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## Percy Wells Dies Nov. 22 At 92 Years

Percy Wells, 92, retired long-time dry goods merchant and a leader in the Methodist Church, died in a Corsicana Hospital about 5:00 a.m. Friday, November 22, following surgery. He and Mrs. Wells had been with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wampler of Scurry, recently.

Wellington had been his home since he came here with his family in 1901. He had a longer tenure in Wellington's business community than most, a career spanning more than 40 years and including several businesses.

He watched much of the town's economic growth and participated in it.

After farming several miles west of Wellington a short time, Mr. Wells worked with Henry Wells and Ed Wells in a general

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## Mrs. Ed Crawford Dies Thursday In Lubbock

Mrs. Ed Crawford of 1003 Childress Street, a Collingsworth County resident 53 years, died in Methodist Hospital, Lubbock at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, November 21, after being ill a number of weeks.

She and the late Mr. Crawford came here from Cimarron County, Oklahoma, and lived in the Rolla community for a number of years. They moved into Wellington in 1954.

The former Ruth Jones, she was born in Montague County September 4, 1901, the daughter of the late Edward and Bertie White Jones.

She and Mr. Crawford were married August 24, 1921 in Boise City, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Crawford was an active member of First United Methodist Church and had been a Methodist

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## Officers Get Break In Area Burglaries

Tires taken during the burglary of Jim's O.K. Tire Store and items taken from Owens Auto Salvage have been recovered, Sheriff John Rainey revealed Tuesday afternoon, November 26.

One juvenile was taken into custody and following a detention hearing Tuesday morning was released to the custody of his parents, the sheriff said.

The investigation of these and other burglaries and thefts is continuing, Mr. Rainey added.

Bob Watson, juvenile probation officer, and Jerry Settle, special deputy, went to Lubbock Monday night to recover four tires which were taken from Jim's O.K. Tire



### CENTURY OF BARBED WIRE NOTED

The patent on barbed wire was issued 100 years ago November 24, and in observance of that event, so important to the Southwest, elementary school students heard Mrs. Earl L.

Bartlett tell its story. Here she shows an exhibit of mounted barbed wire to Wade Williams, left, Brent Long, Becky Saied and Sandia Seale, fifth graders.

## Thousand Bales Ginned As Cotton Harvest Opens

Harvesting the county's cotton crop has begun, and in a number of areas an average crop is expected -- better than had been expected during the dry summer months.

### Bud Lee, 52, Dies Monday Morning Of Long Illness

Delmer (Bud) Lee, 52, died in the Veterans Administration Hospital at Amarillo at 6:30 a.m. Monday, November 25. He had been ill about a year and a half.

Mr. Lee, who was a farmer, had lived in Wellington twenty years.

Born at Erick, Oklahoma March 28, 1922, he was the son of Mrs. Alma Lee and the late H.E. Lee. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Navy.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, November 27, at 4:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Roy Collins, pastor, officiating. Burial was in

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Through Tuesday afternoon, November 26, approximately 1,000 bales had been ginned, according to plant managers.

One big plus this year is the good lint turnout, which in some areas is as high as 26 to 29 per cent, ginners say.

Some of the irrigated fields in the Dodson area are yielding up to a bale and a quarter, Darrell Murphy of the Dodson Co-op Enterprises said. This year the difference in the dry land and irrigated yields is greater than in several years, it has been brought out. On the average, the dry land cotton is making around half that harvest on irrigated farms.

Mr. Murphy said that some of the better staples so far range from one inch to 1-1/16 inch, while the grade is from strict low middling light spot to strict middling light spot. No white cotton has been reported so far.

From talking with growers in the area, Grover Graham, manager of the Davis Gin, feels a considerable amount will be better than was thought all along.

Some of the cotton harvested in the Wellington area is also yielding close to a bale to the acre, according to Alfred Saldana, Jr., at the Farmers Co-op. He noted the micronaire of this year's crop

### Museum to Be Open Thursday

The Collingsworth County Historical Museum will be open on Thanksgiving afternoon, November 28, Mrs. Clyde Drake, director, has announced.

The hours will be 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

"We are keeping the museum open so that many visitors here for the Thanksgiving holiday can visit it and see the work that has been done and the many interesting exhibits we have out. We feel, also, that there are many who live in the county and who would like to visit at this time," Mrs. Drake said.

is good.

Joe Frank Knoll, manager of the Lutie Gin, said some of the irrigated cotton north of Salt Fork is making a fairly

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### Richard Keller New Deputy Sheriff Here

Richard Lee Keller, of Mesquite, who grew up near Wellington, has been hired as deputy sheriff and will return here with his family shortly after December 1, Sheriff John Rainey has announced.

Mr. Keller has been working as a security guard in the Dallas area several years, and prior to that he was with the Dallas County Sheriff's Office two years, Mr. Rainey said. He was graduated from Quail High School and has lived in the Dallas area about 10 years.

The new deputy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Auburn Keller. His wife is the former Margie DePauw, daughter of Mrs. Oneta DePauw. The couple has two children.

"I am happy to have Richard Keller returning here as a deputy in the sheriff's office. He is experienced and he also

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## Merchants Begin Pre-Christmas Trades Days Saturday, Nov. 30

Pre-Christmas Good Will Trades Days will be sponsored by Wellington merchants again this year, with the first of the drawings for script and children's gifts to be Saturday, November 30.

A total of \$375 will be given in this traditional holiday program to promote Wellington as an ideal place to shop in the southeast Panhandle.

As part of this, Santa Claus will pay his annual visit to Wellington Saturday, December 7. Complete plans for the visit will be made by Mrs. Margaret Vines, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, which sponsors Trades Days.

There will be 5 Trades Days this year, one more than in the past, and besides the drawing for script on the opening date, Saturday, November 30, these will be the first three Saturdays of December, 7, 14, 21, and on Christmas Eve, Tuesday, December 24.

Trades Days will follow closely those of other years, with 19 Wellington merchants participating.

Script valued at \$375 will be given at the rate of \$75 each Saturday and on Christmas Eve. In addition, there will be \$100 in gifts for children, to be drawn for separately at each drawing. These will be at 4:00 p.m. Saturdays and Christmas Eve on the south side of the court house.

Participating merchants are now giving Trades Day tickets.

Script in denominations of \$35, \$25 and \$15 will be given each week, and should the holder of the ticket drawn not be present, another ticket will be drawn until the script is given away. There will be no holdover of script this year. This is redeemable with any of the merchants participating in the program.

All script will be void after January 2.

One of the most popular features ever sponsored by the merchants at Christmas is the children's drawings. After the drawings for script are completed, more tickets will be drawn until the holder of the lucky number is a child 12 years or under, and accompanied to the drawing by at least one parent.

Items to be given away in

the children's drawings will be announced.

Santa Claus will visit Wellington only one time this Christmas season.

Present plans call for him to arrive on the big red Wellington Fire Truck at 3:00 p.m. Saturday, December 7. He will visit the

children gathered to see him for about an hour, or as long as is necessary.

"Wellington's Pre-Christmas Trades Day are held as a way for our merchants to say 'Thank You' to their customers and at the same time to remind them that Wellington Stores are packed with merchandise that cannot be excelled for

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### Leader to Print Letters to Santa

Santa Claus will receive hundreds of letters this year with the help of The Wellington Leader.

Letters from children throughout the Collingsworth area, along with some who formerly lived here, will be published in the Christmas Edition of the newspaper. As soon as they are typed for the paper, the original letters will be hurried along to Santa Claus at his North Pole workshop by the quickest way possible. (Santa mail is faster even than air mail.)

All children are urged to mail or bring their Santa Claus letters to The Wellington Leader.

The date of the Christmas edition of the paper will be announced.

## Methodist Women to Hold Annual Dinner

The 18th annual Christmas dinner for the community, sponsored by the First United Methodist Church women, will be held Saturday, December 7, in Bura Handley community center.

The serving hours will be 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and tickets may be bought from any member of UMW, according to Mrs. J.B. King, president. They will be \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children.

Plates may be sent out to those unable to attend.

"This annual Christmas dinner is well known for the traditional homemade foods of turkey, dressing, gravy, beans, corn, rolls, cranberry salad and pies," said Mrs. King.

The steering committee this year is composed of Mrs. Robert Lewis, Mrs. R.R. Hightower, Mrs. George Henry, Mrs. Jerry Nix and Mrs. J.B. King.

## Donors Push Gift of Blood Over Quota with 131 Units

Collingsworth donors gave 131 units of blood Tuesday, November 26, during the semi-annual visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile. This exceeded by 13 the 118-unit quota for the county.

Garner Altom, permanent blood program chairman for the county called it one of the most successful blood drives

the county has ever held. The Rev. Roy Collins and the Rev. Ervin Emmert, blood chairman and Ministerial Alliance president, likewise praised the response.

Forty-one of the donors gave blood for the first time. Some of these were seventeen-and-eighteen year olds, but others were adults up through middle age.

Bloodmobile personnel from the Red River Red Cross Regional Blood Center also were pleased with the response.

With the Thanksgiving holidays coming up, the supply of blood was at a low point.

"They were depending on us to meet our quota more than we know. If we had fallen down, they would have had to go on the air and plead for Wichita Falls donors to carry them through the holiday," Mr. Altom said.

Two donors reached the coveted one-gallon mark. One was Charles Floyd, principal of Wellington Junior High School, the

other, Mrs. Ancita Anglin, who told nurses that she gave "because I enjoy it."

Additional data and the list of blood donors will be published in next week's issue.

### FFA Chapters Attend District Banquet Monday

Delegates and members of the three county FFA chapters will attend the annual Greenbelt District Banquet in Memphis Monday night, December 2.

Likewise, the three chapter sweethearts will compete for the title of Greenbelt District Sweetheart, and thereby the right to participate in the Area I contest at Lubbock.

Representing the Wellington chapter will be Lucy Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan, Lenora Oatman, daughter of

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### ALCOHOL-DRUG PROBLEMS AIRED

The southwest Panhandle's alcohol and drug abuse problems were pinpointed recently as law enforcement officers from Wheeler, Collingsworth and Donley counties, and county clergymen met with representatives of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission Alcohol and Drug Ad-

visory Committee. From left are Bob Watson, 100th Judicial District Juvenile Probation officer, Bill Porter of Clarendon, vice chairman of the committee, and Ted Moreno, Regional Alcohol-Drug Abuse Services Co-Ordinator.

## Farm Bureau Urges Meat for Christmas

Collingsworth County Farm Bureau has joined an all-out, statewide effort to increase consumption of meat, poultry and dairy products during the holiday season, according to Jerry Scott of Wellington, president.

The organization will promote the giving of certificates for these products as holiday gifts, he said. "We think this is a positive approach in assisting those commodities which are in serious trouble," he explained.

The local FB leader said there are two ways this can be done conveniently:

(1) Through buying gift certificates (redeemable in those commodities) at grocery stores. "We are providing gift certificates to stores which do not have their own, along with colorful gift envelopes," he said.

(2) Through giving a check or money order. Farm Bureau will provide an attractive message card

(explaining the gift idea) along with a nice gift envelope. The County Farm Bureau office at Wellington has a supply of both items, free of charge.

Committees of the county organization are calling on grocery stores to encourage their participation, he added. Farm Bureau is also providing the necessary supplies (certificates, window posters, etc.), and will publicize the promotion through advertising and publicity releases. Committees are already busy on these projects, he said.

The Texas Farm Bureau is helping to coordinate the effort on a statewide basis along with many other agricultural groups. The Texas Department of Agriculture has committed its TAP (Texas Agricultural Products) program to the promotion. The Texas Retail Grocers Association and large food chains are also participating.

State Farm Bureaus in several other states are carrying on similar promotions, Jerry Scott said. "This can truly be an effective campaign if we all work at it," he declared.

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Funeral services were conducted at 2:00 p.m. Saturday at First Methodist Church with the Rev. James Boswell, pastor, in charge. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were L.A. Davis, Sam Adams, A.L. Elliott, Don Jones, Gus Barton and Oran Starkey.

Survivors are three sisters, Mrs. F.C. Odorizzi of Lubbock, Mrs. Loyd Vaughan of Dimmitt and Mrs. James Weed of Ornage, Calif.; three brothers, Lyle Jones of Boise City, Oklahoma, Sam Jones of Jonesboro, Ark., and Hardy Jones of Palmdale, Calif. Eighteen nieces and nephews also survive.

Mr. Crawford preceded her in death March 19, 1971.

#2—continued from page 1 Memorial Gardens under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were Hubert Owen, Chuck Simpson, H.E. Davis, Jr., Johnny Sosa, E.B. Seale and Kenneth Peeks.

Surviving Mr. Lee are three daughters, Mrs. Sue Kirkum of Dumas, Mrs. Edwin V. East of Pampa, and Mrs. Jan Rockwall of Memphis; his mother, Mrs. Alma Lee of Wellington; three brothers, James Lee and Bill Lee of Pampa and Raymond Lee of Wellington; two sisters, Mrs. Ray Schults of Pampa and Mrs. Bonnie Howard of Phillips; and 7 grandchildren.

#4—continued from page 1 knows conditions in Collingsworth County," said Mr. Rainey.

Unable to find a house here, the Keller family is moving in a mobile home, he added.

#7—continued from page 1 Mr. and Mrs. Ross Oatman,

is the Quail chapter sweetheart, and Teresa Ray, daughter of Jim Ray, will be the nominee from Samnorwood.

Banners will be awarded to team which won the various district leadership contests recently.

