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Rubble fills the Quail schoolyard after a tornado destroyed the building and most of its contents Monday, May 16. There were no injuries.

Tornado Demolishes Quail School Mon.

In just 30 seconds, Quail lost its school in a tornado that struck at 4:25 p.m. Monday, May 16, but to a person, this community of 100 was giving thanks that there was not a single injury.

"No one was hurt. The other doesn't matter," said Mrs. Wilford Arthur, wife of the school superintendent. Behind her, her own home was shattered.

This was the last day of school, and students were dismissed at 2:30 p.m.

Wilford Arthur, superintendent, and Donald Langley, school board president, listed these buildings as destroyed.

The Quail School, a solid brick masonry building, which included the gymnasium-auditorium.

Three houses, homes of the superintendent and custodian and one in which furniture was stored.

Home economics building, ag building and cafeteria, all separate buildings.

Barracks buildings not in the direct path of the twister had all the exterior skinned off.

Two school buses and eight cars and pickups including the drivers ed car, were demolished.

Although part of the brick walls are standing, Quail School is considered a total loss. The south walls and

inside partition of the teacherage occupied by Supt. and Mrs. Arthur and their children, and the home of B.S. Lewis, custodian, and his family remain. Both are on the school grounds.

The funnel cloud formed about five miles southwest of Quail, according to Hall County Sheriff Ernest Neel, who was at his farm in the area.

It traveled through the air about two miles, then touched

ground three miles from Quail.

South of the community, the twister veered west about 200 yards, missed the main part of Quail, then crossed FM Highway 1547 and struck the school.

The twister continued on the ground a distance of about 12 miles, crossing Salt Fork, and lifted near Abra.

The school plant was valued at \$480,000, according to

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Samnorwood Honor Students Announced

Honor students of Samnorwood Senior and Junior High Schools were named this week by Rex Peebles, Superintendent of Schools.

Valedictorian of the Senior Class is Bobby Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Myers. Bobby had a four-year scholastic average of 89.975, highest in the class of seven graduating seniors.

Salutatorian of the Senior class is Robert Cruz, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Abelino DelBosque. Robert had a four-year scholastic average of 88.729.

In the Junior High graduat-

ing class, Lynn Tate was named valedictorian and Russell Schaub was named salutatorian. Lynn posted 95.2 average and Russell achieved a 91.6 record. Lynn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudie Tate and Russell's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schaub.

The Samnorwood Seniors will receive their diplomas at Commencement exercises in the Samnorwood High School auditorium at 8:00 p.m. Monday, May 30. Baccalaureate services will be held for the class Sunday night, May 29 at 8:00 p.m.

Eighth grade commencement exercises will be held at 8:00 p.m. Friday, May 27 in the Samnorwood auditorium.

Zeldon Jenkins is the sponsor of the senior class this year and class parents are Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Oldham. Judy Barber is the sponsor of the 8th grade class and class parents are Mr. and Mrs. Rudie Tate.

Cong. Hightower Offers Help To Quail

Congressman Jack Hightower has notified County Judge Zook Thomas and the people of the Quail area if there is anything his office can do, they are to call him.

Many other offers of help were made.

Larry Hammons, state health department, put his office at the service of the people.

Powell D. Murphy, district director of the Texas Surplus Property Agency, Lubbock, was here and said that because of the disaster, Quail School has first priority on anything that agency can help with, Judge Thomas said.

Carroll Daves took and served food to those who were working at the disaster scene Monday night.

Chester White of the County road department donated equipment and workmen to clean out the debris and salvage what can be used.

The Department of Public Safety brought men from Childress and Clarendon to work with Patrolman John James of the Wellington unit.

Collingsworth Sheriff's Department was there to a man and part remained through Monday night and Tuesday. They were in charge at the disaster scene.

Other groups and individuals came to help, and not all of these are known at this time.

\$789,000 Loan Awarded Greenbelt Coop

The office of Senator Lloyd Bentsen advised The Wellington Leader Monday, May 16, that the Rural Electrification Administration has awarded a loan of \$789,000 to the Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Funds from the loan, which is made at 2% interest, will finance service for 149 additional consumers, 19 miles of distribution line, two miles of transmission line, additional headquarters facilities and system improvements.

George Henry, manager, said that the 149 new consumers will be scattered throughout the system and will bring the total consumers served to 3,500.

The new headquarters facilities mentioned in the loan is the pole yard which is already constructed but is being paid for out of this loan.

Included in this loan is money to replace approx-

imately 1,000 old poles over a two-year period. This does not cover the complete cost of replacing the poles and the difference is made up of earnings of the cooperative. Most poles in the system have been replaced twice in the last 25 year period.

"Replacement will be made by picking out a certain aged

section and having a pole inspector go down the line inspecting all the poles. We will change out the old poles he finds that need to be replaced," Mr. Henry explained.

This is the way of keeping Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc. lines in top condition at all times.

The 19 miles of distribution lines also will be scattered through the system, Mr. Henry said. The two miles of transmission line will be in Wheeler County.

The Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc., with A.J. Garland of Clarendon as president and Mr. Henry as manager, serves consumers in

Collingsworth, Armstrong, Childress, Donley, Gray, Hemphill, Randall, Roberts, and Wheeler counties in Texas and Beckham and Harmon Counties in Oklahoma.

Castleberry, Willis Named Wellington Honor Graduates

Honor graduates of Wellington High School were announced this week by Melvin Cardwell, principal.

Valedictorian of the senior class is Suzy Castleberry who is graduating with a 95.2456 grade average for her four years in high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobo Castleberry and is a

12-year student in the Wellington Schools.

Salutatorian of the class is Brenda Willis, who has a 95.1765 grade average. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Willis, and all her high school work has been in Wellington.

The other 8 who make up the 10 high ranking students

were announced also.

Ranking third is Penny Morgan, with 93.2115 average, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.I. Morgan.

Joe Baumgardner is the high ranking boy, and the only boy graduating in the top 10 scholastically. His average is 92.0816. He is the son of Mr.

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Templeton Second in State Tennis Tourney

Lee Templeton, Wellington High School senior, took second place in Texas state schoolboy tennis competition in Austin Saturday, May 14.

After winning two preliminary matches Friday, Templeton lost the final match to Junction's Gary Gardner, 4-6, 6-0, 6-2.

It was the first time a Wellington student has played in the state tennis finals since Sharon Campbell won first in 1961.

"It could have gone either way," Coach Ronnie Glenn said. "We were just a fraction from being first." And indeed during the final set there was a period when each ball was a cliff hanger.

Templeton won the first set of the final match 6-4. His topspin forehand, which causes a bounce difficult for opponents to return, and well placed shots kept his sophomore opponent on the run, and hopes began to soar in the large contingent of Wellington fans.

But Templeton's winning ways deserted him in the next two sets and Gardner, who was beaten in the Texas finals last year, began to play a steady if not flashy game that told the tale.

Friday, Templeton had flattened his opening round opponent Johnny Cain of Thrall, 6-1, 7-6. And then smashed Keith Petteway of Franklin 6-0, 6-2 in the semi-final match Friday afternoon.

"Lee did an outstanding job," Coach Glenn said. "He set a goal to get to the state meet and he accomplished it. Not many boys could do that.

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Track Team Among Best in Texas

Wellington's Skyrocket Track Team ran with Texas' best Saturday, May 14, to tie for 9th place in team totals and place 4th or 5th in each event they entered.

At the regional track meet in Odessa two week earlier, the Rockets had qualified in four events, 440 Relay, Mile Relay, 440 and 120 High Hurdles for the state schoolboy Class A track meet held at The University of Texas at Austin's Memorial Stadium.

The 440 yard relay team ran its best time ever, 43.1 seconds, Saturday for fourth place. Karnack, the state meet team winner, won with 42.4.

In the 120 yard high hurdles Cliff Pennon placed 5th with 14.5 seconds. Pennon's best time of the year was at the Panhandle track meet where he ran a 14.3. Paul Walsh of Pottsboro won the state meet with a 14.3.

Robert Chambers took 5th place in the open quarter (440 yards) with 49.8. Chambers' best time this year was 49.6 at the state qualifiers meet in

Lubbock. Walter Shorter of East Bernard won the state meet with 49.3.

Stanton, the team the Rockets had run against in regional, won the mile relay with 3:21.3. Wellington took 5th in that event with a 3:25.9, a little over a second off their best time at the regional meet of 3:24.6.

Karnack took the team total

first place with 150 points. The Rockets tied with Timpson and Jourdanton with 16 each for 9th place. Karnack had won second at the state meet last year.

Wellington's 440 relay team is made up of Dan Ford, Jessie Davis, Joe Baumgardner and Shane Tarver. Robert Chambers runs the mile relay with Davis, Baumgardner and

Tarver.

"We ran times this year that would have won the track meet last year," Coach Phil Bailey said. "But there's nothing to be ashamed of in finishing where we did out of 200 Class A schools."

"There were over 600 hurdlers in our class when the year started and Cliff finished 5th," Bailey said. "And there were 600 in Robert's event, the 440, when the year began. He finished 5th and he's a sophomore."

The state track meet saw Randy Hall of Port Lavaca set a new state record of 16 ft. 8 inches in pole vault. And at the Southwest Conference track meet Saturday night in Austin, UT Austin's Johnny "Lam" Jones thrilled fans with a come from behind effort that saw him take the baton on the last leg of the mile relay almost 50 yards behind and go on to win the race.

A large group of Wellington fans attended the schoolboy and Southwest conference meets.

Storm Warning Two Long Siren Blasts

City Manager Glenn Taylor reminded city residents this week that the warning to take cover for storms is two 15-second blasts on the siren. No "all clear" signal is given. It is up to each person to decide when it is safe to come out of shelters.

After Monday's warning when the tornado struck Quail several residents complained that they could not hear the auxiliary sirens located south of 15th Street. The city worked Tuesday on repairing the trouble and ran checks on the sirens many times throughout the day.

Other siren signals are three 5-second blasts for a city fire, and one long wail for a rural fire.



Lee Templeton serves in state tennis finals Saturday.



QUAIL FFA RECIPIENTS

These members of Quail FFA Chapter received awards at the annual member-guest banquet held Thursday, May 12. In front from left are David Torrez, Bill Kennedy, Danny Wischkaemper, Ronald Alston, Ray Villalon and Russ Mangum. At back, from left, are Ralph Fielding, Harvey Oatman, Ricky Needham, Michael Guthrie and Dale Boyett.

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Board president Donald Langley. Insurance covered \$153,000.

Six homemaking students and their instructor, Miss Becky Cochran working in the homemaking cottage, were warned of the tornado by Terry Canada. They reached the school storm cellar only moments before it struck. Stucco walls of the cottage are standing, but its roof is gone and its windows are broken. "We barely got in the cellar," said LeAnn Marcum and Donna Langley. Other girls helping paint the interior of the cottage were Karen Caldwell, Melissa Guthrie, Beverly Patterson, and Connie Daves.

Canada, who lives a short distance north of the school, drove west on a dirt road, then watched his own house "explode" as the twister struck. There was nothing left to salvage. His 1976 model car was destroyed.

"I could feel the pressure of the tornado inside the pickup as it passed," he said.

Quail Cemetery, between the school and Canada's house, was heavily damaged.

The other losses reported at Quail were a garage and well house at the John Bishop farm, a small barn behind Mrs. Virgie White's home, and a garage at Quail Baptist Church. The church roof was damaged. Minor damage was reported to the parsonage and the home of Mrs. E.H. Oatman.

Graduation exercises for the five seniors were held Tuesday evening as planned.

School records in the office were undamaged, including the diplomas, Mr. Arthur said. There was only broken glass to the trophy cases in the hall, filled with awards that date back to the State Class B basketball championship trophy of 1938.

Approximately 20 persons took refuge in the school storm cellar, including the Arthurs, Lewises, the Donald Langley family, homemaking girls and their teacher.

The east wing of the school housing elementary grades was flattened. East halls of the high school fell, and there were large gaps in the south walls. The west walls of the combination gymnasium-auditorium was destroyed.

Part of the library wall and all the windows went, but inside, books were still neatly in place on the shelves, although caked with mud. Hard rain and hail preceded the tornado but stopped before it struck.

First person to warn of the tornado was Hall County Sheriff Neel. His radio call to Collingsworth Sheriff's Department was heard on a scanner by Cary Don Neeley, living south of Quail. He alerted as many people as he could before he had to hunt shelter.

"Terry Canada came by blaring his horn and yelling 'Tornado,'" said Karen Caldwell. "And Donnie Lewis ran to tell our superintendent and teacher. We started running to the school and met them. Mr.

Arthur unlocked the door so we could go through the hall. That's our usual route to the cellar." Mr. Arthur was in his office and Miss Cochran was making a phone call there.

Another who drove through Quail, sounding his horn and yelling a warning, was Frank Coleman, Jr., residents reported.

"We watched it form," said the sheriff, who graduated from the destroyed Quail school.

Guy Brandvik, who lives two and a half miles south of Quail, saw it drop down in his pasture.

Debris from the school and houses lay thick to the north and northeast, but lumber was also piled in a field across the highway to the west.

The funnel was narrow when it dropped from the cloud south of town, but the swathe it cut at the school was about 150 yards wide.

Trees that sheltered the west side of the school almost 40 years were twisted off where the trunks branched. Only feet away, others had a full growth of leaves. Smaller trees were broken at the ground.

A large cottonwood across the road from the Terry Canada house snapped several feet above the ground and lay across the highway. Highway maintenance supervisor Jake Meadows measured it. The tree was 7 feet in circumference.

Although the B.S. Lewis home was destroyed, two pet rabbits in a pen belonging to Dannie Lewis found shelter and emerge dry and unhurt. Several campus dogs wandered about, unhurt but trying to orient themselves.

A small dog belonging to the family was found next, unhurt but buried beneath debris.

Carl Wischkaemper, school board member living north of Lillie, who has watched two other tornados cross the area, called this a big one.

Sheriff's department members and a Department of Public Safety unit from Childress left for Quail after the first sighting, as did Sheriff Neel and a Clarendon DPS.

Because a tank containing an estimated 300 gallons of gasoline turned over, only those trying to check on relatives were allowed to go beyond the Quail store, a mile away. The tank did not rupture, but gasoline fumes were strong.

Samnorwood Lions Club, due to install officers Tuesday night, instead brought trucks to Quail to work.

At the cemetery, grave markers were knocked down, and some moved from their locations. Others handmade of concrete were shattered. Debris covered the grounds. At first, it was feared it might be impossible to put the markers where they belong. Now it is believed this can be done from the Cemetery Association's map which Delbert White has.

After the tornado passed the school, it traveled on the ground through open country for about 10 miles, going to the east of the Rufus Jones farm, crossing Salt Fork and lifting into the cloud near the Pat Bradley farm at Abra. It appeared to move back and forth several times, coming near the home of Miss Pearl Strong, according to Mr. and Mrs. James R. Ross.

When the funnel lifted, it had been on the ground about 20 minutes and traveled approximately 20 miles, from the time Sheriff Neel first saw it in the air.

