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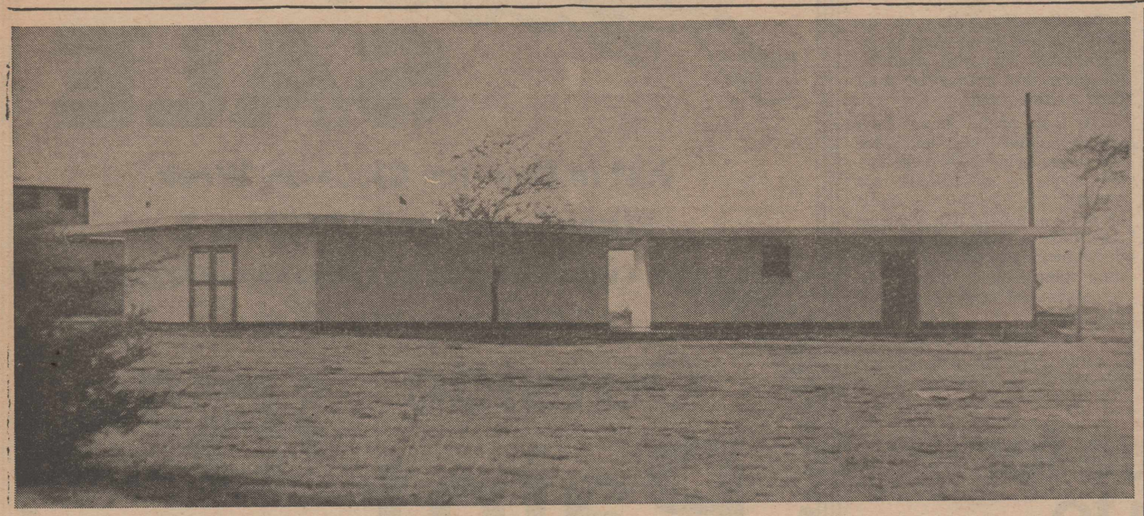
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GREEN ACRES GOLF CLUB HOUSE

The new Green Acres Golf Club House at Wellington Municipal Golf Course was used for the first time Saturday and Sunday, April 20 and 21, when members held an oyster supper and golf tournament. The storage room for golf carts is on the left and the club room for golf carts is open passageway between. This is a municipal club, operated by the Green Acres Golf Association for the City of Wellington.

County Will Vote on 30¢ Tax Continuance May 17

Collingsworth County taxpayers will be called upon to vote on the continuation of the 30¢ Farm to Market Road Tax on May 17. In a meeting April 18, the Commissioners Court set the date of the election and appointed election officials for the nine boxes in the county and for the absentee ballots.

The order recites the following proposition: "Shall Collingsworth County be authorized to levy, assess and collect ad valorem taxes upon the taxable property in said County, except the first Three Thousand ($3,000.00) dollars value in residential homestead, not to exceed Thirty (30¢) cents on each One Hundred ($100.00) dollars valuation in adition to other ad valorem taxes authorized by the constitution and the Statutes of the State of Texas, the revenue for such tax to be used for the construction and maintenance of Farm to Market roads as provided in Chapter 464, Acts of the Fifty-first Legislature."

The Commissioners pointed out that this action would not increase the amount any person is paying at the present time since it is a continuation of the 30¢ tax that is now in effect, and that it is necessary for the purchase of right of way, improvement of roads and the preservation of the investment the county already has in roads and bridges.

In commenting on the need for continuing the 30¢ levy, Judge Zook Thomas said that with the increase in prices of everything the county buys, like other businesses, farming and ranching, it is impossible for the county to operate on a cash basis as is being done at the present time, without this levy.

Voting will be in four places in Wellington: Wellington High School, Second Floor of Courthouse, Community Building and Elementary School; at Dodson, the American Legion Building; at Lutie, the Lutie Gin; Samnorwood Schoolhouse; Dozier, Church of Christ; and Quail, at the Quail Schoolhouse.

J. M. Stowell, 81, Dies Saturday After Surgery

Joseph M. Stowell, 1108 Childress Street, died at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, April 19, in Harris Memorial Hospital, Ft. Worth, which he had entered two weeks earlier for surgery. His condition grew worse unexpectedly about an hour before his death.

Mr. Stowell was 81.

He came to Wellington from Wilson, Okla., in 1914, and for a number of years he was a barber, much of that time operating his own shop. He then engaged in the real estate and insurance business for several years.

Later Mr. Stowell was a sales representative for wholesale firms, and in this capacity traveled over a wide area. He retired several years ago and had been in ill health much of the time since.

A native Texan, he was born at Bells, near Sherman, June 17, 1887. He grew up there, and on June 10, 1910, he was married to Miss Lillie M. Gleaves in Collin County.

Forty-six years ago he was baptized into the Baptist Church.

Funeral services for Mr. Stowell were conducted at 10 a.m. Tuesday at First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Leroy Gaston, pastor, officiating. Bur-

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300 Expected

Greenbelt Electric Members Meet Fri.

Members of the Greenbelt Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. will hold their annual meeting Friday, April 25, in Bura Handley Community Center. Approximately 300, including the members and their famiiles, are expected to attend.

Plans were announced this week by George Henry, manager.

The featured entertainers will be the chorus from Westview Boys Home near Hollis, the first time the group has appeared before the Greenbelt members.

The remainder of the meeting will be given over to business of the association and the awarding of door prizes.

A. J. Garland of Clarendon, president, will be in charge.

Two directors will be selected. Candidates from District 1 are Fred Bourland, the incumbent, of Quail, and William O'Rear, Route 2, Wellington. The District 4 candidates are T. B. Henderson, incumbent, and Johnie Burrell, both of Route 1, Twitty. The terms are for three years.

After the membership meeting, the directors will meet and reorganize for the coming year.

The Rev. O. C. Edwards, pastor of First Baptist Church, Claude, will give the invocation, then Paul Spillman, at-

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Cablecom Plans Educational TV Study Here

Cablecom-General, Inc., has announced that feasibility study is being made and engineering plans are being drafted for adding additional services to the cable TV system in Wellington.

It is hoped that an Educational TV Station, an independent station and a news channel can be added to the system.

The planned additions will require rebuilding the entire system with the most up-to-date types of aluminum cables and electronic equipment available to the cable TV industry and will make the Cablecom-

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Mrs. Hattie Scott, Area Pioneer, Dies Monday

Mrs. Hattie Scott, truly a pioneer of the southwest Oklahoma and Collingsworth County area, died in St. Joseph's Hospital at 5 a.m. Tuesday, April 22, after an illness of only a few hours. Her death came at the age of 94.

She attended church services Sunday, friends said, and followed her regular activities.

Funeral services will be conducted at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 24, at the Church of Christ with Minister Gaylord Cook officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Pallbearers will be Elmer Hiett, D. C. Thomason, Shelton Nunnelley, Jack Davis, Farris Cornelius and Bill Tarter.

Mrs. Scott came to Wellington from Dodson a number of years ago and her home was at 1307 East Avenue.

The former Hattie Edwards, she was the daughter of J. J. and Frances Edwards, and was born Sept. 29, 1874, in Audrain County, Missouri.

Mr. Edwards brought his family to what was later to be Harmon County, Oklahoma, in 1891, and filed on a claim that now lies between Hollis and Dodson, and remains in the family. The difficulty with which a water well for family use was located is recalled, and now this is one of the fine irrigated farms of the area.

The Edwards' were a family of teachers, and after she had completed the school she attended, Mrs. Scott, along with her sister, Mrs. Nellie Scott of Hollis, went to Mangum and secured teaching certificates.

She once recalled that she then came to Wellington and attended the school taught by her brother, C. W. Edwards.

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Two Others Injured

Two Critically Hurt In Accident Saturday

A Wellington man, Joe Simpson, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Floyd Nipper of Amarillo, are in critical condition in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, from injuries received in a two-car collision Saturday evening, April 19.

The accident occurred in an intersection at Shallowater, northwest of Lubbock.

Mr. Simpson had both legs badly crushed, as well as other injuries, according to information received by relatives here. Mrs. Simpson has a broken arm, a deep cut on one leg, and head injuries.

Mrs. Nipper has five broken ribs and cuts, along with a bruised heart. Doctors told the family they will have to re-evaluate her injuries before her condition can be determined, the family here learned. Mr. Nipper was badly bruised.

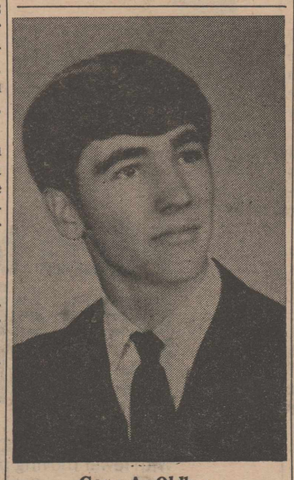
Mrs. Nipper and Mrs. Simpson are sisters, and the four were returning from El Paso, where they were with the Nippers' daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bobby Nipper, when she underwent surgery.

While in El Paso, Mrs. Nipper fell and broke a wrist and sprained an ankle.

The two occupants of the other car in the accident were checked at a hospital and then released, according to Ocie Scott, brother-in-law of Mr. Nipper.

Going from here to be with the couples in Lubbock were the Simpsons' daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wade, and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Black; and Mr. Nipper's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nipper. Mrs. Ocie Scott is a sister of Mr. Nipper.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nipper lived here until about 20 years ago, when they moved to the Plains. A few years later they went to Amarillo.



Gary A. Oldham
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Gary Oldham Will Seek Presidency of Area 1 FFA

Gary A. Oldham of Samnorwood will be a candidate for president of Area I FFA when the annual meeting is held on May 10 at Palo Duro High School in Amarillo.

Oldham, who will be representing the Greenbelt District, Future Farmers of America, has engaged in many FFA activities during his four years in Samnorwood High School. In his freshman year, he was president of the junior chapter conducting team and a member of the livestock team. In his sophomore year, he was vice president of the senior conducting team and a member of the dairy cattle team, and both teams won first in

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Dodson Masons Sponsor Law-Order Meeting

Members of the Dodson Masonic Order will sponsor a law and order program Tuesday, April 29, at 8 p.m. in the Masonic Hall at Dodson.

Chester Fant, safety officer for the Texas Department of Public Safety, will be the speaker.

This is an open meeting and anyone who is interested is invited, according to Kenneth Hudson, worshipful master.

Mrs. Norman to Head Red Cross Campaign

Mrs. Joyce Norman will head this year's Red Cross fund raising campaign, which is falling later than in recent years.

Mrs. Norman is now selecting her workers and plans for the county-wide drive are being formulated. These will be announced in the immediate future.

The campaign will begin immediately after the close of the Cancer Crusade.

Mrs. Norman returned to Wellington about a year and a half ago after living for a number of years in Libya and Australia. She works with her father, Luther McPherson, part time in Town and Country.

Mrs. Derryberry Leaves Hospital

Mrs. Boyd Derryberry, a patient in Shamrock General Hospital six weeks, returned home Saturday, April 19, but her mother, Mrs. S. B. Jackson, will remain for at least another week.

The two were seriously injured in a car accident on Elm Creek hill Saturday, March 8. Mr. Derryberry, less seriously injured, returned home a month ago.

Mrs. Jackson suffered a light stroke since entering the hospital, but Mr. Derryberry said she is much improved.

Two daughters are with her, Mrs. Travis Readnour of Gage, Okla., and Mrs. J. B. Clothier of Sayre, Okla., and another daughter, Miss Edyth Jackson, is there at mid-week and on week ends.



Sp. 4 Jimmy Don Lester
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Former County Man Dies in Vietnam April 15

A former Quail soldier, twice wounded in battle and decorated for bravery, was killed Tuesday, April 15, in Vietnam.

He is Army Specialist 4 Jimmy Don Lester, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lester of Amarillo.

He died while his unit of the 25th Infantry Division defended an artillery position under enemy attack near the Cambodian border.

Funeral arrangements have not been announced.

The young soldier was awarded the Bronze Star for his heroic action on Aug. 20, when his two-man position along an enemy infiltration route came under attack. He exposed himself to hostile fire without regard to his personal safety while securing ammunition and treating and evacuating wounded comrades.

Lester attended grade school at Quail, where he was a member of the Baptist Church. He also attended Horace Mann Junior High School in Amarillo, and was graduated from high school at Eldon, Mo., in 1966. He lived in Eldon six years with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Cartee.

He entered military service in January 1968, and went to Vietnam in July. He and Miss Karen Bunch of Eldon were to have been married on July 12.

Other survivors include two brothers and two sisters: Ronnie, Tommy and Betty Lester, and Mrs. Sue Gibson, all of Amarillo; and his grandfathers, John R. Calcote of Wellington and Floyd H. Lester of Del Norte, Colo.

Major Project Due

Mrs. Cleveland Heads Sagebrush for 1969

Mrs. Weldon Cleveland, Jr., was chosen president of the Sagebrush Arts and Crafts Association for the coming year in the recent election meeting. She succeeds Mrs. Hubert Bowen, president since the group was organized.

Other officers are Miss Bonnie Willis, vice president; Mrs. Roy Jeffrey, secretary; and Miss Selma McAlister, treasurer.

Sagebrush Association will be represented at the Texas Community Arts Council Conference to be held at the Margo Jones Theatre on the campus of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, May 1 and 2.

It is sponsored by the Texas Fine Arts Commission, and is for the exchange of factual and comparative information among the delegates and by consultants.

The Sagebrush Association will sponsor a major project again this year, but its nature is to be decided upon, Mrs. Cleveland said. Last year's project was Sagebrush Corral, where paintings and crafts of members were offered for sale.

The outgoing officers, in addition to Mrs. Bowen, are Mrs. Earl Hunter, vice president; Mrs. Clyde Drake, secretary; and Miss Dorothy Robertson, treasurer.

In Vietnam

Wellington Soldier Receives Bronze Star

Army Sergeant First Class Johnnie C. Gollihugh, a career soldier from Wellington, has received the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in Vietnam.

The action for which he was decorated took place near Pleiku, Vietnam on March 12.

Since then he has returned to the United States and after a two-weeks leave, he and his family left for his new assignment at Ft. Benning, Ga.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gollihugh, 1311 Dalhart Street.

Sgt. Gollihugh was presented the award for meritorious service in ground operations against hostile forces while assigned to the 4th Infantry Division.

A first sergeant in the 64th

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SFC Johnnie Gollihugh

Jacksons Attend Church Council

The Rev. and Mrs. James Jackson will leave Monday, April 28 to attend the District Council of the Assemblies of God in Lubbock.

An annual event, it will continue through Tuesday. The council is considered a major event of the church year for West Texas churches.

Meeting Called to Set Up 1969 Youth Baseball

Wellington's 1968 summer youth baseball program will be set up in a meeting slated for Thursday, April 24 at 8 p.m. in the office of John Coleman on the east side of the square.

Paul Guthrie, who headed last year's baseball program, will preside and new officers will be elected.

Any adult willing to coach or work with the program in any way is invited to attend the meeting, said Mrs. John Coleman, who is assisting with the program. Parents are especially urged to attend, she said.

Mr. Guthrie said that with a little clean-up work, and with maintenance through the baseball season, the turf at Marian Airpark diamond will be in good condition. A reseeding program was undertaken last year and this work should begin paying off, he pointed out.

