



SANTA'S ON HIS WAY

Jason Wischkaemper, 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Wischkaemper, gets a handful of treats from Santa Saturday during his visit to Wellington sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Some Games Rescheduled in Norwood Tourney This Week

Rescheduling of games in the annual Samnorwood basketball tournament will enable Samnorwood team supporters from that part of the county to see all the games in which their home team plays. That is, all games in which Samnorwood teams participate will be played at Samnorwood.

Announcement of the change was made early this week by Kenneth Martindale, Samnorwood school principal.

The tournament will begin at 4 p.m. Thursday and continue through the championship finals Saturday evening.

Another new event of the

tournament will be the chicken fried steak supper to be sponsored Saturday night by the Samnorwood Athletic Department. This will precede the championship finals.

Serving hours will be 5 to 7 p.m. Adult tickets will be \$4, children 12 years and under \$2 and pre-schoolers free. Besides the chicken fried steak, the menu will include mashed potatoes, gravy, beans, salad, hot rolls and desert.

Martindale explained the scheduling change.

All games in the top half of the bracket will be played at Samnorwood, including Samnorwood, Lakeview, Wellington and

Hedley schools.

Those in the bottom half of the bracket, Shamrock, Mobeetie, Clarendon and McLean, will play all Thursday and Friday games at Shamrock High School gymnasium.

Thursday games at Samnorwood will be 4 p.m. Wellington and Hedley girls; 5:30, Wellington and Hedley boys; 7 p.m. Samnorwood and Lakeview girls; 8:30 Samnorwood and Lakeview boys.

Thursday games at Shamrock will be: 4 p.m. Clarendon and McLean girls; 5:30 Clarendon and McLean boys; 7 p.m. Shamrock

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Marijuana, Burglary and Theft Charges Filed Here

A Wellington man is in custody on charges of possession of a usable quantity of marijuana, under 50 pounds but more than 5 pounds, and charges of possession and transportation of marijuana have been filed against his brother, who is in custody of officers in Circle, Montana, Sheriff Kenneth Maxwell has revealed.

He identified the men as Mark Tyson, 27, of Wellington and his brother, Bob Tyson of Montana.

Sheriff Maxwell said 12.3 pounds of marijuana was confiscated in a pasture south of Wellington, where he was taken by Mark Tyson Monday night, Dec. 3. The landowner did not know the marijuana was hidden on his place, the sheriff added.

Value of the marijuana is between \$15,000 and \$20,000 according to the sheriff.

Mark Tyson was arraigned before Justice of the Peace James Ingram Tuesday and bond set at \$25,000 and he was returned to Collingsworth County Jail.

Charges of Possession and Transportation of marijuana which were filed by Maxwell against Bob Tyson are in addition to charges filed by Montana officials. Maxwell said he did not know how many charges the Montana officers had filed.

The case took a bizarre turn when Collingsworth officers un-

covered what they believe to be a major theft and burglary operation.

One stolen car and two stolen motorcycles have been recovered.

Maxwell said that "quite a bit of stuff has been recovered in Montana that was stolen here. I don't know how much and I don't have a list of the items, but I have been talking with Sheriff Bob Jensen of Glasgow County about it."

Burglary and theft charges have also been filed here against Bob Tyson.

Of the burglary-theft operation uncovered here, the sheriff reported that:

In addition to the marijuana charges, Maxwell said this also cleared at least 5 burglaries, not only in Collingsworth, which included one burglary of a habitation north of Wellington, but thefts or burglaries in Wheeler, Donley, Armstrong and Cottle counties. Mark Tyson was arraigned on burglary charges Tuesday and bond set at \$5,000, for a total of \$30,000.

Maxwell said he and his deputies have located a car that had been cut up (for parts) and parts of motorcycles. As many as 10 to 15 motorcycles could be involved, he believes. He did not release the location where these were found, saying officers wanted to conduct further investigation. He did report

that they were on a farm rented by Bob Tyson.

Maxwell said he will take the cases before a 100th District Grand Jury Monday, Dec. 10.

The investigation started after a representative of the sheriff's department made a marijuana buy and under questioning the seller told officers the source of his supply.

