, spokesman for Ministerial Alliance, which sponsors the bloodmobile, said he would like to compliment the community and express appreciation for the turnout on behalf of the ministerial alliance.

"We had a number of older people who gave blood this time," Emmert said. "We especially appreciate the response from the Quail, Dodson and Samnorwood communities and the 19 first-time donors."

The bloodmobile collection program was held this time in the club room of the community building and Emmert said many people had commented on the relaxed and congenial atmosphere that the remodeled room provided.

"We recognize that many people were unable to give blood this time because they were ill or under medication and we are looking forward to seeing them next time," Emmert said.

Further information on the bloodmobile drive will appear in next week's Wellington Leader.

Funeral Rites Held Friday Creed Hill

Funeral services for Creed Lewis Hill, 31, were conducted in First United Methodist Church Friday, March 14, at 2:00 p.m. Mr. Hill died Tuesday evening, March 11.

The Rev. James Boswell, pastor officiated, and burial was in the family plot in Arlie Cemetery under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home. Pall bearers were Pat Frost, Ralph Coburn, Jr., Dennis Cudd, Dr. Terence Cook, Duggie Jameson, John Walker, Jr. and Scott Walker.

A farmer and rancher, Mr. Hill was born here December 11, 1943, and was a lifelong Wellington resident. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Hill.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Survivors are his parents and one sister, Mrs. Adolf Schmidt of Emden, West Germany, and two nephews.

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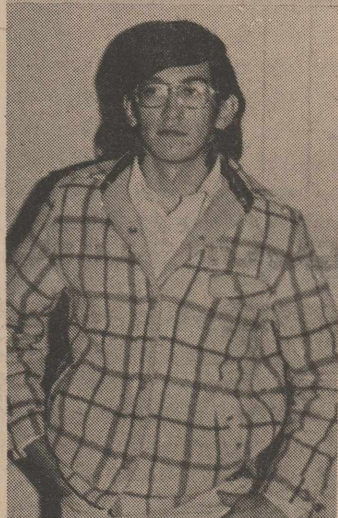
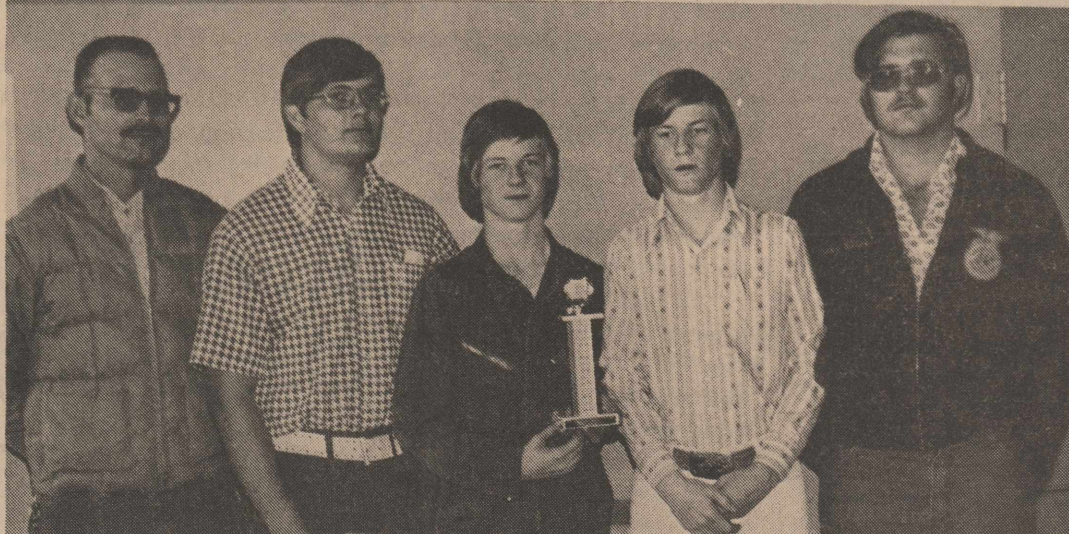
Taylor.

Dr. Craig C. Black Tech museum director, told the group of grant possibilities. He was joined by Truett Latimer, executive director of Texas Historical Commission, and Maurice Coates, executive director for the Texas Commission on the Arts and Humanities.

Willard B. Robinson, restoration architect for the ranch museum, gave a slide presentation on the center and conducted a tour of the outdoor facility.

Mr. and Mrs. Drake, Mrs. DePauw and Mrs. Wood, attended these sessions at their own expense, it has been pointed out.

If you don't need it any longer, sell it through a want ad in The Leader.



DISTRICT FARM MECHANICS WINNERS

These teams from three schools were winners of the Greenbelt District FFA Farm Mechanics Contest sponsored in Wellington by Greenbelt Electric Co-operative, Inc. First place went to the Hedley team, top, whose members, from left, are Doyle Messer, ag teacher, Kelly Rieken, Ricky Brinson, Billy Talley and Jesse Freeman. Childress was second, and from left are Truman Kidwell, ag teacher, and team members are Jim Slingerland, Jim Shelton, Wes Proctor and Roger Husband. Wellington, third place winner, had as team members, from left, Rodney Myrick, teacher, David Null, Randall Sims, Richard Sims and Jackie Black. Raymond Romo, below, was a member of the Wellington team but was absent when the picture was made.

Fire Destroys Mobile Home Early Tuesday

Fire which broke out about 7:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 18, heavily damaged the mobile home belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Mario Sosa at 1004 Belton Street.

Fire Chief David Peters said the building was engulfed in flames on the inside by the time firemen could arrive.

Most of the inside was gutted, and much of the family's furniture and clothing were lost.

Chief Peters said it is believed the fire started in the furnace.

Former County Resident Dies

Funeral services for a former Collingsworth County man, David W. (Pete) Nelson, were held Tuesday, February 25, at 1:00 p.m. at Springfield, Mo., where he had lived 30 years.

Mr. Nelson died Feb. 20. He had suffered a stroke 11 years ago.

Born July 8, 1914, near Nocona, he came with his family to the Aberdeen community about 1920. He entered the CCC Camp and U.S. Army from Collingsworth County.

While stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., he was married to Miss Doris Jean Crowder. He was a carpenter and a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors are his wife; two sons, Ronnie and Bill; a grandson, Christopher; and six sisters: Mrs. Lela Gulley of Cave Springs, Ark., Mrs. Nannie Aubrey of Nashville,

Group Attends Kin's Service

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tingle and their daughter Mrs. Elvis Sain and children, Angela and Tony, were in Dallas to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Margaret E. Stewart.

Services were held at Owens Funeral Chapel at 3 p.m. Saturday, March 15. Burial was in Mt. Carmel Cemetery.

Mrs. Stewart was born May 28, 1885, in Alabama to Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Tingle. She married Samuel Newton Stewart on Nov. 30, 1904. She was a member of the Lake Highlands Baptist Church of Dallas.

Survivors include one son, Earl Stewart of Dallas, one daughter, Mrs. Jewell Sandles of Dimmitt; two brothers, Sidney Tingle of Wolfe City and Lewis Tingle of Wellington; one sister, Mrs. Jossie Chandler of Plainview; one grandson and two great grandchildren.

Tenn., Mrs. Flossie Maddoux of Sweetwater, Okla., Mrs. Billie Rothenberger of Sayre, Okla., Mrs. Bessie Hooper of Reynold, Okla., and Mrs. Loyce Jarnagin of Erick, Okla.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. L.M. Bartlett were her sisters, Mrs. Tiny Miracle, Grandfield, Okla., Mrs. Geneva Bell, Meadows, Mrs. Mae Morgan, Odessa and her brother Mr. and Mrs. Woody Goforth, Muleshoe. Also visiting with them were Jim Miracle of Grandfield and Mac McKensley of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Kilgo have as their guest, Clyde H. Yagi from Honolulu, Hawaii. He will be visiting in the States for about a month.

Norwood PTA Plans Open House Monday

Samnorwood Parent-Teachers Association will hold open house Monday, March 24, residents of the district can visit the classrooms and see the work being done.

The program, which starts at 7:00 p.m. will be given by the junior and senior American history class, recounting in skit form happenings from five past senior classes. These will be 1937, 1944, 1953, 1961 and 1974.

The students themselves wrote the skits, under the direction of their instructor, Mrs. Denny Marcum.

Students participating are Judy Bell, Teresa Ray, Elaine Purkey, Jeanette Oldham, Cindy Coleman, Becky Graves, Karen Lee, Mark Thomas, Alethea Ray, Debbie Oldham, Vonnice Knoll and Pat Segura.

Douglas Coleman, Jr., will be the narrator.

Open house and visits to the classrooms will follow.

Motocross Track to Open Here Sunday

Pointing up the growing interest in motorcycle racing in this area, the Big Bluff Motocross Track will open Sunday, March 23, with the first races opening at 2:00 p.m.

Track owners are Jake Maxwell, dealer for several makes of motorcycles for four years, and his son-in-law, Auther Jones.

The new track may be reached by going west on FM 336 three miles, south one mile and then a mile east.

The motocross track, which winds through some of the rough country of that area, has been graded and is in good condition to start the season, the owners said. Present plans are for races to continue through the summer.

There will be races in six classes: open, 250 cc, 125 cc, 100 cc, mini-man and micro-mini. Trophies will go to winners of first through fifth places. There will be a concession stand and comfortable area for spectators.

said the owners.

The public is invited to attend the opening of the track.

#4—continued from page 1 agencies to write flood insurance for Wellington residents.

The council also requested that it remain in the area covered by PRPC in-so-far as administration of a federal health district is concerned.

Policeman Mike Gilmore was asked to complete an inventory of all police department materials which will go into the combined city-county law enforcement program.

Council members also discussed a request presented by Tony Stephens and John Dodge on behalf of the Little League Baseball program for improvement of the diamond and stadium. The men said the fathers will do the work at the field if the city will pay for materials. City Manager Taylor asked that they get an estimate of cost figures. The proposed

Jimmy Jackson Transfers to Spearman SCS

Jimmy W. Jackson, soil conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service, has been transferred to the Spearman field office and will begin work there Monday, March 31.

Reporting to the Wellington office at the same time will be Dwayne Binford, who has been with SCS in Decatur. He comes here as a range conservationist.

Mr. Jackson came to the Wellington office as a trainee 10 months ago, shortly after receiving his degree from Tarleton State College, Stephenville. That is also his home town.

Mr. Binford's wife and their five children will remain in Decatur until the end of the present school term.

the field would make it possible for the boys to use it for Little League and men for slow pitch play.

Mayor Bill Hatch presided, and all council members were present, Wayne Cudd, Bob Goforth, Tom Wilkins, Gus Barton and Earl L. Bartlett, along with Mrs. Lorene Jenkins, city secretary and Paul Spillman, legal advisor.

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Mayor Bill Hatch, who has been master of ceremonies for most of these events, will re-appear in that capacity.

Earl Lynn Bartlett, organist, will present musical entertainment.

Effie Williams Top Beautician

Effie Meadows Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell Meadows, took top honors in the Dallas Beautician Association annual hair style and fashion show Saturday, March 1.

She won first place in hair coloring, first in hair styling, and third in hair styling. With these three honors, the Dallas Beautician Association awarded her the title of best beautician of their group for 1975.

Mrs. Williams is a trophy winner with awards dating back to 1961. Altogether, she has 41 trophies won in hair styling and coloring competition.

Mr. and Mrs. Meadows were present to see their daughter receive this latest honor.

Mrs. Williams owns Effie's Beauty Salon at 2904 Thomas, Dallas.

improvements would include installation of a chain link fence, repairing and painting the stands and new back stops. The improvements on

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Winners in District FFA Event Announced

Skill in welding, plumbing, electrical and tool identification won for a Hedley FFA team first place in the Greenbelt District farm mechanics contest Thursday, March 13. Second place went to Childress team and third to Wellington.

The contest, held at the WHS vocational ag shop, was sponsored by Greenbelt Electric Co-operative, Inc., and directed by Pat McAlister. This was the first time it had been held in Wellington.

Each team had to display its skill in all four categories.

High overall individual in the contest was Jesse Freeman of Hedley, with a

score of 1229. High point man in welding was David Russell of Quail with 345, while he and Johnny Needham, also of Quail, tied for top honors in plumbing with 365 points each. Kelly Reiken of Hedley had a score of 380 to become high individual in the electrical competition. A three-way tie developed in the tool identification between Jim Shelton and Jim Slingerland of Childress and David Null of Wellington with a score of 195.5 each.

In the awards presentation, each winning team and each high individual received a trophy.

Team members were:

First place, Hedley: Kelly Rieken, Ricky Brinson, Billy Talley and Jesse Freeman. Doyle Messer is their teacher.

Second place, Childress: Jim Slingerland, Jim Shelton, Wes Proctor and Roger Husband. Truman Kidwell is vocational ag teacher.

Third place, Wellington: David Null, Randall Sims, Richard Sims and Jackie Black. Their instructor is Rodney Myrick.

Winning teams will compete in the Region I contest to be held in Lubbock in the early spring.

On Wall Street

By Bob Hill

Lentz, Newton & Co., Members
New York Stock Exchange



Cattlemen who hoped to see cattle prices improve this year and the worst of the current cattle-glut behind them in 1976, will have to take another look at overall cattle inventories and forget any real improvement for two, possibly three years.