In the past, Wellington has operated the baseball program on three levels, peewee, little league and pony league, although it has never been affiliated with the official Little League program.

150,000 Acres Infested in County

BCRIA Committee Will Seek Brush Control Funds Here

Community committeemen to work in the Collingsworth County Brush Control and Range Improvement Association (the BCRIA) were selected in a meeting of ranchers and livestock men Tuesday, April 15, and their first function will be collection of funds to set the program in motion.

An explanation of the statewide program was given by John R. Henard and Paul Montgomery, permanent co-chairmen of the county association, and W. R. Breeding, district director.

The committeemen are F. Jake Hess of McLean; Pat Bradley of Abra; Jack Moreman of Rolla; Raymond Ross of Quail; Paul Bell, Bill Moseley and Dan Henard of Wellington; Roy Canada of Quail; Walter Camp of Dodson; Barney Glenn of Wellington; Wood Coleman and Robert Baxter of Dozier.

Funds will be collected on the basis of one cent per acre over a 5-year period throughout Texas, and the program will be administered similar to the highly successful screwworm program.

"We strongly urge all ranchers and stockmen in Collingsworth County to cooperate, because there is really a need," Mr. Henard reminded.

"Slightly over one-half of Collingsworth County — 250,000 acres — is in range land. There is at least 150,000 acres on which there is a severe need for brush control — here in our own county, and there is danger of the remaining 100,000 acres becoming infested," he continued.

It was brought out that undesirable brush is encroaching on range land at a faster rate than ever before.

Collingsworth County is concerned with shinnery, sage brush, mesquite and bear grass or yucca.

Money now being collected will go into research, out of which will come ways to eradicate or control these, as well as other types in all sections of Texas.

Even weeds which are not desirable to livestock will be included in the eradication program, Mr. Henard said.

The BCRIA is a non-profit organization and is not directly associated with any university or company. The goal is to obtain one cent per acre each year, for five years, from landowners and other interested individuals and organizations to greatly increase brush control research.

Surveys show that about 82% of Texas rangelands are infested with brush, cutting the animal carrying capacity by 50% or more, said County Agent Don Reeves.

Despite much reearch in the past, greater financial help will

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► Daylight Saving Time Begins on April 27

Wellington, along with the remainder of the country, will change to daylight saving time Sunday, April 27.

This simply means moving the clock ahead one hour. It is suggested that the easiest way to do this is when you go to bed Saturday night. If, for example, you go to bed at 10:00 p.m., you should move your clock to 11:00 p.m.

Then Sunday and Monday, and every day for the next six months, you will be getting up and going to work one hour earlier by the sun.



FFA BANQUET TRIO
Dr. John D. Coleman, right, receives congratulations from Supt. E. P. Haynie and Wayne Cudd following his talk before Quail Future Farmers and their fathers.

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Fish, Chicken Come Up

Full Cycle Seen for Beef Cattle Industry

This is the second of two parts of an address delivered by Dr. John D. Coleman before the Quail Future Farmers and their fathers at a banquet April 11.

Discussing "The Future of Animal Production," Dr. Coleman, who lives in the northwest part of Collingsworth, first described the vast increase in the productive capacity of crops within his own lifetime, about 30 years.

He called the grain sorghums the "Cinderella crop", with yields already being made to touch 600 bushels—36,000 pounds—per acre. And he predicted that milo will become food for humans and less of a food for animals.

And then he reminded his audience:

"The future of animal production rests entirely on the future of farm production."

This is the remainder of his address:

It is my belief that we have not even begun to start to see the limit of the crop production in this county, this state, this country and this world.

And even if we do run out of land on which to grow crops, there is still the oceans and the vast bodies of water where fish can be raised for food.

Of all the animals in the world today, the fish is the most efficient converter of non-human food to food for humans. Today catfish are being produced at a cost varying from 5¢ to 14¢ per pound with a conversion ratio of one pound of feed to produce one pound of gain.

Therefore the fish may be the animal of the future, simply because it has the greatest potential for the production of food of all the animals that we have.

Let us talk about the future of cattle production. And for the sake of understanding let me divide the future in roughly three periods of 20 to 30 years each.

The immediate period will show a growth of cattle numbers and meat produced mainly by feeding milo-based rations to feedlot animals. The feedlot people and their associated industries will prosper greatly. The cow-calf people and the stocker people will also enjoy prosperity during this period.

The next period, beginning around the year 2,000 will see more and more milo production being converted to human food, milo will then become too expensive to use for cattle feed. This will be a period of hard times for the feedlot people simply because they won't be able to buy cheap feed. But during this transition period, the grazing lands will become very important. There is two and one-half times as much land too rough to farm as there is farming land. And the cow is the ideal harvester of the forage grown on this land and is well adapted to convert this non-human food to food for humans. Because of economic reasons, unless there is a major breakthrough in nutrition of cattle, the feedlots will pass from the scene.

The third period thus becomes the completion of the full circle back to the time where cattle are grown and fattened on the range. During this third period beef will be very expensive, simply because the available plant proteins will be utilized for humans directly rather than being fed to animals.

There may be some of you interested in the poultry business now and for the future. Right now the big poultry markets are in the USA, Europe and Japan. Later on, the big markets will be in Central and South America, Africa and Asia as the population of these areas become able to purchase more animal protein foods.

The poultry men of the future must be able to serve the developing markets and do it very efficiently. This means that large scale operations — two to three million birds, vast quantities of cheap feeds, low cost transportation. You put this information into a computer and out comes the answer:

1. Locate the poultry farm near an ocean port because sea transportation is still the cheapest on a per ton mile basis. The Gulf Coast region of Texas would be ideal.

2. Install controlled atmosphere buildings, complete with computerized feeding equipment to save labor.

3. Lease the use of a million-ton cargo ship that has a complete feed mill on board. This ship would go to Galveston to get a load of cottonseed meal at a premium price at that time of year. It then would go to South Africa for a load of corn or to Argentina for wheat or grain sorghum, then on to Peru for low cost fish meal.

The laboratory on the ship would analyze the feed ingredients and on the way back to the poultry farm by the seaport, the entire cargo would be completely processed into a million tons of poultry feed.

Does this sound fantastic? Except for the size of the ship, one poultry man in England is doing just this today. And million-ton ships are already on the drawing board for just this type of work. Some of these ships will be built in sections, one going to Galveston, one to Africa, one to Peru and all meeting in the Caribbean, joining together for the final leg of their journey to the poultry farm.

This last illustration of special machines being used in animal production will probably influence this production more than anything else.

The tools of the future have yet to be developed and without the knowledge of these special tools, it is difficult and foolhardy to forecast the future of animal production. Because the future will depend more on developments outside of the animal science fields than on developments of animals and animal feeds.

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FUND	BALANCE 12-31-68	RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURES	BALANCE 3-31-69
Jury	$ 4,983.38	$ 884.13	$ 2,091.29	$ 3,776.22
Road and Bridge	9,403.45	42,974.71	28,843.79	23,534.37
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General	26,105.82	11,341.50	11,805.96	25,641.36
		* 2,800.00	* 165.57	
Officers Salary	11,915.06	9,591.00	13,361.83	8,144.23
Courthouse and Jail	9,139.84	2,481.04	4,560.46	7,060.42
Courthouse Bond Sinking	10,994.43	2,464.33	13,405.00	53.76
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Social Security	5,165.59	2,845.24	5,791.47	2,219.36
Disaster Relief	16,458.90	–0–	* 5,000.00	11,458.90
TOTAL	$94,166.47	$72,581.95	$84,859.80	$81,888.62
Road District No. 1	$ 4,175.47	1,035.41	–0–	5,210.88

*Transfers made

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH

We, the County Judge and the Commissioners of Collingsworth County, Texas, hereby certify that the requirements of art. 1663. Vernon's Ann. Civil Statutes, have been in all things fully complied with by each of us at the April Term, A. D. 1969 of the Commissioners' Court and that the cash and other assets mentioned in the above and preceeding County Treasurer's Quarterly Report made and held by her for the County have been fully inspected and counted by us and that the amount of said money and other assets as shown above is true and correct to the best of our knowledge.

ZOOK THOMAS County Judge

W. O. VAUGHAN, Commissioner, Pct. 1
PAT O'HAIR, Commissioner, Pct 3
W. M. SEALE, Commissioner, Pct. 2
W. R. BREEDING, Commissioner, Pct. 4

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 14th day of April, 1969.

LORENE JENKINS, County Clerk

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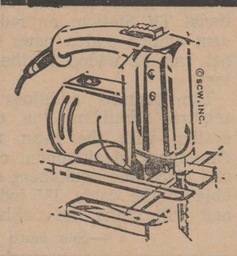
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SOLOMON'S REIGN
It is not known when King Solomon came to the throne of ancient Israel, but the Bible uses the round number of 40 years when speaking of the length of his rein.

GREEK WORD FO RIT
The Greeks had a word for hitchhiking, phoresy. The name is applied by scientists today to parasitic organisms which attach themselves to mobile animals.

NO-SWEAT DOGS
The dog cannot perspire as human beings do. When it becomes warm in summer, it sticks out its tongue and pants, cooling off its body by extra air it breathes in this way.

25-YEAR RECORD
The nation's oil production has doubled since 1944.

The gasoline tax is 50 years old this year and brings in $1 million an hour.

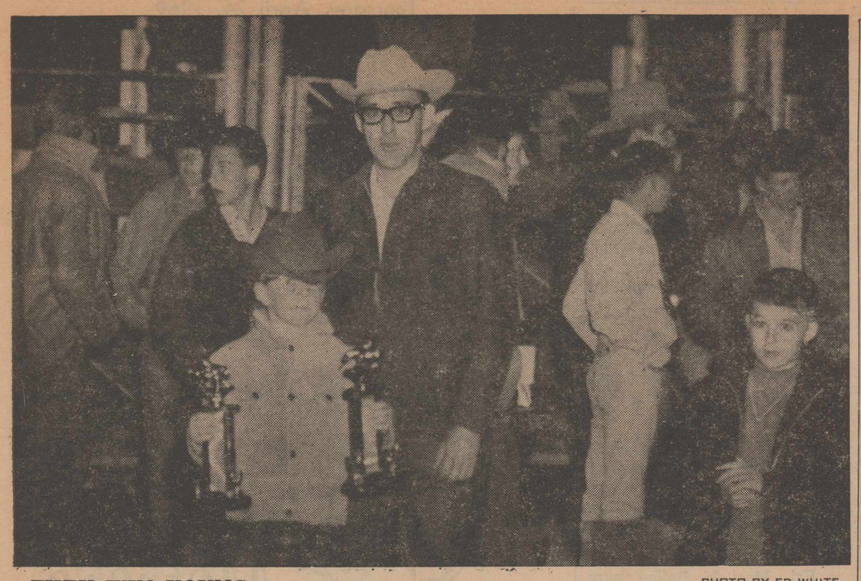


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THEY WIN YOUNG
Tiny Mary Lou Bradley of Memphis placed first in the pole bending and barrel racing for boys and girls under 12 years of age at the Wellington FFA Junior Rodeo Friday and Saturday. Here she has just received her trophies from Don Lacy, FFA advisor.

Tie Among Girls

Vinson Youth Named All- Around Cowboy

When the dust cleared, and all the steers were penned, Monty Kromer was named the All Around Cowboy of the two-day Wellington Junior Rodeo, which ended Saturday night, April 19.

For the first time, there was a tie for the honor of All Around Cowgirl — Susan Lowe and Leigh Nall of Wellington. Both will receive trophies, according to Don Lacy, advisor of the Wellington Future Farmers.

The rodeo was sponsored by the FFA, with the cooperation of the Glynn Moore Post of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Another first was scored when two young Oakland, Calif. cowboys joined the ranks of those from Texas and Oklahoma. They were Pat and Mike Hamner, who were visiting their grandfather at Happy when they heard of the Wellington event. This is the most distant point from which the local show has had an entry.

Entries totaled 110, said Mr. Lacy, although a number of the boys and girls entered and were represented in more than one event.

Standings for both Friday and Saturday nights were averaged to determine winners in the various events, who were:

Bareback bronc riding: first, Eddie Grady of Granite, Okla.; second, Lonnie Brown of Groom; third, Billy Hubbard of Amarillo.

Girls barrel race: first, Susan Lowe of Wellington; second, Leigh Nall of Wellington; third, Pam Patterson of Wellington; fourth, Lesa Garrison of Childress; fifth, Janice White of Wellington; sixth, Linda Williams of Wellington.

Barrel race, children 12 years and under: first, Mary Lou Bradley of Memphis; second, Toni Taylor of Wellington; third Lucy Sullivan of Wellington, fourth, Debbie Coffee of Shamrock; fifth, Pat White of Wellington; and sixth, Kirk Patterson of Wellington.

Ribbon roping: first, Steve Toole of Granite, Okla.; second, Monty Kromer of Vinson; third, David Boykin of Childress; fourth, Ricky Nall of Wellington; fifth, Bill McClure of Morton; sixth, Eddie Orr of Wellington.

Tie-down calf roping: first, Monty Kromer; second, Dusty Oldham of Shamrock; third, Eddie Orr; fourth, Robert Budd of Amarillo; fifth, Ted Harris of Wellington; and sixth, Don Sherman of Shamrock.

Girls pole bending: first, Leigh Nall; second, Susan Lowe; third, Pam Patterson; fourth, Linda Williams; and fifth, Lesa Garrison.

Pole bending, 12 years and under: first, Mary Lou Bradley; second, Bart Patterson of Wellington; third, tie, Stacy Jo Ratliff of Miami and Kirk Patterson of Wellington; (no fourth); fifth, David Moyers of Childress; sixth, Jim Bob Nall of Wellington.

Bull riding: first, Buster Haning of Panhandle; second, R. G. Johnson of Amarillo; third, Billy Hubbard of Amarillo; fourth, Eddie Grady; fifth, Terry Stevens of Pampa; sixth, C. C. Collins of Amarillo.

Mr. Lacy called this one of the best shows the FFA has ever held in the quality of performance and the number entered, as well as in the crowds aetending.

Rev. Dove in Okla. Revival

The Rev. Clifton Dove, pastor of Faith Baptist Church, is preaching in a revival at the K Street Baptist Church in Ardmore, Okla., this week. The services will close Sunday, April 27.

Rev. Dove was pastor of another church at Ardmore before coming here earlier this year.

MEERSCHAUM
Meerschaum used chiefly in pipes and cigar and cigarette holders, is a white mineral soft enough to be scratched with the fingernail. Sometimes it is found floating in the Black Sea and is often mistaken for sea foam.

William Estes Studies Dental Lab in Waco

William P. Estes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Estes of Wellington is completing his second year in dental lab technology at James Connally Technical Institute in Waco.

Estes graduated from Wellington High School in 1961. He lives with his wife, Alcie and son at 82 A Scott Circle on the Connally Tech campus.

He is part of a two year program designed to train dental lab technicians. Sylvester C. Folz heads the department.

There are 65 students enrolled in the program which highlights such instruction as full dentures, partial dentures, and gold crown and bridge work.

The dental lab technician course of study is one of 43 different fields taught at Connally Tech. The state's first technical and vocational institute is in its third year of operation.

