

Women Ask for Better City Services

A group of 42 women and teen-age students met with the Wellington City Council Monday night, April 19, to request improvement of recreational facilities and youth opportunities in 7 specific fields.

This was the largest delegation of citizens to meet with the council in recent years.

Members of the City Council followed this by taking initial steps toward a joint city-county law enforcement program; approved payment of the salary of a deputy for Sheriff John Rainey on a temporary basis; approved a swimming pool manager; agreed to go into the Green Thumb program to provide work for certain senior citizens; and covered a full agenda of miscellaneous items.

The women's group presented a petition bearing 349 names requesting the specific improvements. Mrs. Earl Lynn Bartlett acted as general spokesman.

Improvement of both the physical facilities and the management of the swimming pool was the major item presented by the women. Mrs. Jeff Wilson requested

that the pool this summer have a qualified manager and life guard, that it be cleaned daily, and that the pool be under observation at all times. She pointed out that the pool be under observation at all times. She pointed out the dissatisfaction of mothers of the city with the pool's operation.

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General 1-inch Rain Halts Drouth's March

First break in the winter-long drouth came during the week end, when from .80 to 1.75 inches of moisture fell over the county, with most sections averaging about one inch.

This came in several showers, starting Saturday, April 17, and continuing through Monday.

More encouraging than the amount received, however, was the general nature of the rain, which ranged from the Oklahoma Panhandle through the South Plains, and from central Oklahoma westward into New Mexico.

Wellington measured .86 inch of moisture in the Weather Bureau rain gauge.

There was enough moisture to bring out grass and some grains, however growers doubt that they will harvest any dry-land wheat. They believe, however, they will get some additional grazing.

The amount of benefit from this moisture will depend on whether high winds follow, it is pointed out.

The heaviest rainfall reported was from southwest of Quail

where P. P. Fielding measured 1.75" at his farm.

An inch or a little more was from throughout Quail.

Rainfall exceeded an inch through the Swearingen and Rolla areas, and at Dodson, in the southeast corner of the county, moisture measured from 1 to 1.50 inches. This amount was general through that section.

North west of Dodson, .60

inch fell at the Tom Birchfield farm. At Shinnery, on the Leo Reeves place, and in the state-line area, moisture again measured an inch.

North of Salt Fork, Lutie store measured .80 inch of rain, while Marvin Knoll, a mile east, estimated .90. He said that the amount fell through much of the northeast quadrant of the county.

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Friday Afternoon

Greenbelt Electric to Hold Annual Meeting

Members of the Greenbelt Electric Co-operative, Inc., will hold their annual meeting Friday, April 23, at 2:00 p.m. in Bura Handley Community Center.

Plans were announced this week by Manager George Henry.

The program format will follow that of other years, combining a business meeting with an entertainment program and the awarding of handsome door prizes.

Approximately 250 to 275 people are expected at the meeting, and of these, between 150 and 200 will be voting delegates.

The guest entertainers this year will be from Hedley High School, Mr. Henry announced. It will be a musical program.

During the business meeting, President A. J. Garland will give the president's report, while Selba Rainey will make the report of the secretary-treasurer, and Mr. Henry the manager's report.

Two directors will be elected. Candidates from District 2 are J. B. Downs and Kenneth Kromer, the incumbent, both of Route 1, Vinson. From District 5, candidates are Kenneth Mathews, the incumbent of Route 2, Claude, and Dyer Bonfield, Route 1, Claude.

Members of the nominating committee were Donald Detten and R. L. Sherrill.

Three times during the meeting door prizes will be awarded, and this year's prizes include a portable television, blender, drill, electric saw, ice cream freezer, make-up mirrors, lamps and an iron.

Greenbelt Electric Co-operative, Inc., covers an area that extends west through Armstrong County and east into Harmon County. From the northern part of Childress county it extends upward to the edge of Roberts and Hemphill counties.

TSTI Official to Speak at Norwood PTA

Dr. J. N. Baker, vice-president and general manager of the Mid-Continent Campus of Texas State Technical Institute, Amarillo, will be the guest speaker at the Samnorwood Parent-Teacher Association Monday, April 26.

The meeting will be in the foyer of the gymnasium and begin at 7:30 p.m.

Dr. Baker is due to explain the operation of TSTI and to point out the opportunities it offers young people, as well as the broad scope of its curriculum.

All members are urged to attend.

Double Header

Jaycees Set Benefit Game Friday Night

Wellington Jaycees are sponsoring a benefit basketball game Friday, April 23, which will feature the County All-Stars against the KGNC-TV Four-Flushers, President Jesse Hernandez has announced.

The second game of the double header will be a meeting of the Wellington and Samnorwood former high school girls stars, most of them members of district winning teams.

Play will be in the Wellington High School gymnasium, and game time will be 7:00 p.m.

Proceeds will go to Jaycee projects, Mr. Hernandez said. Glenn Warrick is coaching the All-Stars, who include Bruce Ward and Don Morris, formerly of the Quail Quails, Kent Clark and Lanny Ford of the Wellington Skyrockets, Hernandez from the Dodson Mustangs, Doug Seal of the

Childress Bobcats, and Joe Henard and Warrick, also from the Rockets.

The Four Flushers have appeared in benefit games through out the Panhandle this winter.

Betsy Trapp Lindsey is coaching the Wellington girls. Other players will include Vickie Black, Elaine White, Martha Morris, Mary Lou Souder, Zenith Warrick, Helen Gollighugh, Cheryl Brown, and Jolene Groves.

Samnorwood girls players will include Boneva Myers, Lavonne Bentley, Beth Sanderson, Jackie Sanderson, Odesa Stice, Sue Maxwell, Melva Hernandez, and Aletha Thompson.

Mr. Hernandez pointed out that all teams may add more players before game-time.

There will be a small admission charge.



KWAHADI INDIAN DANCERS

The Kwahadi Indian Dancers, members of Explorer Scout Post 80, Amarillo, presented their colorful program of authentic Indian dances in equally authentic costumes for 375 guests of John Holton at his annual barbecue Thursday, April 15. In the dance at top, they pay

tribute to the American Flag, which is as much the flag of the Indian as it is of his white brother. Below, left, a young Kwahadi does the Eagle Dance, and at right, the elaborate headdress identifies an Aztec dancer.

Deposits Up \$700,000

More Than 2,000 Attend Open House at WSB Building

More than 2,000 friends of The Wellington State Bank called during the Open House Saturday, April 17, and on Monday, that institution opened for business in its new home.

Members of the banking fraternity visited the new bank on Sunday, coming from as far as Kansas City, Missouri, Dallas, Fort Worth, Oklahoma City, Lubbock, Amarillo, and Clayton, New Mexico.

Joining them were bankers from throughout the Panhandle and North Texas.

It was highly significant that the first day's operation in the new building saw deposits of \$893,000 which represented a net operating gain approximately \$700,000, President C. T. Hubbard announced.

Also on the opening day, 51 customers used the drive-in facilities, the first ever available in Wellington. Mr. Hubbard announced that Mrs. Pauline Estes has been appointed drive-in teller.

The first organization to meet in the bank's Heritage Room was the Belles Lettres Club. A number of other reservations have been made for its use.

Of much interest was the awarding of the prizes given away. Winners were: David Null, console color

TV; Fleet Pruden, stainless service for 8; Mrs. Loyd Langford of Memphis, coin face clock; Mrs. Earl Keller, electric skillet; Mrs. Jimmie Strickland McConnell of Pampa, table model color TV; Mrs. Hurshel Tyler, stainless service for 8; Debbie Neeley, coin faced clock; Mrs. Roland Mayhugh, table model color TV; Omer Neeley of Hale Center, stainless service

for 8; Mrs. J. B. Downs of Vinson, coffee maker; and Mrs. J. L. Langley, \$25 bond. The center of much interest among both children and adults, was the exhibit of paper currency, dating back to colonial days.

But it was the people of this area who made the Open House a success, declared Mr. Hubbard.

April 29

School Bands Give Annual Pops Concert

The annual Pops Concert of the Wellington School Bands will be presented Thursday, April 29, at 8:00 p.m. in Bura Handley Community Center.

Phil Phyllaier, director, said this eleventh annual concert will follow closely in format those of other years.

The three bands will be presented, Elementary, Junior High and That Skyrocket Band. They will present a program

of music, difficult for each of the levels, and varying in the type of music to be presented.

At one intermission, a cake auction will be held.

Two highlights will be the presentation of two major band awards, the Arion Award for outstanding music achievement, and That Skyrocket Bandsman Award.

The Arion Award is given

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Borchardt Heads Range Work in SCS Office

Wayne Borchardt has begun his duties as range conservationist with the Wellington office of Soil Conservation Service.

He succeeds Claude Roper, who transferred to the Farmers Home Administration at Kerrville.

Gary Reed, unit conservationist, said that Borchardt comes here from Goldthwaite SCS, where he had similar duties, and he also worked in that office two summers while attending Texas Tech. His first assignment with SCS was at Abilene during the first half of 1970.

He was reared at Lometa, near Lampasas, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Borchardt are ranchers. He graduated from Plainview High School.

He received the BS degree in range management from Texas Tech, where he was a member of the Range Wildlife Society, collegiate chapter.

Quail Board Names Faculty for 1971-72

Quail School Board members reorganized Tuesday evening, April 13, then re-elected teachers for the 1971-72 school year.

Carl Wischkaemper was re-elected president of the board; Roy Canada, vice-president; and Loyd Langley, secretary.

The contract of Supt. James Stavenhagen was extended two years at an earlier board meeting, and that of Mrs. Isla Mae Morris one year.

Teachers elected Tuesday were Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, math and librarian; Billy Wilson, coach; John Masten, English and Spanish; Mrs. Fay Thompson, fifth and sixth grades; Mrs. Sue Pride, third and fourth grades; Mrs. Evelyn Lowe, first and second; Mrs. E. P. Haynie, teacher's aide; Doyle Messer, vocational agriculture; and Mrs. Sue Shields, vocational home economics.

Mrs. Eunice Ratliff, science instructor, chose to retire this year. Mr. Stavenhagen said. She has maintained her home at Hollis during the years she has taught at Quail.

A science teacher will be hired later.

In other business, the school board voted to let the seniors take an overnight senior trip to a place of their choice.

Rev. R.T. Dyess "Doing Fine"

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Courtney visited the Rev. R. T. Dyess in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, Saturday, April 17, and report he is doing fine. Rev. Dyess underwent surgery involving an artery on the outside of the heart, Mrs. Courtney said.

Lubbock Saturday

WHS Sends 21 to UIL Regional Meet

Twenty-one Wellington High School students will participate in the University Interscholastic League regional contests at Lubbock Saturday, April 24. This is the largest number Wellington has sent to the regional level in recent years.

A majority will make up the cast of the one-act play, "Once Upon a Playground." The Wellington play will be the fourth presented in the Saturday afternoon session, and Principal E. W. Clement said it probably will begin between 4:30 and 5:00 p.m. in the University Theatre on the Texas Tech campus. An audience is permitted.

The cast includes Betsy Casleberry, Barbara Wilbur, Beth Peters, Barry Farris, Sandra McGill, Brad Kopp, Doris Simpson, Debbie Neeley, Phyllis Thomas, Denise Mitchell, along with the stage crew: Carlos Hatch, Sammy Coffee and Jerry Lewis.

Others in regional competition are Persuasive speaking: Ted McLain and Susan Peters, who compete Saturday at 9:00 a.m.; ready writing: Bobby Saied and Kathy Scott, who compete

P&WD biologist, will be at the hearing also.

at 10:00 a.m.; typing: Joy Jesse, competing at 9:00 a.m. and shorthand: Becky Burba and Carey Lewis, whose contest is at 10:30 a.m.

Linda Orr will be an alternate in the informative speaking contest.

Faculty sponsors are Mrs. Bob McAlister, one-act play and speaking events, and Mrs. Raymond Hodges, commercial events.

Storm Warning Two Long Blasts From Siren

Wellington residents will be warned of approaching storms again this year through signals from the Fire Department.

The signal will be two long blasts of the siren located at City Hall and its auxiliary in the south part of town, Chief Jim Sikes said.

This will notify of the possibility of a tornado approaching and that all residents should remain alert and ready to take shelter if necessary, he pointed out.

