

Sue's Views

BY SUE CANNON

I guess you all have been enjoying these "spring-like" days after that sub-zero weather we had last week. Actually the temperature wasn't that low, it only seemed like it!

Some interesting facts came to light as A. D. Adams was conducting a tax survey for Herbert Dunn, county tax assessor-collector.

It seems that in Precinct 1 (which is about 15 miles by 13 miles or approximately 200 square miles or 124,000 acres) has nearly 34,100 head of cattle.

Now, that's a bunch of beef!

Do you think you could manage to retire on \$1,111 a month? Well, that's what you'll get from social security in the year 2002 if you're 35 now and have a long enough working life, according to the magazine Nation's Business.

To cash in on the benefits, you must keep your nose to the grindstone until you're 65, and you must earn enough to rate top benefits. If and when your wife is 65, you'll get another \$555 per month. That's more than \$1,600 for the two of you. Nation's Business comments: It's all the result of this year's rewrite of our Social Security law. It put a built-in escalator into the law to cover future hikes in the cost of living.

The increases are figured to average about 2.75 per cent a year, and it's also figured that wages and salaries will go up about five per cent a year.

But the magazine notes that social security taxes probably will apply to salaries up to \$20,000 per year. And they don't predict the percentage rate of taxes, but from here it looks like it might be about 20 percent of what you make... unless we elect some people who will halt the trend.

Now for a brighter side--- A small boy was refusing to eat his dinner. The father, whose temper had grown short, yelled, "Twenty years from now, you'll be telling some girl what a great cook your mother was. Now eat your dinner!"

The best years of a man's life are when the kids are old enough to help shovel the snow but too young to drive the car.

"Most folks can keep a secret-it is the folks they tell it to, that let the cat out of the bag."

"In talking about getting along with folks a friend expressed his philosophy of life in the following way: "We should minimize our differences, and maximize our agreements."

OHS Honor Students Revealed For First Half Of School Year

Robert Sivley, principal, announces honor rolls for the third six weeks period and fall semester.

THIRD SIX WEEKS:

Senior A Honor roll - Carl Bley, Vicky Kelley, Steve Lewis, Darrell Ogletree, Glenda Phillips, Deborah Sweat.

Senior B Honor Roll - Mark Bryant, Leisa Collins, Don De Berry, Kathy Langford, Helen Lewis, Elaine Lohman, Randy McCoy, Hortencia Ochoa, Steve Parkey, David Smith and Carol Walden.

Junior A Honor Roll - Mark Gunter, Dale Parsons, Martha Smyth, Relda Strain.

Junior B Honor Roll - Monte Chitwood, Chesna Dickenson, Cynthia Johnson, Steve Kennedy, Jimmy McCurry, Carla Moses, Donna Muller, Cynthia Norfleet, Stan Sampler, Christy Tatom, Connie Thomas.

Sophomore A Honor Roll - John Rodriguez, Kim Barnett, Holly Daughtrey.

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Freshman A Honor Roll - Carla Clark, Chris McClure, Mark Watt.

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Olton Junior High Honor Roll Released

The honor roll for the third six weeks period at Olton Junior High has been announced by Carl McClure, principal.

Eighth grade - Kyle Allcorn, Olivia Banda, Kirk Bryan, Belinda Caraway, David Daughtrey, Jennie Davis, Janet DePrang, Mandy Griffin, Kim Kinnison, Cynthia Light, Carol Prentice, Alanna Spain, Cindy Walden, Laurie Brown, Leslie Gary, Tammy Green, Jay Har-

rell, Cynthia Hutson, Steve Johnson, Brian Muller, Elaine Rodriguez, Torri Thompson, Mark Williamson, Nan Wilks, Lorenda Couch, Bobbie Craig, Marvin Tillman, Debra Jordan, Mark McFadden.

Seventh Grade - Mark Blessing, Lisa Brinham, Jeanne Lloyd, Donice Quigley, Jeff Sampler, Rodney Smith, Liz Ann Stockdale, Nancy Britton, Pam Naizger, Rhonda Parsons,

Mary Lee Smyth, Darla Ivins, Donice Huguley, Martin Brown.

Sixth Grade - Dent McGill, Erlinda Campos, Sherilyn McGill, Mary Lynn Garcia, Sharrisa Hamby, Sherri Kennedy, Steven Rose, Jimmie Kay Sanders, Nina Spurlin, Lori Barnett, Jimmy Brooks, Ruben Contreras, Kelly Cox, Carol Griffin, Dusty Kinnison, Caleb McClure, Chris Prentice, Jan Spain, Tim Watt.

Fifth Grade -

Fourth Grade -

Third Grade -

Second Grade -

First Grade -

Kindergarten -

Preschool -

Infant -

Nursery -

Pre-K -

Kindergarten -

First Grade -

Second Grade -

Third Grade -

Fourth Grade -

Fifth Grade -

Sixth Grade -

Seventh Grade -

Eighth Grade -

Ninth Grade -

Tenth Grade -

Eleventh Grade -

Twelfth Grade -

Senior -

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REGIONAL BAND STUDENTS -- Ten members of the Mustang Band were selected for Regional Band honors Saturday. Named to the honor band were Chesna Dickenson, Denise Myers, Doretta Couch, Cynthia Johnson, Pam Galloway, Jimmy McCurry, David Leathers, David Smyth, Chris McClure and Stan Sampler. Alternates were Donna Muller, Vicki Kennedy and Freddie Stockdale.

Lubbock Doctors Still Serving

Activities are brisk at Olton Clinic each Tuesday and Thursday as three Lubbock medical doctors continue to use their days off in an effort to furnish the area with medical aid during the interim without a local doctor.

The Clinic opens each of these days at 9:30 so that ap-

pointments may be made by calling 285-2624.

From 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. the three doctors alternate to spend six hours on duty. Adequate volunteer workers form the office force.

Schedules of the visiting doctors, Victor Igal, Ed Bayouth and Ronald Lemmons are posted on the Clinic door.

Well-Known Evangelist To Preach At Hale Center

The Rev. Jack Gray, Conference Evangelist, will be preaching in special revival services Sunday, Jan. 21 through Thursday, Jan. 25 at the First United Methodist Church in Hale Center.

"Brother Jack" is a widely

known evangelist and has conducted revivals in numerous area churches.

Services will be conducted at 7 a. m. and 7 p. m. each day. The Rev. Elton Wyatt, pastor, invites everyone to attend.

Longtime Resident Dies, Services Held Wednesday

Born Dec. 7, 1881 in Montague County, he married the former Miss Eula McPherson in Bowie, Feb. 28, 1909. She preceded him in death May 31, 1972.

Having lived in the area since 1927, Brigrance was one of the founders of Olton State Bank and had served as director for many years. He had also served as Trustee for Olton School District. He was a member of Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include one son, Merrill P. Brigrance; five daughters, Mrs. Clarence Todd, Big Spring, Mrs. Aubrey Russell, Tucson, Ariz., Mrs. Dennis Ford, Kingsville, Mrs. Frank Cornelius and Mrs. Elmer Moore; two brothers, J. W. of Big Spring and Ferrell of Brownfield; five sisters, Mrs. Edna Wells, Bowie, Mrs. Claude Garrett, Clovis, N. M., Mrs. J. W. Richardson, Brownfield, Mrs. Covella Morgan, Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Louella Wells, Bowie; 15 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

Palbearers were W. B. Dickenson Jr., Tom McGill, Garrett Jey, Elmo Bryant, Owen Jones and Owen Norfleet.

TB Skin Tests To Be Given

Educational programs will be presented Friday, Jan. 26 for students in kindergarten through the fifth grade by Mrs. Georgia Brewer of the West Texas Area of the Texas Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association.

Included in the health education program, the students will be able to observe "Smoking Sam" and the effects of smoking on the lungs, "Elusive Enemy", a film sponsored by the tuberculosis association, will be shown this week and again early next week for students in junior high school and high school.

Students from kindergarten through the twelfth grade will be given the tuberculosis skin tests Monday, Jan. 29 through the cooperation of the West Texas Area Association.

Hail Suppression Meeting Slated

An organizational meeting for the 1973 hail suppression program, slated last Thursday evening was postponed and is slated to be held at 7 p. m. today, Jan. 18. The meeting will be held at Farm Chemical Company in Springlake.

Interested persons are invited.



NEW MANAGER - FAMILIAR FACE ---Larry Digby has assumed duties as manager of Pay and Save Grocery here. Digby no stranger to this community, was manager of Don's Super Market for three years before moving to Hale Center to manage another grocery store. He and his wife, Shirley and son Monty, will move here this week end from Earth.

Annual Basketball Tourney To Be Hosted By Eighth Grade

Olton Junior High Colts and Mini-Fillies, eighth grade roundballers, will host their third annual basketball tournament this weekend. Teams participating will be from Lockney, Nazareth, Tulia, Friona, Dimmitt, Floydada, Abertathy and the host teams.

Action will get underway Thursday at 11:30 a. m. when Lockney girls meet Nazareth girls. Lockney boys will battle Nazareth boys at 12:45.

Tulia and Friona will be the competitors in the 2 p. m. girls games. Boys teams from these schools will play at 3:15.

Dimmitt girls meet Floydada girls at 4:30 with the boys

doing battle at 5:45. The host girls will take on Abertathy at 7 p. m. with the boys taking the hardwood at 8:15.

Friday games will follow the same time schedule. Saturday's action will begin at 1

p. m. with the girls consolation trophy at stake. Boys consolation game is slated for 2:15.

Third place games will be played at 3:30 and 4:45. Finals will begin at 6 and 7:15 p. m. Basketball fans are invited.

With production costs rising and the margin of profit growing smaller, the business of farming is becoming more rather than less risky. Each year, with each crop, there is more at stake.

Even in good years, some farmers have serious crop losses taking away a prime source of income and forcing their farming operations deeper in debt or digging into past profits.

Warren Pryor and Benny Shipley, field representatives for the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation from the county

Revised Quarantine Now In Effect Here

A new psoroptic scabies quarantine order for Lamb County went into effect Wednesday, Jan. 3, according to Joe Slaton, Littlefield, livestock inspector for Lamb County.

Glen Combest, phone 285-2913, local representative for Texas Animal Health Commission, says the quarantine will remain in effect until further notice.

The new order revises the dip movement quarantine order which was issued April 25, 1972, and the revision is issued by George W. Apple Sr., chairman of the Texas Animal Health Commission.

Movements of cattle from the 34 counties involved in the new order have been restricted, and the only exception to this restriction will be cattle (from non-quarantined herds) accompanied by a certificate of inspection issued by state-federal veterinarians within 10 days of shipment stating that such cat-

tle are apparently free of scabies infestation or exposure.