Registration for the summer trimester at Connally Tech will be held April 28 and 29 with classes beginning Wednesday, April 30.

Deliveries of Bass Fry Begins About June First

Initial deliveries of bass fry from all hatcheries of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will start around June 1, according to Marion Toole, inland fisheries coordinator.

The deadline for making application for bass fry was April 1, but the deadline for application for other fish is Aug. 1.

Financial Facts

By Jeff Wilson



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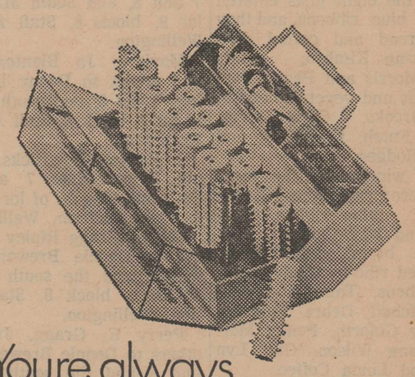
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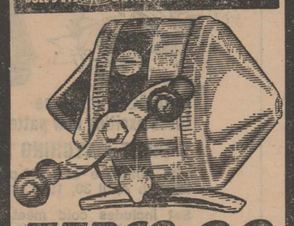
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District Contest April 26

Four-H Food Show Winners Announced

Collingsworth County girls, long known for their beauty, are also known as excellent cooks. Even the very young can prepare tasty dishes.

Twenty-five 4-H Club members from 7 to 18 years of age participated in the annual Favorite Food Show Saturday, April 19, when the four who will represent the county in district competition were named.

In the senior division, June Popwell is the representative in the fruit and vegetable division, with her entry of Delightful Fruit Salad, while Susan Peters, with Hot Cross Buns, will represent the county in bread and cereal divisions. Rosemary Popwell is the alternate.

A pair of sisters, Linda Coffee and Kay Coffee, will represent the county in the junior division. Linda is in the bread and cereal division, and her alternate is Penny Morgan. Kay is entered in the meat division and Pam Marsh is the alternate.

For the first time, there was a division for Pre-4-H girls, those 7 and 8 years old, according to Mrs. Leta Hill, home demonstration agent.

Peggy Popwell, in the meat division, was the high scorer, Mrs. Hill said.

All of the eight girls entered received blue ribbons, and they were: bread and cereal division: Susan Kimbro; meat: Jeanne Morris and Peggy Popwell; fruit and vegetable group, Lynda Brooks, Carol Daves, Tammy Futch, Kim Cook and Teresa Hodges.

Junior winners in the meat group were: red ribbon, Karen Caldwell; blue ribbon, Pam Marsh and Kay Coffee.

Junior bread and cereal group: red ribbon, Cindy Seale; blue ribbons, Tammie Lovell, Pam Mitchell, Debra Stallings, Kimberly Goforth, Penny Morgan, Diana Wilson, Gay Lyn Cook, and Linda Coffee.

Seniors, all receiving blue ribbons were: meat group, Beth Peters, with a chili dish, and Debra Deger with Hamburger Filets; milk group, Rosemary Popwell, with strawberry milk, June Popwell and Susan Peters.

The District 4-H Food Show will be Saturday, April 26, at Bonham Junior High School in Amarillo.

The county show was judged by Miss Barbara Haggard, the Childress County home demonstration agent.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

Myrtle M. Yarbrough and others to Raymond W. Mitchell—lots 9 and 10, block 195, Wellington.

C. O. Killingsworth and wife to Paul Bell—NE/4 section 76, block 21.

E. D. Stephens and wife to T. O. Monk and wife—S/2 lot 3, and all of lots 4 and 5, in block 140, Wellington.

Quit-claim deed: Lutie B. Templeton to B. C. Scott—lot 17, block 15, Wellington.

B. C. Scott and wife to Jerry E. Hurst—lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, block 15, Wellington.

Charles Gragg and Stewart Gragg to Dennie Brewer—lots 7 and 8, and South 31½ ft. of lot 9, block 8, Stall Addition, Wellington.

Marjorie Jo Blanton Banta and others to Denny Brewer—lots 7 and 8, and south 31½ ft. of lot 9, block 8, Stall Addition, Wellington.

J. Herbert Hendricks to Dennie Brewer—lots 7 and and the south 31½ ft. of lot 9, block 8, Stall Addition, Wellington.

Ethlyn Gragg Ripley and others to Dennie Brewer—lots 7 and 8, and the south 31½ ft. of lot 9, block 8, Stall Addition, Wellington.

Perry E. Gragg, Jr., and others to Dennie Brewer—lots 7 and 8 and the south 31½ ft. of lot 9, block 8, Stall Addition, Wellington.

Ralph Long and wife to Dewey Templeton—lots 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, block 29, Wellington.

Dedication deed: Lewis Green and wife to the City of Wellington—tract out of section 82, block 14.

Cemetery deed: City of Wellington to D. F. Roberts—S/2 lot 10, block 49, Addition to Wellington Cemetery.

Dedication deed: Ralph D. Owens and wife to the City of Wellington—tract out of section 82, block 14.

Leonard Higdon and others, by William M. Brown, attorney in fact, to Paul Spillman—lot 22, block 237, Wellington.

Almarene Atkinson Browne to G. N. Atkinson, Jr., and others—NW/4 section 55, block 12; W/2 section 66, block 12, W/2 of South 120 acres of E/2 of section 66, block 12.

G. N. Atkinson, Jr., and others to Mrs. Almarene Atkinson Browne—NW/4 section 55, in block 12; NW/4 section 65, in block 12; W/2 and 120 acres off the south end of the E/2 section 66, block 12; 10 acres out of the south part of section 76, block 12.

Trustee's deed: C. T. Hubbard, trustee, to Wellington State Bank—lots 22, 23 and 24, block 115, Wellington.

Cattle totaled 11,521,000 in Texas Jan. 1. Only 372,000 were milk cows.

WTU to Send Student to Science Meeting

Roff W. Hardy, president of West Texas Utilities Company, announced today that an outstanding high school student from Wellington High School will be sponsored by West Texas Utilities to attend the 9th annual Texas Nuclear Science Symposium for High Schools to be held in Austin June 3-6.

A teacher will accompany the student, also under the sponsorship of WTU.

The four-day symposium is held on the campus of the University of Texas and is co-sponsored by the university and the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation. West Texas Utilities and nine other investor-owned electric utility companies in Texas compose the foundation, which is supporting research at the university in controlling nuclear fusion reactions as a future source of energy supply for generation of electric power.



PHOTO BY ED WHITE

STAYING ON

Reece Bowen of Wellington is just out of the shoot on this bull, and although he didn't ride long enough to win a ribbon he gave the crowd a good show. This came at the Saturday night performance of the FFA Junior Rodeo.

Handicapped May Seek Aid Through Easter Seal Society

"Do you know a handicapped person who needs help and is not getting it?" is the question being asked by Jack Neeley, who is Collingsworth County's Easter Seal representative and the person to contact for services from the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas.

The Easter Seal Society offers rehabilitation services to help disabled persons and their families to find and make the most effective use of resources which will be helpful to them in developing their abilities and living more purposeful lives, Mr. Neeley said.

This is accomplished through direct treatments, services, education, research, and cooperative efforts with all other health agencies, private, state and federal. The Easter Seal Society does not duplicate services but strives to fill all unmet needs of the disabled, he added.

The Texas Easter Seal Society is carrying out its 40th annual Easter Seal Appeal to finance a program of rehabilitation services for crippled children and adults. The Texas Easter Seal Society helps support 21 treatment facilities where children and adults are treated regardless of ability to pay. Physical therapy and speech and hearing programs are offered to help the disabled make their lives fuller, despite their handicaps.

Mr. Neeley urges every person in Collingsworth County to increase his or her support of the Texas Easter Seal Society and its program of services to the crippled children and adults.

He asked that anyone who could benefit from rehabilitation services should contact him at the Wellington State Bank to request services from the Easter Seal Society.

AUTHORED EPITAPH

Henry (Light Horse Harry) Lee was author of the famous epitaph of George Washington: "First in war, first in peace, first in the hearts of his countrymen." He used this phrase in an oration which he delivered to Congress after Washington's death.

Harvard University was established at Cambridge, Mass., in 1636.

PCA Annual Meeting Set for April 26

Plans are complete for the 35th annual stockholders meeting of Rolling Plains Production Credit Association, according to J. L. Hill, Jr., president. Stamford High School auditorium will be the site and 11 a.m. is the hour when registration will begin, followed by lunch in the cafeteria.

The business session will begin at 1 p.m., at which time reports from the board of directors and management will be heard.

Terms of two directors expire with the date of this meeting. They are Mack T. Claburn of Anson and Dean Decker of Childress. The 1969 nominating committee, in session in March, renominated both of these men along with Tony D. Jones of Anson and D. D. Chewning of Cee Vee.

$400 in cash prizes will be awarded in a drawing to be held at the end of the meeting.

Plans have been announced by the board of directors and the management for further consolidation of points of service, due in part to higher operating costs and a shortage of personnel.

The offices now located in Paducah and Memphis and the former Wellington accounts will be merged into one office and located in Childress some time in the near future. Loss of both manager and clerk in the Wellington office forced an early closing of that service point and a temporary transfer of those accounts to the Memphis office.

The Anson and Haskell offices were consolidated into the Stamford office in November, 1968. When the consolidation program is finally completed the association will have service points in Stamford (central office), Spur, Munday, Matador and Childress.

James C. New of Sagerton has been employed to replace Royce L. Williams in the office in Stamford, Mr. Williams having gone to Austin, Texas PCA. No replacements were made for Tommie Stuart and Janella Nall in the Wellington office. They went to Austin PCA and a Wellington bank, respectively. It is anticipated that the employees from Memphis and Paducah will staff the new service point to be located in Childress. They are Robert Proctor, Edna Richardson, Billie J. Holley and Mary Davis.

Lunchroom Menu

Wellington

- Mon. April 28: Bacon and pimiento cheese spread sandwich, French fry potatoes and catsup, fruit, prune cake, half pint milk or chocolate milk.
- Tues. April 29: Pork patties with cream gravy, whole kernel corn, combination salad, carrot sticks, steamed rice, hot rolls and butter, half pint milk or chocolate milk.
- Wed. April 30: Sloppy Joes on bun, baked potato half, pickles, fruit, cookies, half pint milk or chocolate milk.
- Thurs. May 1: Fried chicken with cream gravy, sno-flake potatoes, cut green beans, jello, rolled oat hot rolls and butter, half pint milk or chocolate milk.
- Fri. May 2: Baked ham, cheese slice, dry beans, lettuce and tomato salad, vanilla pudding with fruit sauce, cornmeal hot rolls and butter, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Social Security Discussed for Government Class

Students of the two government classes of Wellington High School heard a discussion of the Social Security program in a joint meeting Tuesday, April 13.

The guest speaker, Mr. Gary, from the district social security office in Amarillo, also showed a film on retraining cerebral palsy victims.

There are approximately 55 students in the two classes, which are taught by Mrs. Billy R. Long.

35th Annual Stockholders' Meeting
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Society News

THE WELLINGTON (TEXAS) LEADER

Thursday, April 24, 1969

Belles Lettres Hears Program on Big Thicket, TFWC Project

Belles Lettres Study Club observed Federation Women's Day at their regular meeting Tuesday evening, April 15.

Mrs. Dick Richards was the hostess at Greenbelt Directors' Room, and the president, Mrs. Bob Hightower, presided over the business session.

Mrs. E. F. Bartlett, program chairman, assisted Mrs. Henry Vaughan in presenting the TFWC project, "The Big Thicket." This unique area is one of the last true wildernesses of the United States. It includes more different soil types and a greater variety of plant and animal life than any other area of the U.S., including the Ivory Billed Woodpecker, a species formerly thought to be extinct, they said.

Mrs. Vaugnan used maps, pamphlets and correspondence from conservation chairmen as well as letters from Dempsie Henley, president of the Big Thicket Association, who is also mayor of Liberty, Texas, and Lance Rosier of Sarotoga, who is better known as "Mr. Big Thicket."

The Big Thicket originally covered 3.2 million acres, but now comprises only 300,000 acres. It is a combination swamp-forest-jungle and predates the Civil War by centuries. Diaries of Spanish missionaies describe this vast wooded area as being so dense they could not get through it on foot.

Even today, sheriffs maintain bloodhounds, not to hunt out fugitives who still find a sanctuary in its confines, but to find lost people who venture into its wilds without a guide. It contains pockets of settlements, people resistant to change, suspicious of strangers, yet its culture has produced five governors of Texas.

Texas' only Indian reservation, the Alabama-Coushatta Indian Reservation, adjoins the area. It is roughly 115 miles long, 60 miles wide, covers most of eight Texas counties. Its southern border reaches the city limits of Beaumont, and a 548-acre stand of virgin pine is only 57 miles from downtown Houston! For a century men have worked to preserve this area as a State or National Monument, but time is running out. It is being destroyed at the rate of 50 acres per day.

More than 20 varieties of orchids are to be found and four of the five meat-eating plants that grow in North America are found here. It is a natural habitat for countless animals and plants and biologists and zoologists consider it a veritable laboratory.

The University of Texas Research Department has worked for years to develop a possible food source from Big Thicket algae for the world's growing population, over 1000 species of which are as yet unclassified.

Mrs. Vaughan closed with a plea for club members to support the TFWC project, and Mrs. Hightower read the resolutions on the Big Thicket National Park Bill which will be presented by the TFWC Board for adoption and ratification at the state convention in Houston May 6-9.

Mrs. Richards served a variety of party fare from a table laid with a monogrammed heirloom linen tablecloth, 144 inches in length. Appointments were crystal and silver and the floral arrangements were in keeping with the season.

COUNT FIVE

At least five cars besides your own should concern you while driving. They are the one ahead, the one behind, the one approaching in the opposing lane, the one ready to enter from a side strees, and the one parked at the curb. Be prepared for any of them to do anything without warning.



MEETING IN LAS VEGAS

This 5-generation group, together in Las Vegas, Nevada, included Mrs. C. S. Needham, right; her daughter, Mrs. Gladys Wiley, seated at front; her granddaughter, Mrs. Doris Herdt, center standing; her great granddaughter Mrs. Laura Shelton, at left; and 10-months old James Shelton, front.

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5 Generations Meet Recently

Mrs. C. S. Needham returned recently from an extended trip with children and grandchildren in California and Nevada.

Five generations were together in Las Vegas, including Mrs. Needham, her daughter, Mrs. Louis Wiley, the former Gladys Needham; her granddaughter, Mrs. Jack Herdt; her great-granddaughter, Mrs. Laura Shelton, and Mrs. Needham's first great-great-grandchild, 10-months old James Shelton.

Mrs. Wiley grew up here and attended Salt Fork School. She left many years ago and has lived at Las Vegas 22 years. She has been confined to a wheel chair 20 years from injuries received in an automobile accident. Her daughter, Mrs. Herdt, will be remembered here as Doris Brown.

Mrs. Needham also visited two other daughters and their families at Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Carl Bolton, the former Elsie Needham, and Mrs. Alfred Gollihugh, who was Margie Needham.