The department will not blow an all-clear signal.

Storm watches are posted by the Sheriff's Department and Highway Patrol when weather conditions call for this.

If electric power goes off before a warning can be sound ed, the Fire Department emergency equipment will be used to sound the warning.

Stolen Pickup Recovered

Sheriff John Rainey reported the recovery of a stolen 1964 pickup at the corner of Third and Belton Streets, Thursday night, April 15.

The vehicle was taken in Shamrock the preceding night, he said.

Shamrock law enforcement officers came for it Friday afternoon.

Eye Bank Candidate

Lions Participate in District Convention

Members of Collingsworth County's three Lions Clubs will participate in the District 27-1 annual convention in Borger Thursday through Saturday, April 22 through 24.

Dee Coleman of the Wellington Club will be the convention chairman.

Robert Dwight of the Samnorwood Club will give the response to the welcome by the mayor of Borger.

W. R. Breeding, also of the Norwood Club, is a candidate for director of the High Plains Eye District.

A life-member of the Hi-Plains Eye Bank since 1964, Mr. Breeding is a charter Boss Lion of the Norwood Club and has served as zone chairman, deputy district governor, and has attended 11 district and four international conventions. This Lion has 10 years of perfect attendance.

The Hi-Plains Eye Bank serves as the clearing house for eye donors and those needing cornea transplants, as well as serving other capacities in the Panhandle. Jim Thompson of McLean Lions is president of the board of directors this year. Sweethearts of the three

clubs will compete with others for the honor of District 27-1 Sweetheart. They are Leigh Nell of Wellington, Brenda Childers of Quail, and Mary Schaub of Samnorwood.

Voting delegates from the county clubs will be: Wellington: Chester White and Kyle Lindley, delegates; Horace Moore, alternate; Quail: N. E. Childers, Lovd Lanolev and John Masten, delegates; and Samnorwood: Rudie Tate, John Thomas and Mr. Dwight, delegates.

Five members of the Wel-

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Wolf Loses Motor Battery

John Wolf has reported the loss of a battery and alternator off an irrigation motor, Sheriff John Rainey reported Friday, April 16.

The equipment was located on the farm of Mrs. Bill Wolf at Loco. Deputy Sheriff Alvin Minatrea investigated.

April 27

Gas Price Meeting Called at Norwood

A meeting of mineral, royalty, and leasehold owners and oil and gas operators, has been called at Samnorwood High School Tuesday, April 27, at 7:30 p.m.

This meeting relates to higher price for gas at the wellhead, and there will be a discussion of recent rulings by the Federal Power Commission, and hearings of the Texas Railroad Commission on May 4 which

might make this possible.

Other meetings in the area will be:

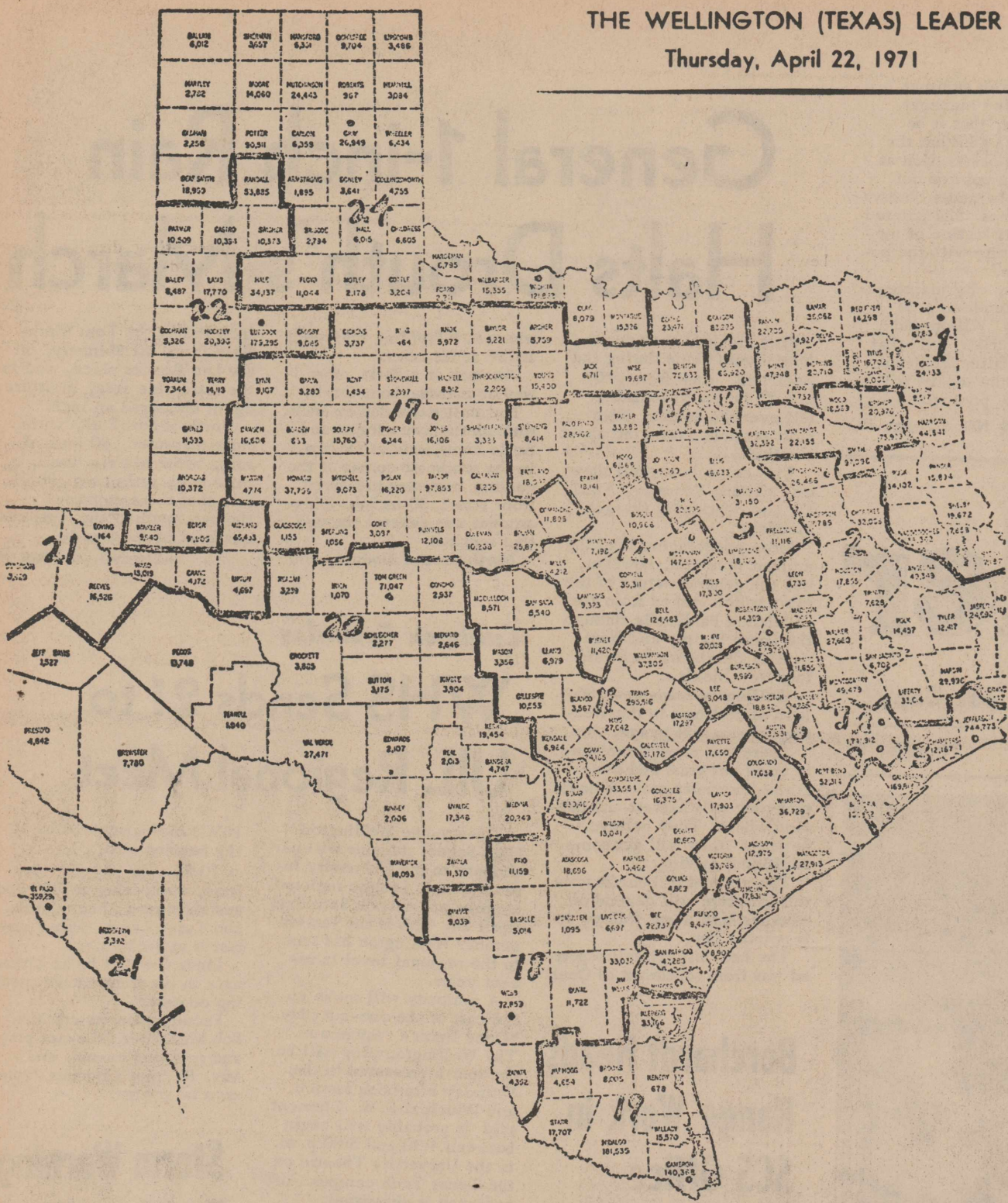
Lela School, Thursday, April 22, 7:00 p.m.

Shamrock High School, Friday, April 23, 7:30 p.m.

Pampa, Coronado Inn, Wednesday, January 28, 7:30 p.m.

McLean High School, Thursday, April 29, 7:30 p.m.

All persons interested in the price of gas are urged to attend.



This drawing of proposed Texas Congressional districts was provided by the office of State Rep. Delwin Jones of Lubbock, chairman of the legislative redistricting committee. Under the plan the present 18th (Panhandle) District would be divided, with part going into a new 22nd District including parts of the present 19th District, and part going into a new 24th District which would include parts of the present 13th District.

LARGEST STATION

Ireland's largest water-powered generating station in Ardnacrusha, which currently produces about 411 million units of electric power a year.

NO RECESSES?

In Shakespeare's day, school hours were from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. during the summer and from daybreak to dusk in winter.

EARLY OIL BUSINESS

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PREFERRED JADE

Chinese gold rush workers gathered jade at the diggings and shipped it to China, leaving the gold for the Americans.

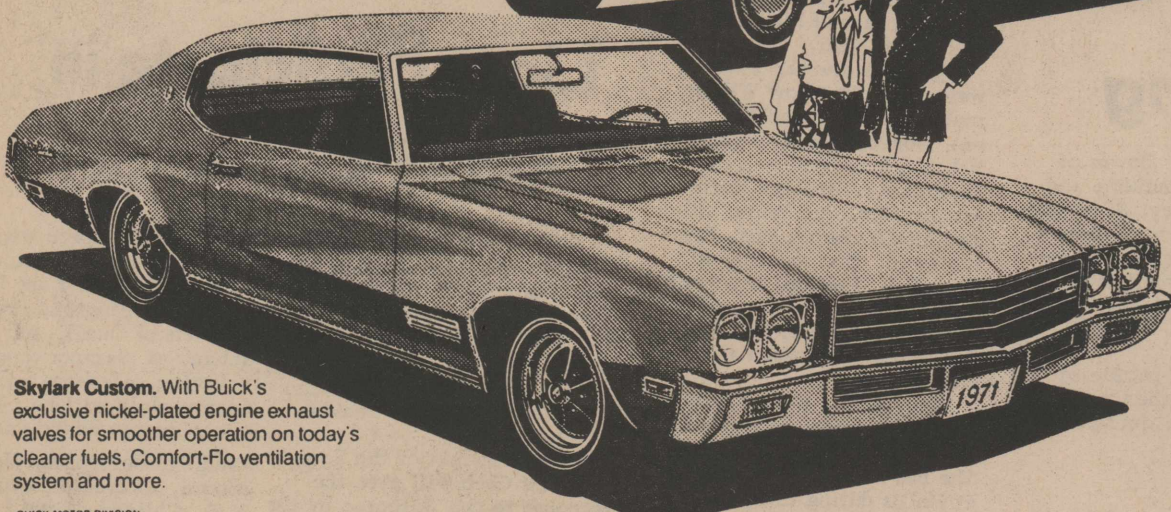
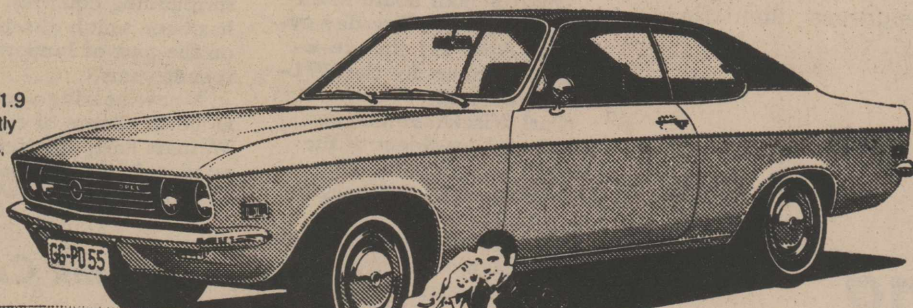
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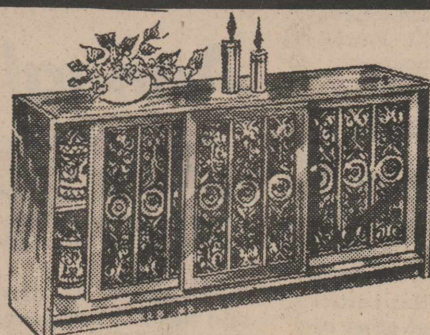
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Port City of Emden Interesting New Home of Frau Schmidt

A former Wellington girl, Frau Adolf O. Schmidt, now makes her home in Emden, Germany, where her husband is president of Wilhelm Bley Grain and Elevators and Warehouses.

The couple and their baby son moved from Houston to Emden early this year and The Wellington Leader has invited her to write something of her new home.

Frau Schmidt is the former Frances Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hill and sister of Creed Hill.

Here she tells of Emden: Emden, a port city on the North Sea, is not well known by most Americans, as it is off the usual tourist path. Located near the Dutch border, Emden dates back to the Middle Ages and has a rich and interesting history. The old wall, built originally for protection, still surrounds the city and is a beautiful scenic path well used by the townspeople today.

The large windmills stand at various points of the wall, and the canals running through the city and the country are vital arteries of the modern economic life.

The importance of Emden has continuously fluctuated throughout its history, from being one of the richest cities of Europe to being an antiquated town. For a time near Emden was the home port of many sea pirates who "stole from the rich to give to the poor," and the church stands today where Stortebeker kept his many treasures.

During the 16th century, Emden had a larger fleet of ships than all of England, and in the excellent museum here, one may view the coats of armor, artillery and famous documents of that era. In several other decades Emden was a base of naval power and an industrial port.

