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Rebs Pull Panther Fangs

The Rivercrest Rebels pulled the Quinlan Panther's fangs Friday night at Rebel stadium with a 28-0 victory. The Rebels played one of their best games of the year before a capacity crowd at Rebel Stadium.

STATISTICS

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15	First Downs 8
203	Yds. Rushing 120
11	Pass Attempts 13
4-94	Pass-Yds. 2-19
2	Interceptions 0
4	Fumbles Lost 2

The Rebels opened the first quarter of play on the 33 yard line, and marched down to Quinlan's 40 where they were forced to punt, putting the Panthers back on their own seven yardline. Quinlan was unable to move the ball and punted back to the Rebels.

Rivercrest started their first successful drive in the first quarter with 5:03 on the clock on their own 46 yard line. Ronnie Rape picked up eight yards around left end. Two successive penalties put the ball on the Quinlan 15 yard line, and Ronnie Rape took a pitchout over his right tackle to put the ball on the three yard line, where Jimmy Patton ran it in for the first six points. Rape made the conversion good with a run around left end for three yards and two points.

The kickoff to Quinlan was fumbled by Eddie Clinton, and recovered by Rivercrest. The Rebels took up three minutes of the clock and kicked back to Quinlan to close out the quarter. Rivercrest had 25 plays from scrimmage in the first quarter compared to Quinlan's nine.

Quinlan dominated the second quarter with a drive from their own 10 yard line to Rivercrest 37, where they were forced to kick. This took up almost eight minutes of the clock, and 18 plays, but no points on the board.

The Rebels took over the ball on their nine yard line and started a drive that put six more on the board with Ronnie Rape skirting right end on a pitch from Kip Stansell. The conversion failed and the first half ended with the score 14-0 Rivercrest.

The Panthers took the Rivercrest kickoff on their own 37 yard line but were unable to move against the Rivercrest front four. Rivercrest took the Quinlan punt of the 18 yard line and had it advanced 15 yards by a clipping penalty to the 37 yard line. The Rebels lost the ball on a fumble on the 40 yard line and got the ball back when Nicky Brown intercepted Danny Washington's pass.

Chris Potter took a reverse from Stansell and crossed the double stripe only to have it called back by a penalty. Rape tried right tackle and also crossed the double stripe only to have it called back by another penalty. The Rebels were determined to put another score on the board, and Rape followed the center of the Rivercrest offensive line up the middle to tack on the six points. Jimmy Patton made the conversion over right tackle for two points.

The fourth quarter was a series of fumbles and punts. Elvin Hines set up Rivercrest's last score of the night by his interception on the 43 yard line. Stansell tried a pass to Mark Hudson that missed the mark, but he came back and tried Milton Scales, who took the ball over for the last six points of the game.

The Rivercrest defense looked better in the final period than at any time during the entire game. They gave up only short yardage, with Mike Mankins and Terry Deaton

hitting Karl Keck when he tried to go over right tackle. With less than two minutes left in the game Joe Rhodes blistered the Panther quarterback for a yard loss at the Rivercrest 45 yard line. The Rebels took over on a punt and let the clock run out on a keeper by Stansell.

Ronnie Rape carried the ball 16 times for 107 yards, and picked up six first downs. Rape punted four times for an average of 37.75 yards per kick. Rape made two touchdowns and picked up another two

points on a conversion, for a total of 14 points.

Milton Scales carried the ball ten times for 42 yards an average of 4.2 yards per carry. He caught one pass, a 57 yarder good for six points.

Kip Stansell carried the ball seven times for 39 yards, an average of 5.57 yards per carry. Stansell attempted 11 passes and completed four: 1, 24, 12, and 57 yards.

Nicky Brown caught one pass for 24 yards and intercepted a pass that he carried back for two yards.

Jimmy Patton carried twice, one for five yards and one for three yards. Each of Patton's carries were for scores, six points and two points.

Elvin Hines intercepted one pass and returned it three yards.

Turkey Shoots Planned

The Bogata Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor Turkey Shoots on four consecutive Sundays beginning October 24 at 1:00 p.m. The shoots will be held on the Bill Ward Place 1/4 mile east of the city limits on FM 909.

Turkeys will be given as prizes in the events and an \$1.50 entry fee will be required. After

the final Turkey Shoot on the fourth Sunday a shootoff will be held for a trophy. All proceeds will go toward new equipment for the fire department.

Classes will be for competition among men, women and children. Roy Lee Huddleston, Bogata Fire Chief, challenged all who might like to try to beat him, including Jack Winn.

Estate Planning Workshop Set

An Estate Planning Workshop to assist residents of Red River County to better understand Estate and Inheritance Taxes is scheduled for October 12, 19 and 26th. The three night workshop is being sponsored by the Community Improvement Clubs, the Red River County Bar Association and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The meetings will be held in the new Exhibit Building at the Fair Grounds each night at 7:00 p.m. The first program will cover highlights of Estate Planning by Dr. James Long, Area Economist-Management, with

Sew Fair
Program Outlined

All phases of home sewing will be on parade October 22 when Sew Fair comes to Clarksville, announces Beth Dannheim, County Extension Agent.

Sponsored by the Red River County Living Committee, Sew Fair will be stationed at the Exhibit Building at the Fair Grounds. Red River County Extension Agents will be on hand to register and assist participants.

Representatives from major home sewing industries and local merchants will set up exhibits. In addition, the home economist from the sewing industries will make presentations at 1:30 p.m.

Home Economist cooperating to present Sew Fair will conduct the following programs: Sewing Menswear, Peggy Schwarzkoff, Singer Sewing Machine Company; Fast and Easy Fashion with Pellon Fusibles, Janet English Pellon Corporation; and the Simplicity Fall '76 Adult Wardrobe featuring local women as models. Local merchants supporting the Sew Fair are the Hub, Pace's Fashions, and Nichols, Marx, and Wal Mart.

Sew Fair is free to the public.

the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Insurance by Gerald Capps, local Insurance Agency Owner who will discuss Insurance and how it can be used in Estate Planning.

The second session will be devoted to tax problems by Austin Guest, local Attorney. Taxes resulting from the death of an individual are payable only after death. Since they are not paid on a regular basis, a person could accumulate a sizeable estate which may result in heavy taxation after death.

The third session will deal with wills. Everyone, regardless of the size of the estate should have a will and by attending this workshop conducted by a member of the Red River County Bar Association will realize the importance of this important document.

There will be a question and answer session at the close of each evening's program. Everyone is invited to attend.

Richard Ivey Named Talco Coach

Richard Ivey, who is presently enrolled as a graduate student at East Texas State University was employed for the position of junior high coach-teacher in the Talco Elementary School at a meeting of the Talco-Bogata School Board October 12.

Ivey holds a B.S. Degree from East Texas State University in Physical Education with Social Studies as a second major. Prior to enrolling at East Texas, he attended Kilgore Junior College on a basketball scholarship. Ivey has also played basketball at East Texas State University.

Ivey is single and is a native of Shreveport, Louisiana. He began work on October 14.



HOMECOMING QUEEN—Carolyn Carroll of Talco was named Homecoming Queen in pre-game ceremonies at Rivercrest Friday night. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carroll. Miss Carroll was escorted by Mike Medlin, nephew of Mrs. Dan Seay of Talco. (Staff Photo)

Tient McCrury To Be Honored On 90th Birthday

The Children of Tient McCrury will be with him at his home at 109 W. Second Street on Saturday, October 23, in honor of his 90th birthday.

The children invite friends and relatives to come by between 2:00 and 4:00 p.m. to help him celebrate this occasion.



QUEEN'S COURT—Homecoming Queen nominees were Eugene Norman, Velma Savage, Todd Wright, Valynn Blackburn, Mike

at Rebel Stadium last week were Eugene Norman, Velma Savage, Todd Wright, Valynn Blackburn, Mike

Medlin, Carolyn Carroll, Chris Potter and Tonya House. (Staff Photo)

Time To Plant Fall Pastures

By Ray Haddock

Many farmers and ranchers in Red River County Soil and Water Conservation District are busy planting winter pasture. Jerry Chandler, R. L. Moore, and Stiles Jones have extended grazing periods by planting winter pastures. Good winter pasture can greatly reduce hay needs.

Overseeding permanent sod with ryegrass or other cool season annuals, and grass-legume mixtures are two methods most widely used in North East Texas for winter grazing.

When overseeding permanent sod, it is best to have a well prepared seedbed, but if handled properly you can obtain excellent results by seeding or drilling in grain annuals and clovers.

Permanent grass with excess growth should be grazed or harvested for hay before overseeding, so the necessary sunlight can penetrate the soil.

Jerry Chandler, a farmer and rancher of Red River County is just one of the farmers that is drilling wheat in a well

prepared seedbed. He is also overseeding common bermudagrass pasture with crimson clover and gulf ryegrass. He plans to fertilize the clover and ryegrass with 17-17-17 at about 300 pounds per acre. Chandler plans to cut cost by grazing his winter pasture.

Grain drills and sod seeders are needed to insure a good stand of winter annuals.

In good stands of bermudagrass, bahiagrass, or dallisgrass, clovers may be used to extend grazing periods. The clovers-grass pastures produce a higher quality forage. Clovers reduce the need for nitrogen fertilizer on grass pastures.

R. L. Moore, a rancher north of English is overseeding Yuchi clover on 1,000 acres of improved pasture. He applied 200 pounds of 17-17-17 per acre.

Moore also drilled 270 acres of wheat and added 300 pounds of 17-17-17 per acre. Moore has cut his hay cost by planting winter pasture.

Stiles Jones of Annona is renovating his pasture and overseeding gulf ryegrass and Yuchi clover. Jones expects to reduce his hay needs and the expense of feeding hay during the winter months ahead.

September 15 through October 31 is the best planting time for ryegrass, small grain, and clovers.