She also visited these grandsons: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gollihugh at Santa Susanna, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wayne Bolton at Long Beach; and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bolton at Marina.

Her trip to the west coast began just before Christmas.

3 WT Students Seek Offices

Three Wellington students are among the 67 who have filed for candidacy in the general election of Student Association officers, senators and cheer leaders of West Texas State University. The election will be Tuesday, April 29.

Tanya Horton and Cherry Lewis are running for sophomore senator.

Becky Brewer, a sophomore, is a cheerleader candidate, a post she holds this year.

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Notes from Your County Home Demonstration Agent



By Mrs. Leta Hill

Fresh Strawberries

One of the nice things about spring is strawberries.

It's that time of year again. So picture a colorful bowl of large, plump and juicy fresh berries and cream.

You'll find your best berries near home—in your own or your neighbor's garden. Next-best is berries from nearby commercial areas like Louisiana, South or East Texas, Arkansas, later in the season, Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado. California berries have a reputation for providing a dependable supply.

Because the season is so short, you have to catch them at your market when they arrive.

Buy berries with a full red color, a bright luster, firm flesh, and those with the cap stem still attached. The best berries are dry and clean. The juice should be inside.

For a special treat, have you ever tried sour cream and strawberries? Try this a few times—thick, creamy and ice-cold sour cream, instead of the usual sweet or whipped cream. It will give variety to your enjoyment.

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Rattan furniture appears in contemporary, modern, Oriental/ Regency and even Chippendale design. One manufacturer believes some of the new styles indicate that producers have gone the way of all manufacturers who learn toward the Mediterranean.

One broad, diversified line includes outside and indoor styles. Rattan indoor groups include room groups for porch, living room or family room—plus individual chairs, swivels and rockers, ottomans; dining game and bar sets and accessories.

Woven rattan for outdoors in treated to be weather resistant. The group includes folding, stacking Bermuda chairs, cocoon and butterfly swings, etc., all in the low-medium bracket.

Fresh Asparagus

To flatter family meals with fresh asparagus, select firm, fresh, crisp bright-green stalks. These are signs of high food value and flavor, thick stalks are more tender than thin ones.

Tips should be firm, compact and purplish-green in color to assure young, tender stalks. "Snapped" stalks will be more tender than cut stalks.

If fresh asparagus must be kept for short periods of time, prepare as for cooking and store. Break stalks just below the green part and wash. Dry well. Moist asparagus will not keep well. Store in moisture-proof bag or a covered container.

Cook asparagus quickly in a small amount of boiling salted water, to retain as much vitamin C, thiamine, riboflavin, niacin and vitamin A as possible. Tie stalks together, stand them in 2-3 inches boiling water. Cook for 10 minutes, then add tips and cook till tender.

One pound of fresh asparagus usually yields four servings. Serve asparagus "solo" or with butter, grated nutmeg, lemon, garlic, salt, pepper, Hollandaise sauce or cheese sauce.

What's New

- A new table cloth is coming to market. It's knitted. Soil release and wrinkle-resistant qualities are combined for the first time in the knitted cloth. And it won't stretch or give.
- Many vote for hammocks. They are available in several styles, some ready equipped with a tubular metal stand. Hammocks are treated to resist weather, rot and mildew.
- New freeze-dried foods used as "operational rations" in Southeast Asia include fish squares, pork chops, beef patties, beef steaks, chicken, shrimp and cottage cheese.
- One food company is test marketing a liquid margarine that comes in a polyethylene squeeze bottle. The spout of the squeeze-bottle must be snipped off to release the margarine. which then comes out in ribbon form. Company officials say it is too early to know when or if the new product will be marketed nationally.

Alaska's schools pay the highest salaries in the U.S., $10,427 per year.

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Society News

THE WELLINGTON (TEXAS) LEADER

Thursday, April 24, 1969

Shamrock Hosts 18th District Legion Convention April 26-27

SHAMROCK.—Twenty American Legion Posts will be honored at the annual 18th District Spring Convention of the American Legion, to be held here Saturday and Sunday, April 26 and 27, James Hollabaugh, Commander of the local Post, has announced, by being presented citations for attaining their 1969 membership goals.

Posts and their Commanders are: Dodson 535, James D. Luck; Hedley 287, Ansil A. Adamson; Wellington 249, R. L. Gosnell.

Nazareth will also receive an additional citation for having reached an all-time high in membership.

Registration will open on Saturday at the Legion Post home. At 2:30 p.m. there will be a service officers' school with Fred H. Ray, Jr., Department Service Officer of Waco, in charge.

The joint session for the American Legion and Auxiliary bers of the Department Convention Committees.

Among the special guests will be Department Commander Bob Walsh of San Antonio; Department President Myra Hester of Houston; Jack Flynt, National Executive Committeeman and his wife, Mary, past National Executive Committeewoman, all of whom were at Dodson for the Legion membership contest meeting April 1.

Past Department Commander Joe L. Matthews will be the guest speaker for the joint evening session.

will be a banquet-type meeting Saturday evening. Commander Hollabaugh will call the session to order. Principal speaker will be Eldridge Colston of Marietta, Okla. The convention dance will follow the banquet meeting.

Registration will be resumed on Sunday at the Post Home. There will be committee meetings, followed by the Memorial Service.

Immediately following lunch, the Legion and Auxiliary will hold their separate business sessions with District Commander Wm. E. Brady, Jr., of Claude presiding over the Legion meeting. Reports from the standing committees will be heard. Delegates and alternates to the National Convention to be held in Atlanta, Ga., in August will be elected and provision will be made for the principal and alternate members.

Shower Honors Mrs. Canada

Mrs. Roy Canada of Quail was the honoree at a stork shower given Tuesday afternoon, April 22, in the homemaking cottage of Quail school. The hostesses were Mrs. Carl Wischkaemper, Mrs. Marvin Blevins, Mrs. Ralph Tennison, and Mrs. Raymond Ross.

A color scheme of yellow and silver was carried out. A silver damask cloth covered the tea table, and the centerpiece was an arrangement of white lilacs and daisies in a crystal bowl. Silver appointments were used. Mrs. Tennison and Mrs. Ross poured, while Mrs. Wischkaemper and Mrs. Blevins alternated at the register table.

The honoree was presented a dressinette stacked with other gifts in pastel wrappings.

Approximately 60 friends called or sent gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Needham of Plainview visited recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Needham and other relatives. He is a student in Wayland Baptist College and preached at both morning and evening services at Quail Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Nunnelley left during the week end to visit indefinitely with a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seidmeyer in Lubbock. Mrs. Nunnelley has been ill about two weeks, and she will rest and recuperate while in Lubbock. Mrs. Seidmeyer came for her parents.

Paula Langley and Benny Carson Choose Wedding Date in June

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Langley of Quail are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Paula Kathleen, to Benjamin Lowell Carson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Carson, also of Quail.

The couple plans a June wedding, to take place in the home of the aunt of the bride-to-be, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert White.

Both Miss Langley and Mr. Carson are graduating from Quail High School this spring and will then enroll in Clarendon Junior College.



Paula Langley

Heidi Bevers, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Bevers of Lubbock visited recently with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bevers, for several days.

Banquet, Theatre Party Honors Quail Eighth Grade on Friday

Members of the Quail eighth grade were honored at a banquet held Friday evening, April 18, at the Maverick Cafe dining room in Shamrock.

The centerpiece was a large arrangement of white lilacs and daisies in a black wrought iron basket. White graduation owls completed the table decorations.

Terry Canada, class president, was master of ceremonies and Sherry Canada gave the invocation. Joel Ross welcomed the guests, then Sandra Sullivan introduced Supt. E. P. Haynie, who spoke briefly on "What Is a School?" Calvin Green expressed the class' appreciation to those who have helped it during the year, and Janet Patterson gave the benediction.

The students and their guests then went to the theatre for a double feature, "Charley, the Lonesome Cougar" and "Run, Apaloosa, Run".

Those attending were Terry Canada, Sherry Canada, Calvin Green, Jimmy Green, Joel Ross, Janet Patterson, Sandra Sullivan and Supt. and Mrs. Haynie, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross, Mrs. Eunice Ratliff, Billy Wilson and John Masten.

Trio at Bedside of Billy Rainer

T. H. Rainer and two of his daughters, Mrs. Dick Richards and Miss Bessie Rainer, were at the bedside of his son, Billy Rainer, in Dallas over the week end.

Mr. Rainer, 48, who operated a marina on Lake Tawakoni near Wills Point suffered a stroke Thursday and was taken to Veterans Hospital in Dallas. It is not yet known when he will be able to be released.

Spaghetti Supper Entertains Class

The Naomi Class of First Baptist Church was entertained with a party Saturday evening, April 19, at the home of Mrs. A. A. McQueary. Mrs. Rufus Sweat was co-hostess.

A spaghetti supper was served, with the traditional trimmings.

The devotional, "People Who Serve Quietly," was given by Mrs. C. T. Hubbard, the opening prayer was by Mrs. R. C. Bryan, and the closing prayer by Mrs. Leroy Gaston.

Attending were Mrs. W. F. Harbin, Mrs. Gaston, Mrs. Ben Wilhelm, Mrs. Ray Clubb, Mrs. Spurgeon Morgan, Mrs. Hubbard, Mrs. John Brim, Mrs. Silas Crawford, Mrs. John Nash, Mrs. Bryan, Mrs. C. C. Brown, Mrs. Jack Lowry, Mrs. Sweat, Mrs. McQueary and Mrs. Cicero Gulley.

JFF Installs New Officers

Mrs. Herman Belew was the hostess to members of the JFF Club on Thursday night, April 17.

Mrs. Don Jones was elected to membership in the club.

Mrs. D. C. Lacy installed officers for the coming year. These are Mrs. Lloyd Wooldridge, president; Mrs. Raymond Horton, vice president; Mrs. Jones, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Woodrow Wood, reporter.

A dessert plate was served to Mrs. Howard Holton, Mrs. Fred Williams, Mrs. Alton Wilkins, Mrs. R. L. Mabery, Mrs. Hubert Leach, Mrs. Lacy, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Horton, Mrs. Wooldridge, a guest, Mrs. J. B. Wade, and the hostess, Mrs. Belew.

Faith Baptist YWA Formed

The newly organized chapter of the Faith Baptist Young Women's Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon, April 15, in the home of Mrs. Clifton Dove, the sponsor.

Officers were elected, with Barbara Vines as president; Sue Parker, vice president; Lillian McKinney, secretary-treasurer; and Rita Branch, program chairman. Plans were made for a community project and for visitation.

Any girl between the ages of 16 and 20 is invited to visit or join the organization, the officers said.

Meetings are held each Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Dove, 802 Belton.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Darter over the week end were here mother and niece, Mrs. J. Morris Thomas and Debra Thomas of Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Coleman were in Borger recently to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Kate Turnage. She had visited in the Coleman home her a number of times.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Wells of Austin spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Wells. Mr. and Mrs. Wells are students at St. Edwards University.

Mrs. H. C. Templeton and Malicia Junod spent Sunday in Amarillo with Mrs. Rogers Juno, Andy, Arvalene, Roger, and Robbie.

Engagement of Constance Hughs, Earl Lynn Feemster, is Announced



Constance Sue Hughs

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hughs are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Constance Sue, to Earl Lynn Feemster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Feemster.

The couple will be married Saturday, June 20, at seven o'clock in the evening in First Baptist Church in Wellington.

Miss Hughs will graduate from Wellington High School this spring. Her fiance was graduated at Quail, completed a course in electronics at Oklahoma City, and is presently a student in West Texas State University, Canyon.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Henry Davidson is her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Kelly of Wichita Falls and her granddaughter, Miss Andria Winchester of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Davis had as their guests over the week end her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Golls and Barbara of Lufkin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McKinney, Lillian, Randy, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pendergraft spent the week end in Pittsburg with Mr. Pendergraft's brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Pendergraft and Mrs. R. L. Pendergraft stayed for a longer visit.

Mrs. Ola Mae Smith returned home Sunday after three weeks visiting in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Campsey of Munday were week end visitors in the home of his aunt, Mrs. V. J. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvell Wells of Dallas were here for the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wells, and other relatives.

Club Studies Leger's Art

Miss Marie Shadid was hostess to the Excelsior Club on Thursday evening, April 17, and leader of their study of Fernand Leger, the artist whose work is identified with both France and the United States.

This was one of a year-long series of studies of famous artists.

Leger, a big, polly Frenchman, was born in Normandy and studied as a young man under Matiese and Cezanne, Miss Shadid said. But being of an independent nature, he let neither influence him unduly.

He was a soldier in World War I, and after that his paintings took on a mechanistic approach—a way of moving, declared the speaker. In later years his form developed into cubism.

He came to the United States and loved much that is American life until his death in 1955. One of his murals may be seen in the United Nations.

A dessert plate was served to Mrs. Henry Vaughan, Mrs. J. F. Michael, Miss Bonnie Willis, Mrs. Robert Barjenbruch, Mrs. E. F. Bartlett, Miss Rose Shadid, and the hostess, Miss Marie Shadid.

Major Scout Events Set

Three major Scouting events are due at the new M. K. Brown Camp of the Adobe Walls Reservation within the next month.

The first will be Saturday, April 26, when adult Scout leaders meet to plant grass, landscape, and fence the central area. Fertilizer spreaders and a motorized post hole digger are on hand, and adult manpower is needed, according to James Colvin of Shamrock, district chairman.

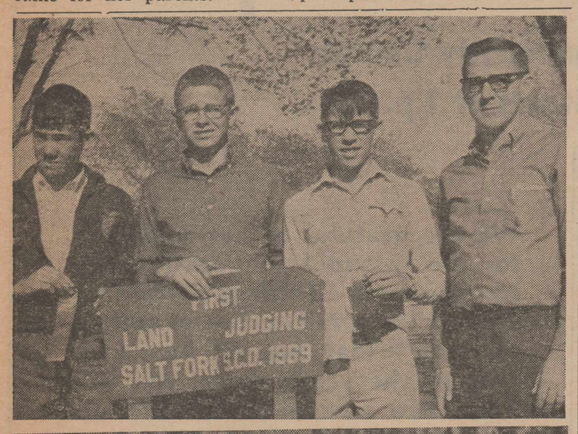
On Saturday, May 3, the District-wide Fair and Camporee will be held. The Adobe Walls Council will sponsor an open house so that people can see the camp and all it has to offer in the way of equipment, activities and opportunities.

A council-wide adult work week end is set for Friday through Sunday, May 23, 24 and 25. This is the second of two work week ends which will prepare the camp for summer activities.

Who's New in the Wellington Area

Dr. and Mrs. Michael Deason of Vidor, are the parents of a son, Jeffery Scot, born April 8 and weighing eight pounds and fourteen ounces. Mrs. Deason is the former Margaret Rose Sisk. The maternal grandparents are Robert L. Sisk, Sr., of Wellington and Mrs. Helen Sue Welleford of Mesquite, while Mrs. E. A. Singley is the great-grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Van Pelt are the parents of a son, Brian Newell, born April 9 in St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and nine ounces. The baby was born on his mother's birthday.







