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14 Indictments Returned After Narcotics Raid

Sheriff John Rainey, working for four months with only one deputy and an undercover agent, has collected evidence which led to breaking up the sale and delivery of marijuana in the Wellington area.

As a result of the evidence gathered, 14 indictments were returned against 10 persons by a 100th district court grand jury, Thursday. It was called into session by Dist. Judge Robert Montgomery, with District Attorney Charles Darter working with the grand jury.

All but two of those indicted have been arrested.

Sheriff Rainey identified those indicted and arrested as: Reynaldo Aguilar, sale of

marijuana.

-Cruz Herrera of Dodson, two counts of sale of heroin and one for sale of marijuana. He was later charged with one case of possession of marijuana which was found when he was arrested.

-Jackie Bland, indicted for sale of marijuana, was picked up in Brenham Friday and is being held at the request of the local sheriff's department.

-Carl and Carrie Myers, were indicted for sale of marijuana. They also were later charged with possession when marijuana was found in their car after they were arrested.

-Larry Culpepper was indicted for sale of marijuana.

-Randy O'Hair was indicted for aggravated assault arising from a beating given the undercover agent.

-Randy Vaughan was also indicted for aggravated assault in the same incident.

All those arrested here on indictments of sale of marijuana and assault are free on \$1,500 bond in each case. Herrera, indicted for sale of heroin, is out on \$2,000 bond for each case against him.

The investigation began approximately four months ago, with only one person on the sheriff's staff, Chief Deputy Richard Keller, aware that it was under way. No other person knew of the investigation.

The undercover agent, a man in his early 20s, was also deputized. He worked in Wellington as a common laborer, and his employer and co-workers had no knowledge of his real purpose here, Sheriff Rainey said.

Sheriff Rainey did not release the man's name because several threats were made against his life while he was working here.

The agent's cover was blown during a trip to Wheeler county where he was recognized as a former law enforcement officer, and some of the Wellington group were alerted.

After this, he was badly

beaten during a contact at night, but managed to get away and reach a house where help was called for him.

Sheriff Rainey said he does not rule out a connection between activities in Wheeler county and here.

He estimated that the street value of the marijuana bought by the agent would be between \$15,000 and \$20,000.

The sheriff added that he believed there was little heroin in the county at present, but that he believed plans were being made to bring more here.

Trials of those indicted will be set at the next session of 100th district court.



EMERGENCY FLIGHT

Twenty-day-old Cristina Salzar, in an infant respirator, is transferred from an ambulance into the emergency helicopter at Marian Airpark Saturday evening. She was taken in a 35-minute flight to the Amarillo Emergency Receiving Center for treatment of a respiratory problem. A team from the

receiving center accompanied the helicopter, which is fitted for ambulance use. The baby, daughter of Mrs. Mary Salazar, was admitted to Collingsworth General Hospital earlier Saturday. Panhandle Emergency Medical Service Systems, operates the helicopter.

Four American Agriculture Men Protest Claims Made in Television Broadcast

Four Wellington American Agriculture supporters protested Monday, Feb. 27, a KVIL-TV newscast's claim that a Wellington farmer had threatened Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland if current farm economic problems are not solved.

Duggie Jameson, David Caison, Denzil Lacy and Tom Sanderson met with the Amarillo TV station's news staff and after several hours of discussion were granted an interview, part of which appeared on the 6 and 10 p.m. newscasts Monday. "This movement was built on non-violence, and we don't want any part of any violence," Lacy said in the interview.

Bill Tell Zortman said on an interview program last week that Lacy told an American Agriculture group in Wellington Monday that he called the station last week to protest what he thought was unfair coverage of an egg-throwing incident during Bergland's visit to Amarillo on February 21. Lacy said Zortman told him in that conversation that if Lacy condoned the egg-throwing, he condoned violence. Lacy said that he replied that

he didn't classify egg-throwing as violence. According to Lacy, Zortman then said, "Well, what if it were guns and rifles instead of eggs?" Lacy replied that "that would be violence," but that we don't advocate or condone violence, Lacy said.

The Wellington group's protest came after Zortman on another news program later in the week claimed that a Wellington farmer had called him and threatened to shoot the Secretary.

In other reports at the American Agriculture meeting

here Monday, farmers heard a report on Bergland's talk to ASCS officials in Amarillo last week. Lacy said Bergland told the group that U.S. export amounts were weather-related and that he expected a crop disaster somewhere in the world this year that would help

farm prices. Most of Bergland's remarks were devoted to explaining the government's Grain Reserve Program which USDA is pushing farmers to join.

Lacy said that during questioning the Secretary said he did not know why the cotton loan rate was set on the Liverpool market, but that he had "heard a lot about it."

Dan Henard, Jr. reported on the Farmers Union Fly-In to Washington, D.C. last week in which he and Kirby Campbell participated. He said that the proposed USDA budget for 1979 has been cut by \$5 billion while every other department except one has an increased budget.

Carroll Nunneley reported on a meeting he attended in Plainview last week with Texas Attorney General's office officials who are investigating the possibility of price fixing among cottonseed oil firms on the high plains. No charges have been filed, but investigations are continuing.

And David Caison reported on a meeting with 11 cottonseed oil mills, co-ops and buyers in Lubbock last week where American Agri-

County Democrats Call Meeting on Farm Problems

The Democratic Executive Committee of Collingsworth County had a called meeting Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 28, in regard to American Agricultural problems and how they pertain to the economy of our county.

The committee decided to ask citizens of the county to write many letters to the President asking for a better program for American agriculture.

"We need 1,000 letters to go from this county," said Mrs. John Coleman, Democratic County Chairman.

The Executive Committee is calling a county wide meeting Thursday night, March 2, at 7:00 p.m. in the Greenbelt

Electric Co-operative Directors Room.

The purpose of the meeting is to draft a resolution asking President Carter to honor the farm plank of the Democratic National Party. All resolutions should be submitted in writing.

The meeting is open to anyone who wants to attend, Mrs. Coleman emphasized.

Kirby Campbell, who was a Democratic delegate from this county to the State Convention is assisting and will serve as resolutions chairman.

Mrs. Coleman quoted from the Democratic Party Platform as carried in the Congressional Quarterly Almanac:

"Maximum agricultural

production will be the most effective means of achieving an adequate food and fiber supply and reasonable price stability to American consumers. Without parity income assurance to farmers, full production cannot be achieved in an uncertain economy. WE MUST ASSURE PARITY RETURNS TO FARMERS BASED ON COST OF PRODUCTION PLUS A REASONABLE PROFIT...."

The county chairman began Tuesday night contacting democratic chairmen in other counties to determine if they will call meetings similar to the one being held here Thursday.

Pipeline Will Bisect County

TULSA, Oklahoma-Williams Brothers Engineering Company, Tulsa, has the contract awarded by Perry Gas Transmission, Inc., of Midland, a subsidiary of Perry Gas Companies, Inc., for the engineering, design, and the construction management of the \$40-million Palo Duro Pipeline.

This pipeline will run directly south through Collingsworth, just one mile west of the center of the county.

Williams Brothers Engineering Company is a subsidiary of The Resource Sciences Corporation, also of Tulsa.

The 227-mile, 16-in. diameter, natural gas pipeline will extend from the Wheeler area in the Texas panhandle to a delivery point near Sweetwater. Initial capacity of the line is expected to be 130 MMcf with an ultimate capacity of 225 MMcf.

Williams Brothers Engineering Company has established offices in Childress and construction is anticipated to begin the first quarter of 1978.

Williams Brothers Engineering Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of The Resource Sciences Corporation, which this year was recognized as the number one design engineering firm in the United States, by Engineering News-Record magazine (McGraw-Hill). The company has operations in most states and in dozens of countries on all seven continents of the world.

The pipeline will go on a straight line south from where it enters Collingsworth County until it leaves.

It will enter at section 15, block 17, a little more than a mile west of highway US 83. The highway veers east a mile south of Elm Creek and again north of Lutie.

It will be approximately

three and one-half miles west of Lutie and cross Salt Fork River near the site of the old Ft. Worth and Denver Bridge.

The Pipeline will pass about four miles west of Wellington.

Two More File For Places on School Board

With only 24 hours remaining before the filing deadline, two additional men filed for places on the Wellington School Board, bringing to a total 9 who are seeking the three places. Both filed Tuesday.

Earl Lynn Bartlett filed for a full three-year term. He lives in Wellington and has extensive farming interests.

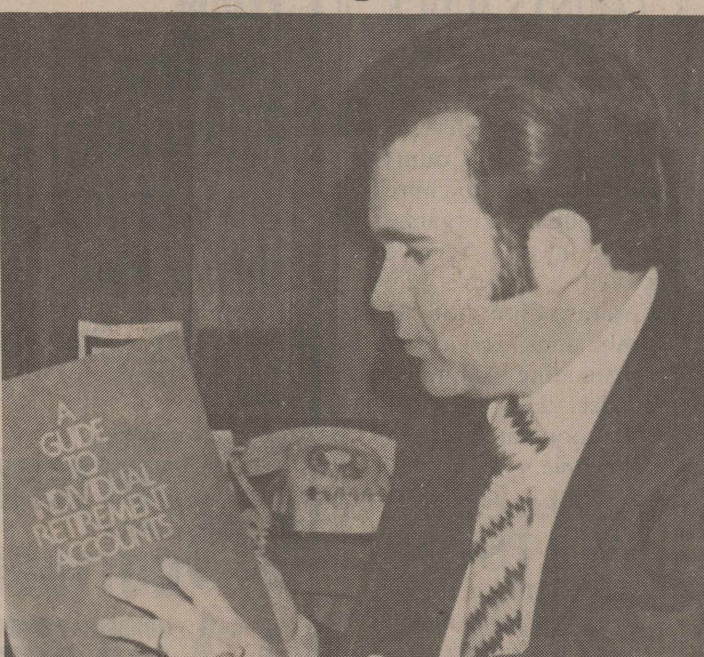
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Moseley Joins Wellington State

James Sullivan, chairman of the board, and Bill Beall, president, of Wellington State Bank, announced Tuesday that Billy Moseley has been elected executive vice president of that financial institution, effective Wednesday, March 1.

Mr. Moseley has been associated with the City State Bank 18 years and for the last three years has served as president.

In addition to a banking career that has laid emphasis to development of both the agricultural and town economy, Moseley has carried a heavy load of civic responsibilities, much of it in development of facilities for youth.



BILLY MOSELEY

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Annual Quail Pie Supper, Coronation To Be March 7

The annual Quail pie supper and coronation of the school queen is scheduled for Tuesday, March 7, at 7:00 p.m. in the new ag building.

Plans were announced by Mrs. Dollie Mae Wilson.

The queen will be selected from the high school girls. She will have two attendants, one selected from grades Kindergarten through four, and the other from grades 5 through 8. Each girl will have an escort selected from her room.

Each pie, cake box or purchase will be counted three times: once for the candidate for elementary princess, once for a candidate for junior high princess, and once for the high

school candidate for pie supper queen. There will be no votes cast for the escort. He will be chosen with the girl whom he has been selected to attend.

The high school girl with the most votes will be crowned pie supper queen. The high ranking princesses will be honored as her attendants.

This year, the girls will not wear formals and boys will not be required to wear suits.

Candidates and their escorts are:

Kindergarten and first grade: Sonya Bouldin and Anthony Carson.

Second grade: Trina Baker and Samuel Garza.

Third grade: Amy Shields and Rudy Torrez.

Fourth grade: Trudy Baker and Reuben Sanchez.

Fifth grade: Kellie Branum and Scott Thornhill.

Sixth grade: Mary Torrez and Eddie Pena.

Seventh grade: Lisa Byrd and Bobby Branum.

Eighth grade: Robbie Guthrie and David Shane Farris.

Ninth grade: Kay Guthrie and Charles Arthur.

Tenth grade: Kristy Barton and Ronald Alston.

Eleventh grade: LeAnn Marcum and Mike Guthrie.

Twelfth grade: Creselia Torrez and Ralph Fielding.

Mrs. L.A. Dickey Dies Here on Friday Morning

Mrs. L.A. Dickey, who had lived in or near Wellington for almost 70 years, died in Collingsworth General Hospital at 8:40 a.m. Friday, Feb. 24.

Although she had been ill in recent weeks, her death was unexpected to many of her friends who were not aware her condition had become worse.

She was 86 years of age. The family home is 304 10th Street.

Mrs. Dickey was a devoted member of the Church of Christ, sharing its concern for the needs of those it served. She worked wherever she found a place to further its cause.

Many of her activities she shared with her twin sister, Mrs. L.W. McClure. Together, were active among their neighbors, and their interests extended far beyond their immediate area.

Mrs. Dickey was the former Callie Sedera Wilson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Burton Wilson, and was born in Itawamba County, Miss., September 13, 1891.

The family moved to Collingsworth County December 3, 1910.

A year later, as their parents were preparing to return to Mississippi to live, the twin sisters, were married in a double ceremony to cousins, Sedera Wilson to L.A. Dickey, and Celesta Wilson to L.W. McClure.