Inventories of cattle and calves now stand at more than 132 million head, roughly 6 million more than the market can profitably handle. This is a 3% jump over a year ago, compared with a normal 1% annual inventory increase. Total losses to cattlemen in 1974 topped \$2½ billion, due chiefly to an oversupply of cattle. Disaster hit the feedyards because of high grain prices. Most cattlemen now agree that beef sales will not pick up until after the recession. That could mean as much as two or three more years of heavy losses, enough to wipe out many cattle raisers.

A partial liquidation is the obvious answer to the industry's problems. But obvious answers aren't always the best. There's a little obstacle known as the "profit motive." It doesn't do a bit of good for a cattleman to cut back on a

breed herd that took him five years to build and leave himself unable to capitalize on higher beef prices with a good calf crop when the market does improve.

Cattlemen take the blame for overexpanding their herds in the early 1970's, spurred on by a healthy beef market. But this time they have been hit by several market disruptions which were not of their own doing.

First, the big grain sale to Russia triggered a 300% jump in U.S. feed grain prices. Then the Nixon Administration announced in July, 1973, that it was lifting price ceilings on beef. When the price ceiling came off, the price for beef plunged instead of climbing. Meanwhile inventories, which had begun to decline, began climbing again and a truckers strike forced inventories even higher. Surprisingly, through all of this, annual beef consumption in 1974 increased about 6% to 115.8 lb. per person and will hit 122 lb. per person in 1975, up 5% over last year. That compares to an average annual growth in beef consumption of 2% per person from 1960 to 1970.

County Has One Fatal Accident In February

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated one accident on rural highways in Collingsworth County during the month of February, 1975, according to Sergeant D.E. Womack, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in one person killed and one person injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first two months of 1975 shows a total of three accidents resulting in one person killed and three persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for February, 1975, shows a total of 435 accidents resulting in 12 persons killed and 199 persons injured as compared to February, 1974, with 322 accidents resulting in ten persons killed and 208 persons injured. This was 113 more accidents, two more killed, and nine less injured in 1975 at the same period of time.

Reports from area counties include:

Childress: two accidents, no deaths or injuries.

Cottle: two accidents, no deaths or injuries.

Donley: three accidents,

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Mrs. Hugh Lee Simmons, Canyon; Maude Mitchell, Fort Worth; Janis Lawson, Lubbock; W.L. Benge, Ft. Worth; John W. Walker, Midland; Gerald E. Cope-

no deaths, two injuries.

Gray: 13 accidents, no deaths, four injuries.

Hall: three accidents, no deaths, two injuries.

Wheeler: 13 accidents, no deaths, 7 injuries.

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land, Amarillo; John T. Alexander, Austin; Shamrock Coca Cola, Shamrock; Newell Van Pelt, Alamosa, Colo.; Edwin Parker, Lafayette, La.; and Hayden Rodgers, Everton, Arkansas.

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Howell, Dodson; Vey Hightower, Dodson; Clinton Norman, Dodson; J.M. Morgan, Jr., Shamrock; J.P. Gilbreth, Hedley; A.J. Adkins, Vinson, Okla., and Bill Graves, Shamrock.

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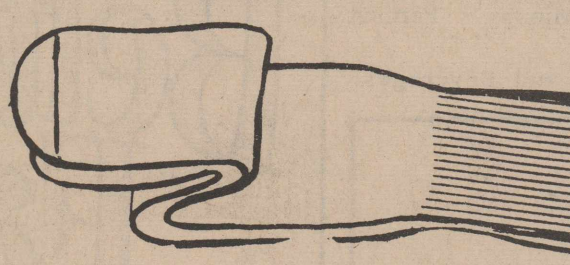
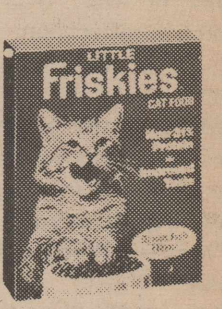
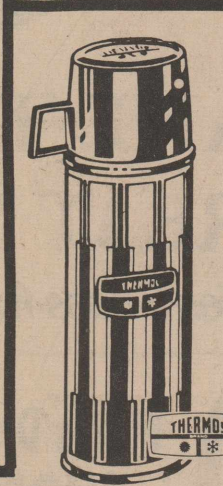
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Services Here Saturday for Mrs. Ogletree

Mrs. Gertrude Ogletree, who lived at Quail and Wellington many years prior to 1966, died at 8:45 p.m. Wednesday, March 12 in an Amarillo hospital, where she was a patient one month.

She was the widow of Buck Ogletree, who died in 1966.

Funeral services were conducted at First Baptist Church here Saturday, March 15 at 2:00 p.m., with the Rev. Dwight Southworth of Amarillo officiating. Burial was in the family plot in Quail Cemetery by Kelso Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were Jesse Peters, Marshall Peters, Vané Gray, C.O. Wilkerson, Danny Gray, Larry Gray and Richard Peters.

The former Gertrude Beecher, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beecher, she was born in Fannin County September 1, 1907, and was only a child when the family moved here. She lived in the Quail area many years.

After the death of her husband, Mrs. Ogletree moved to Claude, then to Amarillo in 1973. She was a nurse's aide and a Baptist.

Survivors are two sons, James Denzil Ogletree of Dallas and Clifford Earl Ogletree of Chugiak, Alaska. 5 daughters: Mrs. Locita Gray of Dallas, Mrs. Donella Brinkley of Amarillo, Mrs. Jo Anne Raper of Leoti, Kansas, Mrs. Carolyn Higginbotham of Amarillo, and Mrs. Linda Gray (cq) of Claude; one brother, Henry Lindsey of Rogers, Ark.; three sisters, Mrs. Aline Eads of Wellington, Mrs. Louella Steen of Plainview and Mrs. Mildred Housden of Bryan; 18 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. Two sisters-in-law live here, Mrs. David Peters and Mrs. Mattie Childress.

Study Held On Africa

The Lydia Group of United Methodist Women met in the home of Mrs. A.L. Elliott Monday afternoon, March 17, for a study relating to Africa.

Mrs. Bob Hightower, president, was in charge of the business meeting, then Mrs. Elliott read a poem, "There is a World of Right to Come."

Mrs. C.D. Damron led in prayer, and Mrs. Hightower gave the devotional heralding the Easter season, "Christ is Risen."

She asked each one present to name a woman of the Bible who had a special meaning for her. She concluded with an article from Response Magazine concerning Africa.

Refreshments were served to one guest, Mrs. Damron, and these members, Mrs. A.V. Lowrie, Mrs. R.R. Crawley, Mrs. J.D. Wilson, Mrs. E.F. Bartlett, Mrs. J.B. Stevenson, Mrs. Chester Fires, Mrs. Hightower and Mrs. Fred Covey.



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State Representative Phil Cates recently joined the staff of the Shamrock Chamber of Commerce as its manager, working those months when the Legislature is not in session. He is shown here with his wife, Nancy, and their young son, Andy.

Rep. Phil Cates CC Manager at Shamrock

State Representative Phil Cates joins with the Chamber of Commerce of Shamrock, in making the formal announcement of a contract signing making Cates Chamber Manager.

Cates will be employed on a retainer basis during the months that the Legislature is in session and a full-time employee the rest of the year.

"I am extremely pleased to have been offered this position, for it will allow me to work in a public relations capacity and promote the continued development of small towns and rural areas on a full-time basis," Cates stated.

"I hope that all of our friends throughout the district and especially those in my present hometown of Pampa, will understand that I am committed to my family obligations as well as serving the part of Texas that I love."

"I feel that I can effectively continue to work for the common good from my post as Manager of the Shamrock Chamber of Commerce and I look forward to working closely with the citizens of this fine community for the public good," Cates stated.

The contract agreement notes that Cates is presently an elected public official of the State of Texas and that he has and will continue to have certain public obligations as a member of the State Legislature.

The contract further states

to the Chamber, its board, and the members that "such dual capacities shall always be kept separated by the manager so that he may morally and legally carry out his respective duties."

"I do not plan to leave my post as this district's State Representative. My district office will be maintained as well as the one at the Capitol in Austin to aid my constituents with any problems they have," Cates stated.

Ski Group at Red River, N.M.

A group of 32 spent the week end skiing at Red River, New Mexico. The only injury reported was Don Lewis' broken leg. Cal Hurst said the slopes were in excellent condition. It snowed about 4 inches Friday and two or three inches Saturday.

Those going were:

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Hurst and Lyn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Neeley, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jennings, Austin; Mrs. Quenton Brewer, George and Elizabeth; Mrs. Sam McGill; Sandra McGill of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Goforth, Kim, Karen and Kelly; Miss Lisa Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cochran, Neal and Scott; Miss Carol Cochran of Weatherford; Gary Wiles and Robin Wiles of Arkansas; Lucy Sullivan; and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Adams and Larry.

Junior Talent Show Planned April 17, 18

The Junior Talent Show is to be held Thursday and Friday, April 17 and 18. The talent show will be divided between pre-school through 4th grade on Thursday and 5th grade through high school on Friday.

Anyone who would like to enter the talent show on either night should please notify one of the following persons within the next two weeks:

George Brewer, Karen Jeffrey, Paul Hanna, Jeff Hanna, Bart Patterson, Sammy Gonzales, Linda Coffee and Denise Archer.

UMW Hears Mrs. King

The Esther and Lydia sub-groups of United Methodist Women met Friday morning March 14 in the church parlor.

Mrs. J.D. Wilson gave the devotional on what the Bible says regarding women from Proverbs 31.

Mrs. J.B. King brought the lesson from the study book "Modern Woman." She stated that Elizabeth Stanton championed legal rights for women, and that the first small women's clubs were started in 1876. Mrs. King stressed that Jesus gave women an important place in society and enjoyed visiting with them and helping them.

Mrs. Bob Hightower presented the program on conduct becoming a woman from "Women in Church and Society" by Georgia Harkness. Mrs. Hightower spoke on home missions and some of the women who first helped with home missions. These women were Sarah Diekey, Jennie Hartzell, Frances E. Willard and Lucy Webb Hayes, wife of President Rutherford B. Hayes.

Those attending were Mrs. Mayme Somerville, Mrs. Earl Alexander, Mrs. S.L. Lindsey, Mrs. R.R. Crawley, Mrs. King, Mrs. R.L. Karnes, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Beatrice West and Mrs. Hightower.

Girl Scout Troop Observes Birthday, Awards Program

A combination court of awards and birthday party celebrating Girl Scouting's 63rd birthday, March 12, was held Tuesday, March 11, in the Heritage Room.

Renee Daniels, Kathy and Belinda Crelia, and Karen McDanel received the cyclist, water fun, hospitality, pets and health aid badges.

Cynthia and Rhonda Golliugh, Brenda Baker,

Lisa Byrd, Kim Black and Karen Whitten received their pets, hospitality and health aid badges. Ladana Denton received her pets and hospitality badges.

The parents attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Daniel, Mrs. Alva Byrd, Mrs. Maxie Baker, Mrs. Lyndon Crelia, Mr. and Mrs. Benny McDanel, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Whitten and Mrs. Marie Black.

District One 4-H Food Show Winners Announced Recently

AMARILLO -- First place awards and the right to enter state competition in June went to four outstanding individuals Saturday (March 15) at the District 14-H Food Show.

The annual event is a critical test of culinary skills and knowledge. Over 150 4-H'ers from 22 Panhandle counties vied for top honors in senior and junior divisions at this year's show, held at Amarillo's Bonham Junior High School.

Qualifying for the State 4-H Food Show in June at Texas A&M University are the following seniors:

JoAnn Wagner -- Main Dish -- Deaf Smith County; Jacquelyn Langford -- Side Dish -- Parmer; Fred Varnell -- Breads and Desserts -- Hemphill; Cinde Sides -- Snacks and Beverages -- Castro.

Junior division winners will not compete beyond the district level. For them the contest provides experience, and incentive. The top four juniors chosen from each division were as follows:

Main Dish: Jennifer Smith Carson County; Gail McCabe Deaf Smith; Neal Hinders - Randall County; Annette Flares - Sherman County. Side Dish: Dianna Freeman - Carson County; Carla West - Deaf Smith; Carolyn File - Lipscomb County; Shelly Hayden - Ochiltree County.

Breads and Desserts: Bobbie Skaggs - Gray County; Carrie Beasley - Hemphill County; Sherri Hunt - Hutchinson County; Quentin Mimms - Parmer County.

Snacks and Beverages:

Wade Lemons - Hemphill; Debbie Brewer - Moore County; Frank Jesko - Parmer County; Kathy Bartholomew - Potter County.

All winners received 4-H award ribbons, and senior division champions were presented miniature silver bowls by Morrison Milling Company of Denton.

Peggy Popwell represented our county in the Snacks and Beverages division with "Welch's Jolly Toddy." She was among the top four in her division. Peggy won a red ribbon.

Tami Boswell's entry, "Apple Crisp," was our county's entry in the Breads and Desserts division. This was Tami's first year at the District Food Show.

All Junior entries from our county won blue ribbons. They were: Kim Judd, main dish; Beverly Orr, desserts and breads; Sylvia Hunnicutt, snacks and beverages.

This was Beverly's second straight year to win a blue ribbon at the District Food Show. Her entry was

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"Cherry Breeze." Silvia Hunnicutt, also a second time blue ribbon winner, made Fruit Punch. Kim Judd's first year at the District Food Show was a

blue ribbon success with Southwestern Chili Beans. Lavonda Thomas was eligible to enter the district food show but was unable to attend.