SALT FORK JUDGING WINNERS

These are the Collingsworth County winners in the recent Salt Fork SCD Land and Grass Judging Contest, which serves as the Greenbelt FFA District eliminations in these events. The Wellington team, top, was first in land judging, and members are from left, David Hodges, Stan Parker and Sammy Coffee, with advisor Don Lacy. The fourth member, Jerry Lewis, was not present.

The second place Land Judging team was from Samnorwood and included Charles Roberts, Ronald Johnson, Advisor Jimmy Brown (at back) Larry Oldham and Ronald Carter.

Quail grass judging team was third and included Advisor Doyle Messer, and Larson Peters, Julian Torrez and Redgie Souder. Darrell Feemster was absent.

Thanks Folks

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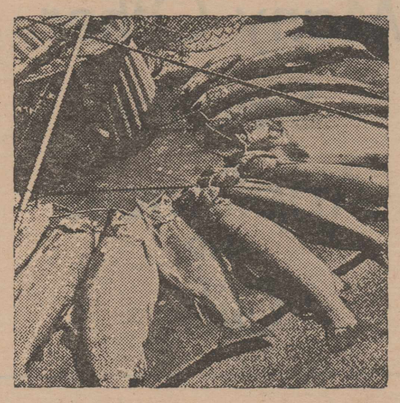
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Sp/4 Jackie Hunt

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Sp/4 Jackie Hunt has returned from a year of duty in Vietnam, and received his Army discharge immediately before returning home.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunt. His wife made her home in Childress while he was overseas.

A brother, Kenny Hunt of McAlister, Okla., was here to visit him over the week end.

Herschel Holtman, Rm 3/c, U.S. Navy, will leave April 26, after two weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arlois Holtman, who now live in Amarillo.

The family visited here Saturday with Mrs. Holtman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Riddle, and with friends.

Holtman will be stationed as a radioman aboard the USS Benjamin Franklin, one of the nation's new atomic submarines based at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

He has just completed a 7-months school for Navy radiomen at San Diego. He expects to be based at Pearl Harbor for the remainder of his enlistment, which will be about two years. Before going to San Diego, Holtman was aboard the USS Razorback, a conventionally powered submarine.

Sp/4 Eddie Rogers will leave Sunday, April 27, on the first step of his assignment in Vietnam. He has been here for the last month visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers.

From here he will go to Ft. Lewis, Washington.

Rogers' last assignment was in Weisbaden, Germany, where he was stationed 16 months as a mechanic on heavy trucks. His duties in Vietnam will be similar.

He entered the Army in May 1967 and after completing his basic training at El Paso, he was assigned to a 12-weeks welding school at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland.

Jackson Named CA Leader

The Rev. James Jackson, pastor of the Assembly of God, was re-elected representative of the North Plains Christ's Ambassadors at a sectional meeting held Monday night, April 21, in Borger.

This group is formed by the young people of the Assemblies of God.

His territory covers 38 counties in the Panhandle, from Collingsworth County north, including Amarillo, Borger, Pampa and others.

Rev. Jackson will preside at monthly CA meetings, help at the summer youth camp and help plan and carry out the district council CA rally and Thanksgiving CA convention. He will also assist local churches in organizing and reorganizing youth programs.

QUAIL NEWS

By Mrs. G. T. Stephens

• A number of motorcycles of the Track and Trail Riders Motorcycle Club of Amarillo came through Quail Sunday afternoon on their cross country race of 192 miles in Hall and Collingsworth County. The Langley Station was one of the check-points on their route. They began arriving there about 3:15 p.m. The DeVille Motel in Memphis was their starting place and also the ending place for the race. The cyclists were not to travel on any paved streets, farm to market roads or highways during the 192-mile course laid out by the officers of the club. After refueling their motorcycles and refreshing themselves with cold drinks, the cyclists began the last leg of their trip, according to Mrs. Langley. They began leaving the station about 3:30 at intervals of one minute each, and two at a time. Approximately 62 of the 80 who left Memphis reached Quail.

• Mrs. J. W. Canada came home Friday after spending 5 weeks with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Matthews and Kinny of Van Buren, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews brought her home and stayed until Sunday.

• Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Brammer had as week end guests in their home Mr. and Mrs. Denver Townley of Alameda, Calif. They were en route to Rochester, N.Y., to visit their daughter. They plan to come back by Quail en route home. Mrs. Townley is the Brammers' daughter.

• Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Blevins went to Oklahoma City on Tuesday morning to visit Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Craig and other relatives. They expect to return home Wednesday afternoon.

• Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Neeley over the week end were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram and Heath of Amarillo, and Carey Don Neeley of Clarendon. Mrs. Neeley was in Amarillo Thursday and Heath came home with her and stayed until Sunday.

• Mrs. A. J. Fires honored her mother, Mrs. Lela Maxwell of Quail with a birthday dinner Monday evening, April 21, at her home in Wellington. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Maxwell and family, Dean Maxwell of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Fires of Bryan, students at Texas A&M; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fires and boys, and the honoree, Mrs. Maxwell.

• Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morgan visited in Elk City, Okla., Sunday with relatives.



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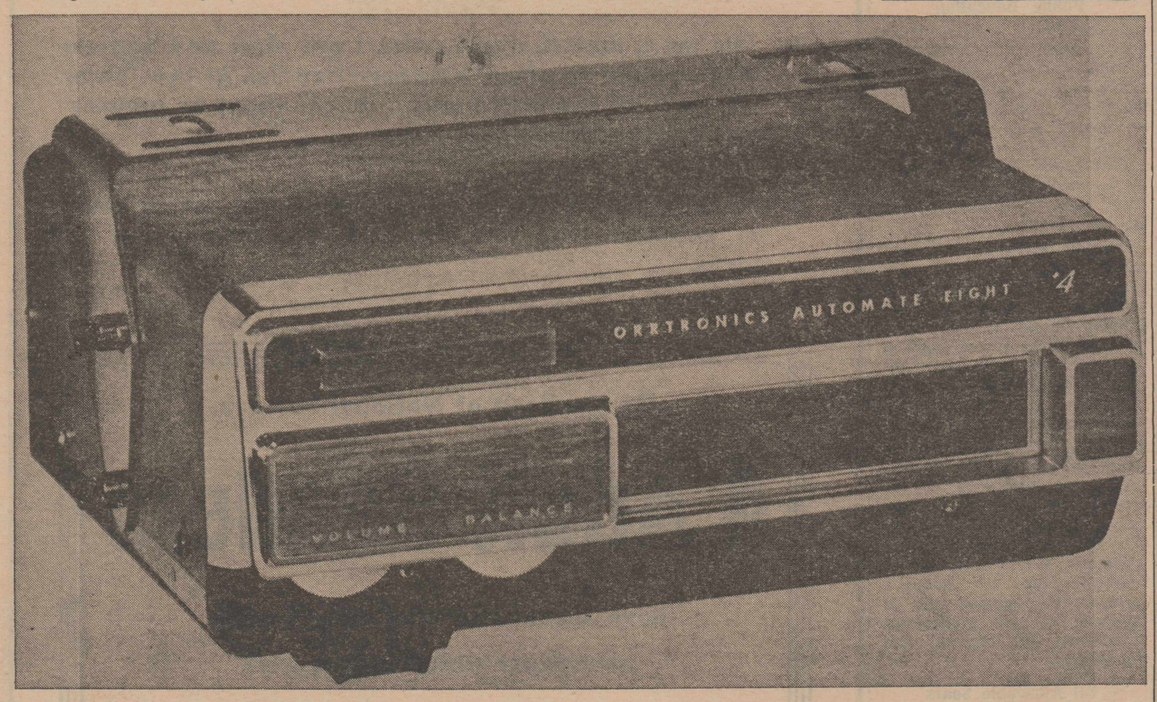
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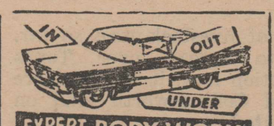
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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to all those who have been so thoughtful during my illness. For the lovely flowers, cards, visits, the many prayers offered, and for the care given by Dr. Holcomb, I am indeed grateful.

Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

May God bless each of you.

Mrs. R. L. Porter
and family

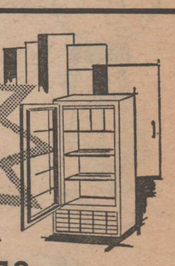
I wish to thank everyone who sent flowers, gifts, cards and especially those that sat with me at night during my stay in the hospital, including nurses, doctors, and the staff of St. Joseph's Hospital. Your kindness was mort appreciated.

K. C. (Dick) Lindley.

I sincerely appreciate the thoughtfulness, which so many of you expressed through your cards, gifts, and words of encouragement while I was in the hospital. These tokens of friendship mean much to me.

Rita Owens.





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Brush Control Will Affect Fourth of Collingsworth County

It is a jolt to learn that one-fourth of all Collingsworth County land needs some form of brush control measures, but livestock men working with the Brush Control and Range Improvement Association (BCRIA) believe this is true.

At least 150,000 acres out of the approximately 576,000 total acres in the county is infested with shinnery or mesquite to the extent that it lowers the animal carrying capacity of that rangeland.

The Collingsworth County organization is part of the Texas-wide BCRIA, and workers here are collecting funds on the basis of 1c per acre per year. Money secured throughout the state, along with grants from industry and other private sources, will be used for a crash research program that will launch the overall campaign against brush infestation, which will be handled much as the screwworm control program was carried out.

Inspite of all the efforts of livestock men so far, unwanted brush continues to spread over Texas ranges. If we do not take action now, it will be more than 150,000 acres of good Collingsworth land on which brush must be eradicated.

Other Editors Say . . .

Vigilate Juries

"They caught him with the gun in his hand, what more do they want?"

This remark, overheard in a neighborhood store, points up an all too widespread impatience with the formal legal processes for determining the guilt or innocense of suspects in highly publicized crimes. The specific object of the above remark was Sirham Bishara Sirhan, accused assailant of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy.

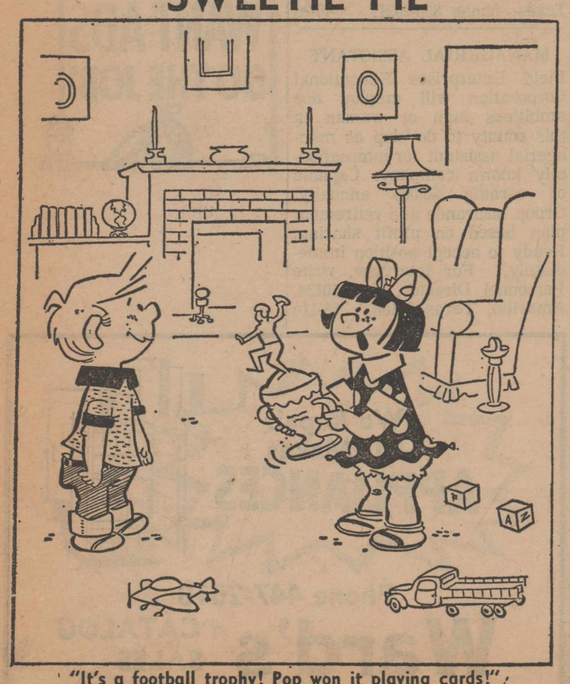
There have been similar but more damaging public statements made assuming Sirhan's guilt. These can, on the one hand, interfere with giving the accused a fair trial. On the other, they can undermine confidence in our court system which is vitally needed at this moment of national change and unrest.

The first such statement, by Los Angeles' Mayor Yorty, was carried by major TV networks only hours after the tragic event. The mayor crudely spoke out about the suspect without regard for the likelihood he might prejudice future jurors. The presence of mind of newscasters, NBC's Edwin Newman for one, in countering the mayor's remarks was commendable.

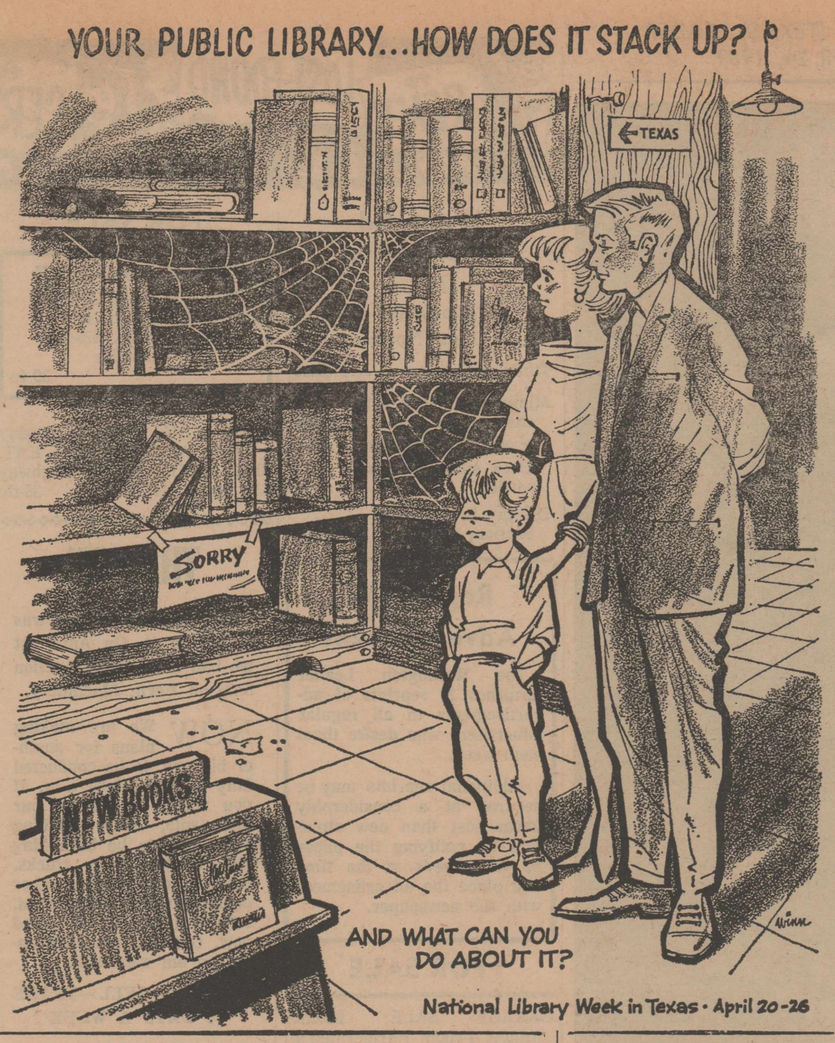
Another unfortunate statement, also reaching millions of TV viewers, was aired on Johnny Carson's "Tonight" show. Novelist Truman Capote, no authority on crime despite the wide sales of his book "In Cold Blood," led his hosts through a labyrinth of speculation about the assassinations of President Kennedy, the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., and Senator Kennedy. He said the acts may have been intended to disrupt the nation—the so-called "Manchurian Candidate" theory, not original with him. He said flatly that Sirhan was the slayer of Senator Kennedy, but that James Earl Ray was not the assassin of Dr. King.

The entire discussion was utterly in bad taste. The New York Times TV critic was just in his charge: "If the country disapproves of individuals physically taking the law into their own hands, then it can no less frown on individuals intellectually doing the same." —Belle (Mo.) Banner

SWEETIE PIE



"It's a football trophy! Pop won it playing cards!"