County Judge Zook Thomas, County Civil Defense director, reached the scene, to see if state assistance was needed.

The Wellington unit of the National Guard remained at the scene Monday night and Tuesday. The men are doing this on their own time, and do not draw guard pay for this volunteer work.

Salvaging the belongings of the Arthur and Lewis families began Monday evening. They stayed overnight with friends. Salvage work at the school began Tuesday morning all items that could be saved were brought to Wellington for storage.

Besides law enforcement units, the Volunteer Ambulance service, Memphis Fire Department, arrived and

General Telephone, and Green belt Electric Co-operative, Inc. crews began restoring service.

After leaving the Abra community, the storm system traveled northeast. A funnel lowered again to damage houses at the carbon black plant 10 miles east of Shamrock, a service station was damaged, but again, no one was hurt.

It was last sighted in the vicinity of Sweetwater, Oklahoma, 20 miles east of Wheeler.

In the crowd that stood in the highway before the school wreckage, some were misty-eyed. Many Quail people, middle-aged and younger, received all their education in this once-proud building.

Frank Cummings Dies on Plains

Frank Cummings, 70, of Littlefield died Wednesday, April 27, in a Lubbock hospital. He had been ill about two years.

He grew up in Wellington and was the brother of Mrs. W.W. Neeley.

Funeral services were conducted Friday, April 29, at First Baptist Church, Littlefield, with the Rev. A.J. Kennemer officiating. Burial was at Littlefield.

Mr. Cummings was born in Young County in 1903, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Cummings. The family came to Collingsworth County in 1907.

After graduating from Wellington High School, he attended Wayland College, Plainview. He was married to Miss Harriett Harder in 1927 at Floydada, and after living in Wellington for a short time, they moved to Lamb County that same year.

Mr. Cummings had served as county clerk and county tax assessor of Lamb County for a number of years. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and First Baptist Church, Littlefield.

Survivors are his widow; three sons, Jack Ed Cummings of Lexington, Ky., Joe

Services for Mrs. Stafford Here Thursday

Funeral services for Mrs. Leroy Stafford will be held Thursday, May 19, at 2:00 p.m. in First Baptist Church. The Rev. Mickey Fugitt, pastor, and the Rev. Howard Jones of Anson will officiate. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. Stafford, 81, died at Olney at 2:15 Tuesday, May 17. She had been there only a few weeks.

The former Mildred Adudell, she was a member of a long-time county family. She and Mr. Stafford were married June 21, 1914, at Brice.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Wilson Porter of Wellington and Mrs. Hershel Tyler of Olney; four sons, Clifton Stafford of Springtown, Bill Stafford of San Diego, Calif., Jack Stafford of Wellington and Barney Stafford of Fountain Valley, Calif.; a brother, George Adudell of Winters; three sisters, Mrs. Christine Reed of Bellevue, Washington, Mrs. Barbara Crosby of Long Beach, Calif., and Mrs. Murl Lacy of Wellington.

Weekend guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Mickey Fugitt and Micah were Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Hicks of Wilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Euris, Jim and Jan Phipps of Amarillo were weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Wilkerson and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Phipps. They also visited the Billy Wilkerson family.

Frank Cummings of Stephenville; and the Rev. Logan Matt Cummings of Corpus Christi; a daughter, Miss Sharon Cummings of Kohn, Germany; two sisters, Mr. Neeley and Mrs. Jewell Powell of Amarillo; three brothers, Palo C. Cummings of Wellington; Logan Cummings and Bill Cummings of Austin; and 9 grandchildren.

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Tony Douglas And Shrimpers Here Saturday

and Mrs. David Baumgardner. Debbie Stallings ranks fifth with a 90.8653 average. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Troy Stallings.

Tina Powell, with a 90.8571 average, ranks sixth. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Powell.

Cynthia Black, who graduates with a 90.8431 average, ranks seventh. She is the daughter of Mrs. Alfred Black and the late Mr. Black.

Kay Coffee ranks eighth with a 90.3454 average. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Coffee.

Ninth ranking student is Kim Cannon, whose average is 89.4259. She is the daughter of Mrs. Pauline Cannon.

Tenth high student is Debbie Moore, with an 88.9814 average. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wayne Moore.

"This is a good group of students scholastically, and we are proud of them," said Mr. Cardwell.

The combined baccalaureate-commencement for the class will be held Friday, May 27, at 8:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium. There are 44 in the class.

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The two boys playing in the final match are the top two in the state. There are at least 400 other boys across the state who tried to make that match."

Templeton is the son of Judge and Mrs. R.L. Templeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Needham visited over the weekend with their son and family, the Rev. and Mrs. Tommy Needham and family of Clifton. Rev. Needham is pastor of Grace Memorial Baptist Church, and his parents attended services there Sunday. It was also the 8th birthday of their oldest

Bobby Saied Admitted to Tech Law School

Bobby Saied, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied, Jr., was notified May 11 that he has been admitted to the first year class of Texas Tech University School of Law.

Announcement that his application for admission was approved came from Anneye Marple, assistant dean and associate professor of law.

Saied received his bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of Texas in May 1976. Prior to going to the University, he was a student at Texas Tech three years, where his social fraternity was Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

He is presently living in Lubbock and is employed at The Steak and Ale.

McQuearys Here To Visit Friends

Mr. and Mrs. A.A. McQueary of Mineral Wells visited from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Savage.

The four also attended the Tullia Art Show and had an opportunity to visit with Ken Curtis, the Festus Hagan of "Gunsmoke."

Curtis autographed a program for Mrs. Savage's fourth grade class.

Mr. McQueary is a former Wellington Junior High principal and she taught in elementary school.

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Ponds Make Good Recreation, But Require Good Management

Farm ponds can provide many hours of fun and lots of fish when properly managed. "But many ponds fail to provide good fishing except for a limited period following stocking," Tommy Powell, district conservationist for the USDA Soil Conservation Service at Wellington, said. "There are a number of reasons which cause this, and the management of ponds required careful planning and study."

"Following are some of the most common questions and general answers. Questions of a specific nature often require a study of the particular pond."

Question: I have a new pond. Where can I get fish for stocking?

Answer: The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department will supply fish for stocking, provided the pond meets certain requirements. Fish can also be purchased from private sources.

Question: What kinds of fish should I use for stocking?

Answer: It is best to stock your pond with the kinds and numbers recommended by the hatchery or other qualified people. They will usually recommend bass, channel catfish, and sunfish. There are some sunfish hybrids that have aroused great interest in recent years.

Question: Can I stock too many fish?

Answer: Yes. The number of fish a pond will produce is limited by the amount of nutrients and food-producing organisms in the water. The smaller the pond, the smaller this food production will be. A small pond with the capacity to produce 100 pounds of fish, stocked with 1,000 fish could only be expected to produce fish that weigh one-tenth of a pound each. Stocked with only 50 fish, the owner could expect rapid growth to about two pounds per fish. A small pond is like a small pasture; it will support only a small number of fish if they are to grow and do well.

Question: What about crappie?

Answer: Don't use crappie in a farm pond. Their tremendous reproductive capacity soon results in many stunted, small fish.

Question: I'm thinking about seining some fish from a stream or another pond for stocking my new pond. Is this a good idea?

Answer: No, unless you can positively identify the fish; otherwise, you will probably introduce undesirable fish along with the desired species.

Question: My pond is several years old. Why is fishing so poor?

Answer: Most ponds were

originally stocked with bass, bluegills, and channel catfish. If this is the case, you will often find a few large catfish and bass and thousands of small, stunted sunfish.

Question: What can I do about this situation?

Answer: Reducing fish numbers by poisoning part of the pond will usually improve fishing. This permits the remaining fish to have more room and food. Some people try netting and seining to reduce sunfish populations, but this is usually difficult due to vegetation, snags, and uneven bottom conditions.

Question: What about using bass or catfish to reduce sunfish populations?

Answer: If a supply of bass, or other predator fish, can be located which are of sufficient size to consume the stunted forage fish, they are usually helpful.

Question: Can a pond have too many bass in it?

Answer: Yes. Ponds may occasionally become overpopulated with bass and have too many forage fish available. The solution is to reduce the bass population. This can usually be done by fishing.

Question: What's the best method of correcting population imbalance?

Answer: This depends. In many cases, the only practical solution is to remove the fishes present by use of a fish

toxicant such as rotenone. This restores a pond environment similar to that of a new pond. The pond can then be restocked and good fishing can be expected in one to three years.

An imbalance can often be delayed by a few simple fishing rules:

(1) Fish the sunfish heavily, especially when they are spawning. One female bluegill can lay thousands of eggs.

(2) Do not return any sunfish to the pond. If they are too small to eat, throw them out on the bank so they cannot get back into the water.

(3) Limit the number of bass taken from your pond. They are the top predators present and are needed if the sunfish population is to be kept under control. For each bass taken, about ten sunfish should be taken from the pond.

Question: What about

fertilization?

Answer: Fertilization serves two basic purposes. First, it increases the productive level of the pond by increasing the amount of nutrients in the pond. Second, the increase in plankton also tends to make the water cloudy. This cuts down the amount of sunlight reaching the pond bottom, thereby reducing aquatic vegetation.

Question: Will fertilization control the aquatic vegetation in my pond?

Answer: Yes, and no. If fertilization is begun before aquatic weeds become a problem, it can be very helpful by reducing the amount of sunlight which reaches the weeds, thereby reducing their growth. However, fertilizing a pond which has vegetation on or near the surface only increases the growth of the plants and increases the

problem.

Question: Should I fertilize every year?

Answer: Yes. Once a fertilization program is started, it should be continued. After fertilizing, the amount of food in a pond will be increased and the skeleton and fleshy parts of the fish will start growing. If fertilization is stopped, the fish are in trouble. They will have reached a size which the carrying capacity of the pond will not support if fertilization is stopped. The fish will lose weight in flesh, but the skeleton will stay the same size, resulting in fish with large heads, large eyes, and thin bodies.

For assistance with the design, construction, and management of your farm pond, contact the personnel at the local Soil Conservation Service office in Wellington.

City's May Sales Tax Totals \$3,492

The City of Wellington has received a check for its city sales and use tax allocation amounting to \$3,492.33 for the period ending May 6, according to the office of Comptroller Bob Bullock.

However, Mr. Bullock warned that these checks cover a 5-weeks period instead of the usual four weeks, so that June checks will be smaller.

This brings Wellington's 1977 payments to date to \$19,352.19.

Net payments for May 1976, amounted to \$2,260.58, and the total 1976 payments through May totaled \$15,053.53. This is a 28 percent

increase, including the 5-weeks May 1977 payment.

May Sales tax rebate checks totaled \$22 million to 867 Texas cities and towns that assess the one percent tax.

Bullock said state and local sales tax collections are growing at a rate well ahead of the national average, reflecting the muscle of Texas' economy.

"We are confident that trend will continue," he added.

Legend has it that James Watt got the idea for his steam engine by watching his mother's steam kettle as a young boy!



THREE TO ONE
This sad-eyed Doberman receives his rabies shot at the annual City-wide dog vaccinating Saturday, May 14, from Paul Estes while Dr. Mark Fires looks on. Monte Ferguson, owner, keeps a tight hold. The Doberman had resisted strenuously to all this.

Thomas Nursing Center News

George Brewer remains in the local hospital.

Last week game winner was Mrs. Alma Clement.

Many people visited with us during Nursing Home Week.

Our activities were fun for everyone. Our volunteers each week are appreciated so much.

Game time on Monday afternoon is always a joyful time. Our volunteers for this were Mrs. Sundown Smith, Mrs. Jack Nelson, Mrs. Marie Gollighugh and T.P. Belew.

Tuesday morning was sewing circle. We are working on a quilt which we are really enjoying. Mrs. Sandown Smith is helping with it also.

Tuesday afternoon was "Name That Tune" with Mrs. Jack Davis. Mrs. Cornelia King was the winner. A large group participated.

Wednesday afternoon Rev. James Boswell conducted our Bible study which was inspirational.

Wednesday evening Church of Christ children sang under the direction of Mrs. David Peters.

Thursday about thirty residents enjoyed a film from the county library titled "Highway One".

Friday evening is always a treat for us when Tom Wilkins and group sing for us.

Saturday evening the Hedley quartet sang. Those were Mrs. Louise Stewart, Mrs. Cheryl Wiggins, Mrs. Jan Leggett and Miss Lisa Stewart, accompanied.

Sunday afternoon Mrs. Lea Beall presented piano selec-

tions. Bro. Boswell and members of the United Methodist Church conducted our worship services.

Our visitors were: Visiting Mrs. Nina Beard was Mrs. Dorothy Boyett from Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle

Lancaster from Muleshoe visited his grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Lancaster.

Mrs. Amanda Bell spent a week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Walker, Lubbock. She also visited with her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Copeland and family



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WE GIVE GREEN STAMPS

Jan McGill Weds David Hodges In Baptist Ceremony on May 13

Wedding vows were exchanged by Miss Janice Ann McGill of Amarillo and David Ray Hodges of Bryan in First Baptist Church, Wellington on Friday, the thirteenth of May at three in the afternoon.

The Reverend Mickey Fugitt, pastor, officiated in the presence of members of the two families.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGill, while Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hodges are the parents of the bridegroom.

Wedding music was presented by Mrs. Truman Estes, organist.

The bride selected a formal gown of candlelight organza over bridal taffeta, designed with a Victorian neckline of scalloped Alencon lace and a sheer yoke of organza and lace. Her empire bodice was completely appliqued in lace and the long tapered sleeves were enhanced by lace motifs and seed pearls. The softly gathered A-line skirt fell to a deep band of scalloped lace which swept to back fullness and cascaded into a full chapel train.

She wore a matching lace coif dotted with seed pearls and enhanced by a full length mantilla appliqued in scalloped lace. She carried a bouquet of apricot gladiolas and carnations, with stephanotis and baby's breath.

After a wedding trip to Dallas, the couple will be at home on Route 5, Bryan.

The bride was graduated from West Texas State University with a B.S. Degree in Elementary Education and is presently employed by Amarillo Independent School District.

The bridegroom is a Texas



MRS. DAVID HODGES

Tech University graduate with a B.S. Degree in Animal Science and is attending Texas A&M University School of Veterinary Medicine.

Out of town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. James E. Goza, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hodges, and Mr.

and Mrs. Ronnie Hodges of Fort Cobb, Okla.; Mrs. D.S. Hodges of Binger, Oklahoma;

Thomas Hodges, Carl Goza and Leslie of Oklahoma City; Mrs. Bob Ramsey of Weatherford, Mrs. Joe Page and Jo De and Jennifer of Moore; and Randall Hodges of Amarillo.

Shower Friday Evening Honors Spring Bride, Mrs. McGill

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Sidney McGill was given Friday, May 13, at the Heritage Room.

Miss Sandra McGill of Amarillo was at the registry.

Mrs. Tom Wilkins received guests and presented them to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Milburn Derryberry, the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Sam McGill, and to the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. M.W. Stockton of Pampa.