Their families have shared with friends the story of their wedding. The couples drove in separate buggies to the home of Minister Armstrong, who came outside and married them as they sat in these vehicles.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickey farmed for many years east of Wellington, then moved into town when he retired.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Church of Christ. Officiating were the pastor, Tom Anderson, and a great nephew, Harold Wayne Moore, who lives here and serves as pastor of the Wheeler Nazarene Church.

Burial was in the family plot in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Guy Owens Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were grandsons, Adrain Combs, Billy Combs, Dr. A.J. Welch, Athen Lowrie, Raye Morris and Charles Kelly.

Surviving Mrs. Dickey are three daughters, Mrs. Helen Combs of Memphis, Mrs. Ted (Hazel) Driskill of Seminole, and Mrs. John (Glendell) Norman of Hooker, Okla.; her twin sister, Mrs. McClure of Wellington; another sister and a brother, Mrs. Burton Skinner and Ervin Wilson of Golden, Miss.; 7 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

WTU Names Bill Baxter

William H. (Bill) Baxter has been named manager of Customer Technical Services for West Texas Utilities Co., and has moved to Abilene from Shreveport, La.

Baxter had been a marketing services division manager for Southwestern Electric Power Co., which is a sister company of WTU in the Central and South West System.

WTU Vice President W.P. (Bill) Sayles, who made the announcement, said Baxter will function as marketing coordinator for the company, and will expand the company's efforts in promoting better energy management by electric users.



C.T. HUBBARD

Hubbard to be Cited For 50 Years Banking

For his more than 50 years of banking service, Wellington banker C.T. Hubbard will be honored Saturday (March 11) at a reception given by the First National Bank of Amarillo in the atrium area of its new \$16.5-million banking house.

Hubbard, president emeritus of the Wellington State Bank, will be one of 10 area bankers who will receive special recognition for their half-century banking careers.

The 6 p.m. reception will be attended by members of the Panhandle banking community. Representatives of over 85 banks throughout the area have been invited to attend.

Prior to the reception, the 10 bankers and their wives will be guests at a luncheon in the bank.

Beginning his banking career in 1928 as a bookkeeper and teller at the First National Bank in Anson, Texas,

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culture supporters asked them to withhold payments to the National Cotton Council in Washington, D.C.

Many American Agriculture supporters think the Cotton Council has not represented the interest of the cotton farmer in its policies and lobbying efforts in Washington.

American Agriculture will meet again Monday, March 6 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting place will be posted at the strike office on Hwy. 83.

Places Open In CPR Course Here Saturday

A few openings remain in the cardiopulmonary resuscitation class to be taught here Saturday, March 4, according to Bob Watson, one of the instructors. Class hours will be from 1:00 to 10:00 p.m. in the Farm Bureau.

Any high school student who is a freshman or above may take the course, another instructor, Tom Anderson added. "We would like to see some students and teachers taking this course," he said.

Other instructors will be Johnny Brown and Marshall Peters.

The course is sponsored by the Volunteer Ambulance Service, with the final goal of at least 500 persons

Some people believe that dropping a bunch of keys is unlucky.

Mrs. McClaskey Long-Time Area Resident, Dies

Mrs. Lillie J. McClaskey, who participated actively in the life of the community for more than 70 years, died in Collingsworth General Hospital at 8:20 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 23, 9 days after she suffered a broken hip in a fall at her home. She was 88 years of age.

The widow of the late W.W. McClaskey, she came to Collingsworth County with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Dukeminier in 1905.

She was deeply interested in the religious, educational and civic life of the community over a long period of time. A member of First Baptist Church, she was a Sunday school teacher and a member of WMU.

While her children were growing up, Mrs. McClaskey was active in the Parent-Teacher Association and served as president. She was also president of the Band Mother's Club and took part in many civic organizations and enterprises.

Mrs. McClaskey was born August 17, 1889, at Bear Creek, Alabama. She and Mr. McClaskey were married January 6, 1914, in Wellington.

Although she and her husband lived in town, they also had farming interests northeast of Wellington.

For several years she had made her home with a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Smith, at 1511 Dalhart St.

Funeral services were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 25, in First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Mickey Fugitt officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Guy Owens Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were Richard Fourmentin, Bill Hall, Hezze Jones, Jack Sanford, Harold Watkins and J.W. Tarver.

Surviving Mrs. McClaskey are two daughters, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. David Armstrong of Oklahoma City; three sons, William Worth McClaskey of Schulenburg, Newell E. McClaskey of Phoenix, Arizona, and Richard D. McClaskey of Richardson; one brother, Price Dukeminier of South Charleston, Ohio; 18 grandchildren and 9 great grandchildren.

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He is currently treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce, a member of the Volunteer Ambulance Service, and Salt Fork Soil Conservation District secretary. Moseley was chairman of the Collingsworth county Fair two years and is now head of the Fair's Youth livestock and small animal show.

Active in organizations of his profession, Moseley was elected president of Greenbelt Bankers Association after having served in all other offices of that body. He has completed various American Institute of Banking courses of study.

In 1973, he was selected for inclusion in the volume, Outstanding Young Men of America.

Moseley joined the staff of City State Bank in August 1959, three months after he graduated from Quail High School. James Doneghy owned the bank and Zook Thomas, vice president at that time and now county judge, hired him.

He has worked in all phases of banking from bookkeeping to the presidency.

"Other than the exposure to

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Bartlett is a former member of the Wellington City Council.

Denzil Lacy is seeking the unexpired two-year term. He also farms and lives in Wellington. He is a former high school coach and is a leader in the American Agriculture movement.

Others running for the two full-term places are Kirby Campbell, Bill Lindsey, Rodney Kane, Robert Powell, and Frank Coleman, Jr., an incumbent.

Others seeking the unexpired term are Paul Spillman and Harold Wayne Moore.

all phases of banking, I was exposed to four different ownerships and as a result I have worked under all types of economic philosophies and conditions that have evolved within the last 20 years."

Moseley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Moseley of Welman, formerly of Quail. He and his wife, the former Carolyn Wright, have two children, Cristy, age 16, and Barry, 11.

THANK YOU

We are grateful for every expression of sympathy from our friends at the death of our loved one.

We appreciate the concern and help from Dr. Holcomb, the hospital, ambulance service, Auxiliary of Veterans of Foreign Wars, the women of First Baptist Church, Rev. Mickey Fugitt, Glen Mize, Mrs. Truman Estes, Guy Owens Funeral Home and the pall bearers for your comfort, as well as to all others who remembered us with cards, letters, telephone calls, flowers, food, your prayers and words.

It has been a comfort in our grief.

The family of Mrs. Lillie McClaskey

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Dr. Lucid Chosen As Astronaut

(When year-old Shannon Wells and her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Oscar Wells, left a Japanese prison camp at Shanghai, China during World War II to be repatriated to the United States, they came to Wellington, then the home of his parents, J.O. Wells and the late Mrs. Wells. Now Dr. Shannon W. Lucid, she is one of the first 6 women to be selected for astronaut training.)

By Richard Tapscott
The Tulsa Tribune Capital Bureau

OKLAHOMA CITY-Five-year old Shannon Wells decided high over China she wanted to be a flyer.

It wasn't the kind of scene that inspires future achievements.

The old Army transport plane carrying Shannon, her missionary parents and a younger brother and sister wasn't pressurized.

"My brother had passed out and my sister was throwing up. My mother was pretty busy. Then I looked out the window and saw the airport and runway," she remembers.

It looked so small. It was remarkable to me that the pilot could land it. I didn't see how. Right then I decided I wanted to fly.

Fly she did and fly she will. Shannon Wells is now Dr. Shannon W. Lucid of Oklahoma City-biochemist, cancer researcher, pilot, mother, wife, astronaut.

She gained the last of those

distinctions Monday when chosen as one of the first six women to enter the rigorous, two-year course of astronaut training at Johnson Space Center in Houston.

Dr. Lucid's flight over China came in her second trip in the country. Her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. J. Oscar Wells of Bethany, were with the China Inland Mission when she was born.

Six Weeks after her birth in January 1943, the family was taken captive by the Japanese and kept for a year in the concentration camp at Shanghai before being exchanged. The Wells' spent a time in Texas before returning to China after World War II but were forced to flee Asia again when the Communists came to power.

Dr. Lucid, one of 35 chosen by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for astronaut training, got a telephone call at 9:30 Monday at her job at the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation. "How's the weather up there?" asked the NASA official.

"Lousy," replied Dr. Lucid. "How'd you like to move to a warmer climate?"

"I would," With that, the 35-year-old mother of three was launched into a program that could in the next decade assign her as mission specialist in charge of scientific experiments on board the space shuttle.

One of her early problems since receiving the good news

has been explaining it to the children, Kawai, 9, Shani, 8 and Michael, 2.

Husband Mike, a chemist for Kerr-McGee, tried to make it simple.

"Mommy's going to be like Mr. Spock on 'Star Trek,'" he told the kids.

"The children were very excited about it all," said Dr. Lucid. "They thought I could bring them each a piece of the moon, but I told them it's not quite that ambitious. They were a little disappointed when I told them they couldn't go along, though."

Dr. Lucid, who received a doctorate degree in biochemistry from Oklahoma University in 1973, heard about the training program opening up in August 1976 and contacted everyone she could think of to get applications and details.

"There were a lot of government forms and Mike helped me fill them all out," she recalls. "He says now he always knew I would be accepted."

She remembers her parents being "Flooded" in August last year when she was called to Houston for an interview.

Flying will be nothing particularly new to the lady astronaut.

She took her first lesson at age 19 at OU and since has logged more than 1,000 hours in the air, twice owning her own small plane and gaining a commercial license for multi-engine aircraft.

As for physical conditioning



DEBBIE SERVICE

Phi Theta journalism scholarship as well as receiving many academic scholarships. The English major and journalism minor holds membership in Alpha Chi national honor society and has appeared consistently on the Dean's Honor roll.

Mrs. Service has not limited her college activities to journalism. She was a semi-finalist in the 1975 Miss Wayland and Miss Lubbock Pageants and appeared in Wayland's musical productions of SOUTH PACIFIC.

One more generation is to be added to the lineage of Michael O'Hair this April as Mrs. Service and her husband, Ken, are expecting their first child.

Search for Ancestor Leads to 12-Year-Old

PLAINVIEW (SPL)--Tracing one's ancestry is the vogue these days and in most cases volumes of documents must be sifted through to find one's heritage.

But for Debbie Service, a senior at Wayland Baptist College, discovering that she was eligible for the Daughters of the American Revolution was as handy as picking up a book.

Mrs. Service is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Fletcher, 410 E. 30th, Amarillo, Texas. She is also the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hair of Quail.

The story of Michael O'Hair, Mrs. Service's colonial ancestor, has been compiled by K.R. O'Hair into a book and made available to Michael's descendants. O'Hair immigrated to America in 1761 at the age of 12 and during the American Revolution fought in Kentucky Campaigns under General George Rogers Clark. Estimates reveal that Michael presently has over 3,000 living descendants scattered throughout almost every one of the states.

Mrs. Service, as a result of having access to the book, has

been elected to membership in the Mary McCoy Baines Chapter of the DAR and will be completing application forms for full membership soon. She is not the only descendant of Michael O'Hair in the Plainview area as Robert O'Hair of Earth also claims the Irish pioneer as an ancestor.

Unlike the agricultural tradition set by her great, great, great grandfather, Mrs. Service has chosen journalism as her field of interest. She is currently employed in Wayland's Office of Public Relations as a reporter and photographer under the supervision of Al Morgan, public relations director. In past semesters she has supplemented her college work with employment in news and circulation at the Wellington Leader in Wellington, Tx. and in display advertising at the Plainview Daily Herald.

Since she came to Wayland in 1973 she has served as assistant editor of the campus newspaper, a dormitory resident assistant, and as an officer in Beta Phi Theta journalism fraternity. She was the first recipient of the Beta

H.M. Alexander Dies Feb. 18

H.M. (Shorty) Alexander, 51, of 1639 N. Fairfield, Amarillo, died Saturday, Feb. 18, after a three-week illness.

He was born in Oklahoma and grew up in Wellington. He was married here to Miss Drusilla Gibbs, at which time they moved to Amarillo.

He was employed at Maywood's Inc.

Mr. Alexander was a member of North Beacon Church of the Nazarene.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, Feb. 21, at Blackburn-Shaw Martin Road Chapel with the Rev. Marvin E. Winstry officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetery.

Survivors are his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Monda Brand and Mrs. Doring Shipman of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Murrel Houston of Amarillo and Mrs. Beulah Jones of

Brighton, Col.; two brothers, Bill Alexander of Amarillo and Bubb Alexander of Shamrock, and two grandchildren.

Going from here to the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Rodell Byers, Mrs. Milburn Gibbs, Mrs. Tony White of

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Childress, Mrs. Dale Morris of Samnorwood and Mrs. Oral Bishop.

Mrs. T.B. Wilkins spent several days recently with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cason and family, in Abilene.

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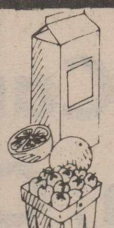
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Bloodmobile Comes Here on March 20

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will visit Wellington Monday, March 20, from 1:00 to 6:00 p.m. Charles Floyd has announced.