Maxwell then received a call from Montana officials relative to the arrests there.

"One thing led to another," Maxwell added.

The marijuana is believed to have been grown in a greenhouse in Montana and delivered to Collingsworth County by car.

Sheriff Maxwell said the investigation is continuing and he is working with District Attorney David McCoy and Sheriff Jimmy Thompson of Donley County, formerly of Dozier, on prosecution of the cases there. Thompson had picked up Mark Tyson Tuesday night for further questioning.

Maxwell made it clear that the investigation is far from over. His office is continuing to work with Montana officials, and he indicated that other arrests may be made in that state. Officers will also conduct a full investigation of the thefts and burglaries to determine their extent and how large an area may have been covered by these activities.

Christmas Blessing Fund Purchases 700 Lbs. of Food

Donations to the Christmas Blessing Fund totaled \$305 Wednesday morning, and the fund has purchased another 700 lbs. of food in addition to 500 lbs. purchased earlier at 10 cents per lb. from an Amarillo food bank.

Last year the Fund raised over \$2,000 and helped over 30 local families with food, clothing and children's toys during the holiday season.

Donations to the fund may be made to Judy Forrester at Wellington State Bank.

Applications for help from the Fund may be picked up at The Wellington Leader, the County Judge's office on the second floor of the courthouse, the Community

Action Center, and at local church offices.

A limit of \$100 per family will be used in determining disbursements from the Fund.

A review committee composed of local citizens will review each application before Christmas Day.

This is the Fund's third year of operation.

The Fund provides an opportunity for those who wish to share during the Christmas season with an organized method of providing assistance to less fortunate members of the community.

Donors this season are Anonymous, Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Hunter, Collingsworth County Chapter of the American Red Cross, Virginia

Robey, Carol and Henry Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied, Jr.



The Long Haul

Wellington, TX.-Wellington, N.Z.

From Wellington, Texas, to Wellington, New Zealand international trade has developed in an unexpected way, and it will continue as long as the Texas town can supply the need of its "down under" counterpart.

And this Wellington's friendliness was one of the factors that sealed the future transactions.

Robert Owens of Owens Auto Salvage did not have such a trade in mind when a friend in Palestine, Texas recommended to Grady Thomson and Alan Mayo of Wellington, New Zealand that the man they really needed to see for used car parts was Owens.

Thomson, owner of a large company which not only sells and services new Chevrolet pickups, but also services customers needing used parts, had flown into California, picked up a trade magazine for auto salvage dealers, and thought Palestine would be a good selection.

The men were in Wellington almost a week, and with Owens and his employees, went over his huge salvage lots and hand picked

the parts they needed for Chevrolet Blazers and half ton pickup.

Nothing about this has followed the usual trade operation.

All parts selected here are packed and will not be unpacked until they reach Wellington N.Z. Thomson and Mayo, who is technical director for Thomson's operations, brought with them a 40-foot long cargo container in which all parts are carefully packed. At the Port of Houston, the entire unit will be lifted aboard a container ship, for the trip.

Thomson and Mayo plan to return to Wellington next May, and they laughingly emphasize that it will be before Texas weather gets too hot.

They explain that Wellington, N.Z. the capitol city of their nation, has a mean average temperature of 62 degrees.

Both men have visited the United States several times, beginning about 17 years ago.

But they began to recognize the opportunities available for Thomson's business. All visits now are business trips.

Their first stop this time was at the General Motors plant in Sao Paulo, Brazil.

From Wellington they will travel to New York, then Detroit, Michigan and into Canada.

From the Detroit and Canadian plants of General Motors, they will buy new vehicles, broken down with each car in its own container. They will be reassembled in Thomson's plant in Wellington N.Z.