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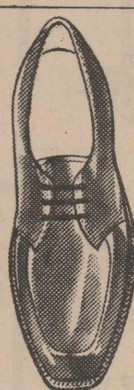


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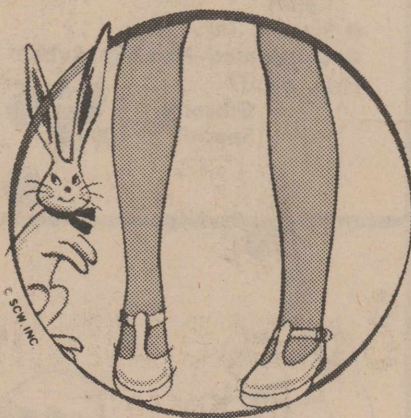


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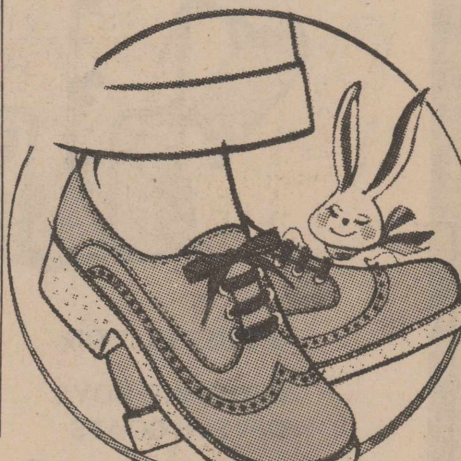
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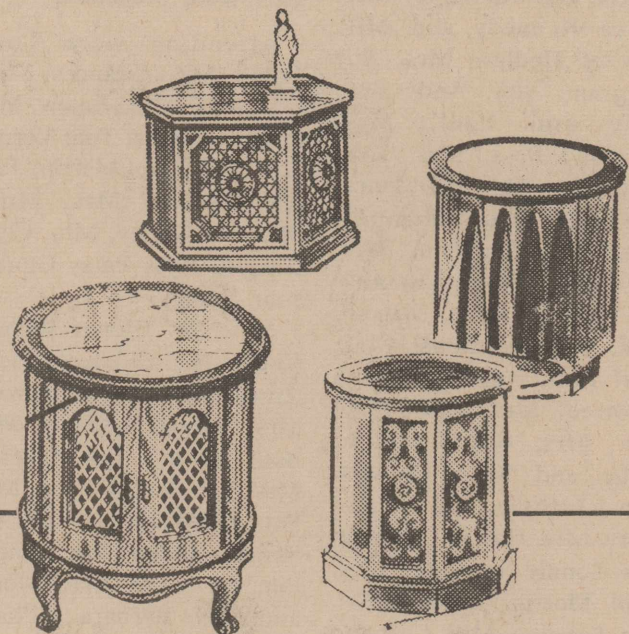
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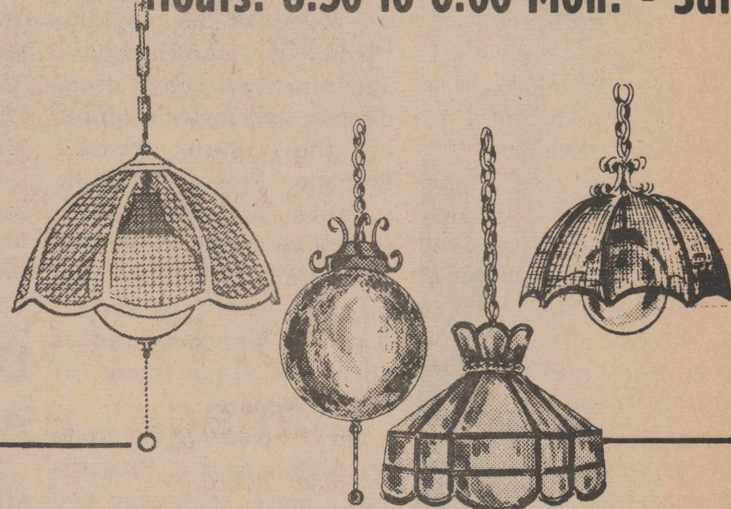
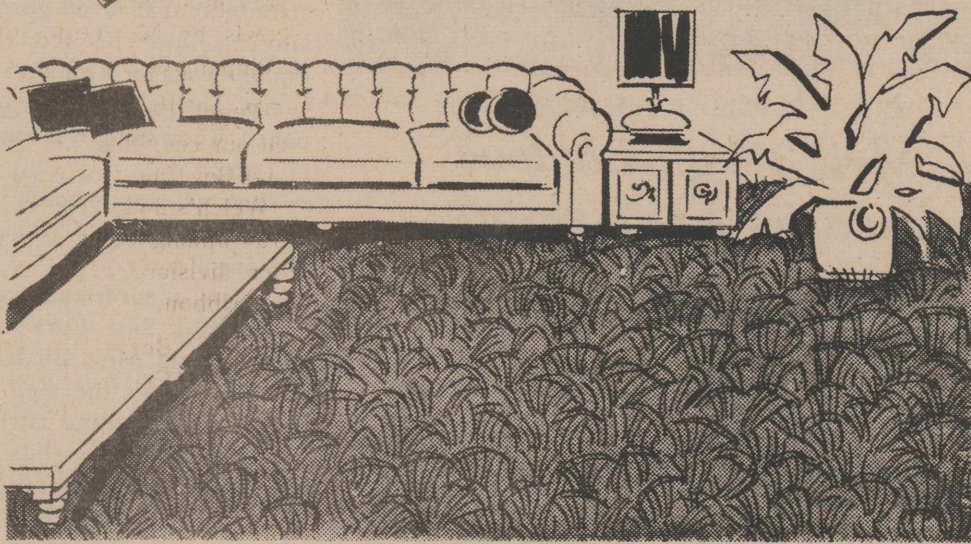


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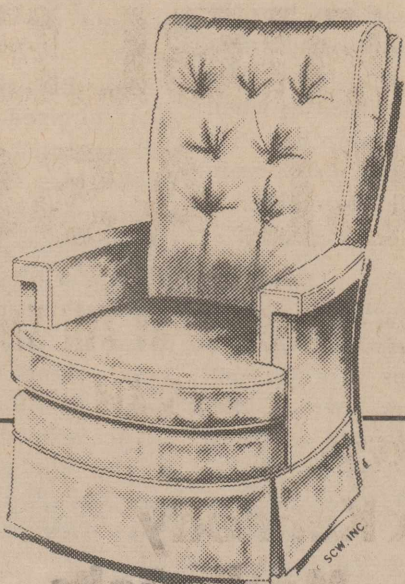
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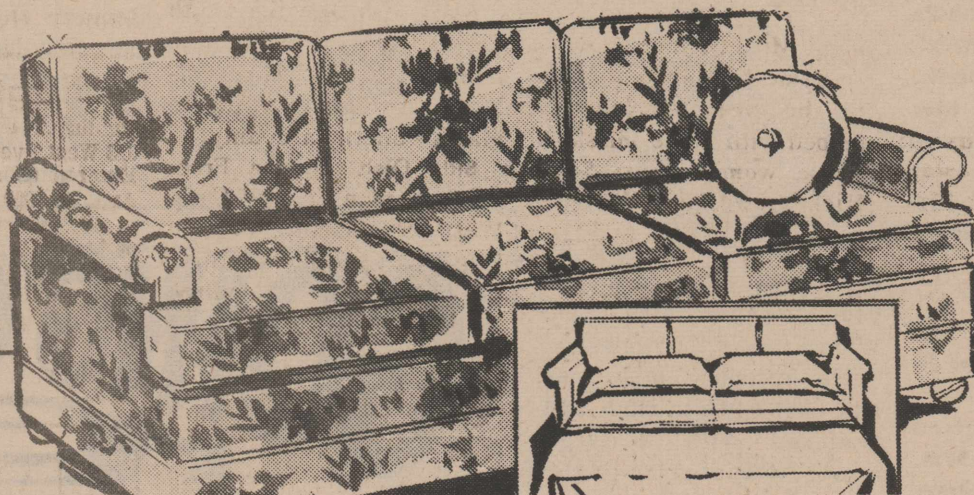
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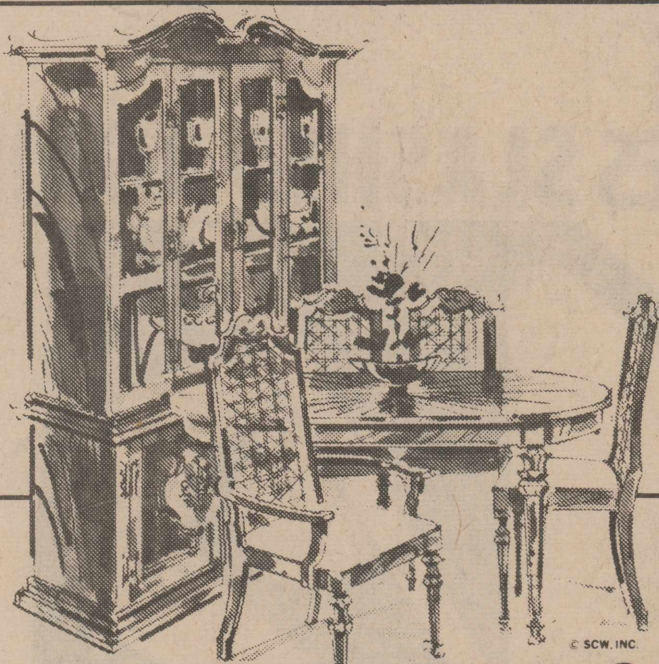
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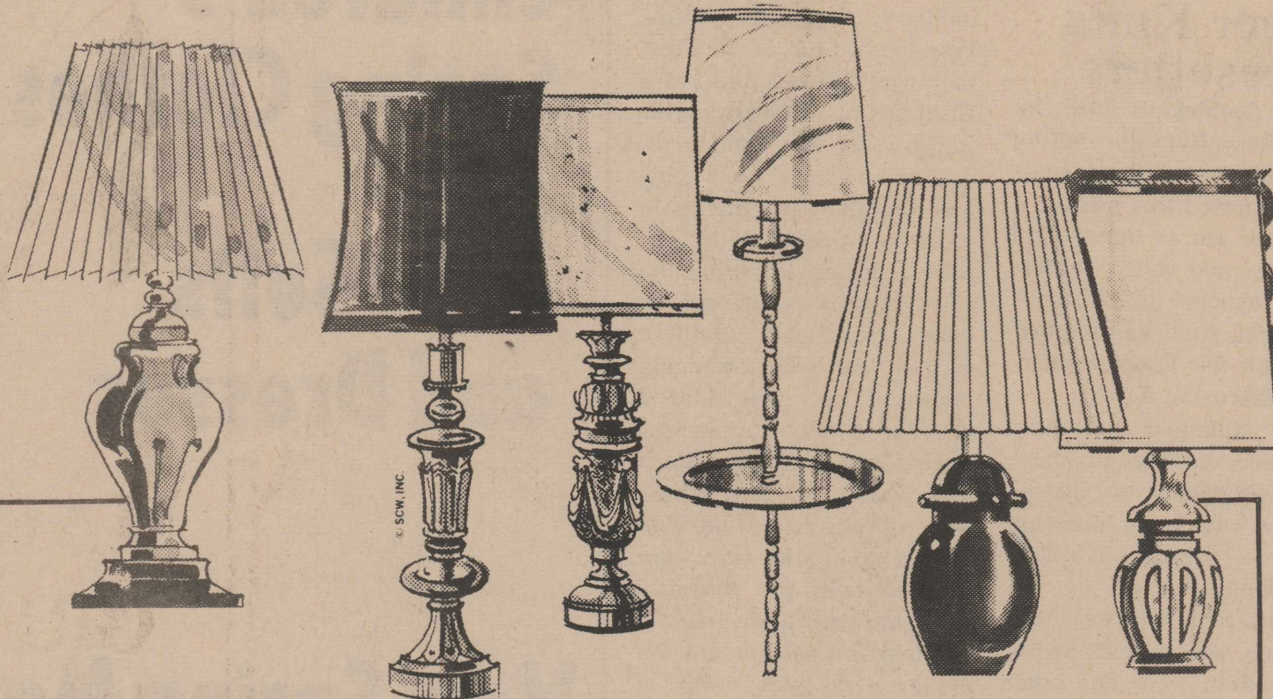


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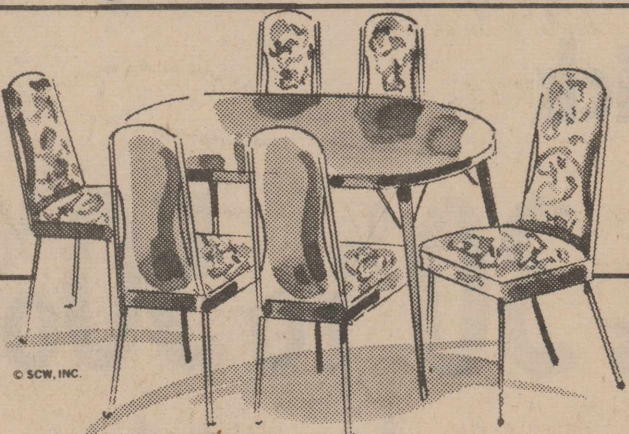