Cattle exempt from inspection prior to shipment are cattle being shipped from premises in country to a livestock market (animals will be inspected prior to being checked into the livestock market); cattle being shipped from a livestock market to an approved slaughtering establishment.

In addition to the above requirements, cattle from the 34 counties destined for shipment to other states must meet federal regulations, as well as requirements of the state of destination.

Under Texas law, any per-

son, firm, partnership or corporation which violates any quarantine provision established by the chairman of the commission will be guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable in accordance with Article 1525b, Vernon's Penal Code.

Counties involved in the quarantine are Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Floyd, Foard, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hemphill, Hansford, Hardeman, Hartley, Hutchinson, Lamb, Lipscomb, Moore, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parker, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher and Wheeler.

Elbert Hooper Services Held In Methodist Church

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, Jan. 13, for Elbert Franklin Hooper, 59, building contractor and long time resident of the city.

Held in First United Methodist Church, the Rev. Al Jennings, pastor, and the Rev. John Lewis, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiated. Interment was in Olton Cemetery under direction of Parsons Funeral Home.

Hooper, who was dead on arrival at Central Plains General Hospital, Plainview, Friday morning, was born in Clarendon, Apr. 17, 1913. He married Mary Foraker in White Deer in 1940.

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Grass Roots America

BY JERRY MARTIN

A new 1972 tax law allegedly designed to aid working mothers is almost a classic example of how government can create an injustice when it tries to help eliminate one. Under this law, married women who pursued a career before marriage may return to work and deduct up to \$4,800 a year or \$400 a month for child care and household help.

This part of the law is fine. It is an overdue measure of tax justice for families in which a wife must work to make ends meet. The bad part is the fact that the deduction is limited to couples with an adjusted gross income of less than \$18,000. Above that amount, the deduction is wiped out gradually until it disappears entirely if a couple has a combined income of \$27,600 or more.

The law does benefit most working mothers and for that, at least, we can be thankful. Yet it is totally unfair to a group of working women America badly needs; the professionals. It's always difficult to elicit any sympathy or understanding for people who earn more than an average income. But a tax law that discriminates against working professional women also hurts society.

Everyone is concerned about the shortage of doctors and other highly skilled medical personnel; the bacteriologists, medical technicians, the micro-biologists. Many of them are women. Even though they are small in numbers, America's women physicians also perform vital services to society.

The odds are almost overwhelming that a lady doctor or other woman professional will be married to someone in the professional ranks. It also is almost certain that their combined income will deny them the

benefit of this tax deduction other working wives receive for household help and child care.

If a woman has the skill to earn, with her husband, a combined income above the established limits, why should the tax laws deny her the right to deduct her expenses for child care and household help? Her children need a baby-sitter, too.

Discriminating against the women professionals has other harmful side effects. If a woman physician doesn't practice, her patients must be added to the already heavy work load of other doctors. The household helper who might have been hired to look after a woman physician's children while she cares for the sick is denied an employment opportunity. That means more unemployment and possibly an addition to the welfare rolls of another unemployed domestic helper. In the end, society could easily wind up paying MORE in welfare or unemployment assistance to jobless domestic workers than it gets in taxes by denying the full benefit of the child care deduction to working professional women with above average incomes.

It's a cycle government's illogical tax policy often generates. It's also unfair. The child care deduction should be granted to all working women, including the lady physicians and other professionals who earn above average incomes if they practice the profession which took them many years of training and experience to acquire.

If the Women's Liberation Movement seeks a cause, this is one example of discrimination against working wives that is well worth fighting to eliminate.

Voice Of Business

by Arch Booth

What is freedom? Most Americans probably think first of freedom of speech, in a political context. That is an important freedom, but certainly not the only one. A man in prison might be able to say anything he wished, and yet we would not call him "free."

There are countries where a person is free to move around within the boundaries of the place of his birth, but not free to leave it, without government permission. Such a person does not seem as "free" as we are, although he is "freer" than the man in prison. So there is a geographical dimension to freedom.

Freedom of taste (esthetic, not physiological) is a freedom we exercise more than most, although we seldom even think of it as a freedom. No "authority" determines for us what color socks to wear, what movies, plays or books to like, or how to decorate our living room. We are -- within some limits -- free to choose any life-style that suits us. The limits -- in America -- are more likely to be established by social custom than by law (although, as John Stuart Mill points out, social custom can be oppressive, too).

The freedom to determine the care of our own bodies is a very fundamental freedom, on which we place very few limits in this society.

Another freedom we exercise more than most, and seldom think of, is economic freedom. We are free to negotiate with others for their services or our services. We can change jobs -- or even careers -- at will, if we are able to acquire the necessary qualifications (and we are free to make the attempt). We are free to spend our money wisely or foolishly. We have the special kind of freedom that variety offers (after

all, freedom of choice doesn't amount to much when there is no choice available).

Freedom, then, is many things. Really, what it all comes down to is the right to make our own decisions, instead of having them made for us by others.

Unfortunately, there is a tendency in our society for individuals to focus only on those aspects of freedom that are important to them, while rationalizing encroachments on the freedoms of other value. For example, some journalists and "intellectuals" vigorously defend freedom of speech, because it is essential to their work, but seem to care little for economic freedom. Conversely, some businessmen may be less concerned with censorship than they are with surrendering their freedom to make economic decisions. And the hippies appear to value freedom of life-style above all else.

Well, that kind of "What's-in-it-for-me?" approach to freedom won't work for long. If we are willing to barter away the other man's freedom, we shouldn't be surprised to find that he has sold out ours. It is the RIGHT TO MAKE OUR OWN DECISIONS that matters. When that principle is threatened in one area, it is threatened in all others.

So be suspicious of proposals to expand government power "to protect the people." Behind the man making the proposal is often the patronizing conviction that most people cannot be trusted to run their own lives. And don't scorn the man who opposes such schemes for being "against everything." He may be protecting your freedom, as well as his. As the old farmer put it, "I'm AGAINST the boll weevil because I'm FOR cotton."

IN CLEVELAND

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndol Kinser, Jimmy, Sherree and Kristal were in Cleveland recently with Mrs. Kinser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cooper and their grandson Craig Cooper. The Oltonites called at the Cleveland hospital to see Mrs. Kinser's nephew Kenneth Wayne Cooper, who had bronchial pneumonia. At the hospital they saw his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cooper. At Dayton they visited Mrs. Kinser's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lewis and Heleshia.

TO CHILDRESS

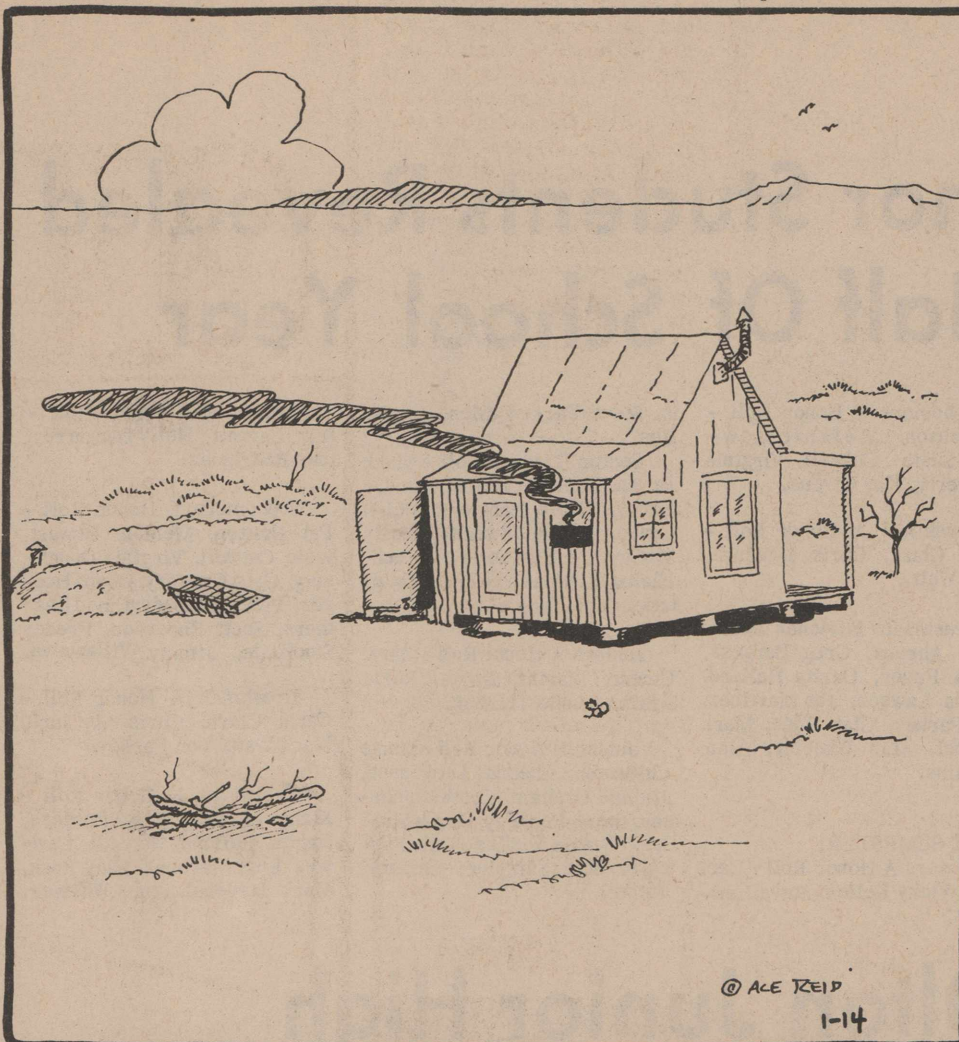
Mr. and Mrs. Barto Riley have moved to Childress where he is operating a TV service. Their son, Pat Riley, has returned to Olton from Cleveland, and now is operator of the local Riley's TV Service.

RECENT VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mason visited recently in Vernon with his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Emmett. At Electra they were with Mrs. Mason's sister-in-law, Mrs. Beatrice Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Mason were guests of their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mason, Lynn and Brian Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Mason, David, Doug and Jennifer of Lufkin. The Oltonites visited in Ballinger with Mrs. Mason's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Webb.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"No, Paw, I ain't burning your dinner, I'm ironing and only scorchin' your shirt!"

Remembering Our Yesterdays

FROM THE FILES OF THE OLTON ENTERPRISE

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO - Jan. 16, 1958

Elmer Moore has been employed as curriculum co-ordinator for Olton schools.

School board members voted this week to sell 600 reserve seats in the center section of Olton Memorial Stadium for the five home games this fall.