The refreshment table was laid with a white cloth and centered with a red and blue floral arrangement with blue candles. Crystal appointments were used. Alternating at the table were Mrs. Jerry Lewis, Mrs. Sandy Covery, along with Miss Belinda Burns and Miss Beverly Burns, cousins of the bride.

Special guests from Pampa, in addition to those in the house party, were three aunts of the honoree, Mrs. George Whitten, Mrs. Ralph Day and Mrs. Don Burns.

Hostesses were Mrs. Tom

Wilkins, Mrs. Milford Harris, Mrs. Olan Lowe, Mrs. Ocie Scott, Mrs. Ruby Williams, Mrs. W.F. Harbin, Mrs. Gene Morrow, Mrs. Pat Gulley, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Covey, Mrs. T.B. Wilkins, Mrs. C.A. Wilbur, Mrs. Leon Hartman and Mrs. Earl Finley.

Guests called between seven and eight-thirty in the evening.

NWMS Meets Wed.

The Nazarene Women's Missionary Society of Wellington met Wednesday, May 11.

Mrs. John Harrison, president, told of the events for the coming year. Rev. Harrison presented the lesson "The Seeds and Rocky Ground" on India.

Those attending were Rev. and Mrs. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Johnson, Mr. and

Mrs. Kelso Honors Guest

Mrs. Jimmie Kelso entertained with a coffee recently honoring her cousin, Mrs. Ree Berta Dederick of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

She is the former Ree Berta Crosby and lived in the Lutie Community.

Attending were long time friends including Mrs. J.W. Deger, Mrs. Rufus Sweat, Mrs. Thelma Blasingame, Mrs. Jack Lowry, Mrs. E.H. Harwell, Mrs. Tom Whitson,

Mrs. Selba Rainey, Mrs. Dick Sweat, Mrs. Carrie Boykin of Childress, Mrs. Cicero Gulley, and Mrs. H.L. Lowry.

Mrs. Oral Bishop, Mrs. Ruby Falk, Mrs. Clyde Emmert, Mrs. Pat Kimbro, Mrs. Herman Childress, Otis Emmert, Mrs. Rosalie Roberson, Mrs. Leslie Moore, Mrs. Claudia White, Susan Kimbro and Mrs. Milburn Gibbs.

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Kay Coffee Speaker at B&PW Annual Mothers Day Program

Wellington Business and Professional Women's Club held its annual Mother's Day program Tuesday, May 10, in Bura Handley community center.

Kay Coffee, a senior in Wellington High School, was the guest speaker. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Coffee, she is the winner of District I 4-H Club public speaking contest and will represent the Panhandle in the State 4-H Roundup at College Station Tuesday and Wednesday, June 7 and 8.

"I am no expert on the game of life, but I have been guided in a direction, which has shown me that someday, by believing in myself, believing in others, and believing in God, I can become the person I want to be," she said in developing her talk, "Becoming the Person You Want to Be."

"You must believe in yourself if you become a winner," she continued. "There are many obstacles that have to be overcome in one's lifetime, but you can be what you want to be."

"If you have a genuine belief in yourself, your fellowman and in God, then and only then, can you become what you want to be," the 4-H winner continued.

These three beliefs also constitute the three elements of being a winner, she pointed out.

Set high goals, Kay urged. "God made you and me unique persons and we should all use the talents he gave us to the best of our abilities."

"Four-H helped me because

I found people whom I can believe in and who will stand by me. We all need someone we can believe in, our parents, a 4-H leader, or a close friend, but find that person and believe in them, and be what you want to be," she concluded.

Kay also gave a musical reading, "Teddy Bear," accompanied by Kathleen Reeves. Program directors were Mrs. Raymond Patton and Mrs. Pearl Harwell.

Mrs. Lynn Wright, president, directed the business session and Mrs. Goldie Barnett read the collect. Mrs. Rufus Sweat led the group in singing "Love's Old Sweet Song," and "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" accompanied by Mrs. Truman Estes.

Final plans were made for the 57th annual convention of the Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, to be held in Ft. Worth June 10 and 12.

Miss Jean Chandler was accepted to club membership.

Guests were Mrs. J.L. Hays, Mrs. H.L. Lowry, Mrs. Fannie Whiteson, Mrs. Ree Berta Dederick of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., Mrs. John Coffee, Miss Coffee, Miss Reeves, and Mrs. Hazel McKinney.

Members attending were Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Harwell, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Jimmie Kelso, Mrs. Zook Thomas, Mrs. Barnett, Mrs. Bura Handley, Mrs. Dudley Phipps, Mrs. Truman Estes, Mrs. D.R. McKinney, Mrs. Ernest Harwell, Mrs. Billy Williams, Mrs. Don Hendrix, Miss Myra Hays and Miss Chandler.

Birthday Party Honors Two

Mrs. George Porter entertained with a birthday party Friday, May 13, honoring her husband, George Porter, and her grandmother, Mrs. Nina Beard.

The refreshment table was covered with a green lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of red carnations.

Gifts were presented, as were cakes for each honoree. Mrs. Beard's cake was decorated to note her talent in crocheting with crochet hooks and thimble. Mr. Porter's cake was topped with a South of the Border scene including miniature burro, cactus and Mexican senor.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mayhugh; Mr and Mrs. Rick

Weekend guests in the Albert Gollighugh home were Mr. Gollighugh's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Rogers and Christi of Amarillo. Those calling on Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gollighugh and Regina, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gollighugh, Rhonda and Cynthia, Mrs. Eugene Vernon, Darryl and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Gollighugh of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Howard, Jr., Kelly and Dennis of Mobeetie.

Motsenbocker; Mrs. Charles-reen Bolton, Jay, Shawn and Sheridene; the hostess, Mrs. Beard and George Porter and the hostess, Mrs. Porter.

Ann Smith, Lanny McGill Wed In Ceremony at Raton, N.M.

Miss Elizabeth Ann Smith and Lanny Curtis McGill of Childress were married in Raton, New Mexico Saturday, May 14, at six o'clock in the evening.

District Judge John B. Wright performed the ceremony in his chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Keith Smith, 1511 Dalhart Street, are the parents of the bride, while the bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Glenn McGill, 200 12th Street, and the late Mr. McGill.

For the ceremony, the bride chose a white floor-length gown with green and white checked gingham ruffles edging the skirt and sleeves. Her white picture hat was tied with green velvet streamers, and she carried a bouquet of white carnations and baby's breath, touched with foliage and tied with a green and white checked bow.

After the ceremony, close friends attended a reception in the home of Tina Clampett in Raton.

The bride is a graduate of Wellington High School, where she was a member of Beta Club and Ti-i-ca, and was a Miss Wellington runner-up in 1972.

She attended Clarendon College and was a legal



MRS. LANNY CURTIS MCGILL

secretary for Spillman and Spillman. She belonged to Business and Professional Women's Club. Since leaving Wellington, she has lived in

Raton and Lubbock. The bridegroom is a graduate of Quail High School and works for Lancer Mobile Homes in Childress.

Jerrell Needham, Tonnett Miller Wed Recently in Corpus Christi

Jerrell Lynn Needham son of Mr. and Mrs. Dayle Needham and Miss Tonnett Miller, daughter of Mrs. Mary Ann McLister, all of Corpus Christi, were married in the home of his parents, Thursday, May 12.

Judge Ellis, justice of the peace, performed the ceremony.

The bridegroom is also the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Needham and Mr. and Mrs. Doc Lewis. The Dayle Needham family formerly lived here.

The bride was escorted by Mr. Needham. Kathy Polenek, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor, while Barbara Needham, the bridegroom's sister, was bridesmaid.

Jimmy Needham was his brother's best man, and the groomsmen were Peter Miller, brother of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. C.O. Wilkerson recently visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. K.V. Willard, Vance, and Billy Ray of San Antonio. They also visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Rogers.

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Personal

Miss Mary Saied moved recently from Lubbock to Dallas to make her home. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied, Jr., and visited here recently.

Mrs. Edith Tramel of Fort Worth was a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Tramel, this weekend.

Card of Thanks

As my daughters and I leave Wellington, we want to say one more time an inadequate but sincere Thank You for all the things you did for Garry and us during his long illness and at the time of his death. You have proved that nothing excels Christian concern for a fellow man; and we have learned that nowhere are people better than they are in Wellington, Texas. Thank you.

Patsy Bowen, Donna Jo, Carey and Amy and All of the family of Garry Ray Bower

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Chek Canned Drink	\$1.19
Wright's Sliced Bacon Lb.....	\$1.39
Longhorn Red Rind Cheese Lb...	69¢
Del Monte - 46 oz can Pineapple Juice.....	4 / 1.00
Thrifty Maid - 303 Can Blackeye Peas.....	39¢
Hi-Dri Paper Towels Roll.....	59¢
Cracklin Good 16 oz box Saltine Crackers.....	39¢
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May 22 - 27

SUNDAY

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

MONDAY

9:45 a.m. First Christian Devotional
10:00 a.m. Houston FBC Worship

TUESDAY

9:45 a.m. First Christian Devotional
10:00 a.m. Day of Discovery
10:30 a.m. Sunday AM Worship FBC
7:00 p.m. Puntito-Spanish
7:05 p.m. Luz para un Mundo en tinieblas
7:30 p.m. Lighthouse Quartet

WEDNESDAY

9:45 a.m. First Christian Devotional
10:00 a.m. Jacob's Brothers
10:30 a.m. Moment of Truth
7:00 p.m. James Robison
7:30 p.m. Amarillo FBC Worship
8:30 p.m. Day of Discovery

THURSDAY

9:45 a.m. First Christian Devotional
10:00 a.m. Amarillo FBC Worship
11:00 a.m. James Robison

FRIDAY

9:45 a.m. First Christian Devotional
10:00 a.m. Sunday PM Worship FBC

Rev. and Mrs. Vaughan Will Be Honored on 50th Anniversary Sun.

A reception will honor the Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Vaughan, Sunday, May 22, in celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary. This will be in the Heritage Room from two to five in the afternoon, when friends will join in the festive event.

Rev. and Mrs. Vaughan moved recently from the Assembly of God parsonage to their new home at 1606 Dalhart Street.

Hosting the reception will be the couple's children and their families. The children are Mrs. Dave (Gwen) Lewis of Hamlin, Leonard Vaughan of Lubbock, Benny Vaughan of San Antonio, and Dr. Ted Vaughan of Columbia, Mo.

Rev. and Mrs. Vaughan were married in Wellington May 21, 1927. Both were born and grew up in Collingsworth County.

The former Vida Reeves, she was the daughter of the late Leonard and Doshia Reeves. Her parents farmed east of Wellington until 1940, when they moved to California. She attended Shinnery and Grassbur Schools.

Rev. Vaughan was born southwest of Wellington, in the Houselog community, son of the late Arthur and Julia Vaughan. His father died when he was only 9, and in later years his mother moved to Shamrock, living there until shortly before her death in 1956. Rev. Vaughan attended Houselog and Wellington High School.

After their marriage, the couple lived in and around Wellington until 1942. Their



REV. AND MRS. RAYMOND VAUGHAN

five children were born here. (One son, Kenneth Wayne, died in 1941 at 9 months of age.)

In 1942, Rev. Vaughan began his full time ministry with the Assemblies of God, and they moved to Canadian for their first pastorate. He built the church there.

In the 35 years since then, the Vaughans have been pastors of churches in Texas and New Mexico; at McCamey, where they built the

parsonage; Mexia where they renovated and rebuilt the church; Pecos, where lots for a new church were bought; and Lovington, N.M.

They returned to Wellington in 1975-- they had always called this home--and he became pastor of the Assembly of God Church.

The couple have 8 grandchildren. His brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Vaughan, are long-time residents here.

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Brownie Troops Take Part in Events at Camp Cibola

Two Wellington Brownie Troops, 41 and 228, participated in the Brownie Hop at Camp Cibola, north of Greenbelt Lake, during the weekend.

All troops took part in the flag ceremony, songs and games, lunch, hikes and the closing flag ceremony. At that point, younger girls, including those of Troop 228, returned home.

Troop 41, with other third grade Brownies, remained overnight to learn camping skills. This group of older girls also participated in the Flying

Up ceremony which denotes their promotion to Junior Scouts and receiving wings.

They were housed in large covered wagon boxes, with steps replacing the tongues. They put up their own tarps for covers. This group went wading at Carrol Creek, took canoe rides at Green Lagoon, and cooked their dinner out.

Games and skits followed. In an official flag burning ceremony, the girls learned how the United State Flag is disposed of when it can no longer be used.

The bridging ceremony, in which the girls fly up to become Junior Scouts, took place by candlelight. After breakfast and hiking, Scout's Own, a solemn ceremony, closed the camp.

Troop 41 members were Gina Barnett, Nicole Keller, Karen Mote, Kristy Settle, Lesa White, Carla Caison, Dana Thomas, Rhonda Heister, Freinde Perez, and Gwendy Kurlee.

Accompanying them were Mrs. Jerry Settle, leader; Mrs. Billy Kurlee and Mrs. Tommy Thomas, mothers, and Jonny Settle, mascot.

Troop 228 members included;

Kay Lynn Bartlett, Penny Wilkins, Leigh Ann Barton, Robi Lou Mabery, Linda Lacy, Gina Davis, Kristy Settle, Cristy Whitten, Ashley Williams, Angela Watts, Leslie Hammons, Heather Hendrix, Lori Luck.

Leaders were Mrs. Earl Lynn Bartlett, Mrs. George Barton and Mrs. Tom Wilkins.

Mothers were Mrs. R.L. Mabery, Mrs. Don Hendrix and Mrs. Eddie Davis.

Macrame a Club Study

The 1954 Study Club members met in the home of Mrs. J.D. Ward on Thursday, May 12, for the last meeting of 1976-77.

The club collect was led by Mrs. Fred Cox. Roll call was an arts and crafts show and tell session.

Following the business meeting, conducted by the president, Mrs. Lynn Wright, Mrs. J.D. Ward, program director, gave a program on macrame.

She displayed items that she had made, and pointed out the basic steps in beginning a macrame project. Each member practiced making some of the knots used in macrame under Mrs. Wards instruction.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Fred Cox, Mrs. Bob Goforth, Mrs. Bill Hatch, Mrs. Cal Hurst, Mrs. Jerry Nix, Mrs. Virgil Patterson, Mrs. Lois Ratliff, Mrs. Lynn Wright, and the hostess, Mrs. Ward.

Mrs. Fires Hosts Lydians

The Lydie Group of the United Methodist Women met Monday afternoon, May 16, in the home of Mrs. Chester Fires. Mrs. Bob McAlister was in charge of the meeting. She gave a devotion on faith and led in prayer.

Mrs. Esdel Bartlett gave the program about two missionaries in Bolivia, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFaren.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. James Boswell, Mrs. J.B. Stevenson, Mrs. C.R. DeArmond, Mrs. Hightower, Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. R.R. Crawley Mrs. Fred Covey and the hostess, Mrs. Fires.

and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Jordon, El Paso;

Special guests were: Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Peck of San Antonio. He was the first Ag Teacher at Samnorwood, where the Jolley family attended school.