Floyd and personnel from the Red River Blood Center, Wichita Falls, will meet with high schools and civic clubs to explain this county's blood needs. The goal is 118 units.

"Everyone who has ever given blood will be contacted personally and asked to give again on March 20," Floyd said.

Lubbock YWCA Honors O'Neils

By GERRY BURTON
Lubbock Avalanche-Journal

The YWCA has been "a wonderful thing" for Mrs. Lee C. O'Neil as she discovered while a coed at the University of Texas before WWI.

The O'Neils joined the fan club as they encountered more YWCAs around the country in their travels.

Sunday, Jan. 22, a facility they helped build for an organization they were instrumental in founding here in 1954 will be dedicated as the Beulah and Lee C. O'Neil Center in ceremonies at 35th Street and Flint Avenue.

"The support and love and continuing on when things were not going so well" were cited by Carolyn Taylor of the YWCA unit as reasons why the resolution making the name change was passed by the board of directors.

"There have been times when we might have given up if it hadn't been for the O'Neils."

"It was not only the steady funding coming at crucial points in the organization's history, but also the advice and moral support which was ever present, which led to the honor."

Land, described as "a small farm" by the O'Neils, made possible a start into the facility which was "paid out" in December.

A program of swimming first attracted Mrs. O'Neil to the Austin YWCA, just two blocks from her rooming house. Swimming was available for a quarter.

All her girl friends in Gorman, where she grew up on a cotton farm, were learning to swim and she wanted to get ahead of them a little. College had come for her about the same time boll weavils made the Gorman area, including the family farm, a non-cotton area.

By contrast, O'Neil grew up "a city boy" in Wellington, which his father helped found. While most pioneer homes were dugouts, he lived in a 13-room house on one side of the square. The size was necessary to house men building the courthouse.

The O'Neils also had the general store which carried everything from horseshoes to hard candy, and where sending samples of arriving fabrics to area women was a standard practice of his mother.

Prarie fires looming on the horizon at night and a train

"that stopped so you could get watermelons" are among O'Neils favorite recollections.

Another is of walking-as a WWI soldier coming home on leave-from a snowbound train to the rescue train, all the while carrying a parrot for a woman passenger.

Rewards for the six-mile long good deed came in cakes and cookies sent to San Antonio where he was an aircraft mechanic at Kelly Air Field.

Mrs. O'Neil, who had come to Wellington, where her brother was a doctor, to teach school, stayed in Wellington to become a wartime principal, pioneering the way for women in that school position.

During the influenza epidemic of 1918, she carried soup buckets to the Wellington ill-"not going in, just knocking on the door so they would know"-while O'Neil tried to survive the massive epidemic killing his comrades in San Antonio. He stayed alive in weather like that plaguing the South Plains now on a sick bed on an open verandah. There was no room inside where others were dying.

World War II found them in Lubbock where there was no space available.

"You could live in a hotel five days and then they kicked you out," O'Neil recalled, noting that they had 13 addresses in five months. Lubbock had a population of 44,000 well within 34th Street which was only an unfinished road on the south.

Traveling again after the war, they encountered two national YWCA board members while vacationing in Canada.

Insistence by the O'Neils and a follow-up by their new acquaintances led to establishment of a YWCA here, which met first in the city hall, then in the old American legion building and finally in the new facility.

Faced with the honor, the O'Neils insisted they only laid the foundation and deserved the plaudits less than the women who worked to organize, develop and lead the many functions of the YWCA.

The Lubbock YWCA is the third largest in Texas, boasting 75,000 participations by its membership in its many varied programs.

People believed that King Charles II of England could cure tuberculosis by touching the victims.



CUBS AND LEADERS

These Cubs and leaders participated in the annual Blue and Gold Banquet Thursday, February 23. In the front row, from left, are Brian Van Pelt, Derik Seal, Brad Neeley, Lynn Pulliam, Max Kellison, Ronny Heisler, Tim Hartman, and Tony Jett. Second row, from left: Daryon Brown, Spencer Seale, Jeffrey Powell, Wesley Reeves, Sammy Binford, Kacy Davis and Kendall Harris. Third row: Lance Stevens, left, and Dudley Owens, Brad Long, Tommy Thomason, Reggie Perez, Danny Davis, Steven Owens and Bobby Wilkerson. Leaders from left are the Rev. Wayne Pulliam, Tommy Thomas, Mrs. Don Van Pelt, Mrs. Sue Seale, Mrs. Joe Harris, Mrs. Ralph Owens, Mrs. Tommy Powell, Mrs. Danny Davis, Mrs. Ronnie Hartman, Mrs. Benson Long and Mrs. Sammy Jett.

FU Members in "Parity Campaign" Lobbying Congressmen, Officials

Kirby Campbell and Dan Henard, Jr. were among 210 Farmers Union members who lobbied members of Congress and officials of the Carter Administration for better farm prices last week.

Farmers Union members from Ohio, Indiana, Texas, South Dakota and Colorado participated in the "parity campaign" February 20-24. Eighty farmers from Texas attended.

Campbell and Rusty Wood of Childress were interviewed on a Washington, D.C. FM radio talk show, discussing farmers problems and demands.

One of the highlights of the week was an appearance by Ambassador Robert Strauss, former chairman of the Democratic National Committee who is now the President's Special Representative for Trade Negotiations.

Ambassador Strauss projected that an agricultural package would be negotiated by July or August and would be brought back for review. He appeared, like other Carter Administration officials, to be more interested in access to markets than in the price at which U.S. commodities sell in world trade.

"We may not get anything for you," Strauss said, "but if we don't get a deal that's fair, we're not going to have a deal."

Another speaker was Kathleen O'Reilly, executive director of the Consumer Federation of America. She spoke of the common interests of farmers and consumers in a sound food policy that can keep family farmers on the land.

The farm parity campaigners carried the story of the needs for major increases in farm price support levels for 1978 to virtually every House and Senate members' office. They asserted that higher support levels were needed to

sustain farmers in production and that the higher farm prices and income would help bring about economic recovery and spur employment in the nation. As for retail food costs, the Farmers Union participants maintained that parity prices for farmers should mean only a "scarcely

noticeable" increase in food prices if only the increase in farm prices was passed through to the consumer.

Besides their visits to the Congressional offices, the Fly-In members held sessions with USDA officials. At USDA, the group met with Bobby Smith, assistant secre-

tary-designate for marketing services; William Wright, Office of Congressional Affairs, and Charles Riley from ASCS.

The farmers also took their message to a dozen local radio and TV stations while they were in their Nation's Capitol.

Rockets, Rockettes Place 8 in All District Slots

The Skyrockets and Rockettes each had four players. To receive 2-A All-District Honors, which were announced Tuesday, Feb. 28.

Three Skyrockets on places on the all-district team are Jon Sessions, Ricky Jones and Charles McIntosh. All are juniors and will be back next year.

Carl Taylor, also a junior, received honorable mention. The four Rockettes that were all-district selections: Susie Chandler, a sophomore and Pam Ingram, junior, both forwards, and Vanessa Ingram, junior, and Lee Ann Sessions, senior, guards.

The complete all-district boys team, made up of 10 players, included Ricky Guy of Memphis, senior; Kirk Fields of Memphis, senior; Woodrow Richardson of Memphis, junior; Keith Floyd of Clarendon, junior; Billy Gardner of Clarendon, junior; Brad Dye of Claude, senior; Kevin Webb of Claude, senior; Jones, Sessions and McIntosh.

Receiving Honorable mention, in addition to Taylor,

were Gary Aaron of Shamrock, senior; Mike Benson of Claude, senior; Howard Weatherthorn of Clarendon, senior; Irvin Thomas of Clarendon, senior; Wesley Johnson of Memphis, sophomore and Gary McClellan of Clarendon, junior.

Girls all-district selections were:

First team, forwards: Susie Chandler and Pam Ingram and Melinda Watson, of Claude, senior; Ricci Tunnell of Clarendon, junior; Cindy Hensley of Shamrock, junior; and Faye Beck of Memphis, senior.

Guards: Vanessa Ingram and Lee Ann Sessions; Kay Perry of Claude, senior; Brenda Bryant of Claude, senior; Natalie Jones of Shamrock, senior; and Jane Richardson of Memphis, senior.

Honorable mention forwards were Sonya Hutcherson of Memphis, sophomore; and Connie Conger of Shamrock, junior.

Announcement of the Wellington selections came from their coaches, Miss Debbie Chisum and Robert Hicks.

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SUNDAY

10:15 a.m. Sunday School FBC
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship FBC
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship FBC

MONDAY

9:00 a.m. Amarillo FBC
10:00 a.m. Houston FBC Worship
11:00 a.m. Moments of Meditation
6:30 p.m. Puppet Village
7:00 p.m. Luz para un mundo en tinieblas
7:30 p.m. Lighthouse Quartet
8:00 p.m. Changed Lives
8:30 p.m. Room At The Cross

WEDNESDAY

9:00 a.m. The Church Triumphant
10:00 a.m. Lanier Baptist Church
11:00 a.m. James Robison
6:00 p.m. Kid's Jamboree
6:30 p.m. Allendale Baptist Church
7:30 p.m. Bellevue Baptist Church
8:30 p.m. Day of Discovery

THURSDAY

9:00 a.m. Immanuel Baptist Church
10:00 a.m. Moment of Truth
10:30 a.m. Broadmoor Baptist Church

FRIDAY

9:00 a.m. Sunday PM Worship FBC
10:00 a.m. Hollis FBC Worship
11:00 a.m. Springstreet, U.S.A.

Hospital Granted Medicare Approval

A Medicare team visited Collingsworth General Hospital Wednesday, Feb. 22, and found the health survey in total compliance with Medicare requirements, the administrator Charles Floyd reported to the board of directors in its regular meeting Monday, Feb. 27.

The team told Floyd that, as to the compliance with the life safety code, satisfactory progress is being made.

Later in the meeting, the board authorized Floyd to borrow approximately \$19,000 to complete work already under way to fulfill life safety code requirements. These include installation of fire

doors and completing the isolation transformer on the second floor. Total cost of bringing the hospital to life safety code requirements was estimated at \$55,000 to \$58,000.

The board looked at increased costs over the past year and voted a rate increase in several categories, which will bring Collingsworth General in line with almost every other hospital in the Panhandle.

Emergency room charges will be in three categories, subject to authorization by Blue Cross.

\$5.00 plus cost of medication if only a shot is required. \$7.50 if an examination by a doctor is required.

\$15. if the services of a doctor and nurses is required (a trauma case).

Room rates were increased \$5 across the board. This leaves the charge lower than in many area hospitals. Collingsworth General will have two rooms at \$66 per room per day; 12 at \$62 per day per room; and the remainder at \$59 per room per day. The hospital has a capacity of 28 patients.

Floyd explained changes in the hospital insurance program to give more comprehensive coverage.

The remainder of the meeting was given over to routine business.

Dr. M.V. Cobb

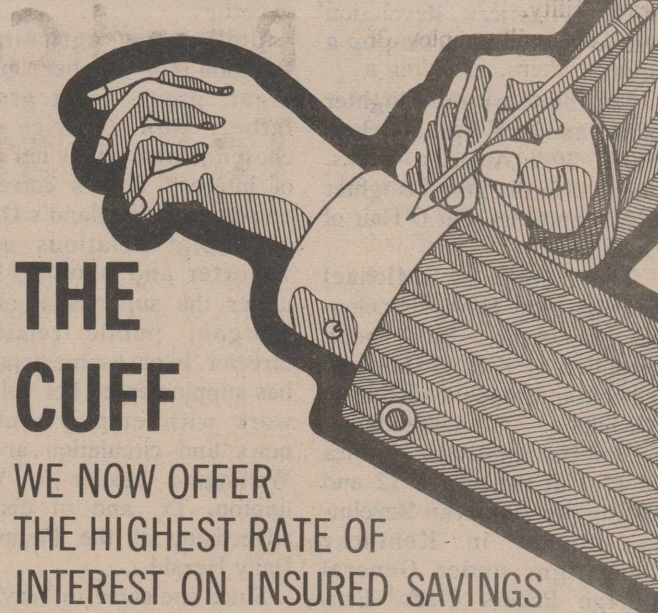
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After One-Day Workout, Track Team Is Fourth at Iowa Park

With only one day's workout, the Skyrocket Track team competed in the Iowa Park meet Friday and Saturday, February 24 and 25. On that only day of practice, the team could not use the snowy track and went to the football field instead.

Wellington was fourth with 48 points. Placing first was Frederick, Okla., with 90 points; second, Jacksboro, 71; and third, Henrietta, 70.

The Skyrockets had one first, Dane Dodge in the shot put. His distance was 46'3.5" and he did this throwing into a "pretty stiff wind." It lacked only three inches beating the meet record.

Other winners were: Sprint relay: 440 yards) fourth with time of 45.7. David Baumgardner, Richard Garcia, James Thomas and Robert Chambers.

880 yard, Dicky Moore was third with time of 2:16.5; Marty Warrick fifth, 2:17.1; and Juan Granados sixth with 2:18.1.

120 high hurdles: Kevin

Hall, third, 16.5; Craig Needham, fourth, 16.55; 100 yard dash: Richard Garcia, sixth, 10.6.