Then came World War II, when the English completely destroyed the town of Emden in retaliation of the Germans bombing Coventry. The people worked together to rebuild their houses from the remaining bricks and also replaced

the Rathaus (town hall) in the same style and location as the old one.

Today Emden is one of the most important shipping and shipbuilding centers of Europe. Most of the Volkswagens to be exported are made in and shipped from Emden. Other important cargo handled in Emden's harbor for all of Germany consists of iron ore, coal, sugar, grain, and oil.

Today, the traditions and customs of the people are much like those of their neighbors in Holland. Close friends and relatives speak "platt deutsch", which is an unusual combination of English, German, and Dutch. For an American who knows only English and German, it is very difficult to understand but easier to read than German.

Other than in these close circles, the people speak a distinct high German, which is easy to understand.

This area is called Ostfriesland (East Frisia) and the people are very proud of their furniture, jewelry, and silverware made in the "Ostfriesische Art." Birthdays are always special occasions when the person invites all of his friends and relatives for Ostfriesian tea and cake.

However, no special day is required for the people to drink this delicious hot beverage made from a blend of tea with one large crystal of sugar and some rich cream. Many afternoons we meet with friends for tea and those delectable German pastries, apple streudel or strawberry cake with lost of whipped cream. The best description of this is "mmm good!" Everyone must drink at least three cups, and they say that if an Ostfriesian doesn't like his tea any more, he must be gravely ill.

Being accustomed to driving everywhere in the car, an American first notices that most people walk or ride bicycles. The women do all their shopping on foot and take their children and/or babies along in carriages with

a warm feather cover. It is not at all unusual to see very elderly women pass by on bicycles or motorcycles. The children are always playing outside even though an icy north wind blows without ceasing.

In the winter, when the canals are all frozen, the children (and adults) ice skate. One can skate all through the city, and could even skate from here to Holland.

For summer recreation, the people turn to sailing and rowing as their favorite sports or else take the ferry to the beaches on one of the beautiful resort islands located off the coast here.

All in all, Emden is an interesting place to live, where people, even though very formal, are also extremely nice and friendly.

First Baptist Church Honors Tom Wilkins

The congregation of the First Baptist Church honored Tom Wilkins with an appreciation get-together Wednesday evening, April 14, after prayer meeting.

Mr. Wilkins has served as church music director for several years, and he will continue in this capacity until a professional music and youth worker can be called.

Rev. Roy Collins was master of ceremonies. Gifts were presented from various Sunday School classes and a love offering of money from a number of individuals in the church.

The event was a complete surprise to Mr. Wilkins. Pie and coffee were served in the fellowship hall.

Texas feedlots with capacities of 1,000 head or more held 97% of the cattle on feed in February.

CROSSROADS REPORT

I see where numerous employees of FCC and the Equal Employment authority have got a plan to promote equality in hiring women folks.

They want American Telephone and Telegraph to hire men for half of its switch board jobs and women for half of its pole-climbing outdoor crews.

And when the high minded good-doers have finally reached their righteous goal of Equality in the sex area, we can assume that half of the country's mothers will be men and half of it's fathers will be women.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, USA

BEAVER WARNING

The beaver, when frightened or disturbed, strikes the surface of the water a resounding slap with its broad flat tail. Every beaver within hearing distance disappears as if by magic.

High School Honor Roll Includes 48

Forty eight boys and girls were listed on the Wellington High School honor roll for the fifth six weeks period, according to E. W. Clement, principal.

Seven of these were on the A honor roll, denoting they made A on all subjects.

The list includes: A honor roll: Denise Mitchell, Kathy Scott, Jennifer Bouchelle, Louis Gonzales, Joey Manuel, Juliana Baumgardner and Dickie Johnson.

A and B honor roll: Becky Burba, Tom Campbell, Linda Orr, Brad Kopp, Beth Peters, Susan Peters, Cathy Singley, Barbara Wilbur, Jane Campbell, Bill Henard, Zanna Jenkins, Leigh Nall, Rose Mary Popwell, Kathryn Scott,

Ann Smith, Connie Bearden, Joy Jesse, Earl Hartman, Steve Hunter, Barry Long, Nancy Pendergraft, Mike Peterson, Sue Wolf.

Gertrude Aguirre, Dean Baker, Dian Brooks, Keith Davis, Randall Hodges, Gwen Lewis, Kathy Mamel, Lennie Morgan, Andrea Lowe, Tina Nunnelle, Cheryl Spillman, Phyllis Sullivan, Paula Howard, Brent Wade, Genarrah Welch, and Ken Maxwell.

B honor roll: Linda Belew and Denny Carter.

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Financial Facts

By Jeff Wilson.



ORIGIN OF THE PAWN-BROKER'S SYMBOL

Do you know the origin of the pawnbroker's three brass balls? Originally it was the traditional emblem of the Medici family.

The name Medici is derived from the art of medicine. The early members of the Medici family were physicians. A pill was their trademark.

In Medieval times pills were gilded to appeal to the rich. The Medicis adopted three gold pills as their coat of arms.

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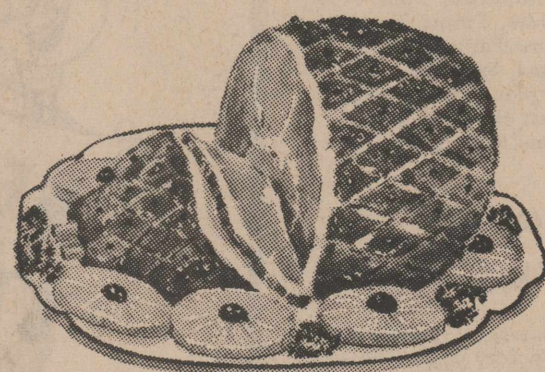
The City Council would like to ask the co-operation of the citizens of Wellington in taking care of the City Park.

We specifically ask the people not to tear up the tennis and volley ball nets or in any way damage the park. We would also like to request the same type of co-operation in taking care of the swimming when it is opened to the public later in the year. Horseback riders are warned not to ride their horses in the park as this practice has caused con-

damage in the past. The City Council has also received complaints of shooting air guns in the City limits. This is against the law and those who commit such an act will be prosecuted.

City of Wellington

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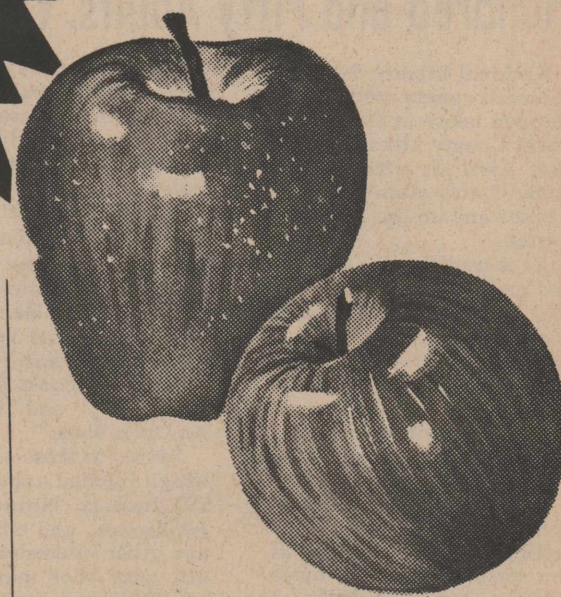
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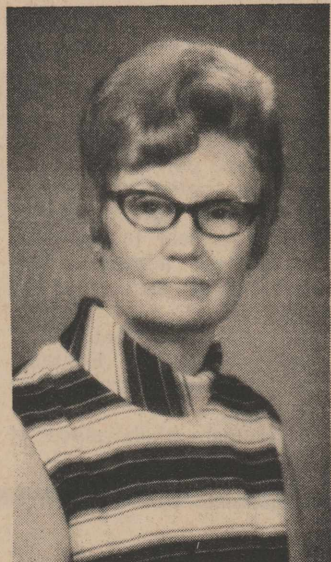
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Society News

West Texas Utilities Company Honors Ina Brown for Long Service

Early this year Mrs. Ina Brown joined the Quarter Century Club of West Texas Utilities Company, indicating that period of employment with the company. She was one of six honored by the company and was presented a diamond-set quarter century pin.

Mrs. Brown, Ina to most people she serves, began her tenure early in 1946, when she was employed as a cashier-bookkeeper by the late Cameron Beam. All of her service has been in Wellington, and she has served under four other managers, Morris Sullivan, Denver Powell, Paul Hawkins, and presently, Don Welsh.



Mrs. Ina Brown

Musicians Study Quartet Singing

The April 15 meeting of Wellington Music Club met in the home of Mrs. Dan Henard, Jr., with Mrs. D. C. Lacy as co-host.

"Quartet Singing - A Gem of Music" had as its commentator and director Mrs. Don Van Pelt. After explaining the varied tone sequences of four-part singing, Mrs. Van Pelt cited classic examples of each. She then presented her audience with copies for group singing. Some songs were done in two or three types of harmony, illustrating examples of arrangements of Nashville sound, Hill Billy, western, soul sound, barber-shop (beauty-shop versions).

Some of these with group participation were "In the Evening by the Moonlight," "Jambalaya," "Tennessee Waltz," "Hey Good Lookin'," "Daddy's Little Girl," "In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree." Mrs. Henard was at the piano.

During the business meeting, with Mrs. Henard presiding, the group speculated on the possible Academy Award presentations for best musical score and song of the year.

Special guest artist was Valerie Van Pelt who presented MacDowell's "To a Wild Rose" at the piano.

Refreshments were served from a candle-light table to Mrs. Hiram Cudd, Mrs. B. M. Sims, Mrs. A. J. Peters, Mrs. Elaine White, Miss Van Pelt, Mrs. Van Pelt, and Mrs. Henard.

Shower Honors Mrs. Oswalt

Mrs. Barbara Williamson and her daughter, Miss Vikki Saunders, were hostesses Saturday afternoon, April 17, at a stork shower and tea honoring Mrs. Larry Oswalt of near Vernon.

The event was held in the Williamson home.

After guests had viewed the gift displays, they were served from a table laid with a white linen cloth and appointed in milk glass. The centerpiece was of yellow tulips, around a tiny yellow bear cub. Miss Saunders poured.

Approximately 25 friends called during the entertaining hours.

Library Week Celebration Draws Hundred and Fifty Adults, Children

National Library Week was observed county-wide with an open house at Collingsworth County Library on Thursday, April 15, with the 1924 Study Club's membership as sponsor and on the host committee.

As is traditional, the second grade students from Dodson, Quail, Samnorwood, and Wellington were invited. Special guests were the students from the Community Action Center. This annual event serves as a guided introduction to the library for the second graders.

Animation is given the contents of books by a storytelling session. Directors of this session were Mrs. Byron Duncan, Mrs. Les White, Mrs. Charley Hill, Mrs. Don Van Pelt.

An orientation tour of the courthouse was given each group by County Judge Zook Thomas and his secretary, Mrs. Kenyard Potett.

Who's New in the Wellington Area

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Miller of Canyon are the parents of a daughter, Traci Michele, born April 14 and weighing nine pounds and three ounces. She is the first granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller of Canyon, formerly of Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Don A. Welch are the parents of a son, Matthew Donald, born at Hall County Hospital in Memphis on his mother's birthday, April 15. He weighed eight pounds and eight ounces.

Lena Florence Hall and Pampa Man Plan Wedding Ceremony June 4

Mr. and Mrs. Jay V. Emmert of Wellington announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lena Florence Hall, to William E. Jackson, Jr., of Pampa, son of Mrs. William E. Jackson, Sr., North Ferisburg, Vermont.

Wedding vows will be pledged June 4 in Trinity Methodist Church, Wellington.

Miss Hall will be a 1971 graduate of Wellington High School. She is employed with the Wellington-Collingsworth County Community Action Center.

Her fiancé, a resident of 333 North Faulkner, Pampa, is employed by General Supply Company in that city.



Lena Florence Hall

B&PW, Guests, Hear Mrs. Bartlett in Book Review Tuesday Evening

Mrs. Earl Lynn Bartlett, reviewing "Charmers and Cranks" by Isabel Ross, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Wellington Business and Professional Women's Club Tuesday evening, April 13.

This was an inter-club meeting, with guests attending from Childress B&PW.