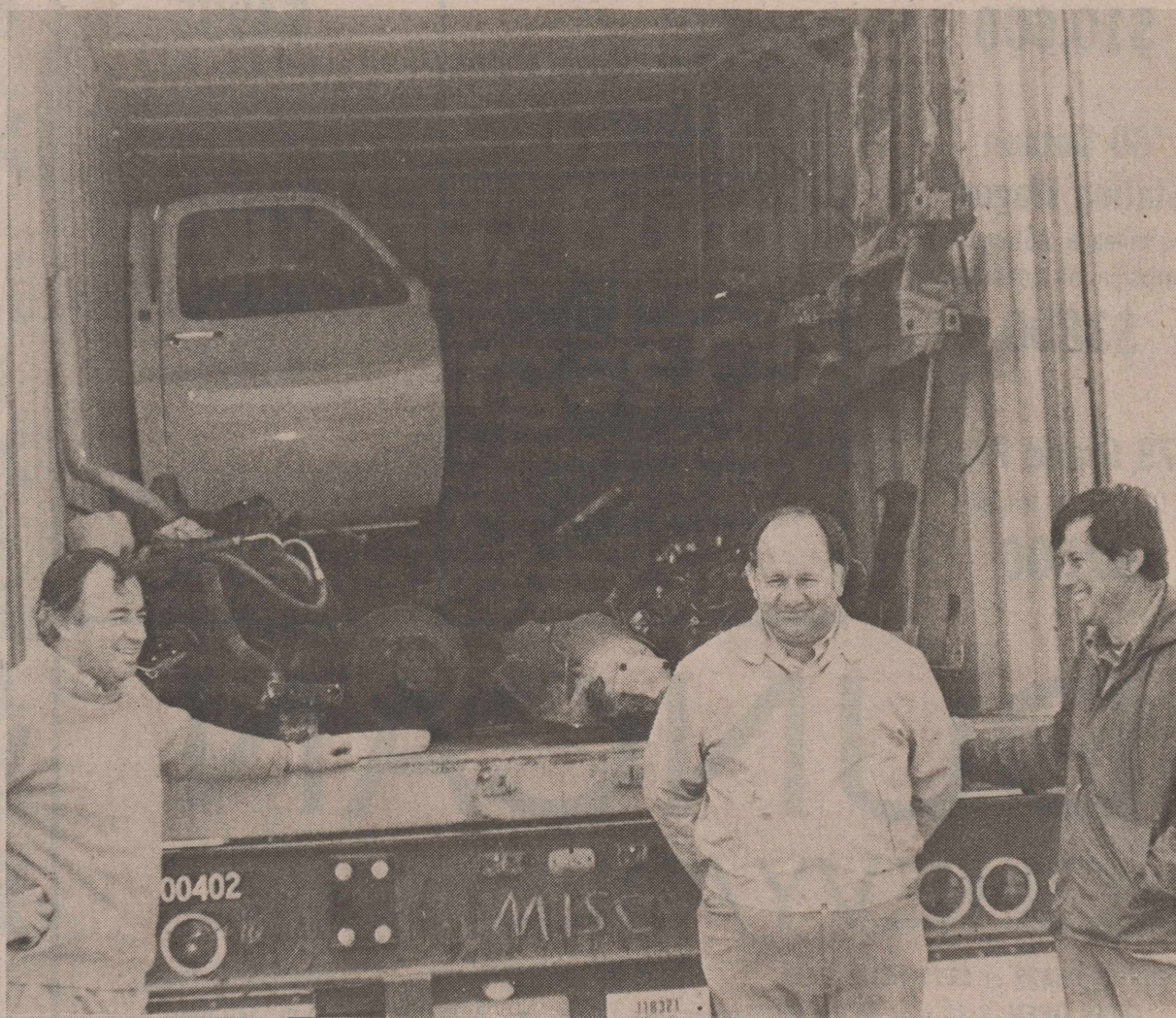
These are identical to the Blazers and pickups purchased in Wellington, Texas, with two exceptions. They are equipped with a right hand drive, and they don't have air conditioners. None is needed.

Thomson's plants assembles and distributes only commercial vehicles.

Both men speak of the warm feelings which their countrymen have for people of the United States.

Some of this stems from World War II, when American soldiers were stationed in New Zealand and Australia, and when men of these nations were sometimes together

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FOR SHIPMENT DOWN UNDER

Grady Thomson, left, and Alan Mayo, right, stand with Robert Owens, center beside a cargo container, being filled with parts from Owens Auto Salvage, for shipment to Wellington New Zealand.