John Adams, James Ray Hyatt and John Paul Jones won first place in livestock judging at the Hereford Invitational Judging Contest this week.

TEN YEARS AGO - Jan. 17, 1963

Thermometers dropped to minus-11 Saturday in one of the coldest spells in memory of Olton residents. High for the day was zero.

Local grocery stores, Sherman Food and Cashway Food Store, list as specials this week coffee, 57 cents per pound; delicious apples, 15 cents per pound; tomatoes, 25

cents per pound carton and hams, 49 cents per pound.

Hopewell Baptist Church will hold first services Sunday in their new location at 5th and Avenue B.

FIVE YEARS AGO - Jan. 18, 1968

Gary Dickenson exhibited the reserve grand champion steer in the Lamb County Junior Livestock Show last weekend. Sel Sanchez, Pat Britton and Eddie Hooper showed swine breed champions.

Military services are pending for Thomas Neal Brewer, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brewer of Gainesville and former residents of Olton. Brewer was killed Jan. 7 in Vietnam.

Pat Bodkin scored 29 points in the Mustangs 63-61 loss Friday night to Dimmitt. The Bobcats and Mustangs are tied with one-and-two district records.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Mrs. F. E. Bennett had visiting her Sunday her late husband's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett, their daughter Loretta, their son Glen, all of Purcell, and a son Herman of Oklahoma City. They had been with relatives in Clovis, N. M.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hair had as Sunday evening dinner guests their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fancher and Cathy of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kendall and Mandy of Kress. Other dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hair were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Howell.

LEAVES HOSPITAL

Marlin Edwards came home Friday after being treated several days in the Hale Center Hospital.

ATTEND RITES

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Giles attended funeral services for a friend, Mrs. Elmer Rogers, at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon in Albany.

Everything But The Kitchen Sink

BY MOZELLE TROTTER

At the risk of being carted off by the men in white jackets, I'll still confess to believing there's a touch of spring in the air. Looks like it and feels like it!

There's simply and surely no place like West Texas when it comes to weather! Such beautiful weather we've been having THIS week. Don't you agree? With all its minuses, wasn't the snow storm pretty? "Snowmobilers" and "snowmenbuilders" had a treat didn't they? But as for yours truly, I've crossed that line between youth and old age, I guess, I'd rather be stretched out in a lounge chair before a cozy fireplace with a good book, apple and a box of candy. But even tho I've crossed that dividing line, I'm still child enough to want my fill of snow ice cream.

You know what? I didn't get any of that - not the chair, nor the fire, nor the eats, nor the ice cream!

How many times did you slip down during the spell? My poor neighbor was forced to become a "south-paw" because of a fall on the ice.

The "Dexter Hall" claimed he had the imprint of his credit

cards after slipping on the driveway.

As for me, I waited till the thaw and then got myself a lump on the head from not looking where I walked! There surely isn't much "give" to an air conditioner installed in a window. If it hadn't been my head that connected with the immovable object, I might have gotten a broken bone!

'Anatomy'

A boy's essay on anatomy-

You head is kinder round and hard, and branes are in it and your hair on it. You face is the front of your head where you eat and make faces. Your neck is what keeps your head out of your collar. It's hard to keep clean.

Your shoulders are sort of shelves where you hook your suspenders on them. Your stumick is something that if you do not eat often enough it hurts, and spinach don't help it none.

Your spine is a long bone in your back that keeps you from folding up. Your back is always behind you no matter how quick you turn around.

Your arms you gotta have to pitch with, and so you can reach the butter. Your fingers stick out of your hand so you can throw a curve, and add up rithmatic.

Your legs is what if you have not got two of you cannot get to first base, neither can your sister. Your feet are what you run on. Your toes are what always get stubbed.

And that's all there is of you except what's inside and I never saw it.

WEEKEND VISITOR

Benny Akin of Lubbock was here during the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Akin.

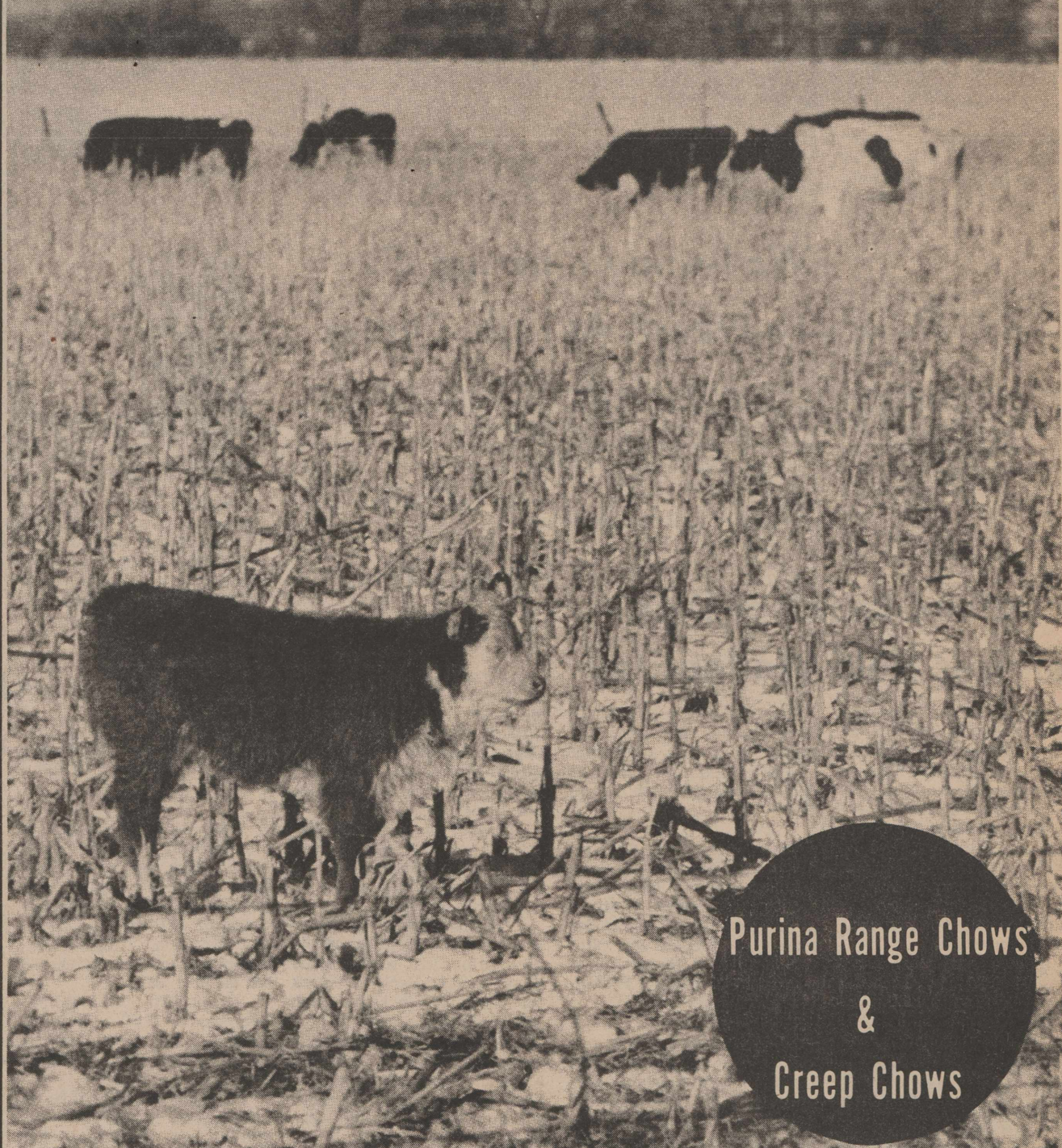
TO PLAINVIEW

Mrs. G. E. Brown and Mrs. B. C. Cooner were in Plainview Tuesday afternoon.

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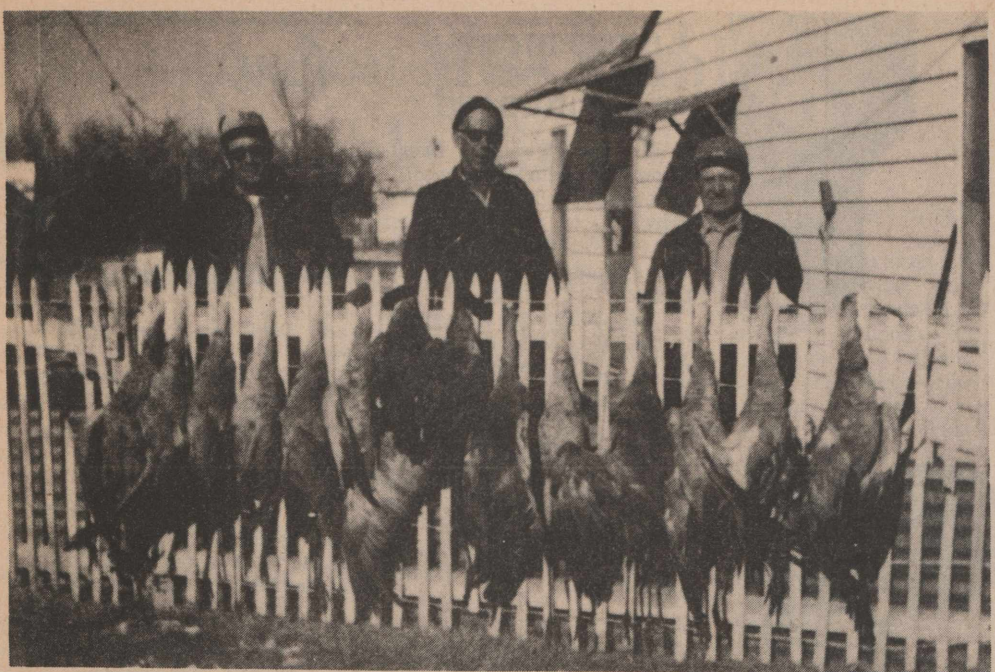
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GOOD HUNTING - James Gallagher, J. L. Small and George Redinger camouflaged themselves with white sheets to blend with the snow covered landscape and found the hunting good early Saturday morning. J. O. Bass, not pictured, completed a foursome that bagged 12 cranes and two geese, near the Needmore community. Season closes Jan. 24 for geese and duck with the crane season ending Jan. 28.

Scout Recognition Banquet Set Saturday In Lubbock

Scouters Annual Recognition Banquet will be held Saturday, Jan. 20, 7 p. m. in Red Raider Inn, 6025 Ave. A, Lubbock.

South Plains Council has had a great year. In 1972 the Council achieved a 7.5% increase in Boy Membership and changed a deficit budget into a surplus.