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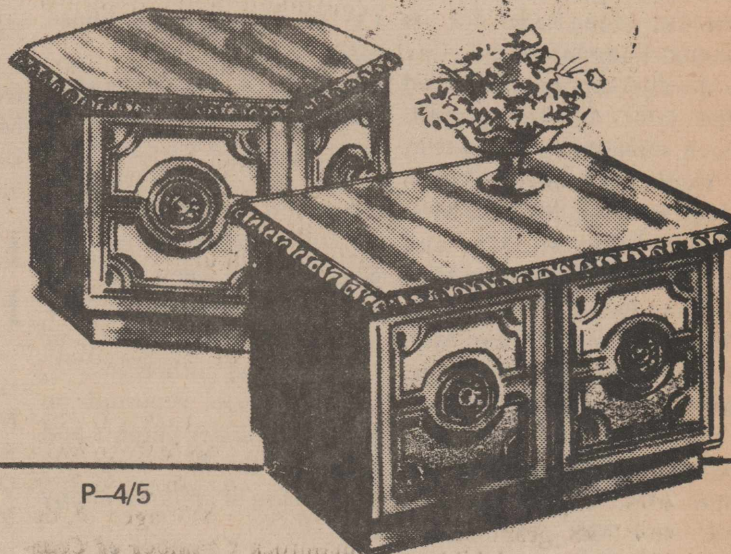


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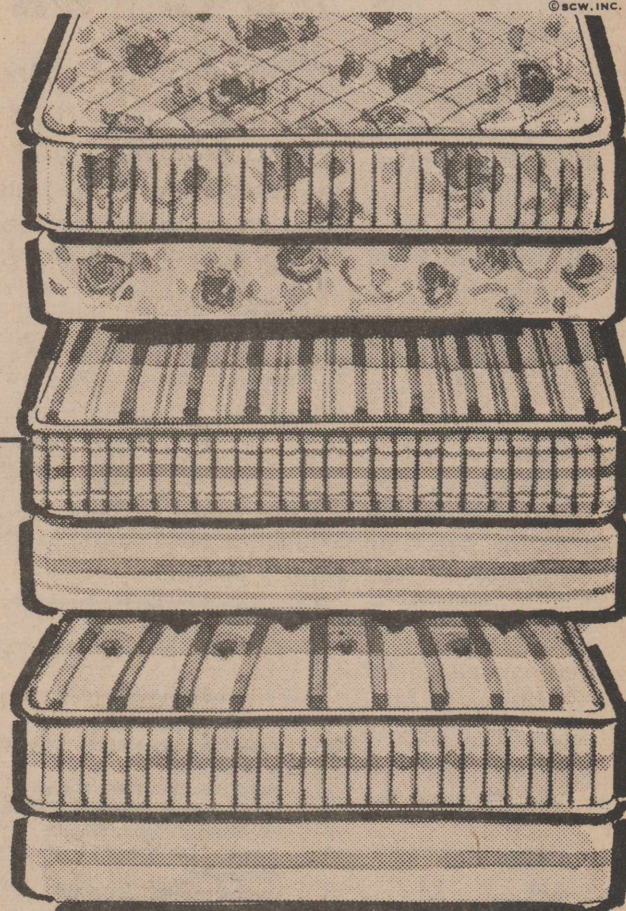
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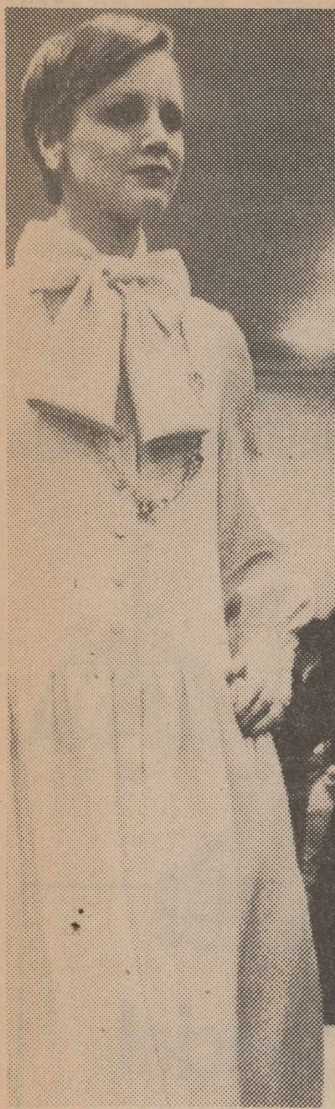
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JFF Holds Roundup Sat.

The JFF Club met Saturday night, March 15, at the Heritage Room for its annual Roundup party.

A salad supper was served and later 42 was played. Each member had a guest.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso, and Mrs. John Duncan of Amarillo.

Members and their husbands attending were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Belew, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Drury Lacy, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. James Masten, Mr. and Mrs. J.I. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wilkins, and Mrs. Woody Wood.

B&PW Members See Film Of Cancer Research Center

"Tall in Texas", a film of the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute in Houston, was presented for Wellington B&PW Club members Tuesday, March 11, by the civic participation chairman, Mrs. Truman Estes, and co-chairman, Mrs. Jack Lowry assisted by Pat McAlister.

Texas B&PW Clubs have as a major project raising \$10,000.00 for M.D. Anderson Research Center and the goal has already been passed. This represents one dollar per member for Texas members.

St. Patrick decorations were used and Irish songs were sung by the group.

It was announced that Kim Goforth is the Girl's State delegate from Wellington sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary. The B&PW Club contributes to this project each year.

Plans were completed for the Red Cross Drive by Mrs. Ernest Harwell, chairman of house to house canvass for donations. Mrs. Harwell also



Mr. and Mrs. Manuel M. Lomas of Dodson are the parents of a daughter, Melissa, born March 14 in Collingsworth General Hospital. She weighed eight pounds and seven ounces.

UMW Group Hears Juvenile Officers on Child Abuse

United Methodist Women's Dorotheans heard three officials who work with juveniles at their regular meeting Thursday, March 13, at 7:30, in the church chapel.

Mrs. Nita White was hostess.

Mrs. David Baumgardner was leader of the program, "In Behalf of Our Children". She introduced Bob Watson, director and juvenile officer of the 100th District Probation Program, and he in turn presented Mrs. Charlene Poteet, female probation officer in the program, and Tom Vermillion, child protective worker with the Department of Public Welfare.

Mr. Watson told the group the bible's book of Proverbs gives much knowledge and wisdom by which to rear a child. He gave statistics on the development of child welfare, from the time when a 7-year-old child could be condemned to death in Texas for certain crimes. He pointed out that only recently have the law and the courts tried to do much for delinquent children.

Mr. Vermillion gave statistics on the reported child abuse and neglect cases in 1973. In Texas there were more than 4,000 reported and 2,500 confirmed, with 135 of these sexual abuse cases.

"It is a misdemeanor offence to know about or even suspect a case and not report it," Mr. Vermillion told the women. "The reports are confidential, and whether you know or only suspect, you should call the toll-free number in Austin or call any local authorities."

Mrs. Poteet reported on the lack of foster parents and facilities in this area for taking care of children of any age.

The meeting was opened to questions and answers, and for about an hour the women questioned the trio of officials. The session, the women reported was "very educational and scary".

Dorotheans also discussed their new volunteer program

to help educate some of the lower income people on food values, budgeting, etc.

Refreshments were served, as the child abuse discussion continued, to members, Mrs. Ollie Wilson, Mrs. Jim Boswell, Mrs. George Henry, Mrs. Barbara Williamson, Mrs. Gorman Owens, Mrs. Olean Leggett, Mrs. Bryan Denley, Mrs. Pearl Aaron, Mrs. Joe Thompson, Mrs. G.L. Jones, Mrs. H.H. Bowen, Mrs. Jack Davis, Mrs. Jennie Holcomb, Mrs. Baumgardner, Mrs. White and guests, Mrs. Poteet, Mr. Watson and Mr. Vermillion.

DKG Meets At Clarendon

Miss Mabel Mongole and Miss Edgar Mae Mongole of Clarendon were hostesses to Kappa Gamma Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, Saturday afternoon, March 8.

Participating in the program, "Women Educators: Professional Practitioners," were Mrs. Rufus Sweat and Mrs. Jack Lowry, Wellington; Helen Madden of Memphis, Betty White of Childress and Betsy Hawkins of Clarendon.

Noting the anniversary of DKG, a song, "Birthday Tribute" was used. This is by Gamma Kappa member Esta McElrath of Memphis.

Attending from Wellington were Mrs. Charley Hill, Miss Maudie Coffee, Miss Bonnie Willis, Mrs. Sweat and Mrs. Lowry.

Lillie Club Has Meeting

Lillie Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, March 13, at 7:00 p.m. in the RSVP Center, with Mrs. Ozro Bartlett as hostess. Mrs. Bill Hill, president, was in charge of the business meeting.

Mrs. Bartlett gave, the devotional and Mrs. Malcom Horton a prayer and the council report.

A program on Music was presented by Mrs. Lowell Wells.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. L.M. Bartlett, Mrs. Ozro Bartlett, Mrs. Elmer Haralson, Mrs. Bill Hill, Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Bill Langford, Mrs. Henry Langford, Mrs. Haskell Manuel, Mrs. David Phipps, Mrs. Dudley Phipps, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Fred Yarbrough, and Mrs. Jim Lowe, and guest Mrs. Marlin Felts.

Sheer Knits Pacesetters

Sheer doubleknits will be new pacesetters for spring fashions, one clothing specialist reported this week.

"Some are as lightweight as jersey and voile -- others as ultrasheer as chiffon," Margaret Ann Vanderpoorten, with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service,

She explained that these ultrasheer doubleknits have been produced in Europe from a variety of different fibers -- natural, synthetic and blends.

"Variations can be made to look like dotted Swiss, mousseline, crepe and other specialty fabrics."

"These fabrics are currently being used for blouses, lingerie and other intimate apparel. And by late spring the sheer doubleknits should be available

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MR. AND MRS. HUGH BLEDSOE

Mr. Mrs. Hugh Bledsoe Honored on Anniversary

An open house Sunday, March 9, honored a couple who lived here as children and during the early years of their marriage, then returned 6 years ago to make their retirement home in Wellington. The event was given for Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lawson Bledsoe, who observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary on March 11.

Their only child, Danny Bledsoe, his wife, Betty, and their children Stacy and Kelly Jo, came from Saugus, Calif., for the celebration.

Hosting the open house were a sister-in-law, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, and nieces, Mrs. Bill Wilson, Mrs. Richard Savage of Borger, Mrs. Joe McQuay of Amarillo, and Mrs. Gano Wilson of Estelline.

Guests were received by the couple, their son and daughter-in-law. Mrs. Gano Wilson was at the register.

The reception table was laid with a white cloth and centered with a large arrangement of yellow chrysanthemums. Silver and crystal appointments were used. The couple's granddaughters, Stacy Bledsoe and Kelly Jo Bledsoe of Saugus, Calif., served the guests.

During most of the years they were away from here, Mr. Bledsoe worked in the industry, first the Phillips Petroleum Co., at Phillips, then with Reading and Bates Drilling Co., which operates world-wide, but with headquarters at Tulsa, Okla. This took them to assignments in Canada, Alaska and Germany, during some of the early periods of drilling on those areas. Mr. Bledsoe was a mechanic, keeping much of the complicated drilling equipment running.

The head of operations was a cousin, K.L. Moss. Now retired, he and his wife live at Mangum and were here to help the Bledsoes celebrate their anniversary.

Their first assignment out of the U.S. was north of Calgary, Alberta, Canada. Mrs. Bledsoe remembers the people as having many of the qualities of the English, who were harder for them to learn to know. After two years, in 1960, they transferred to

Coffee at Quail March 12 Introduces Mrs. Blevins

By Mrs. G. T. Stephens

Mrs. Marvin Blevins was honored with an introductory coffee Wednesday, March 12 from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Delbert White. Other hostesses were Mrs. Loyd Langley, Mrs. Mary Clay and Mrs. Cary Neeley.

Mrs. Clay greeted the guests and presented them to Mrs. Blevins.

The serving table was laid

From Emden, Mr. Bledsoe also worked in Holland and Denmark. They returned home when he became ill.

"People here don't appreciate out country. You don't until you have lived away from it", Mrs. Bledsoe declared. They lived at Ft. Sumner, N.M., 5 years before coming back to Wellington.

This couple was part of a group, first at Lillie and later at Borger, that loved gospel singing, and he led the Phillips Four for a number of years. She was the accompanist. They sang over much of Texas.

They still sing, most of the time for residents of Thomas Nursing Center.

"So many of our friends from Lillie and Salt Fork are there," said Mrs. Bledsoe. He also carries the mail on Route 6 as substitute carrier, and the couple has a champion Paint stallion. They bowl once a week. They belong to the Fundamental Baptist Church.

Mrs. Bledsoe is the former Pearl Wilson, and came with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Wilson from Ellison County in 1906, when she was a year old. Her father hauled lumber from Memphis and Shamrock for their first home in the Salt Fork community. They moved in for their first Christmas in Collingsworth, even though the doors were

with a lace trimmed gold cloth. The centerpiece was an arrangement of white carnations in an antique crock pitcher, and donuts were served out of a crock bowl.