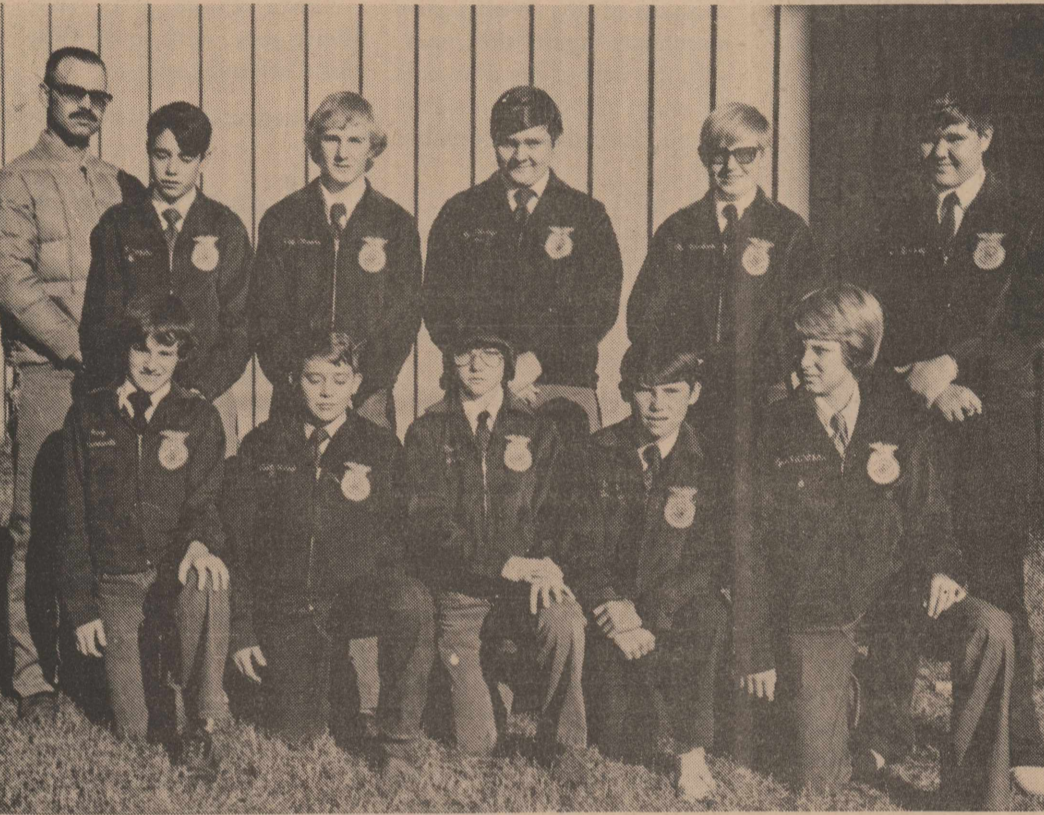
Don't just store it away and forget it—sell it with a classified ad in The Leader and use the money to buy something you need.



THE SKYROCKETS

The 1974 Wellington Skyrockets are setting their sights on December 10, when District 2-A basketball play begins. Coaching the Rockets is Robert Hicks. Pictured in the back row from left are Coach Hicks, Shane Tarver, Neal Cochran, Danny Brown, Jimmy Saied, and

Dan Ford. In the middle row, from left, are George Brewer, Jessie Davis, Jim Bob Nall and Edward Thomas. Kneeling at front are Sammy Gonzales, Richard Sims, Tony Martinez, Richard Sims, Kelly Cook and Jeff Langford, manager.



JUNIOR CHAPTER CONDUCTING TEAM

The Junior Chapter Conducting Team of Wellington Future Farmers of America placed third in the recent Greenbelt District Leadership contests at Clarendon College. In the back row, from left, are Rodney Myrick, ad-

visor, and Pat White, Dickie Moore, Lon Kiker, Allen Murdock and John Birkey. Kneeling from left are Roy Cardwell, Kent Riley, Craig Needham, Dean DeVoss and Joe Ed White.

## Home Management

BY MRS. ARLA FELTS, CO. EXTENSION AGENT

With the holiday baking season beginning, homemakers are searching for ways to substitute other sweets for expensive cane sugar. Honey, molasses or sorghum, corn syrup and cane syrup are sweetening agents that will work as well as white sugar in baking.

Some general guidelines for these substitutions will help homemakers achieve economical -- and high quality -- baked goods.

-- Honey. For one cup of sugar in baking, use one cup honey and reduce liquid one-fourth cup for each cup of honey used.

If about half the sugar is retained in a recipe and honey substituted for the other half, a better quality product will result.

In baking, use one-fourth teaspoon soda for each cup of honey. This is in addition to baking powder in the recipe when honey is substituted for sugar.

-- Molasses or sorghum. For one cup sugar, use one and one-half cups molasses or sorghum and reduce liquid one-fourth cup for each cup of molasses and sorghum used.

-- Corn syrup. For one cup of sugar, use two cups corn syrup and reduce liquid one-fourth cup for each cup of corn syrup used.

-- Cane syrup. One and one-half cups of cane syrup is equal in sweetness to one cup of cane sugar.

In cakes and cookies, replace sugar with syrup, measure for measure, and reduce liquid one-third. Cakes and cookies made with corn and

cane syrups are not as sweet as when sugar is used.

Another concern for the hostess during the holidays is being sure the food she serves is safe to eat.

Preparing larger than usual quantities of food puts a greater demand on a homemaker to keep it free of bacteria that causes food poisoning.

Bacteria only needs the right combination of time, temperature and moisture to grow. Proper refrigeration is a good way to prevent this happening. Keep cold foods cold and hot foods hot. Perishable foods -- such as turkey and dressing, cream pies and custards -- shouldn't be left unrefrigerated longer than two hours.

Food borne illness can cause diarrhea, vomiting, stomach cramps and other unpleasant symptoms which can last for several hours or even days. Young children and senior citizens are most susceptible.

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## Harrell Children Honored by Ben Franklin Head

Mr. and Mrs. Ace Harrell, Scott, 5, and Christopher, 1, returned recently from the bi-annual Ben Franklin merchandise show held in Dallas.

The highlight of the two-day show was a banquet at which D.G. Soderquist, president of Ben Franklin division, was the speaker. Scott and Christopher had their pictures made with Mr. Soderquist when he learned they were a third generation in the variety store. Their grandfather, Charlie Harrell, has been in the variety store business for 47 years, and opened the second Ben Franklin franchise store north of Dallas.

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store, one of the town's early business houses. He then was in New Mexico about a year. Upon returning, he operated the first variety store in Wellington with Adam Thomas on the north side of the square. He later owned another variety store.

In 1926, he opened the dry goods store on the west side of the square which bore his name and with which he and his wife were so long associated. After World War II, Mr. Wells turned the business to one of his sons who had grown up in it, Lowell Wells. He in turn operated it until his death in 1961. Through that period also, Mr. Wells remained in close touch with the business of the town.

He was a member of First United Methodist Church, and for many years was a member of the Church Board. He also was a

long-time member of the chancel choir.

Born at Thackerville, Indian Territory, on June 8, 1882, he was the son of the late J.W. and Mary Diane Wells. He grew up and attended school at Crafton in Wise County, before coming here with the family 73 years ago.

He was married to Miss Betty B. Gribble, member of another pioneer family, on December 8, 1903.

Funeral services were conducted at First United Methodist Sunday, November 24, at 2:00 p.m., with the Rev. James Boswell, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Memorial Gardens under the direction of Kelso Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were James Sullivan, Sam Adams, Alvin Horton, Jimmie Cochran, Melvin Seale, and Donald Curry.

Surviving Mr. Wells are his wife; his daughter, Mrs. Wampler; and one son, Orvell Wells of Dallas. There are three grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Mrs. Lowell Wells is the daughter-in-law.

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A.O. Sweat. He came here with the family in 1916, and first lived west of Wellington. Later he made his home in the Aberdeen and Lutie communities for many years.

He was married to Miss L.C. Sweat of Lutie December 15, 1928, in Wellington.

Funeral services for Mr. Sweat were conducted at First Baptist Church at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 27. Officiating were the Rev. Roy Collins, pastor, and Dr. Henry Kindeade of Irving, a former pastor here. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Kelso

Funeral Home.

Pall bearers were Denzil Lacy, Carroll Daves, Joe Wood, Bill Spillman, Richard Owens, Billy Wilkerson, Larry Henard and Benson Long.

Surviving Mr. Sweat are his widow; a son, Don Sweat of Dallas; two daughters, Mrs. Doris Lowrie of Irving and Mrs. VaRue Coley of Rockwall; five brothers, Dick Sweat of Wellington, Olman Sweat and Olson Sweat of Colorado City, Hardy Sweat of Rogers, Ark., and Laney Sweat of Riviera, Arizona; four sisters, Mrs. Chester Boykin of Amarillo, Mrs. Ellen Keener of Littlefield, Mrs. Thellie Lee Herring of Arlington and Mrs. Ollie Stoker of Mineral Wells. There are four grandchildren.

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# District 4-H Gold Star Youth Honored

A Collingsworth County 4-H'er was awarded the coveted Gold Star certificate in Amarillo Saturday night, November 16, 1974.

Receiving her award with 38 other 4-H'ers was Pam Vines of Wellington.

The highest award offered to 4-H'ers, the Gold Star is presented to a boy and girl from each of the 22 counties in District 1 of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. It is based on outstanding achievement, leadership and contribution to the county 4-H program.

The banquet, held at the Hilton Inn, was sponsored by Deaf Smith, North Plains, Rita Blance, Hall, and Swisher electric cooperatives.

The program was conducted totally by 4-H'ers, with Leslie Garnett, chairman of the district 4-H council, serving as master of ceremonies.

Speaker for the special occasion was Bill Sarpalius, vocational ag teacher at Boys Ranch.

Some 300 people, including parents, Extension officials, electric cooperative representatives, and special guests listened as each boy and girl gave a brief report of their accomplishments and most rewarding experience in 4-H.

Presenting the awards were district agents Paul Gross and Sue Farris, both of Amarillo.

Banquet honorees were as follows:

Armstrong County -- Jimmie Bible and Nancy Stephenson

Carson County -- Charles Bulla and Johnette Kelly

Castro County -- Norman Acker and Carol Hochstein

Collingsworth County --

Pam Vines  
Dallam County -- Dennis Irlbeck and Belinda Irlbeck Roberts

Deaf Smith County -- Britt Hicks and Sandra Stallings  
Donley County -- Paul Hermesmeier

Gray County -- Cris Skaggs and Molly Carlton  
Hansford County -- Quentin Hart and Diane VanZandt  
Hartley County -- Kevin Smith and Kathy Edlin

Hemphill County -- Bruce Pickens and Kiazan Morey  
Hutchinson County -- Jimmy Kennedy and Patricia Scott

Lipscomb County -- Chet Wynn and Judy Rader  
Moore County -- David Kehoe and Bekki McCormick  
Ochiltree County -- Roger Reimer and Betty Lutchi

Oldham County -- Troy Bunn and Beth Wylie  
Parmer County -- Rocky Bartlett and Susan Mimms  
Potter County -- Curtis Cates and Pam Scott

Randall County -- Gary Reynolds and Ronda Davis  
Sherman County -- Mike Flores and Charolette Sutterfield

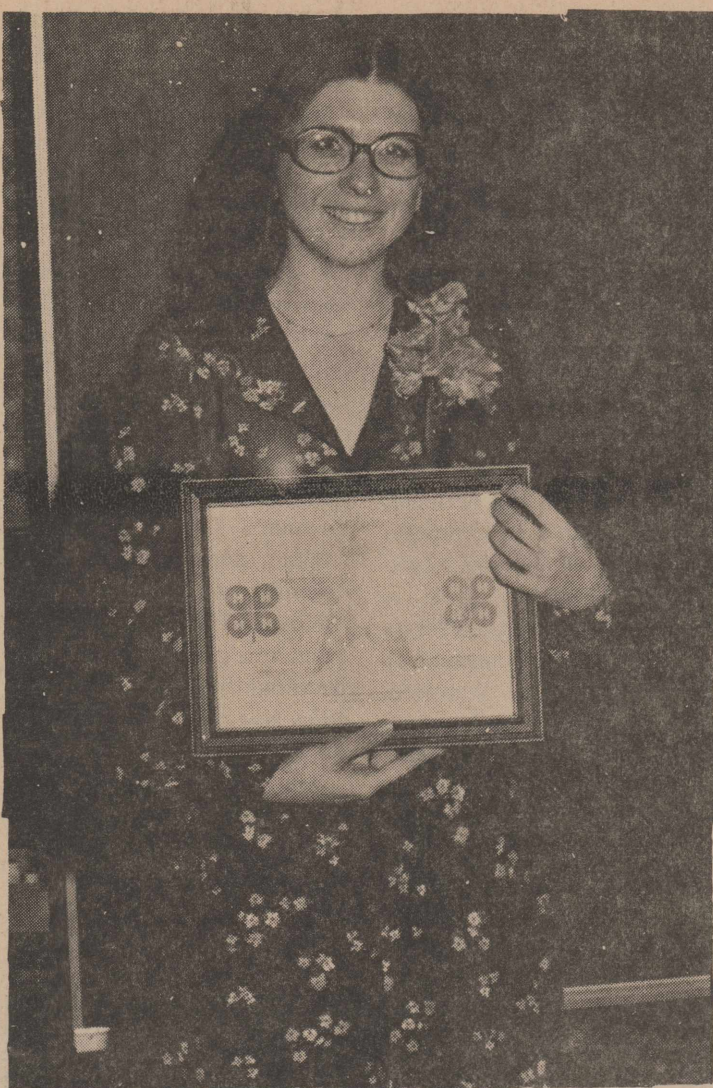
Wheeler County -- Cindy Meek.

## Harbins Attend Grady Wilson Day

Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Harbin were in Roscoe over the week end to visit their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meares, Jr.

They also attended the Grady Wilson Day at the Billie Hanks West Texas Ranch for Christ on Sunday afternoon.

More than 2,000 turned out to pay tribute to Grady Wilson, long-time friend and associate of Evangelist Billy Graham.



PAM VINES

## Thomas Nursing Center News

We have two of our residents in the local hospital. They are Mrs. Maggie Cass and Mrs. Ellen Goswick.

Mrs. Martha Reeves, Mrs. Merle Carter, Mrs. Marie Watkins, Mrs. Bessie Winters, Grady Graham, and Jim Harris attended the Senior Citizen's Luncheon Wednesday, November 20.

A group of young people from Bowie Street Church of Christ were present Wednesday evening to sing several numbers.

Charles Waugh, minister from the First Christian Church showed his slides to the Holy Lands and narrated them on Thursday afternoon. Wayne Sanders gave the

devotional Thursday night during the time of fellowship and Rev. Carl McKinney was present for singing. "The Good Time Singers" presented a program Sunday at 5:00. Church services were conducted by the Nazarene Church at 3:00 Sunday.

Our out of town company: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davidson, Wheeler, visited Iva Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Rogers, Altus, visited Mrs. Emma Kincannon.

Sam Raburn, Jr., of Dumas visited Miss Verdine Raburn.