Marshall Pharr of Plainview, Banquet Chairman, announces the featured speaker Kirk Henry of Dallas, Henry, Director of Support Services for the South Central Region, Boy Scouts of America, is a dynamic, enthusiastic, entertaining and informative speaker. He will help recognize the outstanding scouters and give the charge to again achieve all goals in 1973.

Glenn Fowler, Vice-President of Sandia Corporation of Albuquerque, will be on hand to install the 1973 Council officers. The man-mile award will be given to the area district with the greatest man-miles traveled based on reservations on Jan. 18. An attendance award will be given to the district with the largest attendance based on reservations on Jan. 18.

The Golden Anniversary of the South Plains Council will be the theme to be used for district and unit table decorations. The Council was organized in 1922 by Kennedy N. Clapp.

In addition to recognitions

for Silver Beaver, 1972 district and council achievements, installations of 1973 officers, there will be special emphasis on recognition to the most important person in scouting - The Unit Leader (The Cubmas-

Farmers Union Requests Emergency Loan Program

The Farmers Union today continued its fight to save the Farmers Home Administration's emergency loan program in 243 Texas counties. Jay Naman, state president of the farm group, announced that he has written the White House urging that the federal government "live up to its promise to farmers that the program would continue through June 30, 1973."

Naman said, "We applaud the reversal announced by President Nixon and Secretary Butz in honoring those applications for emergency loans which had been filed in the county office prior to Dec. 27 but which had not been processed by the Temple office; however, we still believe that there are hundreds if not thousands of farmers who had not filed for emergency loans which have been deprived of their rights and guarantees by these broken promises."

Tickets are available at \$4 each through the Council Service Center, 747-2631 or P. O. Box 3055, Lubbock, 79410.

The South Plains Council administers the Scouting Program to over 10,000 young people in its 20 county area.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sluder had as recent dinner guests her mother, Mrs. Cora Wozencraft, the Sluders' son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sluder Jr., and the Olton couple's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gheer, all of Canyon. A daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Finch Jr., Carl and Donna of Dalhart. The host's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jester, and Sluder's sister, Mrs. Winnie Flynt, all of Lubbock.

IN DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Banister made a business trip to Dallas last week.

IN AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snider were in Amarillo last weekend with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Handley.

TUESDAY VISITORS

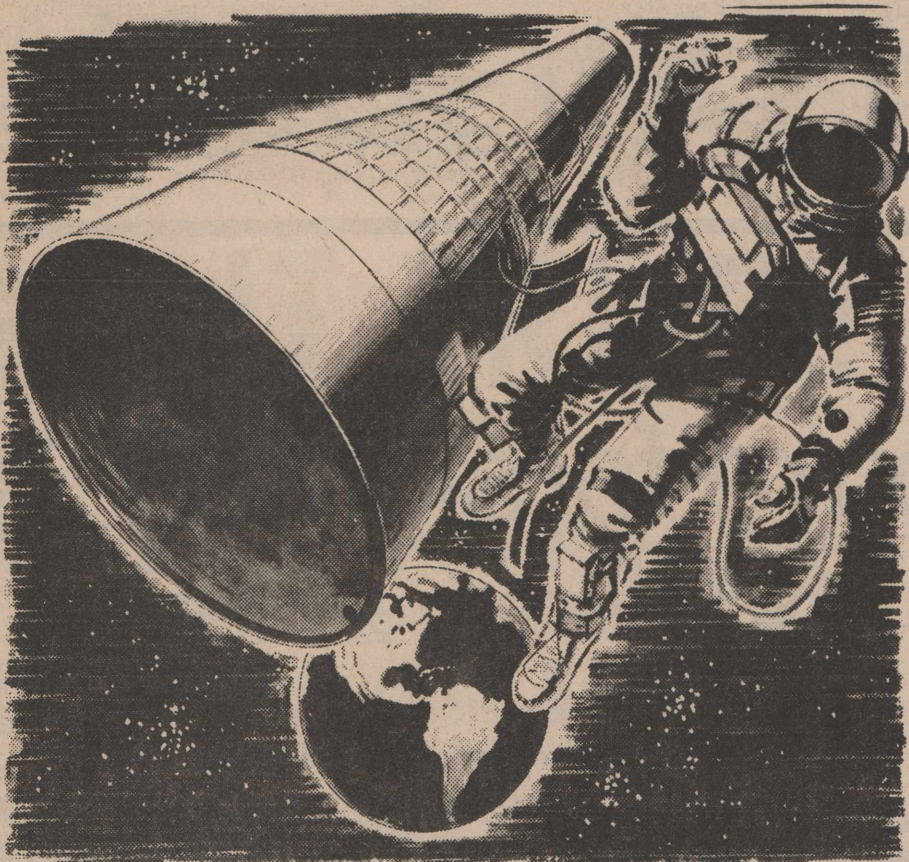
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crawford of Levelland came Tuesday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snider.

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CONSUMERS

Mr. Amerson-Miss Lambert Pledge Double Ring Vows

Miss Debra Ann Lambert of Ravenswood, W. Va. and the Rev. Roger Dan Amerson were united in marriage Saturday, Dec. 9 in the First United Methodist Church in Ravenswood.

The Rev. Steve Harper, student at Asbury Theological Seminary of Wilmore, Ky., officiated the double ring ceremony.

A large centerpiece of white gladioli and pink tinted pompons, surrounded at the base with artificial fern was placed at the altar. Two-seven branched candelabras held lighted tapers and six single candelabras, decorated with flowers stood along the main aisle, marking the family pews, and bordering the white aisle cloth. Two baskets of gladioli and pompons stood beside the kneeling bench.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Audrey Lambert Eskew and Raymond K. Eskew of Ravenswood and the late Harry Lambert of Parkersburg, W. Va. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Amerson are parents of the bridegroom.

Mrs. D. Keith Clarke provided a program of nuptial airs and the processional and recessional. Mrs. Rose Johnson of Wilmore, Ky., vocalist, sang "The Wedding Song," "We've Only Just Begun" and "One Hand, One Heart," accompanied on the guitar by Barry Weiss of Nazareth, Pa., who played and sang "We'd Rather Have Jesus." Alden Winslow of Wilmore, Ky. sang "The Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Mrs. Clarke.

Escorted by her cousin, William L. Curry III of Morgantown, the bride entered wearing a long gown designed by Alfred Angelo, with a bell skirt of candlelight satin with wide border of Peau d'ange lace at the hemline. A high rise bodice of lace which extended into the skirt featured a high neckline of lace with small white satin bow at the front accented by tiny seed pearls, blending with pearls around the top of the lace bodice. The full bishop sleeves of Peau d'ose were adorned with appliques of lace matching the wide fitted cuffs accented by six small satin buttons and loops. A white satin belt encircled the waistline, blending with a row of satin buttons down the back. Her chapel length mantilla, bordered in Peau d'ange lace, was clutched to a lace Camelot adorned by seed

pearls. She carried a white bridal Bible covered with white and pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Darla Smith Bleigh of Charleston was matron-of-honor and Mrs. Elaine Jones Winslow of Wilmore, Ky. served as bridesmaid. They wore long velvet cranberry colored gowns trimmed in pink satin and carried baskets filled with pink rosebuds and white snowdrift pompons with long streamers.

Barry Weiss of Nazareth, Pa. served as best man and Steve Packer of Traverse City, Mich. was groomsman.

Laurie Hanlon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hanlon of Sandyville, was flower girl and carried white and pink tinted mums and rose petals.

The bride's mother chose a pink dress with matching jacket and pink accessories, with corsage of cranberry colored roses.

The mother of the bridegroom wore a pink dress with matching jacket and pink accessories, with corsage of cranberry colored roses. Following the wedding, a reception was held in the social room of the church. The bride's table was centered with a four-tiered cake, designed with three large hearts forming the base. With posts between each layer, one large heart created six layers, decorated by pink roses and green leaves. A garland of greenery interspersed with pink flowers surrounded the base of the cake and a wedding cross of silver, holding two wedding rings, graced the top.

For a wedding trip to Cincinnati, Ohio, the bride traveled in a cranberry velvet pants suit accented by a pink blouse and a corsage of pink rosebuds. They will reside at Seminary Apartments at Per-

FROM MICHIGAN
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry Jr., of Saline, Mich., spent the recent holidays in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Melton.

TO ROSWELL
Mr. and Mrs. Tom McGill were weekend guests in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Duncan in Roswell, N. M.

IN ROSWELL
Visiting during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen and sons in Roswell, N. M. was her mother, Mrs. C. S. Silcott.

kins School of Theology in Dallas.

The bride is a graduate of Sissonville High School with the class of 1970, attended Asbury College in Wilmore, Ky. for two years and will complete her education at Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

Her husband is a 1967 graduate of Olton High School, graduated from McMurry College in Abilene with a B. A. Degree in 1971, attended Asbury Theological Seminary in Wilmore, Ky. for one and a half years. He will finish his seminary work at Perkins School of Theology in Dallas.

IN MULESHOE
Eating luncheon in Muleshoe Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. St. Clair and Johnny, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hancock of Bovina, and their daughter, Mrs. Matt Moseley of Lazbuddie.

FROM HEREFORD
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coleman and M'Lee of Hereford visited Sunday with his father, Floyd Coleman, and his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ivin Wozencraft.

FROM BLUM
Staying last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Leavelle were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Leavelle, Cathy, Stacey and Natalie of Blum. Dale was recuperating from an attack of pneumonia.

RECENT VISITORS
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Leavelle had as recent visitors her brothers and sisters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bibby and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bibby, all of Springlake.

TO BANGS
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Venable and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brooks, Cindy, Sheila and Ronda of Hart, were in Bangs Saturday and Sunday with Venable's father and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Venable.

FROM AUSTIN
Spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Akn were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Huckabee who have recently moved to Austin from Lubbock. Huckabee is a student of Graduate School at State University.



MRS. RODGER DAN AMERSON

CLUB SPEAKER
Mrs. L. G. Elkins was guest speaker Friday afternoon to the members of The Home Beautiful Club of Cotton Center. Mrs. Annie Shackelford was hostess to the meeting. Mrs. Elkins related the story of her tour through the Holy Land.

ATTEND SERVICES
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Worley attended funeral services for his cousin, T. C. Epley, 62, Saturday morning, Jan. 6 in the Church of Christ at Rochester.

DINNER GUESTS
Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Britton were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ellis of Plainview, and a son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Britton of Earth.

HOSPITAL VISIT
Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Bleeker recently called on his cousin, Billy Ray Wicker, a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo. Wicker is a resident of Shamrock.

IN SUNDOWN
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams were in Sundown Friday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Joiner.