Those attending were:

Mrs. Harold White, Mrs. Hayce Kennedy and Mrs. Clay of Hedley; Mrs. Roy Pegram, Mrs. Andy Bell, Tony and Paul, Mrs. Raymond Ross, Mrs. John W. Carson, Mrs. R.D. Jones, Mrs. Carl Wischkaemper, Mrs. N.E. Childers, Mrs. Roy Canada, Mrs. D.R. Langley Mrs. Warren Merrell, Mrs. G.T. Stephens, Mrs. Paul Fielding, Mrs. Tom Crabtree, Mrs. O.L. Hartman, Mrs. Guy Brandvik, Leslie and Michael, Mrs. Don Guthrie, Dana and Terry, Mrs. Harold Caldwell, Mrs. Lonnie Needham, Mrs. Jerol Morris, Mrs. White, Mrs. Langley, Mrs. Clay and Mrs. Neeley.

not hung and had to be nailed in place.

While it was going up, the Wilsons and their three children stayed with the Claunches and their 5 children, all in a one-room house with a half-dug out!

She attended Salt Fork School.

Mr. Bledsoe was born in Grayson County, and came here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Bledsoe when he was a young boy. He attended school in Grayson County and at Bean Hill.

Respect for a person's ideas and feelings, even if you disagree with what he is saying, helps improve communications, Mrs. Ilene Miller, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, reminds.

Birthday Party Held

Mrs. Helen Golliugh, county-district clerk, was honored with a surprise birthday party by court house employees and county officials Thursday, March 13. It was given in the office of Mrs. Beatrice McKinney, justice of the peace.

A birthday cake, cards and gifts were presented

Attending were Linda Trent, Mrs. Frances Williams, Mrs. Alton Belew, Mrs. Redgie Souder, Tom Vermillion, Mrs. Leon Martin, John Alf Thomas, Mrs. Mote, Mrs. McKinney, Mrs. Clyde Dwight, Miss Patsy Gentry, John Rainey,

Mrs. Pat Glenn, Richard Keller, N.E. Childers, Jackie Gunnels, Jimmy Bowen, Mrs. Jimmie Sessions, Mrs. Bob Barton, Bob Watson, Mrs. Charlene Poteet, Mrs. Pat McAlister, Miss Ann Smith, Judge R.L. Templeton, Mrs. Isla Mae Morris and Mrs. Barbara Williamson.

NWMS Has Study Meet

Dodson Nazarene World Missionary Society continued its study, "The Gospel in Argentina and Uruguay," when Mrs. Ila Orr of Hollis was hostess Tuesday, March 11.

Participating were Mrs. Ila Orr and the Rev. Howard Smith.

Mrs. Bill Holder, president, directed the meeting and presented the emphasis, Easter. Mrs. Georgia Owens presented the devotional and prayers were by Mrs. Iva Lewis and Mrs. Ocie Lewis.

Refreshments were served to two guests, Mrs. Thelma Frazier and Mrs. Maude Keith, and 10 members.

The next meeting will be in the church annex for election of officers. Mrs. Cora Lowry will be the hostess.

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In the Kitchen

RATATOUILLE
2 medium eggplants, peeled and cubed
2 medium zucchini, sliced
2 small green peppers, diced
2 medium onions, sliced
2 cans (16 ounces each) tomatoes
2 cloves garlic, crushed
1/2 cup corn oil
2 teaspoons salt
2 1/2 teaspoon dried basil leaves
1/2 teaspoon pepper

In a large saucepan mix together eggplant, zucchini, green pepper, onion, tomato, garlic, corn oil, salt, basil and pepper. Cover and cook over medium low heat about 30 minutes or until all vegetables are tender. Cover and chill in refrigerator. Makes 14 (1/2 cup) servings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Welch Honor Cycle Club at Party

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Welch entertained members of the Wellington Motorcycle Club with a "thank you" party Thursday, March 13, in the Heritage Room. Assisting were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Manuel.

Following the accident to Mr. and Mrs. Welch near Roswell, N.M., in September, as they were enroute to a motorcycle Rally, the Wellington club took over

the repair of their motorcycle.

As a token of their appreciation, the hosts presented the club a hand-crafter plaque, bearing their emblem and reading: "To the Wellington Cycle Club, in Appreciation for your Helpfulness and Consideration. Wade and Maxine Welch."

The refreshment table was centered with an arrangement of red and white flowers, the club colors. Chips and dips, cookies, punch and coffee were served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Foster, Ve-

1954 Study Club Has Meeting

Members of the 1954 Study Club held a planning session for their Tiny Tot Revue at their meeting Thursday, March 13. Mrs. Bill Hatch was hostess and Mrs. Virgil Patterson, President, was in charge.

During the business ses-

ronica and Monica, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Martin and Kevin, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Derryberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Patterson of Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sweat, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Barnett, Jeff and Gina, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Thomason and Tommy

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McAlister, Larry Gollighugh, John Alf Thomas, Harve Taylor of Hollis, Mr. and Mrs. Randy West, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Needham, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel.

sion, Mrs. Patterson reminded the club of the Top of Texas District Convention which will be held in Amarillo April 4 and 5.

The committee was named to direct the club's bicentennial project for Collingsworth County Historical Museum.

Mrs. Lynn Wright is chairman and working with her will be Mrs. Cal Hurst, Mrs. A.J. Fires, Mrs. Bill Hatch and Mrs. Paul Spillman.

Attending were three guests, Mrs. Joe Wood, Mrs. Bill Spillman and Mrs. Mark Fires, and these members, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Fires, Mrs. Lacy, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Roy Collins, Mrs. Jerry Nix, Mrs. Paul Spillman, Mrs. Fred Cox, Mrs. R.L. Templeton, Mrs. Leon Hartman and the hostess, Mrs. Hatch.

Personal

Mrs. Jack Lowry, Mrs. Paul Schaub and son, Russell, visited recently with Dr. and Mrs. Joel Lowry, Landon and Melanie, in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keller visited in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Aubert Keller, Ft. Worth, over the weekend.

Mrs. Jack Blunt of Donivan, Missouri, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Cora Fisher and other relatives.

Mr. Herschell Bradley of Borger visited in the home of his sister Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lindley Saturday. The three of them visited Saturday evening in the home of the Guy Lindley's son, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lindley, Jennifer and Julie, in Childress.

Gifts Honor Gladys Kelso

Wellington Business and Professional Womens Club recently made a donation to the National Business & Professional Women's Clubs Foundation in the amount of \$100.00 in memory of the late Mrs. Gladys Kelso.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harwell also gave \$100.00 through the local club in memory of Mrs. Kelso.

Mrs. Harwell is the District 10 Foundation Chairman and has received recognition for her past efforts for the Foundation.

The Foundation was established in 1956 by the National Business & Professional Women's Clubs and since that time has sought new ways to encourage and assist women in education for careers.



MRS. J.F. MICHAEL

Friends Here and at Claude Honor Mrs. J.F. Michael

Friends in Wellington entertained Mrs. J.F. Michael with a surprise birthday party on Tuesday afternoon, March 4, and on the same day, other friends in Claude, her former home, gave a birthday luncheon in her honor.

The events were planned jointly, for the Wellington hostesses, Mrs. George Henry, Mrs. Gorman Owens, Mrs. Jack Davis and Mrs. Claude McKinney, used her absence to put up new draperies in her home, The Michael House, and to prepare the refreshment table for 70 friends who called.

By pre-arrangement, also, Mrs. Michael's daughter-in-law and granddaughter, Mrs. Charles Michael and Kathy, of Garden City, Kansas, were waiting with the hostesses when she and Mrs. Davis returned from Claude.

The decorated birthday cake and an arrangement of spider mums in spring colors centered the refreshment table. Tami Boswell served the cake and Kathy Michael the punch. Mrs. Charles Michael was at the guest register.

Mrs. Michael came to

Wellington with her husband, the late Rev. Michael, when he was assigned as pastor of First United Methodist Church. They remained five years, one of the most popular pastoral couples to serve that church. They left for a new pastorate at Munday with the assurance that they would return to Wellington for their retirement home.

In preparation of this, Methodist Men bought and had ready the Michael House. This is to be their home for the lifetime of either. As long as ownership remains with Methodist

Men, this will be the home of a retired pastor or his wife. Mrs. Michael is a West Texan, reared at Silverton and Lockney. She attended West Texas State University and was graduated from Scarritt College in Nashville, Tenn., a school which trains workers in the various fields of religion.

She later did religious work, but she was teaching in Lorenzo elementary school when she and Rev. Michael, then pastor at Abernathy, were married in 1929.

Long tenures were to

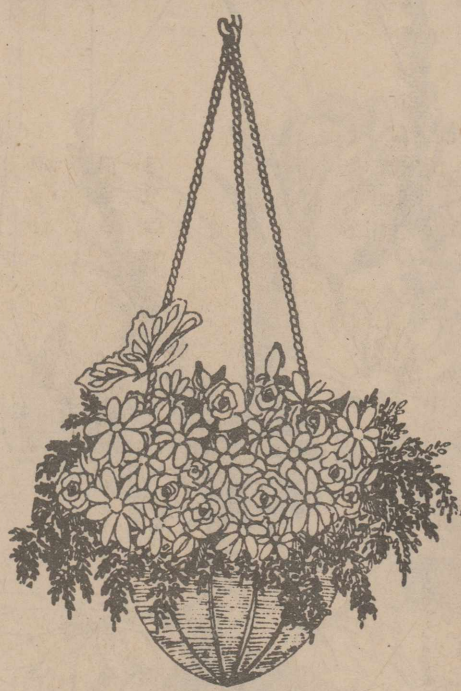
characterize his ministry. After Abernathy, he was pastor of Methodist churches at Turkey four years, Hooker, Okla., 5, Claude 7, and Fairmont Church, Abilene 6 years before coming here. Rev. Michael's health failed while they were living at Munday, and he retired from the ministry.

However, it was a case of the retiree not retiring. In order that members of the Kelley and Dodson Methodist Churches could have services, Rev. Michael became their pastor.

He died in January 1965. In 1968, Mrs. Michael returned to religious work for a time, serving as a VISTA volunteer in southeastern Oklahoma, working principally with Indians in that area.

She is active in community life, having done volunteer work at the hospital and during the Red Cross Bloodmobile visits. She is active in United Methodist Women, the county Retired Teachers Association, Wellington Book Club and Excelsior Club.

Her son, Dr. Charles Michael, is dean of Garden City College, the oldest community college in the U.S. Her family also includes Rev. Michael's three children, Joe Michael who teaches at Magnolia, near Houston; Mrs. Marie Parks of Los Angeles and Mrs. Ed Howell of Shreveport.



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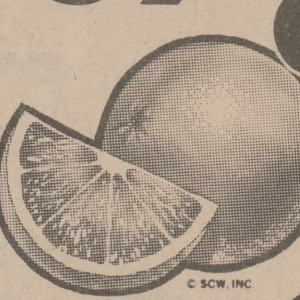
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New Apartment Units Will Meet Urgent Wellington Need

Announcement of a fine new 12-unit apartment complex in Wellington, subject to FHA approval, is some of the best news the town can have as the spring months begin. It is the first step in the solution of the housing problem that has handicapped Wellington for a long period of years.

These will appeal to the substantial citizen, possibly wanting to retire, who desires a comfortable home without prospects of lawn mowing and other maintenance problems.

When completed, it will free just that many houses for other people, either those already here or new residents.

Certainly Lev's Housing and the Wellington office of the Farmers Home Administration are to be commended. Wellington is fortunate to have this new apartment project.

Other Editors Say . . .

Job Is Best Friend

Contrary to the old chestnut, a man's best friend isn't his dog; it's his job. That fact is doubly apparent in this day of rising unemployment.

There was a time not long ago, in periods of labor shortage, when a man could treat his job in cavalier fashion, making demands, criticizing his superiors, doing his work in slipshod manner. That day isn't now. A man's job today is his salvation. It keeps his body and morale intact. It protects his loved ones.

A man therefore should treat his job as his most prized possession. He should faithfully discharge his responsibilities and remain steadfastly loyal to his company and to his employers.

Such an attitude would be, we confess, almost 180 degrees from those attitudes prevailing in the 1960s. But the shift is overdue and vital.

A man's job is clearly his best friend, and many a desperate victim of unemployment covets that unappreciated friend of yours. Guard it well -- by remaining true to it, and to yourself.

— Glenn Shelton in The Wichita Falls Record News

No Home Rule

Emperor Tiberius ruled Rome from his residence in Capri during the last decade of his life. His orders were signaled by semaphore to a lookout station on the Sorrento Peninsula, and thence from peak to peak to the capital almost 125 miles away.

Heavy Volume

The Amazon River, with a volume of flow 11 times as great as the Mississippi's, spills from its mouth one-fifth of all the fresh water discharged by rivers into all the seas of the world.

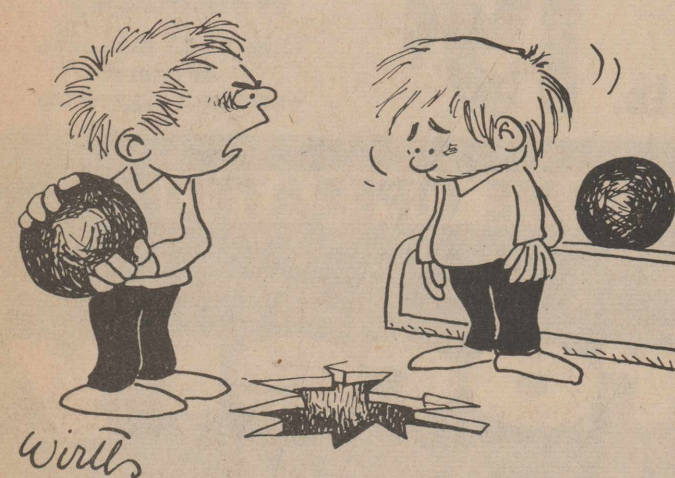
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Arab Shiekhdomb

Muscat and Oman on the southeastern part of the Arabian Peninsula cover about as much land as Kansas, but with only about half the population, an estimated 750,000. Capital of Muscat has some 6,200 population.