Those of the family not able to attend were: Mr. and Mrs. Jay Jolley of Orland, Calif. and Mrs. Duff (Jolley) Yarbrough of Dallas.

Second Annual Grant Jolley Reunion Held in El Paso

(Compiled by family members)

The second annual reunion of the family of the late Grant Jolley of the Lutie Community was held the last weekend in April in El Paso, with Mr. and Mrs. Ervie Robinson II hosting the party.

Headquarters was the Holiday Inn on Airway Blvd.

Each morning started with a 10 a.m. breakfast at the Jard Inn Restaurant with a special waitress. Vivian McNabb serving.

The horse races was an event everyone enjoyed at Sunland Park, with April 29, being dedicated to the Jolley Reunion. Their name was in lights on the marquee. The eleventh race, being in their honor was announced by loud speaker and was also on the racing form.

A handsome horse blanket was given by the Jolley family and presented to the owner by the two sons present, Andy Jolley and Grant (Wart) Jolley II, who were escorted to the winner's circle by their wives

Chris and Vivian. An evening of entertainment came Saturday at the Roadway Inn Club. Dining and dancing was enjoyed with two bands alternating: The Apache, a 10 piece band, and The Big Family, a four piece band. Louis Albert Bardo, an entertainer from Mexico City, gave a fine performance.

Those attending were: Mrs. Cathrine (Jolley) Dodson of Stratmore, Calif.; Grant (Wart) Jolley and Vivian of Jolley of Auburn, Calif.; Mrs. Lillian (Jolley) Deger of Shamrock;

Andy and Christine Jolley of LaHabra, Calif.; Carl and Lorrene (Jolley) Van Rye of Blythe, Calif.;

Jack and Janell Whitford, of Okla. City. Ronnie Mitchell of El Paso, Darlene Wauereiko, of Cory, Pa.; Fay (Jolley) Mitcher of Lubbock; Sandy Crockett and daughter Dee Dee of El Paso;

Mr. and Mrs. Bo Robinson, Dawn and Robert IV of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Robinson, Mide and Michelle

Pathfinders Meet Sunday

Pathfinders of United Methodist Women met in the home of Mrs. Robert Owens Sunday, May 15, at three in the afternoon. This was not only a meeting of the group, but served to honor three of its members. Mrs. Dan Henard, Jr., was hostess.

Mrs. Tommy Campbell presented the UMW program presenting songs with the scripture. Mrs. Sandy Covey gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Andy Henard read the scripture.

Afterwards, a surprise kitchen shower was given Miss Nancy King, fiancée of Larry Henard.

A surprise pamper shower was given Mrs. Andy Henard. Mrs. Owens was honored with a house warming.

Those present were Mrs. Lynn Emmert, Mrs. Andy Henard, Mrs. Covey, Mrs. Jerry Lewis and daughter, Heidi, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Bill Spillman, Mrs. Rodney Kane, Mrs. Glenn Thomas, Miss Jean Chandler, Miss King and her mother, Mrs. King of Lawton, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Joe John Henard of Amarillo.

W. Needhams Host Family

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Needham of Salt Fork community hosted a group of relatives over the weekend.

These included a son, Mr. and Mrs. Dayle Needham, Barbara, Jimmy, Paul and Pam, and their older son, Jerrell Lynn Needham and his bride, Tonnelt, all of Corpus Christi.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clifton of Big Spring.

The Dayle Needham family also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Doc Lewis.

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MR. AND MRS. JOHN N. WALLACE

Mr., Mrs. J.N. Wallace Have 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Wallace, of 619 West Central, Harrison, Arkansas, will observe their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, May 29.

Martha Ellen Askey and John Nelson Wallace were married Sunday, May 29, 1927 in Childress, Texas. The Reverend Garland Shell, minister of the Presbyterian church, officiated.

They have one daughter, Johnnie Marie Ross, of Houston. She and her husband Ernest O. Ross, Jr., have three children, Linda, Elisa and Ernie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace celebrated in April with a trip to Houston, where they visited with the Rosses and attended

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gollighugh and Dub were in Mobeetie Friday night, May 13, to attend the high school graduation of their grandson, Bill Howard. He was the salutatorian of his class with a four year grade average of 92.81. Bill also received the "I Dare You" award and the citizenship medal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Howard, Jr. Another son, Kelly Howard, received the math and English medals.

a concert by the Houston Pops Orchestra. They had hoped to see their grandson play in a Little League baseball game, but it was rained out.

Sometime during the next year, they hope to make a trip to Williamsport, Pa., where the Rosses will be moving this summer.

Mr. Wallace owned and operated the J.N. Wallace Men's Store in Wellington from about 1925 to 1940. Mrs. Wallace taught in the public schools. They were both active in First Methodist Church and Eastern Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy West of Dallas are the parents of a son, Chad Sterling, born May 5 in Baylor Hospital. He weighed five pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oris West and Mr. and Mrs. H.B. Canada of Dallas. Great grandparents are Mrs. Myrtle West, Mrs. S.A. Welch of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Canada of Dallas.



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Lenora Oatman Has Dual CJC Honors

Clarendon College has named Lenora Oatman as Outstanding Student of 1977. Miss Oatman was selected from a list of candidates submitted by the faculty of Clarendon College.

Lenora is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Oatman of Rt. 1 Hedley. She is a 1975 graduate of Quail High School.

In addition to being named Outstanding Student, Miss Oatman earned the title of Class Valedictorian and was named to Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges of 1977.



Real Estate Transactions

Mildred Alford to Mildred Alford Quitclaim deed on lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 173.

James Doneghy to Richard E. Nall: Quit-claim deed, description not given.

Bobby Langford, to J.T. Slay: lot 11, block 232.

Ruby Tenison to Robert D. Harris: 5 acres out of SE/4 section 70, block 16.

Ruby Tenison to Allen Graves: East 37 feet of lots 22, 23 and 24, block 83, Wellington.

Tom Wilkins to Yates Q. Parker: lots 23 and 24, block 25, Wellington.

Lila Lee Thomas Parrish to Walter Allison: West 240 acres of South one-half of section 31, block 10.

S.W. Blackburn to Dewey Butley: 15 acres out of the South one-fourth of section 97, block 14.

Ansel McDowell to First Wellington Agency: lots 7, 8, and 9, block 131, Wellington.

Mrs. Edna Rudy to Sam McGill: lots 13 through 21, block 190, Wellington.

Ethel Hilburn to W.P. Wyrick: lots 17 and 18, block 117.

Harriette Ruth Parsons to Warren W. Parsons and Jewell M. Parsons, husband and wife: lots 13, 14, 15, block 224, Wellington.

WT Orientation Sessions Listed

WTSU--Beginning freshmen will benefit from attending West Texas State University's five summer orientation sessions scheduled for June 10 and 17, and July 1, 15 and 26.

The one-day sessions, open to all students tentatively admitted to WTSU, will answer questions about degree and course selection, careers, student services, registration and financial aid.

Students will also pre-register for their fall semester classes. They will be billed for their tuition and fees by mail later in the summer.

Individuals desiring advanced college placement may take the College Level Entrance Examination Program (CLEP) exams the preceding day. They must be registered for that particular orientation session before they may apply to take the exams. If the student achieves the prescribed score or better on the exams, he will receive the semester hours credit which will apply toward his degree.

Leader Want Ads get quick results.

City of Wellington to Mrs. E.L. King: cemetery deed.

Trustee's deed: Paul Spillman, trustee, to Etta Breeding: a tract 294' x 180' feet in S/2 section 52, block 16.

Barry R. Lewis and wife, LaVerne, to Kenneth R. Jackson and wife, Glenda G.: SW/4 section 60, and NW/4 section 41, block 10.

Sallie R. Neece to John Allen Neece: NW/4 section 76, block 22, and South 50 acres of NE/4 section 76, block 22; and 10 acres on the north side of W/2 section 76, block 22.

Childress Honor Seniors Named

The valedictorian and salutatorian of the 1977 Childress graduating class have Wellington ties.

The valedictorian in Nathan Ray, who has a ranking average of 100.79. The son of Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Ray, he lived here as a child. He is also the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Norman and Mrs. Ethel Ray, former Wellington residents.

Chuck Weaver is salutatorian with a ranking average of 99.02. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weaver and a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Nunneley.

Nathan plans to enroll at Texas Tech this fall to major in engineering. Chuck plans to attend Southwest Oklahoma State at Weatherford to study toward a degree in pharmacy.

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: K.D. Brian, W.D. Bryant, M.F. Roberson, E.T. O'Neil, Mrs. Jennie Ellis, W.W. Ellis and M.M. Robertson, and if deceased the legal representative of said deceased persons, and the unknown heirs of said named deceased person, if the unknown heirs of said deceased persons then the unknown personal representatives, executors, and devisees, if any of said K.D. Brian, W.D. Bryant, M.F. Roberson, E.T. O'Neil, Mrs. Jennie Ellis, W.W. Ellis, or M.M. Robertson or their assigns. Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable

District Court, Wellington, Texas of Collingsworth County at the Court House thereof, in Wellington, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 13th day of June A.D. 1977, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 27th day of April A.D. 1977, in this cause, numbered on the docket of said court and styled Velma Lucille Gilmore, individually and as the Independent Executrix of the Estate of Leroy Anderson Gilmore, deceased Plaintiff, vs. K.D. Brian, W.D. Bryant, M.D. Roberson, E.T. O'Neil, Mrs. Jennie Ellis, W.W. Ellis and M.M. Robertson et al Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit follows, to wit: *Trespass to try title and to remove cloud from title to all of Lots Nos. One, Two, Three, Four, five, Six, Seven, Eight, Nine, Ten, Eleven and Twelve in Block No. One Hundred Fifty-five (155) in the Original Town of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Texas, in which Plaintiff has specifically plead title under the five, ten and twenty-five year statute of limitations, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wellington, Texas, this the 27th day of April A.D. 1977.

Helen Gollighugh, Clerk, District Court, Collingsworth County, Texas
By Patsy Gentry Deputy

PUBLIC NOTICE

ORDER TO ADVERTISE FOR USED MOTOR GRADER

In a regular meeting of the Commissioners Court of Collingsworth County on May 9, 1977, the Court authorized the County Clerk to advertise for a used Motor grader.

Bids will be for purchase with trade in of 1968 Galion Motor grader, Serial Number-09209.

Specifications for used Motor grader; equipped as follows:

Tandem drive, diesel engine with not less than 125 flywheel horsepower, cab, heater, lights, 14 foot hydraulic side-shift blade weight not less than 26,500 lbs., scarf, with 6 months or 400 hour warranty.

Bids will be opened in Commissioners Court on June 13, 1977 at 2:00 p.m.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Helen Gollighugh County Clerk Collingsworth County, Texas

WANT ADS

PUBLIC NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: R.L. Hunt, Bertha Hunt, Robert Aden Hunt, Josephine Hunt Cochran, and Mackey Hunt, if living, and if not, to all persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to R.L. Hunt and Bertha Hunt of Collingsworth County, Texas as grantees, dated March 24, 1921 and recorded in Volume 64, page 135 of the Deed Records of Collingsworth County, Texas. Defendants, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court Wellington, Texas of Collingsworth County at the Court House thereof, in Wellington, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 27th day of June A.D. 1977, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 10th day of May A.D. 1977, in this cause, numbered on the docket of said court and styled Buford Chandler et ux Mary L. Chandler Plaintiff's, vs. R.L. Hunt, Bertha Hunt, Robert Aden Hunt, Josephine Hunt Cochran, and Mackey Hunt, Defendant.

A brief statement of the

nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: *Trespass to try title and to remove cloud from title to all of Lot Nos. Twenty-one and Twenty-two in Block No. 172 of the Original Town of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Texas, in which Plaintiff's have specifically plead title under the five, ten year statutes of limitations, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Wellington, Texas this the 10th day of May A.D. 1977.

Helen Gollighugh Clerk, District Court, Collingsworth County, Texas
By Louise Dwight Deputy

Attest:
Helen Gollighugh Clerk, District Court, Collingsworth County, Texas
By Louise Dwight Deputy

(Seal)

(Seal) s/Bill Hatch, Mayor
Correct Attest: Lorene Jenkins, City Secretary

PUBLIC NOTICE

ORDER TO ADVERTISE TO SELL HANGER

The City of Wellington is accepting bids for a hanger at Marian Airpark. The hanger must be used for airport related business by the buyer. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids will be opened Monday, June 20 at 7:30 p.m.

(Seal) s/Bill Hatch, Mayor
Correct Attest: Lorene Jenkins, City Secretary

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Rafters that echoed with hundreds of basketball games stand against the sky Monday, May 16 after a tornado ripped through the gymnasium of Quail School.

Rail Products Interviews Tues.

Wayne Smith, president of Southwestern Rail Products, Inc., was in Wellington Tuesday, May 17, interviewing several additional persons for employment.

Those who are hired will go into a training program at the Burns Flat plant, in preparation for the company's move to Wellington within a few months.

"Mr. Smith is well pleased with the progress of those he has already hired, and he said he would like some more just like them," said Kenneth Moore, vice president of Wellington State Bank.

Mr. Moore has application forms at the bank for those interested in employment.

County Records Four Accidents During March

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated four accidents on rural highways in Collingsworth County during the month of March, 1977 according to Sergeant James W. Powell, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

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

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first three months of 1977 shows a total of five accidents resulting in no persons killed and one person injured.

March accidents in area counties included:

Childress: 5 accidents, no deaths, one injury.

Cottle: 6 accidents, no deaths, one injury.

Donley: 7 accidents, no deaths, 6 injuries.

Gray: 10 accidents, no deaths, 10 injuries.

Hall: three accidents, no deaths, three injuries.

Hemphill: four accidents, no deaths, three injuries.

Wheeler: one accident, no deaths or injuries.

Two Panhandle counties, Roberts and Hansford, were accident-free.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fulcher visited in Arlington with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Roy Fulcher, Landi and Brian, over the weekend.

Denial of Bail to Repeaters Sought

Senator Jack Ogg (D-Houston) today announced final passage by the Texas Legislature of Senate Joint Resolution 3, which proposes an amendment to the Texas Constitution which would allow judges to deny bail to repeat offenders.

"A significant portion of the crimes in our state are committed by those who are free on bail at the time of the offense. This is especially true of the crimes of theft and burglary for a criminal to raise bail, or support a drug habit," the Houston Senator stated.

Mrs. Ratliff to Two Graduations

Mrs. Ben Ratliff will be in Shallowater and Clayton, N.M. for the graduation activities of two grandsons.

She will be at the baccalaureate service for Brent Ratliff, who is graduating at Shallowater, on Sunday, May 22. He is president of the student body and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ray Ratliff. Brent will attend Texas Tech University.

On Friday, May 27, she will be in Clayton, N.M. for the graduation of Aaron Ratliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ratliff. He is valedictorian of his graduating class and an all-state football and all-state basketball athlete. Aaron will attend West Texas State University, where he has received a mathematics scholarship.

Shortly afterward, Mrs. Ratliff will take her two 14-year-old grandchildren to Seattle, Washington, to visit her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Harman.