Hightower: Grazing Extended

Washington, D.C. -- Congressman Jack Hightower announced today that due to recent congressional action, the normal period during which producers may graze cattle on their 1985 wheat

crop has been extended by an additional 30 days. It will now be up to individual county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) committees in Texas to decide whether to add this

extension to the beginning or the end of the normal grazing period.

"This provision, which was added to the 1984 Supplemental Appropriations bill, should be helpful to wheat growers and cattlemen in the 13th District," Hightower said. "It will allow them to utilize their wheat crop in whatever way will be best for them for an additional time period."

"I felt I should make some kind of announcement so that producers in our district who may not be aware of this action could use this information in making some of their planting and participation decisions on the 1985 farm program," Hightower said.

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and Mobeetie girls; 8:30 Shamrock and Mobeetie boys.

On Friday, also beginning at 4 p.m. at Samnorwood, losers of the two Thursday Samnorwood girls games will meet at 4 p.m., of the two boys games will play at 5:30. Going to the winners side, victors in those two games at Samnorwood will play at 7 p.m. also at Samnorwood winners of the two boys games play at 8:30.

Action at Shamrock will be: 4 p.m. Friday, losers of the two Thursday girls games will play and at 5:30, losers of the two boys games play. In the winners bracket, winners of the Thursday girls games at Shamrock will meet at 7:30 and winners of the two boys games at 8:30.

All Saturday games will be played at Samnorwood.

Girls consolation finals will start at 12 noon and consolation boys finals at 1:30.

Third place will be determined in a girls game starting at 3 p.m. and the boys game at 4:30.

The girls championship game is scheduled at 7 p.m. Saturday and the championship boys game at 8:30.

School Calendar

For the week of Dec. 6 thru 12:

*Thursday, Dec. 6: Tutorials--High School-7:15 to 8:00 a.m., Jr. High-7:00-8:50, Elementary 2:30-4:30. Childress Tourney-JV, Samnorwood Tourney-Varsity, Clarendon-Jr. High 5:00. Tom Sawyer Show 9:30 High School Auditorium.

*Friday, Dec. 7: Childress Tourney-JV, Samnorwood Tourney-Varsity.

*Saturday, Dec. 8: Childress Tourney-JV, Samnorwood Tourney-Varsity.

*Tuesday, Dec. 11: Tutorials (Same as Thursday)

School Menu for the week of Dec. 10 thru 14:

Monday, Dec. 10: breakfast: juice, buttered waffles & syrup, half pint milk; lunch: fish portions with catsup, salad, mashed potatoes, green peas, hot rolls, butter & jelly, half pint milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 11: breakfast: applesauce, hot biscuits & gravy, half pint milk; lunch: burrito with taco Sauce, salad, whole kernel corn, fruit cobbler, bread, half pint milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 12: juice, cooked cereal, toast, half pint milk; lunch: turkey tetrazinni, green salad, green beans, pink applesauce, hot rolls & butter, half pint milk.

Thursday, Dec. 13: breakfast: juice, cooked cereal, toast, half pint milk; lunch: vegetable beef soup with crackers, cole slaw, cheese toast, white cake with pink icing, half pint milk.

Friday, Dec. 14: breakfast: juice, peanut butter & honey sandwich, half pint milk; lunch: weiners in bun with chili, onion & pickle, tator tots with catsup, fruit, cookie, half pint milk.



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in prisoner of war camps in Asia.

Thomson employs 22 workers in his assembly area where the new cars will go, and approximately 2,100 workers in his entire retail network.

Used parts, such as he bought from Robert Owens, are a part of the back up service which he offers along side the new vehicles, and by those wanting parts for their used vehicles.

One phase of Mayo's work as technical director is the control of the company's engineering integrity, a quality both men stressed several items.

They are quick to discuss their home country, which has much farming and sheep country, but which is also fast developing its exports and trade, as well as the fast-growing tourist industry.

Just before leaving Wellington, Texas, Thomson and Mayo said that "this place is much like home. This is why we enjoy doing business here."