Ann Sims, Mobeetie, and Keith Bowen of Perryton visited Grady Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon

## UT Receives Accounting Grant

AUSTIN, (Spl.) -- The American Institute of CPA's has chosen The University of Texas Accounting Department over those from 14 other leading universities to make a \$125,000 study of management advisory services (MAS).

MAS, the fastest-growing practice in accounting firms, is the name given to management consulting that CPA firms provide for business and government.

Tramel of Ft. Worth visited Mrs. Bessie Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted George of Memphis, visited Milton Orr.

Julia Perry and Opal Plunkett of Amarillo visited Mrs. Mary Plunkett.

Mrs. Margaret Hewlett, Okla. City, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hewlett of Dallas, visited Guy Bumpas.

Mr. and Mrs. O.W. Pendleton of Wheeler visited Ira Passons.

Mrs. Nora McCaslin of Royce City and Mr. and Mrs. Garrett McCaslin of White-right visited Mrs. Mabel Graham.

Bill Richards of Pampa visited Mrs. Fannie Moore. Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Harkleroad of Cotton Center visited Mrs. Ethel White.

Mrs. Mary Plunkett spent Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Waters while her daughters from Amarillo were here. She was also in the Waters home again Sunday when a son from Okla. City was here, Mr. and Mrs. James Plunkett.

Mrs. Jennie Simpson had Sunday dinner in the home of Mrs. Donnie Houston.

Mrs. James Bruton, Jimmy Dean and Stephen of Cheyenne, Okla., visited this weekend in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mayhugh.

## County Reports Nine Accidents During October

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated nine accidents on rural highways in Collingsworth County during the month of October, 1974, according to Sergeant D.E. Womack, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and two persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first ten months of 1974 shows a total of 41 accidents resulting in no persons killed and 20 person injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for October, 1974, shows a total of 502 accidents resulting in 19 persons killed and 215 persons injured as compared to October, 1973, with 664 accidents resulting in 31 persons killed and 377 persons injured. This was 162 less accidents, 12 less killed, and 162 less injured in 1974 at the same period of time.

The 19 traffic deaths for the month of October, 1974, occurred in the following

## Children May Miss SS Pay

Some children may be eligible for social security benefits on a grandparent's earnings record but aren't getting payments because they haven't applied for them, according to information received from the Amarillo Social Security Office.

Children supported by a grandparent may be eligible for monthly payments if the grandparent is getting social security benefits. A child

counties: three in Hale; two each in Haskell, Lubbock, Palo Pinto, Wise; and one each in Clay, Briscoe, Hall, Ochiltree, Oldham, Roberts, Swisher, and Wheeler.

The accident report in surrounding counties included:

Childress; three accidents, no deaths or injuries.

Donley: 6 accidents, no deaths, two injuries.

Gray: 12 accidents, no deaths, 5 injuries.

Hall: three accidents, one death, 6 injuries.

Wheeler: 9 accidents, one death, 7 injuries.

also may be eligible for payments if he or she was a dependent of a grandparent who died after working long enough under social security.

Generally the child's parents must be deceased or disabled at the time the grandparent began getting social security payments or died. In some cases, children legally adopted by their grandparent can get social security payments.

A child can get payments until age 18 -- or age 22 in the case of full-time students who remain unmarried. People can get information about applying for benefits by calling or writing any social security office.

The Amarillo social security office is at 317 East Third Street. The phone number is 806-376-2221.

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## Wellington Leader

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## Junior Grid Teams Honored at Banquet

"Fill the Shoes of a Winner", the theme that brought the 7th and 8th grade football season to a formal close as the banquet honored the boys and their guest, November 16, in the American Legion Building. Alternating colors of red and white covered the wall behind the headtable with a football player and cheerleader in the schools red and white, each flanking the letters W.J.H.S.

The banquet tables were centered with red crepe paper with the 8th grade football helmets surrounded by red and white mums and black glittered football shoes with a small W.J.H. banner atop each.

Large red, standing football shoes authentically outlined with black shoe laces served as place cards and program covers. Each shoe featured the boys individual number and name. Decoratively wrapped goal post flanked each end of the beverage table.

The theme was used throughout the building with red football shoes along the walls. A large colorful 8th grade football schedule listing opponents and scores was along one wall with a pair of size 13 football shoes, a caption reading "7th grade fill these shoes".

Jeffrey Camp, 7th grader, gave the invocation.

Following the dinner Coach Bruce Dollar introduced his 8th grade football team as District 2-A winners -- each boy received a plaque for his seasonal effort. The team in turn presented Coach Dollar with a plaque in appreciation. The three 8th grade cheerleaders were recognized and megaphone charms were presented each by team members. The cheerleaders are Jeanne Morris, Kelly Covey and Theresa Hodges.

Coach Ronny Glenn then introduced his 7th grade team. Team members received gold footballs. Coach Glenn was honored with a plaque from the players. Seventh grade cheerleaders recognized were, Kandi Ford, Terri Thomason and Karen Goforth.

Team members and guest included: Carl Taylor, Pam Ingram, Mike Ray, Kathy O'Rear, Jimmy Morgan, Tina Young, T. Jay Robertson, Laura Gragson, Jacen Jeffery, Carol Ann Daves, Harold McKinney, Kim Judd, Robert Burba, Louise Key, David Conant, Tami Boswell, Don Lewis, Connie Daves, Joe Thomas and Sharee Bailey.

Jeanne Morris, Theresa Hodges, Kelly Covey, Chris Watts, Robert Chambers, Charles McIntosh, Jon Sessions, Ricky Jones, Erminio Nevarez, David Baumgardner, Chuck Darter, Scott Peeks, Randy Seale, Tane Moore, Kevin Hall, Terry Manuel, and Robert Aquero. Jeffrey Camp, Melanie Hodges, Gary Isaacs, Karen Goforth, Richard Archer, Lesa Johnson, Jerry Henry, Terri Thomason, Dane Dodge, Tammy Hernandez, Neal VanPelt, Jennifer Pendleton, Alvin Pennon, Lisa Outley, Roy Outley and Wanda Thomas.

Kandi Ford, Kevin Needham, Greg Neeley, Haskell Bonparte, Mike Thomas, Mark Wauer, Craig Darter, Marty Warrick, Kirk Patterson, James Thomas and Robert Powell.

Coach and Mrs. James Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Sweat, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Floyd, Coach Glenn and Coach Dollar.

## Museum Receives Memorial Gifts

An increasing number of present and former county residents are now making memorial gifts to the Collingsworth County Historical Museum, Mrs. Clyde Drake, director, said this week.

The name for whom the gift was made is placed in the Museum's Book of Memories, and the donor receives a letter of appreciation.

"It is the collection of the lives and times of our own people and our land that the Museum strives to preserve and to share with others," said Mrs. Drake.

## On Wall Street

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### CASHLESS SOCIETY IS HERE

Well, it has finally arrived. That point in our society for which the bankers have yearned for many years is now at hand. Starting this month the government begins a pilot project for handling Social Security retirement checks in Georgia to 700,000 old-age pensioners, by asking them to permit the government to send their checks directly to their banks instead of mailing them to the recipient. More than 1,500 of the Georgia pensioners have said "yes" to the direct deposit program.

The Treasury Dept. mails out millions of checks regularly and is almost choking on the huge volume of paperwork. Making payments through the banking system eliminates a tremendous work load, both for the Treasury Dept. and the U.S. Postal System. By 1979 the Treasury plans to have over 16-million regular federal payments transferred directly to the recipient's bank account. To do this, the deposit instructions would not be sent by mail, but by computerized tape over the direct wires of the Federal Reserve which cover all parts of the country.

Banks are so enthusiastic over the potential that the Treasury has had to warn certain ones not to jump the gun and talk old-age pensioners into the new procedure before the Treasury forms and promotional materials are ready. The Air Force is asking its personnel to agree to direct deposits of payroll checks under a separate program while the state of Pennsylvania is getting a similar program under way by having banks disburse state welfare checks instead of the state mailing them out as in the past. One Amarillo business has been depositing payroll checks for employees in a local bank,

## Don Van Pelt To Direct 1975 Spelling Bee

Don Van Pelt, Counselor, Wellington High School, has been named to direct the 1975 Spelling Bee for Collingsworth County.

The 27th annual Regional Spelling Bee -- co-sponsored by the Amarillo Globe-News and West Texas State University -- will be held in Amarillo on April 26, 1975, and the place will be the

handing the employee a deposit slip instead of a check.

Acceptance of the direct deposit program will be slow at first. There's just something nice about being able to hold that check in your hand before cashing it or depositing it.

Stephen F. Austin Junior High School.

Students in the public and parochial schools are invited to participate. All details may be obtained from the county bee director.

The national sponsors -- the Scripps-Howard Newspapers establish the rules for the annual Bee competition. Any student who will not have reached his (or her) 16th birthday or gone beyond the eighth grade at the end of the current school term, will be eligible to compete.

The Amarillo Globe-News-WTSU Regional Bee is unique in that it also offers a chance for the elementary grade students to compete. Boys and girls in the sixth grades and lower may spell in the junior division and each county will select a champ in this division. The elementary county winners do not compete in the regional elimination contest

in Amarillo unless he should hold both junior and senior championships.

The area assigned to the Amarillo Globe-News and West Texas State University covers 46 counties: 29 in the Texas Panhandle, 10 in Oklahoma, four in New Mexico and three in Kansas.

Each county bee director has complete control of his county contests and he may conduct his contests as oral or written competition. The Amarillo regional event will be oral.

For many years the schools have used the "Words of the Champions" booklet, prepared by the National Spelling Bee. The 1975 issue may be obtained by writing:

Spelling Bee Editor, Amarillo Globe-News, P.O. Box 2091, Amarillo, Texas 79166.

The price of the booklet is 25 cents.

The champions from

Collingsworth County in 1973 were:

Senior Division: DiAnna Schaub and she was a student in Samnorwood School.

Junior: Mark Wischkaemper, also a student at Samnorwood.

One of the 46 county champions to compete in the Regional Bee will win a free trip for himself (and a chaperon) to Washington, D.C. early in June, courtesy of the newspaper, where he will spell in the 48th National Spelling Bee.

Bee coordinator will be Gene Parker, director of placement at West Texas State University. Spelling Bee Editor for the newspaper is Mrs. Jeanne Bartlett.

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## Leader Readers

Tim White, Amarillo; Ray Minatrea, Pampa; Ruth Aaron, Wichita Falls; Ray Irwin, San Antonio; Steve Tennison, Houston; Ray Wauer, Lakewood, Colo.; Mrs. Bob Moorhouse, Guthrie; Belle O'Brien, Abilene; Mrs. T.T. Fain, Canyon; Mrs. E.W. Holland, Pampa; Jon Paul Waggoner, Dallas; Gene Manzer, Marana, Arizona; Bill Crosby, Shamrock; Arthur Wells, Shamrock; Luster McClain, Samnorwood; Vernon K. Peters, Vinson; R.S. Thomas, Hedley; Doyle Sain, Dodson; Jess Deger, Shamrock; Donald White, Clarendon; Bill Henard, C.D. Messer, Mrs. Bessie Winter, Mrs. Jess White, Mrs. Eva Needham, Mrs. D.E. Fulton.

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## OFFICIAL PROCLAMATION

By  
**ZOOK THOMAS, County Judge**  
Collingsworth County  
Wellington, Texas

The statewide promotion of Gift Certificates for Meat, Poultry and Dairy Products presents a happy solution to the dilemma of what to give for Christmas. The giving of these foodstuffs expresses the true spirit of the season. Furthermore, these products are in abundant supply at this time and are good buys.

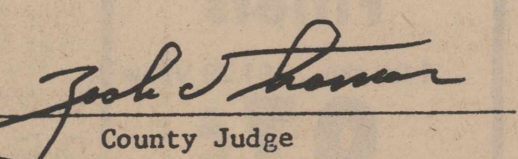
The Collingsworth County Farm Bureau and other agricultural groups have developed a program encouraging the giving of gift certificates for meat, poultry and dairy products.

The use of these certificates not only solves the problem of what to give, it also represents a timely boost for producers of these essential foods.

NOW THEREFORE, I, as County Judge of Collingsworth County, do hereby proclaim the month of December, 1974, as

**"Give Meat, Poultry and Dairy Products Month"**

and urge all citizens to take advantage of this unique gift idea. I further urge local news media to promote this positive approach to helping relieve the distress of these segments of our farm and ranch community.

Signed   
County Judge



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# Manure Fertilizer Equals Commercial

COLLEGE STATION -- Manure used as fertilizer will produce just as much sorghum, corn silage and wheat as commercial fertilizer and is much cheaper, contends Dr. John M. Sweeten, agricultural engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Comparable yields were produced in the Texas High

Plains with 10 tons of manure per acre and recommended fertilizer applications.

"It costs about \$40 to fertilize one acre of land with commercial fertilizer while the cost of fertilizing the same amount of land with feedlot manure is about \$23 where the haul distance is 10 miles. Assuming the same yields from the two acres, fertilizing with feedlot manure saves about \$17 per acre," says the Texas A&M University System specialist.

This would indicate a break-even haul distance for manure of about 40 miles. Because of the shortage of commercial fertilizer and the resulting high prices, the demand for feedlot manure as fertilizer has reached an all-time high, explains Sweeten.

"Last year when Texas cattle production reached a peak, four million tons of manure were produced. Most of this was used by crop farmers on the Texas High Plains," notes Sweeten. "Today Texas feedlots are operating at less than 60 per cent capacity and the demand for manure from crop farmers is exceeding the supply."

Charges for feedlot manure delivered to the field varies among feedlots, but a typical charge is about \$2.25 per ton for a 10-mile haul. Of course, the charge varies with the distance hauled.

## Annual Rain Gutter Regatta Winners Named

The annual rain gutter regatta was held by Cub Pack 231, Thursday, November, in the American Legion Hall. Cubs and their fathers fashioned the tiny crafts. The sailboats were propelled by the puffing and blowing of their young owners racing up twin courses constructed of water filled rain gutters.

Wade Williams won first place in speed and Jay Anders second. First in the Best Design Category went to Darwin Nix and second to Brian Wilbur.

Den winners were: Den 2: Jay Anders, Den 34: Todd Roberson, and Webelos: Wade Williams.