These are Brat Ratliff of Shallowater and Carman Ratliff of Clayton.

Mrs. Harman will be remembered as Beth Kizer, who taught in the rural schools here a number of years ago.

"This will help relieve that threat to society."

There are safeguards to preserve the constitutional rights of the accused. An order denying bail must be issued within 7 days of a person's incarceration for the second offense and the order is only effective for a period of 60 days. Furthermore, an appeal from an order denying bail must be given top priority by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

The proposed amendment will be submitted to the people of Texas for their approval in November of this year.

"I am confident that the people of Texas will ratify this amendment by an overwhelming margin, and passage will significantly reduce crime," Senator Ogg concluded.

Tate Attends TET Meeting

Rudie Tate, a state director of Texans for Equitable Taxation, is in Austin where he and other officers and directors are to confer with Texas representatives and members of the Senate.

They will discuss, with the legislators taxation in general, with emphasis on rural taxation and taxation as it relates to schools.

Lunchrooms

WELLINGTON

Monday-May 23: Spaghetti with meat sauce, english peas, whole kernel corn, fruit juice, bread, cookies, 1/2 pint milk.

Tuesday-May 24: Pissa, green beans, mashed potatoes, carrot stick, fruited jello, 1/2 pint milk.

Wednesday-May 25: Cooks choice: meat, salad, vegetable or fruit, bread, 1/2 pint milk.

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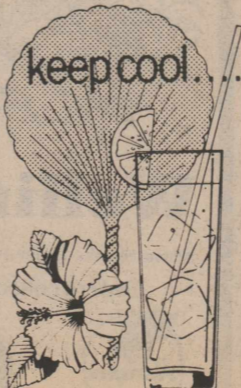
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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Collingsworth County are taking bids on lowering and insulating the ceiling and putting in refrigerated air conditioning in the District Court Room in the Collingsworth County Courthouse.

Bids will be opened June 13, 1977 at 3:00 p.m.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Helen Gollighugh
County Clerk
Collingsworth County,
Texas

NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization, regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Wellington, Texas, Collingsworth County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m., beginning on Tuesday the 14th day of June, 1977, and from day to day thereafter, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in Collingsworth County, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1977, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Helen Gollighugh
County Clerk
Collingsworth County,
Texas

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our sincere thanks to all our friends who sent flowers, food, cards, gifts, and to all who visited me during my illness.

We are also grateful to Dr. Perez, Dr. Holcomb, King Bowen, Mary Saldana and the hospital nursing staff.

Your thoughtfulness and concern will always be remembered. May God bless each of you.
Wayne and Ernestene Cummings

Card of Thanks

May we express our appreciation to everyone who was so nice and thoughtful in any way, during my recent illness.

These deeds have meant much to us.

Lucille and Sammie Molsenbocker

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks for the kindnesses shown us and for the flowers food and cards sent by our friends and neighbors at the time of the death of our loved one.

A special thanks to Dr. Perez, Fire Department, Church of Christ and Rev. Tom Anderson.

May God bless each of you.
The family of Lonny Driver

We wish to express sincere thanks to Dr. Jones, nursing staff of the hospital and nursing center, Jimmy Kelso, Rev. and Mrs. Hoyt Ellis, for cards, flowers, food and contributions during the loss of our loved one.

The family of Murd Johnson

I wish to express my sincere thanks and appreciation to all who sent flowers, cards, gifts and food, and to all who visited me during my recent illness. Your thoughtfulness has meant much to me.
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City Designates Fund Depository

City State Bank's bid to be depository for the City of Wellington funds for the next two years was accepted by Wellington City Council at a regular meeting Monday, May 16. Wellington State Bank also bid on the depository job.

City State will loan the city money at 3% per annum and will pay 6 1/4% plus daily compounding on the city's time deposits of 30 days to 72 months. The bank will make no charge for handling the city's accounts and for checks.

The council also voted to sell the city's old dump ground, 10 acres out of the southeast corner of NE 1/4 section 39, block 15, to Simon Garza for \$2,000.

And the council voted to put up for sale the city's old hanger at Marian Airpark. Bids will be opened for the

hanger on June 20. Earlier the council bought Gene Morrow's larger hanger at the airport for \$4,000 plus consideration of paving that the city is doing for Morrow.

AUSTIN—Modern society, which is oriented to productivity and youth, tends to lump the elderly into the negative stereotypes of "senile" and "cantankerous," says a University of Texas associate professor of nursing.

Dr. Ruth Gallman says those stereotypes cause younger people "to withdraw



BAND BOOSTER OFFICERS

These five were re-elected officers in Band Boosters for the 1977-78 year. From left, they are Howard Murdock, vice president and concessions co-chairman; Mrs. Murdock, concessions co-chairman; Mrs. Robert Lacy, treasurer; Mrs. Troy Thomason, secretary; and Jerry Nix, president.

Cattle Raisers Hear of Marketing Referendum

Collingsworth County farmers and ranchers heard details of the upcoming beef referendum Thursday, May 12, at the Farm Bureau building.

Dr. Ray Sammons, area economist for the extension service, told county men the details of the referendum they will decide in the next two months. Registrations dates for the voting are June 6 through 17 and voting will be July 5 through 15.

The referendum is made possible by Congress' passage of the Beef Research and Information Act. The act allows cattlemen across the country to join together in a uniform collection system to provide money for beef research and promotion if they vote to do so this summer.

If the referendum passes, a Beef Board will be set up with 68 members with staggered 6-year terms.

Bona fide cattlemen's organizations will submit names to the U.S. Secretary of Agriculture who will then select the board from those submitted. The 68 members will be allocated to various areas of the country according to cattle population. Seven will come from Texas. The board will elect an executive committee and the committee will hire a paid staff. Board members will receive no salary.

The board will have four functions: beef promotion, consumer education, research

and foreign market development. No money collected through the board can be used for lobbying.

Money to finance the project will be collected through a "value added" concept. Each time cattle are sold the seller contributes 0.3% of the value he adds to the animal. Example: A cow calf producer sells a calf to a stocker operator for \$100. The purchaser deducts 0.3% (30 cents) when he writes the check. The producer receives \$99.70.

Later, if the stocker operator sells a yearling to a feeder for \$200, 0.3% (60 cents) is deducted by the feeder so he receives a check for \$199.40. Since the stockman already received 30 cents from the producer, he is contributing only 30 cents on the \$100 value he added.

Finally if the feeder sells the steer to a packer for \$400, the

packer deducts 0.3% (\$1.20) and sends it to the Beef Board.

Through this system, each man has paid a share, but only the packer is required to keep up with paperwork and send in the money to the Beef Board. If any owner does not wish to participate, he can get a refund of the amount he contributed upon request from the Beef Board.

Anyone who owned cattle in calendar year 1976 is eligible to vote. Partnerships owning cattle have one vote, husbands and wives who own cattle together have one vote, and individuals have one vote. So a person could cast more than one vote if he owned cattle in various combinations. 1.8 million people are qualified to vote in the referendum but Sammons said the Beef Development Taskforce, which is backing the proposal, has a goal of 200,000 people voting.

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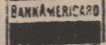
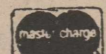
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Hospital Notes

Mrs. Ava Van Pelt, medical, was a patient from May 9 to May 15.

Jess Wilson was admitted as a medical patient May 9 and dismissed May 13.

Mrs. Doshia Dix, medical, was hospitalized May 10 and May 11.

Mrs. Edna Downing, was a medical patient from May 11 to May 13.

Clyde Emmert, medical, was admitted May 11.

Ravena Graves, Shamrock, medical, was hospitalized May 11 and dismissed May 15.

Jerry Lewis, was a patient May 11 and May 12.

Mrs. Dudley Coleman, medical, was admitted May 11.

Debra Pennon, medical, was hospitalized May 12.

Mrs. Cecil Browning, medical, has been a patient since May 14.

Mrs. Jewel Morgan, medical, was admitted May 14.

Mrs. Eddie Orr, medical, was admitted May 14.

Alfred Patterson, medical, was hospitalized May 15.

Patients admitted earlier and dismissed since May 9:

L.J. Armstrong, May 9.

Keith Jessie, May 9.

Wayne Cummings, May 10.

Mrs. Sammy Molsenbocker, May 10.

Mrs. N.J. Turner, May 10.

Mrs. Bessie Whitten, May 11.

Mrs. Ernest Maxwell, May 11.

Roy Tisdale, May 11.

FFA Can Lead to Many Life Careers, Quail Chapter Told

Last of the major entertainments given in Quail School before it was destroyed by a tornado was the Future Farmers of America annual guest banquet Tuesday, May 10.

The guest speaker Ernie Houdashell of the KGNC-TV farm staff, Amarillo, told the boys and their guests how being a member of FFA started him in his career of farm broadcasting. He urged them to take advantage of all that FFA offered, for it can lead them to good careers.

In citing those qualities that help a boy succeed, Houdashell named these: Don't give up, work hard, cultivate your personality, have initiative, estimate your ability and increase it 10 percent, take advantages of opportunities that come your way.

Also, cooperate with other people, pray, and have a closeness to God.

"By being in FFA,

hopefully you will be ready for Tomorrow," said Houdashell, who was a student of Doyle Messer during his high school years at Hedley. "We cannot name all the occupations into which FFA can lead you, but there is no end to what you can be in agriculture."

He paid tribute to the late Jerry Litton, a timid farm boy who took advantage of his opportunities and was a rising star in Congress when he was killed in a plane crash a few months ago.

Mr. Messer thanked those of the community who had cooperated with the FFA members during the year. Monty Mitchell and Mrs. Dollie Mae Wilson, who have "gone the extra mile" and Virginia Robey for publicity. The Wellington Leader has given the chapter.

Awards were presented by Jimmy Patterson and Charles Hall to: Russ Mangum, for dairy products; David Torrez,

electrification; Ray Villalon, ag mechanics; Dale Boyett, Swine; Ricky Needham, crops; Mike Guthrie, livestock products; Ronald Alston, beef products; Ralph Fielding, public speaking; Bill Kennedy, farmstead improvement; Danny Wischkaemper, green-hand award; and Harvey Oatman, chapter star.

Oatman, chapter president, was master of ceremonies. While Needham gave the invocation, Kennedy welcomed the guests, Mangum and Guthrie gave reports. The Chapter Sweetheart, Karen Caldwell, was introduced.

Chapter members, in addition to those receiving awards, were Ronald Alston, Kevin Culpepper, Eric Hall, Donnie Lewis, Jimmy Patterson, Charles Hall and David Russell.

Entertainment was songs by a group from the three county schools, Renessa Cardwell, Kloette Camp, Kelley Covey,

Doctor Retains AAFP Membership

KANSAS CITY, MO. Carter Holcomb, M.D. has completed continuing education requirements to retain active membership in the American Academy of Family Physicians, the national association of family doctors. The Academy formerly was called the American Academy of General Practice.

The requirements call for members to complete a minimum of 150 hours of accredited continuing medical study every three years. Members become eligible for re-election at the end of the third year following their election to membership. The Academy, the country's second largest national medical

association, is the only national medical group that requires members to keep up with medical progress through continuing education.

The Academy, founded in 1947 and headquartered in Kansas City, Mo., was instrumental in the establishment of a new primary specialty in family practice in 1969. The new specialty is expected to increase the numbers of family physicians available to serve the public in the future. The Academy's continuing education program is the foundation of eligibility for family doctors now in practice who apply for certification in the new specialty.

DiAnna Schaub, Teresa Hodges, Susan Kimbro, David Russell and Dickey Moore.

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ALL AWARDS

Debbie Stallings won all three awards presented at the Band Banquet Thursday, May 12. They included the Distinguished Musicians Certificate, That Skyrocket Bandsman, and the Arion Award.

Band Awards Presented May 14

That Band from Rocketland was honored with a banquet Thursday, May 12, to close out the year's activities. Members of the Band Parents Club were hosts.

Debbie Stallings received all three of the awards given, and her selection was made independently by three groups.

Fellow band students chose her to receive That Skyrocket Bandsman Award. The faculty selected her for The National Arion Award, which includes community service as well as excellence in band music. The Distinguished Musicians Certificate, from the Marine Corps Association, was given for the first time.

Four All-region band members were presented, Debbie Stallings, who plays the flute, Brenda Willis, clarinet, Allen Murdock, and Suzy Castleberry, coronet.

Two students received band jackets, Murdock and Kathy Daniels. Seniors were introduced, including Kim Cannon, Suzy Castleberry, Kay Coffee, Tim Cummings, Rhonda Hernandez, Debbie Moore, Susie Patrick, Debbie Stallings, Janee Taylor, Rane Taylor, Terrie Vassey, Brenda Willis, Penny Morgan and Sonya Scott.

Also at the banquet, Band Booster officers were announced for the coming year. Jerry

Nix returns as president; Howard Murdock vice president; Mrs. Troy Thomason, secretary, Mrs. Robert Lacy, treasurer; Mr. and Mrs. Murdock will be in charge of concessions.

Charley Wampler Dies at Scurry

Funeral services for Charley Saxon Wampler were held on May 2 at the Church of Christ in Scurry.

Mr. Wampler died at the Ennis Municipal Hospital on Saturday, April 30.

The Rev. Danny Anders of Houston officiated at the service and burial was in Mt. Olive Cemetery in Scurry.

He was born on January 13, 1919, in Scurry, where he lived most of his life.

He served in the United States Army in the Infantry and as a Paratrooper during World War II. Surviving relatives are his wife Leta Wells Wampler of Scurry; two sons, Danny Ray Wampler and Jerry Pat Wampler of Scurry; a step-son, James Michael Llorente of DeSoto; 7 grandchildren; two sisters and two brothers.

He was the son-in-law of Mrs. Percy Wells, now of Scurry, and the late Mr. Wells.

Flag girls were introduced: Kay Coffee, Laura Gragson, Debbie Moore, Peggy Popwell, Lee Ann Sessions, Terrie Vassey, Debra Wood and Brenda Willis.

Charles Clinton of Clarendon was the guest musician, playing the piano and singing. The film was shown of the Skyrocket Marching Band at its fall 1976 appearance in UIL competition at West Texas State University.

Cleland Stallings, who became director of the band two months ago, was master of ceremonies. The Rev. A.R. Vaughan gave the invocation and Suzy Castleberry, band vice-president, welcomed and band members and guests.

Gifts were presented to Mr. Stallings by the elementary and junior high bands.

Officers who have led the band this year, besides Suzy are Kay Coffee, secretary-treasurer; Tim Cummings and Beverly Orr, sergeants at arms; and Debbie Stallings, drum majorette.

The banquet was given in Bura Handley Community Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mayhugh were joined by his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher, Amarillo, for a visit in the Lawton and Apache, Oklahoma areas to visit their aunts and uncles during the weekend.

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Dodson Civic Club Honors its Mother of Year, Woman of Year

Dodson Civic Club met Thursday, May 12, in the home of Mrs. Hildreth Charlton in Hollis, with Mrs. Emma Lee Pittman and Mrs. Ewing Ready as co-hostesses. Two long-time members were honored.