Grasses and legumes should be selected for planting to the different types of soils. Some clovers may be adapted to acid soils, while others require a high P.H. value. For information on soil-plant adaptations and establishing winter pasture contact the local Soil Conservation Service.

Regional Cancer Office Established

Houston, Texas—A regional office has been established in Linden by The University of Texas M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute and the Texas Department of Health Resources to coordinate programs that will help make the best possible cancer care available to East Texas communities.

The first project of the regional headquarters is a pilot program aimed at detecting cancer earlier. Through the pilot program, persons registered at the Cass County Health Clinic in Linden and the Gregg County Family Planning and Cervical Cancer Screening Clinic in Longview will be screened for cancer. Eventually cancer screening will be offered to other residents in those cities and surrounding communities.

Dr. Joseph T. Painter, an M. D. Anderson vice president, explains the reason for the pilot program. "Cancer frequency and deaths can be reduced significantly when cancer is

found at an earlier and more treatable stage. The goal of this program is to design the best methods of cancer screening to be used in public health clinics."

Other projects of the regional office include offering continuing education programs about cancer for physicians and nurses at certain hospitals in East Texas communities and gathering statistical data on the occurrence of cancer.

The cancer screening program is being conducted by M. D. Anderson screening nurse Shirley Atkinson, Department of Health Resources nurses Georgia Taylor and Dolores Whitley, and outreach worker Betty Watson.

Each of the nurses has completed a special course in cancer screening procedures at M. D. Anderson Hospital and will work under the direct supervision of clinic physicians.



CROWNING OF THE Queen was done by the last year's Rivercrest Homecoming Queen, Valerie Blackburn. (Staff Photo)

Friendship Class Has Social

The Friendship Class of the Calvary Baptist Church met for their monthly social on October 11 in the church fellowship hall with 11 members attending.

During the business session the class voted to redecorate their class room. They plan to paint the room and purchase pictures for the walls and shades for the windows. They also decided to make a cover for the table.

During the social hour refreshments were served and games were played with Mrs. Linda Woods and Mrs. Sandra Parsons winning prizes.

The next meeting will be held on the second Monday of November.

Report Local News Stories To The Talco Times 379-4445

Rebels Travel To Winnsboro

The Rivercrest Rebels will travel to Winnsboro Friday night to tangle with the Red Raiders at 7:45 p.m. The junior varsity and junior high games will start Thursday at 6:00 p.m. in Rebel stadium.

The Rebels will be going up against a much improved Red Raider team. Winnsboro's season opener against Commerce was a 21-0 defeat, but they came back to defeat Rains 35-20, and crushed Prairiland Patriots 41-6 in their easiest victory of the year last week.

The Red Raiders have been making few mistakes on the field in the fumble department, and have been plagued with penalties through out the season. In last week's game against the Patriots the Raiders were penalized seven times for a total of 80 yards, while the Patriots had only three for 31 1/2 yards. In the passing department Winnsboro's quarterback Don Draper attempted 12 passes, and completed five for 62 1/2 yards with two interceptions.

The Rivercrest line will be able to contain the Red Raiders

running game, but the secondary will have a full night's work cut out to hold down the Winnsboro passing offense.

Rebel fans will have an op-

portunity to see a wide open game this Friday night when they travel to Winnsboro. The Rebels will squeak by the Red Raiders with one TD this week.

Bogata OES Observes Annual Friendship Night

Bogata Chapter 1084 of the Order of the Eastern Star observed Friendship Night at their stated meeting October 7. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stephenson presided. Mr. and Mrs. Thad Hulse of Fidelity Chapter No. 383 of Dallas were recognized as visitors. After the business session the Worthy Matron gave a talk on friendship. Gifts were brought to send to the chapter's adopted sister in the Eastern Star Home in Arlington.

After adjournment refreshments were served from a table decorated in the Halloween motif by Mmes. Kenneth Jeffery, Beulah Haley, James

Gaddis and Odis Porterfield to the guests and twenty-three members present.

The November meeting will honor past Matrons and past Patrons.

Quilt Set Up

Members of the hen gathering at Red River Haven have set up a new quilt to be quilted in the activity room of that home. The pattern is called "winding road", and is being completed for Mrs. Naomi Smith of Bogata. Those working on the quilt are Edith Mauldin, Mary Smith, Amanda Lawler, Zura Newsome, Clara McGuire, ladybugs Betty Mullin and Joyce Smith, and others.

The Grapevine

HOUSEWARMING—There will be a housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Logan on Saturday, October 23, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the evening at their new home in the Wikkenson Community. Everyone is cordially invited.

TRAVELERS—Mrs. Vivian Westbrook, Mrs. O. D. Welch, Mrs. Francis Smith, Mrs. Gladys Smith, and Alice Ruth Tidwell joined the group from Bogata who had chartered a bus for a trip to the Rose Festival in Tyler Saturday. The beautiful roses were damp and the parade was called off due to the rain.

SURPRISED—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horn were surprised last Thursday when Horn's uncle, Alvin Hervey from Portland, Oregon came for a visit. They had not seen each other for fifty years. Hervey also visited relatives at Johtown.

FIRST BAPTIST—Members, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook, Mrs. W. E. Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander, and their pastor and wife, the Rev. and Mrs. Barney Treece attended the 27th annual session of the Fellowship Association which

convened with the Macedonia Baptist Church near Pittsburg on Monday night and Tuesday.

HOSPITAL NEWS—Dumas Whitney has been dismissed from the Mount Pleasant Hospital and Clinic.

Mrs. Ollie Reed has been dismissed from the Titus County Memorial Hospital. DEATHS—Roger Dale Garrett, 20, of Dallas was killed in an automobile accident Thursday, October 14, in Dallas. His mother is Mrs. Bobbie Garrett of Dallas. C. T. (Shorty) Ritcheon of Maple Springs Community near Talco is his grandfather. Services were Saturday at Bates-Cooper-Weems Chapel in Mount Pleasant.

Mothers Needed For Halloween Carnival

A meeting has been called for all Talco mothers who are going to help with the Halloween Carnival. All room mothers are urged to please attend Monday, October 25, at 10:00 a.m. at the school house.



DAYLIGHT—A little running room was all that was needed for Milton Scales to

complete his night against the Quinlan Panthers by scoring the touchdown.

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CANCER ANSWER LINE

American Cancer Society
M. D. Anderson Hospital
and Tumor Institute

Fluoride Treatments Aiding Cancer Patients

A simple preventive fluoride procedure now makes it possible for cancer patients receiving radiation treatments to the head and neck area to avoid many serious dental problems that until several years ago were inevitable.

According to Dr. Thomas E. Daly, an associate clinical dental surgeon at M. D. Anderson Hospital, "While radiation treatments can be very effective in destroying head and neck cancers, they often create numerous dental complications resulting from damage to the saliva glands in or near the field of treatments."

"In the normal mouth," explains Dr. Daly, "saliva serves the important function of removing food particles that lead to plaque and eventual cavities."

For the patient who receives radiation treatment near the salivary glands, damage to the glands is often permanent and results in an extremely dry mouth. Without proper care, rampant tooth decay and acute sensitivity of the teeth are ever-present complications.

To offset these harmful side effects, Dr. Daly and fellow researchers began in 1966 to explore the use of flexible mouthguards which could be coated daily with a near neutral, 1% sodium fluoride on all surfaces of the teeth.

The results were impressive. The risk of developing cavities was virtually eliminated for patients who once would have lost most of their teeth to rapid decay. Of those patients who were not part of the fluoride treatment program, only about a third remained free of cavities, says Dr. Daly.

Today the preventive program is used by all patients at M. D. Anderson who undergo radiation treatments that will involve dental structures or salivary glands. In cancer centers throughout the country the procedure is gaining recognition and enables thousands of cancer patients to protect their teeth and maintain good oral hygiene.

The protective regimen actually begins at the start of radiation therapy, explains Dr. Daly. Working together, the radiation therapist, dentist and patient's physician evaluate radiation dosage, length of therapy and where the radiation will be directed in planning the dental program for each patient.

In many cases, dental work is done before radiation treatment to avoid expected complications before they arise.

Each patient in the program, he says, receives a plastic mouthguard made from impressions of the teeth. The mouthguard is much the same as any Texas high school football player would wear and fits comfortably around the teeth.

Spreading a few drops of fluoride gel into the guard with a cotton-tipped applicator to completely coat the inside, the patient wears the mouthpiece only a few minutes a day after brushing and flossing.

Because dental decay begins quickly if the procedure is discontinued it is important that the patient not grow lax in following the regimen, says Dr. Daly.

Close follow-up is mandatory to assure no areas are being missed and that the patient is following the procedure properly.

For radiation-treated cancer patients who have not received preventive dental care and suffer from progressive tooth decay, studies have shown that the mouthguard can be worn for longer periods to effectively stop decay already in progress says Dr. Daly.

Do you have further questions? Call your local unit of the American Cancer Society or call M. D. Anderson Hospital & Tumor Institute's Cancer Information Service, 1-800-392-2040 toll-free in Texas, 792-3245 in the Houston area.

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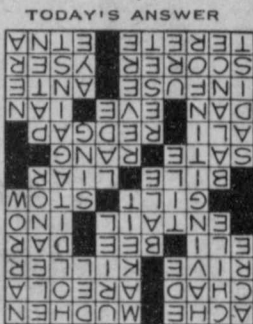
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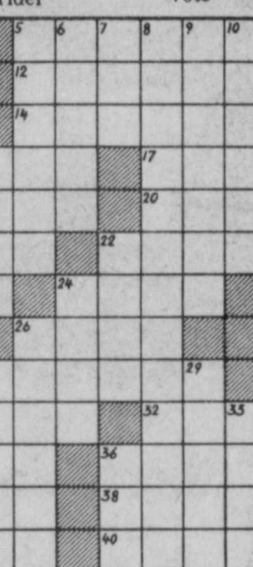
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Farm-facts

A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

Compiled From Sources Of The
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
John C. White, Commissioner

Another Dismal Showing... Up and Down... Range Conditions Good.