VISIT MOTHER
Visiting Sunday with Mrs. Era Mae Walthall were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coleman and M'Lee of Hereford.

IN LAZBUDDIE
Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Carson had lunch Sunday with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Carson, Cynthia, Clay and Ray of Lazbuddie.

Billy Carsons Attend Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carson came home Thursday from Bayou La Batre, Ala. where they were with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Downey, whose family held a reunion recently.

Present were their son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. John Askew of Virginia Beach, Va., the Downey's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zirlott, Charles III and Kelli of Bayou La Batre, the Carsons, and the host couple's sons and daughters-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Downey, Mr. and Mrs. James Downey and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Downey, all of Bayou La Batre.

Mrs. Amerson To Be Feted

Mrs. Danny Amerson will be complimented with a miscellaneous bridal shower Saturday, Jan. 27 in the home of Mrs. Al Jennings. Calling hours are 3 to 5 p. m.

Friends and relatives are invited.

Baptist Group Attends Meet

Rev. Ronnie Travis and Mrs. Virgle Gray, Mrs. Kenneth Palmer and Mrs. Elza Miller of Hopewell Baptist Church attended the District Women's Missionary Association meeting Tuesday at College Heights Baptist Church, Levelland.

The theme of the meeting was "Christ, The Witness". Rev. Everett Ward, pastor of Harwell Heights Baptist Church of Lubbock, was the morning speaker. He talked of "The Woman at the Well" emphasizing the well, the woman, and her place in the world. Mrs. Miller sang "Throw Out the Life Line" and was accompanied by Mrs. Palmer.

Discussion was made concerning the new literature for the Sunbeams and the Girls' Auxiliary.

Following the luncheon a skit on "Being a Witness" was presented. In the business meeting it was determined that the next District WMA meeting would be in Odessa.

IN PLAINVIEW
Mrs. L. A. George and Mrs. Berniece Smith were in Plainview Saturday afternoon.

SUNDAY VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Livesay had in their home Sunday their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Horst of Amarillo; a son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Livesay of Hereford. A grandson, Howard Livesay, and a grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Livesay and Coby.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ramze Zakka returned to their home in Wichita Falls Sunday after an absence of three weeks. They stayed two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jaffar Zakka, and one week in Ruidoso, N. M. Young Zakka is a student at Midwestern University, Wichita Falls.

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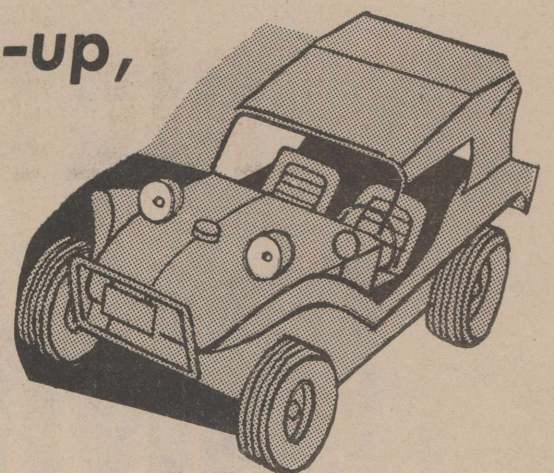
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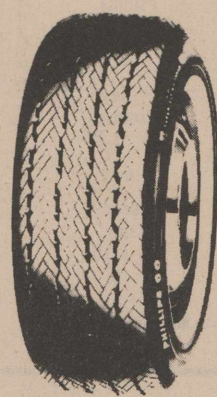


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Auditions Begin Jan. 20 For TEXAS 1973 Season

When the company of "Texas" bursts onto the stage in the opening Gala Performance of the eight season on June 21, where will the actors have come from - and the singers and the dancers?

They will be chosen in open auditions, starting Jan. 20, and continuing through March. Each person wishing to become a cast member will have an opportunity to perform for the four directors: William A. Moore who is in charge, Margaret Echols Moore, Associate Director, Royal Brantley, Musical Director, and Neil Hess, Choreographer. Each applicant will sing something which reveals the range and power of his voice, will give a reading of three minutes or less from memory showing his ability to portray different emotions, and will have the opportunity to show how smoothly and rhythmically he can move in time to music.

The directors will make trips throughout the area so that there will be opportunities in several locations to apply and to show these skills.

In their effort to secure the best possible talent for the "Texas" production, the directors have sent audition information to 750 schools, 500 newspapers and have distributed 1500 posters.

Please note, that the auditions in Canyon at West Texas State University and in Lubbock at Texas Tech are on Jan. 20 and 21, just before the opening of the spring semester.

In 1973, "Texas" will play from June 21 through Aug. 25, nightly except Sundays. There will be a special performance on July 1 (Sunday). For information and ticket reservations, write "Texas", Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015.

LCC Plans Homecoming, Invites Former Students

Ex-Students Association of Lubbock Christian College is announcing plans for its Annual Valentine and Homecoming Dinner and Master Follies Feb. 9 and 10.

Reservations for the dinner, to be held in Betty Hancock Center, must reach Ex-Students office by Feb. 1. Cost is \$1 per plate for Association members; \$2 per plate for non-members.

Activities will begin in Moody Auditorium at 9 a. m. Saturday and continue through the day featuring Ex-Students Talent Show and Chorus Rehearsal, Basketball reunion, Aggie reunion, and, at noon, Social Club luncheons.

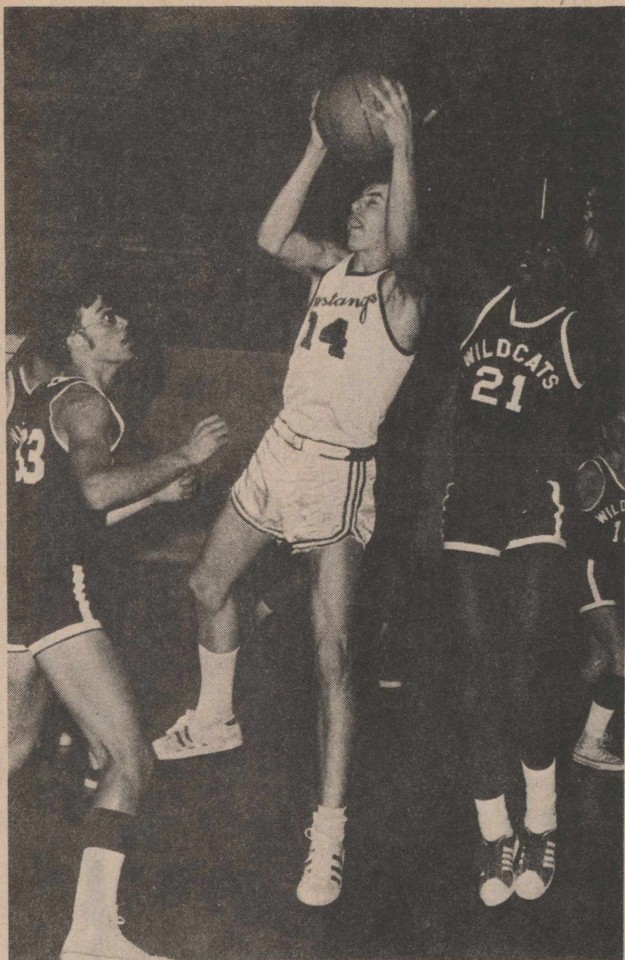
Luncheons will be held in the following locations: AEX, Zudler Zee, Redbud Center; THETA RHO, Furr's Down town, 1002 Ave. K; LOA, Seven Knights, 4409 19th; C D's, El Chico, 4301 Brownfield Hwy.; METAH MOE, Underwoods, 711 34th; Kappe Phi Kappa, 5518 28th; KO JO KAL, 3506 21st; TOMO DACHI, KYOD AI, Country Inn; KOINONIA, Hick-

TO AMARILLO
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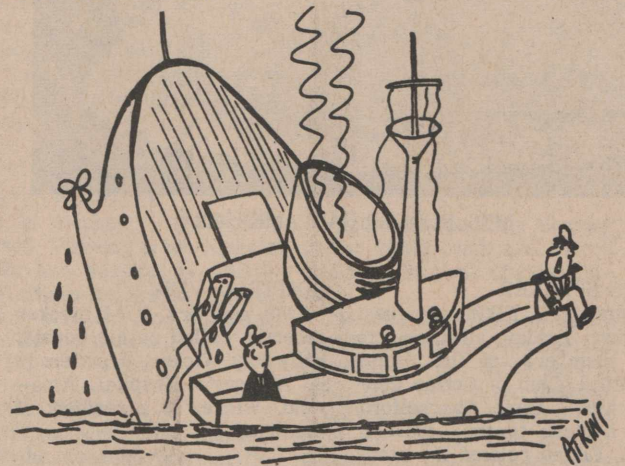
IN WICHITA FALLS
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SUNDAY CALLERS
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SHOPPING CENTER
The buffalo is nicknamed "galloping department store" because it provided the Indians of the Great Plains with food, clothing and shelter.



NIP AND TUCK - Mustangs battled the Wildcats in a close game throughout the first half, let them get ahead in third quarter then tied it up in fourth quarter - finally losing in last minutes of the game.



"Okay, O'Toole. Take over!"

Basketball Results

Though playing improving basketball, the Olton Mustangs saw their district record go to 0-2 as Morton beat the Mustangs 63-31. For one half, the Mustangs, who were picked for the cellar, kept the game close against the state-ranked Indians.

Morton jumped off to a quick 12-3 lead at the end of the first quarter as the Mustangs hit only 1 of 14 shots. But the Mustangs, using a slow deliberate pace which produced many good shots, cut the margin to 24-23 just before the half. Morton made two quick baskets just before the buzzer to make the half-time score 28-23.

Then the Mustangs turned ice-cold. They scored their only points of the third quarter with 33 on the clock on a shot by Bryan Allcorn. Meanwhile Morton had speeded the pace up and scored 18 points, making the third-quarter score read 46-25. Olton remained cold the last quarter scoring only 6 points which led to the final 63-31 score.

No Mustang hit more than 2 baskets, but Tim Givens hit 8 of 10 freethrows to finish with a game high of 12 points.

The Mustangs played their best overall game Friday night even though losing to Littlefield 54-47. The game was nip-and-tuck all through the first half with Littlefield holding a 27-25 halftime lead. In the third quarter, Olton committed 7 of their 11 turnovers and Littlefield out-scored the Mustangs 16-8 to take a 45-33 third quarter lead. But the Mustangs came roaring using a tough defense. With 2:39 left in the game, Olton tied the score at 47 all. But from there until the end, Olton missed their last seven shots to go down to their first district defeat.