"This book concerns twelve famous American women who defied the conventions of their times," Mrs. Bartlett said.

"These were extraordinary women and each was an extremist of one sort or another: about love, art, temperance, religion, power, fame or money. Each of them possessed a certain wild drive, defied, dazzled or bedeviled the society of her day. Their lives were extremely colorful and are examined by the author who presents them in all their glory, tarnished or otherwise."

Mrs. Bartlett chose four of the twelve to discuss for B & PW:

Hetty Green, the "Witch of Wall Street," America's leading woman financier and a legendary miser.

Carrie Nation, who with hatchet in one hand and a Bible in the other, was the scourge of saloons.

Nellie Bly, stunt girl reporter, circled the globe in 72 days. Everything she did was in first person, and she made an emotional play that has not been duplicated in her field.

Madame Jumel, a prostitute's daughter, became the favorite at the French court, a belle at Saratoga, and married Aaron Burr in his last years.

Mrs. Dudley Phipps was program chairman and Mrs. Zook Thomas co-chairman while Mrs. Rufus Sweat, vice-president, officiated at the meeting.

An Easter motif was used in table decorations.

Members of the chorus sang "Four Leaf Clover" and "Ain't She Sweet."

Guests were Bea Robinson,

Mamie Green and Ann Carter of Childress and Sylvia McQueary Richie of Ft. Worth.

Members present were Mrs. Pearl Aaron, Mrs. Charles Darter, Mrs. Truman Estes, Mrs. Bura Handley, Mrs. Drury Lacy, Mrs. Jack Lowry, Mrs. A. A. McQueary, Mrs. Tommie Murdock, Mrs. V. K. Orr, Jr., Mrs. Emma Tate, Mrs. Wayne Parker, Mrs. Dan Henard, Sr., Mrs. Loren Thompson, Mrs. Sweat, Mrs. Ernest Harwell, Mrs. Phipps, and Mrs. Thomas.

Nazarene NWMS Elects

The Nazarene World Missionary Society of the Wellington Church of the Nazarene met Wednesday, April 14, for the regular monthly meeting, also the annual meeting to elect officers for the coming Assembly year.

Singing was led by Mrs. Frank Falk with Mrs. Philip Daniels at the piano. Mrs. Leslie Moore led the prayer, and Mrs. Fred Yarbrough gave the treasurer's report.

Rev. Daniels conducted the election of officers.

Mrs. Clyde Emmert was re-elected president; Mrs. Yarbrough, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Robert Posey, box work; Mrs. Joe Harris, secretary of study; Mrs. Eva Cornelius, prayer and fasting; Mrs. Earl Yarbrough, other sheep secretary; Mrs. Rosalie Roberson, reading; and Mrs. Frank Falk, reporter.

Delegates to the annual convention at First Church of the Nazarene in Lubbock May 18 are Mrs. Daniels and Mrs. Roberson.

Those attended were: Mrs. Emmert, Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Falk, Mrs. Lebron Goswick, Mrs. Fred Yarbrough, Mrs. Posey, Mrs. Earl Yarbrough, Mrs. Oral Bishop, Mrs. Julia Emmert, Mrs. Cornelius, Miss Eva Bishop, and the Rev. and Mrs. Daniels.

Dodson NWMS Elects Officers

The Dodson Nazarene Women's Missionary Society held the final meeting of the Church Assembly year Tuesday, April 13, at 2:00 p. m. in a meeting at the church.

Mrs. Roy Tisdale was hostess and Mrs. Bill Holder, president directed the business session, giving emphasis for the month on "Book Readers."

Mrs. F. L. White gave the devotional, while Mrs. Sherill Bealand and Mrs. Tisdale presented the program, "New Patterns of Evangelism." This concluded the year's study, "Christ in the Caribbean."

Prayers were by Mrs. Daro Camp, Mrs. C. F. Owens, and Mrs. Oscar Lewis.

After officers had given their reports for the year, the Rev. Howard Smith, pastor, held the annual election of officers.

Mrs. Holder was re-elected president; Mrs. Oscar Lewis vice president and reading chairman; Mrs. Tisdale, re-elected secretary and treasurer;

Mrs. Beanland, study chairman, Mrs. Walter Camp assistant study chairman; Mrs. B. T. Webb, publicity; Mrs. G. M. Lewis, prayer and fasting; Mrs. Claude Lewis, Mrs. Owens, and Mrs. Fletcher White, box work; and Mrs. White, membership chairman.

Mrs. Howard Smith was elected junior president and Mrs. Camp assistant. Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Oscar Lewis, and Mrs. Tisdale were elected delegates to the Church Assembly, which will be held May 17 through 20 at First Church of the Nazarene in Lubbock.

Refreshments were served in the fellowship hall to 14 members and two visitors.

The next meeting will be held May 25, with a luncheon at 1:00 p. m. in the fellowship hall of the church.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. S. L. Lindsey were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lindsey of Odessa; a daughter, Mrs. Dortha Coleman and a guest, Louise Young of Amarillo. They visited also with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lindsey.

Abra HDC Studies Blender

Mrs. Ed Brown was hostess to members of the Abra Home Demonstration Club Friday, April 16.

After a short business session, conducted by the president, Mrs. W. R. Breeding, Mrs. Leta Hill, home demonstration agent gave an amusing skit portraying various type of club women by the clever use of hats and dialogue.

A blender demonstration was also part of the afternoon program.

Mrs. Brown served the refreshments to two guests, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Edna Bradley, and to these members, Mrs. Breeding, Mrs. Cordie Bodine, Mrs. W. M. Laycock, Mrs. Pat Bradley, Mrs. Guss Gooch, and Mrs. Wood Coleman.

JFF Hosts 42 Party

Mrs. Don Jones and Mrs. R. T. Savage were hostesses when the JFF Club members entertained their husbands with a 42 party Thursday evening, April 15. The event was held in Bura Handley Community Center.

Winning high score were Mr. and Mrs. Jones. Winners of low score were Mrs. Howard Holton and Jake Leach.

The refreshment table was centered with an arrangement of iris and tulips. Sandwiches, pie and coffee were served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mabery, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Leach, Mr. and Mrs. James Masten, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holton, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Morgan, Mrs. Lloyd Woolridge, Alton Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Savage and Mr. and Mrs. Jones.



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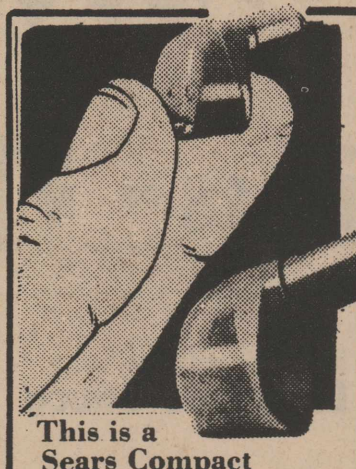
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BARBARA ANN WILBUR

Named an Outstanding Student in algebra in 1968-69, Barbara Ann Wilbur has participated in many school activities. She was historian and first vice president of the Future Homemakers of America and a member of Beta Club, Future Teachers of America and Junior Hospital Auxiliary. She was in the one act plays, senior play, children's play and the UIL award winning contest play. She took part in the UIL contests. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wilbur, who live south of town, Barbara was born February 7, 1953, in Dallas. She attended Case View School several years before coming to Wellington. Barbara's hobby is reading. She plans to attend Dallas Bible College.

LINDA LOUISE ORR

Linda Louise Orr knows how to talk when it counts. This year she won school and Zone honors in the American Legion Oratory Contest, and a few weeks later she was a district University Interscholastic League speech winner. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Orr, Jr., she was born in St. Joseph's Hospital November 19, 1952 and attended only Wellington Schools. A member of Skyrocket Youth Conference, she was a delegate to the Texas Youth Conference and a delegate to the State Beta Convention. Linda was treasurer of Beta Club and a member of Future Teachers of America and Future Homemakers of America. She played in the All Region Band two years and the UIL Sweepstakes Band two. This year she was a twirler. Interested in dramatics, she was in the junior and senior plays and the children's play. Outside of school, she was vice president of Hospital Junior Auxiliary and historian of Ko Shari. Speech and shorthand are her favorite studies and sewing her hobby. Linda will attend West Texas State University.

TIM CATES

Music and FFA combined to bring Tim Cates recognition, for he was a member of the team that won first in the Greenbelt District FFA talent contest and second in the Area I Talent Contest. Tim is the son of Mrs. Velma Cates, 906 Graham Street. He was born at Wellington February 24, 1952, and has attended only the Wellington schools. He was a member of FFA four years and participated in the children's play, junior and senior plays. Government and vocational agriculture were his favorite subjects. He lists hobbies as playing the guitar and playing pool. Tim says he will either go to a trade school or into the Army.

JOHN PENDERGRAFT

John Pendergraft, an outstanding ag student, was high individual in one of the Greenbelt district FFA plant judging contests. He is also interested in athletics and played basketball and baseball while in high school. The son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pendergraft of Wellington, he was born here November 30, 1952. He attended Quail, Wellington, Honey Grove and Samnorwood schools, then returned to Rocketland for his senior year. Biology, math, and history are his favorite subjects and his hobbies involve outdoor activities. He plans to attend Clarendon College and West Texas State University.

EVA PAULETTE COLE

Eva Paulette Cole is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cole, 909 First Street, and was born at Wills Point May 19, 1953. She came to Wellington with her family in time to begin school, and except for one year at Quail, she has attended no other. Interested in speech and dramatics, Paulette participated in the plays the department produced and in the children's play. She was a member of Junior Hospital Auxiliary two years. Speech II and Texas History are Paulette's favorite studies and writing is her hobby. After graduation, she plans to go to Denver to work.

PHYLLIS ANN THOMAS

Seniors chose Phyllis Ann Thomas their class favorite, and she also was named school clown, friendliest, and one-half of the cutest couple. Phyllis played basketball, was pep squad president and vice president; Future Teachers of America reporter; Ko Shari sergeant at arms, a delegate to the FFA district convention and a member of the annual staff two years. She also belonged to Future Homemakers of America and was in the one-act play, children's play and senior play. Outside of school, she belonged to Hospital Junior Auxiliary. Phyllis is the daughter of Mrs. Virginia Thomas, 1608 Amarillo Street, and was born in Indio, Calif., June 6, 1953. She has attended only Wellington schools. Home economics and speech are her favorite studies. Her hobbies are cooking and swimming. She plans to attend West Texas State University.

JOHNNY LEMONS

Johnny Lemons was a valued addition to the senior class when Dodson students transferred into Wellington two years ago. The son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lemons of Dodson, Johnny was born July 28, 1953, at Hollis. He attended Dodson Schools prior to coming here. Interested in athletics, he played basketball and volleyball, and his flair for dramatics brought him parts in the children's play and senior play. He was a class officer. As a freshman, classmates chose him Class King. Johnny likes agriculture best of all studies, while hunting and swimming are his hobbies. He will not attend college.

GEORGE PATRICK HOLLOWELL

A member of the Wellington senior class only part of this year, George Patrick Hollowell came here from Odesa, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Hollowell live at 2400 Truman. He was born November 11, 1952, in Sweetwater. George started to school at Aztec, N.M., then attended Sam Houston School at Odesa, Goliad Elementary, Bonanza Elementary at Las Vegas, Nevada, Crockett Junior High and Odesa High School. In Odesa he was a member of the Distributive Education Clubs of America and was prop man for all the school plays. He played intramural basketball and handball, and in the summer league baseball, George was named All-Star Catcher in 1970. He was chaplain of Decca Club last year. History, English, and physical education are his favorite studies. His hobbies are pool, snooker, and athletics. George will attend Odesa College.