STATE Capital NEWS

By VERN SANFORD

AUSTIN.—Nine proposed constitutional amendments, headed by a recommended boost in the welfare ceiling from $60 million to $80 million and a $3.5 billion water bond proposition, are ready for an August 5 ballot.

Secretary of State Martin Dies, Jr., superivesd drawing to determine ballot positions as soon as the legislature cleared the measures.

Here are the amendments as they will appear on the ballot:

HJR 3 — To delete obsolete provisions from the constitution.

HJR 9 — To authorize a $3.5 billion water revenue bond issue for financing the state's share of a $9 billion statewide water plan.

SJR 31 — To raise the present $4,800 a year salary of state legislators to the state-paid maximum level of district judges ($18,000) and give the lieutenant governor and House speaker half the pay of the governor (about $20,000 a year.)

SJR 6 — to exempt non-profit water supply corporations from taxes.

SJR 9 — To raise the public welfare outlay limit from $60 million to $80 million a year.

HJR 7 — To raise the constitutional interest rate limit on some state government bonds.

HJR 4 — To provide for assistance payments to survivors of volunteer firemen, police and Texas Youth Council employees killed on duty.

HJR 50 — To authorize an additional $200 million in Texas Opportunity Plan student loan funds.

HJR 8 — To provide for annual legislative sessions.

Voters last November rejected a raise in the welfare ceiling to $75 million (which has resulted in two cuts in benefit payments) and a hike in lawmaker pay to $8,400 a year.

Legislative Action

Controversial constitutional amendment to legalize sale of liquor-by-the-drink in Texas has been cleared for statewide vote on Nov. 3, 1970.

House voted 101-44 for submission of the issue approved by the Senate last month.

House passed a bill to comply with the federal law and provide mandatory inspection and regulation of livestock slaughtering houses by the State Department of Health. Bill by Sen. Jim Bates and Rep. Rayford Price already had passed the Senate but the House added two amendments —to define legally "inedible animal product"— and to allow "overtime fees" for inspections —the bill went back to the Senate for approval of the amendments.

House also completed action on its $5.7 billion budget bill, moving it to conference committee to resolve differences with the Senate's $5.8 billion version. Major interest centers on House riders, including proposed withholding of funds for largely-Negro Texas Southern University Law School and a curb on use of helicopters by Department of Public Safety for traffic policing.

Among other major measures cleared by the legislature were:

HB 117, making Texas governmental units (except school districts) liable for damage suits due to negligent acts of personnel; SB 5 and SB 6 permitting criminal misdemeanor prosecution of corporations for aid and water pollution.

Bills

When the Supreme Court ruled the existing law on dangerous drugs out, Rep. Jack Ogg of Houston introduced a bill to ban the use of LSD and hallucogenic drugs. Ogg's bill provides for a jail sentence from 30 days to two years for the use of those drugs—or a fine of up to $3,000.

Approval by Rep. Bill Heatly of Paducah would allow students who graduate from an accredited Texas law school and have already gained a bachelor's degree to not have to take the bar exam before practicing. Bill is in a subcommittee of the House State Affairs Committee.

Bill by Rep. Grant Jones of Abilene was given a favorable report by the House Judiciary Committee. It would keep any facts of settlement of a claim from being admitted into evidence in lawsuits involving personal injury damages arising from the same occurrence.

Rep. Carl Parker of Port Arthur has five bills to update and fortify the wormen's compensation laws. Four bills deal with compensation for employees of Texas A&M, Texas Tech and the U of T system. Last deals with municipal employees. All are in subcommittee for further study.

Senate has knocked a farm workers' exemption out of the $1.15 minimum wage bill by Sens. Joe Bernal and Jim Bates. An amendment by Sen. Jack Hightower would have exempted all farm workers except those that do piece work. Bill went to the House.

Congressional Redistricting

Anticipating U.S. Supreme Court orders that Texas must redistrict congressional districts to "mathematical exactness" after that court ordered the state of Missuori to do just that, Gov. Preston Smith asked the Legislature to create a 7-man fact-finding committee and present them to the 1971 Legislature. Committee will be headed by Secretary of State Martin Dies Jr. and will include three state senators and three House members.

Governor said he had been assured 1970 federal census statistics would be available in November of 1970 on computer tapes and proposed a committee budget of $225,000 which would include data computer rents.

He reasoned that this would enable the 1971 legislature to redistrict realistically. In case the state is ordered to redistrict before the 1970 census, Smith said the committee would have current information ready for legislative use in a special session.

Public Education

A survey of public opinion on proposals by the Governor's Committee on Public School Education, including the controversial consolidation recommendation, was made at the request of Sen. A. R. Schwartz of Galveston, and the committee learned that big school districts liked its ideas but small districts didn't.

Survey showed "substantial support" for the committee proposals among school districts with more than 1,500 enrolled—in which more than 82% of Texas school children are attending, and some support among school districts with less than 250 children, with less than 4%.

Among the 325 responses from school districts of less than 1,500 enrollment, 176 favored consolidation; 142 opposed it, and 7 were neutral; 142 were for a kindergarten program, 168 against, and 15 neutral; 136 for summer schools, 160 against, and 29 neutral; 95 for guaranteed education, 206 against, and 24 neutral.

Oil Allowable Soars

Texas Railroad Commission issued its May oil proration order, with the market demand proration factor at 53.8%, designed to provide allowables of 3,746,706 barrels a day and estimated actual production of 3,155,762 barrels a day, the highest in a year.

This would be an increase over the April order of 195,612 barrels in allowables and 119,-123 barrels of actual production.

Short Snorts

Sen. Don Kennard took his turn as governor-for-aday Saturday, April 19, in a round of festivities honoring the Senate president pro tempore.

Wednesday, April 23, was Speaker's Day, lauding Speaker Gus Mutscher of Brenham and his family.

Texas Water Quality Board will conduct a hearing on May 2 to gather information on restoration and maintenance of Clear Lake on Harris-Galveston county line.

Odessa-based National Guard unit will move to Abilene.

From April 17 through August 21, Governor Smith will hold receptions for individual senatorial districts.

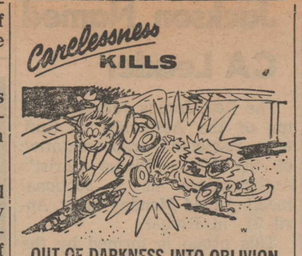
CROSSROADS REPORT

A Mr. H. H. Humphrey, now writing for the papers, says the U.S.A. can "lead the world out of the darkness of nuclear terror into a brighter day of reason and restraint."

All we have got to do, he states, is to not build any missile defense system. The Soviets will then see that we are pure-hearted and helpless and will refrain from attacking us.

Same principle might whip our crime problem, too. The thieves, muggers, rapists, etc., would all go straight if we would just take the locks off our doors, fire our policemen, and cut off all the women folks' long fingernails.

D. E. SCOTT.



OUT OF DARKNESS INTO OBLIVION

It is night and the road is clear; you are pouring on the speed. You overdrive your headlights. Suddenly your headlights pick up the side of a train going over a crossing. You can't stop when you see the train. Consider the horror. The horrible pain of fear for the seconds it takes you to slide from the darkness into oblivion.

Record Traffic Toll Reached

The final entry in the 1968 Texas traffic records has been entered and closed. An all-time record of 3,481 persons killed, 216,972 persons injured, and an estimated property loss of $836,802,000 was sustained.

Since the death count of 2,254 in 1960, Texas has gained steadily each year. Sergeant Jack Therwhanger, Highway Patrol Supervisor of this area, said, "If the number of deaths continues to increase as they have since 1960 by 1975 they will have increased 100%."

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TOP RODEO PERFORMERS

A tie for the All-Around Cowgirl of the FFA Junior Rodeo saw Susan Lowe, left, and Leigh Nall, both of Wellington receiving trophies. Don Lacy makes the presentation. The All Around Cowboy was Monty Kromer of Vinson. The title was determined by the number of points scored by the young performers in all events.



Patrolman James Haley

Highway SAFETY Guidelines



Patrolman Doug Wright

Q. What trailers are exempt from registration?

A. Owners of farm trailers and farm semi-trailers whose gross load (the weight of the trailer plus the load) does not exceed 4000 pounds are exempt from registration.

Q. What is the speed limit for a car or pickup on a county dirt or gravel road outside the city limits?

A. The speed limit for a car or pickup on a county dirt or gravel road is 60 mph in the day and 55 mph at night unless posted for a lower limit.

Q. When does the day and night speed limits go into effect?

A. The daytime speed limit is in effect from 30 minutes before sunrise and goes out at 30 minutes after sunset.

Q. Can a spot light be legally used on a vehicle in Texas?

A. It can be legally used except when another vericle approaching from the front is in sight and it can be legally used in case of headlight failure providing it does not strike the roadway more than 50 feet in front of the vehicle upon which it is being used.

Q. What is the law in regard to mufflers?

A. Every motor vehicle shall at all times be equipped with a muffler in good working order and in constant operation to prevent excessive or unusual noise and annoying smoke and no person shall use a muffler cut-out, by-pass, or similar device upon a motor vehicle on a highway.

Q. How close to the curb should a vehicle be when parallel parking?

A. The law requires you when parking parallel to be within 18 inches of the curb. You should try to park approximately 6 inches from the curb. This will give you room to turn your wheels to maneuver out of the parking place.

LETTERS *from the People*

Sir:

Just a short note to say we enjoyed your story in last week paper concerning the rural scenes of history that is fast fading away. During the summer of 1968 we had an occasion to make a drive some three miles northeast of Wheeler. We were pleased in seeing a gentleman plowing with two mules and cultivator. We did not know the value of such a sight until suddenly we were thrilled and wanted all our family to see the same, with all the satisfaction and contentment that this man had. We thought this story worthwhile and interesting so we inquired about it and learned that this man was Mr. John Conner. He tells people, I need no tractor.

When you are looking for some nice drive to make in the local vicinity please come north of Dozier. The lilacs seem to be showing off evreywhere. Words can't tell how beautiful the scene of lilacs are now at the B. A. Purkey farm.

Thank you.

The Carl Amersons.

A U.S. census has been taken every ten years since 1790.

St. Joseph's Hospital Notes

LaDonna Gail Jones, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones, medical, April 16 and 17.

Mrs. Floyd Biggs, medical, April 16 to 18.

Mrs. Alva Cristy, medical, April 17 to 19.

Mrs. Olan Cook, medical, April 18 and 19.

Mrs. Andy Bell, medical, April 18 to 21.

Mrs. L. A. Wolf was admitted April 19 as a medical patient and is still receiving treatment.

Mrs. George Adkins, medical, has been a patient since April 19.

George F. Richey, medical, was admitted on April 19.

Jess Young has been a medical patient since April 20.

Mrs. Hattie Scott was admitted as a medical patient April 21.

Patients admitted earlier and discharged since April 15 are:

George F. Richey, April 15.
Mrs. Mike Gilmore, April 15.
Mrs. Floyd Biggs, April 15.
Mrs. Al Bettis, April 16.
Eugene Carney, April 16.
Henry McClure, April 16.
Mrs. L. E. Goswick, April 18.
Mrs. Lizzie Anderson, Apr. 18.
Mrs. P. A. Crane, April 18.
Mrs. Florence Albritton of Childress, April 18.
Mrs. Mary L. Roland, Apr. 18.
Mrs. Nancy Williams, Apr. 19.
Joe Childress, April 19.
Mrs. Harley Hatch, Apr. 20.
Mrs. W. A. Bennett, April 20.
Mrs. J. C. Ford, April 21.

Sunday School Attendance

(Compiled by the Collingsworth County Ministerial Alliance)

Sunday, April 20

First Baptist Church	234
First United Methodist	158
Fundamental Baptist	61
Nazarene Church	53
Faith Baptist Church	25
Assembly of God	50
Quail Baptist	37
Total	618

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FTA Elects New Officers; Hears Vocational Talks

Wellington Future Teachers of America elected a new slate of officers to serve during the 1969-70 school year when they met Monday evening, April 21.

John Scott was chosen president; and the others are Stan Parker, vice president; Kathy Tyler, secretary; Don Martin, treasurer; Teddy McLain, reporter; Mike Davis, chaplain; Kathlyn Scott, Kathy Scott and Dallas Holland, historians.

These officers will be installed at the May meeting in order that they can set up a program of work during the summer months.

Three high school teachers presented the program, Mrs. Raymond Hodges, business education; Mrs. Bob McAlister, speech and Spanish; and Charles Floyd, science.

They spoke on the reasons they became teachers, with the advantages and disadvantages of their fields of teaching.

"A teacher must have the energy of a harnessed volcano, the efficiency of an adding machine, the memory of an elephant, the understanding of a psychiatrist, the wisdom of a Solomon, and the tenacity of a spider, the patience of a turtle trying to cross a freeway in rush-hour traffic, the decisiveness of a general, the diplomacy of an ambassador, and the financial acumen of a Wall Street wozard. She must remember always that she teaches by word, but most by precept and example."

Gifts of appreciation were presented to the speakers.

Several new rules for FTA were approved.

A member must maintain a 75 grade average to remain a member. If three conseclutive meetings are missed, the member is dropped.

A salad supper will be held May 19 to honor the senior members.

The new officers will be in charge. This year's sponsors are Mrs. Billy R. Long, Mr. Floyd and Ralph Word.

Langford Goes to Jobbers Meet

Bob Langford of Langford Brothers (Conoco) in Wellington, returned home this week after attending the annual Texas Oil Jobbers Association in Dallas April 17 and 18.

More than 1,000 members of the Texas oil and gasoline marketing industry attended and heard talks by F. S. Schwend, president of the Gulf Oil Company; Bill Jones of Kennett, Mo., president of the National Oil Jobbers Council; and A. N. Rusche of Houston, president of the Texas Oil Jobbers.

During the convention, more major oil companies and many independents held individual meetings with agents and dealers hadling their brands.

Vacation Bible School Workers Hold Conference

An all-day conference of vacation Bible school workers from through the North Fork Baptist Association was held at First Baptist Church in Wellington recently, with leading Baptist laymen from this part of the Panhandle as the speakers.

For the most part, the 115 workers were divided into groups, according to the department in which each will work in the upcoming Vacation Bible Schools, according to Mrs. Harold Keller of the host church.

Among the speakers were Mr. and Mrs. Curt Wallis of Central Baptist Church, Pampa; Phillip Stovall, First Baptist Church, Borger; Roy Kornegay, and Mrs. Harold Anderson of First Baptist Church, Pampa.

Churches were represented from Shamrock, Pampa, Alanreed, Allison, McLean, Mobeetie, Faith Baptist and First Baptist, Wellington, Wheeler, Briscoe, Kelton, Lela, Samnorwood, Quail and Dodson.

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J. C. Howell, Dodson—Mercury Fordor sedan.

Lynn Derryberry, Wellington —Chevrolet sport coupe.

Fred Yarbrough, Wellington—Chevrolet ½-ton pickup.

Cudd Brothers, Wellington — Chevrolet coupe.