The hostess was also honored during the meeting as the club's Mother of the Year. She was presented a corsage of pink striped carnations, and Mrs. Sherrell Beanland read "This is your life, Hildreth Charlton."

This told of her early life in Hollis, where she was the first woman to drive a car.

She, in turn, gave members a tour of her home, to see her antique furniture, including a bed which is 275 years old. Club members then honored their Woman of the Year, Mrs. B.B. Martin.

Mrs. Murray Dodson read a sketch of her life and the work she has done through the years in both the club and the community.

Mrs. Purl Tippie gave a program on arts and crafts, and showed a vase of flowers she had made from seeds of various types.

During the business meeting, members set Wednesday, May 25, as work day at Dodson Cemetery. Mrs. Martin gave the report from the cemetery committee.

The meeting was directed

by Mrs. Fred Boyd, president, with Mrs. Louis Patterson leading the pledges to the United States and Texas Flag, and Mrs. Clarence Black reading the American's Creed.

Mrs. Charlton's daughter, Mrs. John Millspaw of Clinton, Oklahoma, assisted with the serving, and those

present included Mrs. Dodson, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Clarence Black, Mrs. Patterson, Mrs. Lynvel Black, Mrs. B.T. Webb, Mrs. T.E. Lennon, Mrs. Tippie, Mrs. Howell, Mrs. Thurman Crownover, Mrs. Beanland, Mrs. Willis Pierce, Mrs. Pittman, Mrs. Ready, Mrs. Charlton and Mrs. Millspaw.

Juliana Baumgardner Named President of Tech Honorary

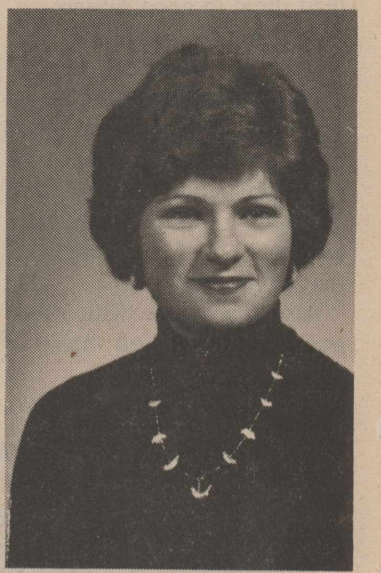
Juliana Baumgardner recently was elected president of the Texas Tech University Chapter of Phi Upsilon Omicron, a home economics honorary.

She was installed for the one-year term in a ceremony Thursday, April 26. She has been a member two years.

Juliana also was re-elected secretary of the Residence Halls Association.

Next year, she will be a senior at Texas Tech University with a double major, food nutrition and home economics education.

During this summer, she will be head cook at Camp Wabasso, a Girl Scout Camp, in Bradford, New Hampshire. She will begin her work June 17 and will be in New Hampshire 9 weeks.



JULIANA BAUMGARDNER
Juliana is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Baumgardner.

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C.F. Hyman Celebrates 100th Birthday Sunday

C.F. Hyman of the Nicholson community will observe his 100th birthday this week.

A reception honoring him will be held Sunday, May 22, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. at the

family home 15 miles north of Wellington.

Mr. Hyman's friends are asked to join the family in honoring him at that time, as he will enjoy visiting with them.



JOE BAUMGARDNER

A distinguished high school athlete and recipient of a number of awards, Joe Baumgardner is graduating as one of the top seniors scholastically.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Baumgardner of Route 2 and was born here September 7, 1958. He has attended only the Wellington schools.

A climax to his athletic career came in mid-May, when he was a member of the two relay teams that represented Wellington, District 2-A and Region 1 in the state UIL meet at Austin.

Joe has played football four years and run track four. He was named to the All-District football team as an offensive end after the 1976 season. In track, he was a regional qualifier in 1975, '76 and '77, but this is the first year he has gone to state.

He was named to Who's Who and classmates this year chose him as Most Likely to Succeed.

Outside of school, Joe was selected to attend American Legion Boys State in the summer of 1976.

He has exhibited beef calves as a 4-H Club member, and he knows what it feels like to show a grand champion. He has exhibited calves at Amarillo, El Paso, Ft. Worth and the biggest of them all, Houston. Joe works on the farm with his father.

His favorite subjects are Texas History and chemistry and Joe considers sports as his hobby.

Next year he will attend Texas Tech University, at Lubbock, a school that has had some member of the Baumgardner family enrolled most of the years for the last 40.

ERNEST EUGENE MOODY

Ernest Eugene Moody is another senior who has brought recognition to Wellington High School. A member of VICA, and student in the auto mechanics class, he won first place on the cylinder head that he took to the District contest.

He qualified to go to the state event, but illness kept him from going.

The son of Mrs. C.L. Moody, Route 1, and the late Mr. Moody. He was born in Wellington December 2, 1958, and has attended only the Wellington Schools.

Ernest was manager of the football team and also played football one year and

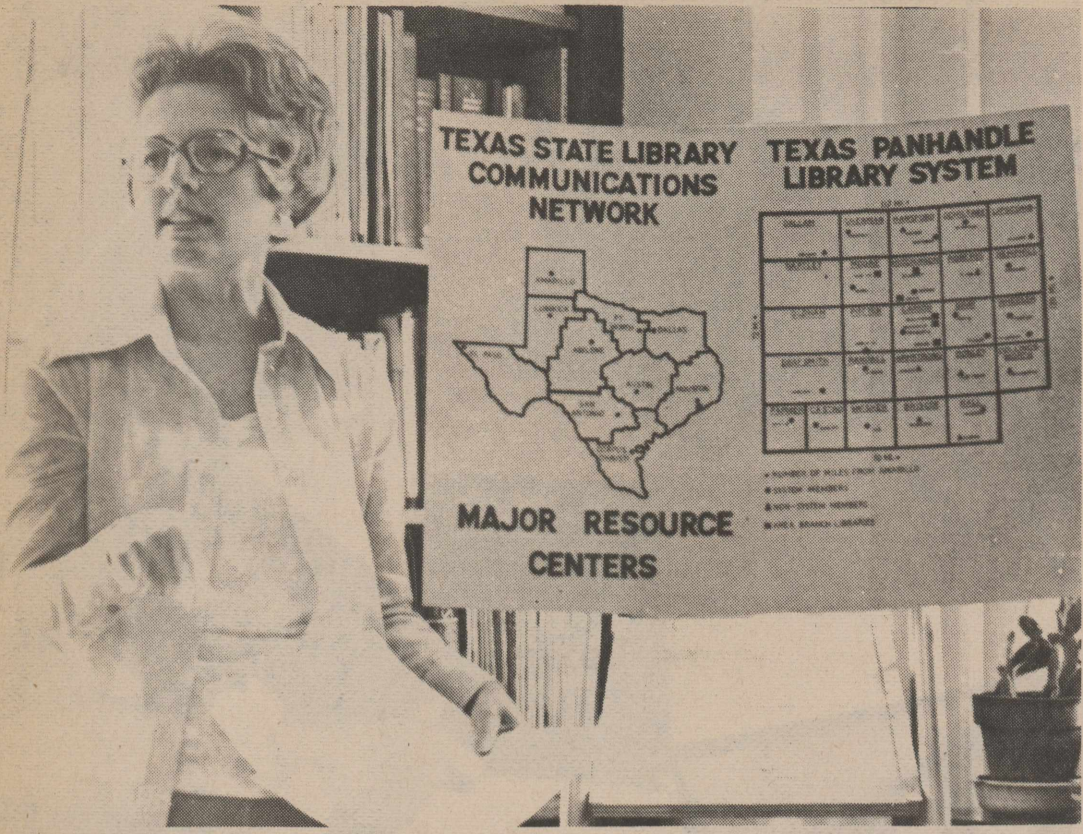
basketball one. He belonged to Future Farmers of America three years.

A two-year member of VICA, he was vice president of the auto mechanics class this year.

Ernest also served as a student librarian.

Auto mechanics and Texas history are his favorite subjects, and he mentions as hobbies working on cars, riding motorcycles and playing softball.

Next year he will attend Amarillo College at its School of Vocational Arts, where his major study will be in diesel mechanics.



ANN OUSLEY

Library Can Be Expanded

A researcher seeking information in a specialized field, a college student working on an in-depth term paper, the retiree wanting to satisfy his curiosity on some obscure subject—all these can get every bit of this information by going to his hometown library and asking for it.

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He can get it from the libraries of Texas Universities, from the largest public libraries in the state, or from the Texas State Library—again if his library is a member of the Library System.

Collingsworth County Library is close to qualifying for membership, according to Ann Ousley, coordinator for the Texas Panhandle Library System, who spoke at a luncheon meeting of Friends of the Library, Monday, May 16.

To qualify, the librarian must be certified through extending her education in the field. Mrs. Clara Mote,

Collingsworth librarian, is doing this. Miss Ousley told the group.

The library itself must have at least 10,000 volumes. Collingsworth Library has approximately 8,000, and if it becomes a member, will have two years to come up to the required number.

Besides access to material in University, other public libraries and the state library, Miss Ousley pointed out additional advantages available through membership in the Texas Panhandle Library System:

-Continuing education workshops for the librarians in fields that are passed on to county residents.

-Assistance in collection development for the member library.

-Film service. The Major Resource Center, in this case the Amarillo Public Library, has films available for postage only. Members can get as many as 5 per month.

-Cassette tapes, which may be kept for three months.

-Bibliography books available by mail.

-Mail-a-Book service, through which the reader gets the books he wants, with a return postage-free mailer.

-Reciprocal borrowing, whereby an accredited individual can borrow a book from any library in the Panhandle.

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As a non-member library, Collingsworth does participate in the Texas Panhandle Library System on a limited scale. Through the Inter-Loan Library Program (ILL) 200 books may be borrowed from the Amarillo Public Library for a period of six months. When they are returned, an additional 200 are borrowed.

Mrs. Ronnie O'Rear, president of Friends of the Library, was in charge of the meeting. Others present were Mrs. David Caison, Miss Bonnie Willis, Mrs. Cecil Masten, Mrs. George Porter, Mrs. Jim Boswell, Mrs. J.F. Michael, Mrs. Emil Kersten, Mrs. Clara Mote, Henry Wells and Miss Virginia Robey.

Norwood Juniors Entertain Seniors with "50s" Banquet

"Arnold's" was the setting for the Norwood Jr.-Sr. Banquet, hosted by the Junior Class. The banquet was held in Bura Handley Community Building, Saturday evening, April 30.

A "Happy Days" motif was carried throughout, from servers, and table settings to dessert. Serving were Kim Peebles, Ravena Graves, Lowry Schaub, Gib Martindale and Mike Bentley.

Seniors and parents honored were: Bobby Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Myers; Mable Bryant, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Bryant; Mike Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hill; Gary Skinner, son of Mrs. Alpha Skinner; Robert Cruz, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Abelino DelBosque; and Clifford and Clinton Oldham, sons of Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Oldham. Zeldon Jenkins, Senior Class sponsor, and wife Reta attended.

Junior present were: Tonya Kincannon, Mark Tarver, Donnie Knoll, Johnny Oldham, Ricky Bentley, DiAnna Schaub, Richard Lee, Dale Turner, Margaret Sanderson, and Leitha Martindale. Class

Parents for the Junior Class are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Tarver, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schaub. Both couples were present.

Superintendent Rex Peebles and his wife, Ellie, attended as did Kenneth Martindale, principal and his wife, Kay.

School Board members attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank Knoll, Mr. and Mrs. James Martindale, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wischkaemper, and Jim Ray.

Faculty and their spouses attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schaub, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Mead, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Zeldon Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. John Stages, and Miss Judy Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burcham, Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson, and Mr. and Mrs. Selba Rainey, Mrs. Ernest Lee, a Junior class parent, assisted the servers also.

Mrs. Sam Thompson Features Piano Students on Channel 5

Piano students of Mrs. Sam Thompson were presented in their spring recital Sunday, May 15, at First Baptist Church. Friends and relatives attended.

On Thursday, May 18, at 4:00 p.m., the taped recital will be played on First Baptist Church TV Channel 5.

Students performing are Penny Wilkins, Gina Barnett, Nicole Keller, Suzanne Floyd, Lesa White, Shanna Mead, Darvin Nix, Lisa Nix, Rodney Mize,

Tami Boswell, Renessa Cardwell, Roy Cardwell, T. Jay Robertson, Connie Lang-

Mr. and Mrs. George Cristy and Kirk of Seminole were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cristy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bird, Bonita and Phyllis of Wichita Falls were weekend visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyles, and Mrs. Pauline Bias. They also visited the Walter Gentrys.

ford, Valerie Van Pelt, Kathleen Reeves, Jeffrey Camp and Kloette Camp.

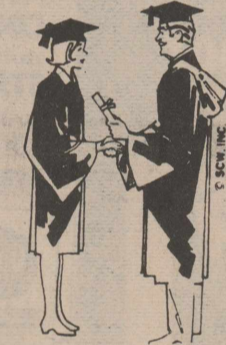
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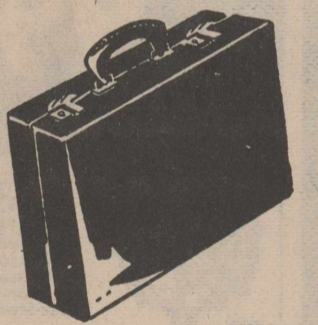
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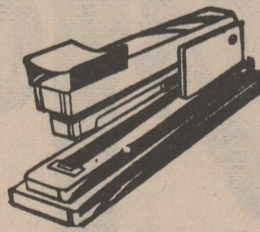
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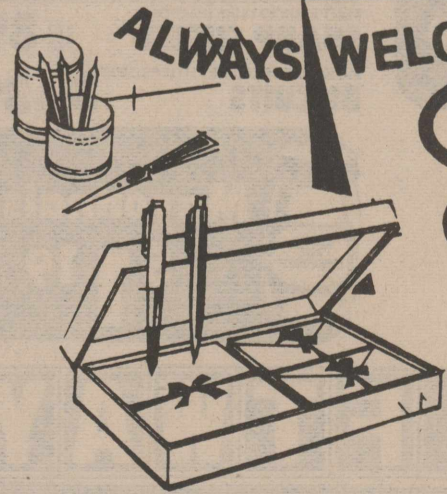
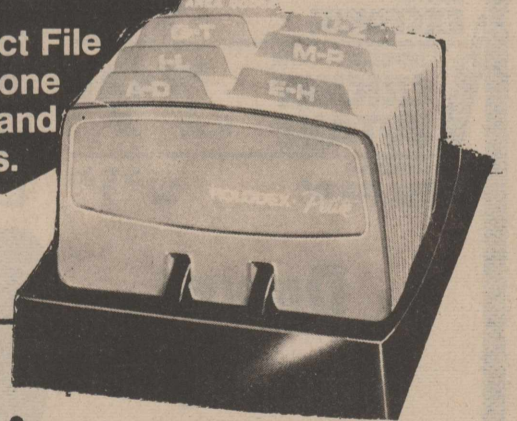
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Friends salvage household goods from Quail Superintendent Wilford Arthur's house on the Quail School grounds after a tornado swept away outside walls and roof Monday, May 16.