OIL & GAS

Mineral deed: Mary Elizabeth Boatman, administrator of the estate of U.S. and S.E. Vaughan, of Prescott, Arizona, to Louise Sanders of Greenville, Texas: 1/6 interest of J.L. Vaughan in Vaughan Oil and Gas properties in Wood County.

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Insurance Can't Cover Some Items

If your home were burglarized tomorrow, how much would you lose?

Most people would be likely to reply that since their homes and possessions are insured, they wouldn't lose anything. But some of the items most commonly stolen are either uninsured or underinsured. And regardless of insurance coverage, some property is literally irreplaceable.

The 10 most popular targets of burglars are jewelry, electronic equipment (stereos, TVs, VCRs, home computers), bicycles, tools, musical instruments, cameras, guns, furniture, silver and gold, coins (collectible).

Jewelry, the burglars' favorite target, may have enormous sentimental value. Grandfather's pocket watch or great grandmother's cameo may only be worth \$50 or \$200 in cash, but the incalculable value of a family heirloom cannot be insured. When that pocket watch is taken, one is also robbed of the chance to pass it along to the next generation.

Antique furniture, oriental rugs and coin and stamp collections can rarely be replaced even if they are fully insured because they are

usually one-of-a-kind items.

Above all, the sense of outrage that possessions have been ransacked and scattered about, and the lingering uneasiness whenever one enters his home late at night are feelings that remain long after the money matters have been settled and the TV replace. And peace of mind can be the most valuable possession of all. A security check-up is urged.

The catfish and certain other fishes are believed to have many taste buds in the skin that covers their bodies.

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Desert Plant May Be Fuel Source

Vast tracts of West Texas desert could be used one day to raise millions of tons of saltbush as a source of fuel, says a Texas A&M University plant scientist. After screening more than 2,000

Texas plants for biomass energy potential, Dr. Ron Newton and plant researchers at Texas A&M and Texas Tech University have found that saltbush holds the greatest promise for fuel produc-

tion among plants that could be grown in vast quantities. The plant thrives on little rainfall and high salt content found in West Texas soil, he said.

"Turning plants into fuel is already being done, but we'll see it being done on a much larger scale

in the future," said Newton.

The cost of producing fuel from biomass is much greater than the cost of producing fuel from petroleum, said Newton, but as petroleum prices increase and genetic technology advances, plants will become a practical

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source of fuel.

Researchers at Texas Tech, who are also involved in the project funded by the Exxon Corp. and the Department of Energy, are genetically engineering saltbush

plants that would be even more drought-tolerant and could withstand high salt levels.

Miss Teenage America of 1984 is Laura Baxter.

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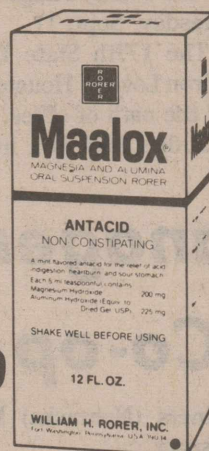


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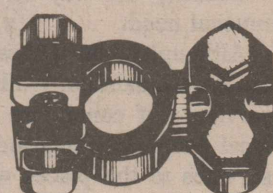
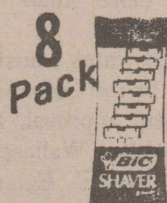
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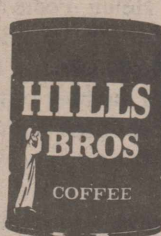
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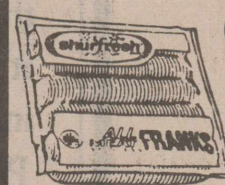
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Cofer New Manager Of Lone Star Gas Co.

Mel Roy Cofer, service technician for Lone Star Gas Co. in Memphis, has been promoted to manager of the Wellington office, a company spokesman in the Ft. Worth headquarters has announced.

He succeeds Billy Jackson, Wellington manager for four years, who was promoted to become manager of the Memphis office. Both transfers were effective December 1.

Cofer, 52, is already well known in Wellington, especially among golfers, with whom he has played frequently.

He was service technician at Memphis 5 years. He grew up west of Memphis and was in the farming and ranching business before joining Lone Star.