THE HOME TEAM



"Butterfingers!"

STATE CAPITAL



AUSTIN — A senator and a representative revived an old idea for a new reason — dividing big Texas into five states.

Sen. Bob Gammage, a Houston liberal, and Rep. Fred Agnich, a Dallas Republican, proposed a 1976 referendum on the big carve-up.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe immediately frowned publicly on their proposition, and few colleagues were expected to go along in the legislature.

Agnich recommended a division by population into Central, North, South, East and West Texas.

The late former Sen. and Rep. V. E. "Red" Berry of San Antonio regularly recommended dividing Texas, in the interest of bringing liquor-by-the-drink and horse racing to South Texas.

Gammage and Agnich want to increase Texas' clout on the national scene. With five states, they argue, the states of Texas could have 10 U.S. senators and a proportional increase in presidential electoral votes.

Sponsors claim the split-up is authorized by the articles of annexation of the Republic of Texas in 1845.

INTEREST BILL PASSES

Governor Briscoe is pondering whether to approve (or again veto) a bill which opponents in the Senate charged would raise interest further on real estate loans.

The bill (HB 351 by Rep. Ben Munson of Denison) would provide for spreading all interest charges, including "points" now paid in advance over the life of real estate loans. It also would permit loans of \$500,000 or more for interim construction or real estate financing to individuals at greater than 10 per cent interest.

Briscoe indicated he may sign because the bill appears to be more specific on the type loan to which it applies than the 1973 bill which he vetoed.

APPOINTMENTS TROUBLES

Trouble over appointments flared like brush fires for the Governor in the Senate.

First, he had to withdraw the nomination of Bryan oilman Ford Albritton Jr. for the College Coordinating Board in the face of almost certain rejection. Then, some liberal senators opposed confirmation of Walter G. Sterling, 73-year-old Houston manufacturer and son of former Gov. Ross Sterling, as a University of Texas regent, after Sterling admitted a brief membership in the John Birch Society.

Meanwhile, Sen. D. Roy Harrington of Port Arthur had threatened rejection of Mrs. W. Smythe Shepherd of Beaumont to the Lamar University board of regents. About the same time, two liberal senators threatened to vote against former Sen. Dorsey Hardeman of San Angelo if he is reappointed to Texas Water Rights Commission.

COURTS SPEAK

The State Supreme Court has agreed to hear a \$10.5 million lawsuit over a collision of two horses and severe injury of a 15-year-old rider.

The High Court also ordered a jury trial in a Port Arthur man's suit against a finance company which he claimed put out a false telephone report that his brother was dead.

A five year prison sentence of a 17-year-old boy for theft was reversed by the Court of Criminal Appeals because he was slapped and choked by a policeman before "confessing."

APPOINTMENTS

Governor Briscoe named board of regents members for three more institutions.

Appointed to the Texas Tech University board were Don R. Workman of Lubbock, Robert Lee Pfluger of San Angelo and Charles G. Scruggs (reappointed) of Dallas. Gen. G. P. Disosway of Dallas was placed on the Midwestern University board. Homer Lee Bryce of Henderson, Joe Bob Golden Jr. of Jasper and James Irvine Perkins of Rusk were reappointed at Stephen F. Austin State University.

In addition, Briscoe reappointed Bernard G. Johnson to the Board of Regents for State Senior Colleges.

Wilmer Smith of Wilson, Grady C. Clark Jr. of Corpus Christi and Heino Stafel Jr. of Austin were reappointed to the State Seed and Plant Board.

J. D. Wendeborn of Laredo and James D. Keister of Amarillo were reappointed to the Texas Board of Physical Therapy Examiners.

UTILITIES BILLS SLOWED

Three bills to create a state utilities commission to regulate rates and services landed in a Senate subcommittee after a hearing which stretched over a week in three separate sessions.

Utilities spokesmen attacked the measures as unnecessary, a handicap to their attracting needed capital and no assurance of lower rates.

Proponents by the score urged the proposed new state agency to help them with their rate problems.

Indications are a bill will emerge from the Senate State Affairs Committee eventually, but Chairman Sen. Bill Moore of Bryan said the vote will be "pretty close."

SHORT SNORTS

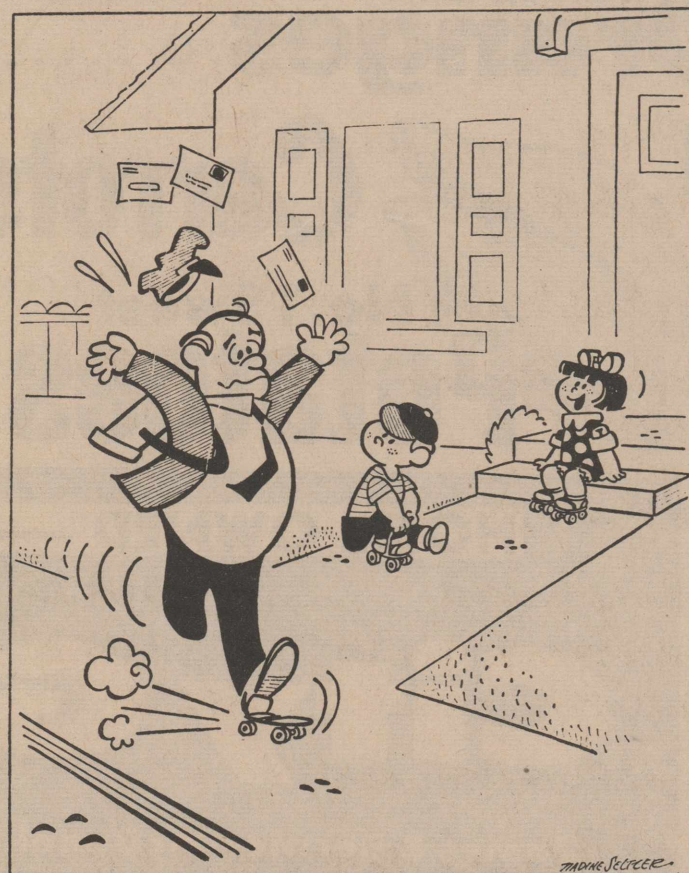
A bill to prohibit discrimination against the handicapped passed the State Senate.

So did a measure adopting the Interstate Mining Compact, another prohibiting "child sale," and authority for all home rule cities to levy hotel occupancy taxes for tourist-recreational facilities.

Comptroller Bob Bullock said an audit uncovered a \$3 million tax liability against a gas production company.

The Senate jurisprudence committee approved a bill providing that losers in libel and slander lawsuits pay reasonable attorneys fees and court costs.

SWEETIE PIE



"Look! The mailman can skate on one leg!"

Strictly Fresh

Keeping ship-shape is what some hefty persons do.

We have a late-late mystery movie every night on the tube. The projectionist keeps mixing up the reels and confusing the story.

No, Gwendolyn, Little Red Riding Hood wasn't an auburn-haired midget gangster on horseback.

Wanta confuse a kid? Ask him what a "scooter" is.

Pocket money is what you spend for repairs because of all the holes the junk you carry around makes in pockets.

If all the junk in the neighborhood were piled end-to-end our garage would look a lot neater.

Friend of ours, late to work, just breezes in and says, "Boy it was nice to slip out for breakfast after getting in two good hours at the desk."

He who laughs, lasts — if it's the boss telling the jokes.

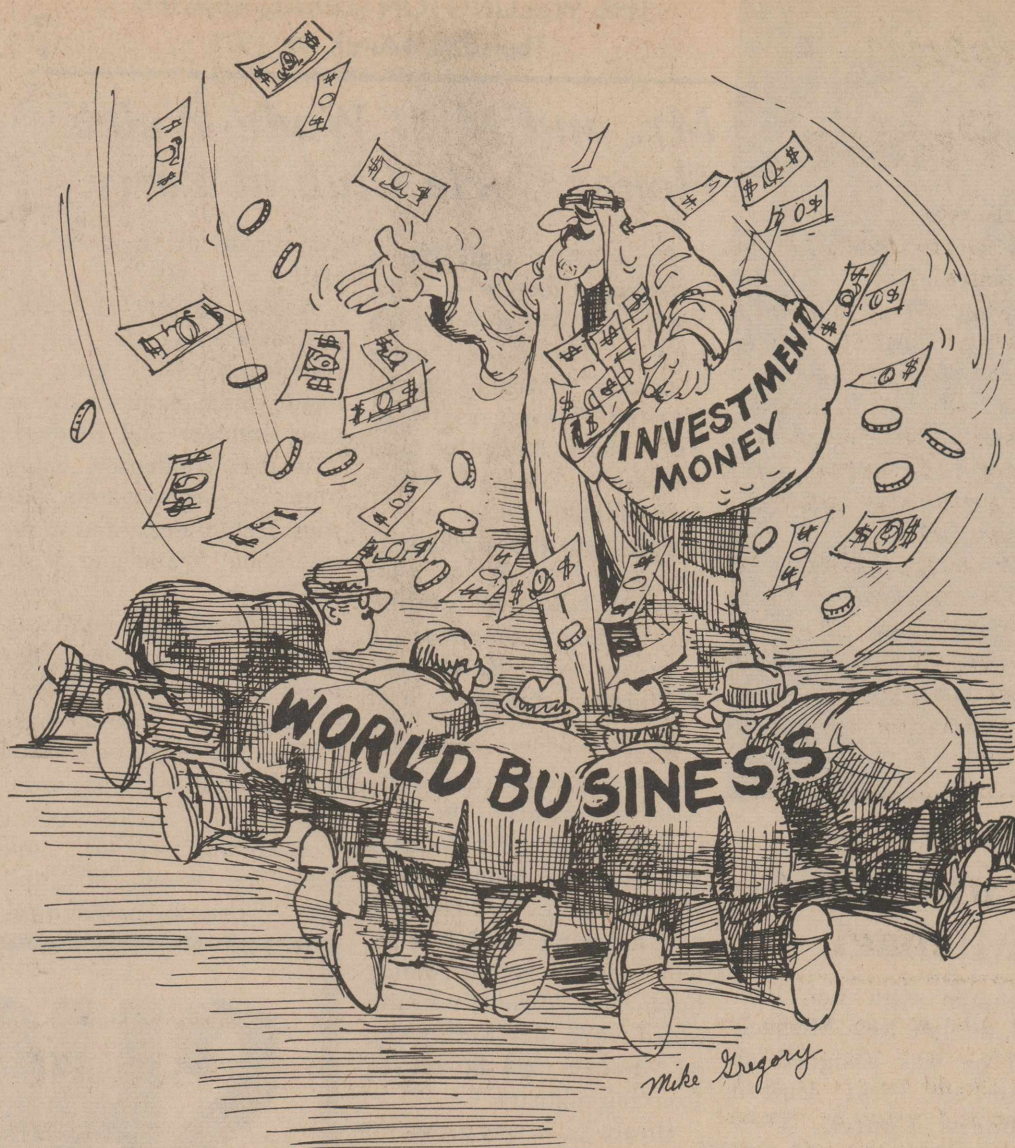
Short Takes

Mark Twine

Eighty per cent of the world's jute, used in making twine and packing material, comes from Bangladesh. The plant requires a hot, humid climate, and some sections of Bangladesh get up to 200 inches of rainfall a year.

Sea Stentor

Scientists at the Naval Research and Development Center have determined that the voice of the largest creature ever to inhabit the earth — the nearly extinct blue whale — can be heard underwater for 100 miles.



"Father of Kings"

Carlo Buonaparte, a small-town Corsican lawyer, is known as the "father of kings." He was the father of an emperor and three kings — Napoleon I, emperor of France; Joseph, king of Naples; Louis, king of Holland; and Jerome, king of Westphalia.

Artifacts

Europe's largest collection of American Indian artifacts is in West Germany. The costumes, weapons and implements have been displayed since 1928 in a museum at Radebul dedicated to German author Karl May, who wrote his frontier novels before ever visiting the United States.

Guide Lines

The United States Capitol's professional guide system stems from the Philadelphia Centennial Exposition of 1876. Near chaos occurred when hordes of sightseers moved on to Washington, prompting Congress to appoint guides to organize the crowds while describing the Capitol's wonders.