Judges for the event were Bob Copeland, Elementary principal, and Alvin Horton. Preceding the races was a graduation ceremony for cubs advancing into Webelos. Parents presented each boy with his Webelos scarf and badge colors. The boys are Scott Cochran, Vincent Fitzgerald, Darren Hall, Drury Lacy, Eddie Langford, Eddie Trimble, Jim Warrick, Kevin McClendon, Timmy

Harris, Wade Williams and Jay Jones. Jay also received the Webelos denner cord. Chuck Darter and Jeff Langford, den chiefs for the Webelos were introduced by John DeVoss, leader. The attendance banner was won by the Webelos Den with 42 present, Den 34 having 33 and Den 2 with 19 in attendance.

Cubmaster Bill Anders closed the meeting and announced that the Pack committee will Monday, committee will meet Monday, December 2.

## Hospital Notes

Visiting Hours: 2:00 to 4:30 p.m.; 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Mrs. Maude Eva Kilgore, medical, Nov. 18 to 22.

Vivian Ingram, 5-year-old granddaughter of Clyde Wiggins, medical, Nov. 20 to 23.

William C. Snelson, medical, Nov. 20 to 22.

Mrs. Darlene Cook, medical, has been a patient since Nov. 20.

Mrs. Ellen Goswick has been a medical patient since Nov. 21.

Mrs. L.W. McClure, medical, has been hospitalized since Nov. 21.

Mrs. John Henard, Sr., entered for medical treatment Nov. 21 and is still a patient.

Mrs. Pauline Sherrill, traumatic surgery, Nov. 21 to 24.

Farris Cornelius has been a medical patient since Nov. 22.

Mrs. Edna Johnson has received medical treatment since Nov. 22.

Anthony Sterling, 9-months-old son of Mrs. Lillie Sterling, has been a medical patient since Nov. 22.

Iva Nell Shrubs, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt Shrubs, medical, has been hospitalized since Nov. 23.

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Mrs. Maggie Cass has been a medical patient since Nov. 23.

Rufus Sweat, medical, was admitted Nov. 24.

Mrs. Lela Owens entered for treatment Nov. 24.

Mrs. Dovie Reynolds, medical, was admitted Nov. 24.

Patients admitted earlier and dismissed since Nov. 18: Miss Dorma Lee Tyler, Nov. 18.

Nolan Browning, Nov. 18. William A. Eads, Nov. 19.

Mickey Vassey, Nov. 19. Mrs. Ada Nell Roberson, Nov. 19.

J.D. Coleman, Nov. 19. Earl Keller, Nov. 20.

Louis Allred, Nov. 20. Howard Jones, Nov. 23.

Mrs. Irene Jones, Nov. 23.

## Tech to Hold Carol of Lights

LUBBOCK - The traditional Carol of Lights program at Texas Tech University, heralding the Christmas-New Year's holiday season, will be presented Dec. 6 in the Science Quadrangle.

Dr. Grover E. Murray, president of Texas Tech, will preside over the program. Barry Wood of First Baptist Church will lead the invocation.

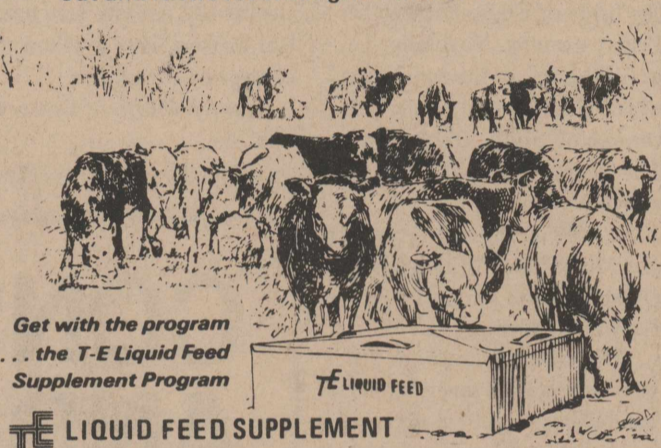
The Texas Tech Choir and the Oakwood Baptist Bell Choir will be among the performing groups; and Dr. Gene Hemmle, former chairman of the Department of Music at Texas Tech, will lead community singing of carols. Other participating groups will be announced later.

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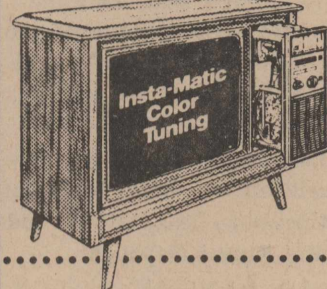
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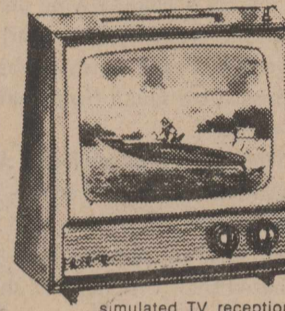


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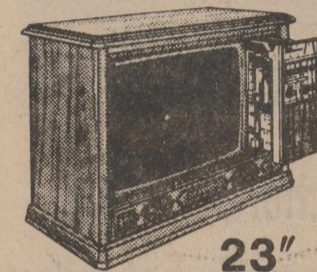


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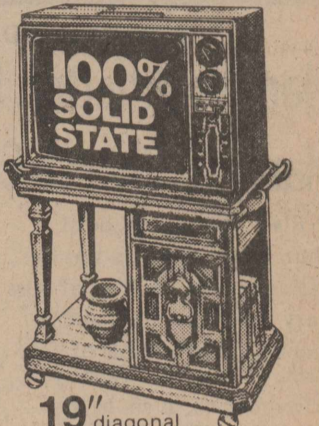
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## Mary Burkhalter, Richard Gamble Marry in Church Ceremony Saturday

First United Methodist Church in Wellington was the setting for the wedding of Miss Mary Ann Burkhalter and Richard Jerry Gamble of Talequah, Oklahoma, Saturday, November 23, at six in the evening, with the Reverend James Boswell, pastor, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Jess Burkhalter of Midwest City, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Rebecca Burkhalter of Amarillo. She is also the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burkhalter, 1401 Floydada Street, with whom she has made her home the last year. Parents of the bridegroom are Mrs. L.J. Elder of Talequah, Oklahoma, and the late R.M. (Bill) Gamble of Lufkin.

Decorating the church was an arch entwined with ivy and white wedding bows, and at the sides were candelabras, also entwined with ivy and wedding bows, and two fan shaped arrangements of white gladioli, with pink pompoms, gypsophelia, Queen Anne's lace and salad leaves. Pew markers were white bows.

Wedding music was presented by Mrs. Carl McKinney, vocalist, and Miss Juliana Baumgardner, organist.

Mr. Burkhalter gave his daughter in marriage.

The bride wore a formal wedding gown of satin peau de soie. The bodice was accented with appliques of Alencon lace and seed pearls that extended into a front panel of the semi-controlled skirt. The skirt back swept into a chapel train. Her bouffant veil was banded in lace and she carried a cascade of Garrett roses and white Sweetheart roses, accented with pixie carnations and gypsophelia, tied with burgundy velvet streamers.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Gail Oswald of Petersburg, matron of honor, and Miss Cindy Gober, Miss Janet Bowling and Mrs. Rick Dickens of Amarillo, bridesmaids. Their dresses were in empire style, with

## Who's New in the Wellington Area

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lindley of Childress are the parents of a daughter, Julie Kathryn, born November 13 in Childress Hospital. She weighed six pounds and one-half ounce. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Guy Lindley and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Roberts of Altus, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Peeks are the parents of a daughter, born November 21, in Hall County Hospital, Memphis. She was named Kristi Ann, and weighed seven pounds, fourteen and one-half ounces. The grandmother is Mrs. Virgie Peeks of Wellington.

pink chiffon bodices, matching lantern sleeves and burgundy velvet skirts. Their colonial bouquets of Pixie and pink carnations, gypsophelia, and leamon leaves, were tied with burgundy and pink velvet ribbon.

Terry Gamble of Talequah was the best man, while groomsmen and ushers were George Barrett and John Moore of Lufkin, Russell Sargent of Electra, Clyde Jackson of Kansas, Oklahoma, and Doug Johnson of Electra.

Le Ed Oswald of Petersburg and Sandy Henard lighted the candles. The flower girls were Tiffany Dickens of Amarillo and Kathy Romine of Dallas, while Mike Thomas was the ring bearer.

A reception followed in the dining room of the church. The table, set against a background of baskets of white gladioli and pink pompom chrysanthemums, was centered with the bride's bouquet.

Guests were served by Miss Sherry Nutt of Oklahoma City and Miss Cathy Britton of Amarillo. Mrs. Gary Wright was at the register.

The bride was graduated from Palo Duro High School and attended Draughon's Business College. She was employed at Thomas Nursing Center, Inc. A graduate of Lufkin High School, the bridegroom attended Stephen F. Austin State University at Nacogdoches. He is presently employed by General Corrosion Services.

Upon returning from their wedding trip to Bossier, Louisiana, the couple will live in Muskogee, Oklahoma.

## Gift Wrapping Midway Study

Midway Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, November 20, in the home of Mrs. Jack Colson with Mrs. Cecil Masten, president, conducting the business session.

Plans were made for the Christmas salad luncheon which will be Wednesday, December 4, in the home of Mrs. Donald Curry.

Mrs. Arla Felts, extension agent, gave the program on Christmas gift wrapping and how to use things already in the home for wrapping, such as newspapers, fabrics, bits of lace, and others. Gift wrapped boxes were on display.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Grace Cook, Mrs. Leo Popwell, Mrs. Joe Terry, Mrs. Curry, Mrs. Masten, Mrs. Homer Holton, Mrs. Harold Caldwell, Mrs. David Peters, Mrs. R.T. Savage, Mrs. Maude Vaughan, Mrs. Felts, a guest, Mrs. Darrell Colson, a new member, Mrs. Enoch Fuller, and the hostess, Mrs. Colson.

It's a good idea to keep a multipurpose fire extinguisher in the kitchen -- or a supply of salt or baking soda -- for a grease fire,

## Party Honors Mrs. Mayhugh

Mrs. Roland Mayhugh was honoree at a surprise birthday party Friday evening, November 22, in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Porter, 1203 El Paso.

The refreshment table was laid with a gold cloth centered with a Pilgrim and Turkey centerpiece accented with orange candles.

The entertaining hours were spent in games of "42" and in visiting.

During a social hour, the hostess served refreshments to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Pink Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wauer, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hill, Mrs. James Bruton of Cheyenne, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mayhugh.

## Quail Club Names Officers

Members of the Quail Friendship Club met Thursday, November 21, for a Thanksgiving program, presented by Mrs. Pearl Hays. Mrs. Frank Lindsey was hostess at the Quail Homemaking cottage.

The first Thanksgiving in America was celebrated at Plymouth, Mass., in the fall of 1621, after the pilgrims had gathered their first harvest, she told the group.

Officers were elected for the year 1975. Mrs. Monty Mitchell was chosen president, Mrs. Frank Lindsey, vice president, Mrs. Ira Morgan, secretary, Mrs. Mary Clay, treasurer and Mrs. John Bishop, reporter.

The hostess served refreshments to Mrs. Orbie Hartman, Mrs. E.P. Haynie, Mrs. Ira Morgan, Mrs. Esther Canada, Mrs. Virgie White, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Hays, Mrs. Jennie Oatman, Mrs. John Bishop, Mrs. Clay, and Mrs. Pat O'Hair.

## Girls Scouts Visit CA Center

Girl Scouts of Troop 21 met Friday, November 22, at the Community Action Center for a lesson in liquid embroidery.

Mrs. Frances Mote conducted the lesson and gave each girl individual instruction. Each also received a picture to paint and to take home when finished.

The girls also brought canned foods which they donated to the Community Action Center, and which will be used for the Thanksgiving dinner.

Refreshments were served by Karen Whitten.

Girls attending were Lesa Bird, Brenda Baker, Belinda Crelia, Cathy Crelia, Renee Daniels, Rhonda Gollighugh, Cynthia Gollighugh, Karen McDanel, Karen Whitten, and Kim Black.

Adult leaders were Mrs. Alva Bird, Mrs. Lyman Daniel, Mrs. Benny McDanel, Mrs. Maxie Baker and Mrs. Lyndon Crelia.

# Society News

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## Mrs. Ben Ratliff Speaks at Club

Mrs. Ben Ratliff presented the Thanksgiving program for members of the Belles Lettres Club Tuesday afternoon, November 19, when Mrs. Frank Hatch was hostess.

This was taken from the book, "Dear Jesus, I'm so Human", by Rosanne E. Nelson.

Mrs. Joe Thompson presided at the business session.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. E.F. Bartlett, Mrs. L. M. Bartlett, Mrs. A.B. Clark, Mrs. W.F. Harbin, Mrs. Bob Hightower, Mrs. Dick Richards,

Mrs. Joe Thompson, Mrs. Coy Vaughan, Mrs. J.H. Wood, Mrs. Bryan Denley, and the hostess, Mrs. Hatch.

The next meeting of the club will be a Christmas party on December 10.



MRS. EDDIE POPWELL

## Miss Karen Putnam, Eddie Popwell Marry in Church Ceremony at Hollis

Miss Karen Putnam became the bride of Eddie Popwell on Friday evening, November 15, at 6:00 p.m., in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church of Hollis, Oklahoma. The Reverend Elbert Shumaker officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jamie Putnam of Gould, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Popwell of Wellington.

The altar was decorated at each side with a seven branched candelabras and beyond each was a basket of white gladiolas and green foliage.

Mr. Putnam gave his daughter in marriage.

Her wedding gown was of sheer ganza over bridal satin designed with a high neckline of ruffled lace and sheer full sleeves ending in wide cuffs. A band of satin with front bow and streamers circled her empire waist. Matching lace formed the pinafore style ruffles of the front and back bodice and outlined the overdressed apron of her gathered skirt.

Her shoulder length veil fell from a coil of roses and seed pearls and had a rose and seed pearl motif over the veil. She carried a cascade of frenched carnations with white ribbon streamers.

Miss Kathy Putnam of Oklahoma City, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. She wore a floor length green and white print crepe gown with

a shirred bodice and long full sleeves and a white lace hat. Her flowers were a yellow corsage of carnations.

Ranny Wilson of Hollis was best man.

After the ceremony, Mrs.