His wife, Ann, has a ladies ready to wear shop in Memphis. The couple has three sons, two of them grown. David lives in Houston and Don in Canadian. Their youngest

son, Darrell, 16, is a sophomore in Memphis High School. The couple has one granddaughter.

The Cofer's belong to the Baptist Church and he was formerly active in Lions Club. They will move to Wellington when they can find a house.

Jackson, 34, grew up in the Seymour area. In Wellington he was second assistant chief of the Volunteer Fire Department; past president of the Kiwanis Club, president of Wellington Rodeo Association; a reserve deputy in the Sheriff's Department, a director of the Chamber of Commerce and worked with the Collingsworth County Fair.

He and his wife, Vickie, has a daughter and son: Jamie, 7, a first grader, and Toby, 15, a high school freshman. Mrs. Jackson is employed by Wellington Lumber Co.

The Jacksons belong to First Baptist Church.

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Karnes Will Present Carol Concert Sunday

Ben Karnes will play a group of carols arranged by John Schaum in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon December 9th at 3:00 o'clock.

The selections for piano are

published in two volumes entitled "Christmas Cameos" and are some of the best sounding arrangements available according to Karnes, local music teacher.

Anyone wanting to record should arrive 15 minutes early.

Ed Poole Appointed Interim Potter County Judge Sept. 11

A former Collingsworth County attorney, Edward L. Poole, 59, of Amarillo was sworn in as interim Potter County Judge County Judge Tuesday, Sept. 11.

The 177th State District Judge Miron Love of Houston administered the oath of office.

Judge Poole is a member of the

law firm of Fitzjarrald & Poole, 517 N. Polk, Amarillo.

He was appointed to perform the duties of suspended County Judge Ben Bynum, who has appealed his August 17 felony conviction for misapplication of funds.

The appointment was made by Judge Love, who also presided at Bynum's trial.

Poole said he did not actively seek the position, but was appointed because of confidence and trust of people in the committee.

This is Poole's second interim term in Potter County, and the fourth of his career.

In Amarillo, he was named county attorney in October 1977 when Kerry Knorpp then Potter county attorney was suspended from office on charges of misconduct.

He remained in the office until Feb. 24, 1978 when Knorpp was reinstated.

After the swearing in ceremony last Tuesday, Poole and his wife, the former Helen Jo Holder, were honored at a reception in the 47th District Courtroom.

Poole will serve as county judge until Bynum's appeal process has been completed or until after the votes have been canvassed following the November 1986 general election, whichever is first.

Ed Poole, as friends here know him, began his practice of law in Wellington Dec. 1, 1949, after graduating from Baylor Law School the preceding spring. His office was in City State Bank, he recalled in an interview Tuesday morning, Sept. 18.

Jack Deal was county attorney, and when he resigned from that office in 1950, Poole was appointed to fill the unexpired term.

"Judge Luther Gribble was one of my staunch supporters," Poole said.

He added that of all the judges he has worked with, he remembers Judge Gribble best.

After moving to Wheeler, he was again appointed to the office of County Attorney.

Poole joined J.O. Fitzgerald formerly of Memphis, in the practice of law in Amarillo, where Poole works in the field of personal injury and the general practice of law.

Helen Poole is a diagnostician with the Amarillo School system. The couple has two children. Kim, is a member of the faculty of West Texas State University and director of the campus Wesley Foundation. He received a B.A. degree from Baylor University and master of divinity from Brite Divinity School

Salvation Army Drive Begins

The annual Salvation Army fund drive for Collingsworth County is under way, with its supporters asked to give what they can continue. County Judge Zook Thomas is chairman of the Volunteer Service Unit Committee, which handles the work of the Salvation Army in this county.

The requests for help from the needy continues, but local funds are administered carefully by people who know local conditions and needs.

"They are among the army of Americans who share the concern for the less fortunate in this community, Judge Thomas pointed out.

Help is given immediately when it is needed, Judge Thomas pointed out. There is no red tape. When problems arise and people are in desperate situations, or in need of temporary assistance, they know they can count on us.

Most of the requests for help being received in Collingsworth County concern calls for medical assistance and need for transportation for medical purposes. Requests from transients are for food.