DORIS ELAINE SIMPSON

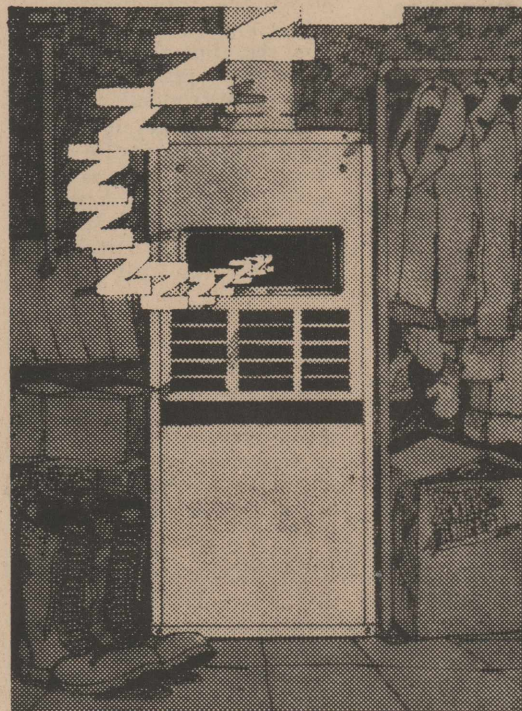
Born in Wellington November 14, 1952, Doris Elaine Simpson is the daughter of C. E. Simpson, 305 Amarillo. She attended school in Pueblo, Colorado, from 1959 to 1962; Tujunga, California, 1962 to 1964; and Denver, Colorado, 1964 to 1966, before returning here to complete her high school work.

Interested in dramatics, she was in the one act play, children's play, senior play and was in the cast of the District 2-AA UIL winning one act play. She was a member of Junior Hospital Auxiliary. Government, home and family living and speech II are her favorite studies, while her hobbies are horseback riding and cooking. Doris plans to return to Denver to enter modeling school.

GLENDIA JUNE CHANDLER

Glenda Chandler, who has received all her education in the Wellington Schools, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chandler, 1309 Dallas Street. Her activities in high school have included membership in Future Teachers of America and Future Homemakers of America, and for four years she played in That Skyrocket Band and the Stage Band. Along with this, she was chosen for the All-Region Band two years, and was in the UIL Sweepstakes Band two. Glenda was in the one-act play this year and the junior-senior plays. She was treasurer of Ti-I-ca two years and this year is a teacher's aide. Bookkeeping and home economics are Glenda's favorite studies, while sewing and cooking are her hobbies. Next year, she will attend a business college in Amarillo.

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TB Testing Program a Success But Not Yet Completed

The tuberculosis testing program carried out in Collingsworth County has revealed 83 positive reactors among the approximately 1740 persons taking the TB skin test since the first of the year.

Not all of these 83 have active tuberculosis by any means, but all of them are infected with the germ although it may never become active. They are now on a program of preventive medicine, prophylaxis which in the next 12 months will render these patients non-infectious.

The county has been praised publicly by the Top of Texas TB and Respiratory Disease Association and the State Department of Health for the number of people reached in the testing program. Yet there remain more than 2,500 in the county who have not been tested. The program is far from complete.

TB is far from eradicated. Texas has the highest incidence of any of the continental United States. We must get this truth across, both in Collingsworth County and in Texas.

This Is History?

Concerned parents have sent The News their criticisms—yes, their concern—over a text in some of Texas' schools teaching history: "Global History of Man." Our informants say it has been approved for use this fall.

There is usually an uproar when these texts are studied by parents with initiative enough to look into them.

Anyway, here is what they complain about in the text—and we believe their criticism is valid.

● The U.S. isn't one of the major cultural areas of the world. But the Soviet Union, Red China and Sub-Sahara Africa are.

● Rhodesia and South Africa are "danger areas" being ruled by white minorities.

● Red nations generally are growing faster economically than Western free nations.

The best one, though is on Communist China. We quote from page 444: "The ideology of Confucius directed China's attention to the past, to the recreation of the glories of previous periods, while Marxism turns the people toward a future of unlimited promise, an escalator to the stars."

That's enough.—The Dallas Morning News.

Tornado Warnings

One of nature's deadliest phenomena is the tornado — a violent, destructive whirling wind that strikes almost without warning and seemingly at random, sweeping everything out of its path as its whiplash tail moves in a narrow path over the land.

The tornado that struck the city of Lubbock last year, like the earlier disaster in previous years in Dallas, Waco, San Angelo and Wichita Falls, once again reminded Texans that disaster health planning is the difference between safety and catastrophe.

The Texas State Department of Health has joined with other state and federal agencies and medical associations to see that all areas of the state are prepared in case of a disaster. Consequently, Texas is meeting the 1971 tornado season with one of the world's most complete storm warning systems, and a well-oiled public health relief organization.

Texas' "local severe weather warning system," the first established anywhere in the world, now has radar storm warning sets in almost all major cities in the state. These stations are all connected by teletype and radio. Any station is able to instantly appraise all other stations of a tornado traveling in their direction. All communities in the vicinity of the twister can be warned of the tornado's approach through normal channels of communications, or through special warning devices.

If worse comes to worse, and a tornado does strike a community, the Texas Health Department stands ready to provide vaccine and public health engineering and emergency nursing know-how to stem the threat of disease or further complications while disaster relief is underway.

The National Weather Service has developed a new system of terminology to more accurately inform you of the severe weather conditions around you.

A "SEVERE WEATHER WATCH" indicates that weather conditions are such that severe weather could develop in the immediate area. A "SEVERE WEATHER WARNING" means that severe weather has actually developed, and care should be taken. A "SEVERE WEATHER ALERT" is a warning that severe weather is moving directly into the area.

The holds true for tornado warnings.

A "TORNADO WATCH" indicates the possibility of conditions existing that could lead to the development of a tornado. A "TORNADO WARNING" means that a tornado has actually been sighted in the area, and extreme caution should be taken. A "TORNADO ALERT" means to act fast, a tornado is in the immediate area.—The Wichita Falls Record-News.



OIL ALLOWABLE CUT -- May oil production allowable will be cut to a maximum daily flow of 184,076 barrels.

Railroad Commission cited reasons for the cut as substantial stocks of crude oil on hand, overall reduction in demand, and rising imports.

Commission's decision trimmed the allowable from 82.1 percent in April to 77.2 percent for next month.

May allowable, lowest in eight months, permits a maximum daily production of 3,637,654 barrels. Actual production is expected to be about 3,362,000 barrels daily approximately what buyers asked for.

Crude oil stocks on April 9, came to 108.3 million barrels a million more than the week before and 2.4 million more than the year before. Ten of 14 big crude oil purchasers asked for the same allowable next month as in April. Three asked less, and one requested more.

INSURANCE CHANGES VOTED -- The Legislature had some good news for insurance purchasers last week.

A bill to create a special pool to guarantee coverage to property owners in "catastrophe areas" (subject to hurricanes, tornadoes, and other disasters) won final passage. The pool will be effective May 14. A pool arrangement may be ordered later for fire and explosion insurance if that is found difficult to obtain in some areas.

Another major bill passed by the Senate would create a statewide guaranty fund to assure payment of claims against insurance companies which go broke.

Hospital-medical insurance policyholders, under a House-passed bill, could be reimbursed for treatment by any licensed, qualified practitioner of the healing arts—physicians, osteopaths, dentists, chiropractors, optometrists, and doctors of podiatry.

COURTS SPEAK -- State Supreme Court on May 12 will review the case in which an oilman sued the petroleum corporation which fired him after 13 months on the job because he did not find new supplies of oil to buy.

High Court also will hear on May 12 Abilene's appeal from lower court decision that it must pay \$88,000 to an oil producer who claimed his oil recovery operations were interrupted by its airport extension.

Court of Criminal Appeals upheld the stiff prison sentences given two black militants for destroying merchandise in a Dallas supermarket.

Court of Criminal Appeals also upheld the life sentence conviction of a man charged with leaving another to die in a North Dallas field after stripping and tying him.

AG OPINIONS -- Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin, has held that former Gov. Allan Shivers' commutation in 1953 of the death sentence of a San Antonio man to life imprisonment with the provision that he never be eligible for further clemency is not binding on future governors.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that:

*Sabine River Authority can enter a deferred compensation and pension plan with its executive employees.

*Texas Water Rights Commission should reject all claims from parties asserting right to use water from the Rio Grande in Starr, Hidalgo, Cameron and Willacy counties where claims have been

adjudicated in courts.

*Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, may acquire joint ownership interest in or long-term lease of a football stadium owned by an independent school district.

*A \$10 a month supervisory fee may be assessed a person granted probation after trial.

HOSPITAL CONTRUCTION RUSHED -- A multi-million dollar construction program due for completion this spring will provide more and better facilities for Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation.

Other building by MH-MR will get under way in the next few weeks.

When completed, the current program will provide added bed space at four state schools to accommodate 660 new students. Three state hospitals will have modern quarters for 600 mentally ill patients, and centers for specialized treatment of adolescents are contemplated. San Antonio, Austin, Terrell, Lubbock, Richmond and Corpus Christi institutions will get the new facilities.

APPOINTMENTS -- Former Stephenville Mayor Jack Arthur was named by Gov. Preston Smith to Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System.

Smith designated W.E. Tinsley of Austin chairman of Texas Water Development Board.

DROUGHT AID SOUGHT -- As drought-stricken areas awaited major federal assistance, the Legislature called on Governor Smith to declare the drought a "grave public calamity and to set up a joint committee on a relief plan.

Seven senators and seven representatives were named to a panel to work on the state program for purchasing and distributing hay and to serve as liaison with state and federal agencies.

Sen. Wayne Connally of Floresville and Rep. Oscar Carrillo Sr. of Benavides head the Senate and House committee members. Governor, said the legislative resolution, can order a relief program administered by the Agriculture Commission.

Smith, meanwhile, said he expects to request emergency federal disaster relief benefits for 87 additional drought-hit counties, bringing the total number to 147.

SHORT SNORTS

All Texas school children (with religious and health exceptions) will have to have shots for six diseases under a new law.

Legislators are aiming for local option liquor-by-the-drink votes in all-wet areas on May 18, date of the constitutional amendments election.

Senate approved the four-year terms amendment for all statewide elective officials.

Fraud is no widespread problem in the Texas welfare program, according to Welfare Commissioner Burton G. Hackney.

Cigarette taxes increased from \$13.2 million in February to \$15.6 million in March.



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"The Price of Natural Gas at the Well Head in the Panhandle" will be discussed at several locations during the next week.

Recent rulings by the Federal Power Commission and hearings by the Texas Railroad Commission to be held on May 4, 1971 in Austin could result in substantial increases in prices for gas at the wellhead in the Panhandle.

Please attend one of these local meetings and support action to raise the price of gas in the Panhandle. Sign the letter below; cut it out; bring it to the meeting or write your own letter if you wish.

FRED ATTAYA
P.O. BOX 7712
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Schedule of Meetings

Lela School, Thurs. April 22, 1971, 7:00 p.m.

Shamrock High School, Fri., April 23, 1971, 7:30 p.m.

Wellington Area, Samnorwood School, Tues., April 27, 1971, 7:30 p.m.

Pampa, Coronado Inn, Wed., April 28, 1971, 7:30 p.m.

McLean High School, Thurs., April 29, 1971, 7:30 p.m.

Texas Railroad Commission
Austin, Texas

Gentlemen:

I am a resident of the Texas Panhandle. One of our largest sources of revenue here is the Petroleum Industry. Its economic condition directly or indirectly affects every citizen of this area.

For many years, the Panhandle area has not received a fair, reasonable or equitable price for its gas at the well head compared to other areas of Texas and other States. This condition of inequity must end.

It is my understanding that on May 4, 1971 a hearing will be held to receive evidence and testimony as to the market price in the area and that the Commission will enter such rules, regulations and orders as, in its judgment, the evidence presented may justify.

I respectfully urge your careful consideration of the evidence and testimony to be presented in the May 4 hearing that will be offered on behalf of the producers and operators, mineral and royalty owners, Governmental agencies and others that seek to raise the price of gas in this area.

I urge you to enter such rules and regulations as you consider appropriate under existing laws of this State and set a fair, reasonable and equitable price for the gas produced in the Panhandle fields at the May 4, 1971 meeting or as soon thereafter as is possible.

Yours very truly,

Date

Signature

Fire Demonstration Given for Students

Nothing is fireproof and anything will burn. This fact was brought out by Ben Bullard, Assistant Director of Safety for Texas Farm Bureau in a graphic fire demonstration held recently at Samnorwood and Quail High Schools. He illustrated this point and many others in the 45 minute demonstration using a variety of materials.

The fire triangle board was used to illustrate what fire is and how to effectively control fires.

By lighting a piece of steel wool with a dry cell battery, Bullard proved that even steel will burn under the right

conditions and disproved the erroneous theory that a flame must be present in order to have a fire.