While farm production of many commodities is at record levels, farm prices continue to slide.

The Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service notes that farm parity for September was 70. That is a decline of one per cent from a month ago, and is nine per cent lower than a year ago.

Individual crop prices, except for cotton, are also showing declines as are all categories of livestock.

Hogs and cotton are the two biggest extremes. Hog prices as of mid-September averaged \$38.20 to Texas producers. A year ago, hog prices were at \$56.50 per hundredweight.

Cotton is averaging slightly more than 62 cents a pound. A year ago, cotton was 42 cents a pound.

Only one commodity - oats - continues above parity. Everything else is below that ratio.

Wheat prices averaged \$2.87 in the state. Parity is \$4.89. A year ago, wheat was selling for \$3.98 per bushel in the state.

Grain sorghum averaged \$4.16 as of the middle of September. A year ago that commodity was selling for \$5.49 per hundredweight.

Peanuts this mid-September were selling for 16 cents a pound. A year ago they were bringing 18 cents per pound.

The same story is true for livestock. Beef cattle averaged \$30.50 in mid-September; a year ago they averaged \$32.10. Calves averaged \$30.80 this past month; parity for calves is \$67.50.

Sheep and lamb prices are below parity levels.

Broiler and turkey prices are also under what they were selling for a year ago.

IT'S AN UP AND DOWN SITUATION for sheep and lamb feeding in the state. As of Oct. 1, Texas drylot sheep feeders with a capacity of 2,000 head or more had 68,000 sheep and lambs on feed for slaughter.

This is 28 per cent below a year ago, but is one per cent above last month.

Sheep and lambs marketed for slaughter during September totaled 25,000 head which is 29 per cent less than intended marketings.

Current intentions to market are 33,000 during October, 16,000 during November and 15,000 during December.

November and December intentions are incomplete since additional lambs could still be placed on feed.

RANGE CONDITIONS over most of the state are reported in good to average condition. Soil moisture is adequate in most counties.

Wheat fields in most areas are growing well. However, army worms have been reported in most wheat sections of the state. Planting of the crop is now about 50 per cent complete.

Oats are up to a good stand in most areas, although army worms are a problem.

Texas Taxes



By BOB BULLOCK, State Comptroller

Austin—I've had a lot of people ask me "What ever happened to your seizures of sales tax delinquents?"

The answer is they're still going on.

So far this year we have seized 211 sales tax delinquents owing about \$1.2 million in back taxes.

The problem is still the same: some people just can't seem to resist pocketing that five cents sales tax they collect on every dollar's purchase.

The money was never theirs. It's your money and mine, the taxes we pay for state and city services. It's money that should be remitted to the state.

Last year the "raids" were a new thing. When I took office in January, 1975, I learned that previous administrations had allowed 70,000 delinquents to build up a debt to the state and cities of \$60 million. We began the seizures to clean the mess up.

At first, the news media were delighted and gave extensive coverage to our "raids." That was what we wanted: the publicity got the message out loud and clear that the state would no longer tolerate those who would pocket the sales tax.

I predicted at that time that the seizures would be the best therapy for reluctant taxpayers, and this has proven to be the case.

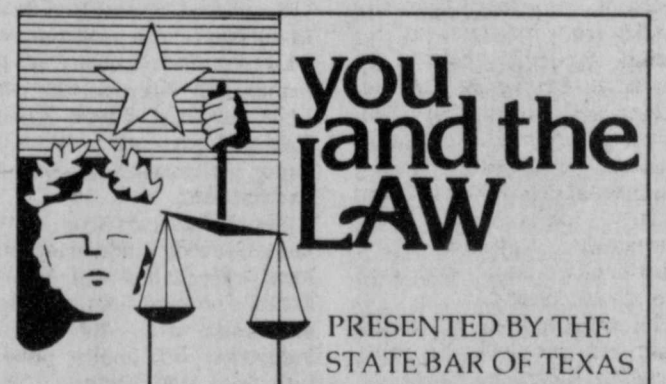
Delinquents know now when we say, after dozens of collection efforts, that "This is your last chance," that the "raiders" will be knocking on their door. Just since June, for example, 51 delinquents have paid at the last minute to avoid being shut down.

In addition, because we are watching the delinquents much more closely, the seizures are for smaller and smaller amounts. This is good, because the delinquent has a better chance of coming up with the money and staying in business. Then everybody wins: the state and cities get their tax dollars and nobody's out of work.

I also predicted last year that the newness would wear off the seizure program and the "raids" would become a matter of routine to the news media, getting less and less coverage.

This has also proven to be the case. And while it is understandable, I regret it in some ways. Because merchants need to be constantly reminded what will happen if they start paying their bills with sales taxes collected from their customers.

IF YOU HAVE ANY STATE TAX PROBLEMS OR QUESTIONS, CONTACT YOUR LOCAL COMPTROLLER'S FIELD OFFICE OR CALL TOLL-FREE: 1-800-252-5555.



Q: My husband and I have been separated for two years. Our teenage children are living with me. We cannot afford divorce proceedings. Is there any way I can have any property I buy put solely in my name so I can specify my children as the only beneficiaries if I die?

A: State law presumes that property held in the name of either a husband or a wife belongs to both parties until proven otherwise. This is true whether the husband and wife live together or apart.

Q: I've been living in our family home, which became my homestead when my husband died seven years ago. When our last child reaches the age of 18, can I sell the home and keep the proceeds?

A: The husband's one-half interest in a home acquired during marriage passes to his children if he dies without a will. In order for the widow to sell a home in this situation, the children would have to join the widow in the sale, or a court order would have to be obtained to force the sale if one of the owners refused to sell. Each of the owners would be entitled to their proportionate share of the proceeds from sale of the property.

Q: Can a doctor refuse to release the patient's personal medical file and all x-rays and test results to a patient or his agent when his services are terminated?

A: In absence of an express agreement to the contrary,

Send your questions to "You and the Law," State Bar of Texas, P.O. Box 12467, Austin, 78711. Answers may appear in columns in hypothetical terms; personal answers not possible.

The Speaker Reports



by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN—The Rio Grande Valley of Texas is booming economically and one reason is the Harlingen campus of Texas State Technical Institute.

I had the privilege of visiting the campus recently and taking part in the dedication of a new diesel mechanics building. It is a first-class training facility and it will mean much to the Valley and to Texas.

They teach the 1,500 students here a wide variety of vocational skills, just as they do at the other TSTI campuses in Waco, Amarillo and Sweetwater.

But I took special note of the diesel mechanics course and the fact that every student who graduates from this course can expect to earn more than \$6 an hour and be assured of a job.

As a matter of fact, there is an average of two jobs waiting for every TSTI graduate at starting salaries of better than \$700 a month.

The students of TSTI reflect the effectiveness of their training. More than 75 per cent of all students—both graduates and non-graduates—are employed in their immediate field of training. The remaining 25 per cent are almost all employed in fields related to their training.

Statistics indicate TSTI graduates complete either a certificate program or a degree program in about two years. Upon entering the job market, these students then return the state's investment in their

training in an estimated five years or less.

These graduates become taxpayers, not tax consumers. They become part of the working backbone of this state. Government, to me, is working best when it is helping people to help themselves.

The campuses of TSTI are supplying the free enterprise system with workers—and providing these workers the expertise to help build a strong economy for the state.

I believe that the continued growth of such vocational-technical institutions in Texas indicates that we are moving in the right direction in training our young people.

Not every youngster is college material. That is a fact we discovered long ago. That does not mean, however, that every Texas youngster should not be given equal opportunity to become a valuable member of the Texas work force.

Through vocational training as is offered through TSTI, in our junior colleges, community colleges and our high schools, we can make a more thorough effort to see that every youngster be given that chance to become a useful and productive citizen.

The people of the Valley are proud of the job being done on the campus of Harlingen. They know it is for the betterment of their children and for the good of all.



"JUST A SALAD AND DRINK TONIGHT, DEAR...IT WILL HELP YOUR HORIZONTAL HOLD."

Hanger Talk

National Aerobatics Championships sponsored by the National Aerobatics Club were held at Grayson County Airport October 16 and 17. Seventy-five contestants entered the competition this year.

In the unlimited competition, known, unknown, free and four minute flight, Lee Loudenslager was the winner for the second year in a row.

In the intermediate and free score, Dana Vehlen took the first place trophy.

In the sportsman competition John Morrissey took first place with 7,079.5 points, followed by Gene Beggs with 6,943.0 points.

The National Aerobatic Club was formed in 1964 and has more than 400 members at the present time. President of the NAC is Bob Carmichael of Roanoke, Texas.

Casey Kay of Fort Worth is the secretary, treasurer, and 1976 Contest Chairman. The NAC has the responsibility of raising the money to send their members to the international competition every two years.

The NAC does not receive any money from the federal government to carry on their International Competition activities.

Aviation's Grand Lady
The world's grand lady of aviation, Mrs. Edna Gardner Whyte, will celebrate her 75th birthday November 3, 1976. Mrs. Whyte began her flying career in 1926, and has logged over 24,300 hours flying everything from the old Jennies to the modern Jets.

Mrs. Whyte has trained 3,400 pilots, and is designated by the FAA to give flight tests. She is an active competitor in aerobatic contests and thinks that aerobatics are good for your veins.

Watercolor

Workshop

Slated At PJC

Irby Brown, a Dallas artist who was born in Paris, will conduct a watercolor workshop at Paris Junior College on Saturday, October 23, said Mrs. Bill Jones, director of continuing education at PJC. The six-hour workshop will be from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 4 p.m. in Room 129 of the PJC Administration Building. (Main) Building. Fee for the workshop is \$15, which must be paid before Saturday in the Continuing Education office of the PJC Administration Building.