440 yard run: Robert Chambers, 2nd, 52.0; Chris Lynch, fourth, 56.8;

330 Intermediate hurdles: Robert Powell, 6th, 45.5;

Mile relay: 5th 3:47.6. Tim Anderson, Chris Lynch, Kevin Hall and Robert Chambers.

Track team members at sprint relay: David Baumgardner, Richard Garcia, James Thomas, Robert Chambers. 880: Dickie Moore, Marty Warrick, Juan Granados. 120 high hurdles: Kevin Hall, Craig Needham, Robert Powell. 100 yard dash: Richard Garcia, Carl Taylor, James Thomas.

440 yard run: Robert Chambers, Chris Lynch, Chris Watts. 330 intermediate

hurdles: Robert Powell, Jon Sessions, Dickie Moore.

220 dash: Ricky Jones, David Baumgardner, Tim Anderson. Long Jump: Robert Chambers, Richard Garcia, Tim Anderson. High Jump: James Thomas, Jon Sessions, Chris Lynch. Discus: Charles McIntosh, Richard Garcia, Terry Manuel. Shot put: Dane Dodge, Carl Taylor, Terry Manuel.

The team's next meet will be at Vernon Friday and Saturday, March 2 and 3.

"I was extremely pleased with the way the kids ran Friday and Saturday," said Coach Bailey. "They only had one day's workout outside because of the snow, and all of the schools we competed against were AA schools with two exceptions. Those schools were all farther south, and

almost all had access to an all-weather track.

"For the kids to go out and run as well as they did, first time on the track, I was extremely pleased."

All track meets this year with the exception of Memphis will be two-day affairs with preliminaries on Friday and Finals Saturday. Most will start between 1:00 and 2:00 p.m.

These will include March 3 and 4, Vernon Relays; March 10 and 11, Panhandle relays (7th, 8th and 9th grades and varsity) March 17 and 18, Miami Relays (varsity boys and girls) the first races on a metered track; March 25, Cyclone Relays at Memphis; April 14 and 15, Amarillo Relays; April 20, (one day) District Track Meet with the site to be selected.

Thomas Nursing Home Builds At McLean

Thomas Nursing Home, Inc., will build a \$450,000 nursing home in McLean, which should be completed in August.

The certificate of need for the facility has been granted by the Texas Health Facilities Commission, and groundbreaking ceremonies will be taking place soon. The contract has not been let, according to Tommy Thomas, one of the owners.

Billy Thomas, now manager of a nursing home in Alpine, will be administrator of the McLean facility.

The home will employ 36 full time workers, including a registered nurse consultant, four licensed vocational nurses, 16 nurses aides and a food service supervisor. The monthly payroll will total \$20,000.

The facility will be 15,000 square foot brick building with both private and semi-private rooms, beauty shop, activity room and lounge with fireplace and television set.

There will be two bathing units with whirlpool baths and hydraulic lifts.

Consultants will include two doctors and a registered pharmacist.

There will be a transfer agreement with McLean General Hospital to care for critically ill patients, Tommy Thomas said.

Vaughan Enters Lubbock Hospital

Dalton Vaughan entered St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, Tuesday to undergo a series of tests. Mrs. Vaughan accompanied him.

They have a daughter, Mrs. Quentin Hancock, living in Idalou.



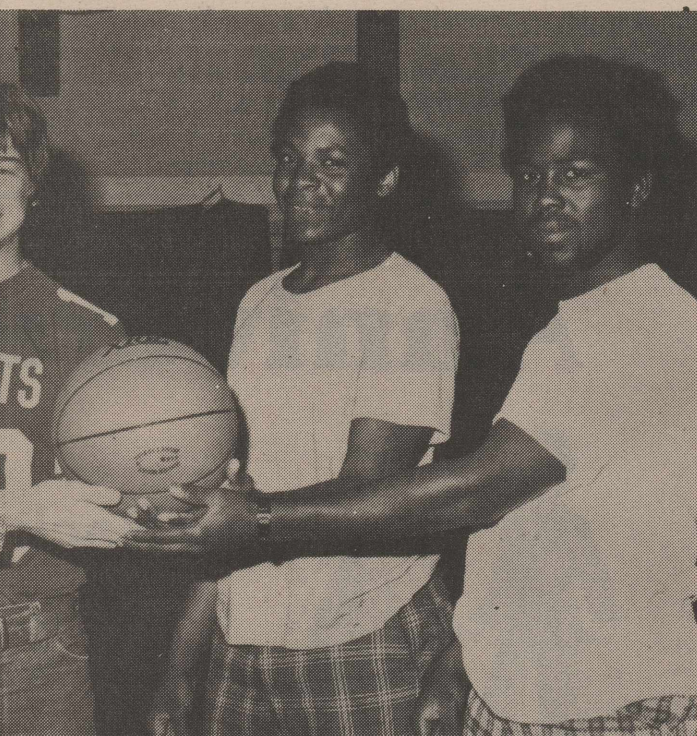
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ALL-DISTRICT SKYROCKETS

Four Skyrockets were tapped for 2-A All District Boys Basketball honors. From left are Jon Sessions, Carl Taylor, Charles McIntosh and Ricky Jones. Sessions, McIntosh and Jones were selected for the first all-district team. Taylor received honorable mention.

Band Contestants Get Top Ratings at UIL

Twenty-one members of That Skyrocket Band received either first or second division ratings at the UIL solo and ensemble contests held Saturday, Feb. 25, in Canyon.

Three of the group, Allen Murdock, Richard Burba and Jimmy Morgan, qualified for the state meet to be held in Austin June 3 to 5, according to Jamie Larson, band director.

Earlier two of the band members competed in UIL piano contests. Lisa Hartman achieved a first division rating and Valerie Van Pelt a third division rating.

Second division ratings went to: Flute quartet, composed of Karen Goforth, Renee Owens, Toni Isaacs and Peggy Popwell;

Cornet quartet: Allen Murdock, Renee Lacy, Don Lewis and Brent Long; and percussion quintet: Lisa Johnson, Laura Gragson, Gary Isaacs,

Tammie Hernandez and David Conant.

In the solo division, Renee Lacy and Brent Long received second division ratings for cornet solos and Roy Dean Cardwell for trombone solo.

Receiving first divisions in solo contests were Verita Simon, cornet; Robby Murdock, baritone saxophone; Renee Owens, flute solo; Allen Murdock, cornet; Richard Burba, baritone and Jimmy Morgan, tuba.

Mrs. Larson was accompanist for the soloists.

"We had more students to receive first divisions than some schools had people participating," said Larson. "I was extremely elated. I was real pleased with the progress these young people have made. On all three ensembles, the judges said they were very, very close to being first divisions. Renee Lacy's judge was impressed at her ability

although she is only a freshman. Several commented "excellent job or good tone quality" on the solos."

"Jimmy Morgan's judge commented he had a 'very musical approach to the tuba.' All judges were very complimentary."

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Berg of Tulsa were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Leach.

Jimmy Hugh West and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Oris West and Mrs. Moon Royal last weekend.

Mrs. Lenore Jackson returned Sunday from a three week visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jackson in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

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PRAIRIE CHRISTMAS By James Rice. 48 pages, reinforced hard binding. 1977. \$6.95.

AUSTIN--Santa Claus, cowboys, longhorns and lizards tell children all about the West in "Prairie Christmas" and "Cowboy Alphabet" just out from Shoal Creek Publishers of Austin.

Written and illustrated by James Rice, both books feature large color pictures drawn in his distinctively loose and easy style. The artist's flair for combining realism and fantasy gives his drawings a range rare in children's books. Whimsical, sober, exuberant, tough and tender are all accurate descriptions of Rice's cowboy world.

In "Prairie Christmas" Rice gives children a fanciful view of what the holiday might be like if Santa Claus were a cowboy at heart.

Read in the cadence of "Twas the Night Before Christmas," Rice's poem tells the story of a stetsoned Santa, grounded when a blue norther sends his reindeer flying towards the comparative warmth of the North Pole. But

help turns up at a lonely sod shanty, where two scraggly cowboys, eyeing the strange little ole man doubtfully, welcome him in from the storm.

When Santa asks for a team to pull his sleigh, the cowboys consider the possibilities:

The only critters we have that could pull a full load Are the ornery longhorns and they's have to be showed..

But that doesn't stop Santa--he and the cowboys saddle some broncs and set out in the freezing night to rope longhorns. And in the end, with droopy-eyed cattle standing in for reindeer, the sleigh takes off and Christmas happens after all.

"Cowboy Alphabet" offers a different view of Rice's Southwest. Children find there vinegarrons, quirts, javelinas, remudas and a whole western landscape to enrich their knowledge and their imaginations.

From "A is for Armadillo" to "Z is for Zillion Other Things" about cowboy life, "Cowboy Alphabet's" engaging words and pictures bring the ABC's to life for pre-school youngsters. Older children, who can read the book themselves, enjoy its fund of western lore, as well as its often tongue-in-cheek style and quiet warmth.

Many Here for Dickey Rites

A large group of relatives and friends were here to attend the funeral service of Mrs. L.A. Dickey on Sunday, February 26.

Relatives included: Adrian Combs of Carbonale, Ill.; Dr. and Mrs. A.J. Welch of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Combs and Bert and Jill of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. David McKay of Clarksville; Mr. and Mrs. Athen Lowrie, Kenneth and Doug of Seminole;

Mr. and Mrs. Raye Morris, Kimberly and John of Moore, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly, Kara and Shawn of Grants, N.M.; Miss Kathy Norman of Enid, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Haney of Wichita Falls;

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McClure, Lisa and Joe Serpan of

Perryton; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McClure of Whiteface.

Friends attending from Memphis included Jay McKay, Mr. and Mrs. John Shadid, Mr. and Mrs. John Deaver, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Greene, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ellerd, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Jones, Lewis Foxhall, Mrs. Frank Foxhall, Virginia Browder, Mrs. Hiram Crawford, Mrs. Carl Smith, Mrs. Harold Smith, Mrs. Carl Harrison, Mrs. Ira Davis, Mrs. Gip McMurry, Myrtle Howard, Mrs. R.G. Patrick, Charlie Stout, Minister Virgil Fiske.

Coming from Amarillo were Mrs. F.E. Brannum, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanley, Mrs. J.D. Kelly, Mrs. J.B. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Robertson, Mrs. Bemie Ramey and Melissa.

Others here from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Roberts, Mrs. Floyd Mathis and Mrs. Leon Talley of Hooker, Okla.; Dr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Stafford of Enid, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Phil Crumpler, Mrs. John E. Norman, Sr.; John Crumpler; Johnette Kelly of Lubbock.

Gray and Mexican Wolves Protected

AUSTIN--The timber or gray wolf is an interesting creature, but if you're thinking about obtaining one of your own, you'd better think twice.

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department recently placed the gray wolf and the Mexican wolf on its endangered species list, thus making it a misdemeanor to take, possess, transport, export or receive these animals. First conviction is punishable by a fine of \$100 to \$200, with subsequent convictions ranging much higher.

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A recent survey estimates that at least one fourth of all women in the United States make part or all of their clothes. And supplying these women with their fabrics and notions is one of the fastest growing businesses in the country.

Far more than one fourth the women in Collingsworth and surrounding counties sew and it is for them that the Sew Fair will be held in Wellington, Wednesday, March 8.

Because of the number expected, Sew Fair will be in the V.F.W. from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

It is sponsored by the Texas Agriculture Extension Service of the Texas A&M University System, says Miss Jean Chandler, Extension Agent, Home Economics.

Women from all surrounding counties are expected.

Presenting the program will be an Extension Clothing Specialist and representatives of commercial companies.

"Sew Fair will mean many things to many women who make their own clothes, or those of her husband and children," Miss Chandler pointed out.

Some of the points to be covered include; pant alterations, fabric and notions, fundamentals of the sewing machine, how to avoid common sewing problems, and quick and easy sewing techniques.

Opening the program will be Becky Culp, Area Clothing Specialist, Texas Agriculture Extension Service, Amarillo, who will discuss, "Pants-fit or misfit." Others are:

Via Harmon, Sewing Consultant for Fabric Inn, Pampa, who will discuss "Know Your Fabric and Notions."

Fundamentals of the sewing machines, needle and thread selection, and how to avoid sewing problems will be the topic of Jenny Crouch of Cleveland, Ohio, Educational Representative of White Elva Machine Company.

"Fashion Directiveness Spring 78", a slide presentation from the Dallas Apparel mart, showing the latest fashion.

Closing the program will be Helen Lemons, Sewing Instructor for Stretch and Sew Fabric Center, Amarillo, will speak on "Quick and Easy Techniques; Making the Fashionable Cowl Neck and Drindle Skirt."

Each of these will speak 40 minutes. There will be exhibits by local merchants and free educational brochures.



JENNIE CROUCH



BECKY CULP

es will be available.

Miss Chandler has told more fully of the five 40 minute programs that will make up the presentation.

In her discussion of "Pants-Fit or Misfit", Becky Culp will discuss how to take body measurements to determine the right pattern size, making pattern adjustments before cutting out the pattern and fitting adjustments in order to make pants fit.