In a specially prepared explosion chamber Bullard created an explosion with one single drop of gasoline comparable to a shotgun blast. The Assistant Safety Director explained that a gallon of gasoline contains 155,000 drops and has the explosive potential of 30 sticks of dynamite. He urged caution in the handling and storage of petroleum products and other flammable liquid materials.

After demonstrating how fires can be caused by overloaded electrical circuits and improper fusing, Bullard pointed out that many fires of this type are blamed of faulty wiring. He suggested that "faulty thinking" is involved more often than "faulty wiring."

The demonstration, which was brought to the Samnorwood and Quail High Schools under the sponsorship of the Collingsworth County Farm Bureau, is part of a long-range fire prevention program now being conducted by the Texas Farm Bureau Safety Department. The demonstration has been presented over 750 times for some 200,000 people.

Richard Barker assisted Bullard during the demonstration as the Norwood School Junior Fire Marshal.

Special guests of the school at the assembly program were Dee Coleman and Dee Burba.



BURNING ISSUE

Anything burns, Samnorwood students learned in this demonstration. Participating, from left were Ben Bullard, assistant director of safety, Texas Farm Bureau; Dee Coleman, FB county president; Richard Barker, school junior fire marshal; Dee Burba, FB manager; and Supt. R. E. Dwight.

Quail Teams Compete at WT

Three Quail FFA teams participated in the West Texas State University invitational judging contest in Canyon Saturday, April 17.

Tommy Oatman was fourth high individual in the dairy products judging contest, and the team place 10th. Other members were Terry Canada and Joel Ross. Jerry Alston was an alternate.

Neither of the other teams placed. Members of the livestock judging team were Jerry Barton, Laron Peters and Redgie Souder, with Lonnie Needham as an alternate.

Dairy cattle judging team members were Mark White, Julian Torrez and Darrell Feemster.

Social Security Raise to Add \$7,800 in County

Travis C. Briggs, manager of the Amarillo Social Security Office, said that the first checks including the 10% raise in social security benefits will be received on June 3.

"For the 1100 beneficiaries in Collingsworth county, the increase will amount to approximately \$7800 a month," Briggs said.

This will be the regular check: which is the payment for the month of May. Briggs said the increase is retroactive to January 1, but that the higher amount due for January through April will be mailed by separate check sometime later in June.

H. R. Warren Dies April 13

H. R. Warren, 84, retired Allison farmer, died in an Amarillo Convalescent home Tuesday, April 13. He spent considerable time here while his daughter, Mrs. Lucille McMillin, lived in Wellington. Services were conducted at First United Methodist

Church, Allison, on Thursday and burial was in Zyback Cemetery.

Mr. Warren was born in Palo Pinto and lived in Hemphill county 57 years.

Besides Mrs. McMillin, he

is survived by another daughter, Mrs. H.L. Cox of Pecos, four grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Attending the service from her were Mrs. Sandy Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Stevenson.

Dr. Chester L. Harrison Optometrist CONTACT LENSES

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Norwood Honor Roll Lists 39 for Six Weeks

Thirty-nine boys and girls were listed on the Samnorwood grade school honor roll for the fifth six weeks period, Supt. R.E. Dwight has announced.

The list includes:

Miss Rama Camp's room, levels one through four: A honor roll: Jack Clark, Steven Knoll, Larry Jones and Dale Tarver; B honor roll: Rose Mary Baker, Sally Martinez and Rodney Weldon.

Mrs. Velma Hiett's room, levels 5 through 10: Lavonda Thomas, Mark Wischkaemper, Lynn Tate, Mattie Bryant, Kimberly Maxwell, Michel Segura, Sally Kincannon, Ravena Graves, Billy Kincannon, Russell Schaub and Dwayne Myers.

Mrs. Jack Lowry's room, levels 11 through 14: Dottie Bruton, Lowry Schaub, Rex Paschall, Cheryl Birkey, Sherri Brown, Richard Martinez, Michael Bentley, Danny Blair, Deann Brittain, Tammy Clark and Jody Knoll.

Mrs. Judy Oren's room, levels 15 and 16: A honor roll: DiAnna Schaub; B honor roll: John Birkey, Leitha Martindale, Margaret Sanderson, Mark Tarver, Donnie Ann Knoll, and Tonya Kincannon.

John Thomas room, levels 17 through 18, Billy Blair, Clinton Oldham and John Schaffer.

Attends State Nominating Meet

Mrs. Ernest Harwell, a member of the state nominating committee, Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, was in Ft. Worth recently to meet with others of the committee.

Nominations were made for the official slate of 1971-72.

Mrs. Jimmie Kelso accompanied Mrs. Harwell.

GOD'S POWER

By Gaylord Cook

In Romans 16:1, the apostle Paul has written, "For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek." This verse emphasizes that it is the Gospel of Christ that God uses to save man. God's power is unlimited, but he has by choice used the Gospel as the means of bringing salvation. James talks of the "engrafted" or "implanted word which he says "is able to save your souls." It is ONLY through the preaching of the word or the Gospel of Christ that God saves men. Even during the days of the apostles when the Holy Spirit was operating in a miraculous way every recorded case of salvation in the book of Acts involved one man telling another what to do to be saved. The Holy Spirit brought men together, but in no case did the Spirit operate in a direct way to save anyone apart from the word. He always operated through a man teaching another the way.

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Homestead Exemptions

In order to claim Homestead Exemption for Tax purposes you must render your taxes before May 1, for the exemption each year.

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We are deeply grateful to all of you for so many things. We want to thank each of the more than 2,000 people who made our Open House on April 17 such a success.

We especially want to thank all of those who volunteered to help us move and brought their trucks and pick-ups and provided their services. We appreciate this generous help so very much.

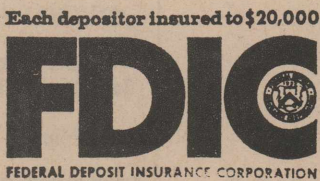
We also want to thank those of you who sent the beautiful flowers and plants that added so much to the memorable occasion.

We think you will be interested to know that our deposits on the first day of operation in our new building were \$893,000 which represented a net operation gain of \$700,000.

Our special thanks to the three large depositors for their encouragement and for making this gain possible.

We are pleased to announce that 51 customers used our drive-in facilities on opening day, and that we have received several reservations for the use of our Heritage Room. The Belles Lettres Club was the first organization to use this room.

It seems especially appropriate, on such a happy occasion for us, to tell you how much we appreciate the part you have played in making this day possible.



Wellington State Bank

Quail Athletes Get Awards at Banquet

Quail athletes were honored at the annual sports banquet Thursday evening, April 15, when awards were presented to the Quail and Bobwhite teams. This part of the program highlighted the evening.

The Rev. Tom Posey, pastor of the First Christian Church, Memphis, spoke briefly, as did Supt. James Stavenhagen. Coach Bill Wilson made the presentations.

Girls receiving plaques as members of the Bobwhite team were Sheri White, Doris Peters, Sherri Canada, Sandra Sullivan and Janet Patterson.

Junior girls who received jackets were Susan Langley, Karon Peters, and Mallie McCann.

Seniors receiving Letter Q awards were Brenda Childers and Marie McGill. These two also received special awards as members of the girls 3-B All-District Team.

Boys receiving plaques for making the Quail team were Larry McCann, Terry Canada, Jerry Alston and Joel Ross, manager.

Jackets were awarded to

these juniors: Laron Peters, Lonnie Needham, Redgie Souder, Jerry Barton and James Culpepper.

Receiving Letter Q awards were Darrell Feemster, Mark White, Tommy Oatman, and Julian Torrez.

Each of the boys will receive a District 3-B patch to sew on his jacket, signifying that the Quails won the district championship this year.

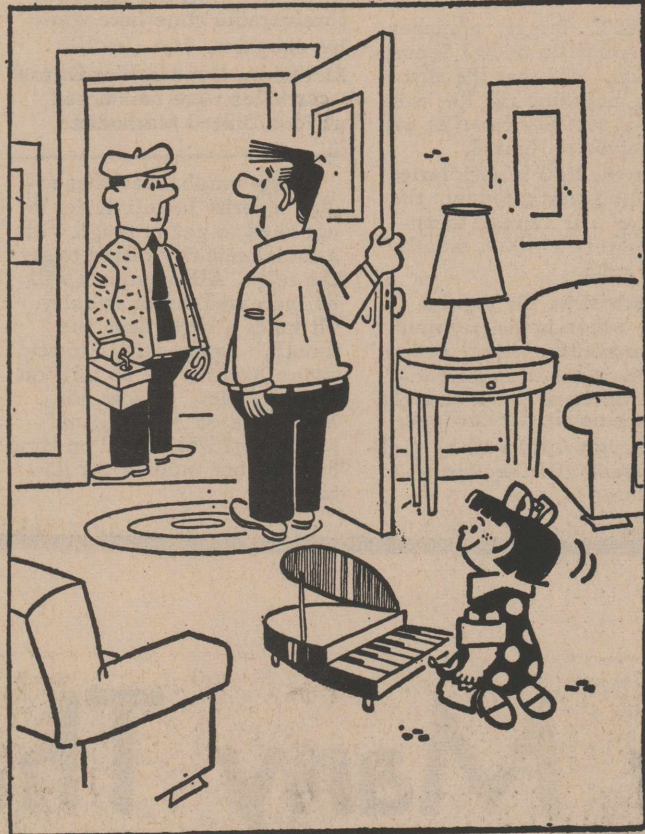
Mrs. Carl Wischkaemper received a sponsor's jacket. Junior High girls team members present for the banquet were Martha Torrez, Sharon Childers, Tanja Alston, Hope Souder, Judy Gossnell, Lanora Oatman.

Boys attending were Gary Wischkaemper, Roland Torrez, Joe Barton, Tommy Caldwell, Gary Brown, and Genaro Martinez.

Fifth and sixth grade players present were Ralph Fielding, Charles Hall, Randy McGill, Harvey Oatman, Rita Fielding, Karen Gossnell, Kathy Guthrie, Melissa Guthrie, and Karen Caldwell. Mrs. Faye Thompson is sponsor.

Trophies which the teams have won this year decorated the banquet tables. Parents and other relatives were guests.

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Fred A. Kummerfeld of Moorcroft, Wyoming, Don Moore of Italy.

Change of address: Robert Antoon from Orange, Calif., to Anaheim, Calif.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of expressing my sincere appreciation to everyone who remembered me with flowers, cards, visits during my recent illness. May God bless you.

Loyd Vines and family

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportunity to say thanks to everyone who has been so nice to me during my illness. I would like to say Thank You for the special prayers, cards, letters, gifts, telephone calls, and the visits that each one of you made to the hospital. May God Bless each one of you is my prayer.

Melissa Guthrie

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at Wellington on May 5, 1971 at the County Courthouse at 10:00 A.M. for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting, fishing and trapping regulations for the above-named county.

As the result of action by the Texas Legislature, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission is responsible for the setting of seasons, bag limits, and means and methods of taking the wildlife resources in Collingsworth County. All interested persons are urged to attend and comment upon the proposed regulations.

41-1c

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Deck, I have surely enjoyed last year's birthday present from Nora and Clyde (Drake), The Wellington Leader.

I surely am proud of all you wonderful people of our home town. Do hope it is raining out there today, making every one feel better. Your paper really is a letter from home with pictures, and looks as though the next Miss America might well be from Wellington.

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Wednesday, April 28: Barbecued pork on a bun, dry beans, cauliflower, fruit, and half-pint milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, April 29: Cheese toast, hot potato salad, green beans, fruit, brownies, and half-pint milk or chocolate milk.

Friday, April 30: Corn dogs-mustard, peanut butter sandwich, whipped potatoes, fruit, white cake with pink icing, and half-pint milk or chocolate milk.

Samnorwood

Monday, April 26: breakfast: orange juice, sausage patty, do-nut, and milk; lunch, burrito with sauce, black-eyed peas, cabbage salad, cornbread, butter, fresh apple cake, milk.

Tuesday, April 27: breakfast: citrus sections, bacon slices, drop biscuits, butter, jelly, and milk; lunch, ham and beans, seasoned greens, waldorf salad, wheat rolls, and butter, cookies, milk.