Brown, who does portraits, landscapes and still lifes in all mediums, has been painting steadily from the age of six. He studied formally under Olin Travis at the Dallas Art Institute and under the well known portrait artist, Ramon Froman. A member of the Southwestern Watercolor Society, Irby has won numerous awards in exhibitions and contests throughout America.

The workshop will be open to those who completed the June workshop taught by Brown or beginners who are interested in watercolor instruction. More information may be obtained by calling the PJC Continuing Education office, 785-7661, extension 145.

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Group Tours To See Passion Play

Mrs. Ivy Smith returned home Saturday night after accompanying a group from the First Baptist Church in Deport Thursday morning to Eureka Springs, Arkansas, where they attended the Passion Play on Friday night.

Mrs. Hiawatha Roberts of Paris also was in the group of 16, including the pastor and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. Royce Litchfield. They took the scenic route one way there and back another, viewing spectacular arrays of fall foliage along the hills and vales of the Ozark Mountains.

Some of the group went to

New Officers Elected

Karen Blake and Alice Ennis, of Bogata, have been elected as officers of the Paris Junior College Nursing Students Association for the 1976-77 school year.

Mrs. Blake, a graduate of Rivercrest High School, was chosen secretary of the association, and Ms. Ennis was named sophomore faculty advisor for the year. Both students are associate degree nursing majors at Paris Junior College.

Mrs. Nellie Walker

Celebrates

90th Birthday

Mrs. Nellie Walker celebrated her 90th birthday Saturday October 16 with a supper at Blossom.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Comer, Mr. and Mrs. Carlous Newman, Mike, John, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker, Paula and a friend, Richardson; Mr. and Mrs. Bob George, Tara, Dena, Bojo, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Walker, Wes, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Davidson, Lori, Shallowater; Mr. and Mrs. Ike Eickinberry, Devon, Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Boon, Rick Devow and Kim Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Larry White, Misty and Bob, Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Claypool, Mrs. Barbara Aplin, Borger; Mrs. Belinda Cluck and Creig Brownwood, Mrs. Doris Parks and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Seats, Wayne and Jimmie Jr., Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davidson, Misty, Chad, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Booth, Marty, Mr. and Mrs. Lary Mays and Gena, Mr. and Mrs. Virgle Duncan, Treda, Linda, Toni, Mrs. Linda Hines, Larinda, Timmy, Carl, Lela, Danial and Carlyn, Blossom. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bestul, Ricky, Reno; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Anderson and Shanda, Pattonville; Mr. and Mrs. Virgle Seats, Dwayne, Billy Ray and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Woodall and LaCrisia Smith Davidson and Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Davidson, Terisa and Sandy, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith.

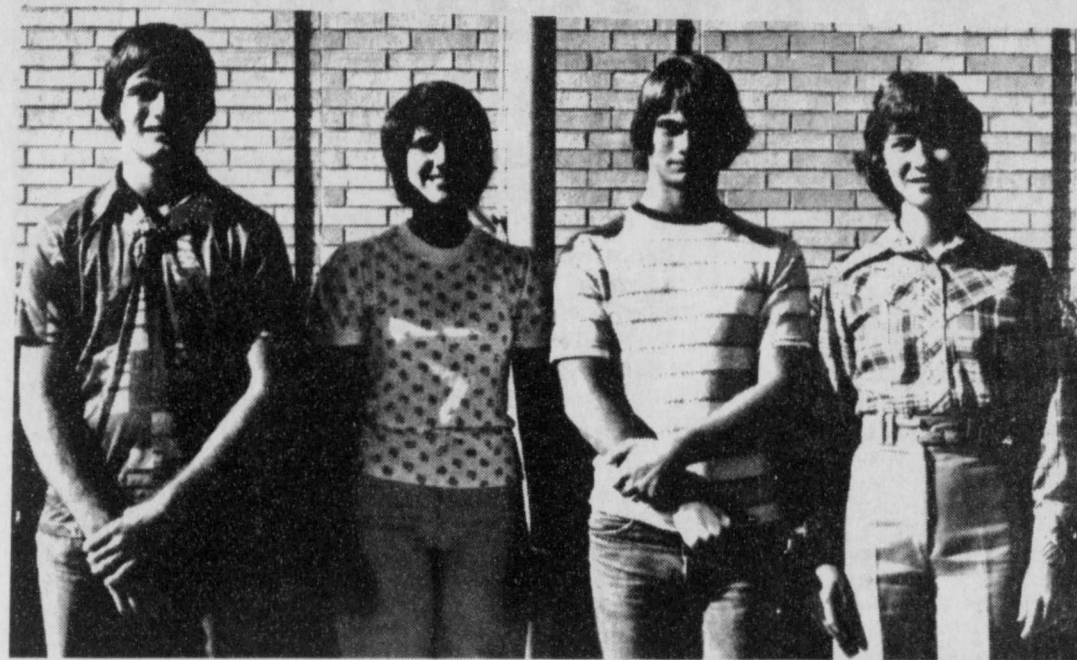
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U.M.W. Holds Business Meeting
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Liaison Officers
Government liaison officers are people who talk and listen well but can't make a definite statement.

Silver Dollar City in Brosen, Missouri, Friday morning and Friday afternoon they all took the city bus tour of this unique little town before going on to view the "Christ of the Ozarks" statue which stands seven stories high, then on to the "Miracle on the Mountains", the great Passion Play in the four thousand seat amphitheatre.

They returned home by way of Hot Springs, Arkansas and DeQueen, Arkansas where they visited a few minutes with a former Talco and Deport pastor, the Rev. Joe Denton in DeQueen, stopping at Lake Greeson to make a final group picture with the new church bus, arriving in Deport around 9:00 p.m.



Eastern Star Holds Regular Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of Talco Chapter No. 846, Order of the Eastern Star was held Tuesday night, October 12 in the Talco Masonic Hall. Worthy Matron, Mrs. Colean Dixon and Worthy Patron, James Gieger presided over the business session during which time a Thanksgiving dinner was planned for November. date to be set when the School Cafeteria will be available for the dinner and Mrs. Ruby Cogburn was installed to fill the station of Esther after it had been declared vacant by the Worthy Matron.

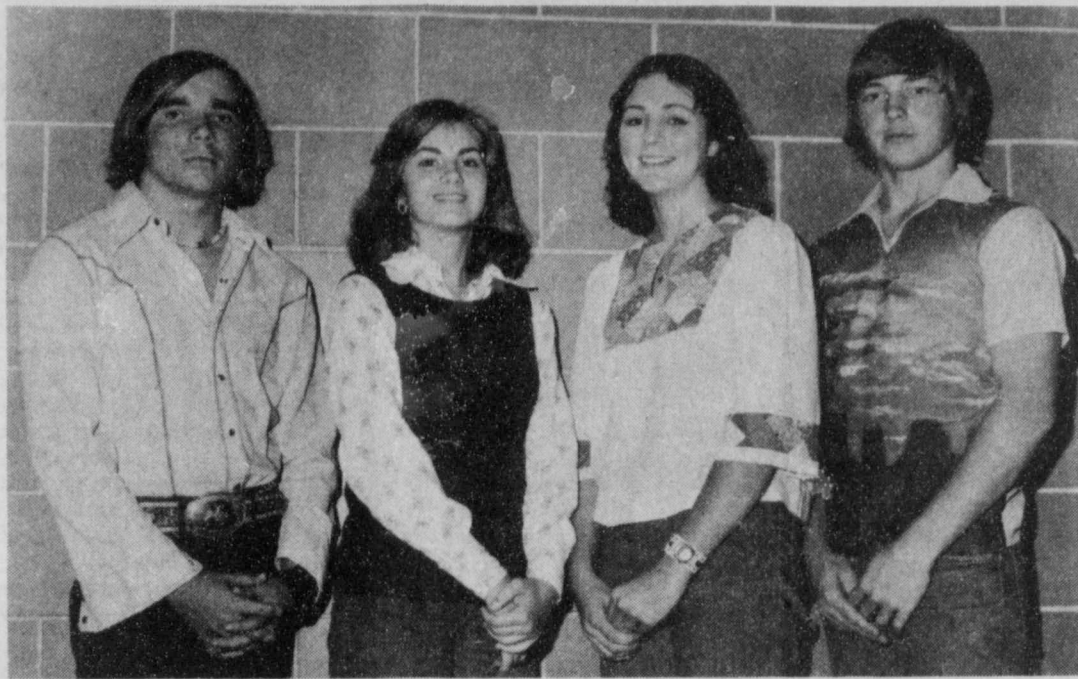
The birthdays of V. L. Taylor and Mrs. A. E. Foster were observed with gifts from their secret pals, Mrs. Jone Clemmons and Mrs. Mary Sloan. The birthday song was dedicated to them as they deposited their birthday money in the piggy-bank.

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SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS elected for the 1976-77 school year are Gary White, president, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene White; Guy Nell Hall, vice president, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dured Hall; Tresa Couch, secretary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Couch; and James Crawford, reporter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Guess. (Staff Photo by Carla House)

NATIONAL HONOR Society officers at Rivercrest this year are Mike Medlin, vice president; Carolyn Carroll, treasurer; Mike Mankins, secretary and Shan Watkins, president. (Staff Photo by Carla House)

Talco Elementary Honor Roll

Those making all A's for the first six weeks in the Talco Elementary School were Rhonda Kay Grissom, John Wesley Hood, Kelly Anschutz, Susan Baxley, Misti Foxworthy, Kim Parsons, Jay Roberts, Steven Withers, John Easley, Julie White, Kelli Holmes, Stan Wood, Marla Martin, Sandra Dunn, Judy Via and Scottie Wood.