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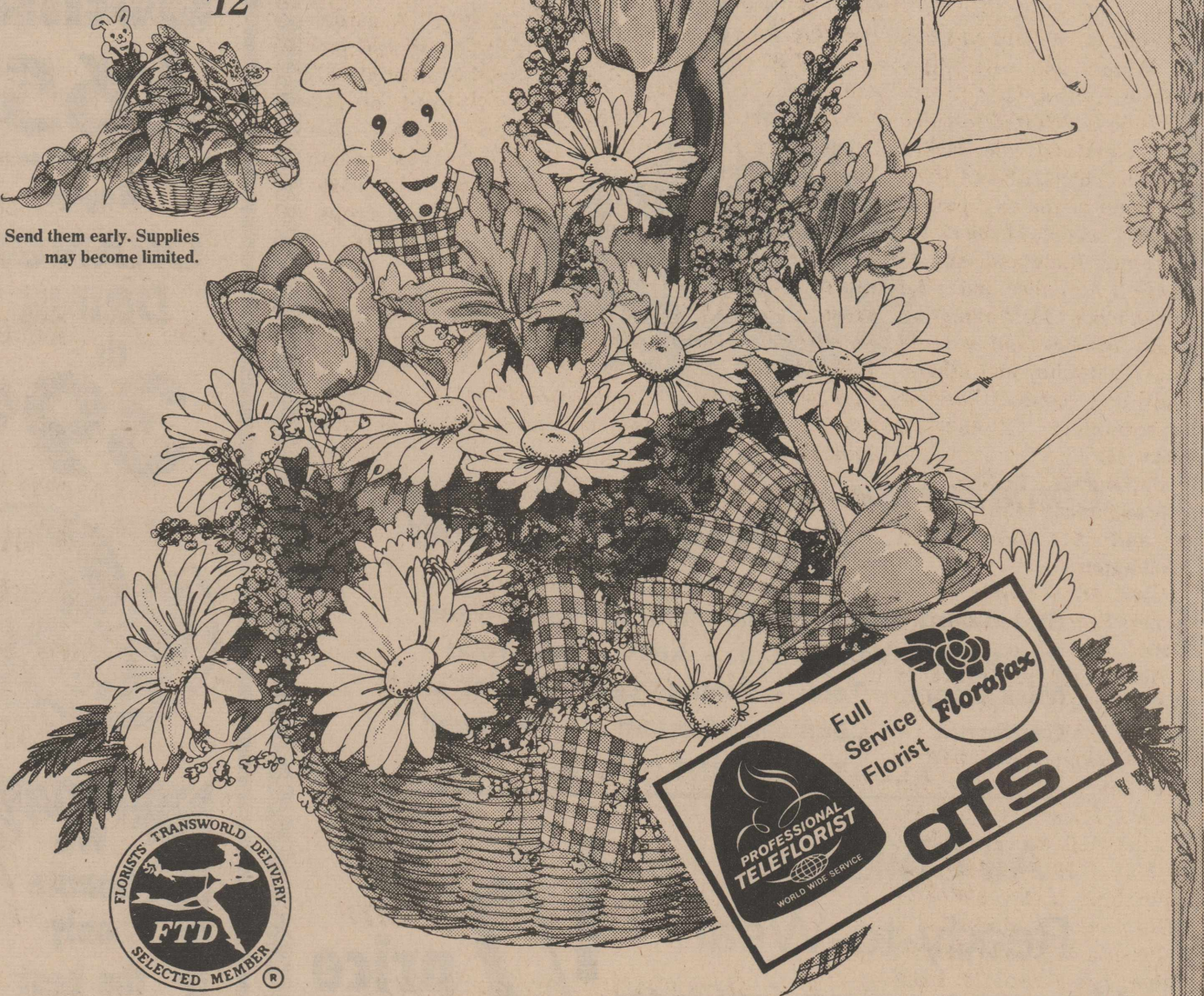
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Steers in Houston Show Given Praise

"I'm real proud of the way our steers did at the Houston Fat Stock Show," County Agent Don Reeve said this week, reviewing the placings in that event.

Mark Fourmentin received fourth place on his light weight Angus; David Baumgardner fourth on a middleweight Shorthorn; Joe Baumgardner, eleventh on a light weight Hereford; and Kirk Patterson, 15th on a

middle weight Hereford.

All calves sold for 50 cents per pound.

"They had 1600 steers to show up," said Mr. Reeves. "There were 90 steers in each of the Hereford Classes. They had to keep the top 20 in the ring, and if you got to stay you had a pretty good steer."

"I thought overall, our steers did better than anywhere else this year. They knew it was going to be tough and they got serious. We had lots of compliments on our steers."

Kiwanis Club Plans Major March Events

Two major Kiwanis Club events are coming up during the remainder of March, Bill Spillman, president, said following the meeting Friday, March 14.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt will be Sunday, March 30, from 3:00 to 3:30 in Ellison Park. This is for all children of the county and Wellington trade area outside the county.

The charter night for Wellington High School Key Club is set for Thursday, March 27, at 7:30 p.m. This will be a special occasion for the teen-age members and the community at large, Mr. Spillman pointed out.

The president also announced that a work day will be set some time during the remainder of the month to finish the club's park bench project.

Sam Adams was named Kiwanian of the Month, while Mack Saied was second.

Real Estate Transactions

Jo Anne Mayhugh to Freddy Max Mayhugh: n/2 lot 22 and lots 23 and 24, Block 88, Wellington.

Carrie E. Williams to Woodrow Wood: lots 19, 20, 21, block 123, Wellington.

Andy Y. Bell II to Dana Bell: S/2 of SW/4 section 69, block 15.

M.W. Stingel and wife to Chester Mark Fires and wife: quit-claim deed, tract out of section 100, block 14.

Willie G. Willard to Larry G. Waters and wife: SE/4 section 7, block 12.

Willie G. Willard to Larry G. Waters and wife: NW/4 section 7, block 12; and 159.3 acres out of the east part of the N/2 section 94, block 11.

Vernon Rudy and wife to Sherrell A. Fuller and wife: lot 20, block 188, Wellington.

Pat Bradley and wife to Paul C. Bradley and others: undivided one-half interest in sections 5, 22 and 23, block 22.

Garland G. Phillips and wife to James Phillips: lots 7, 8 and 9, block 122, Wellington.

City of Wellington to Elmer Feemster: Cemetery Deed.

Alma Eugenia Street to G.B. Hopper: a tract out of section 1, block 15.

G.B. Hopper and wife to B.L. Langford, 14 acres out of the S/2 section 1, block 15.

Alice Holleman and others to Robert H. Langford and wife: tract in the SW/4 of SE/4 section 2, block 15.

Patricia A. Ford to Hershel Tabor: lots 27 and 28, block 40, Dodson.

Walter A. Poteet to Ike Rogers and wife: lots 8 and 9, block 87, Wellington.

Ina Jeffers to Eldeen C. Jeffers and others: 320 acres being the N/2 of section 16, block 16.

Lula Pearl Hammons to Leslie Hammons: Lots 20 and 21, and the south half of lot 22, block 161, Wellington.



WELLINGTON MAN RECEIVES AWARD

Darrell Feemster, second from left, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Feemster of 1402 El Paso, Wellington, received the Religion Award at Wayland Baptist College, Plainview, during a recent Awards Chapel. The 1971 graduate of Quail High School is a senior religion major at Wayland. With him

are other winners, from left: Keith Bryant of Stinnett, Spinning Wheel; Eddie Owens of Ouitaque, Spinning Wheel; Bobby Hendricks, front, of Amarillo, Senator of the Year; and Sally Dillman of Canadian, Biology Award. Feemster's wife, the former Connie Bearden, is also a student at Wayland.

Home Management

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PLAN YOUR VEGETABLE GARDEN

Time spent in late winter and early spring to plan your vegetable garden will provide fresh vegetables for eating and preservation with less work.

This first important consideration is to choose vegetables that the family likes best. If only one or two members of the family like a particular vegetable, it may be cheaper to buy it at the supermarket and use the garden space for those vegetables enjoyed by all.

Secondly, choose those vegetables that have a superior taste and flavor when freshly harvested as compared to the usual store bought produce. Tomatoes, sweet corn, peas and snap beans are good examples of vegetables that taste better when harvested garden fresh.

Space is another consideration. A small garden can provide many meals if vegetables chosen do not require a lot of garden space. Also, dwarf varieties of many vegetable crops are available.

It is recommended that the inexperienced home gardener start with a relatively small garden and select vegetables that are relatively easy to grow. A garden 20 feet by 20 feet can provide abundant fresh produce for a family of three or four if managed properly. Beans, peas, tomatoes, radishes, leaf lettuce and squash are good vegetable crops for beginning gardeners.

Finally, a frequently overlooked consideration is the planned date of the family vacation. If at all possible, plant crops to mature before or after the vacation. Or perhaps a

neighbor or friend will be willing to take care of the garden during your absence for a small part of the crop.

So, take time now to begin planning the home garden. Sketch out the garden plot, list the crops to be grown, and indicate the number of rows, distance between rows and anticipated planting dates of each vegetable.

In developing a garden plan, keep these points in mind: (1) group crops according to height to prevent shading lower growing plants; (2) plant taller growing plants on the north side of the garden so they will not shade smaller ones; (3) if the garden is on a slope, run the rows across the slope, not up and down, to help hold moisture and reduce erosion; (4) group together small growing, quick maturing crops; (5) successive plantings may be made to increase productivity (remove early maturing crops as soon as they are harvested and plant a second crop in the same space); and (6) practice crop rotation if possible.

Planning prior to planting a garden will go a long way in avoiding a lot of unnecessary work and possible problems later in the year.

The 4-H club members in the county will be selling flower and vegetable seeds throughout March.

Tommy Haralson of Borger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haralson, over the week end.

Anniversary Group Here

A large group of out of town residents were here Sunday, March 9, to attend the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bledsoe. Some were relatives and many long-time residents. Six states were represented, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico, Colorado and California.

Some were friends since the earliest days the couple had lived here.

Included from out of the county were Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Bledsoe of Gentry, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Crawford of Olton; Mrs. Mayo and daughter, Mrs. Beulah Measles and daughter, of Tulsa; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Conklin of Plainview; Ruth McCallum and Alma Erikman of Childress;

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Savage and daughters of Borger; Mrs. Nina Horton of Hollis; Mr. and Mrs. K.L. Moss of Mangum; Mrs. Jeanetta Shumate and son of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Wilson of Fritch; Mrs. Shirley Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller of Memphis;

Mrs. Opha Wilson of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Mercer of Littlefield; Miss Aleta Mercer of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Joe McQuay and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Wilson of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Gano Wilson and daughters of Estelline;

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Claunch of Enoch; Mrs. Annie Russell of Willow; Charlie Curry and Mrs. Alice Holleman of Hollis; Mrs. Vivian Godbey of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Martin of Ft. Sumner, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Botler of Farmington, N.M.; Mrs. Maude Mitchell of Ft. Worth; and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gilbreath of Dove Creek, Colo. Coming from California were Mr. and Mrs. Bledsoe's only child and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Bledsoe, Stacy and Kelly Jo of Saugus.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Karnes spent Friday and Saturday in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Karnes, Amarillo.

Four-H Club Styles Hair

Four-H Helping Hands Club met recently in Mrs. Bob Weatherly's home, and they worked on their food and nutrition record books for the food show. The club has completed sixteen hours work on the food and nutrition division.

At the March 11 meeting the club began work on their "Ready-Set-Go with Clothing" project. This involves good grooming, textile and economics. They studied about hair styling and basic face shapes. Melanie Pendleton, Renee Lacy and Leigh Myrick were the models for hair styles. The members attending both meetings were:

Melanie Pendleton, Renee Lacy, Leigh Myrick, Stacy Weatherly, Jennifer Pendleton, Catrina Atkinson, Kathleen Reeves and the leaders, Mrs. Bob Weatherly and Mrs. Dick Pendleton.

Mrs. Jack Lowry had her son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Joel Lowry, Melanie and Landon, from Vernon visiting this week end. Also visiting with Mrs. Lowry Sunday was her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schaub, DiAnna, Lowry and Russell, Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Lowry and Mrs. Rufus Sweat.



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Pat McAlister, administrative assistant of Greenbelt Electric Co-operative, Inc.,

will be the electric project leader and instructor.

Six classes are planned, and these will be work sessions for 4-H members seriously interested in learning about electricity, Mr. Reeves said.

The class will meet each Thursday at 3:45 p.m. at Greenbelt Electric Co-op.

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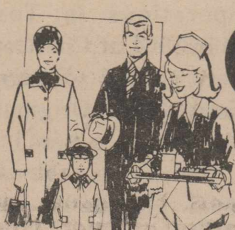
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Rep. Hightower Due At Vernon Guar Meet

VERNON -- Congressman Jack Hightower, of Texas' 13th Congressional District, will be the guest speaker at the Guar Day and Barbecue, co-sponsored by the Vernon Chamber of Commerce and Stein, Hall & Co., Inc., to be held Saturday, March 22, at the Wilbarger County Auditorium, Vernon.

Several hundred farmers and their wives from the North Texas-Southwestern Oklahoma area are expected to attend the Guar Day ceremonies, which will start with a barbecue at 12 noon. Also expected are county agricultural agents, soil conservationists, agronomists and specialists from the two states' agricultural extension services, university officials and local bankers.

Recent developments in guar agronomy and guar economics will be reviewed by Orbie C. Cannedy, Stein, Hall's agronomy manager at Vernon, and William P. Mastrolia, vice president of Celanese Coatings & Specialties Company, Louisville, Ky. Stein, Hall is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Celanese Corporation.

Mayor Hamp Naylor, of Vernon, will welcome the Guar Day visitors to Vernon and C.L. Glazener, vice president of the Herring National Bank, Vernon, will serve as master of ceremonies.

Paul Hawkins, executive vice president of the Vernon

Chamber of Commerce, has announced that all North Texas-Southern Oklahoma farmers (and their wives) who are interested in guar's potential are invited to attend. Tickets are available -- without charge -- at the office of the County Agricultural Agent in some 50 counties extending approximately from Wichita Falls west to New Mexico border and from Abilene north to Amarillo, as well as the southwestern counties of Oklahoma. These counties are generally regarded as "guar country."

Guar, a warm weather crop, can be planted as a primary crop in a double cropping program or in rotation with cotton, sorghum, corn and vegetables. It will stand long periods of dry weather, resting when the soil is dry, then springing into growth and bloom again after rain or irrigation. Planting time in North Central Texas and Southwestern Oklahoma ranges from May 15 to July 1.