A school bus wraps around a tree that once shaded the Quail School playground.



Mud splattered books stand neatly in their shelves in a library without walls or ceiling.

Don Tarver Heads County Republicans

Ray Hutchison, chairman of the Republican Party of Texas, has announced that Don Tarver of Quail has been appointed as Republican chairman in Collingsworth County. Hutchison said that he has certified Tarver's appointment to the Secretary of State and was pleased to have a man of Tarver's abilities at the head

of the party in Collingsworth County. Tarver is a rancher. He and his wife, Marty, attended a one-day seminar Saturday, May 14, sponsored by the Republican Party of Texas, and held at the Villa Inn, Amarillo. Tarver stated that the purpose of the meeting was to bolster the organization strength

of the party in the Amarillo area. County chairmen, vice-chairmen and precinct workers attended. A native of Memphis, Tarver married the former Marty Allen of Quail in 1949. A graduate of Kansas State University, he joined the staff of the American Hereford Journal in 1950 and became a field representative of the

Texas Hereford Association in 1952. In 1954, he became advertising director of the American Quarter Horse Journal and was promoted to editor of that publication in 1956. Tarver moved to Topeka, Kansas in 1959 where he was publicity director of The Kansas Power and Light Co. Sell it with a Classified Ad.

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Your Library Needs Help

Ann Ousley, coordinator of the Texas Panhandle Library System, told Friends of the Collingsworth County Library this week that the county library is approaching the level where it can become a member of Texas state library system.

And that's good news for all of us in the county. When the library is certified, county residents will have access to books in public libraries across the state and for research purposes, the state's university libraries can be used.

Prints of popular paintings will be available to check out and hang on our walls for one month periods.

Film libraries will be available for club and school use. And cassette recordings may be checked out.

But all of these good things come at a price. We must be willing to spend the money to upgrade our library to meet state standards before we can benefit from the programs mentioned above.

Mrs. A.V. Mote is doing a good job as county librarian. But she needs help.

Contact Mrs. Mote or members of the Friends of the Library this week to find out how you can help upgrade one of our county's finest resources.

Other Editors Say . . .

New Legal Snarls

Advent of solar energy as a viable source of fuel-less heating and cooling raises innumerable legal issues, ranging from land use control to consumer protection.

Energy from the sun has never been more attractive than now, and the impetus supplied by the shortage of conventional fuels has resulted in much progress in harnessing sunlight in a relatively short period. This means the legal problems must be solved with dispatch.

Whose sunlight is it? If your solar collector shades your neighbor's house, are you stealing from him? Sunlight, according to most legal experts, is used, not owned. It cannot be captured and sold, and this in itself is an unusual concept, akin to use of water, although water can be captured, stored and discarded after use.

Riparian rights could be the model for any legislation to pin down rights of citizens to use sunlight. Based on English common law, riparian doctrine gives the right to use water to the person who owns or controls the land through which the water flows, with the provision that he doesn't deprive downstream owners of their portion of these rights.

Whatever ultimate solution, or legal principle, is adopted, the pioneer in use of solar energy should be careful to consider his neighbors, lest he become an expensive court test case.

Wichita Falls Record News

Hearing Without Public

Another public hearing has come and gone, and the public took no note of it. The subject was highway improvement projects planned by Texas Highway Department, and judging from response, highway engineers have full permission to go ahead with whatever scheme they wish.

It's discouraging to everyone involved in government to see such apathy, for this is what totalitarianism is made of. We're not suggesting that the country is anywhere near a dictatorship, but it's obvious citizens don't have the proper concern for things that are, or should be, of consuming interest to them.

The public hearing is required by federal law so citizens can see the direction highway planners are taking to provide adequate transportation facilities.

Without such a hearing, federal funds cannot be obligated. The hearing in question concerned the program for the next five years of highway development, some 23 projects.

We suppose, as in the old saying "silence denotes consent." Somehow, though, it's a shame to see public business transacted without the public's presence, for no reason than lack of interest. Wichita Falls Record News

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Lyndell Williams TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN — The 53-year-old electric chair may have seen its last use in Texas.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe signed into law a bill which will substitute lethal drug injections for "Old Sparky" as the method of carrying out future death sentences.

Texas and Oklahoma are the first states to go to execution by drugs.

Both the Texas and Oklahoma laws actually are not effective until September 1. A Texas single execution is scheduled before that time — that of Robert Excel White on June 15.

Briscoe declined to say whether he would order a delay until the new law goes into effect in three months.

"I see this legislation as providing a more dignified and humane way of carrying out the death penalty," Briscoe commented in signing the bill.

Rep. Ben Z. Grant of Marshall and Sen. Bill Braecklin of Dallas sponsored the bill.

Efforts to abolish the death penalty have failed in the current session of the legislature.

The new law directs the director of the Texas Department of Corrections or someone he designates to carry out sentences of execution by injections of a "substance that will cause death."

"Old Sparky," which has killed more than 360 men, is expected to be donated to a museum.

Pay Bill Passes

A \$369 million teacher pay bill won House approval by a lopsided majority.

At the same time, House members voted to increase teacher retirement benefits by \$213 million.

The pay bill would increase base salaries of beginning teachers from \$8,000 to \$9,024 the first year of the biennium and \$9,384 the second year — about 12 per cent. A teacher with 21 years experience may get a raise of from \$11,780 to \$14,382 — 13 per cent. A six year teacher would get about six per cent increase.

Meanwhile, the Senate Education sub-committee is considering an \$820 million overall school finance bill which would give teachers

a \$320 million raise — 5.1 per cent in 1978 and 3.4 per cent in 1979. The Senate also is considering a teacher retirement bill.

More Jobs

Texas Employment Commission detected substantial progress toward curbing unemployment during March.

About 5.1 per cent of the labor force was seeking jobs at that time.

That compares with 5.5 per cent in February and 6.1 per cent in March of 1976.

"While all segments of manufacturing and non-manufacturing experienced upturns from last month, non-manufacturing groups had the most significant increases," TEC noted in its statistical study.

The number of Texans out of jobs in March was at the lowest point since August 1975. A total of 286,000 Texans were jobless in March, TEC said.

Courts Speak

The Court of Criminal Appeals, acting on a state motion for rehearing, agreed to reconsider a Tarrant County murder conviction it reversed last month.

A Pasadena woman won an \$87,242 damage verdict through a Supreme Court appeal against a Jack-in-the-Box restaurant which didn't act fast enough to get police to avoid a knife-wielding incident in which she was hurt.

The Supreme Court held 33 Beaumont policemen are not entitled to longevity raises frozen by the city council.

Lee Otis Johnson, once sentenced to 30 years for sale of a single marijuana cigarette, lost a burglary conviction appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals.

An Austin man convicted of heroin possession won an appeal to the Court of Criminal Appeals on grounds evidence was seized in an illegal search.

An El Paso robbery conviction was reversed by the same court due to statements by the jury foreman.



LUCKY CORNER

The automobile service station at the northwest corner of Highway 83 and 15th Street has long been known as Lucky Corner. Although the namesake station pictured above disappeared many years ago, the nickname remains attached to the site. Photo courtesy Collingsworth County Museum

AG Opinions

A commissioners court has no authority to adjust the assessed value of land for a past year on the basis of an agricultural use affidavit filed subsequent to the original assessment, Atty. John Hill held.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

The legislature may constitutionally give municipal courts authority to grant injunctions to prevent city ordinance violations.

Conveyances and condemnation orders concerning Water Control and Improvement District property are not excepted from required public disclosure and should be released for inspection on request.

The original version of the Texas "gas for irrigation act" is subject to constitutional challenge, but a committee substitute is valid.

Short Snorts

State budget writing is now in the hands of a 10-member House-Senate conference committee after

Senators passed a \$15.6 billion appropriations bill following approval of \$15.3 billion in spending.

The House approved several of Gov. Briscoe's law and order proposals including authority to deny bail under certain circumstances and to issue evidentiary search warrants.

The Senate voted \$35 million in sick leave benefits for school personnel.

Senators also passed a bill to raise political candidate filing fees by amounts ranging from \$50 to \$500. Statewide fees would be \$1,500, county office fees \$300.

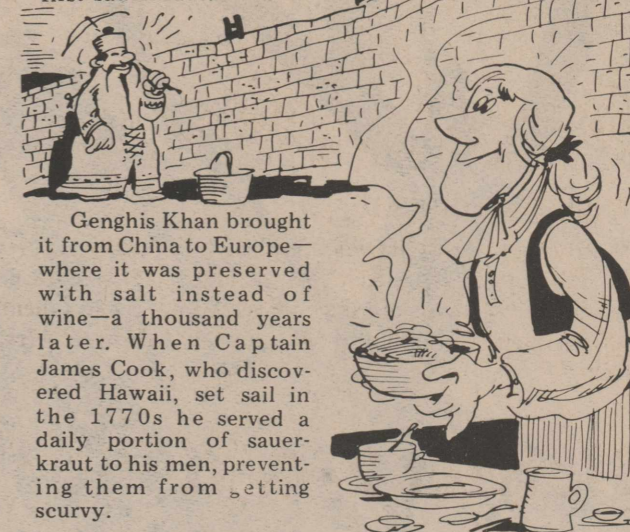
Texas wheat farmers are expected to produce more than 100 million bushels this year in spite of drought and delayed plantings.

The House gave its blessing to a massive reorganization of state government in 16 principal departments headed by cabinet type gubernatorial appointees.

Chili is now the official state dish. Gov. Briscoe signed the legislative resolution so designating it

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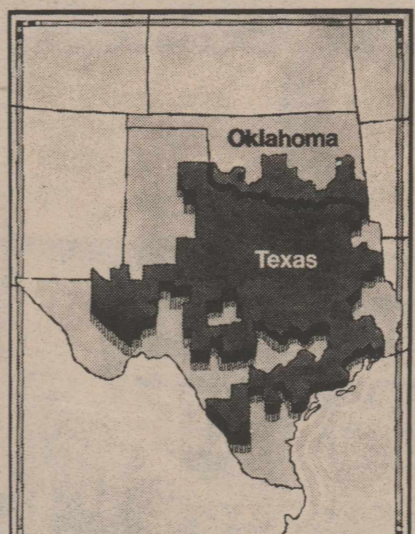
Genghis Khan brought it from China to Europe—where it was preserved with salt instead of wine—a thousand years later.

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Methodist Church School June 6-10

The Vacation Church School of First United Methodist Church will be held from Monday, June 6, through Friday, June 10. Morning sessions are planned from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. for children three through 12 years of age. Directors will be Mrs. Glenn Thomas and Mrs. Andy Henard.

The theme of this year's church school will be "God Loves, God Cares."

Each morning session will include Bible study, crafts, recreation, music and refreshments.

The directors this week announced their teachers and helpers.

For the nursery, there will be Mrs. Sandy Covey, Mrs. Dennis Cudd, and Miss Kelli Covey. The unit theme is "God Loves Me."

Kindergarten workers are Mrs. Cal Hurst, Mrs. Gary Killian, Mrs. Mark Fires and Miss Beverly Orr. "God Cares" is the unit title.

Elementary I and II is headed by Mrs. E.L. Bartlett and Mrs. John Robert Henard III, and these children will study "When Persons Live by Love."

In charge of Elementary III and IV will be Mrs. Cecil Masten and Mrs. Johnny Holton. The unit title is "Sing to the Lord a New Song."

Leaders of Elementary V and VI will be Mrs. Dudley Coleman, Mrs. Rodney Kane and Miss Tami Boswell. Their study will be "Discovering the Bible."

Music for the church school will be directed by Mrs. Richard Nall and Mrs. Dan Henard, Jr.

Mrs. Gorman Owens will direct the general assembly, while Mrs. Bill Long is refreshment chairman and recreation will be directed by John Morris and Tommy Binford.

Mrs. Bill Spillman will be in charge of the baby nursery.

SUSIE PATRICK
Susie Patrick has brought honors to herself and to the school in a number of ways, but especially as a member of the tennis team.

She is the daughter of Mrs. R.C. Patrick, 1406 Dallas Street, and the late Mr. Patrick.

She was born in Wellington but moved to Andrews when she was small and attended school there until the third grade. The remainder of her education has been here.

Susie has concentrated her activities on Future Homemakers of America and speech. Tennis is her first love and this spring she received third place in the District 2-A UIL tournament at Clarendon, as a member of the WHS girls team.

Last year classmates chose her the School Clown.

Outside of school, Susie was president of Ko Shari in 1975-76, the year it became a junior club with the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

She names tennis and government as her favorite studies.

College is in her plans, and Susie will attend West Texas State University next year.

fourth in the VICA speed skill contest, both March 5. Then came the high point: first place in the VICA state contest, an event in with some 3200 students competed.

Outside of school, his work with Belsaw Institute brought certificates in locksmithing and security systems.

Texas history and general business are his favorite studies and Gilbert says his hobbies are electronics, locksmithing, auto mechanics and photography.

He has a regular job in the maintenance department of the county courthouse.

Gilbert plans to enroll in Amarillo College in January 1978, majoring in auto mechanics. He also plans to work for the Texas Locksmiths Association while attending college.

KATHY PATTERSON
One of the girls to represent Wellington High School in track events is Kathy Patterson, who was a regional qualifier this year.

She is also tops in basketball, having played four years. This year she was named to the second All-District girls team.

Kathy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patterson, who live west of Wellington. She was born here February 10, 1959.

She attended Quail School through the fifth grade, and Wellington the remainder of the time.

A speech student, she took part in various plays, including the UIL district championship one act play this year. She also was a member of Future Teachers of America and Future Homemakers of America.

Classmates voted her Miss WHS, and outside of school, she belonged to Ko Shari, a juniorette federated club. She also was active in 4-H and in the 4-H Horse Club.

She named home and family living as her favorite study and growing plants is her hobby.

She will attend either Amarillo College or West Texas State University.



MEMBERS HONORED

Mrs. Don Jones, left, president of the VFW Auxiliary, presents a 30-year membership pin to Mrs. Jake Leach. Mrs. Keith Smith and Mrs. Donald Curry, wait to receive their pins. The three award recipients are the only remaining charter members. Below, Mrs. Jones presents a 20-year membership pin to Mrs. James R. Bowen. Mrs. Vernon Rudy, left has received her pin.

Farm Bureau Asks Repeal of OSHA

The Collingsworth County Farm Bureau has asked Congressman Jack Hightower of Vernon to co-sponsor a bill that would repeal OSHA (Occupational Health and Safety Act.)

Albert Fulcher of Wellington, President of the local county Farm Bureau said Rep. Steven Symms of Idaho introduced H.R. 1348 which would repeal OSHA. County Farm Bureaus throughout the nation are contracting their respective Congressman to ask that they co-sponsor the measure.