Dale Parsons and Randy McCoy led the scoring with 16 and 14 points respectively. Parsons also played an outstanding game on defense.

The Fillies went into Tuesday night tied for first, but saw their chances for undisputed first place fade as they hit only 3 of 20 shots and 1 of 7 free throws the first half to fall behind 32-7 to Friona. During the second half, the Fillies were able to find the range a little better, but Friona hit a hot 54% to easily stay ahead. At the end, the scoreboard read 67-34 in favor of Friona. It was an overall off game for the Fillies as they hit 26.5% from the field, missed 19 free throws and turned the ball over 29 times. Sylvia Saldivar led the scoring with 15.

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Denise Myers and Susie Culwell both hit 58% from the field to score 21 and 18 points respectively to lead the team. The entire team hit 43.3% which is a high for the season. Littlefield's 53.1% is also the best by an opponent this season. Olton shot 60 times to only 32 for Littlefield.

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TO SLATON
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RETURN HOME
Mr. and Mrs. D.M. Granberry returned home Tuesday from an extended trip to Canton.

EXTENDED VISIT
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer F. Houston returned home Saturday from an extended visit with friends and relatives in East Texas.

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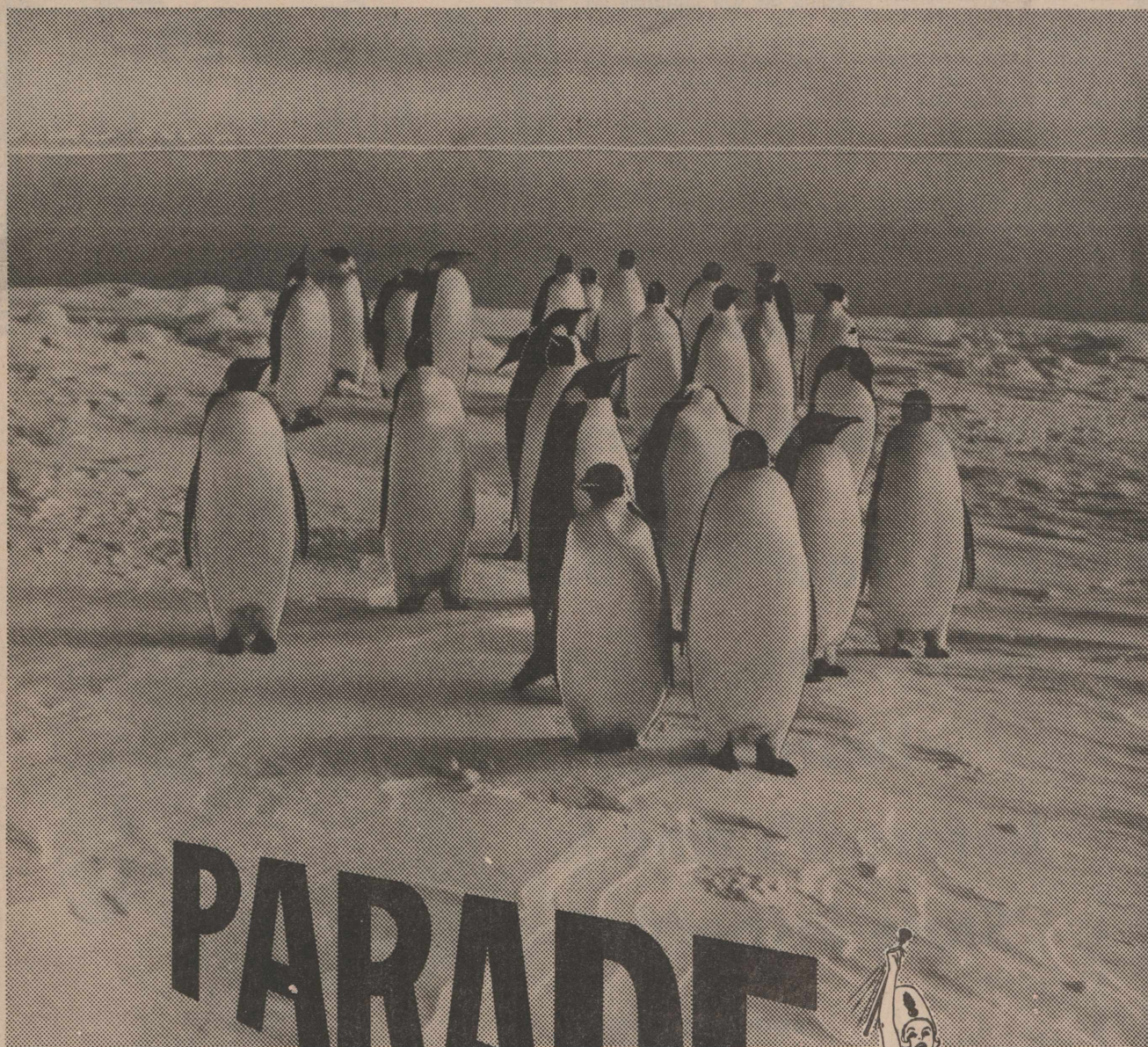
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We, too, are apt to mass together on occasion and to be, perhaps, a little ludicrous in our efforts to be "part of the scene." Sometimes following the leader may, indeed, be the best thing to do. But it can also be the easy way out.

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Wednesday
Psalms
111: 1-10

Sunday
Psalms
24: 1-10

Monday
Psalms
29: 1-11

Tuesday
Psalms
33: 1-22

Thursday
Psalms
115: 1-18

Friday
Psalms
136: 1-26

Saturday
Psalms
50: 1-15

Scriptures selected by the American Bible Society

Trinity Baptist Mission

14th & Avenue I
PAT GLORIA, PASTOR

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:15 a.m.
Training Union, 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 6:15 p.m.
TUESDAY
Prayer Meeting (In Homes), 8:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Mid-Week Service, 8:00 p.m.

Hopewell Baptist

5th & Avenue B
RONNIE TRAVIS, PASTOR

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Training Service, 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.
TUESDAY
W.M.A., 9:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY
G.A.'s & Sunbeams, 4:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 8:00 p.m.

Reorganized Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints

6th & Avenue H
JAMES WELCH, PASTOR

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service, 11:00 a.m.
Scripture Study, 7:00 p.m.
SECOND WEDNESDAY
Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.

Cumberland Presbyterian

9th & Avenue G
E.M. JENNINGS, PASTOR

1st & 3rd Sundays

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

First United Methodist

312 3rd Street
AL E. JENNINGS, PASTOR

Church School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.
Study Groups, 7:00 p.m.
TUESDAY
Youth Prayer Breakfast, 7:00 a.m.
WEDNESDAY
Men's Prayer Breakfast, 7:00 a.m.
W.S.C.S., 9:30 a.m.

Assembly Of God

11th & Avenue G

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Youth Service, 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.

First Baptist

6th & Avenue G
JOHN LEWIS, PASTOR

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Christian Training, 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.
TUESDAY
G.A.'s, 4:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Atheens & R.A.'s, 7:30 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.

Main Street Church Of Christ

3rd & Main
MILTON CARAWAY, MINISTER

Bible Study, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:40 a.m.
Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Ladies Bible Class, 10:00 a.m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday Morning Mass, 8:30 a.m.

La iglesia de dios del Primogenito

13th Street
AUGUSTINE VALENCIA, PASTOR

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Sermon, 11:00 a.m.
Lord's Supper & Feet Washing, 11:30 a.m.
Evening Services, 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Services, 7:30 p.m.

Bohner Chapel Baptist

1510 Avenue A
REV. W. JOHNSON, OF CANYON, PASTOR

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

Northside Church Of Christ

2nd & Avenue G

Sunday Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.

Church Of The Nazarene

10th & Avenue E
E.A. RAWLINGS, PASTOR

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Youth Service, 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.

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Thick As A Brick

BY KEITH WORKMAN & MAX MOSS

In a wooded glen in the land of Seldon Seen lived a group of happy birds. Why happy?

There were plenty of fish in the pond, seeds and nuts everywhere, and enough insects and worms to carpet a forest floor.

"But who is the happiest bird?" demanded the owl, wise in the ways of the winged world.

"I'm happy," trilled the robin, "but not that happy. I wish I could soar with the wind like the eagle."

"I can really wing it," agreed the eagle, "but I think I'd be much happier if I could look like the graceful swan and lazily float along on the water."

"You're all wet," pointed out the swan. "It's too monotonous. For my part I'd really be happy if I could have that shimmering fan of colorful feathers the peacock has."

"Right you are," boasted the proud peacock. "Still, I could give all my tail feathers to be able to sing like the nightingale and love like the dove."

"You're all cackling nonsense," exclaimed a scraggly parrot. "Use your little bird brains. Think! You are what you are. No more. How can you wish to be another bird when you know it's impossible? Be happy you are you!"

Having spoken that, the arrow flew away.

"Fellow feathered friends," cooed the wise owl, "that arrow is the happiest bird of all."

"I'd like to have a car of my own," she sighed, as she held her true love's hand. "And I also want a home of my own."

"But you don't have either," the handsome hero pointed out. "Once you get them both, we can get married."

News Of Our Servicemen

Juan Escamilla is presently the staff of hospital personnel office, 2nd General Hospital, Landstuhl, Germany. His address: E-2 Juan Escamilla, 465 90 9139, U.S.A.G.H. Landstuhl, Box 21, APO New York, N. Y. 09180.

LUBBOCK Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Miller were guests in Lubbock Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holley.

LUBBOCK Mrs. W. D. Holley of Hart, Don Sophier and Mrs. Don were in Lubbock Monday.

LUBBOCK Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Prentice, Carol, Chris and Cathy were in Lubbock Friday.

ST MILLIONS England's King Henry VIII lost millions of dollars at dice.

"How do you like this portrait by one of the old masters?"

"I like it fine. Is it a picture of Alexander Pope?"

"I don't think so. He doesn't even look religious."

Mr. Andrews, an art instructor, became ill suddenly and there was no time to get a substitute teacher, so the principal posted this sign on the class door:

Mr. Andrews will not meet with his classes today. Please report to Study Hall.

One bright lad inked out the C in classes, and everyone laughed. Then, the principal came by and inked out the L.

It is better that things go in one ear and come out the other than it is that they go in one ear, get scrambled between the ears, and come out of the mouth.

COMMENTS: Brenda L. - Thanks alot Pattie.

Marla F. - You have to try real hard, don't you.

Cindy M. - Congratulations! How was Plainview?

Kevin W. - Sorry about Tuesday night, guess I messed up your plans.

Mark G. - If you didn't cut somebody low, it would just kill you.

J. Carol - Don't get so upset, you don't have to worry about next year.

Gale L. - Have a little cement.