Those making A's and B's were Carroll Faulkner, Ted Hanks, Laquita Brown, Bill Dixon, Karen Malone, Mark Hardy, and Jimmy Smith.

Ewing, David Hines, Barbara Rackliff, Victoria Smith, Amy Stansell, David Zimmerman, Michelle Barthol, Melissa Brooks, Sandra Brooks, Christopher Eudy, Rodney Forsythe, Jeanie Hanks, Perry Lewis, Penny Norman, Joe Richeson, Jimmy Tully, Shane Wright and Preston Williams. Also Michael Alford, Marc Anschutz, Patricia Baxley, Terri Hale, Amber Hood, April Hudson Bryan Jones, Greg Russell, Michelle Stephenson, Nelda Anderson, Kelly Baker, Laura Bond, Jean Mac Bradshaw, Jackie Via, Starla Williams, Scott Brown, Jill

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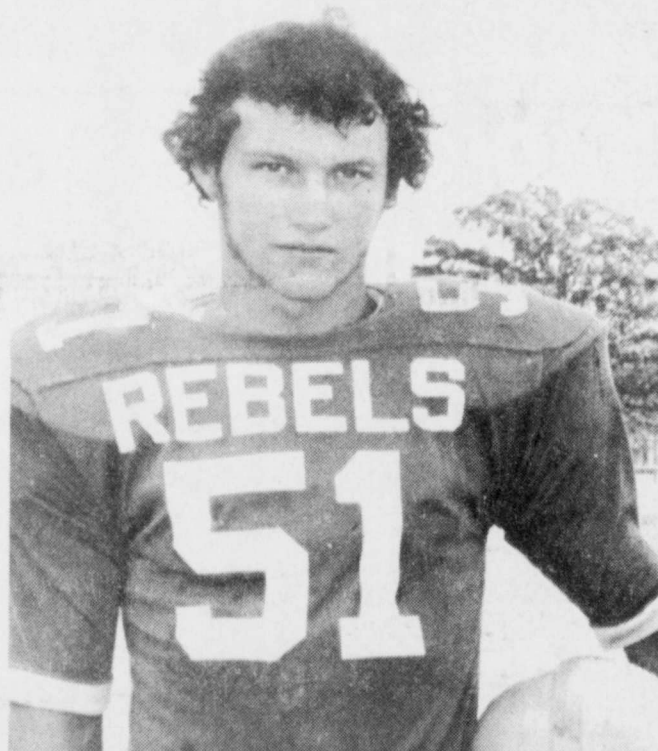
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Film Series Portrays "The Ascent Of Man"

A series of 13 films on "The Ascent of Man," Dr. Jacob Bronowski's vision of man, science and history, is being shown at Paris Junior College this year, announces Dwight Chaney, chairman of the Social Sciences Division at PJC. Sponsored by the PJC Continuing Education Division and several other college divisions, the film series is open to the public free of charge, Chaney said. Films are being shown at eight different class periods on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, and community residents are invited to attend

any of the showings. Each film is one-hour long.

Presented on public broadcasting stations throughout the country by Time-Life Films, the series was filmed in 37 different countries to span millennia of human history and progress. Dr. Bronowski, a scholar who in the films charts man's progress from the vantage point of the scientist-philosopher, says of the series: "Among the multitude of animals which scamper, fly, burrow and swim around us, man is the only one who is not locked into his en-

vironment. His imagination, his reason, his emotional subtlety and toughness, make it possible for him not to accept the environment but to change it. And that series of inventions, by which man from age to age has remade his environment, is a different kind of evolution. I call that brilliant sequence of peaks The Ascent of Man."

The first film showing was October 5-7, and the second showing entitled "The Harvest of Seasons" will be shown on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 19-21. All

film showings this fall will be on Tuesdays at 11:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. in the Applied Sciences Center 105 and at 7 p.m. in the Administration Building 156, on Wednesdays at noon and at 4:30 p.m. in the Applied Sciences Center 105, and Thursdays at 11:30 a.m. and at 4:30 p.m. in Applied Sciences 105 and at 7 p.m. in the Administration Building 156. The same film will be shown at the eight times of the scheduled week.

The second film on October 19, 20 and 21 deals with man's domestication of plant and animal life.

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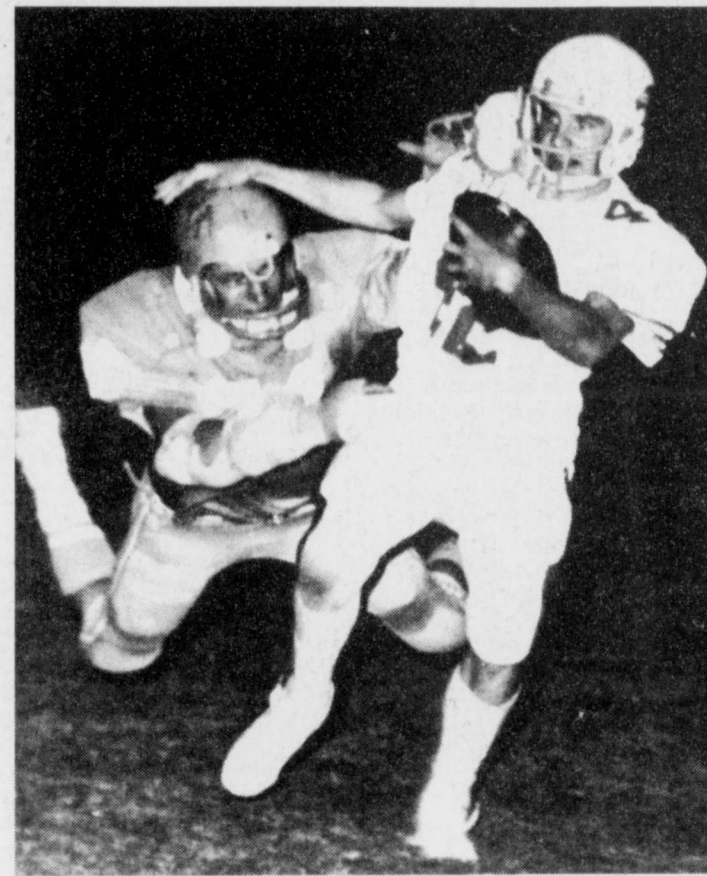
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Rhodes, vice president. (Staff Photo)

Johntown News

By Mrs. Francis Foster
Visitors Wednesday of Mrs. Mildred Mayfield was her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kay of Pittsburg. Other visitors during the week was her sister, Mrs. Iva Kelly of Paris.

Alvin Hervey of Oregon spent last week in the home of his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Horn. He also visited with Mrs. Katie Pirtle and Mrs. Effie Oliver.

Frank Rhodes and Francis Foster received word Sunday of the death of their sister, Mrs. Minnie Wickersham in a Fort Worth hospital.

Ned Rhodes of Troupe, Texas visited Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes.

Out of town dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Wicks was Robert Mauldin of Carrollton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle visited Monday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kennedy of Cunningham.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Green and daughter of Tyler were weekend guests of R. C. Hinson family.

Visitors during the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd were the following, Nelda Dodd of Dallas; Mrs. Robbie France of Corpus Christi; Mrs. Juarita Weissenfluk of Santa Fe; Mrs. Linda Ferris and children of Fort Smith, Arkansas; Mr. and Mrs. David Hendrix and daughter of Kilgore; Aubrey Cooper of Monahans; and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd Jr., and children. Mrs. Jerry Dodd and her sisters and brothers, Aubrey Cooper of Monahans and J. O.

Cooper, and Mrs. Juarita Weissenfluk of Santa Fe all visited another sister on Friday night, Mrs. Morris Watts of Bogata and wished her a happy birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Rhodes, Frank Rhodes, and B. F. Rhodes attended the funeral of Mrs. Minnie Wickersham at the Delta Funeral Home in Cooper Tuesday afternoon.

Art History Course Slated

The next course in American art history, taught by Dr. William Hayden of Paris, will begin on Tuesday, October 26, in the library of Dr. and Mrs. Hayden's home, "Belle Cheneire," announces Mrs. Bill Jones, director of continuing education at Paris Junior College. Dr. Hayden, who is teaching a series of the courses this year for the PJC Continuing Education Division, taught the first course beginning in September. Another course will begin November 30 and end December 21.

The course, which is held from 8 to 10 p.m. for four Tuesdays, is designed to acquaint the individual with the various phases and development of American art. Examples from the collection of Dr. and Mrs. Hayden will be used to lend a direct relationship to the art and artists studied. Fee for the four lessons is \$15, which must be paid in advance in the PJC Continuing Education office of the Administration Building. Since the classes are limited to five persons, fees must be paid

Appetites Stimulated
Appetites are certainly stimulated by the aroma of food cooking over an open fire. Cook this one "over the coals." Wrap ground beef patties, topped with raw potato strips, sliced onions and carrot strips, in heavy foil. Season to taste. Place 1/4 slice bacon on top. Seal foil around patties using a double fold. Cook on grate or in hot coals for about 30 minutes, turning often. Fold back foil and serve.

in advance for a place to be reserved. Classes are filled very quickly, Mrs. Jones noted. Each participant will make minimal presentations to the group, and the course will consist basically of general discussion. The course will include information on collecting and appreciating American art, emphasizing a local collection and developing through it a history of American art periods. No smoking will be allowed in the Haydens' home.

More information may be obtained by calling the PJC Continuing Education office, 785-7661, extension 145.

Editor's Quote Book

It is not so much the being exempt from faults, as having overcome them, that is an advantage to us.

Alexander Pope

Bullock Says Raiders More Than Paying Expenses

AUSTIN—Comptroller Bob Bullock said Tuesday his field auditors have lived up to their advance billing, turning up a total \$66.8 million in additional taxes owed during fiscal 1976, which ended August 31.