Carl Putnam, grandmother of the bride, was host at a reception in her home at Gould. The bride's table was laid with a white lace cloth. The centerpiece was a white wedding candle. Silver and crystal appointments were used. Mrs. Mark Meason and Miss Kathy Putnam sisters of the bride, served.

The bride is a senior at Gould High School where she plans to continue her studies. She is active in F.H.A. and basketball. The bridegroom graduated from Wellington High School, where he played football and was outstanding in F.F.A. He is now self-employed in farming and custom harvesting.

Upon returning from a short wedding trip the couple will be at home at 1402 Bowie St.

## Miss Lewis Honored at Bridal Shower In Covey Home on Saturday Morning

Miss Connie Lewis, the fiancee of Lynn Emmert, was honored at a bridal shower Saturday morning, November 23, in the home of Mrs. Fred Covey southeast of Wellington.

Receiving the guests with Mrs. Covey were Miss Lewis, her mother, Mrs. Carthel Lewis, and Mrs. Ervin Emmert, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Mrs. Mark Sims of Amarillo was at the register.

After guests had seen the gift displays, they were served from a refreshment table laid with a beige cloth and centered with an arrangement of green Fuji mums and bronze pom

## Retired Teachers To Meet Dec. 3

Collingsworth County Retired Teachers Association members will hold their Christmas salad luncheon Tuesday, December 3, in the Heritage Room.

Mrs. Jack Lowry, president, said the luncheon will begin at 12:00 noon. The hostesses will be Mrs. Bill Hill and Mrs. Charley Hill.

Mrs. James Sullivan will

poms, with touches of fresh cedar to herald the coming holiday. Silver appointments were used. Mrs. Redgie Souder and Miss Gwen Lewis presided at the table.

Mrs. Lynn Carter presented piano selections during the entertaining hours.

Joining Mrs. Covey in hostess duties were Mrs. David Baumgardner, Mrs. Hubert Brooks, Mrs. Earl Patterson, Mrs. Barney Glenn, Mrs. Art Kane, Mrs. James Sullivan, Mrs. Raymond Ford, Miss Inez Clement, Miss Mable Clement, Mrs. Hiram Cudd, Mrs. Otis Emmert of Quail, Mrs. Harry Lowell Patterson, Mrs. Leslie Moore and Mrs. Fred Yarbrough.

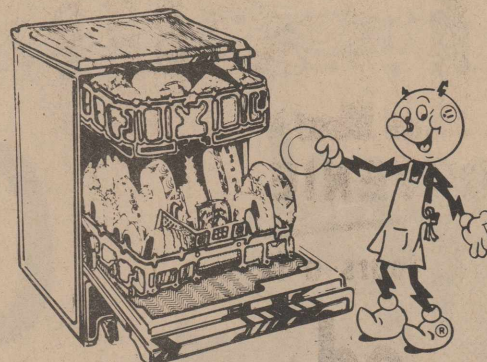
Approximately 70 friends called between ten and eleven-thirty o'clock.

be the speaker and Mrs. J.F. Michael in charge of the program.

Each member is asked to bring a salad and also a gift for the exchange which will be part of the program.

The stage of ripeness in bananas is indicated by skin color.

# CONSERVE AND SAVE

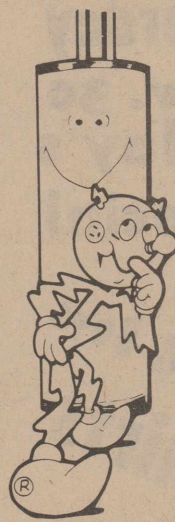


## DISH WASHER SAVER-TIPS

A dishwasher will usually hold a whole day's dishes. It takes as much hot water and energy to wash 1 dish as it does a full load. Stack your dishes out of sight in your dishwasher and wait until you have a full load to turn it on.

Use only detergents manufactured specifically for dishwashers. A wetting agent helps prevent water spots on glasses and silverware.

Clean the filter screen often. A clogged filter can reduce the efficiency of your dishwasher.



## WATER HEATER SAVER-TIPS

It's amazing how much water a leaky faucet will drip in a month's time and if the leaking faucet is a hot water faucet, it will waste both energy and water needlessly. As an example, a faucet dripping 90 drops per minute will waste 300 gallons per month.

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**Who's New**  
in the  
Wellington Area

Mr. and Mrs. Mark White of Quail are the parents of a son, Justin Delbert, born in Hall County Hospital Sunday, November 24. He weighed six pounds, thirteen and one-half ounces. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Delbert White of Quail and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Brown of Claude. Great grandparents are Mrs. Mary Clay of Hedley, Mrs. Virgie White of Quail, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders of Claude and Mrs. Brown of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Carter of Omaha are the parents of a son, born November 23, at Mt. Pleasant. He weighed five pounds and fifteen ounces and was named Mickey Wiley, Jr. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Holton and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Carter. The great grandmothers are Mrs. Judge Holton and Mrs. E.W. Carter.

John Forbis Coombs was born November 18 to Mr. and Mrs. David Coombs, 2530 Marshall Drive, Palo Alto, Calif. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Kirby of Littlefield and he is the first great grandchild of John T. Forbis, Sr. Mrs. Kirby is the former Wilma Ruth Forbis and Mrs. Coombs the former Linn Kirby.

Buttons on jacket sleeves were first placed there on Napoleon's order to prevent his soldiers from using their sleeves as handkerchiefs, reports Claudia Mitzel, consumer education: clothing and textiles specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.



**DISTRICT FFA SWEETHEART NOMINEES**

These three will represent the Future Farmers of America Chapters in Collingsworth County at the annual Greenbelt District contest in Memphis Monday, December 2. The winner of that event will compete for the Area I title in Lubbock later in the winter, and



that winner, in turn will seek state honors. From left, these sweethearts are Teresa Ray of Sammorwood, daughter of Jim Ray; Lucy Sullivan of Wellington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan; and Lenora Oatman of Quail, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Oatman.



**Dodson NWMS Studies Bolivia**

The Dodson Nazarene World Missionary Society continued its study of South American nations Tuesday, November 12, when Mrs. Mayme Lewis was hostess.

Mrs. Roy Tisdale presided at the business session.

This session's study was in the form of a Bolivian wedding, with each member of the wedding party presenting a section of the lesson from the study, "Landlocked Bolivia."

Taking the role of the minister, Mrs. Cora Lowry gave the introductory section. The bridegroom, Rev. Howard Smith, discussed "From the Altaplano," telling of the people and their communities; the bride told of "The Miracle of La Paz," and "The Eastern Valleys and Plains;" best man, a part by Mrs. Wilma Beanland, "Farming in Eastern Bolivia" and "Wet and Low Lands"; the maid of honor, Mrs. Roy Tisdale, "Nazarene Missions in Bolivia," and "Medical Work in Bolivia"; the mother of the bride, Mrs. Georgia Owens, discussed the work of the mis-

**First Baptist Church Adult Classes Hold Thanksgiving Dinner Saturday**

A Thanksgiving social and dinner was held by the members of the Adult I and Single Adult classes of First Baptist Church Saturday evening, November 23, in the Club Room of Bura Handley Community Building.

The dinner was a traditional Mrs. Billy Wilkerson sang "Bless this Home". She was

accompanied by Mrs. Benny Kilgo. Members present were Bob Copeland, Mrs. Diane Snow, Mrs. Audene Downy, Mrs. Mary Frank McQueary, Miss LaHanda Mayhugh, Mrs. Irene Martin, Clyde Ingram, Buddy Carter, Mrs. Carolyn Orr, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Langford, Rev. and Mrs. Roy Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. John Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Bergvall, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. John DeVoss, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Benson Long, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie O'Rear, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Kilgo, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Greenway, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Maxwell, and these guests, Rev. and Mrs. Darrell Feemster, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Billington of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Tisdale, Mrs. Ila Orr, Miss Ebb Orr, Mrs. Iva Lewis, Mrs. Owens, Mrs. Lowry, Mrs. Ocie Lewis, Mrs. Maggie Webb, Mrs. Camp, Mrs. Garland Hightower, the Rev. and Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. Sherrell Beanland and Jon, Mrs. Ruby Blakes, Mrs. Marie Sango, Mrs. Mildred Cummins and children and the hostess, Mrs. Mayme Lewis.

**Shower Honors Mrs. Doug Rives**

The home of Mrs. J.H. Oldham of Sammorwood was the setting for a baby shower honoring Mrs. Doug Rives, the former Betty Coleman, Sunday, November 17.

The Rives returned here after completing their studies at Stephen F. Austin State University at Nacogdoches.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Oldham were Mrs. Selba Rainey, Mrs. J.D. Ward, Mrs. John Stages, Mrs. Noah Stice, Mrs. Billy Waters, Mrs. Doyle Glazner, Mrs. W.R. Breeding and Mrs. Rudie Tate.

Gifts were presented to the honoree to be opened by her and displayed.

Guests were then served from a table covered by a lace cloth over yellow. The tiered cake, which was the centerpiece, was decorated with a miniature baby buggy and other items for infants. Coffee was served from a silver service and punch from a milk glass bowl.

Approximately 40 friends were present.

**Career of Titian Discussed in Art Series for Excelsior Club Thursday**

Miss Dorothy Robertson was hostess and program leader when members of the Excelsior Club met Thursday evening, November 21, in the directors room of Greenbelt Electric Co-operative, Inc.

A new member, Mrs. Russell Yates, was welcomed.

Miss Robertson's discussion was of Titian, one of the greatest of the Renaissance painters.

"In the long roster of painters, you will find none more fortunate than Titian, the great Venetian. He lived on and on, without doddering or chattering, as the aged sometimes do, with his common sense intact and his bargaining powers sharper with time -- a well-balanced soul, painting in his ninety-ninth year with more boldness and originality than in his youth. He kept himself in good health, never stooping to gluttony or other excesses and never wasteful, an excellent host

but always with one eye on the cost of the feast. When honors poured upon him from Germany, Spain and the Netherlands, he accepted them graciously, and returned to his studio to work and study.

Titian was born 15 years before Columbus discovered America. Little is known of his career before he was 30, for he was industrious but unhurried as he deliberately prepared himself to become the leading artist of the day.

"For half of his life, with uncanny skill and sureness of touch, Titian applied his glowing style to portraits, fancy pieces, and religious themes. He made his men and women so ample and resplendent that the very light in which they are revealed seems to come from within the figures themselves and not from some distant source," Miss Robertson said.

It was whispered that a cur-

ly redhead both delighted and angered him and it was to please this girl that he mixed a special combination of high colors into a tone that is still favored by the girls of Venice. Midway in his career, Titian hired an agent, the first publicity agent in art history, who tripled the income of the painter and persuaded royalty to pose for their portraits.

At the age of ninety, he painted 15 canvases for King Philip II of Spain. At ninety-nine, he began painting a picture for a chapel of the church of the Frari which was to be in exchange for his tomb, but he died of the plague before it was completed.

At the conclusion of Miss Robertson's discussion, a desert plate was served from a table decorated in a Thanksgiving motif.

Attending were Mrs. J.F. Michael, Mrs. Esdel Bartlett, Miss Sue Parker, Miss Rose Shaddid, Miss Marie Shaddid, Miss Hattie D. Wells, Mrs. Robert Barjenbruch, Miss Bonnie Willis, Mrs. Yates, and the hostess.

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## Wellington Offers the Biggest Shopping Bargain This Holiday

The Christmas season opens in Collingsworth County Saturday, November 30, when the first Trades Day is held by Wellington merchants. This will be followed by the arrival of Santa Claus on Saturday, December 7.

After a preview of the holiday season, it is to be noted that Wellington stores are presenting some of the most attractive merchandise we have seen in many seasons. Our business men have chosen this merchandise with the knowledge of our habits and our preferences in mind.

This is but one of the good reasons for buying at home this year. Another is the convenience of it all. No parking places to hunt, no waiting in line to make selections, not this thing of being one of hundreds, bent on getting their hands on the same thing at the same time. If we aren't through when closing time comes, it is no big effort to come back at 9:30 or 10:00 the next morning.

What we buy in Wellington is identical to much found in stores away from home. Our buyers go to the same markets, make selections from the same sources.

And if we are money conscious, and who is not, we will have to add the cost of a tank of gas to the cost of the purchase -- gas that is costing much more than last Christmas season.

The support that we give Wellington merchants in this holiday season in the year ahead is one of the things that brings growth, and everyone of us benefits from that growth. We will, in many ways, help ourselves when we buy at home this year.

### Other Editors Say . . .

### Driving a Luxury?

Those officials in Washington who see exorbitant federal taxes on gasoline at the pump as an easy way to curtail consumption of that necessary fuel need to get out of their chauffeured limousines and come out to the wide open spaces where millions of Americans live and work, and learn a few of the facts of modern life.

The government might, indeed, succeed in taxing gasoline out of reach of many thousands of small business operations . . . including farms and ranches . . . and so reduce consumption; but when it does, it is going to put many of those "little people" out of business altogether.

Because they have no "public transportation" to turn to and if they are forced to give up the use of their private trucks and pick-ups and automobiles because motor fuel has been taxed out of economic reason, they may also be forced to curtail the services they render, and the goods they produce, because transportation is a vital part of these enterprises. And when this comes about, they may also be forced to give up paying the taxes . . . payroll taxes, sales taxes, income taxes . . . which their business enterprises generate, and which in turn supports the federal government bureaucracy.

When this happens, if it does, the Washington bureaucracy may finally get the message, but then it will be too late.

In the meantime, the people who operate these millions of small businesses across the country will continue to pay whatever they have to pay for motor fuels, to protect their livelihood. In doing so, they will help the bureaucracy to fuel this inflation which it is ostensibly fighting . . . because these necessary costs of conducting business have to be added to the prices of goods and services.

Those economic planners in the Capitol seem to have visions of all these profligate Americans across in the mad pursuit of pleasure, when only a little more nudging from the tax collector could force them to use non-existent public transportation instead.

Driving private vehicles is not exactly a pleasure at present gasoline prices . . . and it will be even less so with higher taxes, but it will still be an economic and business necessity . . . right up to the point where doing business becomes a luxury we can no longer afford to enjoy.

- The Canadian Record

## STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Lyndell Williams  
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Legislative Budget Board heard warnings that spending demands and cost of school finance formula revision are fast eating up an anticipated \$1.4 billion surplus.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby said talk of tax cuts is "premature" until the board completes its spending recommendations next month.