Via Harmon, Sewing Consultant, Fabric Inn, Pampa will tell home sewers how to select fabrics, what to look for and about the latest notions from trims to thread.

Jenny Crouch, Educational Representative of White Elva Machine Co., will tell what ever home sewer wants to here, "Fundamentals of the Sewing Machine Needle and Thread; Selection and How to Avoid Sewing Problems."

Fashion Directness Spring 78, a film presentation from the Dallas Apparel Mart will present the latest in fashion. Fashion styles, colors and accessories will be points covered.

"Quick and Easy Techniques; Making the Fashionable Cowl Neck and Drindle Skirt", discussed by Helen Lemons, Sewing Instructor, Stretch and Sew Fabric Center, Amarillo.

Min. Lynn Wolf and Lecia of Anchorage, Alaska returned home last week after a ten day visit in the States. While they were here they visited with Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Thomason and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolf. Lecia stayed with her grandparents while Mr. Wolf attended the Abilene Christian University Lectureship in Abilene. He is the pastor of the Artic Circle Church of Christ in Anchorage.

Some people believe that if a baby looks in a mirror before it is a year old, it will become cross-eyed.

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Little Miss Revue Exciting Addition to 1924 Style Show

The Little Miss Collingsworth County Revue will be an exciting addition to the annual style show presented by the 1924 Study Club Thursday, March 16, in Bura Handley Community Center.

The applicants will not be judged, but will be presented with their escorts during the style show, said Mrs. Bill

Scarberrys Honor Two

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Scarberry had a birthday dinner for two daughters on Sunday, February 26 at their home.

Honored were Mrs. Cleo (Mary Lee) Robinson and Mrs. Chuck (Vivian) Fidler both of Amarillo.

The decorated birthday cake was served at the close of the meal.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Fidler and daughters, Cindy and Nan, also Allen Hanish, all of Amarillo, Mrs. Ruth Wyrick and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Scarberry.

Dodson MS Has Meeting

The Dodson Nazarene Women's Missionary Society met Tuesday, February 21 at 3:00 p.m.

Mrs. Bill Holder gave the emphasis, Mrs. Cora Lowrie led in prayer and Mrs. Holder brought the devotional with each one present giving a testimony.

Mrs. Mayme Lewis led the lesson "Steps to Missionary Service" by Richard Gammell. Special prayers were offered by Mrs. Iva Lewis and Rev. Howard Smith.

Thirteen members were present.

Mrs. Nellie Young, Feb. 23. Tom Colson, Feb. 25. Buford Chandler, Feb. 26.

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W's Meet March 7

The Association of the W's will have a meeting Tuesday, March 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the Farm Bureau Building.

Mrs. Clifton Smith of Childress will be the guest speaker. She attended a luncheon meeting held February 8 in Washington, D.C. when Pro Life presented their proposals to the Congressmen and other dignitaries. Mrs. Smith will report on this meeting.

Several women in the area have paid their national dues to The W's but have not affiliated with the local group. They are urged to attend this meeting and become active. The public is also invited.

Lettuce, shredded and vacuum packed in airtight bags, stays fresh 12 days compared with two days for cut lettuce without vacuum packing, says Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

La Paisana Chapter Hears Soil Conservation Program

Tommy Powell, district conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service, was the guest speaker for La Paisana Chapter, National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, at its regular meeting Monday Feb. 27.

By means of film and discussion, Mr. Powell explained how the Soil Conservation Service aids land-owners and operators in planning and applying a coordinated soil, water, plant and wildlife

To help prevent air infiltration at floor level in new-home building, place a full bed of caulk or insulation beneath the sill plate around the entire perimeter of the house, suggests Pat Seaman, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

The sole or sill plate is the board which is attached to the foundation on which the walls are built, she explains.

resource conservation program.

The cooperation of local organizations and state agencies gives valuable assistance to both urban and rural areas in the conservation of the most precious resource, soil.

Mrs. Clyde Drake was hostess.

Mrs. Dee Coleman presented the defense report, stressing the "give away" to Russia of military techniques.

The regent, Miss Maudie Coffee, recognized two new members, Mrs. Boyd Derryberry and Mrs. Billy Ray Long.

Delegates to the state meeting on March 7 to 9 in Dallas are Miss Coffee, Mrs. H.H. Bowen, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Bura Handley, Mrs. Jack Davis, Mrs. Hiram Cudd and Mrs. Derryberry.

Attending were Mrs. Davis, Mrs. W.L. White, Mrs. Long, Mrs. Jennie Holcomb, Mrs. Drake, Mrs. Bowen, Mrs. Roy McNett, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Handley, Miss Coffee and Miss Hattie D. Wells.

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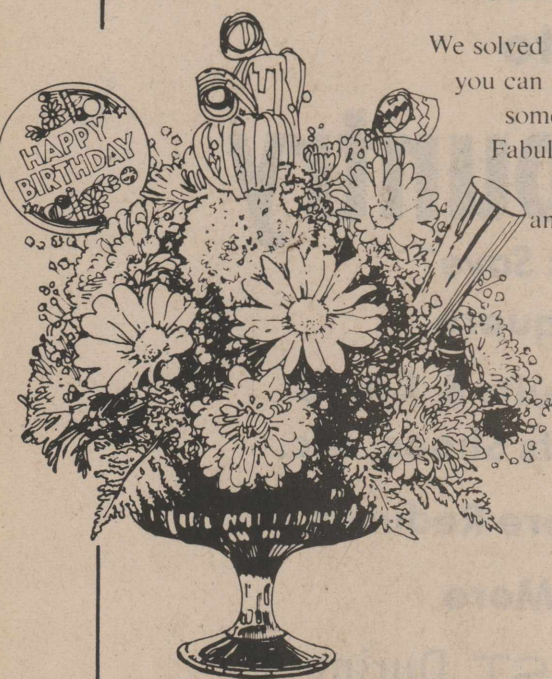
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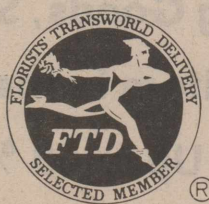
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Lillie HD Club Meets Feb. 23 To Plan Approaching Events

"Color as Clues to Mood, Personality and Appearance" was the topic of discussion when Miss Jean Chandler, county extension agent, was speaker for Lillie Home Demonstration Club members Thursday, Feb. 23.

Mrs. Luther Gribble was hostess in her home.

A variety of business was covered in the meeting, which followed the devotional by Mrs. Gribble and opening prayer by Mrs. Bill Langford. Mrs. Lowell Wells gave the secretary-treasurer's report.

Mrs. Dudley Phipps, president, was in charge of the meeting and called attention to several events: the Sew-Fair March 8, at the VFW Hall from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.; District meeting of home demonstration clubs at Dalhart March 30; each member is asked to give the HD council \$5.00 instead of holding a spring luncheon; the county will invite the district 1 clubs to hold their meeting here in 1979; a save-your-cancelled-stamps project was discussed.

Mrs. Robert Barjenbruch was elected to represent the

Pneumonia Vaccine OK

COLLEGE STATION-- A newly approved pneumonia vaccine provides protection against pneumococcal pneumonia, says Carla Shearer, a health education specialist.

The vaccine--recently approved by the Food and Drug Administration--has proven effective for at least 80 percent of those who received it, the specialist continues.

Ms. Shearer is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Immunization efforts with the vaccine will probably focus on older adults and persons with serious chronic diseases--those most susceptible to pneumonia, she explains.

The vaccine itself cannot cause pneumonia--the bacteria in the preparation have been "killed," the specialist points out.

However, reactions such as soreness and redness at the injection site may occur but should not last longer than two days, she adds.



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilbur of Amarillo are the parents of a daughter, Desiree Autumn, born February 25. She weighed seven pounds eight ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Wilbur and Mrs. Sallie M. Darling of Childress.



Well, have all of you been getting out since all the snow? I was glad to see some sunshine, weren't you?

We have the warmest building in town. The Senior Citizens are all so proud of a nice building like we have, and RSVP is proud to have our office here.

As you know, we did not have a free blood pressure clinic last month on account of the weather, but we will have one March 8, from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. and we will also have a diabetic check at that time. So if you need these services, please come by.

Our monthly birthday luncheon will be March 15. We have asked King Bowen to give us a program, so you get here by 11:00 a.m. to enjoy his good music.

Those having birthdays in March are Mrs. Pete Hartman, Mrs. Eula Hunt, Mrs. Annie M. Isaacs, R.H. Isbell, Mrs. Jack Lowry, Mrs. Agnes Martin, Mrs. Roy Peggram, Mrs. L.W. Wells and Mrs. J.F. Michael.

Surprise Party Held

A surprise birthday party was given to honor Donna Langley on her 17th birthday. Hostesses were Mrs. Denny Marcum and Miss LeAnn Marcum on Monday, February 20 in their home.

In the afternoon the girls were entertained with a hamburger supper. Later games and dancing were enjoyed.

Those attending were Lisa Guthrie, Karen Caldwell, Kay Guthrie, Pam Needham, Paula Needham, Charles Arthur, Otis Farris, Gene Caldwell, David Torrez, Harold Baker, Eric Hall, Mike Guthrie, Ricky Needham, Russ Mangum, Lori Marcum Randy Langley, Mr. and Mrs. D.R. Langley, the honoree and hostesses.

Club Has Meeting

Belles Lettres met Tuesday, February 21 with Mrs. Bob Hightower.

Mrs. Dick Richards, president, conducted the business meeting. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Mrs. Earl Alexander, president; Mrs. Bryan Denley, vice president; Mrs. Hightower, secretary; Mrs. Joe Thompson, treasurer.

Mrs. Charles Cason spoke on "Time," what it is, how valuable it is and how it can be replaced.

Those attending were Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Cason, Mrs. A.B. Clark, Mrs. F.A. Hatch, Mrs. Denley, Mrs. Thompson, a guest Mrs. J.A. Graham and the hostess, Mrs. Hightower.

Leader Readers

E.C. Alexander, Dodson; J.W. Boen, Quail, Garner Altom, Cisco; Morris W. Brown, Bethany, Okla.; Butch White, Hereford; Mrs. Nora Brown, Amarillo; Locklear Roofing, Granite, Okla.; Marjorie A. Barnes, Lubbock;

Margaret Tinkle, Torrance, Calif.; L. Ray King, Guymon, Okla.; I.N. Sears, Amarillo; Ruth Phipps, Woodward, Okla.; Walter Spear, Amarillo; E.P. Dempsey, Odessa; H. Lee Roy, Athens, Tenn.; Mrs. R.C. Cook, Dallas; L.F. Scott, Vallejo, CA.; W.C. Johnson, Chouchilla, CA.;

Bessie Hicks, L.P. Tow, Robert Posey, Cal Sugg,

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MARY SAIED

Mary Saied, Dr. R. Morgan Plan an Early Spring Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied, Jr., of 1509 El Paso Street announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Lamartine, to Dr. Richard D. Morgan of Lubbock.

The Rev. Raymond Dyess will perform the ceremony, which will take place at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, April 22, at St. John's Methodist Church in Lubbock.

Miss Saied is a graduate of Wellington High School and Texas Tech University in Lubbock, where she was a

Georgia Murray, Tom Birchfield, Hugh Bledsoe, Albert Fulcher, Raymond Hodges,

D.F. Hook, John Jackson, Wayne Martin, Emmett Ware, J.H. Wood, Billy Joe Patterson, Verdie Rippetoe, R.L. Mabery, Bill Owens,

Rebbie M. Snider and Dennis F. Lacy.

Eastern Star Honors Masons and Wives at Annual Dinner Friday

Wellington Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star observed one of the major events of the year Friday, Feb. 24, when Master Masons and their wives were honored.

The event was held at the Masonic Hall.

A barbecued beef dinner with all the trimmings was served from decorated tables, featuring the worthy matron's colors for this year.

Opening the short program in the Masonic Hall was the Pledge of Allegiance led by Roy Jeffrey, worthy patron; and America the Beautiful, by the entire group.

Mary Jo Jeffrey, worthy matron, welcomed the group, and this was followed by a solo by Mrs. Hiram Cudd, accompanied by Mrs. Dan Henard, Jr.

The Rev. Tom Thomson, pastor of First United Methodist Church, sang "The Old Rugged Cross Made the Difference," and "The Year When Jesus Comes." Mrs. Robert Owens was the accompanist.

Chapter members gave a skit, "Solomon Had His Troubles Too." The singing of "Blest Be the Tie," concluded the program.

Guests were Mrs. Owens, R.T. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Jerol Morris, The Rev. Mr. Thomson, Gene Morrow, H.E. Davis, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. David Baumgardner,

Juliana Baumgardner, Mrs. Dan Henard, Jr., Mrs. Luther Gribble, Mrs. Cudd, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Parker of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Binford, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gragson, Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan.