In his letter to Congressman Jack Hightower, the county president said that Farm Bureau's policy on the matter reads:

"The Occupational Safety and Health Act is detrimental to the American farmer and American public and is a usurpation by the federal government of state, local and individual rights. The Act does not fall within the responsibilities assigned by our Constitution to the federal government. We therefore favor the complete repeal of this Act. Farm Bureau should take the lead in an all-out effort to achieve this important objective."

Albert said the one-sentence Symms bill was introduced at the request of Farm Bureau "as the only way to put an end to the ever-increasing number of regulations and the arrogant administration by this federal agency."

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Other items you might want to keep safely could include: titles to cars, trucks, trailers, boats; Savings Bonds, stocks and bond certificates; and an inventory of household goods and personal property which is insured.

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District 2-A Junior High Tennis Champions Announced

Winners of District 2-A Junior High Tennis Tournament, held at Ellison Park Courts, were announced by Ronnie Glenn, Wellington tennis coach and tournament director.

The boys singles saw two Wellington youths competing for the championships, with Scotty Ingram defeating Chanmy Wood in the finals 6-3, 6-3. A. Mejia of Memphis was third.

Memphis players Floyd and Monzingo took the boys doubles finals from Brent Long and Lynn Bartlett 4-6, 6-0, 6-4. Third place went to Wyatt and Hays of Clarendon.

Girls doubles play saw two Memphis teams in the finals, with Montgomery and Fowler defeating Davis and Davis 6-1, 6-4.

Melanie Pendleton and Kathy Whitten took third place.

Preliminary matches in boys doubles saw Foster and Atkins of Memphis defeat Newland and Thornberry of Clarendon 6-2, 6-3; Wyatt and Hays of Clarendon defeated Wade Williams and Tim Harris of Wellington 6-1, 6-3; while Long and Bartlett, and Floyd and Monzingo of Memphis drew byes in the first round.

In the second round, Long and Bartlett won over Foster and Atkins 6-2, 6-3, while

Floyd and Monzingo defeated Wyatt and Hays, 6-1, 6-0.

Scotty Ingram won his first round match over R. Mejia of Memphis 6-0, 6-0; and Wood defeated Hays of Clarendon 6-2, 6-2. Lane of Clarendon and A. Mejia of Memphis drew byes.

In the second round Ingram defeated Lane 6-0, 6-2 and Wood won over A. Mejia, 6-4, 6-2, to advance both Wellington boys to the finals.

In girls doubles, Sandy Morris and Kathleen Reeves lost their first round game to Davis and Davis of Memphis 4-6, 6-1, and 6-1.

Pendleton and Whitten took their first round game from Ariola and McAnear of Clarendon 6-2, 6-0. Tucker and Shields of Clarendon and Montgomery and Fowler of Memphis drew byes.

Second round games saw Davis and Davis defeat Tucker and Shields 6-0, 6-1. Whitten and Pendleton win over Montgomery and Fowler 6-0, 6-0. This advanced the two Memphis teams to the finals.

Girls singles first round games saw Lavonda Thomas lose a first round game to Pride of Memphis 6-3, 6-4. Fisher of Memphis, Monica Vaughan of Wellington, and Hardin of Clarendon drew byes.

Monica Vaughan defeated

Fisher in a second round game 7-5, 6-2, and Hardin defeated Pride 6-0, 6-1.

Teakell Gets Scholarship to Texas Eastern

PARIS--Billy Teakell of Wellington, a student at Paris Junior College, received a scholarship to Texas Eastern University in Tyler at the annual Awards Night held Thursday, May 5, at Paris Junior College.

The scholarship was provided by Texas Eastern to a junior college student, and the college's scholarship committee selected the recipient, based on achievement while a PJC student. Teakell, a drafting major, is a graduate of Wellington High School.

At the annual Awards Night, certificates, awards and scholarships were presented to PJC students for their achievements during the year. Robert Thornburrow, chairman of the scholarships and awards committee, presided.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Odean Lewis.

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WHS Seniors 1977

DAN FORD

An athlete of outstanding ability, who on Saturday participated in the Region I UIL track meet, Dan Ford will be remembered as one of those who made this one of the school's finest sports periods.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ford who live east of town, he was born here April 1, 1959, and has attended only the Wellington Schools.

He is a four-year track man and one of those who helped the team win every one of its meets up to and including district. He was a regional qualifier in the sprint relay three years.

Dan played football three years, was captain this year, and for two years was named All-District offensive half back.

Dan also was a member of Future Farmers of America one year and VICA, Vocational Industrial Clubs of America, two years.

Auto mechanics and history are his favorite studies, while motorcycles and hunting are his hobbies.

He plans to attend Amarillo College, enrolling in its mechanics courses.

Dan has received other honors this year. Classmates elected him Most Versatile and he was chosen president of the Auto Mechanics Club.

He was a qualifier in the 440 yard relay of the University Interscholastic League State Track Meet. He and his team mates placed fourth, with time of 43.1. This means, that he

and the other three runners are fourth best in Class A schools in the entire state of Texas! Almost everyone of the 200 schools in that classification has men running the 440.

DEBBIE STALLINGS

Debbie Stallings name is synonymous band music in Wellington High School, but that is only one facet of her interesting personality.

She received the three awards at the band banquet May 12.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Stallings, 1409 Haskell Street, she was born here September 12, 1958. She has attended only Wellington Schools.

Scholastically, she ranks high in her class and has been a member of Beta four years and an officer two, and attended the state convention at Ft. Worth this year.

She was Band Queen last year and drum major two years. She was an All-Region band member four years, and played in the stage band. She was elected to the Hall of Fame for Band Students.

A four-year member of Future Homemakers of America, she was an officer two years, sang in the Area FHA choir two, participated in FHA Area Talent Show one, and attended the state convention in Houston this year.

Debbie was on the annual staff two years and this year was in the cast of the District 2-A UIL award winning

one-act play. She was chosen for the All-Star cast. She was a state qualifier in the UIL shorthand contest last year, and for two years she was a teacher-aide.

Outside of school, Debbie attended band camp two years, helped with the 1924 Study Club style show two years and has worked in drives of the Heart Fund, Bloodmobile and Cancer Crusade.

She belongs to the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs and is a four year member of Ko Shari, a junior TFWC club. She was an officer two years. She also belonged to 4-H Club and was a junior 4-H leader. This spring she was in the top 5 in Miss Wellington Contest. She plays the piano at the Assembly of God Church.

Debbie names band, shorthand and speech her favorite studies and reading her hobby.

She plans to work after graduating from high school and may also take night class.

TINA LORAIN POWELL

Wellington High School Student Body president this year is Tina Loraine Powell. This is but one of many notable honors she has received.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Powell, 410 Galveston Street, she has lived all her life in Wellington.

Tina played basketball four years and ran track one year. She was in Future Homemakers of America two years, and

an officer one.

It is in drama and speech that she has excelled. Tina was in the UIL district speech contest as a freshman; as a junior won third at district in speech and advanced to regional in Lubbock. This year she won second in speech at district competition in Clarendon and advanced to regional in Odessa. She was an alternate to the state contest. She was a member of the UIL One Act Play, "Wife of Bath," from the Canterbury Tales, and received an award as a member of the District 2-A All-Star Casts. She also was in the district UIL typing contest.

Tina was on the annual lay-out staff and staff photographer, has been chosen for Who's Who; and was a freshman and junior class officer.

She is president of the Student Council, and therefore a student member of the Collingsworth Chamber of Commerce.

She was a contestant in the Miss Collingsworth County Bicentennial Pageant and Miss Wellington Contest, and was chosen class favorite.

Tina's favorite subjects are algebra, speech, chemistry and government and her hobbies are sewing, cooking and reading.

She plans to attend Southwestern Oklahoma State University at Weatherford and become a pharmacist or medical laboratory technician.

Tina notes that she is one of the many seniors who worked all year, in addition to her studies. She is employed at Cherokee Inn Restaurant.

Keep your rental property producing by using Leader Classifieds regularly.

Richard, Randall Sims Named to Student Senate

Honors came recently to Richard Sims and Randall Sims, who are completing their freshman year at West Texas State University.

Both were elected to the Student Senate, with Randall Sims elected from the School of Business and Richard Sims from the School of Agriculture.

The two represented Phi Delta Theta in intramural tennis competition and won the doubles championship. Randall also placed fourth in the 100 meter free style swimming competition.

Their fraternity was overall winner of the annual intramural tournament which includes all sports.

Quarterly Income Tax Payment Due

Individuals who do not have enough taxes withheld are required to pay their first installment of estimated 1977 Federal income taxes no later than Friday, April 15, the Internal Revenue Service said today.

Many taxpayers realize that they meet the requirement for filing a tax declaration at this time of year, according to the IRS. Generally, when taxpayers will owe the IRS more than \$100 not covered by withholding, they should file a declaration of estimated tax. A Form 1040-ES voucher must accompany the first installment.

Beef Referendum and Voting Dates Announced

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has announced June 6 as the beginning of a two-week registration period for the Beef Research and Information Order referendum and issued rules for the referendum.

Anyone who was a cattle producer during 1976 can register to vote, either in person or by mail, at local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) offices between June 6 and June 17.

A list of those who register will be posted daily at ASCS offices and a final listing will be posted five days after registration closes.

Those registered can vote between July 5 and July 15 at their ASCS office. For approval of the Beef Research and Information Order, at least 50 percent of those

registered must vote, and two-thirds of them must favor it.

The Order that producers will consider in the upcoming referendum would authorize a research and information program administered by a Beef Board of up to 68 producers. Board members would be appointed by the Secretary of Agriculture from nominations submitted by producer organizations. Each state or geographic area would be represented in proportion to its cattle production.

The Beef Board could initiate a broad spectrum of projects to improve beef production, distribution, and marketing. Such a program could include consumer education and information, and research.

During the first three years of operation, the Board could collect assessments of up to

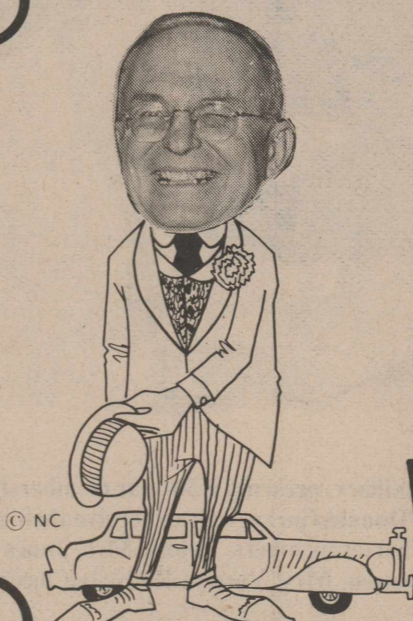
three-tenths of one percent of the value of all cattle sold. After that, the rate of assessment could be changed but could not exceed five-tenths of one percent--the maximum amount permitted under the Beef Research and Information Act. Producers not wishing to participate in the program could have their assessment refunded.

The rules for conducting the referendum are scheduled to be published in the May 17 Federal Register. Copies will be available from Program Operation Division, ASCS, U.S. Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 2415, Washington, D.C. 20013.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Taylor of Wichita Falls visited in Wellington with relatives last week. They visited other relatives in Childress enroute home.

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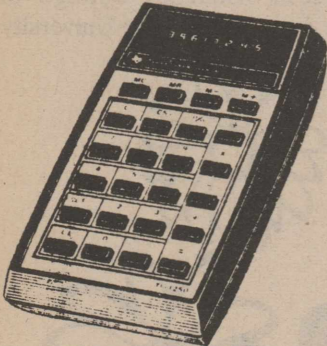


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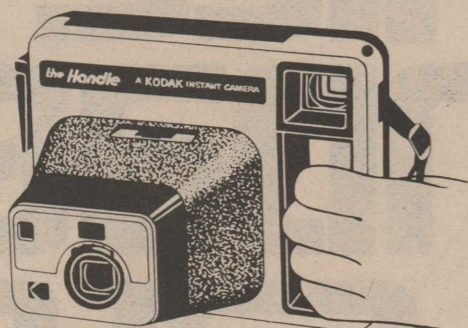
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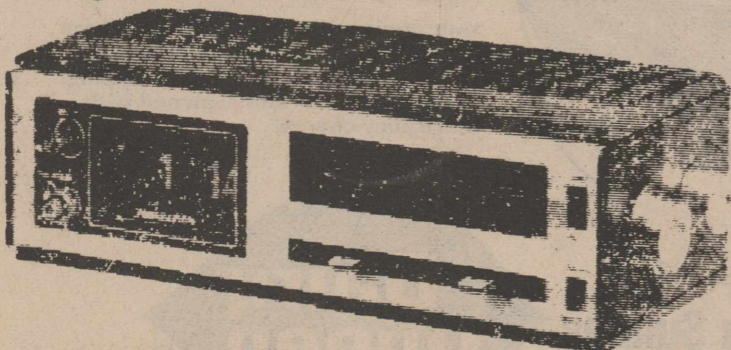


New from Kodak--The Handle Instant Camera

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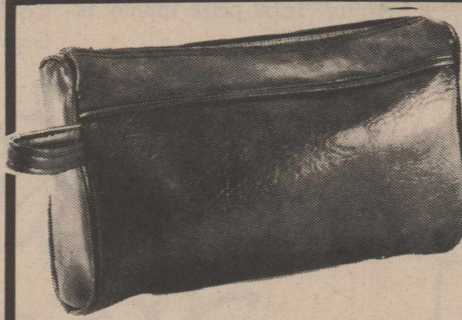
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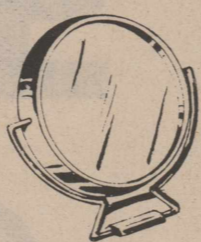
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Utility Travel Kit

regular 3.97 for

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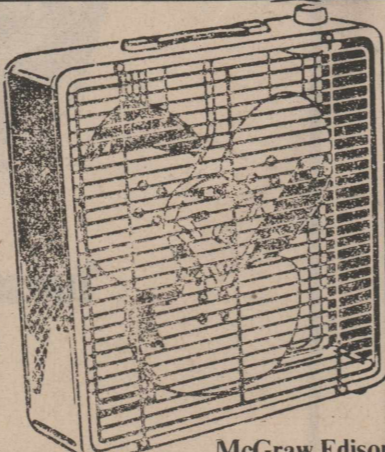
99^c

Hi Intensity Lamp

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Final Net 8 oz.

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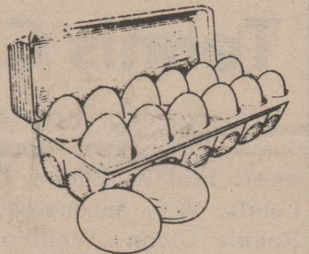
32 oz. Plus Deposit **\$1²⁹**



6 pack



Gibson Buttermilk 1/2 gallon **69^c**



Grade A Medium Eggs

49^c doz.



Tony's Frozen Pizza

98^c



Peter Pan Peanut Butter smooth or crunchy

\$2⁵⁹ 3 lb.



Cottage Cheese

Gibson's 1-LB. Ctn. **49^c**

Double Luck Green Beans

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Del Monte Tiny Whole Beets 16 oz. jar

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