LBB aides echoed earlier words of caution that spending all the fat surplus in sight would mean a record tax bill of \$1.5 billion in 1977. They also calculated that state government agencies already have requested more than \$1.7 billion in increased general revenue appropriations for the coming fiscal period. That is 80.3 per cent over the current level—and \$300 million more than the anticipated surplus at the end of the next biennium.

Cost of overhauling the school finance formula—priority goal of the 1975 Legislature—was estimated at from \$570 million to \$873 million during 1976-77. LBB figured it has recommended \$362 million in general revenue increases for the agencies. More agencies will have their appropriations requests reviewed and acted on December 9.

The Mental Health and Mental Retardation Department would receive under Board recommendations \$68.4 million in general revenue—an increase of \$227.3 million, but far short of the \$913.6 million requested.

Recommendations of the budget board will go to the legislature when it convenes next January to write the 1976-77 appropriations act and perform other biennial lawmaking assignments.

**WIDE OPEN ALLOWABLE**—For the 33rd consecutive month, the Railroad Commission ordered a 100 per cent statewide oil allowable in December.

Major purchasers of crude oil wanted slightly more than four million barrels a

day produced. This is a slight decrease, of 33,912 barrels, from November.

Most purchasers asked for the same amount. One asked a substantial increase, and another decreased its nomination to buy slightly.

**LIQUOR BOARD HEAD QUILTS**—O. N. "Newt" Humphreys resigned under fire as administrator of the Alcoholic Beverage Commission.

Hired in 1968 in a general cleanup move, Humphreys said he was quitting because a second member of the three-man ABC had asked him to step aside.

R. L. Thornton Jr. of Dallas had been after Humphreys's scalp since last May. Joe Burkett of Kerrville last week came over to Thornton's point of view, at least in part.

Humphreys shocked a House Liquor Regulation Sub-Committee by announcing his move at a meeting of the group immediately after a brief closed-door ABC meeting. He indicated he was caught in a cross-fire between Thornton and Burkett over whether or not to fire some of his employees.

**COURTS SPEAK**—The Supreme Court took under advisement lengthy arguments over whether the Railroad Commission has power to apportion natural gas among areas in accord with supplies and needs.

A Lower Colorado River Authority \$11 million contract suit against Coastal States Gas Producing Company has been transferred from Brenham to Bryan.

The Court of Criminal Appeals reversed a life sentence ordered for a Harris County man convicted of slaying three, and ordered a new trial.

Another sentence—35 years for sale of heroin—was reversed by the same court on grounds of hearsay notations on the evidence submission envelope.

**AG OPINIONS**—A county



mental health and mental retardation authority must post notice of meetings on a public bulletin board in the courthouse under the open meetings law.

In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

- When no fees are set by the legislature, district clerks can charge a reasonable fee for their services.

- There is no necessary legal incompatibility between the dual employment of independent school district tax assessor-collector and city commissioner, although such a conflict is conceivable depending on facts in each case. (Hill declined to pass definite judgment).

- A prison inmate on emergency reprieve is subject to Department of Correction rules and regulations and custody precautions.

- The Texas Air Control Board, while it has power to establish standards of performance for new stationary

sources which have a practical possibility of emitting air contaminants, does not have authority to require permits for construction and operation of indirect sources of contaminants. Neither does it have authority to enforce federal regulations, although it can adopt and enforce its own, and monitor pollution activities.

- El Paso County can legally use a portion of its federal revenue sharing funds to contract with El Paso Hospital District for mental health and retardation services, public health units and clinics.

- A public employee can be reimbursed for expenses within his designated headquarters while using a public conveyance.

- **NEW SCHOOL FINANCE PLAN BACKED**—The House sub-committee on public school financing endorsed the "weighted-pupil" concept of distributing school aid funds.

The proposal would provide money on the basis of individual student needs within districts.

The panel also approved determining state finance assistance in proportion to full market value of property in each school district.

It made no recommendation on what salaries teachers should be paid.

Portions of six different plans for school finance revision were reviewed and borrowed from.

**APPOINTMENTS**—Judge T. Gilbert Sharpe of Brownsville has been named by Texas Water Rights Commission to act as conservator for Duval County Conservation and Reclamation District.

Dr. Robert A. Montgomery and John R. Guemple will be new assistant deputy state commissioners of education. Charles Nix, Dr. Severo Gomez and Dr. J. B. Morgan are associate commissioners.

## Strictly Fresh

Why try making a silk purse out of a sow's ear, when they do it so much better these days with synthetic yarns?

Soap operas are suds fun for daytime video watchers.

Those who recall the good old days are right about one thing: They WERE old.

Telling a successful lie requires more ingenuity than most of us are capable of.

Already have our Christmas cards for this year. Forget to mail last year's clutch of greetings.

Overhearing the chit-chat when the ladies play bridge is enough to make a foundry boss blush.

What this country needs is a good nickel cigar for a quarter; most of 'em now cost 50 cents.

You can get your name in the paper by driving recklessly; but seldom by driving wrecklessly.

## Short Takes

### Condominiums

Condominiums are getting more popular as the years go by. A condominium is a unit of an apartment complex, owned by an individual in much the same way as if it were a single-family home. He holds direct legal title to the unit and a proportionate interest in the common areas and the underlying ground.

### East on The House

The Dorze people of Ethiopia believe that well-fed builders erect better houses. While one of their thatch-and-bamboo huts is under construction, they ply the craftsmen with delicacies.

### Good Location

The fishing bat of Central America and the Caribees uses echolocation "sonar" to find food. When the bat locates small fish at the surface, it skims the water and spears its prey with strong talons.

### Waste Energy

If burned in power plants, the 2½ billion tons of waste—garbage, manure, and vegetable refuse—produced every year in the United States would generate more than half of today's national output of electricity.

## Calendar of Events - December

SUN 1	MON 2	TUE 3	WED 4	THU 5	FRI 6	SAT 7
* Methodist Board * Museum Open * Farm Bureau * St Convention  ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	* City Council * Teacher Inservice-School Holiday * Social Security * ASOS Vote Deadline * Faith Baptist Wk of Prayer * Greenbelt FFA Banquet * Band Parents * 1st Baptist WMU	* Basketball: Lefors at Norwood * VFW-Auxiliary * Retired Teachers Christmas Luncheon * Boy Scouts Troop 232 * Museum Open * Drivers License Lakeview at WHS	* 1st Baptist Mission Dinner * Garden Club * Midway HDC Salad Luncheon * Scout Troop 75 * Prayer Meetings * Choir Practice	* Basketball: WHS at Salt Fk Classic-Clarendon Norwood-Wheeler Try Kelton Jr Hi at Quail * Farm Bureau * 1st Baptist Deacons-Wives Social * RSVP 42 Party * Norwood YM	* Basketball: WHS at Salt Fk Classic-Clarendon Norwood at Wheeler Tourney * Boy Scouts Overnight Camping * Quail YH Christmas Party	* SANTA CLAUS VISITS * TRADES DAY * Basketball WHS at Clarendon Norwood at Wheeler * Farmers Union Party * Methodist Dinner * Gospel Singing * National Guard
* Skyrocket Band Christmas Concert * 1st Baptist-Open House, Roy Collins, Benny Vilgos * Museum Open * Baptist Week-Prayer ends * National Guard	* Commissioners Ct. * Chamber-Commerce School Boards: Quail-Wellington-Norwood * Basketball: Lakeview Jr Hi at Norwood; Estelline Jr Hi-Quail * Lions Ladies Night - Wellington * Fire Department * Assembly of God WMC	* Basketball: Memphis at WHS * Allison at Quail * Dodson HDC Christmas Party * Housing Authority * Dodson Nazarene * NWMS-HDC-Masons * BCPW Christmas Pty * Eastern Star * Drivers License	* Fresno HDC Christmas Party * WHS Children's Play * Trinity UMW * Scout Troop 75 * Prayer Meetings * Choirs  The Wellington State Bank Pays the Maximum Interest on Savings	* Norwood Basketball Tournament * Norwood Lions * Lillie HDC Christmas Party * Dorothean UMW * Drivers License  DECORATE FOR CHRISTMAS	* Norwood Tourney * Kiwanis * Abra HDC Christmas Party * Scout Troop 32 * Kiwanis * 1st Baptist Adult I-II, Adult Single I Christmas Social * Nazarene NWMS	* TRADES DAY * Norwood Tourney * Wellington YH  SHOP YOUR FRIENDLY WELLINGTON MERCHANTS
* 1st Baptist Christmas Cantata * 1st Christian Board * Museum Open  ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	* City Council * Wellington State Bank Dinner * Social Security * DAR * DAV * Farmers Union * Basketball: Quail Jr Hi at Lakeview * Lydia UMW	* Basketball: WHS at Shamrock Mobeetie at Quail Shamrock Jr Hi at Norwood * 1st Christian Ladies * Kiwanis Ladies Night * VFW-Auxiliary * Assembly-God Teacher Banquet * Soil Conservation Dst.	* RSVP Birthday Luncheon * Prayer Meetings * Choirs  -DECEMBER 17- * County School Board * Drivers License * WHS Assembly-Clarendon College * Dodson Legion Aux.	* Basketball: Quail at Shamrock Tourney Estelline B Team Tourney * Ambulance Service * RSVP 42 Party * Quail Friendship Club	* School Holidays Begin * Fundamental Baptist Church Party * Kiwanis Club * Scout Troop 32 * Basketball: WHS at Clarendon; Quail-Shamrock Try.	* TRADES DAY * Basketball: Quail at Shamrock Tourney  Bank in One Convenient Place The Wellington State Bank
* Christmas Programs: 1st Christian Assembly of God Fundamental Baptist * 1st Baptist Caroling * Museum Open  ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE	* Norwood PTA * Hospital Board * Fire Department  THE WELLINGTON STATE BANK IS THE GROWTH BANK	* TRADES DAY * Christmas Eve * Museum Open  * KIWANIS KIDDIES CHRISTMAS SHOW  DECORATE FOR CHRISTMAS	* CHRISTMAS DAY * Christmas Mass, Catholic Church  WE AT WELLINGTON STATE BANK WISH FOR YOU AND YOURS THE BLESSINGS OF CHRISTMAS.	* Amarillo Tournament: Wellington-Quail-Norwood * Drivers License * Norwood Lions  LET'S ALL WORK TOGETHER FOR THE COUNTY'S ECONOMIC GROWTH	* Amarillo Basketball Tournament * Scout Troop 32  THE WELLINGTON STATE BANK PAYS THE MAXIMUM INTEREST ON TIME CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT	* Amarillo Basketball Tournament * 1st Baptist Youth to Glorietta  LET'S ALL PROMOTE COLLINGSWORTH CO.
The Farm Economy of this area is a prime concern of the Wellington State Bank	* Amarillo Basketball Tourney Finals * Quail Students Return to School * Social Security  Use Our Convenient Drive-in Window	Watch Night SHOP YOUR FRIENDLY WELLINGTON MERCHANTS FOR CHRISTMAS	For Christmas Giving The Wellington State Bank Suggests . . . * Crisp, brand new bills * Bank Money Orders * Travelers Checks for a holiday trip * U. S. Savings Bonds, the present with a future	CHOOSE YOUR NEW CAR THE WELLINGTON STATE BANK WILL FINANCE IT	The Wellington State Bank is here to help you solve your financial problems with a personal loan	* Wellington Schools Open Jan. 2 * Norwood Schools Open Jan. 6

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# Texas 4-H Youths to National Congress

COLLEGE STATION -- Texas will be well represented when the 53rd National 4-H Congress kicks off in Chicago December 1. Forty of the state's top 4-H members will be in the delegation of more than 1,600 4-H youth from all 50 states, Puerto Rico and Canada.

"4-H -- We Can Make It Happen" is the theme of this year's Congress. The national event is the highlight of the 4-H year and honors those 4-H boys and girls who have outstanding records of achievement, points out George McArthur, parent organization of the state 4-H program.

Those attending have earned the trip through their 4-H accomplishments as evidenced by record books completed in a wide range of subjects.

Texas delegates will leave

Dallas November 30 following an orientation meeting. The 4-H'ers, the programs in which they have excelled, and their counties are listed below.

Kenneth Johnson, achievement, Bexar; Teresa Clemmer, achievement, Taylor; William Ernestes, agriculture, Fayette; Bobby Pearce, automotive, McCulloch; Russell Brandes, beef, Jim Wells; Martha Shanklin, bread, Edwards; Pam McAlpin, citizenship, and Brad Trietsch, petroleum, both of Tarrant; Norman Acker, citizenship, Castro; Deana Finck, clothing and Aaron Parker, rabbit, both of Swisher; and Russell Henderson, conservation of natural resources, Kerr.

Also, Sandy Reiter, consumer education, and John L. Schumacher, Santa Fe, both of Cooke; Lisa Castenson, dairy, Brazos; Mary Hunt, dairy foods, Howard; Larry Hand, dog care and training, and Kim McMenemy, field crops science, both of Lubbock; Ramona Skinner, dress revue, Childress; Brad Hughes, electric, and Janice Hughes, recreation, both of Gaines; Dorothy Atkinson, food-nutrition, Harris; Cynthia Hornstein, food preservation, Victoria; Donna DiPaolo, home environment, Cathy Harris, home management, and Lee Ann Hammett, horse, all of Dallas.

Also, Van Miller, horticulture, Floyd; Lisa Swanson, leadership, Stephens; Eddie Perkins, leadership, Johnson; Angela Jenkins, photography, Upshur; Kathryn Martin, safety, Medina; Davdi McClendon, Santa Fe, Hale; Keith Ihms, Santa Fe, Llano; Pamela McCown, Santa Fe, San Patricio; Carol Wilde, Santa Fe, Uvalde; Jeanette Altenhof, Santa Fe, Guadalupe; Sharon Oakley, Santa Fe, Grayson; Kenneth Kieschnick, Santa Fe, Wilbarger; Rodney Logsdon, sheep, Lamb; and Larry Davis, swine, Ellis.

Accompanying the Texas delegation will be C.R. Salmon, area 4-H and youth specialist, College Station; Edwin T. Garnett, district Extension agent, Vernon; Kathy Hufnagle, Potter County Extension agent; and Bill McCutchen, Milam County Extension agent.



BRENDA DEGER

## Brenda Deger Miss Shamrock For Coming Year

Brenda Kay Deger was chosen to reign as Miss Shamrock for 1974-75 at the fourth Beta Sigma Phi Sorority-sponsored Miss Shamrock Beauty Pageant.