J. D. Caudle and Larry Kirk - What was wrong with your boots.

Richard L. - Turkey!

John R. - How's our local grocer??

A special thanks goes out to our cheerleaders. They really did a fine job in raising the spirit in the Morton game.

Well another week has passed, and I think it has been a very bad one. Maybe one of these days all of us can have a good day together. For all you people who are in love, share a beautiful day with somebody.

Until next week, Adios Space GHOST.

RECENT TRIP Guy and Jimmy Cannon recently visited in Mansfield with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Cannon.

TO CALIFORNIA Mr. and Mrs. Tom Witten have just returned from San Bernardino, Calif., where they were guests in the home of her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Smith. Enroute home they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M.J. DeArmand in Las Vegas, Nev. Also in that city they were guests of Mrs. Lillian Newman, former resident of Olton, who promises a spring visit here after 30 years absence.

DURABLE FUR Otter is the most durable of American furs.

Steve Collins On Honor List

Steve Collins, son of Bill Collins, has been named to the Dean's Honor list for the fall semester at Texas Tech University. Announcement of the honor is made by Lawrence L. Graves, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.

A 1968 graduate of Olton High School, Collins attended West Texas State University and completed a tour of duty with the military service before enrolling in Tech as a pre-med major.

HOUSE GUESTS

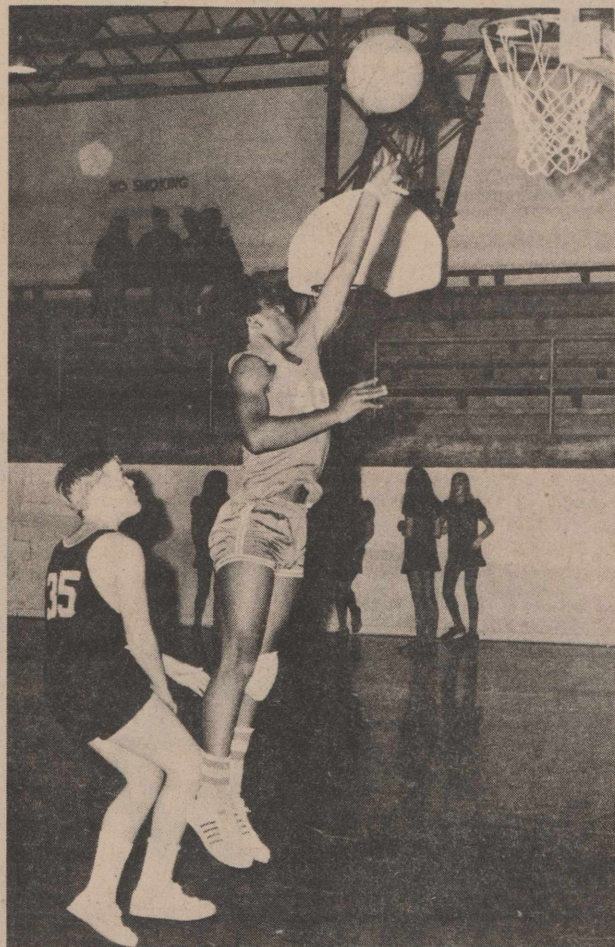
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gibson had as houseguests Friday and Saturday their grandsons, Jerry Bearden and Larry Escobar, both of Pineole, Calif.

HAS SURGERY

Kenneth Limbocker had foot surgery Tuesday of last week at a Plainview hospital. He was released the following day.

HEAVIEST

Mercury is about 13 and one-half times as heavy as water.



FRESHMAN ROUND BALLERS - Morton and Olton met on the courts Monday night.

FUNERAL NOTICES

Mrs. Menez

Last rites were held at 10 a. m. Friday in Trinity Mission for Mrs. Maria Menez, 76.

Officiating was the Rev. Pat Gloria, pastor. Burial was in Olton Cemetery under the direction of Parsons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Menez died Monday in a Plainview convalescent home where she had lived the past nine months.

Survivors include her husband, Frank; a son, Daniel Menez of Gustine and 22 grandchildren.

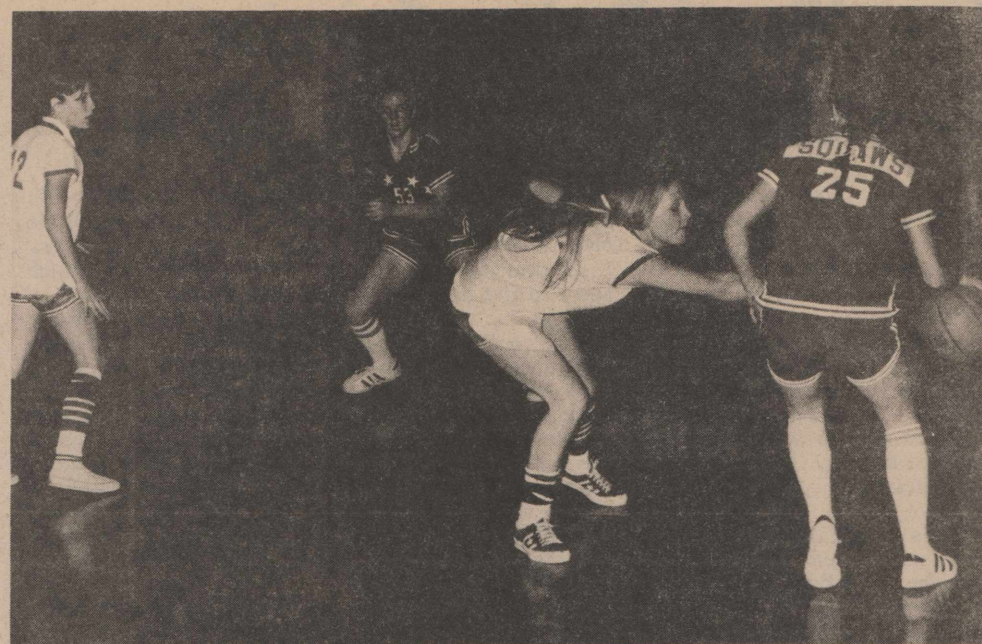
Oscar Stansell

Funeral services for Oscar L. Stansell, 88, were held in Floydada First Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 10. He died in his sleep at his home in Plainview early Tuesday morning.

He was the double cousin and step-brother of the late Tom Stansell.

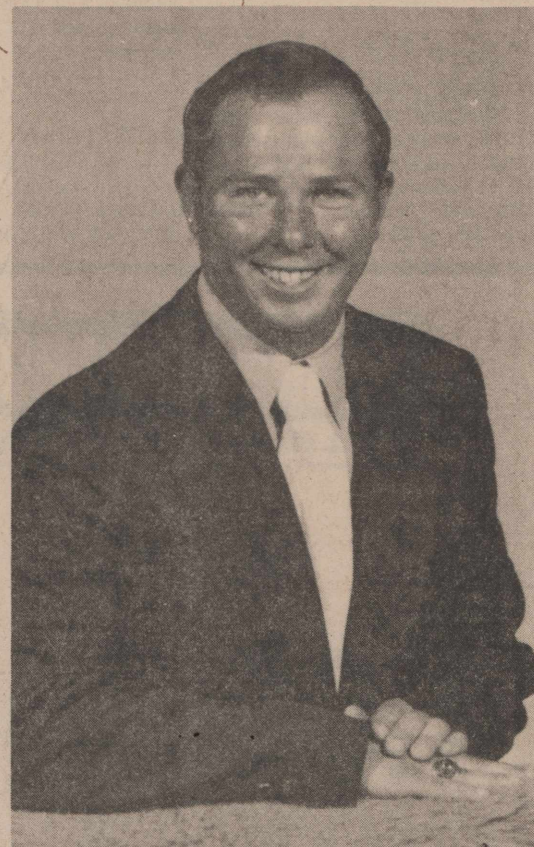
Stansell was born Jan. 11, 1885 in Fannin County and moved in 1917 to the Running Water Community of Hale County. He lived some thirty years in Floydada before moving to Plainview in 1953. He was a member of the Baptist Church, the Masonic Lodge, and a former member of the Hale County Sheriff's Posse.

He is survived by his wife, Frances, of Plainview, two sons, Pat Stansell of Lockney and Jack Stansell of Floydada, one step-daughter, Mrs. F. F. Calhoun of Plainview, one brother, J. C. Stansell of Rockport, eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.



GIVE ME THAT BALL! - An Olton Fillie tries to get the ball from a Friona Squaw as they met on the courts here Tuesday night. Friona girls outplayed Olton 67-34.

WELCOME TO OLTON



ALTON LEE MOORE

Welcome wishes go out this week to Alton Lee Moore, new vocational agriculture instructor at Olton High School. A December graduate of Texas Tech University, he begins his teaching career with classes in ag co-op and third and fourth year vocational agriculture.

Twenty-three years old and single, Moore makes his home at 906 Avenue C. He is a member of the Baptist Church.

Moore is a graduate of Wilson High School and attended South Plains College before enrolling in Tech.

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SALE: Mini Enduro, Call 31 or 2801, Sue Cannon, 1 or 285-2631.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE - 4 bedroom, 3 bath brick home, 1107 W 8th, 6% loan. By appointment only, after 6 p. m. Call 285-2915, Dan Gregory, 35-tfc.

FOR SALE - 1963 Ford car, new paint, new tires, new overhaul, 285-2748, 38-tfc.

FOR SALE - 2 room house with bath. Call 285-2466, 38-tfc.

FOR SALE - Soy Bean hay contact Roy Taack, phone Edmonson 864-3378, 9-tfc.

FOR SALE - House in Olton; 160 acre farm in Lamb County; 640 acre farm in Floyd County, Call D. L. Parkey, 262-4884, 50-tfc.

FOR SALE - Good 26" girls bicycle, new tires, seat, pedals, \$20. Call after 3 p. m. 285-2495, 52-tfc.

FOR SALE - 3 bedroom home, 1020 Main, financing available, 285-2882, 52-tfc.

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FOR SALE - 98 acres, 1 1/4 miles from town, on pavement, good well. Small downpayment, will carry balance. Call 285-2147, Olton, or 817-995-2702, Saint Jo Tex, 50-tfc.

FOR SALE - 2-bottom breaking plow for Ford or Ferguson tractor; also good saddle. See Ben Andrew, Olton, Rt. 1, 52-3tp.

FOR SALE - Nice two bedroom house. Call Ira Foster, 285-2303, 39-tfc.

FOR SALE - 2 bedroom brick home, garage attached, storm cellar, one and one-half blocks north of Baptist Church, 285-2803, 45-tfc.