Members were Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey, Mrs. Ethel Lowrie, Mrs. C.R. DeArmond,

Mrs. Ben Hurst, Miss Maudie Coffee, Mrs. W.E. Brewster, Mrs. Rosco Land, Mrs. Olean Leggett, Mrs. Anita White, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Mrs. R.T. Savage, Mrs. G.L. Jones, Mrs. Bryan Denley,

Mrs. Myrtle Ruth Fields, Mrs. Jennie Holcomb, Mrs. Annie Clark, Mrs. Johnny Parker, Mrs. Pat Gulley and Scooter, Mrs. Gene Morrow, Mrs. Junior Davis, Mrs. Vernon Rudy and Mrs. Ralph Ball.

7th Grade Team Celebrates Their District Championship

Seventh grade girls basketball team celebrated their district championship with a party at Pizza Hut in Hollis.

There was a celebration cake, with this message: Congratulations, District Champions.

The girls presented their coach, Ronnie Glenn, with a plaque and he gave each of them a certificate. They spent the remainder of the time remembering funny and not so humorous incidents of the season which closed recently.

Attending were: Carla Nunneley, Belinda Crelia, Cathy Crelia, Renee Daniel, Kim Black, Rhonda Gollighugh,

Shanna Urban, and Coach and Mrs. Glenn.

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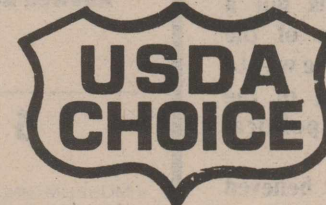
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Other Editors Say ...

Political Implications Of Agricultural Issue

Most people prefer their snow on the ground and their eggs with bacon on the side and that no doubt includes Agriculture Secretary Bob Bergland who was the target of both during his Tuesday visit to Amarillo.

Reports varied as to how many farmers were involved in the incident or whether the missiles hit Bergland himself or only those around him but such points are relatively unimportant other than that the incident was not typical of the behavior of people of this area. As a result, it was unfortunate and embarrassing to West Texans in general and no doubt to the majority of those involved in the American Agriculture Movement.

To what extent the incident will affect grassroots support for the farm movement is unknown but it certainly won't help. It was this kind of thing leaders of the AAM have been outspoken against from the beginning and have sought to avoid.

Even though such antics can't be condoned, they were evidence of the frustration that has been felt by farmers for some time as far as the Carter administration is concerned. And one can't look at the egg-throwing incident without at least considering the attitude the White House seems to have had. That it has handled the issue poorly is an understatement.

Despite the fact that farmers represent the nation's biggest and most important industry, it took representatives of the American Agriculture Movement two months to obtain a brief meeting in the Oval Office and even that required the presence in Washington of thousands of farmers from throughout the country. Carter's statement, widely quoted following the session, that although he recognized the plight of the farmer, those that survived current problems would be better off, didn't help.

Nor did some of Bergland's remarks at Amarillo. The Secretary stood firmly behind Administration proposals involving a national grain reserve program that would, he said, raise wheat and feed grain prices to at least \$3.15 a bushel over a three-year period. Then, a few minutes later, he acknowledged that the \$3.15 price would fall short of meeting production costs in some wheat-producing areas.

While the incident in Amarillo hopefully is not a preview of things to come and all members of the movement will realize that throwing eggs is not the way to gain improved farm prices, Carter's handling of the problem thus far could have important political implications.

Many farmers voted for him because they believed support for the farmer rested strongest with a Democratic president.

But some of them are finding it difficult to reconcile the Administration's present handling of farm problems with Carter's televised campaign commercial in which he was pictured in farmer's work clothes and hat, walking through a plowed field and filtering dirt through his fingers while a voice intoned "Jimmy Carter — a man of the soil."

More Information Due

Taxpayers always have been able to visit the courthouse for information about assessments, tax rate and appraisal percentages, but now the Texas legislature has approved a requirement that this information be furnished on tax statements.

This is a welcome step toward more open government, but it will continue to be the responsibility of the individual taxpayer to study this information and understand it. New tax statements will include the previous year's appraised value of the taxpayer's property, assessed value, tax rate and dollar amount of tax.

The legislature isn't interested as much in monitoring the amount of ad valorem tax revenue school districts, for example, take in as it is in assuring that the taxpayers are given the reason for the tax rate as set on their property.

Although tax records always have been public, tax offices now are required to publicize rates, assessments, valuations, etc. "in a manner reasonably designed to come to the attention of all residents."

This legislation is of distinct benefit to taxpayers. Now it's only necessary that mortgage firms, which pay their mortgagees' taxes from escrow funds, provide this tax information to their clients.

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It was once believed that wearing leeks into battle would ensure emerging unscathed.

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — Gov. Dolph Briscoe by executive order took the first step toward establishing a state-owned deepwater terminal for unloading imported crude oil along the Texas coast.

Briscoe activated the Texas Deepwater Port Authority after entering a finding that private enterprise has not come up with workable plans for a superport.

Major oil companies united to plan Seadock—a nearly \$1 billion facility 27 miles off the Texas coast near Freeport. Federal restrictions and a limitation on profits upset the deal.

Hugh L. Scott, president of Seadock Inc., told a House committee the terminal could not be financed privately in view of federal strings. He said he doubts even the state could finance the facility with revenue bond financing approved by a Senate bill passed during a special legislative session last summer.

Briscoe announced last week he will appoint the nine members of the Deepwater Port Authority authorized by the Senate bill.

Scott said Seadock is willing to transfer its pending port license from the federal government to the state.

Seadock spent more than \$20 million developing plans for the terminal.

Exxon, Mobil and Gulf pulled out of the consortium which proposed to build Seadock after proceedings to obtain the license. They provided 52 per cent of the project's financial backing.

55's Still the Limit
Fifty-five miles per hour is still the speed limit.

For the 13th time, the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission set 55 as the top speed for travel on Texas highways.

Each 120 days, the com-

mission must re-examine the limit as directed by the legislature in 1973.

If the commission finds the federal law requires the 55 mph limit, it must follow suit to prevent loss of federal highway funds. The federal law, passed during the 1973-74 oil embargo, is still in effect.

The new finding extends the Texas limit forward 120 days from March 16.

Program Saved

The State Board of Human Resources rebudgeted \$4 million for free medical prescriptions for the poor.

At the same time, board members directed its staff and an advisory panel to figure out how to cut the program's cost without hurting the poor.

Funds will not be available in 1979 for another transfer to the program. The money was transferred recently from funds appropriated for nursing home care of the mentally retarded. The latter had a lot of unspent money.

Welfare beneficiaries can get up to three prescriptions a month at state-federal expense.

Insurance Going Up

Cost of homeowners and other property insurance is almost certainly going up this year—but probably not as much as the 11.4 per cent statewide average recommended by the State Board of Insurance staff.

Chairman Hugh Yantis said he is hopeful of holding the amount of the increase below that level.

No decision is expected for several weeks.

Courts Speak

The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals reversed the death penalty assessed a San Antonio man in a 1974 mur-

der because the condemned man was not permitted to challenge credibility of a state witness who was his roommate.

The Supreme Court reversed a \$71,000 award to orphans of a couple killed when their car hit a Missouri Pacific freight train in Falls County nine years ago.

In another case, the high court found doctors who make diagnoses for insurance companies are not necessarily subject to malpractice suits when their verdicts prevent a patient from collecting a claim.

The Court of Criminal Appeals decided a constitutional amendment gives it authority to compel fast trials by writs of mandamus.

Divided 5-4, the Criminal Appeals Court upheld the 50-year prison sentence given a Houston man who shot and stabbed a narcotics agent.

Aging Grants Approved

The Governor's Committee on Aging has awarded 19

grants totalling \$5.6 million in federal funds to support meal programs and other social services for older Texans.

Nine existing nutrition projects received funds and three new group meal programs for the elderly were authorized.

Seven area agencies on aging, which function as focal points for the statewide network of services administered by the Committee on Aging, also received grants.

Grants to new meal programs included Alamo Area Council of Governments, \$192,679 (Atascosa, Bander, Frio, Gillespie, Karnes, Kendall, Kerr, Medina and Wilson Counties); Killeen, \$25,000 for a model project for senior citizens; and South Plains Area Agency on Aging, \$57,110 (Hale, Hockley and Garza Counties).

Short Snorts

Atty. Gen. John Hill held in an opinion a prison inmate's correspondence list is excepted, from disclosure, under the Open Records Act

as information deemed confidential by constitutional law.

The State Supreme Court appointed Wayne LeCroy, justice of the peace, Precinct 6 of Lubbock County, to the Commission on Judicial Conduct.

An Austin district judge ordered the Texas Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies to release 55 of 56 documents dealing with questioned activities by its staff during the last five years.

House Speaker Bill Clayton called for a House Agriculture Committee study of recent grain elevator disasters.

State Rep. Chase Undermeyer of Houston has urged non-partisan election of all judges.

The Railroad Commission has adopted a new rule requiring coal and lignite surface mining operators to comply with initial performance standards promulgated by the Secretary of Interior under the federal surface mining act.



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5 * MUSEUM OPEN * 1ST BAPTIST AT NURSING HOME * 3RD SUNDAY IN LENT	6 * CITY COUNCIL * TSTA AT WELLINGTON * SOCIAL SECURITY * MUSEUM OPEN * WELLINGTON LIONS * NORWOOD LIONS * QUAIL BAPTIST REVIVAL * ASSOCIATION OF W'S * FIREMEN'S AUXILIARY * BAND BOOSTERS * 1ST BAPTIST WMU	7 * NORWOOD EX-STUDENT PLANNING MEETING * QUAIL BAPTIST REVIVAL * WELLINGTON YH * MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE * DRIVERS LICENSE * QUAIL PIE SUPPER—QUEEN CORONATION	8 * HDC SEW FAIR * 1ST CHRISTIAN WOMEN * QUAIL BAPTIST REVIVAL * 1ST BAPTIST BIBLE STUDY—NURSING HOME * NORWOOD SCOUTS * BLOOD PRESS. CLINIC * PRAYER MEETINGS * CHOIRS	9 * QUAIL BAPTIST REVIVAL * LILLIE HDC * NORWOOD HDC * METHODIST DOROTHEANS * QUAIL FRIENDSHIP CLUB * MASONIC LODGE * DRIVERS LICENSE	10 * WHS-PANHANDLE RELAY * KIWANIS CLUB * METHODIST LYDIA-ESTHER STUDY * QUAIL BAPTIST REVIVAL	11 * GIRL SCOUT BANQUET * PANHANDLE RELAYS * MUSEUM OPEN * QUAIL BAPTIST REVIVAL
12 * 4TH SUNDAY IN LENT * COLLINGSWORTH HISTORICAL MUSEUM * QUAIL BAPTIST REVIVAL	13 * ABSENTEE VOTING * COMMISSIONERS CT. * SCHOOL BOARDS QUAIL WELLINGTON * NORWOOD * CHAMBER OF COMMERCE * FIRE DEPARTMENT * MUSEUM OPEN * HD COUNCIL * 1ST BAPTIST WMU	14 * PARK-WILDLIFE HEARING * COUNTY SPELLING BEE * BAND UIL CONCERT * SIGHT CONTESTS * B&PW * DODSON HDC * VFW WORK NIGHT * HOUSING AUTHORITY * DODSON MASONIC LG. * DODSON AMERICAN LEGION * SALT FORK SCD BOARD * RETIRED TEACHERS * WELLINGTON YH	15 * RSVP BIRTHDAY LUNCH * MIDWAY HDC * PRAYER MEETINGS * CHOIRS	16 * 1924 STUDY CLUB * STYLE SHOW * TSTI REPRESENTATIVE AT WHS * ABRA HDC * RSVP 42 PARTY * AMERICAN LEGION	17 * ST. PATRICK'S DAY * MIAMI RELAYS * KIWANIS CLUB * 1ST METHODIST LYDIA-ESTHER STUDY * GOOD NEIGHBORS * SCOUT TROOP 232 * COUNTY SCHOOL BRD. * ASCS COMMITTEE	18 * WHS BAND-50TH ANNIVERSARY BANQUET * MIAMI RELAYS * MUSEUM OPEN * CALVARY CROSS SINGERS AT DODSON
19 * PALM SUNDAY * HOLY WEEK BEGINS	20 * BLOODMOBILE * HOLY WEEK SERVICE—CATHOLIC CHURCH * NORWOOD LIONS HOST MEN OF COMMUNITY * WELLINGTON LIONS * CITY COUNCIL * SOCIAL SECURITY * MUSEUM OPEN * NORWOOD SCHOOL INSERVICE * 1ST METHODIST PATHFINDERS	21 * TINY TOT CONTEST * DRIVERS LICENSE * VFW WORK NIGHT * FRESNO HDC * 1ST BAPTIST WMU * HOLY WEEK SERVICE—CATHOLIC CHURCH	22 * HOLY WEEK SERVICE—CATHOLIC CHURCH * SCOUT TROOP 75 * PRAYER MEETINGS * CHOIRS	23 * NIGHT OF 1-ACT PLAYS * NORWOOD SCHOOL HOLIDAY * LILLIE HDC * UMW DOROTHEANS * HOLY WEEK SERVICE—CATHOLIC CHURCH * DRIVERS LICENSE * MAUNDY THURSDAY	24 * GOOD FRIDAY * LYDIA-ESTHER STUDY * KIWANIS * BOY SCOUTS * HOLY WEEK SERVICE—CATHOLIC CHURCH	25 * QUAIL EX-STUDENTS REUNION * WHS AT MEMPHIS RELAY * MUSEUM OPEN * HOLY WEEK SERVICE—CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Dodson to Host Teaching Seminar

Rev. Edgar Mastin of Atlanta, Georgia, will begin a series of inspirational teachings Wednesday, March 1, in the Insurance Building in Dodson. Rev. Mastin is widely known as an outstanding Bible teacher in several southern states, but this will be his first time in the Panhandle of Texas. The teachings will continue through Sunday evening, March 5.