Wednesday, April 28: breakfast: apple sauce, sausage patty, cinnamon toast and milk; lunch: pizza, buttered corn, tossed salad, rolls, butter, cherry cobbler, milk.

Thursday, April 29: breakfast: orange juice, steamed oatmeal, butter, jelly, drop biscuits and milk; lunch: Irish stew, tossed salad, hot rolls, butter, pumpkin pie and milk.

Friday, April 30: breakfast: peach slices, dry cereal, bow-nots, and milk; lunch: tuna or pimento sandwiches, french fries, fresh apple, peanut butter cake and milk.

Highway Patrol Reports March Accidents Here

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated three accidents on rural highways in Collingsworth County during the month of March, according to Sergeant Jack Therwaenger Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in one person killed and no persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first three months of 1971 shows a total of seven accidents resulting in one person killed and four persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for March, 1971 shows a total of 521 accidents resulting in 20 persons killed and 251 persons injured as compared to March, 1970 with 543 accidents resulting in 20 persons killed and 275 injured.

The 20 traffic deaths for the month of March, 1971 occurred in the following counties: Palo Pinto 3; Armstrong and Cottle, 2 each; Archer, Lamb, Lubbock, Montague, Parker, Stone wall, Wichita, Wise, Young, Collingsworth, Gray, Moore, and Randall with one each.

The accidents in area counties include:

Childress: 9 accidents, no deaths, 7 injured.

Cottle: four accidents, two deaths, and one injury.

Donley: two accidents, no deaths, three injuries.

Hall: no accidents during March.

Gray: 14 accidents, one killed, one injured.

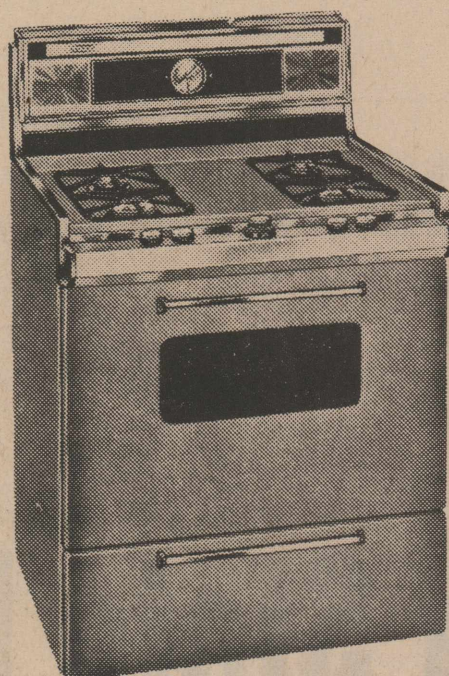
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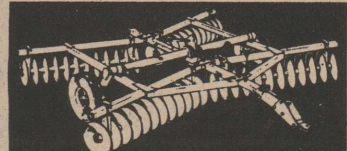
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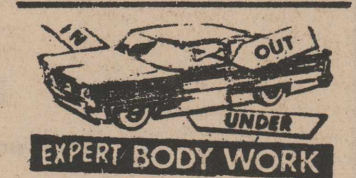
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I want to thank all my friends for all the cards they sent me while I was in the hospital. I especially want to thank Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mayhugh and Mrs. Lorene Hill for the many kind things they did for me. May the Lord bless all of you.
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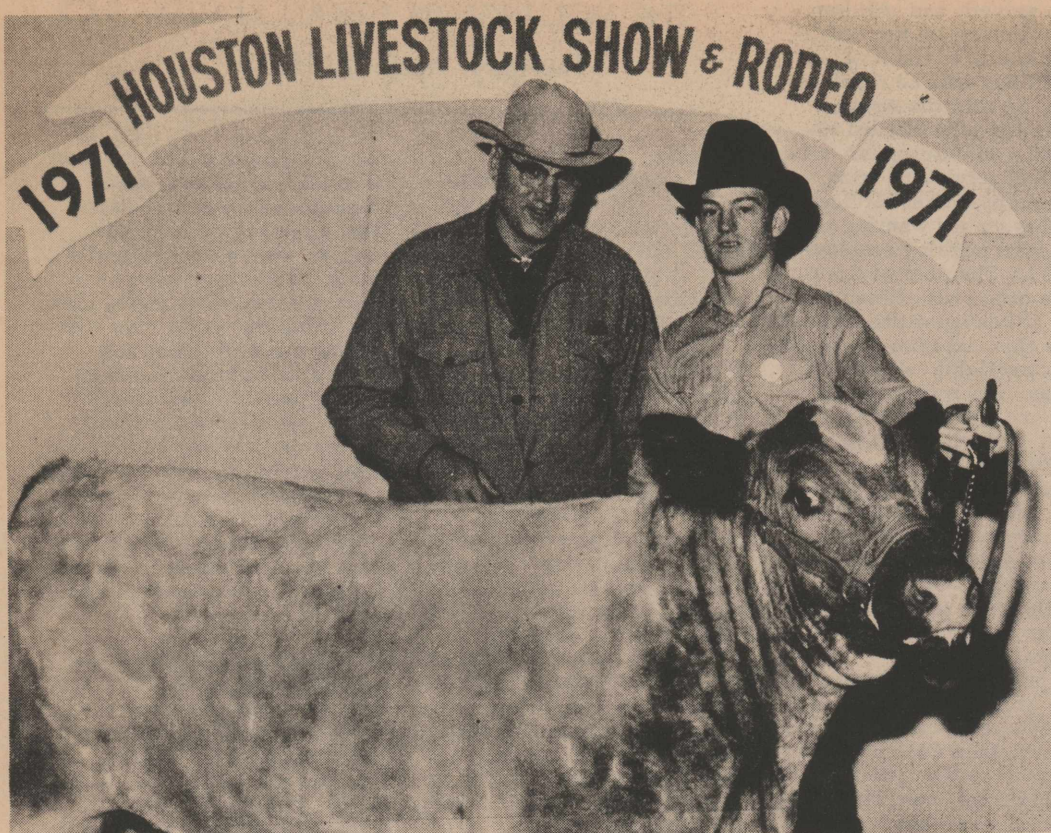
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SECOND IN HOUSTON SHOW

Denny Carter, right, holds his Short-horn steer, which placed second in the middleweight class for that breed at the Houston Fat Stock

Show earlier this year. This was the highest that any Collingsworth County calf placed. An official of the stock show is shown with him.

Action Urged

Farm Bureau Opposes Farm Truck Proposal

Farmers and ranchers are being urged by J. D. Coleman of Wellington, president of the Collingsworth County Farm Bureau, to let the federal government know how proposed farm truck driver regulations would affect their operations. Letters should be addressed to John A. Volpe, Secretary, U. S. Dept. of Transportation, Washington, D. C., 20515, Coleman said.

Proposed U. S. Dept. of Transportation regulations pertaining to farm truck driver qualifications will become effective on July 1 unless farmers and ranchers can convince the government that they should not be put into effect. The regulations were scheduled for last Jan. 1, but were postponed to permit Farm Bureau and other organizations to study the regulations and file statements.

The regulations would affect drivers of all farm trucks—including pickup trucks, Coleman said. Although the new regulations would be applicable to interstate commerce, recent court decisions indicate that the interstate commerce clause applies to anything and everything which might at some time enter interstate commerce, Coleman said.

Proposed regulations would include the following requirements for drivers of farm trucks (1) Be at least 21 years of age.

(2) Carry a certificate, executed by a physician during the preceding 24 months, evidencing fitness to drive a truck.

(3) Pass a road test in truck operation.

(4) Take and pass an examination on the federal Motor Vehicle Safety Regulations.

(5) If driver is employee of farmer, he must supply the farmer with evidence of compliance with the four preceding requirements, plus an application for employment which shall disclose traffic violations and disposition thereof, plus an annual supplementary statement relating to traffic violations.

(6) A farmer who employs a driver would be required to "verify" the driving record -- and to maintain for each driver a file containing items 1 to 5 above, plus a record of the employer's verification of the employee's driving record.

Mr. Coleman said letters to Secretary Volpe should include the farmer's personal appraisal of how his farm or ranch operation would be affected if the regulations are adopted. The local farm leader urged each farmer in the county to request that present exemptions for farm truck drivers be retained.

Also, he said, Congressman Bob Price and the two Texas Senators should be contacted and requested to intervene with Secretary Volpe in the matter of retaining present exemptions, or at least in modifying proposed regulations so they will not be so damaging to agriculture.

Farm Bureau is requesting that present exemptions be retained, he said. In the event that this impossible, the Farm Bureau is asking the following recommendations be included in any regulations which are issued.

(1) An exemption for small farm trucks under 10,000 lbs. gross weight. This would include pickups.

(2) An exemption for local farm hauling.

(3) Postponement of effective date for six months more.

(4) A comprehensive educational campaign in news media to let farmers and ranchers know what is about to happen to them.

(5) General distribution of a summary of the regulations.

(6) A procedure for development of permanent regulations based on common sense, actual need and good judgment.

The local farm leader said that farm truck drivers have an excellent safety record. In Texas, for example, the amount of bodily injury claims paid per farm truck policy is only one-tenth of the amount of bodily injury claims paid per policy for all non-fleet commercial trucks, he said.

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Norwood Teams Win Salt Fork SCD Contests

Samnorwood FFA judging teams won both the soil and grass judging contest sponsored by Salt Fork Soil Conservation District in Wellington Wednesday, April 14.

This served as the official Greenbelt judging contest in the two categories.

Members of the Norwood soils team were Robby Dwight, Johnson and Kim Jones.

Second place went to Clarendon, with Swearingen, Vernon and Ellis as members; Paducah was third with Luedeke, Love and Wilson, and Wellington was fourth with Danny Gray, Eric Thomas, and Joey Manuel.

Each team judged four sites for depth, type of soil and class of land, according to Gary Reed, unit conservationist of Soil Conservation Service.

Teams identified 30 varieties of native and introduced grass as to characteristics.

Members of the Samnorwood first-place grass team were Feliciano Segura, Joe Stice and John Stages. Second place went to Estelline and third to Clarendon, Mr. Reed said.

Dan Henard, Jr. member of Salt Fork SCD board was in charge of the grass contest and Jack Williams, area soil scientist, SCS directed the soils contest.

After the contest, the boys were entertained at Ellison Park with a hamburger supper.

Others assisting were Otis Emmert and John Brim, SCD board members; Billy Moselev, Lynn Courtney of SCS and Billy Gunter, ag engineer, SCS, from Wheeler.

Men in Service

U.S. Air Force Academy, Colo. -- Charles A. Brothers, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Brothers of 407 N. Houston St., Shamrock, Tex., has been promoted to major in the U. S. Air Force.

Major Brothers is a legal officer with a unit of the Pacific Air Forces at Hickam AFB, Hawaii.

The major, a 1958 graduate of Shamrock High School, received his B. A. degree in government in 1962 from North Texas State University and his J. D. degree in 1965 from the University of Texas. He is a member of Phi Alpha Delta.

His wife, Kathryn, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emery Dixon of 1316 Neeley Drive, Houston, Texas.

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Deck's Didactics

AS BLATANT AN EXAMPLE of gerrymandering and below the belt politics as Texas has evidenced by a map that is reproduced in this issue of The Leader. It shows one of the suggested arrangements for the 18th Congressional District of Texas. This is the district of Congressman Bob Price which now consists of a logical entity commonly known as the Panhandle of Texas. The map of the proposed change will be found on page two.

THIS MONSTROSITY OF arrangement is more bizarre than the present delineation of the precinct boundaries in Collingsworth County. It runs way up to the north and takes lone Randall county out of the present 18th district and puts it in a district with Lubbock represented very ably by George Mahon. Congressman Mahon has fought for Texas Tech for so long that he could be expected to generate about as much enthusiasm for West Texas State University as a Razorback for a Longhorn.

THE PROPOSED new district not only separates Randall from Potter, it moves Congressman Price's district on a narrow line past Wichita Falls down to Montague County. Originally these Congressmen, Price, Mahon and Purcell represented fairly cohesive districts bound together by economic and cultural ties.