Bullock said the one-year field audit production was more than three and one-half times the \$18.6 million produced by field audits during the 1974, the last full year before he took office.

"I said there was gold in those hills for out-of-state auditors," said the Comptroller, "and they brought it back—at the rate of \$434,119 for each and every one of them during the fiscal year."

The total audit and collection program of the Field Operations Division yielded

\$170.1 million, better than 50 percent more than the goal of \$113 million promised to the Legislature, he said.

"There can no longer be any question about it," Bullock said. "Auditors and enforcement officers in the Comptroller's Office don't cost; they pay. Just look at the figures:

—Out-of-state auditors turned up \$434,119 each in additional taxes owed, at the rate of \$580 per audit hour and returning \$17.25 for every dollar invested in them;

—In-state auditors turned up \$192,510 each in additional taxes owed, at the rate of \$177 per audit hour and returning \$10.11 for every dollar invested;

—Enforcement officers

turned up \$67,081 each by audits and collected another \$175,234 each, returning \$12.64 for every dollar invested."

Just to be fair, Bullock ad-

ded, none of the figures include late charges, interest or another \$17 million in franchise tax audits that resulted from an

Attorney General's ruling sought by the Comptroller's Office on gas sales to interstate pipelines.

Fall Splendor Theme Of Garden Clubs

"Fall Splendor" will be the theme for the annual fall meeting of the Northern Zone, District III, Texas Garden Club, Inc. at Pittsburg, Texas, Tuesday, November 9, 1976. The Rosebud Garden Club with Mrs. J. C. Calvery, president will host the meeting in Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church, beginning with coffee and registration at 9 a.m.

Mrs. Paul Lennier, Mount Pleasant, director of the Northern Zone comprising 38

clubs, says each club president will present a one-minute report of club work, plans, projects and accomplishments. During the morning business session Mrs. J. C. Shultz, Grapeland, District Director, will report on Texas Garden Clubs' fall meeting at El Paso, and Mrs. A. M. Aikin, Jr., Paris, will present a brief slide program on Texas Garden Clubs' headquarters in the Botanical Garden at Fort Worth.

Following luncheon at noon, a program "Color It Beautiful with Bulbs" will be presented by Dwight Hall, Extension Horticulture Landscape Specialist for Texas A&M University at Overton, with the program opened to the public.

Club registration of \$2.00 and individual luncheon reservations of \$3.50 should be sent by November 1, to Mrs. J. C. Calvery, Box 444, Pittsburg, Texas 75686.

ICA New Members

AUSTIN—The Independent Cattlemen's Association, an organization of over 100,000 members held a Board of Councilors' meeting October 8 and a County Chairmen's meeting October 9 at the Stephen F. Austin Hotel in Austin.

President T. A. Cunningham, of Goliad, discussed with the 20 member Board of Councilors the many accomplishments of the ICA during the past 2 years since it was first organized. "No bill has been passed by the Texas Legislature since the ICA has been in existence that has been detrimental to agriculture. In fact, over 60 bills have been killed that would have proved harmful to our industry," Cunningham concluded.

Councilor Chairman Bill Savage of Beaumont stated that the Independent Cattlemen's Association has been instrumental in passing effective and much needed legislation to protect both the cattlemen and the consumer in such areas as imported meats, land-use, revision of the estate tax, etc. Chairman Savage, elected for another term, concluded that "the ICA is tired of being tolerant and that we must continue to get things done."

The County Chairmen from throughout the state met the following day and heard reports on Brucellosis by Dr. Eddie Payne of Bryan, a Legislative Report by Cash Cunningham of Austin, and Marketing and New Marketing Ideas by Roy Wheeler of Pleasanton. Also discussed at the meeting of County Chairmen were What Our Money Goes For by Bill Whitehead of Sonora, the INDEPENDENT CATTLEMEN magazine by John Nelson of Hempstead and How a Good County Works by Bill Dyer of San Saba.

Floral Design Workshop Set

A floral design workshop, sponsored by the Paris Junior College Continuing Education Division, will begin Thursday, October 21, and continue for five weeks from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursdays at the Paris Florist, 2610 Lamar. Spencer O'Connor, owner of Paris Florist since 1972, will teach the course.

Students will learn the art of flower arranging, working with both fresh and dried materials. O'Connor will emphasize arrangements for the holiday season, and students may keep some of their work. The fee of \$35 will include cost of most materials for the course.

Reservations for the course should be made by paying the fee in advance in the PJC Continuing Education office of the Administration Building. More information may be obtained by calling 785-7661, extension 145.

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Karate Course Offered At PJC

Paris Junior College's Continuing Education Division will offer a course in karate entitled Self-Defense for Women beginning Monday, October 25, in Room 129 of the PJC Administration Building.

Nguyen Thai Xuyen, a Vietnamese student at PJC, will teach the course for women interested in learning how to protect themselves.

A 14-week course, karate will be taught from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Mondays and Wednesdays through Wednesday, February 16, excluding the Christmas holidays. Fee is \$35, to be paid in advance in the PJC Continuing Education office. More information may be obtained by calling 785-7661, extension 145.

Tips Protect Rural And Suburban Homes

60,000 fires burned homes and land throughout rural Texas during the first two months of this year. A Texas Forest Service estimate based on a statewide survey of volunteer fire departments, this amounts to one fire for every 2,500 acres. If you're a rural landowner that hasn't been affected by fire, it may not be long before you are.

These figures point out that rural fires are more than a menace, they're a fact. Light construction of homes, lack of water, flammable vegetation surrounding such homes, and inadequate firefighting equipment all contribute to the problem. The Texas Forest Service assists and trains some volunteer fire departments through the Rural Fire Defense Program, but many other rural communities are still ill-trained and equipped to fight fires. In spite of these problems, a few precautions can reduce the hazard of rural fires.

"Water, water everywhere, but where is it when you need it?" is a common cry of volunteer firemen. Lack of water is a serious problem in fighting rural fires. The old well house is probably the most available source of water, but can it be of value in fighting fires? If your pump puts out more pressure than a squirt gun, the answer is yes. The next time you've got your garden hose out, aim the nozzle toward the top of your house and turn on the water full. If the stream of water hits the top of the house, you're in good shape. If it doesn't, you'll be in trouble for more than getting the clean windows wet.

Speaking of the garden hose, take a second look at yours. Is it coiled neatly, hooked to the faucet with the nozzle available and ready for use? If yours is like many folks', tied in knots, full of holes, and fifty feet from the nearest faucet—it won't do much good in an emergency.

Most pumps run off of electricity nowadays. Look sometime to see where the power line runs to the pump. If the line runs from your house or other buildings, think of what would happen if the fire you were trying to extinguish were in that building. Power would be lost to the pump, and you'd be looking for the old water barrel. A power line run on separate poles to the pump house is a safer bet.

After the fire department arrives, they often need more water to extinguish a fire than they're carrying. Ponds, streams, and stock tanks are sources of water. The easier the

access to this water, the quicker they will put the fire out. Help them out ahead of time by providing access with good roads and gates to the nearest source of water. A locked gate is like a picture window. You can see, but you've got no way to get through. If your gates are kept locked, provide a key to your local volunteer fire department. Taking precautions to have adequate water means quick defense against fire.

On a more positive note, let's look at some measures that will help prevent fires. A common cause of fires in rural Texas is careless trashburning. Sure, burning trash may be the only practical way of disposing of it in the country. Especially if your county doesn't have a landfill for garbage disposal. But all too often trash is burned carelessly and ends up burning the "back 40"—or worse. You wouldn't water your lawn during a rainstorm. Likewise, there are safer times to burn your trash than during windy, dry weather.

When there is more trash and dry vegetation outside the trash barrel than inside, you're asking for trouble. Keep the area around the trashburner free of flammable materials. Do the same thing around your house or other buildings. Dry shrubs and grass, and highly flammable trees such as cedar or yaupon, can easily spread a brush or grass fire to a house or building if they are too close. Sparks from a flue or a chimney might catch this type of vegetation of fire.

These are a few suggestions and precautions to protect homes. Detailed information on fire safety can be obtained from local fire departments. Your active support of volunteer fire departments will make rural Texas even safer from fire.

People's Candidate

In a small Western town, a stranger died. He appeared not to have any relatives or friends, but the funeral was held, and the minister read a few passages from the Bible. Then, after a short prayer, the clergyman said, "Is there anyone in the audience who knew the deceased and would like to say a few words?" There was silence for a few moments, then, a man stood up in the back of the room. "If nobody wants to occupy the time in speaking of the deceased," he said, "I'd like to say a few words in favor of Ben Sturley, the people's candidate for sheriff."



Mrs. T. L. Barton Presents Program

Mrs. T. L. Barton brought a most inspiring program on "Life Can Be Beautiful" when the Talco Book Lovers Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Ollie Jones for their first meeting for the new club year. Mrs. Barton opened the meeting with the club prayer and president, Mrs. Elsie Weatherall presided.

Mrs. Barton told the stirring story of Tom Sullivan, a blind young man who got more out of life than most normal people. His philosophy was that you are just as old as you feel and this seemed to keep him young and happy. The roll call was answered by naming a person with a handicap which proved as uplifting as the program. Catchy games were enjoyed during the social hour in

which Mrs. Weatherall and Mrs. Jones were awarded prizes.

Refreshments of sandwiches, potato pie and spiced punch were served.

The next meeting will be next Friday, October 22, in the home of Mrs. J. L. Cato when Mrs. Ollie Jones will bring a program on "Doers and Dowagers".