The new Miss Shamrock, an 18-year-old Shamrock High School senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deger, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Deger.

She was chosen from a field of 24 entries Saturday night, November 9, in Shamrock High School Auditorium. She was crowned by Miss Debbie Davis, Miss Shamrock of 1973-74.

Brenda is 5'6" tall and has brown hair and green eyes.

## Remember Feed, Cotton Records

Bob Weatherly, county ASCS executive, has reminded farmers that they are to bring in their cotton and feed production records.

These should be turned in as soon as harvesting is finished, he said.

She has been active in most all school affairs for the past four years, serving as an officer in the high school band, FHA and in the Candy Stripper organization. She has been a member of the pep squad, band, twirler; and was Junior Class Representative on the Student Council. She is presently Lions Club Sweetheart. She is a member of the First Baptist Church in which she is active in Sunday School and other church affiliated activities.

Nearly 141,000 Vietnam-era veterans are treated yearly as bed patients in Veterans Administration hospitals.

Sell it with a Classified Ad.

## Time to Order Seedlings for 1974-75 Planting

It is time to order tree seedlings from the Texas Forest Service for the 1974-75 planting season, according to Mason Cloud, head of the Forest Environment Department. The 21 windbreak species available this year will cost \$5 per hundred. The minimum order for windbreak species is 100 seedlings and they are shipped prepaid. A check or money order payable to the Texas Forest Service must accompany each order before the trees can be shipped. Orders are processed as received and shipped from mid-December through February. Tree planters are urged to place their orders early in the fall.

During the 1974 planting season, 401,000 windbreak seedlings were distributed to 185 Texas counties, from Dallam County in the extreme northwestern part of the Panhandle to Cameron County in the Rio Grande Valley. The total of 401,000 trees was planted by 750 planters.

Boy Scout and Girl Scout camps from the Panhandle to the Gulf Coast planted trees as part of their continued interest and activities to conserve our natural resources. More than 35 soil and water conservation districts in the Texas Panhandle region purchased about 300 packets of 150 seedlings each and planted them on farms and ranches to provide special protection for game animals and birds.

Texas landowners have shown imagination in the wide variety of tree plant-

ings. Tree seedlings which start at the Texas Forest Service Indian Mound Nursery are planted on thousands of sites by hundreds of ordinary people. Your neighbors have been good citizens of conservation; isn't it about time that you joined them?

Applications for tree seedlings are available from county and district offices of

the Soil Conservation Service, Extension Service, or by writing the Texas Forest Service, c/o Agronomy Department, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas 79409, phone 806/742-5109.

Veterans Administration pension and compensation payments for widows who lost these benefits when they remarried can now be restored for those who were widowed a second time.

## Quail and Alamo Split Double Header Tuesday

Richard O'Neill poured in 31 points at Quail Tuesday night to lead the Alamo Catholic Mustangs to a 76-60 win over the Quail Quails.

The victory in the boys game earned the Ponies a split of the basketball doubleheader as Quail won the girls conflict, 67-47.

It's the second time this season the two schools have divided games on the hardwood. In the first meeting Alamo won the boys' game, 78-47, and lost to the Quail girls, 78-47.

Quail's Lenora Oatman dropped in 34 points in the opener while Susie Powers paced the Mustangettes with 27.

Gary Wischkaemper topped the Quail boys in points with 20, and teammates Tommy Caldwell and Johnny Needham added 17 and 15 points, respectively.

The Bobwhites, undefeated after seven outings, received 24 points from Debra Culpepper, and the remaining nine from Melissa Guthrie.

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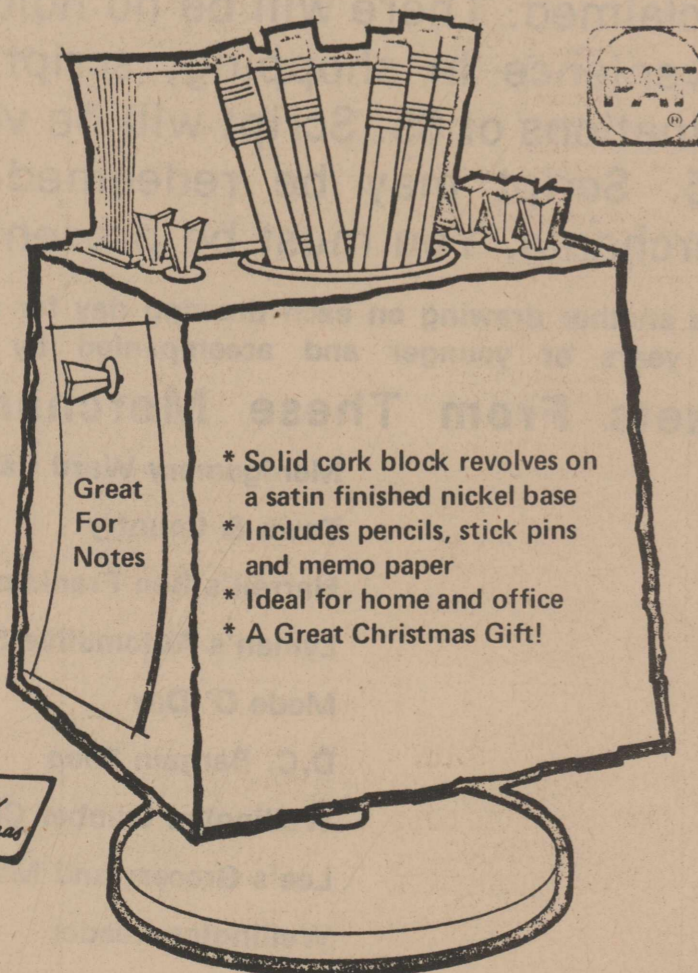
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## WHS Splits Games Against Mobeetie

Wellington Rockettes traveled to Mobeetie Friday, November 22, to take a game from that girls team 68-41. The Skyrockets, on the other hand up against a strong, experienced Mobeetie boys team, dropped their game 68-53.

"The girls played a lot better than in their first game," said Coach Bruce Dollar. "They are still real young and have a lot to learn, but they have improved quite a bit."

Mobeetie took a first period lead, then Wellington scored 15 points to 8 for their opponents to lead 23-20 at halftime. The third period was a big quarter for both teams and a 39-33 score.

Lucy Sullivan led Wellington's scoring with 20 points. Freshman Kloette Camp had 18, Kathy Patterson 11, Lee Ann Sessions 8, Renee Mitchell 7 and Suzy Castleberry 4. Hathaway had 21 for Mobeetie. Lee Ann, a freshman, is still the high rebounder and got 8 in the game.

Lana Lacy, who usually plays forward, did a good job at guard. Others playing were Kathy Kersten, Jenny Earnest, Renee Taylor, Stacey Neeley, LaDonna Jones and Pam Vines. Everyone on the team played.

### SKYROCKETS-MOBEETIE

The Rockets had a fair first quarter after opening cold, then came on strong in the last couple of minutes, but closed the period trailing 8-5.

"The second quarter really hurt us. We had a lot of turnovers and didn't play very good defense," Coach Hicks said. "Mobeetie had a 19 point lead at halftime. We did come back in the third quarter and came within 8 points of Mobeetie. I thought that was good for us overall.

We improved a whole lot as far as our fundamentals, and we can see improvement over the first.

"We're working for December 10, our first district game. Of course, we'd like to win these games but district is what counts for us."

Mobeetie has a strong club with a present record of 11-2, the Wellington coach pointed out. "They are one of the better Class B ball clubs in this area.

Edward Thomas had another good game and scored 22 points, while Shane Tarver had 13, George Brewer 6, Danny Brown four and Tony Martinez, Neal Cochran, Kelly Cook and Jessie Davis two each.

"Tarver, a sophomore, did a fantastic job on the boards with 16 rebounds," Hicks said. Cochran, a starter last year, has been ill and had not regained his strength for the Mobeetie game.

High point man for Mobeetie was Steve Corse.

## Eighth Grade Splits Pair

The Firecrackers, eighth grade boys and girls basketball teams, played Memphis Thursday, November 21, Wellington boys and Memphis girls winning.

Wellington girls were in their first game and their nervousness was apparent in the 17-14 loss. "They have a return game coming up and I think we can turn the score around," said Coach Bruce Dollar. Pam Ingram led the scoring with 10 points while Jeanne Morris and Kelley Covey had two each. Woodard scored 10 for Memphis.

This was also the first game for the Firecrackers as they won 33-8, and their



THE ROCKETTES

Long one of the stronger teams of the Panhandle, The Rockettes will begin District 2-A play on December 10. Coaching the girls this year is Bruce Dollar. Team members are, back row, from left, Suzy Castleberry,

LaDonna Jones, Kathy Kersten, Stacey Neeley, Lee Sessions, Renee Mitchell and Coach Dollar. Seated are Kloette Camp, Renee Taylor, Lucy Sullivan, Kathy Patterson, Pam Vines and Lana Lacy.

## Rocket B Team Victorious Over Mobeetie 41-30

The Skyrocket B basketball team defeated Mobeetie boys B team 41-30 there Friday, November 22, in their first outing, and after only two workouts.

Wellington led 11-6 at the end of the first quarter and 25-14 at halftime. The score was 29-20 at the third quarter. The Rockets scored 12 points to 10 for Mobeetie in the final period for the

coach called it an "outstanding game." Ricky Jones led the scoring with 15 points, Carl Taylor and Ermino Nevarez had 6 each, Jon Sessions four and Richard Garcia two. Richard led Memphis with 6.

Other Wellington players were David Baumgardner, Kevin Hall, Joseph Thomas, Mike Ray, Don Lewis, Charles McIntosh, and Calvin Lockhart.

## TNHA Elects New Officers

Citing 1974 as the peak of its 25 year history, the House of Delegates of the Texas Nursing Home Association convened in annual session at Houston, re-elected its president Rogers D. Wilson to another year in office.

Also re-elected were most of the executive officers who have served with Wilson this 41-30 win.

George Darton led Wellington's scoring with 11 point, while Cliff Pennon had 10, Allen Sanders and James McCann 6 each, Winfred Sherrill four and Bill Havens and Joe Baumgardner two each. Arnie Ingram, Clay Don Lacy and Eddie Outley were the other players.

"I thought they played an outstanding game considering they had worked out only twice," said Coach Bruce Dollar. "There is a lot of potential on the team. After we work another week or so, I think we will have a pretty good club."

## Seventh Grade In Tournament

Seventh grade boys and girls basketball teams played in the Estelline Junior High Tournament Thursday through Saturday, November 21 through 23, with the girls going into the consolation playoffs before losing to Quail 24-17.

High point player for Wellington was Susie Chandler with 12 points, while Jennifer Pendleton had 5. Guthrie scored 12 for Quail and Donna Langley 11. In their first game, Wellington girls lost to Lakeview 38-15. Jennifer Pendleton scored 13 points and Susie two. Myres of Lakeview had 16.

Going into the consolation bracket, Wellington girls defeated Patton Springs 21-11. Again Susie was high point player with 9 points, Jennifer had 8 and Sharee Bailey four. Sweatt scored 7 to lead Patton Springs.

"We were playing eighth grade teams there and this was the first week of playing ball, but I thought our girls did a real fine job for just the first week," said Coach Ronnie Glenn. "I'm looking forward to a real fine year with these girls. They hustle for me and they like basketball, so we are expecting to win some games."

Wellington boys were in their first week of play, and they, too, had eighth grade teams as opponents.

They lost their first game to Lakeview 47-18. James Thomas scored 6 points and Baldo Nevarez, Dane Dodge and Marty Warrick four

each. Ruiz scored 16 for Lakeview.

In consolation play, Wellington again lost, this time to Patton Springs 20-10. Robert Powell and Dane Dodge had four points each and James Thomas two.

playing football and practiced only two days. They also were playing eighth grade teams, so I think we should have a pretty good year with boys basketball," said Coach Gooch.

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## December 2 ASCS Committee Vote Deadline

Monday, December 2, is the final day to vote for a member of the ASCS county committee, whose term will begin January 1, 1975.

Bob Weatherly, county executive, said that candidates are Carl Wischkaemper of Quail, who is currently a member of the committee, Max Paschall of Lutie, Glen Thomas and Joe Wood of Wellington.

The committeemen will hold office for three years. Hold-over members are Rudie Tate of Abra and Dan Henard, Jr. of Wellington.

## Group Returns From Fishing at Port Aransas

A group of Collingsworth County people have just returned from a month's fishing trip to Port Aransas. Some of the group are still there.

Those in the group included Mr. and Mrs. Oran Starkey, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clubb, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Les White, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Stuckey, Jimmy Kelson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Harwell, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Mauldin, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Caison, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Nix and Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Savage.

Mr. and Mrs. Clubb's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson of El Paso, joined them while they were there.

The group reported lots of good fishing.

Mrs. Bill Hill and Mrs. Ileta Thomas of Dalhart visited last week in Breckenridge with their aunt, Mrs. Allie Young, who has been ill. They also visited friends in Abilene and relatives in Stephenville.

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COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH  
TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF EDITH PAINTER, DECEASED, NO. 1829, IN THE COUNTY COURT OF COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY, TEXAS, PROBATE MATTERS:

The undersigned, Roger Painter, having been duly appointed Executor of the Estate of Edith (Mrs. H. A.) Painter, deceased, late of Collingsworth County, Texas, by the Judge of the County Court of said County on the 4th day of November, 1974, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him within the time prescribed by law at Route 1, Box 727, DeSoto, Texas, 75115, where he receives his mail.

Witness my hand, this the 13 day of November, A.D. 1974.

/s/ Roger Painter, Independent Executor of Estate of Edith Painter, Deceased. 18-1c

## Lunchrooms

### WELLINGTON

Monday, Dec. 2: Teachers In Service

Tuesday, December 3: Cubed beef with natural gravy, carrot sticks, green beans, whipped potatoes, hot rolls, jelly, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 4: Tacos, lettuce and tomato salad, pinto beans, sopapillas, honey, butter, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, Dec. 5: Sloppy Joes on bun, fruit juice, oven fry potatoes, catsup, pickles, cauliflower, ice cream, 1/2 pint milk or chocolate milk.

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Barbara Coleman

My sincere thanks to each of you who were so thoughtful of me during my recent illness. For each kind deed I am truly grateful.