FOR SALE - New saddles, \$75 - \$95, Contact Harold Mills, 285-2852, 52-

FOR SALE - 4 lots plus strip land northeast side town, Olton, on Hiway 70. See or call Thomas L. Davis, Hart 945-2804 or L. T. Davis 285-2544, Olton, 50-tfc.

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WANT to rent or cash lease land, Call 285-3303, 41-tfc.

TREE TRIMMING, clean-up, brush hauling, Charlie Giles, 285-2542, 45-tfc.

BEAUTY by Mary Kay. For a complimentary facial call Mrs. Charles Lewis, 285-2071, 40-tfc.

CUSTOM FARM WORK, off-setting and deep breaking, Jerry Smoot, 285-2803, 39-tfc.

NEEDED - Land to rent, Call 285-2803, 39-tfc.

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Tiny 'Bug' Defies Science - Medicine Still Seeking Cure

During this cold weather season, many of us will suffer the consequences of a cold, flu or respiratory infection even though we may try to avoid or prevent it.

Since the chances are good to have a bout with the "cold bug" this year, it might behoove each of us to know more about what a cold is and what to do with it when you have it, say state health officials.

What is a cold? The common cold is a name given to any of a number of short-lived infections of the nose and throat. All of them are highly contagious. They have similar symptoms. Sometimes they are called by other names, which simply tell you what part of the upper respiratory tract is particularly affected; rhinitis, affecting the nose; pharyngitis, the throat; or laryngitis, the voice box.

What causes a cold? The Texas State Department of Health points out there are many different viruses which cause a cold. A virus is a disease-producing agent so small that it goes right through the very fine filter that stops bacteria. These cold-causing viruses are present in great numbers in your nose and throat when you have a cold. They are carried on the droplets you expel when talking, coughing or sneezing.

How do you catch a cold? Though a virus causes your cold, a number of conditions seem to increase your susceptibility (science does not yet know why or how.) People appear to

catch colds mainly indoors. They get more of them during the colder months. Fatigue, chilling, and poor physical condition seem to give the virus a better foothold.

What's the course of a cold? From one to three days after the virus takes hold in your body, the symptoms appear. (But other people can catch your cold even before your symptoms appear—one reason why colds are hard to prevent.) The first hint is usually scratchiness in the throat. Within a few hours, your nose gets stuffy and you have vague feelings of discomfort and illness. Usually you start sneezing, too.

Within 48 hours, your cold is in full bloom—eyes teary, nose running, voice husky, breathing obstructed, and your senses of taste and smell dulled. You may feel lethargic and aches. It's common to have a moderate headache, especially at the beginning (but a severe one may be a sign of some complication.) You may also have some fever, although that's unusual in adults.

Once the cold has fully developed, it usually continues at its peak for several days. Then there is a gradual letting up. An uncomplicated cold commonly lasts from seven to fourteen days.

Can a cold be dangerous? In itself, no. But it can open the door to other illnesses. And it's hard to know when the door has opened, because all the viruses that cause the common cold have

not yet been identified. It's very difficult to say where the simple, unperilous cold leaves off and complications, which may be dangerous, begin.

Other—non-cold—viruses may complicate matters by getting in their licks when you are already felled by a cold. Or bacteria—many of which live in your body harmlessly during times of good health—may grow strong when your defenses are down. Or sometimes your body is allergic to the cold virus or the activated bacteria.

Then the severity of the cold symptoms increases, and the inflammation and mucous discharge may spread to other parts of your respiratory system. For some people, these complications may be dangerous.

Can you cure a cold? No, you can't. There is no drug known today that can cure the common cold. Antibiotics, the "wonder drugs," are effective against bacteria, not against ordinary respiratory viruses. Doctors may prescribe these drugs for the complications—the secondary, bacterial infections—but not for the cold itself.

FROM SLATON

Visiting Sunday with Mrs. L. B. Gray and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Adams, were Mrs. Gray's son and grandson, J. E. Gray and Jim of Slaton.



ENTERPRISE PRESENTS - Jenny Bouldin, 14 months old, great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Schaefer. The little miss is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bouldin of Midland. Maternal grandparents are Mrs. Polly Clark of Midland and Don Clark of Lubbock. Mrs. Mary Bouldin of Midland and O. R. Bouldin of Abilene are paternal grandparents.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Pearl Hair has recently returned to Olton from Davidson, Okla. Friday Mrs. Hair went to Lubbock.

TO LAZBUDDIE

Billy Carson was in Lazbuddie Monday with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Carson and Ray.

FROM AUSTIN

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Dial of Austin will be here during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones of Springlake, and with Dial's aunt, Mrs. Florence Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Dial moved to Austin from Lubbock the first of this year. He is with the Water Quality Board and Mrs. Dial is employed as secretary to State Representative Bill Clayton. In Lubbock Dial was employed by Southwestern Electric Supply.

IN SHALLOWATER

Mrs. V. J. Carlisle stayed Saturday night in Shallowater with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bennett.

IN MULESHOE

Mrs. A. D. Adams spent Saturday in Muleshoe with her mother and sister, Mrs. L. B. Gray and Mrs. W. F. Lancaster. Mrs. Gray returned to Olton with Mrs. Adams.

IN TULIA

Mrs. V. J. Carlisle was in Tulia Sunday afternoon with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Carlisle Jr. and Kent.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. George Bohner came home Monday, Jan. 8 from Columbia, Mo. where she was with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Powell, Alan, Steve, Danny and Howard. Prior to her trip to Columbia, Mrs. Bohner was a guest of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Bohner Jr., Stan and James of Denver, Colo.

IN HEREFORD

Mrs. G. E. Brown and Mike visited in Hereford Saturday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Fortenberry, Stephanie, Steve and David.

ACROSS THE COUNTY LINE

MRS. C. D. TANNER
Ph. 889-3820 HALFWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberts were weekend guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Parsons of Amarillo.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Witten and Bill Sunday were Glenn Witten; the Rev. and Mrs. Larry Parks, Sherry and Dawn Marie of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Witten and Holly and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Witten, Melanie and Rex.

The Rev. Larry Parks of Plainview was guest speaker at the Valley View Baptist Church Sunday morning. He was accompanied by his wife and daughters, Sherry and Dawn Marie.

Kregg, Kelli and Kevin Hukill stayed with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest La France, from Thursday through Monday while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hukill, made a trip sponsored by Co-ops to Orlando, Fla. where they toured Cape Kennedy Space Center; visited Walt Disney World; and saw other

places of interest. Others from Olton making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Royce McFadden and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carson, and Pat Agee.

Mrs. Lillian "Doe" Brown moved to Plainview over the weekend.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Jones attended the home wedding of her niece, Miss Terri Wolf of Coahoma, and Pat Agee.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Alexander were Tony Marr on Tuesday and Wednesday enroute to Oklahoma Christian College; Mrs. Jeannie Palmer and son of Quinlan and Mrs. Debbie Barker of Greenville last week; Gavin Marr and Donetta of Quinlan over the weekend and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Alexander Jr., Scott and Kevin of Slaton Sunday. Mrs. Gavin Marr is making an extended visit with her parents.

Bob Price Writes

Immediately upon the convening of the new 93rd Congress today, Congressman Bob Price introduced several bills dealing with a variety of important issues for consideration, including:

* A Constitutional Amendment to permit voluntary prayer in the Nation's classrooms and other public buildings.

* A Constitutional Amendment setting minimum attendance requirements for Members of Congress -- failure to be present and voting on at least 70% of recorded yeas and nays would result in the dismissal from office of a delinquent Congressman.

* A Constitutional Amendment to prohibit deficit spending by the Federal Government except in time of war or national emergency, and to require a retirement of the National Debt over a one hundred year period.

* A bill to abolish the limitation on outside income for social security beneficiaries over the age of 65.

* A bill to provide tax credits for expenditures made in the exploration and development of new reserves of oil and gas in the United States.

* A bill to establish a Coun-

oil and Energy Policy to advise the Congress and the President in the formation and execution of a national energy policy to meet the future needs of the United States.

* A bill to modify the Delaney Amendment to the Federal Food and Drug Act to permit the use of DES in animal feeds when residues from such use may be present in inconsequential and harmless amounts.

* A bill to reestablish Nov. 11th for the annual observance of Veterans Day in the United States.

* A bill to modify the inheritance tax laws applicable to farmers, ranchers, businessmen and other property owners.

"I believe the 93rd Congress has a great challenge ahead -- we have an opportunity to take up the unfinished business of the past and to enact responsible new legislation to meet the pressing needs of the American people. As the Representative of the new 13th Congressional District of Texas, I shall vigorously attempt to promote the views of all of my constituents in the Congress and to seek legislative action in those areas which meet with their needs," Price said.

DAVE LLEWELLY



Costly Loyalty

God once encouraged treason. That event exploded the myth that blind patriotism is one of the Christian virtues. Civil obedience is, but even this should be motivated by submission to God rather than nationalism.

If ever a nation held a spiritual right to be nationalistic it was early Israel. God wrote their constitution and gave them their land. He personally selected leaders and directed them through inspired advisers. No sacred-secular schism existed, for God Himself headed their government.

In theory. In fact, Israel's theocracy acted like our system of checks and balances. God kept the nation from doing wantonly as it willed, and the people kept God from doing wonderfully as He willed. Sometimes the people's independence forced God to check them harshly. The worst came when God permitted Israel to be subjugated and Jerusalem destroyed.

God or Country

On that occasion the prophet Jeremiah told the people, "Thus says the LORD, 'He who stays in this city will die by the sword and by famine and by pestilence, but he who goes out to the Chaldeans will live and have his life as booty and stay alive.' Thus says the LORD, 'This city will certainly be given into the hand of the army of the king of Babylon, and he will capture it.'" (Jeremiah 38:2-3)

To live, desert. Not a message to make patriots cheer.

Spiritual, then Social
The essential Christian message is not socio-political but spiritual -- that God will transform your inner, spiritual life by His Holy Spirit. The primary Christian means of social change is to spread the truth of God's power to change individuals spiritually.

Any committed Christian life, however, also bears explicit social responsibilities to assist the poor, the suffering, the victims of injustice.

The Law required: "For the poor will never cease to be in the land; therefore command you, saying, 'Ye shall freely open your hand to your brother, to your need and poor in your land.'" (Deuteronomy 15:11)

The prophets warned: "For three transgressions of Israel and for four -- I will not revoke its punishment -- Because they sell the righteous for money -- And the need for a pair of sandals. -- They who trample the head of the helpless in the dust -- I turn aside the way of humble." (Amos 2:6-7)

The apostles reasoned: whoever has the world's goods and beholds his brother in need and closes his heart against him, how does he love of God abide in him? (I John 3:17)
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