NOW IT IS SUGGESTED that Congressman Bob Price represent the peach growers in Montague County while Congressman George Mahon represents the educational interests of West Texas State University. As a former student and letterman at WTSU, it is my belief that Bob Price would have more concern for the peach growers in Montague County than George Mahon would have for the great educational institution in Canyon known as West Texas State University.

JIM SIKES, Wellington fire chief, reminds us that the storm season is here again. Two long steady walls on the fire siren will mean that a tornado has been sighted in the Wellington area. There will be no signal lifting the alert. That would be too confusing. You will need to use your own judgement as when to come out of the storm cellar. Some people don't. They sleep down there all night.

AFTER YOU MAKE SURE that you have a jar with candles and matches in it down in the cellar, check around to make sure you have an axe, shovel and crowbar down there.

WILL WHOEVER BORROWED, absconded with, hauled off or found the "Blade" that was formerly kept on the gin yard of the Farmers Co-op Gin please return it pronto. Under the pressure of changing to offset printing, I forgot to put their want ad in the paper. The Gin needs it to scrape weeds.

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nationally, but is limited to one award to a school, Mr. Phyllaier said. The recipient of neither award will be known until the time of the presentation.

After the Elementary Band has played, the Junior High Band will present:

and "Krazy Klock" by Ployhar. The program of That Skyrocket Band will include: "March Juno" by Stevart, "Alto Mood" by Bunton, and "Czech Suite," by Whear, "Ala Barocco" by Giovannini, "America the Beautiful," arranged by Dragon, "Mala-guena" arranged by Cacavas, "Chorale and Capriccio" by Giovannini, and to close the program the traditional "The Blue and the Gray" by Grandman.

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Tom Cunningham said he received .90 at Plymouth. At Dozier, Gus Gooch reported 1.20 inch and north of Abra, James Martindale also received this amount.

Except for a few traces of moisture, this was the first measurable amount Wellington has received since last fall. Some areas had a small benefit from the February 21 blizzard, but in many sections fields were swept almost clean, while nearby drifts were up to 15-feet high. None of this moisture was measurable as high winds prevented it from going into the gauges.

An Easter visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Estes was their daughter, Miss Janyth Estes of Dallas.

Winners Named

Large Crowds Spell Success for Rodeo

Large crowds, mean stock, and contestants from many parts of the Panhandle were the ingredients that made for a successful Junior Rodeo put on by Wellington Future Farmers Friday and Saturday nights, April 16 and 17.

Trophies were awarded first, second and third place winners and ribbons were awarded through sixth.

Winners were announced by Rodney Myrick, vocational ag instructor and rodeo advisor.

Bull riding drew the largest number of contestants, 53, with Rod White of Wellington winning first place with a score of 48.

Other winners were: Second, Tony Thomas of Roosevelt, 47; third, Eddy Blacksher of Vinson, 46; fourth and fifth, tie, Eddie Philley of Hollis and Jim White of Amarillo, 43; and sixth, tie, Steve Carter of Hollis and Danny Gray of Wellington, 42.

Winners in other events were: Bareback bronc riding: first, Rex Thomas of Roosevelt, 37; second, Kenny Drake of Sayre, 30; third, Johnny Holton of Wellington, 29. There were 39 contestants in this event.

Tie-down calf roping: first, Steve Danford of Lubbock, 44.9 seconds; second, Monte Bradley of Memphis, 85.3 seconds. There were 9 contestants and none of the others caught a calf.

Barrels, under 12 years: first, Mary Lou Bradley of Memphis, 39.7 seconds; second, Pat White of Wellington, 39.9; third, Debbie Coffee of Shamrock, 41.4; fourth, Beverly Orr; fifth, Kirk Patterson; sixth, Kathy Patterson. There were 8 contestants.

Barrels, under 12 years: first, Mary Lou Bradley of Memphis, 39.7 seconds each, Leigh won the flip of the coin and received first place with second going to Susan; third, Beverly Westerbee of Childress, 39 seconds; fourth, Teresa Patterson; fifth,

Toni Taylor; sixth, Sharon Childers of Quail.

Ribbon roping: first Wednell Sims of Happy, 27.4 seconds, second, Steve Danford of Lubbock, 62.5. There were 7 contestants.

Pole bending, 12 years and under: first, Kirk Patterson, 54.5 seconds; second, Pat White, 57.3; third, Mary Lou Bradley, 58.2; fourth, Kathy Patterson; fifth, Debbie Coffee; of Shamrock.

Pole bending: first, Leigh Nall, 48.6; second, Beverly Weatherbee of Childress, 49.5 and third, Susan Lowe, 50.5.

Norwood Land Team Goes to State Contest

A land judging team from Samnorwood Future Farmers will compete in the state FFA land judging contest at Tarleton State College, Stephenville, Friday, April 23.

The team qualified for the state contest by placing second in the West Texas State University Invitational contests, which served as the regional contest also, Saturday, April 17, said Jimmy Brown, chapter advisor.

The top 5 teams will go to state. Lorenzo placed first at Canyon and the Clarendon team qualified to go. Norwood team members are Robby Dwight, Randall Johnson, Kyle James and Randy Garner.

The Samnorwood plant judging team placed fourth at Canyon. Members were Joe Stice, Feliciano Segura, John Stages and Laron Breeding.

Two other teams competed but did not place: the dairy judging team made up of Johnny Christner, Joel Dean Rainey and Brad Carter; and the livestock judging team composed of Mike Oldham, Johnny Morgan and Harold Hill.

Three brothers, Bill Hughey, Lee Hughey, Jr., and Phillip Hughey, all of Houston, were here over the weekend to visit their mother, Mrs. Lee Hughey, who is in St. Joseph's Hospital. They also visited their father and sister, Mrs. Rita White.



Altie McCann

Altie McCann Bank Custodian

Mrs. Altie McCann is custodian of the New Wellington State Bank home, just as she has served the institution many years.

She was employed by the First National Bank several years before it was purchased by the Wellington State Bank in 1958. She says that she went along with the bank and has served it since then.

It was with much pride that she assisted in the open house festivities Saturday and Sunday, April 17 and 18.

Adult Spanish Class Offered

A class in conversational Spanish will be offered Wellington area residents if there is sufficient demand.

A meeting will be held at the Community Action Center, 612 East Avenue, at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 22, to determine the number interested, Mrs. Jimmie Sessions has announced.

The classes will be at night and the dates and time will be set at the Thursday meeting.

The instructor will be the Rev. Manuel Rodriguez, pastor of the Mt. Sinai Mission Bautista. Classes will be at the Center.

"These classes are open to the public and anyone interested is urged to attend this meeting," Mrs. Sessions said.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell of Lubbock and Mrs. Dutch Higgins of Littlefield were guests of their sister, Mrs. Jessie Metz, over the week-end.

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painted, certain changes will be made in the concession area, and the pool will be cleaned daily during the summer season. The operation will be much stricter, they were told.

A major cleaning problem he said, is the number of beer bottles thrown over the fence and into the pool at night, sometimes as many as 12 to 18 in a single night.

Later in the council session, Mr. Leach was empowered to hire Andy Lowe, Texas Tech student, to manage the pool, and that much stricter guide lines be laid down for the pool's operation this year. Mrs. Cheryl Brown will operate the concession.

Mrs. Calvin Hurst was spokesman for park improvement. After a meeting with the Garden Club, she asked that the grounds be watered and weeds be kept down. Mrs. Tom Caterlin, she said, has offered to donate a number of shrubs to replace some that have died.

Again the women were told the park will be watered and cared for, and that changes have been made in the water lines in that part of town which will make more water available.

Reopening of the Ritz Theater was a major item on the petition and Mrs. Bartlett explained contacts that have been made, both with the present owners and with potential purchasers. She pointed out that the women are aware the city cannot go into theatre operation, but she asked the council's co-operation in their work.

Mrs. Mack Saied, Jr., reviewed the federal work-study program and requested a summer recreation program built around this.

Concerning improvement of the volleyball and tennis court at Ellison Park, Mr. Leach told the group these were already repaired this year and within a few days, the east side of the volleyball net was torn down; 5 kids were found sitting on the tennis net, pushing it almost

to the ground; and children were climbing on the repaired back-stop to the baseball field. They will be repaired again, he told the women.

Mrs. Joe John Henard requested a summer youth employment service to bring youth employment service together youths wanting work and adults needing employees. The Chamber of Commerce office has offered to serve as headquarters, she said.

She then explained two programs available with federal funding, the work-study program and Neighborhood Youth Corps. Both operated here in 1970.

The Youth Center spokesman, Mrs. Richard Nall, said the group realizes the parents and youths are the ones to work on this, but suggested that they and the Council get together later to study the proposal.

Repair of bleachers and new poles at Marian Airpark baseball Diamond was requested.

Mayor John Coleman explained that these poles are 65 feet high and West Texas Utilities Co. does not have the equipment, nor are its men covered by insurance to work at that height. Such work must be covered by insurance to work at that height. Such work must be contracted, and he said he has requested WTU to secure a price quotation.

A motorcycle drag strip in a central location to serve all county youth was requested. It was brought out that Wellington Jaycees are considering such a strip and Commissioner W. R. Breeding, Precinct 4, has volunteered assistance in setting it up.

Mayor Coleman and the Council thanked the women for presenting their requests and asked their co-operation in carrying out the program.

During the remainder of the Council session, Bob McAlister was sworn in as a new council member, succeeding Howard Holton, and Glen Warrick was sworn in for a second term.

Mrs. Bartlett requested that the teen-agers present carry word of the meeting back to their respective schools and ask student co-operation with

the city.

In a motion passed unanimously, the council voted to join the county in a combined law enforcement program, subject to the approval of bodies. Further study will be made in depth.

The program, available under the criminal justice division of Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, would make certain federal funds and equipment available for setting up one overall law enforcement body to serve both the city and county. Such a joint program is approved for Quanah and Hardeman County, Sheriff John Rainey told the council.

Sheriff Rainey has covered the city's law enforcement since the resignation of Police Chief Donald Nunnell and the council approved payment of the salary of an additional deputy on a temporary basis.

The Green Thumb Program, which also has federal funding was given approval. This would provide work for a number of men who are senior citizens for such work as park improvement, cleaning of

vacant lots, etc. The program is available for non-profit organizations and the county has agreed to go in it also.

Two new water wells will be drilled at the water farm east of town, with Buddy Carter doing the work. One will replace a well which has caved in and the other will be drilled as a new source of water, Mayor Coleman explained. Work will begin within the next few days.

Complaints were reported of horseback riding in the park and shooting of air guns in town, and these are to be turned over to Sheriff Rainey.

Easter guests of Mrs. Lowell Wells were her sister and family, Mrs. Mildred Starr, Mrs. Mary John Howington, and Donnie Howington. They joined another sister, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Duncan, for two days at the cabin at Lake Altus. Meeting them there were Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Duncan, Jr., and two sons, Neal and Sheldon, of Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown spent the week-end in Lubbock.



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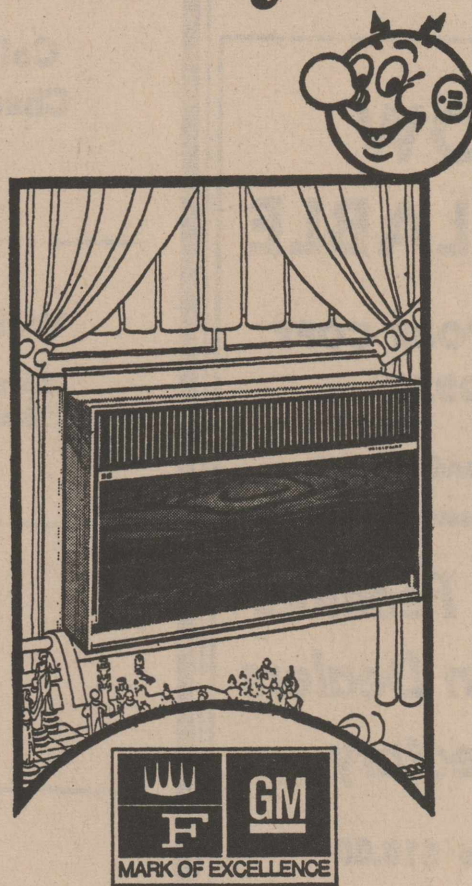
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