The meetings will begin at 7 p.m. during the week, and on Sunday evening at 6 o'clock.

Rev. Mastin is a former classroom teacher, but has been a full time teacher and evangelist for the Church of the Living Word for a number of years. He has founded churches in eight different states, and has just returned from Haiti, where he dedicated a new church.

Assisting Rev. Mastin will be his daughter, Miss Tina Mastin. She is an accomplished artist and will draw pictures to illustrate her father's teachings. Miss Mastin is also a ventriloquist, and will bring a favorite friend, Chester. Several other puppets will be used to delight all the children, as well as the adults. Miss Mastin has also accompanied her father on missionary trips to Haiti and Mexico.

Miss Pam Morgan of Little Rock, Arkansas, will be the pianist for the meetings. She also prepares the Bible charts that Rev. Mastin uses to add depth to his teachings.

"Come be with us for these outstanding teachings. Everyone is urged to attend," said Rev. Conrad DeFries, Pastor of the Dodson Christian group.

Methodist Men Elect Beall President

Methodist Men elected Bill Beall president in the breakfast meeting Wednesday, Feb. 22.

Other officers are Andy Henard, vice-president and Bill Hatch, secretary-treasurer.

During the business session, the men discussed the sale of Trinity United Methodist Church and parsonage. The major project of Methodist Men has been the Michael House, which they bought and have kept up for a retired minister. Mrs. J.F. Michael, widow of the late Rev. Michael, lives there.

Bacon and eggs, hot biscuits and gravy were prepared by Rusty Henard, A.J. Fires, and Beall.

Methodist Men meet on the last Wednesday of each month for breakfast at 6:30 a.m.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOHNNY CASH

John Alf Thomas, country and western musician, holds a pen set from Southwestern Rail Products, which he is presenting singer Johnny Cash on his birthday. The base of the set is a rail spike, which has been chrome plated. It is engraved: "To Johnny Cash, Southwestern Rail Products, Inc., Wellington, Texas." The picture at center back shows Cash and Thomas at one of their meetings.

Real Estate Transactions

Sam Houston Thompson and Syble C. Thompson to the Sammie Lou Davis and Emmy Jane Fraser trust: West 40 acres of the east 80 acres of the south 200 acres of E/2 section 62, block 10.

Ronny Ford to W.T. and Linda Kay Brown: lots 11 and 12, block 4, Dodson.

A.B. Clark and wife, Susie E. Clark, and Earl G. Clark and wife, Barbara, to Kent Clark and wife, Judy: a tract 210' x 417' in section 83, block 14.

Buford Chandler and wife, Mary L., to Roland Zeldon Jenkins, Sr., and wife, Lora June: north half of lots 1 through 12, block 9, Rude Addition, Wellington.

Jimmy Dale Able, James Robert Able and Robbie Mae Able to Clarence H. Waggoner and wife: lots 1, 2, and 3, block 87, Wellington.

Tom Wilkins, to Joseph A. Graham and Florrie F. Graham: south 32 feet of lot 8, and north 31' of lot 9, Block 1, Bratten Addition. This deed was given in place of a correction deed filed Nov. 11, 1977.

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Price Receives Committee Appointments

Senator Bob Price, Republican from Pampa, has been appointed to three key Senate committees, from which he also received two subcommittee assignments.

Price will begin serving immediately on the Finance, Jurisprudence, and Natural Resources Committees, as well as on the Jurisprudence Subcommittee on Civil Matters, and the Natural Resources Subcommittee on Agriculture.

Senator Price said he was very pleased with his assignments.

"The Natural Resources Committee deals with energy, water resources, and agriculture, areas of great concern to all Texans."

"Serving on the Agriculture Subcommittee will give me an excellent opportunity to present and work for some of my earlier proposals in that area. This includes legislation forming agricultural trade teams, composed of interested agricultural producers, that would sell Texas agricultural products in other countries."

Price said.

"In addition, we need legislation to insure that agricultural producers will retain their priority ranking if energy supplies are rationed."

Senator Price stressed the importance of the Finance Committee in restraining the bureaucracy.

Meanwhile, the Jurisprudence Subcommittee on Civil Matters is studying problems involving product liability.

Price said that his present appointments are effective until the opening of the next session of the Legislature, in January of 1979, when, according to Senate rules, the lieutenant governor makes new committee assignments.

Senator Price also announced that his offices in Austin and Pampa are now ready to handle requests and questions by mail. Those addresses are: P.O. Box 12068, Austin, 78711; and Hughes Building Annex, Room 264-A, Pampa, Texas, 79065. Requests by phone can be taken in Austin at (512) 475-3222, and in Pampa at (806) 665-1681.

Mrs. Moon Royal, Phillip and Shane Cobb visited Mrs. Mary C. Spinks, Mrs. Bessie Dorsett and Mrs. Mittie Lee Abbott in Rusk. They are Mrs. Royal's sisters.

W.H. Skaggs, Lifelong Area Resident, Dies

W.H. Skaggs, 80, who lived near Vinson, died of an apparent heart attack at his home Thursday, February 9.

This was the farm on which he was born, and where he had lived all his life except about three years. It was also land which his grandfather had bought after coming to what was then Greer County, Texas, in 1894.

Although he had retired from farming and ranching, Mr. Skaggs continued to live on his land and did such work as his age permitted.

Mr. Skaggs was married in 1917 to Miss Myrtle Cox of Vinson. She died in 1921. In 1922, he was married to Miss Helen Farris, also of Vinson. She preceded him in death in 1970.

Funeral services were conducted at the Vinson Church of Christ Monday, February 13, with Jack Engles of Erick officiating. Burial was in Cave Creek Cemetery.

Pall bearers were Gail Skaggs, Gary Skaggs, Jerry Skaggs, Dennis Dooze, Don Lutz, and Dean Jones. Honorary pall bearers were Gilbert Hayes, Tom Wilson, Keith Jones and Ken Hayhurst. All these are grandsons or grandsons-in-law.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. C.B. Hayes of Fullerton, Calif., Mrs. Charles Jones of Erick, Okla., B.J. Skaggs of Tuyen, Okla., and Gerald Skaggs of Amarillo; one brother, Gene Skaggs of Vinson; and two sisters, Mrs. Alta Cooper and Mrs. Edith Kromer of Vinson. There are 12 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

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Baptist Revival to Open at Quail Mon.

Revival services will begin at First Baptist Church at Quail Monday, March 6, and continue through the following Sunday, March 12, according to the Rev. Jeff Messer, pastor.

Tom Wilkins will lead the singing.

Preaching in the revival will be the Rev. Carroll Green, pastor of First Baptist church, Hale Center. Evening services will begin at 7:30 p.m.

An added part of the meeting will be the noon Bible study to be held Monday through Friday, with those attending bringing a sack lunch.

The regular hours will be observed Sunday, March 12, with the morning service at 10:45 and the evening worship at 6:00.

The public is invited to attend, Rev. Messer said.

Wellington Spelling Winners Announced

Valerie Van Pelt, winner of the senior division of the 1977 County Spelling Bee, will again represent Wellington School. Last year, she represented the county in the Regional Bee at Amarillo. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Van Pelt and competed in the 7th-8th grade division.

The senior division runner-up will also compete in the county spelling Bee, and this is Ricky Keller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keller.

In the Junior Division, Teresa Pulliam, a sixth grader, was the winner. She is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Pulliam. The sixth grade runner-up was Dee Ann Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Williams.

Marilyn Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Watts was fifth grade winner, and the runner-up in that grade was Eugene Mote, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mote.

Bruce Dollar, high school principal, was in charge of the spelling Bee. Mrs. Bob

McAlister was the pronouncer while the judges were Rodney Bailey and Mrs. John Birkey for the fifth and sixth grades, Bailey and Mrs. Barbara Williams were the 7th-8th grade judges.

The county bee will be held in the county court room at 10:00 a.m.

Representatives of the Wellington, Samnorwood and Quail schools will compete in both senior and junior divisions.

Mrs. Dee Coleman is chairman, and the Collingsworth Bee is sponsored by the county chapter of the National Retired Teachers Association.

The senior winner will represent the county in the Regional Bee at Amarillo. The junior winner will attend but will not compete.

Mrs. Edna Birchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Ford, Rachelle, Amber and Ryan were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Langford and Kevin of Fritch.

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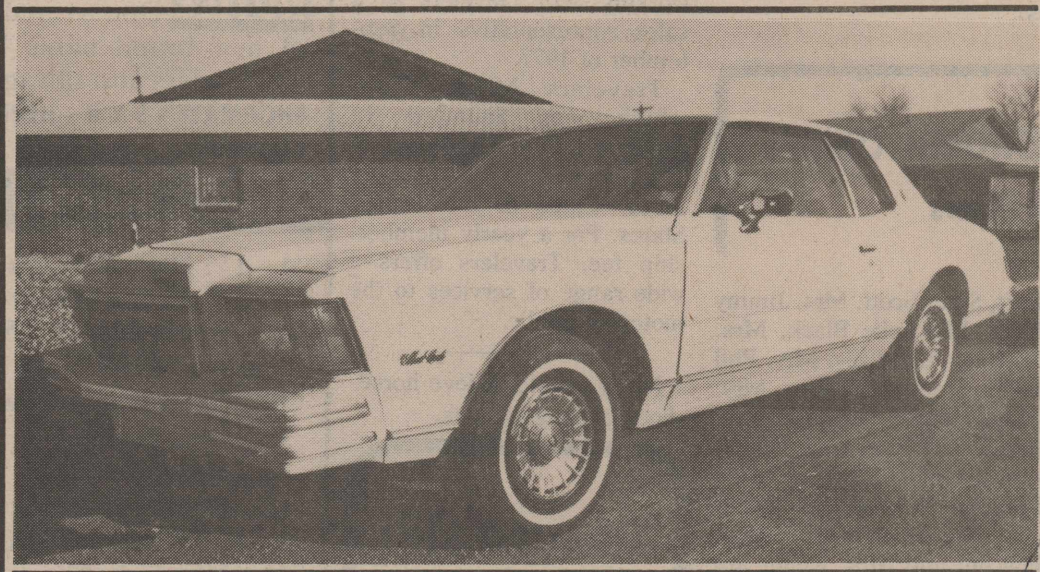
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WIFE Organizational Meeting Called Tues.

Two Hereford women will speak at an organizational meeting for a Wellington chapter of Women Involved in Farm Economics (WIFE) at 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 7 at Wellington State Bank Heritage Room.

WIFE is a group of women involved in a variety of activities that attempt to

explain farm economics and problems to the public, Mrs. David Caison, one of the organizers, said.

The meeting is open to everyone and Mrs. Caison urged businesswomen as well as farmers' wives to attend.

Speakers will be Mrs. Audrey Martin and Mrs. Janice Allred of the Deaf Smith County WIFE organization.

"WIFE is not part of the American Agriculture movement," Mrs. Caison said. "WIFE was started long before American Agriculture and is in no way connected to it."

Officers will be elected at the meeting.

about two hours, 40 minutes in length.

This was not a recruiting visit, Martindale emphasized, although if a student asked a specific question concerning recruitment, it was answered.

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Bellringer Drive Chairman Appointed

Mrs. Danny Gray of Wellington will lead Bellringer workers in a house-to-house drive during May, Mental Health Month.

"Proceeds will benefit the Mental Health Association in Texas," said Shirley K. Camfield, state President of the voluntary citizens' association.

As a non-governmental agency the association can and does speak for the consumer--the person who needs professional help for an emotional disturbance.

"The association is a

moving force to get services established where there are none. It also serves as a monitoring agency to see that treatment services are doing what they were set up to do," said Camfield.

The Mental Health Association strongly promotes more community-based care as well as more research into the causes and prevention of mental illness.

For free information about mental health topics, such as depression, contact the Mental Health Association in Texas, 103 Lantern Lane, Austin, Texas 78731.

Welcome To Collingsworth

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Skelton moved to Wellington from Corpus Christi Feb. 1 to be a part of two new businesses in town.

She is the former Becky Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis, and grew up here. Skelton is from San Saba and took an early retirement after 12 years with the Texas Department of Highways and Transportation to come to Wellington.

He and his father-in-law are associated in Big D Insulation Co., a completely new business here. Davis and his wife come back from Lake Jackson.

Mrs. Skelton is opening His and Her Style Shop, a hair styling and beauty shop.

"With a little bit of luck, we will be open in about three weeks," she said. The shop will be at 910 East Avenue, the location formerly occupied by Mary's Fabrics.

In Corpus Christi, she worked for Martinique Hairdressers. She received her training in Odessa.