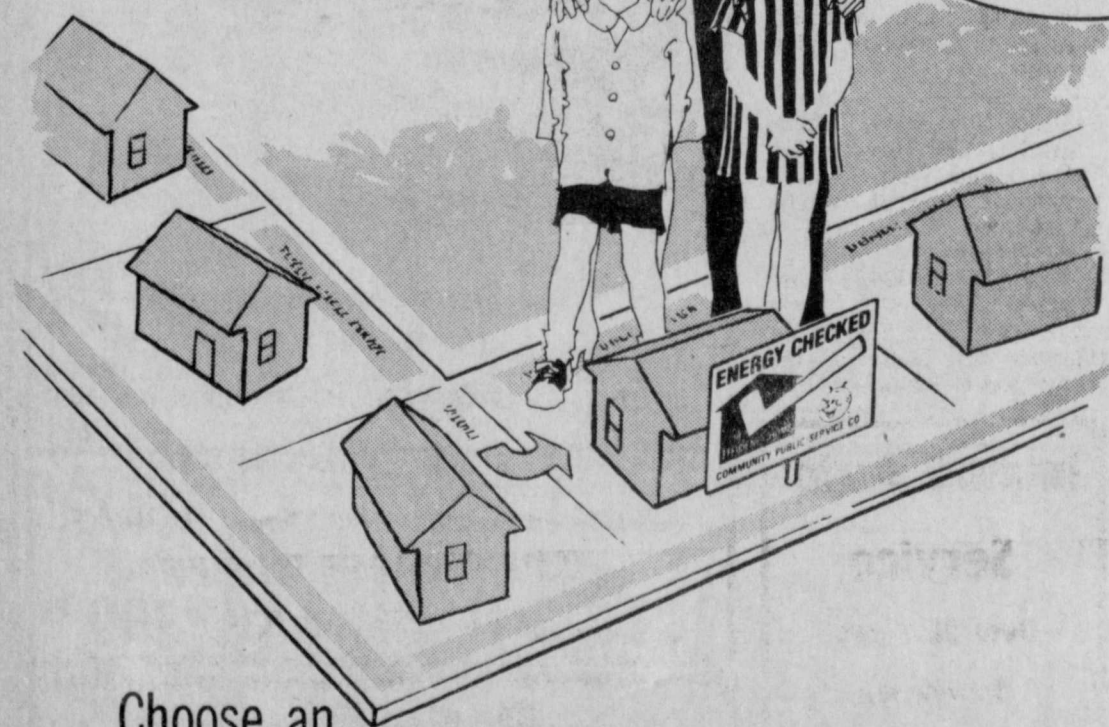
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held at the City Hall in the City of Blossom, Texas, at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 26, 1976 on a Community Development Block Grant Program sponsored by the Department of Housing and Urban Development. Anyone who wishes to make a comment on such a program should do so at this meeting.

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Bobby Nichols

Bobby Ray Nichols of Deport died Friday, October 15, 1976 at 5:00 p.m.

Services were held Sunday at 2:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Deport with the Rev. Roy Litchfield and the Rev. Glen Renfro officiating. Burial was made in the Highland Cemetery in Deport.

Grant Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Born February 28, 1931 south of Deport, he was the son of Latimer and Mary (Young) Nichols.

Survivors include Nichols' mother and father who live in Deport; two children, Mary Ann Nichols, Grand Prairie, and Kerry Juan, Deport; and three brothers, C. J. Nichols and Charles L. Nichols, both of Deport, and E. J. Nichols, Tyler.

Mrs. Clara Wilmoth

Mrs. Clara Wilmoth, 74, of Rt. 1 Pattonville, died at 4:35 p.m. Monday, October 18, 1976, at St. Joseph's Hospital after a long illness.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 20, 1976, at the Church of Christ in Pattonville. Fry & Gibbs Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Dailias Dickson, minister of the church, officiated. Burial was made in Spring Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Wilmoth was born January 27, 1902, in Memphis, Tennessee, the daughter of Jimmie Johnson and Jeanette (Winfrey) Johnson. She came to Lamar County at an early age and was educated in Lamar County schools. She operated a grocery store at Novice with her brother, Claud Johnson, until her marriage on November 3, 1953, when she married William Cyrus Wilmoth. He

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Obituaries

preceded her in death on January 9, 1976. They lived at Cunningham until three years ago when they moved to Pattonville. She was a member of the Pattonville Church of Christ.

Jack Thomas Lowry

Jack Thomas Lowry, 55, of Mesquite died October 14 in Baylor Hospital after a long illness. Funeral services were held Saturday in Lamesa with burial there.

Jack Lowry was born in Rosalie November 22, 1920, the son of Herbert and Claudia Brown Lowry. He married the former Verbele Whitney of Talco and she survives along with one son, Jackie, of the USN in Washington. His mother, Mrs. Claudia Lowry, of Rosalie, two grandsons and one sister, Mrs. Jack Brown of Quitman. He was a 1938 graduate of Bogata High School, a veteran of World War II, a member of the Rosalie Methodist Church and former employee of Willis Trucking Co.

Mrs. Maggie Oliver

Mrs. Maggie Oliver, 77, of Bogata died suddenly at her residence Tuesday evening, October 12, 1976.

Funeral services were set for 2:30 p.m. Thursday, October 14, 1976, at First Baptist Church in Bogata with the Rev. Bob Posey officiating, assisted by the Rev. A. I. Bond. Burial was made in Bogata Cemetery under the direction of Bogata Funeral Home.

Mrs. Oliver was born July 5, 1899, in Red River County, the daughter of A. P. and Ellen Jean Whitten. She married Hiram Oliver on May 23, 1915, at McKenzie Chapel. She was the member of First Baptist Church at Bogata.

She is survived by her widow; two daughters, Mrs. Jim Gibbons of Texarkana, Arkansas, and Mrs. Gathan Presswood of Dallas; one sister, Mrs. Susie Jennings of Longview; one brother, Charlie Whitten of Bogata; seven grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Minnie Wickersham

COOPER—Mrs. Minnie Wickersham, 88, of Fort Worth and formerly of Lamar and Delta Counties, died at 6:40 a.m. Sunday, October 17, 1976 in Fort Worth.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 19, 1976, at the Delta Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bud Wickersham of Klondyke officiating. Burial was made in Oak Lawn Cemetery. Grandsons were the pallbearers.

Mrs. Wickersham was born December 24, 1887, in Charleston, the daughter of James William and Emma Lee (McGuer) Rhodes. She married C. M. Wickersham on August 6, 1905, in Lamar County. He preceded her in death on June 9, 1949.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Lila Boyle of Fort Worth, Mrs. Geraldine Thompson of Cooper, Mrs. Nell Smith of Grand Prairie and Mrs. Doris Slakey of Plano; four sons, Nuel Wickersham of Colleyville, Neal Wickersham of Alvarado, Earl Wickersham of Fort Worth and Rayford Wickersham of Los Angeles, California; four brothers, Frank Rhodes of Bogata, Cicero Rhodes of Oregon, Fred Foster of Bogata and Francis Foster of Bogata; one sister, Mrs. Ruby Clark of Henderson; 28 grandchildren; 41 great-grandchildren; and nine great-great-grandchildren.

Erbert Palmer

Funeral services for Erbert E. Palmer of Dallas were held Sunday, October 17, at 3 p.m. in the Harvey Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Charles Rawlinson officiating. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Palmer, 59, died October 16 at Grand Prairie. He was born May 17, 1917 in Texas, the son of Ennis and Orvie Aikin Palmer. He married the former Kathryn Pittman. He was at one time County Treasurer of Franklin County.

Survivors include his widow; two half-sisters, Margaret Bell of Bogata and Jo Anne Rich of Mt. Vernon; one step-sister, Lucille Holt of Abilene; one foster brother.

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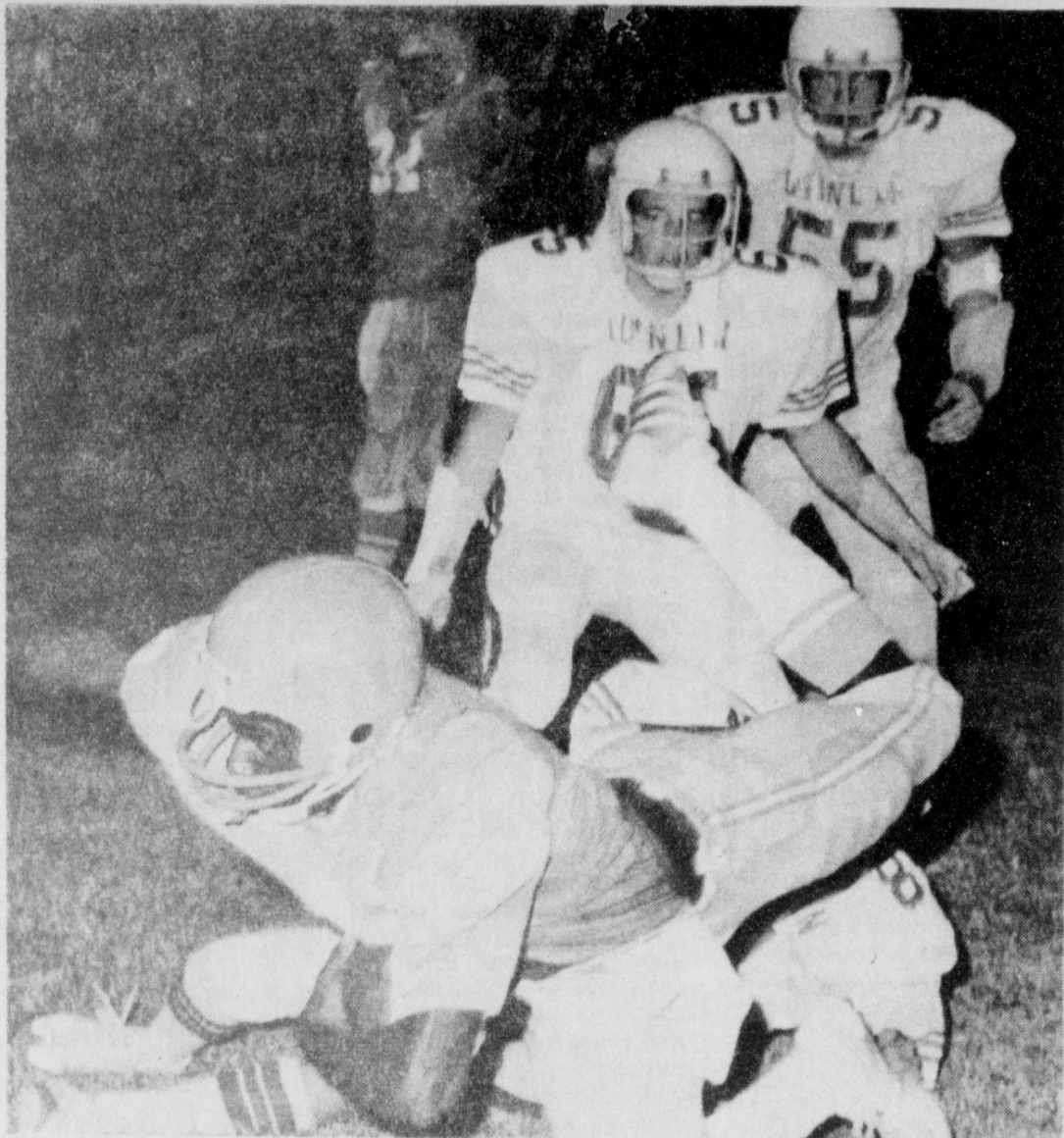
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fry were Monday supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fry and Carole. The occasion was the 13th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Carol Dean Brown. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wilson and Kevin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer, Mrs. Gladys Diggers, Mrs. Helen Mercer, Lee Dean, Shane, Dane, and Dawn Wilson of Mount Pleasant and the honored guests, Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