Louis Allred

May we extend our heartfelt thanks to those of you who expressed your sympathy in so many thoughtful ways during our recent bereavement, especially those who helped hunt for him, and the ladies of the Church of Christ who prepared dinner. Your kindness has meant much to us. The family of Lon Wellborn

May we extend our heartfelt thanks to those of you who expressed bereavement. Your kindnesses have meant much to us.

The family of Baley Cauble

With grateful hearts, we would like to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness shown at the recent loss of our sister, Ruth Crawford. May God bless each of you.

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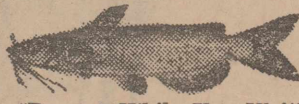
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# Deck's Didactics

—by Deskins Wells

NEW Englanders say that the Pilgrims celebrated the first Thanksgiving ever observed in what is now the United States. Not so, say the Virginians, who claim they have proof the first Thanksgiving was observed in Jamestown. Colonists did settle at Jamestown years before the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock.

THE FIRST Thanksgiving in North America was not observed in New England. Neither was the location in the earlier settled Virginia. The first Thanksgiving in North America was observed in Texas. You can read the facts in "Talk of Texas" written by Jack Maguire, noted authority on Texas lore and history. J.B. Stevenson loaned me a copy of this interesting book, but I intend to buy one for myself.

THANKSGIVING continues to be our most untarnished holiday. It is still held on the last Thursday in November and continues to be a time of family gatherings and feasting as it was in the beginning. It is the one holiday that holds to its old, simple, treasured values.

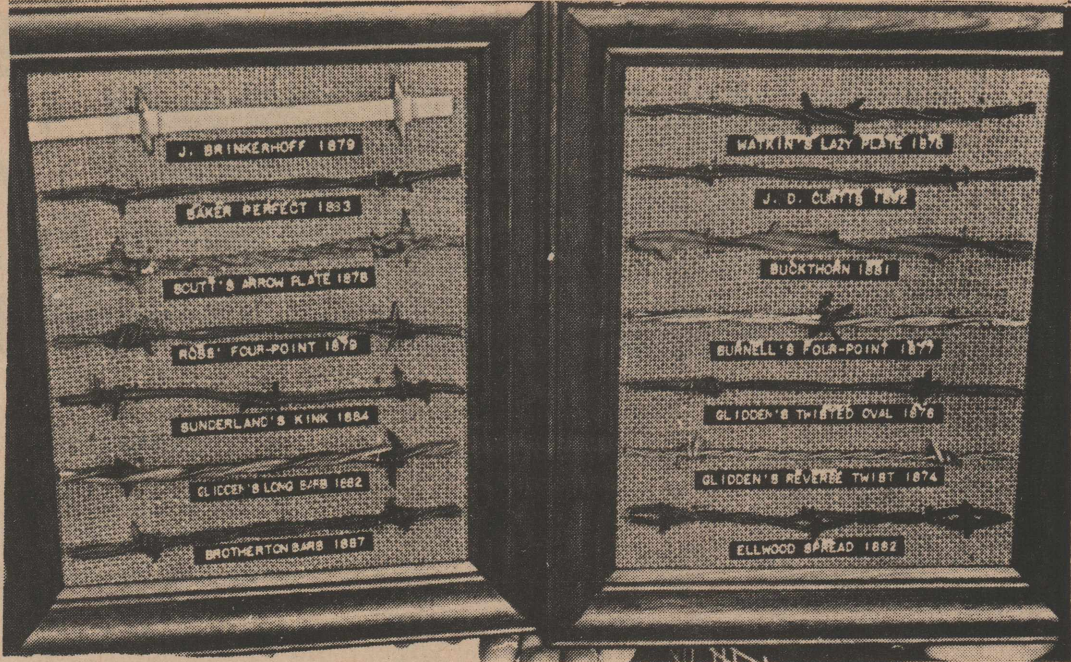
CHRISTMAS is next in retaining many of its old virtues and customs that brought such joy to the children and happiness to their elders. But Christmas has been commercialized into such a gift giving holiday and is so expensive that many young married people dread its approach and the debts that pile up afterward.

THE IGNOMINY of holding a holiday on a Monday in honor of Washington or Lincoln is obscene. We are approaching the time when Texas Independence Day, March 2, and when San Jacinto Day, April 21, will be ignored even in our own state. This should not be allowed to happen.

ONLY last week I wrote of what had happened to Armistice Day since Congress made Veterans Day on a Monday in October. So Thanksgiving remains one of our purest holidays. Let us enjoy it.

WHEN I was a boy there was no such occasion as "Over the meadow and through the woods to Grandmother's house we go." In the first place, Grandfather Duke and later Grandmother Wells lived in our house at different times and when they were not at our house, they were too far away for us to go.

WE NEVER had turkey for Thanksgiving. With hundreds of fat Rhode Island Red hens running around in the yard and with some even fatter because of quitting laying, we had baked hen with dressing. And we had everything else you can imagine. Sometimes there was baked ham from our own supply and this was determined by whether we would have company. Generally it was only our family. But there was plenty of homemade and home grown goodies - pickled sweet peaches, chow chow, pickled cucumbers, candied sweet potatoes, etc. It was really too much including pie and cake; but in a family of our size none of it went wasted by the end of the next day. There was no such thing as chicken hash or chicken



## EARLY BARBED WIRE

This mounted exhibit of barbed wire, belonging to Miss Rita Lowrie, was part of a program given Wellington Elementary School students to observe the 100th anniversary of its being patented. That wire on which

the patent was issued is Glidden's Reverse Twist, 1874, second from the bottom at right. All examples of wire shown here date no later than 1887. La Paisana Chapter, DAR, sponsored the program.

## SCD Urges Wildlife Habitat Management

By Jim Jackson  
Soil Conservationist  
Soil Conservation Service

Fall has hit the Rolling Plains now, and along with the cooler air comes quail hunting fever for many Collingsworth County sportsmen. Shotguns are cleaned and oiled up, and preparations have been made for a good season. But how successful the hunting season will be depends on how well the wildlife habitat has been managed on the land.

Whether a farmer is a hunter or leases to hunters, he is economically involved in the population of quail and other wildlife species on his land. By proper management of his wildlife habitat, he can do a lot to make his land more enticing to these popular game birds.

One of the most important requirements for quail is cover. And, in the Rolling Plains area, their favorite hiding place is shinnery. Shin oak acorns comprise a large part of a quail's diet and provide an excellent sandwiches.

OUTSIDE of TV and the intrusions of the football games Thanksgiving then was very much as it is today. There was no snow. Most of the Thanksgivings were bright sunny days and after the feast the children went out to play and the elders stayed in the house to talk.

HENRY and I took time out to spend what we thought would be a few minutes visiting the Collingsworth Museum the other day and remained to spend the entire morning. We were fascinated and astonished by the amount of work that has been done in the last year. Clyde and Nora Drake have done a wonderful job of refurbishing the old cooking utensils, furniture, letters, pictures, etc. and cataloging them. The museum is open Sunday afternoons so make a point to visit it. You will be gratified at the progress that has been made.

JIMMIE KELSO thinks he saw my squirrel on the roof of his house. They are not my pets. They only visit me in the fall of the year when the pecans are ripe; but they are so saucy and so bold that people passing by think they belong here. I think their real home is somewhere between here and Kelso's.

THIS is the week when the Baptists will be rooting for Texas to beat A&M.

IF Texas does hand the cotton bowl to Baylor, there will be people trying to get into the stadium who have not even been to the State Fair in 30 years.

nesting spot. When shinnery is plowed or sprayed, it's a good practice to leave a few strips and patches in selected areas to maintain the quail population.

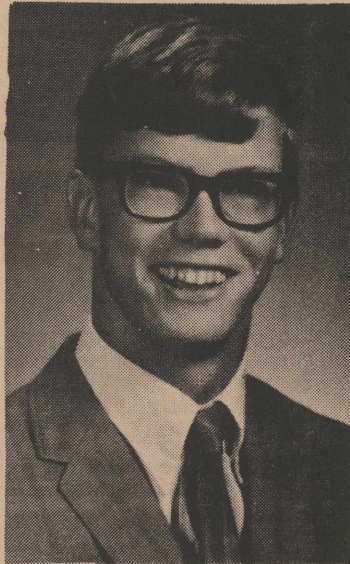
Wheat and grain sorghum residues are excellent sources of food and cover for quail. If waste grains and stubble are left on top of the ground for a few months after harvest, these birds will move in and nest on the ground.

The quail nesting period begins in late April or early May and continues until late summer. Any plowing or chemical applications should be completed before this period starts to avoid breaking up a nesting ground.

There are many things a farmer or rancher can do to increase the game bird population on his land and increase his profits from hunting and hunting leases. The Soil Conservation Service can work with him and develop a wildlife habitat management plan that is specially tailored to his operation. Good hunting now and for years to come depends on it.

Visiting with Mrs. Faye Davis over the weekend was her grandson, Clay Jones, a student teacher in Altus.

Veterans Administration expenditures for auto grants and adaptive equipment in fiscal year 1974 decreased 27 per cent from the previous year and 53 per cent from fiscal year 1972, reflecting the end of military operations in Southeast Asia.



CHARLES MAULDIN

## Mauldin Finishes At Southwestern

WEATHERFORD -- Eighteen seniors are included in the first of five classes to meet requirements for bachelor of science degrees from the School of Pharmacy at Southwestern State University during the current year. Among these is Charles Mauldin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Mauldin.

The new graduates ended professional practice requirements in community and hospital pharmacies on October 18. They will not graduate officially, however, until the May, 1975, convocation.

Other classes to fulfill requirements during the year will include 17 seniors in December, 13 in March, 60 in May and 17 in July.

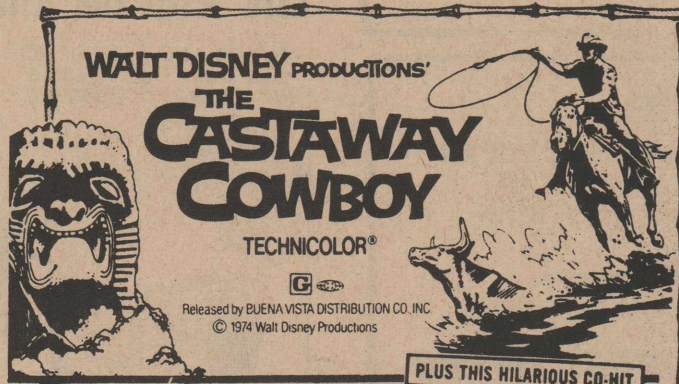
Upon completing his work, Mauldin and his wife, Kathy, moved to Bridgeport, where he is taking charge of a pharmacy.

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## Basketball Takes Holiday Over Thanksgiving, Too

Basketball takes a vacation over the Thanksgiving holiday in the three county schools, coaches have reported, with play resuming Tuesday, December 3.

On that date, the Wellington Skyrockets and Rockettes will entertain two teams from Lakeview.

The same evening, Lefors boys and girls will play at Samnorwood.

Quail A teams have no games listed on their schedule until Tuesday, December 10, when they host Allison.

Thursday, December 5, will see the Rockets and Rockettes beginning play in the three-day Salt Fork Classic, an invitational tournament sponsored by Clarendon College in its gymnasium.

The same day, the Norwood Eagles and Eaglettes will be entering the Wheeler tournament.

Quail will see basketball action when its Junior High team entertains the Kelton Junior High boys and girls.

Wellington Firecrackers, eighth grade boys, will play Thursday through Saturday, December 5 to 8, in the Childress Junior High Tournament. The girls do not play in this event.

Monday, Dec. 9 will see more Junior High action with Lakeview at Samnorwood and Estelline at Quail.

Wellington Rockets and Rockettes will begin district play Tuesday, December 10 with a home game featuring the Memphis Cyclone and Cyclonettes.

That night, Quail will entertain Allison and Samnorwood has an open date.

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## Bruce Hites Host Children

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hite was the scene of a gathering of all their children over the week end. The occasion was the celebration of Mr. Hiet's birthday and also an early Thanksgiving.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Hite, their sons, Billy Jr., Stevie and Kevin, and their daughter, Mrs. Kim Dixon, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bruce Hite, all of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie Hite, Vicky, Ray, Georgette and Dale of Chandler, Oklahoma.

## Social Security Taxes Required For Ag Labor

COLLEGE STATION -- Farmers who pay cash wages for agricultural labor must report and pay social security taxes on each employee, says Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Agricultural labor refers to all services performed for hire on a farm and also includes domestic work in a private home. However, wages paid to a son or daughter under 21 years of age or to an employer's wife or husband are not subject to social security taxes.

"An employer must pay social security taxes on each employee who worked 20 days or more for any amount of cash wages during the year," points out the Texas A&M University System economist.

"The employer can deduct half the tax due from an employee's wages but must pay the other half himself. The social security tax rate for 1974 is 5.85 per cent for the employee and the employer, which makes the total tax 11.7 per cent of the first \$13,200 in wages paid to each employee."

If the total tax due at the end of a quarter is less than \$200, it can be paid directly to the Internal Revenue Service, using Form 943. If the total tax due at the end of any months other than December is \$200 or more, a deposit must be made with an authorized commercial bank or with a Federal

Reserve Bank, explains Hayenga. Such a deposit must be made with a Federal Tax Deposit Form 511.

Complete rules and forms are mailed to operators when they apply for an employer's identification number.

Additional information can be obtained from the Agricultural Employer's Tax Guide, available from the nearest IRS or Social Security office, notes the economist.

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good yield, but he added that the crop as a whole will probably be about half that of last year. The cotton acreage this year is larger, he added.

While most of the farmers are just getting ready to pull their cotton in this area, which is a little later than the south part of the county normally, Mr. Knoll said he had one customer who has already harvested his crop.

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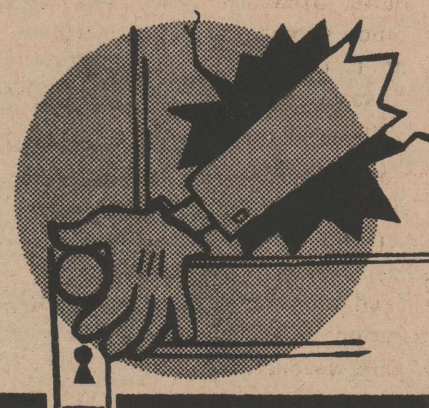
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