The Skeltons have three sons: Michael is 10 and in the fourth grade. All his prior education was in Christian Education School in Corpus Christi. Chad is four years old

Thomas Nursing Center News

We welcome Mrs. Etta Young. She is in room 7A.

Mrs. Dora Johnson is in St. Anthony's hospital, Amarillo.

Mrs. Ethel Cristy was last week's game winner.

The ladies in arts 'n crafts were busy last week making green, checked, gingham flowers for St. Patrick's day decorations.

Games were enjoyed Monday afternoon by a large group of residents. Volunteers assisted.

Sing Alongs on Tuesday are always well attended. Mrs. Jack Davis and Mrs. Johnnie Parker are so faithful each week.

Bible study Wednesday afternoon was conducted by Rev. and Mrs. J.D. Henson from the First Nazarene Church.

Church of Christ children and leaders, Mrs. Trudie Peters, Miss Nancy Colson and Miss Becky Cochran, sang Wednesday eve.

Thursday afternoon the residents enjoyed a film "Holland today" from the Public Library.

The Lighthouse Quartet sang to a large group Friday eve.

Sunday afternoon worship was conducted by Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Pulliam and family from Fundamental Baptist Church.

Our visitors were: Mrs. Louise Gaines from Wheeler visited her husband, Lando Gaines. A brother, J.C. Gaines from Grand Prairie also visited.

Wayne Johnson from Lela visited his grandmother, Mrs.

and Jonathon is 10 months old.

The family is active in the Baptist Church.

"We're excited about being back," said Mrs. Skelton. "We wanted to raise our children in a little town."

West High in Insurance Sales

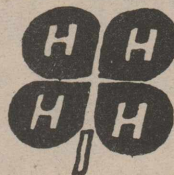
Oris West, general agent for Southwestern General Life Insurance Company, has become the first agent ever to produce \$2 billion of business in a single year, according to an announcement by N.B. Pollock, vice president.

West's Insurance volume totaled \$2,009,600. He was one of six men in the company qualified for the million-dollar circle.

West was with Capitol Plan Insurance Division of Southwestern General Life, Dallas from 1968 to 1970. He was then in business here until a year ago, when he returned to the company.

His territory covers all of West Texas and part of western Oklahoma.

Last summer, West and his wife received an expense paid trip to Jackson, Hole Wyoming, and they have won a trip to Disney World, Orlando Fla., which they will take in the spring.



COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY 4-H Club News

Sunshiners 4-H club members held a mother-daughter banquet at Heritage Room Monday, Feb. 13. Red and white table decorations were in keeping with the Valentine season.

Centerpieces were valentines.

Attending were Mrs. Harold

Grace Johnson. Visiting Mrs. Sallie Lancaster were a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. I.N. Sears, a son, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lancaster from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Bobbitt and Lisa from Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Stewart and Mrs. Annie Russell from Willow, Okla. visited Mrs. Mattie Childress. Mrs. Russell also visited Mrs. Mabel Graham, Mrs. Recie DuBose, Mrs. Amanda Bell and others.

Visiting Mrs. Cornelia King were a daughter, Mrs. Faye Branaum, grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Branaum, Mrs. Jewel Branaum, Mrs. Benny Ramey and Melisa, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanley from Amarillo.

Mrs. Opal Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dunn and family visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Alma Clement. Mrs. Margaret Richardson from Pampa also visited.

Mrs. Bessie Whitten visited

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There is a new automobile tire on the way. It's a gas-saver, and it rings Detroit's bell because it could help the automobile companies meet the federally imposed average fleet mileage requirements by 1985. There is only one thing wrong with it. It requires a special rim on which you cannot use other tires.

It is called the "elliptic" tire and offers 4% to 6% better gas mileage than the radial tire of today. The reduction in rolling friction is accomplished by increasing the pressure in the elliptic tire to 44 psi, 50% greater than in conventional radials. That would ordinarily cause a very bumpy ride. But Goodyear has designed the elliptic tire with a continuously curving sidewall. The increased air pressure forces the sidewall out, much as an air cushion, which gives it the softer ride.

One automobile company is concerned about the special rim required for the elliptic. The fear is that a motorist might cause a severe safety hazard by mistakenly putting another kind of tire on the rim. They add that consumers would be unhappy to learn that there are no cheap replacements for the elliptic, once the original wears out.

Firestone, by changing the chemical composition to its tread and strengthening the sidewalls, has come out with a tire designed to fit the standard rim. The automobile companies are testing the tire to see if it will require any changes in the suspension systems of automobiles. If it does and if the changes are too expensive, then the automobile companies may go with the elliptic. Ford and Chrysler have already indicated they will put some elliptic on their 1979 models.

A gas-saver tire could be a real shot in the arm for the tire industry. It has suffered from lower profit margins, murderous price cutting and a drop in business from the current automobile slump. The coal strike added to problems because other products, such as conveyor-belts, can't be produced by the tire companies.

POLITICAL CALENDAR

DEMOCRAT

For U.S. Representative,
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Jack Hightower

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Joe Frank Knoll

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Collingsworth County

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For Constable, Precinct 1
Collingsworth County

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Bill Hale

Roberson Wins Travelers Club Bermuda Trip

Lonnie Roberson, Area Manager for Travelers Motor Club, has been named a grand prize winner in the company's end of year contest.

Roberson, a resident of Dodson, is being awarded a trip to the Bahamas for his excellence in sales. He began working with Travelers as a sales representative in September of 1977.

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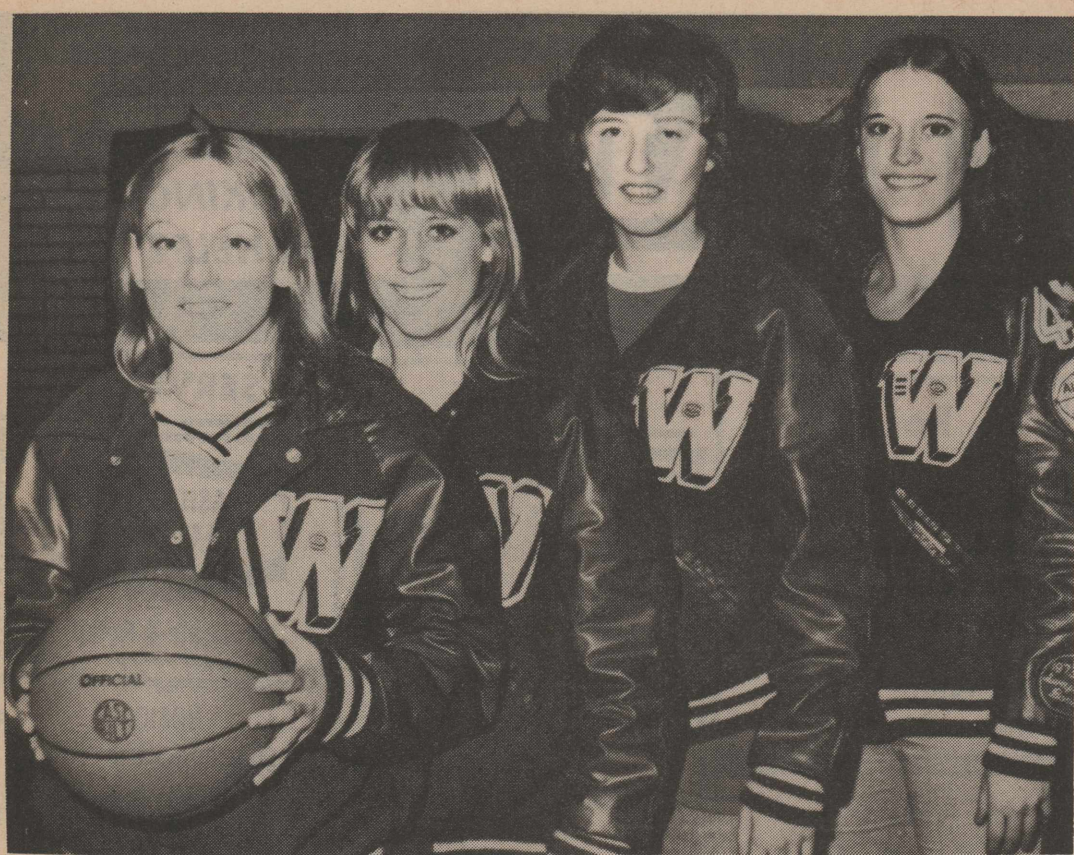
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These four Rockettes were chosen for places on the first 2-A All-District Girls Basketball Team. From left are Vanessa Ingram, Pam Ingram, Susie Chandler and Lee Ann Sessions.

Firecrackers Co-Winners of District Two-A Basketball

Wellington Firecrackers tied with Shamrock and Clarendon for the District 2-A Junior High Basketball championship, which was decided last week. Coach Bruce Dollar announced. The Firecrackers finished their schedule Feb. 16, but other teams were in play until late in the month.

The Wellington boys ended the season with a 10-3 record, and their district record was 6-2.

In District play, they opened with a 36-34 win over Shamrock, then lost Clarendon 34-30. Two victories were over Memphis 54-28 and 51-31.

There was a one-point loss to Shamrock, 39-38, then a win over Clarendon 37-27 to close the season. Their third loss was a non-conference game to Quanah by one point, Dollar said.

"We had a real good basketball team and the boys

played good defense and were good shooters," he continued. "The district was well balanced. Shamrock and Clarendon both had outstanding teams. I thought we did a real fine job, too, because of the disadvantage we had in height. Shamrock and Clarendon had good size players and we just don't have any."

Players were: Kenneth Warren, Raymond Mackey, Tim Harris, Calvin Culpepper, Rand Johnson, Bruce Alexander, Brent Long, Tito Nevarez, David Moore, Willie Pennon, Maynard Thomas, Patric Guajardo, Clarence Duke, Jeff Barnett, and Parnell Outley.

St. Patrick's Celebration Mar. 17-18

The 32nd annual St. Patrick's Party will be held at Shamrock Friday and Saturday, March 17 and 18.

Speaker at the pre-celebration banquet Friday night March 17, will be Justin Wilson, famed Cajun humorist. This will be in the National Guard Armory at 7:30.

Bill Mack and the Midnight Cowboys will play for the dance at the Armory Saturday night. The entertainer whose

full name is Bill Mack Smith, grew up in Shamrock and for many years has had the Bill Mack Show from midnight to 5:00 a.m. over 50,000-watt clear-channel WBAP in Ft. Worth.

Other Saturday events will include the hour-long parade, Donegal Beard Contest, Old Settlers Reunion, Old Fiddlers Contest, Miss Irish Rose Coronation, Steer Roping, and Ministerial Alliance program.

Quail Ex-Students Hold Annual Reunion March 25

Quail Ex-Students will hold their 29th Annual Reunion Saturday, March 25. Plans were made in a meeting of officers and other ex-students Monday night.

The reunion will be in the new ag building on the school grounds, according to Mrs. Monty Ferguson (Brenda Childers) who is helping with plans. It will expand into other rooms if this is needed.

Registration will begin at 6:00 p.m. and a barbecue supper will be served at 7:00. This will be catered by Carrolls of Shamrock.

If it is possible, those planning to attend the reunion should notify Mrs. Jim Ingram (Loretta Neeley) at 816 West Avenue, Wellington or phone 806-447-2949, or Mrs. Ferguson, office phone 806-447-2820 or home, 447-5471, or write

Box 981, Wellington, 79095.

This will be the first opportunity for many former students to see the campus since a tornado devastated the Quail School May 16.

There will be no program or entertainment this year, Mrs. Ferguson said. There will be a business meeting, and an explanation and update report of the Quail Loyalty Fund and announcement of the current donation figure.

There will be plenty of time for visiting and to see the new school plant.

The traditional prizes will be awarded to the person traveling the greatest distance and possibly others.

Those with pictures from earlier days of the school are urged to bring them.

"We urge you to come this year out of loyalty to our school. We need your presence and we want you to see what is being done," said Mrs. Ferguson.

Approximately 150 visitors are expected.

Benny Carson will be in charge of securing and setting up tables for the barbecue.

The fastest wind ever recorded was 231 miles an hour on New Hampshire's Mt. Washington in 1934.

Mrs. Edd Paetsch Dies in California

A former Wellington woman, Mrs. Edd Paetsch of Sunnyvale, Calif., died Tuesday, February 23, after a 6-month illness. She was 67. The former Beryl Moore, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Moore and grew up here. She lived at San Francisco, Calif., a number of years, then returned here in 1946 for a few years.

She and her husband lived at Bovina before returning to California in 1962.

Survivors are her husband; four sisters, Mrs. Riley Dunson and Mrs. C.C. Taylor of Wellington, Mrs. Jess Rountree of Dimmitt and Mrs. Kirby Willingham of Blair, Oklahoma; and two brothers, Homer Moore and Guy Moore of California. Mrs. Bill Hall is a great-niece.

1978 Tiny Tot Revue Slated On March 21

The annual Tiny Tot revue will be held Tuesday, March 21, at 7:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium, Mrs. A.J. Fires chairman, announced.

Sponsoring it again this year is the 1954 Study Club, and tickets will be available from any member.

Registration will be held Monday at 3:30 p.m. at the auditorium.

Leader Readers

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