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Talco Locals

Mrs. Bess Pope attended consecration services at the new United Methodist Church in Clarksville Sunday with Bishop W. McFerrin Stowe bringing the message.

W. C. Fry attended the Texas State Fair in Dallas on Saturday. He also visited his daughter, Mrs. Katy Stinson and family over the week. He and his son-in-law, Jack Stinson

did some successful cat fishing. They caught a 52 pound catfish and a 22 pound one. Mr. and Mrs. Stinson caught a 19, 25, 10, four, six, and three pound catfish earlier in the week. Earlier this year they had caught a 68 pound catfish in Lake Tawakoni. Stinson said it took him two years to learn how to catch the big ones.

Appreciation
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A fund raising and appreciation dinner for Congressman and Mrs. Sam B. Hall, Jr., will be held in the Titus County Convention Center at Mount Pleasant on Saturday, October 23, at 7:00 p.m.

Speaker for the dinner will be Congressman Jim Wright of Fort Worth.

Talco Locals

Mrs. Ella Bailey of Highlands, Texas and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dooley of Grand Prairie visited Mrs. Bailey's sister, Mrs. L. L. Reed and Mr. Reed on Saturday.

Reed McGonagill, a student at East Texas State University in Commerce, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGonagill.

Mrs. Nancy Presley of Dallas spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Mildred Horton. Mike and Shara Johnson of Dallas spent the weekend with their aunt, Mrs. Nadine Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Black attended the funeral services of Roger Dale Garrett at the Bates-Cooper-Weems Funeral Home Chapel Saturday.

Mrs. Alma Lowry of Bogata spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook.

Brandon Treece spent the weekend in Conway, Arkansas with his brother, Barney Charles Treece.

Mr. and Mrs. Ney Blackburn

spent the week in Patterson, Louisiana with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Blackburn and in Baton Rouge, Louisiana with Mrs. Blackburn's uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradley of Mount Pleasant visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch Sunday.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clark were their children, Mr. and Mrs. George Burleson and Carry Joe of Grand Prairie and James Paul Clark and son, Rodney of Mesquite.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith of Longview spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith.

Mrs. Wayman Alexander and her mother, Mrs. Gladys Garretson of Talco accompanied by Mrs. Ollie Houston, Mrs. Maggie Garretson, Mrs. Mable Garretson and Mrs. Pearl Fugay all of Winfield were in Winnsboro Wednesday to attend the funeral services of

their cousin, Mrs. C. E. Marshall.

Mrs. Sue Shewmaker and daughter, Linda of Irving visited during the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Clifford Coil and family.

Belinda Burgin of Daingerfield spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Ella Burgin.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Zela Neugent were her daughter, Mrs. Roberts Mills and little daughter from San Antonio.

Mrs. Jim Diles and Benjamin from Oil Trough, Arkansas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Haynes during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pittman celebrated their 66 wedding anniversary with a dinner at their home in the Maple Springs Community on Sunday. Relatives attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Austin of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Huland Westerman from Mansfield, Louisiana; Mr. Bell from Kilgore; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry

Pittman of Mount Pleasant; Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Pittman, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fry, Mrs. Linda Eudy and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Strahan, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Black and Mrs. Verbeth Wyatt all of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whitney and children of Mount Pleasant spent Sunday with his mother.

Mrs. Ben Hill and Mrs. Opal Hunter of Clarksville spent Sunday with Mrs. Hill's niece, Mrs. Jewell Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Shewmaker from Raymondville and Mrs. Shewmaker's brother and sister from Dallas visited in the home of Shewmaker's sister, Mrs. Frances Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Omie Hanks spent Sunday with Mr. Hanks sister, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Jones of Ada, Oklahoma.

Mrs. W. C. Barnard, Mrs. Bess Pope, Mrs. Laurel Sullivan and Mrs. W. C. Howison attended a G.F.C. meeting in Paris Monday evening and saw a film strip, Girlstown U.S.A."

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State Bank No. 836

Consolidated Report of Condition of "The Talco State Bank"

of Talco in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of

business on September 30, 1976

BALANCE SHEET		ASSETS		Sch.	Item	Col.		Mill.	Thou.	
1.	Cash and due from banks	C	7					515	1	
2.	U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E				392	2	
3.	Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E				150	3	
4.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E				449	4	
5.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E				None	5	
6.	Corporate stock							None	6	
7.	Trading account securities							None	7	
8.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4					300	8	
9.	a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10			2	770		9a	
	b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses						None		b	
	c. Loans, Net						2	770	c	
10.	Direct lease financing							None	10	
11.	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises							38	11	
12.	Real estate owned other than bank premises							None	12	
13.	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies							None	13	
14.	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding							None	14	
15.	Other assets	G	7					28	15	
16.	TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)							4	642	16
		LIABILITIES		Sch.	Item	Col.				
17.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A				1	526	17
18.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C				2	342	18
19.	Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C				7	19	
20.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C				321	20	
21.	Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C				None	21	
22.	Deposits of commercial banks	F	5+6	A+B+C				20	22	
23.	Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A				17	23	
24.	TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)							4	233	24
	a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A			1	743	a	
	b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C			2	490	b	
25.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4					None	25	
26.	Other liabilities for borrowed money							None	26	
27.	Mortgage indebtedness							None	27	
28.	Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding							None	28	
29.	Other liabilities	H	9					13	29	
30.	TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)							4	246	30
31.	Subordinated notes and debentures							None	31	
		EQUITY CAPITAL								
32.	Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding	None						None	32	
33.	Common stock a. No. shares authorized	10,000						100	33	
	b. No. shares outstanding	10,000						100	34	
34.	Surplus							100	35	
35.	Undivided profits							96	36	
36.	Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves							396	37	
37.	TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)							4	642	38
38.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)									
		MEMORANDA								
1.	Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:									
	a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)							493	1a	
	b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)							300	b	
	c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)							2	768	c
	d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)							124	d	
	e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)							4	203	e
	f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)							None	f	
	g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)							None	g	
2.	Standby letters of credit outstanding							None	2	
3.	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more:									
	a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more							None	3a	
	b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more							124	b	

I, Ronnie Logan, Vice President & Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: *Ronnie Logan* Directors.

State of Texas County of Titus

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of October, 1976.

and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires June 1977 *Jenetha Hargerson* Notary Public.

Talco Grocery
and Meat Market

Highway 271—Formerly Pylant Grocery

New Owners—Ken And Edna Hales

Specials Good Through Sunday — Open 7 Days A Week

We Sell Evergreen Feed

Purex

Gallon Bleach

Reg. \$1.01

Limit 2 **59¢**

Ice Cream

Borden's

Reg. \$1.67

1/2 Gal.

\$1.09

Prestone

Gallon-Reg. \$4.29

Anti-Freeze

With \$7.00 Purchase

Limit 2

\$3.69



Folger's Reg., Drip, Fine Grind

Coffee

Reg. \$2.00

With \$5.00 Purchase

\$1.89

BIG BUYS in

MEAT

Field Trail Chunk

Dog Food

25 Lb. Bag

Reg. \$4.00

\$3.69

Pops Rite Yellow

Popcorn

Lb.

Bag

29¢

Soft Meadowlake

Oleo

Lb. Tub

Reg. 69¢

Ea.

45¢

We
Give



Shop The Big

Store

In A Little

Town

SEE YOU IN

CHURCH

SUNDAY

MORNING

NEW STORE HOURS
Open 12 Noon Sunday
Beginning Sunday,
October 25th. Open 12
Noon Close 7:30 p.m.
Monday Through Sat-
urday, Open 7:30 a.m.
till 7:30 p.m.



Halloween Punch

Makes 2 Quarts

Tissue

Lady Scott

Reg. 59¢

2/39¢

Bananas

Lb. 17¢

Family Size

Plus Deposit

Cokes 4/99¢



Boneless Brisket

Roast

Reg. \$1.49

Lb. **89¢**

Rainbow

Biscuits

Ea.

10¢

Buttermilk-Sweetmilk

Parade Saltine

Crackers

Reg. 59¢

Box **39¢**

Campbell's

Tomato Soup

Can **16¢**