Motorists Don't Have Roads to Themselves

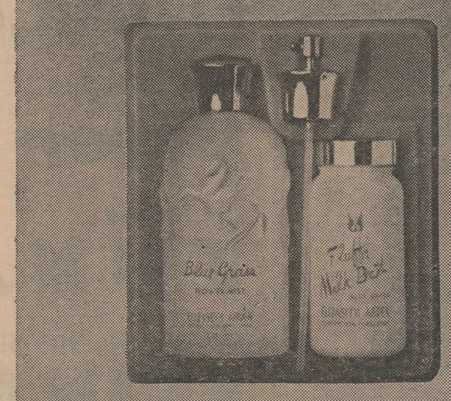
Motorists are not the only cnes who use the streets and highways. Pedestrians often jay walk, children hidden by parked cars dart into the street, cyclists sometimes ride as if they were in an empty field, and animals give little heed to traffic. Keep your eyes moving to spot these potential emergencies. Don't depend on others to know the safety rules.

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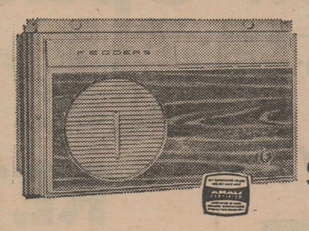


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Collingsworth County FARM NEWS



By Don Reeves
County Agricultural Agent

Iron chlorosis of grain and forage types of sorghum can reduce yield if the condition is severe.

This iron definciency is characterized by a yellowing between leaf veins and often occurs in caliche spots or high lime soils containing free calcium carbonate.

Iron deficiency usually is observed early in the season soon after sorghum emerges and spots and irregular patterned areas are most common. The crop tends to grow out of this condition as soon as soil temperature rises, but often chlorosis is seen on a second growth of forage sorghum.

If land has a history of producing sorghum with this discolor, foliar application of 2½ percent iron sulfate solution, commonly called copperas is advised. The principle involved is to get iron into the plant through the leaves.

Prepare the solution by dissolving 10 pounds of iron sulfate in 50 gallons of water. The blue-green color of fresh iron sulfate changes to yellow on prolonged exposure to air and then it is very difficult to dissolve.

A wetting agent or detergent must be added to get good even coverage of the leaf surface. Use the amount recommended by the manufacturer for insecticidal sprays. Concentrations of wetting agents recommended for herbicide sprays can cause severe burning of the foliage.

Approximately 20 gallons of the solution per acre should be sufficient to completely wet the leaves. The first application should be made within 10 days after emergence if plants show a severe deficiency. Another application should follow in about two weeks. Should yellowing continue or occur later in the season a third application may be necessary.

Soil applications of iron materials have not been effective in controlling chlorosis in sorghum. Timely foliar applications offer the most satisfactory control measure.

Bagworms, damaging insect pests of evergreens and occasionally of broadleaf plants, will soon be making their springtime appearance.

Evergreens should be closely examined, and if newly hatched bagworms are found, control measures should be applied.

The worms immediately spin a bag of silk around themselves and attach bits of foliage to the outside of the bag as they feed. The larvae carry these bags wherever they go with only the front part of their bodies protruding for feeding and movement. The bags enlarge as the bagworms grow. A heavy infestation can completely strip the plant of foliaeg. When this happens, the plant may be lost.

The effective "camouflage" presented by the bags makes the insect hard to detect and damage may be extensive before they are noticed. They are much easier to control while they are still young.

If bagworms were present on a plant last year and control measures were not applied, the chances are very good that an insecticide will be needed this spring.

Recommended control measures are outlined in L-199, "Texas Guide for Controlling Insects on Ornamental Plants." Copies are available from the county agent's office.

Brother of City Man Dies

George Graham, 81, died Saturday, April 19, at Greenville, where he had lived 50 years. He was a brother of Grady Graham and brother-in-law of Mrs. Cleve Graham.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at First Baptist Church in Greenville, with the Rev. Howard Jones, a former pastor here, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Land at Greenville.

He was one of nine brothers and sisters, and he visited here many times.

Survivors are his wife and two sons: Elmer Graham of Dallas and Horace Graham of Greenville; two brothers and a sister: Grady Graham; Oscar Graham of Fort Worth, formerly of Wellington; and Mrs. Willie Alexander of Pampa.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF
COLLINGSWORTH

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Collingsworth County, Texas, on the 17th day of May, 1969, on the proposition and at the places more particularly set forth in the election order passed by the Commissioners' Court on the 18th day of April, 1969, which order is as follows:

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF
COLLINGSWORTH

On this the 18th day of April, 1969, the Commissioners' Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, convened during a regular term of Court with the following members of the Court present, to-wit:

1. Zook Thomas, County Judge,
2. Orville Vaughan, County Commissioner Pct. No. 1,
3. Melvin Seale, County Commissioner, Pct. No. 2,
4. Pat O'Hair, County Commissioner Pct. No. 3,
5. W. R. (Buck) Breeding, County Commissioner Pct. No. 4,
6. Lorene Jenkins, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of Commissioners' Court.

With the following members absent: NONE.

Constituting a quorum of the Court, at which time the following proceedings were had to-wit:

Commissioner W. R. (Buck) Breeding introduced the proposed order and made a motion that it be passed. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Melvin Seale. The motion carrying with it passage of the order prevailing by the following vote:

AYE's .. County Judge Zook Thomas, Commissioners Vaughan, Seale, O'Hair and Breeding.
NO's .. NONE.

AN ORDER
CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF AUTHORIZATION OF THE LEVY OF A FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD TAX.

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY, TEXAS:

1. That an election is hereby ordered to be held in Collingsworth County, Texas, on the 17th day of May, 1969, upon the following proposition:

"Shall Collingsworth County, be authorized to levy, assess, and collect ad valorem taxes upon taxable property in said County, except the first Three Thousand ($3,000.00) dollar value in residential homestead, not to exceed Thirty (30¢) cents on each One Hundred ($100.00) dollars valuation in addition to other ad valorem taxes authorized by the Constitution, and the Statutes of the State of Texas, the revenue for such tax to be used for the construction maintenance of Farm-to-Market road as provided in Chapter 464, Acts of the Fifty-First Legislature.

2. That the voting places in several voting precincts for said election, and the officers appointed to hold said election are as follows:

In Voting Precinct No. 1 at Wellington High School Building, in Wellington, Texas, with the following election officials:
Earl Clark Presiding Judge,
John Coffee Assistant Judge

In Voting Precinct No. 2, at the American Legion Building, in Dodson, Texas, with the following election officials:
Lee White Presiding Judge,
Olan Farris Assistant Judge

In Voting Precinct No. 3, at the Second Floor Courthouse in Wellington, Texas, with the following election officials:
G. B. Hopper Presiding Judge
John Harper Assistant Judge

In Voting Precinct No. 4, at the Lutie Gin Office, in Lutie, Texas, with the following election officials:
Selba Rainey Presiding Judge
Stanley Whiteson Assistant Judge

In Voting Precinct No. 5, at Samnorwood Schoolhouse, in Samnorwood, Texas, with the following election officials:
Doyle Glazner Presiding Judge
Mrs. Robert Baxter Assistant Judge

In Voting Precinct No. 6, at the Dozier Church of Christ in Dozier, Texas, with the following election officials:
Gus Gooch Presiding Judge
E. E. Darrow Assistant Judge

In Voting Precinct No. 7, in the Clubroom, Community Building, in Wellington, Texas, with the following election officials:
Mrs. Billy Hatch Presiding Judge
Bessie Rainer Assistant Judge

In Voting Precinct No. 8, in the Quail Schoolhouse, in Quail, Texas, with the following election officials:
George Stephens Presiding Judge
Roy Canada Assistant Judge

In Voting Precinct No. 9, in the Elementary Schoolhouse in Wellington, Texas, with the following election officials:
Raymond Horton Presiding Judge
Virgil Estes Assistant Judge

3. That the following is hereby appointed Special Canvassing Board to Canvass the Absentee votes to be cast at said election:
Joe Terry Presiding Judge
Mack Saied, Jr. Assistant Judge

4. That the ballots for said election shall be substantially as follows:

FOR .... "A Farm-To-Market Road Tax of not exceeding Thirty (30¢) cents on the One Hundred ($100.00) dollars valuation."

AGAINST .... "A Farm-To-Market Tax of not exceeding Thirty (30¢) cents on the One Hundred ($100.00) dollars valuation."

g. Only legally qualified electors who own taxable property in the County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote and all such electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence.

6. The Sheriff or any Constable of this County shall post a notice of said election in each of the election precincts above specified at least fourteen days before the date set for the election, after posting of said notices, the sheriff or Constable so posting shall make a return on a copy thereof showing how and when he executed the same. Said notice shall also be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in the "WELLINGTON LEADER," a newspaper of general circulation published within said County, the date of first publication to be not less than fourteen days prior to the date herein set for said election order.

7. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the provisions of the Election Code of the State of Texas, as amended.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 18th day of April, 1969.

/s/ Zook Thomas
County Judge, Collingsworth County, Texas

ATTEST:
/s/ Lorene Jenkins
County Clerk, Collingsworth County, Texas

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF
COLLINGSWORTH

I, the undersigned, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above is a true, full and correct copy of an order by the Commissioners' Court (and of the minutes pertaining thereto) passed on the 18th day of April, 1969, calling an election on the question of the authorizing of the levy of a Farm-To-Market Road Tax, which order is duly of record in the minutes of said Commissioners' Court.

Executed under my hand and seal of said Commissioners' Court this the 18th day of April, 1969.

/s/ Lorene Jenkins
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court, of Collingsworth County, Texas.

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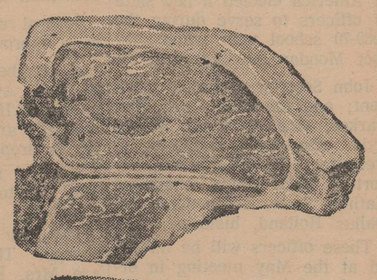
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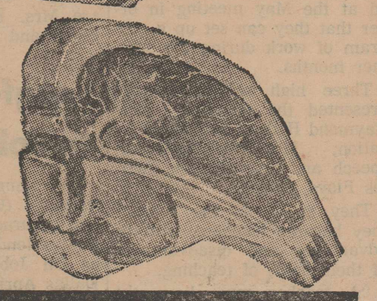
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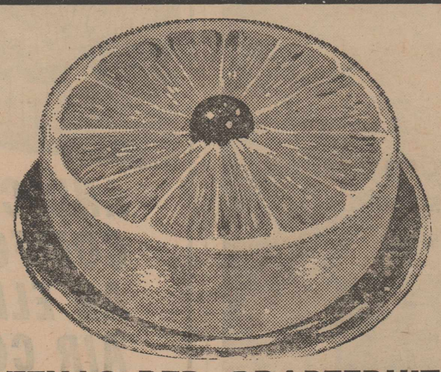


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Dr. V. C. Saied, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied Sr., is a member of The Mad Medics plus 3, which is a Dixieland jazz band composed of four doctors and three businessmen of Wichita Falls. The band was organized purely for the pleasure of its participants by Dr. Saied and the other members in 1965.

In four years the band has become so popular that it receives more invitations than it can fill. Recently the group formed a non-profit corporation to provide scholarships for medical students, student nurses, and other worthy causes.

Recently the foundation awarded a $400 scholarship to a student at Southwestern Medical School in Dallas and a $250 scholarship to a nursing student at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls and nursing students Bethania Hospital and Wichita General Hospital.

They have recently made a hi-fi record consisting of 12 old and new favorites such as Sweet Georgia Brown, Roses of Picardy, Limehouse Blues, Hello Dolly, Careless Love, and eight other numbers.

Dr. Saied plays cornet which he also played as a member of the Wellington High School Band, The University of Texas Band, and the band at the Sheppard Field Air Force Base where he organized another band composed of doctors.

Dr. John Worthen plays the bass fiddle for the Medics. He received a degree in music from North Texas State University before he started studying medicine and still plays principal viola for the Wichita Falls Symphony Orchestra.

The other members of the band are: Dr. Ed Bebb, Dr. Nolan Simmons, Ed Baggett, Nathan Brown and Herb Wagnon, and all have a colorful background in music besides their medical and business experience.



NON-PROFIT CORPORATION
The Mad Medics plus 3 is a Dixieland jazz band that has become a non-profit corporation providing scholarships for medical students and student nurses. Dr. V. C. Saied, formerly of Wellington, is third from the left. Others in the picture are: Dr. John Worthen, Dr. Ed Webb, Dr. Nolan Simmons, Ed Baggett, Nathan Brown and Herbe Wagnon.

Tom Cunningham Home from Clinic

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunningham returned home last week from Houston, where he underwent a medical check-up at the Kelsey-Sebold Clinic in the Texas Medical Center.

He received a good report following the examination, Mrs. Cunningham said. He was in the hospital several days before going to Houston.

DPS Seeks New Patrolmen

Specialized training in an elite field and a rewarding career are the opportunities being offered by the Texas Department of Public Safety.

A call was issued today for applicants to fill a 120-man class beginning May 6 in Austin. Because of the short time remaining to test applicants, immediate inquiry is urged for area young men interested in becoming a member of the Texas DPS.

Applicants must be between 20 and 35 years old, at least 68 inches tall, weigh not less than two pounds or more than 3½ pounds per inch of height, and be in sound physical condition. They must have a high school education or the equivalent and their record must be able to stand a rigid examination pertaining to character and citizenship.

Those selected will take their training at the Texas DPS Law Enforcement Academy in Austin. This training period will last for an approximate period of four months. Upon graduation, the patrolmen will be assigned to one of the four field services—Highway Patrol, License and Weight, Motor Vehicle Inspection and Drivers License.

For complete information concerning the position of patrolman, training and benefits, young men are encouraged to contact the nearest DPS patrolman or DPS office. Hurry—for the time is short before the start of the May 6 training school.

Cunninghams at Kin's Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunningham of Samnorwood were in Santo for the funeral of his brother-in-law, John Edwards, conducted at the Church of Christ Saturday afternoon, April 19.

Mr. Edwards died Thursday after a lengthy illness.

Mitchells at Hotline Convention

MITCHELLS AT—18 must 2c? Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mitchell were in Scottsdale, Ariz., recently to attend the Hot Line Auto Dismantlers Association convention, where he represented Robert Owens Auto Salvage.

Companies from Texas to the west coast who operate a hot line system were represented.

The speakers included the president of the National Wreckers Association from Washington, D.C., and telephone company representatives who described what they could expect in the future.

At present the member salvage companies buy and sell auto parts over the hot line by describing the part, Mr. Mitchell explained. In the future, the convention was told, a small screen similar to a television screen will enable them to see the person with whom they talk as well as the part they are discussing.

"I've been talking to some of these men three and a half years and I'd never met them", Mr. Mitchell said. He operates the hot line at Owens Salvage.

A dinner at Pinnacle Peak, 35 miles out of Scottsdale, entertained the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell made the trip from Amarillo by plane.

Youth Knocks Hole-in-One

Andy Saied, 12-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. V. C. Saied of Wichita Falls, is something of a record golfer in a family of golfers.

Recently on the Wichita Falls Country Club course he knocked a hole-in-one on the par 3 No. 2, 135-yard hole.

Using a five iron, Saied hit short on the green and ran the ball onto a path between two sand traps into the hole.

He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied, Sr., of Wellington.

Public Auction

On Thursday, April 24, 1969, at 10:00 a. m., we will offer for sale to the highest bidder terms cash ($1,000.00 check to be placed in escrow, with reasonable time for financing allowed) the R. D. Wiley residence located at 1209 Floydada Street, Wellington, Texas, on Lots 8 to 12 in Block 85 of the Original Town of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Texas.