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Stein, Hall's guar processing operations in Texas started in 1964 at Chillicothe and were shifted to Vernon two years later. Originally, the plant site covered 11 acres of the Vernon Industrial Foundation land but this later was expanded to 35 acres.

Stein, Hall became part of Celanese in 1970. In addition to the Vernon processing plant, Stein, Hall has guar plants in Charleston, S.C., Long Island City, N.Y., Clifton, N.J., Holland, Switzerland and South Africa.

Celanese has been in Texas since 1945, when it built a chemical plant at Bishop. That was followed by a chemical technical center at Corpus Christi, and plants at Pampa, Bay City and Clear Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Raburn had as guests in their home last week her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Haralson of Texarkana, and her sister Mrs. George Clark from Long Beach, Calif. Mrs. Clark will remain here for a longer visit. They also visited in the home of their other sisters, Mrs. W.M. Williams and Mrs. O.W. Peebles and other relatives.



THE MISSION CRUSADERS

Mission Crusaders at Nazarene Church Fri.

The Mission Crusaders, 24 students from Bethany Nazarene College, will conduct a mission-evangelism crusade at the Wellington Church of the Nazarene Friday, March 21, at 7:30 p.m.

Traveling with the team is the sponsor, Prof. Dwain Grant, who is associate professor in the Division of Business at Bethany Nazarene College.

World Missions is the emphasis of the group. Several team members are preparing to be missionaries. Others are working toward degrees in the liberal arts and sciences, including medicine, religion, religious education, music, home economics, and education. Team members come from many states, off the educational zone, as well as on the zone.

Directing the group is Larry Hahn, a junior from Colorado. The manager is Mikal Klumpp, a junior from Houston, Texas.

The team is sponsored by the Missions In Action of the Bethany Nazarene College

Campus. The Mission Crusaders travel two Sundays a month to Nazarene churches, in Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Texas. The Church of the Nazarene, is one of the ten largest missionary-sending agencies in the world, and has over 600 missionaries in 50 countries.

The pastor of the Wellington Church of the Nazarene, the Reverend Erwin Emmert announces the public is cordially invited to hear the Mission Crusaders.

Members of the Crusaders are Judy Arnold, Sharon Birdwell, Sally Hahn, Linda Vaughn, Shirley Craig, Bertha Kepler, Jennifer Green, Connie Bowman, Rosanne Els, Barb Pridey, Juanette Sneed, Rhonda Barber, Mikal Klumpp, Mark Adams, Don Carlson, Terry Stroud, R.B. Broyles, Bobby Jobe, Gary Johnson, Larry Hahn, David Jones and Brad Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fulcher spent the week end in Arlington visiting his son, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fulcher.

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Hospital Notes

Visiting Hours: 2:00 to 4:30 p.m.; 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Mrs. Adelle Tinney, medical, March 10 to 13.
Mrs. Mary Saldana, medical, has been a patient since March 10.

Mrs. Opal Christoph of Dallas has been a medical patient since March 10.

Otha Talley, medical, has been hospitalized since March 11.

Mrs. Susie Horton, medical, March 12 to 16.

Mrs. Tiffin Young, medical, was admitted March 13.

Mrs. Catherine Bennett has been a medical patient since March 13.

Mrs. Manuel M. Lomas of Dodson, obstetrical, March 14 to 16.

Mrs. Chas. B. Jones was admitted March 16 for medical treatment.

Mrs. Mary Scott, medical, entered the hospital March 16.

Mrs. Mary Cantu, medical, has been a patient since March 16.

Joe Powell, medical, was admitted March 17.

Patients admitted earlier and dismissed since March 10:

Mrs. Manuel M. Lomas of Dodson, March 10.

T.E. Lennon of Dodson, March 10.

J.D. Morris, March 11.

Mrs. Nacie Bounds, March 12.

Earl Hunter, March 13.

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3. Number of persons in your household: ()
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\$6500-\$8000 ☐ Over \$8000 ☐

Does your income include: Old Age Assistance ☐ Social Security ☐
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6. Do you live in House ☐ Apartment ☐ Room ☐
On a farm ☐ In town ☐
7. Is your present housing modern ☐ Not modern but adequate ☐
Inadequate ☐ If so, in what respect? _____
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PUBLIC NOTICE

On the 10th day of February, 1975, the Board of Trustees of the Wellington Independent School District voted unanimously to call a trustee election to be held April 5, 1975 in the Bura Handley Community Center, for the purpose of electing three (3) trustees for the Wellington Independent School District. John Coffee was elected as Election Judge. Absentee voting to be in School Tax & Business Office, High School Building, from 8:00-12:00 a.m. - 1:00-5:00 p.m. through April 1, 1975.
SIGNED:
E.W. Clement,
Superintendent Wellington Schools

any and all bids submitted. Helen Gollighugh, County Clerk Collingsworth County, Texas 34-1c

NOTICE

Danny Vaughan, DVM, announces assumption of the practice of Shamrock Veterinary Clinic. Office hours will be 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily, except Wednesday afternoons, Sundays and Holidays; Emergencies anytime by appointment.

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We want to thank each of you for your sympathy at the death of our loved one, Bruce Nance, the cards, flowers, memorials and prayers.

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Dr. and Mrs. E. Byron Range, Jr. and Children We want to thank all our friends for the flowers, visits, cards and words of sympathy during our bereavement after the death of my sister, Mrs. J.R. Beard of Hollis, Okla.

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IT MAY not be good for the ego; but it is worthwhile to rub elbows with and listen to men of talent and great technical knowledge once in a while. Henry and I did that last week end and for good measure I took my granddaughter, Marian McDowell, to the all day seminar.

IT WAS a program on News Reporting and the Law sponsored by the State Bar of Texas, The Texas Press Association and the Texas Association of Broadcasters. It was held at the Joe C. Thompson Center at the University of Texas which adjoins the LBJ Library.

THE SPEAKERS included Frank Abrams, legal counsel for The New York Times; Hon. A.L. Alarcon, Superior Court Judge of Los Angeles; Fred Graham, C.B.S. legal correspondent; Robert Heath, Assistant Attorney General of Texas; Prof. Roy M. Mersky, director of Research of the University of Texas Law School and a larger group of panelists who are famous in either the fields of law, broadcasting or journalism.

MARIAN and Henry took the seven hour session in stride and kept taking copious notes until the last; but this old scholar was about exhausted before school turned out.

EVEN SO I got an earful whether I understood all of it or not. They may need to run me through the wringer again unless my children can explain it to me. Twenty or thirty years ago, I thought I knew considerable about publication laws, libel laws, etc.

SATURDAY I learned that decisions of the Supreme Court in the last ten years have liberalized what newspapers can print and broadcasters can say without any fear of having to pay damages. This is particularly true of reporting on the actions of public officials and this applies to more than elected officials. According to these eminent men of the law, a public official is one who has been elected, appointed or who has been employed to work for the public and is paid whether wholly or in part with tax dollars.

THERE IS another classification that may find themselves the object of publicity whether they want it or not. This is the public figure. On the national scene it might be an actor or actress, a noted novelist or a distinguished surgeon. Anyone who is in the public eye is a public figure. And then there are those quiet people leading modest lives who are suddenly drawn into a great controversy, great tragedy or a natural disaster. They become public figures overnight.

THE DAY before the all day Law and News Reporting Seminar, we attended the dedication ceremonies of the new Communications building, which is really three buildings in a magnificent \$11.8 million complex. Gov. Allen Shivers presided at the ceremonies and Fred W. Friendly, of CBS fame and now Professor of Journalism at Columbia, delivered the main address. Lady Bird Johnson and lesser known Regents of the University of Texas were present for a memorable ceremony.

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HIGH POINT MEN

These FFA team members were high point contestants in Greenbelt District Farm Mechanics Contest in Wellington recently. Jesse Freeman of Hedley, second from left in the back row, was overall high point man. Divisi on winners from left, standing, were David Null, Wellington, tool identification (tie); Kelly Rieken of Hedley, electrical; and David Russell of Quail, high in welding and a tie in high for plumbing. Kneeling from left are Johnny Needham of Quail, plumbinh (tie); Jim Slingerland and Jim Shelton of Childress, who tied in tool identification.

Peewee Tourney at Norwood Opens Thurs.

The Samnorwood junior and senior classes will sponsor the annual Peewee Basketball Tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 20, 21 and 22 in the Samnorwood Gymnasium. It will begin Thursday noon, Kenneth Martindale, principal, said.

The games for Thursday are scheduled as follows:
12:00 - (Girls) Lelia - Samnorwood
1:00 - (Boys) Lelia - Samnorwood
2:00 - (Girls) Quail - Hedley
3:00 - (Boys) Quail - Hedley
4:30 - (Girls) Wellington -

magnificent complex brought back some poignant memories. I worked on The Daily Texan when the entire effort was housed in a wooden barrack left over from World War I. The Journalism classes were scattered over the entire campus; but some were in Sutton Hall, which was the new education building at that time. I enjoyed the classes there for it was the only clean building in which I had Journalism classes.

IN THE dense fog of Monday morning Judge R.L. Templeton took me by the arm as if to help me down the foggy street; but what he really wanted to talk about was how beautiful the day before had been. I nodded agreement. What I would liked to have said was that it was a perfect spring day all the way from Austin to Wellington, on Sunday, March 16.

WE LEFT Austin under light stratus clouds as the fog of Saturday was lifting from the low places. The air was moist and the sun was bright and there was little wind. Azaleas and redbuds were blooming in Austin and redbuds and fruit trees were full of blossoms all the way to Abilene.

THIS IS a beautiful and varied state and we should forget this nonsense of dividing it into five states.

BUT if we are to consider the division seriously, we should remember the words of a general in the Texas Army. In 1845 he suggested that if Texas is to be divided into five states, we should make separate states of the counties of Lipscomb, Hemphill, Wheeler and Collingsworth. His contention was that the shape of Texas would be the same even if the Panhandle was slightly narrower.

THAT would be something to think about -- the sovereign state of Collingsworth. It would also be something to finance.

Spellers Compete for County Title March 25

Words -- and how to spell them -- will be the big thing for students from the three schools Tuesday, March 25, Don Van Pelt reminds.

This is the time of the annual Collingsworth spelling bee, when the county champions will be named in both senior and junior divisions.

The spelldown will take place in the county court room at 10:00 a.m.

Mrs. B.M. Sims will be the pronouncer, while Bobo Castleberry, Mrs. Barney Glenn and Mrs. Barbara Williamson will be the judges. The public is invited to attend.

The senior winner will represent the county in the Regional Spelling Bee at Amarillo Saturday, April 26, and the winner of that event goes to the national spelling bee at Washington in May.

Winner of the junior division will attend the Amarillo bee and the luncheon for all county winners, but will not compete.

Interest this year is higher than usual, said Mr. Van Pelt, director of the County spelling bee. Approximately 20 students competed for the right to represent Wellington Junior High School, when that competition was held Tuesday, March 11. A dozen students were in competition at Quail, and approximately the same number will take part this week at Samnorwood.

CC Fine Arts Evening Set

The Fine Arts Division of Clarendon College will present its spring "Evening of Arts" on Monday, March 24 at 8:00 p.m. in the Fine Arts Auditorium.

The evening will include sections presented by the Art Department, the Music Department and the Drama Department.

A large art show and Easter reception will start in the college cafeteria at 7:00 p.m. The art show will include paintings from the classes in oil painting and craft and hobby projects from the creative hobbies classes.

At 8:00 p.m., the Drama Department will present a one-act melodrama, "He Ain't Done Right by Nell" by Wilbur Braun.

Following this, the Music Department will present in concert, The College Singers. This section will include varied selections from currently popular and show music.

Tickets may be purchased from any of the fine arts faculty or students.

Bill Vaughan, of Lubbock, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Vaughan.

division was Cindy Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Watts. Should she not be able to participate, her place will be taken by the runner up, Valerie Van Pelt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Van Pelt.

Representing Quail in the senior division will be Beverly Patterson, while the

runner up is Christy Barton. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Barton.

The Quail junior winner is Linda Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kennedy, while the runner up is Gene Caldwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Caldwell.

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Lunchrooms

WELLINGTON

Monday, March 24: Ground beef with spaghetti, carrot sticks, broccoli, fruit, hot rolls, ½ pint milk or chocolate milk.

Tuesday, March 25: Tacos, cauliflower, lettuce and tomato salad, carrot sticks, bread, chocolate chip cookies, ½ pint milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday, March 26: Turkey sandwich, lettuce and tomatoes, whipped potatoes, green beans, old fashioned bread pudding, ½ pint milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, March 27: Pimento cheese sandwich, peanut butter with cracker, tater tots, catsup, lettuce and tomato salad, fruit, Easter cup cakes, ½ pint milk or chocolate milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Mauldin were in Bridgeport over the week end to visit their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mauldin.

Jerry Maxwell, Dental Technician 3rd Class is home from Guam visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maxwell and Harold. Jerry will be here until April 10 when he reports to San Diego dental school.

SP/4 LESLEY BAILEY

Lesley Bailey To Germany

Sp/4 Lesley James Bailey left for a U.S. Army assignment at K-Town, Germany on Saturday, March 15.

He spent 30 days at home with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Bailey, and his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. James Milligan of Amarillo.

His new station of duty will be with the 5th Maintenance Co.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dodge and Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Morris spent the week end fishing at Possum Kingdom Lake. They caught 88 crappie and bass.

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