On the same date and time, we will also offer for sale to the highest bidder, terms, cash, 1966 Delta 88 Oldsmobile, 4-door sedan.

Sale to be held at 1209 Floydada Street, Wellington, Texas.

Contact Earl Hunter at Wellington State Bank for appointment to make inspection.

Seadel bids will also be accepted, if received prior to sale time. Mail bids to The First National Bank, Childress, Texas or Mr. Earl Hunter, Wellington State Bank Wellington, Texas.

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Tuna 1.00

with Dispenser — Reg. $1.59
Jergens Lotion 89¢

FOLGERS — Pound —
Coffee 69¢

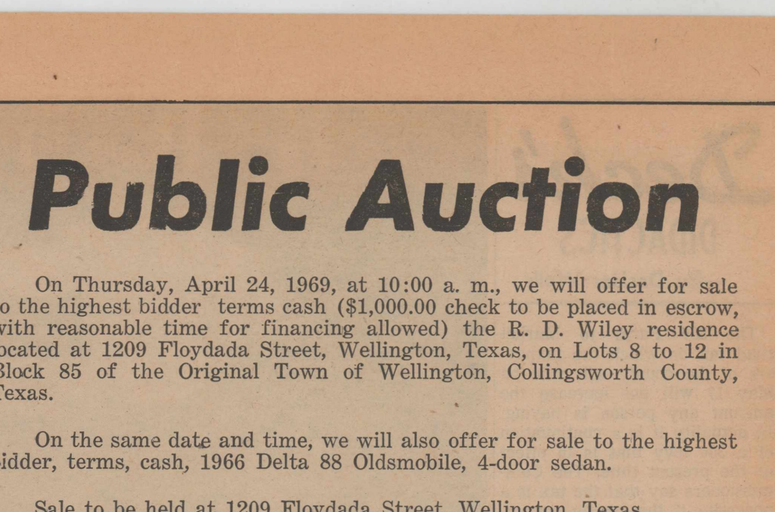


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Owens & Scott Super Market



Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

The 30¢ Farm to Market road tax on which the taxpayers of the county will vote on May 17 will not increase the amount any person is paying. In actuality it is a continuation of a 30¢ levy that is in effect at the present time. The Commissioners say that the tax is a necessity if the county government is to continue to operate on a cash basis as is being done at the present time.

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The alternative to the 30¢ tax is either deficit spending or a raise in valuations. Deficit spending and the subsequent issuing of warrants is a costly method of operating a governing unit and raising valuations is always feared and opposed by many people. The 30¢ tax may not be pleasant; but it does seem to be the best way to solve the problem.

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There is some interesting news in connection with the probable widening of Highway 83 north of Wellington. It is impractical to make a three lane bridge out of an old one so the present plans call for a second bridge and a four lane highway on each side of the river. The proposed four lane construction will be approximately 7 miles in length and is a forerunner of the time when 83 will be a four lane highway through the length of the Panhandle. With the proper work, advertising and determined organization it could be a four lane highway from the Rio Grande to the heart of Canada.

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The M-K-T Railroad is asking permission to discontinue 225.30 miles of railroad and discontinue all service from Altus to Forgan, Oklahoma. The line runs through Jackson, Greer, Beckham, Roger Mills, Custer, Dewey, Woodward, Ellis, Harper and Beaver counties. At the same time the B-M-E Railroad filed an application to discontinue its 96 miles of track which runs east and west through the Panhandle of Oklahoma, according to The Mangum Star. In its petition the Katy says its road running northwest from Altus has been plagued by derailments caused by deterioration of the track roadbeds and has suffered many bridge washouts during high water. The tracks have been kept in such a low state of up-keep that trains have been forced to travel at low speeds. If the petition is approved all traffic will be halted from Altus to Forgan.

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It is sad to contemplate what the government and the unions have done to the railroads; but the fact remains that transportation, both passenger and freight, is turning more and more to the highways and to the air. We not only need to be working on better highways; we also need to be doing everything we possibly can to get and keep our airport in first class condition.

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Sunday is the time you set your clock forward one hour. By your timepiece you will be going to work at the same hour. By the sun you will be getting up one hour earlier. It would not be bad if the "daylight saving" period ranged from June 1 through Labor Day; but to extend the duration from April to late October is ridiculous in all the agricultural and ranching communities of the nation. In the southern states from California to Florida a two hour siesta in the middle of the day would be much more healthful. With this suggestion like others, transportation, congestion, and T-V get in the way.

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Truett Holland says he drives "out" to California and not "over". He also contributes the questionable information that he drives over to Mangum. The term over to Mangum is permissible in colloquial talk or writing when you start from Wellington. It is debatable if you begin your trip at Dodson. If I had knowed that I could a rode I would have went up to Amarillo with Horace and out to California with Truett.



PHOTO BY ED WHITE

ACTION STARTED EARLY

Danny Gray came out of the shoot on a brindle brahman steer, and action started immediately. Here he is about to dismount in the way most bull riders do. This was at the Wellington FFA Junior Rodeo Saturday night, April 19.

135 Athletes to Be Honored at Sports Banquet

Approximately 135 young Wellington High School athletes will be honored at the traditional all-sports banquet Tuesday, April 29.

This will be in the school cafeteria, starting at 7:30 p.m. and is sponsored by the Skyrocket Booster Club.

The Rev. Ronald Crosley will be master of ceremonies.

There is no speaker this year, said head coach Thayne Amonett, and the highlights of the evening will be recognition of the athletes, both boys and girls, and the presentation of eight special awards. These are the Fighting Heart Award, Best All Around Lineman, Best All Around Football Player, Miss Basketball, Mr. Basketball, Most Valuable Track Man, Best Student Athlete, and Mr. All Around Skyrocket.

The all-sports banquet is a public event, when the community of Wellington can honor its young men and women who have brought athletic acclaim to the town. Tickets are on sale at C&H Pharmacy, J. Y. Martin Tire Co., Farm Bureau, Saied's Department Store, and Parsons Drug. However, those who have not yet secured tickets are urged to do so by the week end.

Trio Attends Dallas Funeral

Mrs. T. B. Wilkins, her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilkins, were in Dallas to attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, George H. Wilkins, which was held at 10 a.m. Monday.

He was 75, and was the last survivor of a family of seven. Mr. Wilkins had visited here many times.

Surviving is one son, Joe Wilkins of Los Angeles, who as a child spent each summer in the T. B. Wilkins home here.

Daves Becomes Phillips Dealer

Carl Daves announced this week that he is now operating the Phillips 66 Station on Highway 83 and that he will be in charge of both the retail and wholesale business for Phillips in the Wellington area.

"We will handle all Phillips products including tires and batteries," Mr. Daves said, "and we will specialize in wash and grease jobs."

Cablecom

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General operation in Wellington one of the most modern and sophisticated systems in the United States.

The date for completion of the proposed new services will depend on the availability of microwave links for the delivery of the new signals and approval of the Federal Communications Commission.

Rebuilding of the system and the addition of new service will be accomplished without any increase in service fees to subscribers.

The Educational TV station will be delivered at no cost to all Wellington Schools.

Attending the concert by The Lettermen at West Texas State University, Canyon, recently were Adelle Burquist, Jane Thompson, Carlos Hatch, Ted McLain and Judy Porter.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Nunnelley and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Nunnelley over the week end were Mrs. Gladys Moore and her sister, Miss Eula Wood of Wichita Falls. Mrs. Moore is a sister-in-law of Mrs. J. E. Nunnelley and an aunt of the Shelton Nunnelleys.

Three City Men Attend Annual CATV Meeting

Three Wellington men attended the annual convention of the Texas CATV Association in Dallas Wednesday through Friday, April 16 to 18.

Hurshel Tyler, owner, and Billy Wilkerson, represented R. H. Tyler Co. Hurshel Pruitt, manager, attended from Cable-Com.

R. H. Tyler Co. had a booth at the convention.

"We try to show somethnig new each year and this time we exhibited Weatherscan II with a color camera," said Mr. Tyler.

Mr. Pruitt attended along wth other managers of Cablecom throughout this area.

Two key speakers were Congressman Lionel Van Deerlin, D., Calif., who told the convention he feels "we have just opened the door with cable television, with many new and better things to come."

Congressman Torbert McDonald, D., Mass., spoke on "The Cable and Congress." He said he believes Congress is going to give some relief to the controls which the Federal Communications Commission has placed on CATV, according to Mr. Tyler.

BCRIA

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be needed if the problem is to be solved.

Funds obtained at the county level will be pooled and used to support research and education projects on brush control and range improvement.

Against Childress

Baseball Comes to Town Sunday 3 p.m.

A baseball team of older boys will represent Wellington in Southeast Panhandle play, under the direction of veteran coach Earl Shamblee.

Marian Airpark diamond is their home ball park, and they will appear before Wellington fans for the first time Sunday, April 27, when they meet a Childress team. Game time is 3 p.m.

Wellington defeated this same team at Childress April 20, by a 6-4 score. Fourteen-year-old James Amos was the winning pitcher.

There is no charge for the games at present, said Mr. Shamblee, who has had a team here each season for about 25 years.

"We are sponsoring this team to give the boys something to do this summer," he explained. "Our whole aim is to try to make Wellington a better place for all of us."

There is plenty of room for more players, both Negro and white, he said.

Players Sunday were Paul Jones, pitcher and second base; Jamse Amos, pitcher; James Honeycutt, first base; Lester Robinson, third base; James Riley, short stop; Lloyd Johnson, left field; Larry Robinson, centerfield; and Robert Ford, right field.

Services Held Monday for Mrs. Jack Roland

Mrs. William L. (Jack) Roland, 65, died Saturday at 2 a.m. in Harmon County Memorial Hospital, Hollis, after a brief illness.

Funeral services were conducted at Mt. Corinth Baptist Church at 11 a.m. Monday, with the Rev. J. P. Williams, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Mrs. Roland, the former Mary Lou Perryman, was born in Fannin County Dec. 29, 1903. She had lived here for a number of years.

She was a Baptist.

Survivors are her husband, Jack Roland of Wellington; a sister, Mrs. W. H. Perry of Tucson, Ariz.; four nieces and four nephews.

Mrs. Hattie Scott

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She was married to John H. Scott on July 11, 1897, in the home of her parents. He, too, belonged to a family that was among the first to settle in that area, and the farm on which he filed in the 1890's still belonged to Mrs. Scott.

She was a devoted member of the Church of Christ and belonged to the Order of the Eastern Star.

Not one to look back, Mrs. Scott's long life, active to the very end, was always concerned with the present or the future.

She is survived by one son, H. P. Scott of Dodson, and two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Scott of Hollis, and Mrs. Lena Johnson of Woodward, Okla. There are six grandchildren: Dwane Scott, P. M. Scott, Harold Scott and Jerry Scott of Wellington; Mrs. Dorothy Summar of Midwest City, Okla.; and Mrs. Vermel Davidson of Dumas. There are also 11 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Mrs. D. H. McKinney and Harold visited relatives in Amarillo last week end.

Mrs. Guy Bumpass visited in Amarillo last week end with her sister who had surgery.

J. M. Stowell

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ial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers were Tom Bryant of Fort Worth, O. B. Raburn, Milburn Derryberry, Tom Wilkins, Bobo Castleberry and Howard Holton. Honorary pallbearers were A. B. Clark, Cicero Gulley, G. B. Clement, Bill Smith, Bill Reeves and W. O. Vaughan.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Lillie Stowell of Wellington; two sons and a daughter: Ralph Stowell and Mrs. Frances Barton of Fort Worth; and Lawrence Stowell of Vero Beach, Florida; a brother and two sisters: William Stowell and Mrs. Eunice Phipps of Sacramento, Calif., and Mrs. Mae Dodd of Melrose, N.M. There are six grandchildren.

Wellington Soldier

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Infantry Platoon of the division's 4th Infantry Detachment, Sgt. Gollihugh was with the War Dog Detachment which deployed 125 dogs for the division.

He went into the Army in March 1959 and has had assignments to Korea, then Germany where his family accompanied him for two years. He was stationed at Ft. Benning before going to Vietnam.

Born in Collingsworth County, the 31-year-old soldier attended school at Quail and Wellington and was graduated after he entered the Army. He was married Nov. 27, 1956.

The sergeant's wife is the former Roberta Ledbetter, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ledbetter of Samnorwood. They have four children, Becky, Debbie, Rhonda Nell and Keith. His family lived in Altus while Sgt. Gollihugh was overseas.

In Ft. Benning, he will be an instructor at the Army Scout Dog School.

Greenbelt Elec.

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torney for the cooperative, will read the minutes of the last meeting. Election judges will be named and the report of the nominating committee read by Billy R. Cantrell.

Later in the meeting, reports will be read by the president, Mr. Garland, the treasurer, and the manager, Mr. Henry. The last business of the meeting will be the announcement of the election results.

Drawing for the door prizes, which include handsome major electrical appliances, topped by a refrigerator-freezer, will come at several points during the meeting.

Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc., serves customers in Armstrong, Donley, Collingsworth, Wheeler, Childress, Harman and Gray Counties, with short lines in Randall, Hemphill and Roberts Counties in Texas and Greer County, Okla.

Gary Oldham

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the district.

As a junior in the 67-68 school year, he was again vice president of the senior conducting team which won first in the district and first in Area I and placed fifth in the state meet. During this school year he was again a member of the dairy cattle team which won first in the district, 10th in the area, and fifth in the state. Oldham was the high point individual in the state dairy cattle contest.

In his senior year he is president of the Samnorwood FFA chapter, district president, and he has applied for the Lone Star Degree.

He has been president of his class for four years, student council four years, and has been a member of the Beta Club for four years. He has been president of the student body for one year, Mr. Samnorwood one year and in 1968 he went to Boys State.

FIRST ASCENT

The first successful ascent of Pike's Peak was not made until 1820, 14 years after Zebulon Pike first saw it. Pike himself never climbed the mountain.

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● Noon Barbecue
● 1 p. m. Business Session
$400.00 in CASH PRIZES
All Members and Families urged to attend

Friday and Saturday
PORK CHOPS, lb. ..... 65¢
FRYER BREAST, 5 lb. box. $2.65
SLAB BACON, lb. ..... 75¢
Hot Barbecue Daily
IMPERIAL SUGAR, 5 lb. bag ..... 59¢
MARYLAND CLUB COFFEE, 1 lb. can ..... 75¢
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR, 5 lb. bag ..... 59¢
King Size or Reg. Coca-Cola or Tab .... 2 FOR 89¢ — 6 Pack
ARROW PINTO BEANS, 2 lb. bag .. 25¢
KERN'S STRAWBERRY PRESERVES, 20 oz. jar ... 39¢
SHURFRESH COUPONS BRING YOU SPORTS EQUIPMENT, LINENS, TOYS, GAMES FREE
Double Buccaneer Stamps on Tuesday
TEXAS RED GRAPEFRUIT, 5 lb. bag .. 39¢
NICE SIZE AVOCADOS ..... 2 FOR 25¢
U. S. NO. 1 RED POTATOES, 10 lb. bag ... 39¢
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