Members of the Collingsworth County Salvation Army Service Unit committee includes Judge Thomas, chairman, Herbert Bearden, O.L. Cooper, Mrs. Murray Dodson, Buster Hughs, Charles Michael, Guy Owens, June Owens, John Rainey, Mrs. Selba Rainey, Henry Sullivan and Tommy Hudson.

Doug Rains, service unit field representative from Dallas, who was in Wellington Thursday, Nov. 29, explained the services the Salvation Army provides for people in need:

-Clothing, food and fuel for the distressed.

-Emergency relief for disaster victims.

-Meals and lodging for transients.

-Shoes and clothing for children.

-Temporary assistance to families.

-Shelter for homeless girls.

-Summer camp for boys 8 to 14.

-Assistance for parolees and their families.

-A missing persons referral service.

-Rehabilitation for willing alcoholics.

-Home for unwed mothers.

-Shelter for unwed mothers.

-Shelter for abused women and children.

-Finding the way to meet the unusual need.

Although some of these services are not available in Wellington the service unit committee can assist local people needing any of these services to the places where they may be had.

Did You Know?

One of America's favorite liqueurs dates back to the 16th century when a medieval monk was searching for the "elixir of life." There are some facts you may not know about Benedictine, a unique combination of healthful herbs.



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Bryant New General Manager Golden Spread Electric Co-op

James T. Hull, president of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative, Inc., has announced the appointment of Robert W. Bryant as general manager of the cooperative.

As general manager, Bryant is responsible for long-range planning, and for developing sources of power supply and transmission for the cooperative's 11 retail electric distribution systems. The distribution cooperatives, which serve more than 90,000 retail customers in the panhandles of Texas and Oklahoma are: Bailey County Electric Cooperative, Muleshoe; Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, Hereford; Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Wellington; Lamb County Electric Cooperative, Littlefield; Lighthouse Electric Cooperative, Floydada; Midwest Electric Cooperative, Roby; North Plains Electric Cooperative, Perryton; Rita Blanca Electric Cooperative, Dalhart; South Plains Electric Cooperative, Lubbock; Swisher Electric Cooperative, Tulia; and Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Hooker, Oklahoma.

"I am pleased to be associated with these organizations and the individual directors and managers who operate them," Bryant said.

"I have been involved with the rural electric program for 16 years, and I believe that the rural electric cooperative is a most economic and practical method of providing rural America with reliable, low-cost electric service, Bryant added.

Bryant has served as vice president of system planning and resource control for Colorado-Ute Electric Association, Inc., of Montrose, Colorado. Colorado-Ute



ROBERT W. BRYANT

supplies electricity to 14 electric distribution cooperatives serving 175,000 customers in Colorado.

Bryant joined Colorado-Ute in 1968 and has held a variety of managerial positions with the Association, including those of vice president, operations and vice president, generation construction and operation.

Prior to joining Colorado-Ute, Bryant was employed by Con-

sumers (Nebraska) Public Power District.

Bryant received a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Nebraska in 1965. He has served as a director and vice president of the National Ash Association in Washington, D.C., and as a member of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association's Power and Water Resources Standing Committee.

Bryant and his wife, Patty, reside in Amarillo. Patty has been active in the Colorado Rural Electric Association and has served as president for the past three years of the Colorado Rural Electric Women's Task Force, as secretary-treasurer of the National Rural Electric Women's Association and as chairman of the Colorado 50th Anniversary Committee. She plans to continue her business as an advertising and public relations consultant.

The offices of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative are located in Plaza/Two at 500 Taylor Street, Amarillo.



Christmas in Texas

The following events, selected by Mari Schnell of the Texas Tourist Development Agency, are but a few of the many excellent recreational opportunities offered by communities across the state.

Music and Dance
1-2 "Nutcracker" — Fort Worth
2 "A Christmas Carol" — El Paso
7-8 "Nutcracker" — Midland
9 "Messiah" — Corpus Christi
11,18 Symphony Concert — Abilene
14-16 "Nutcracker" — Amarillo
14-16 Folkloric Dances — Edinburg
15 Choral Concert — Kingsville

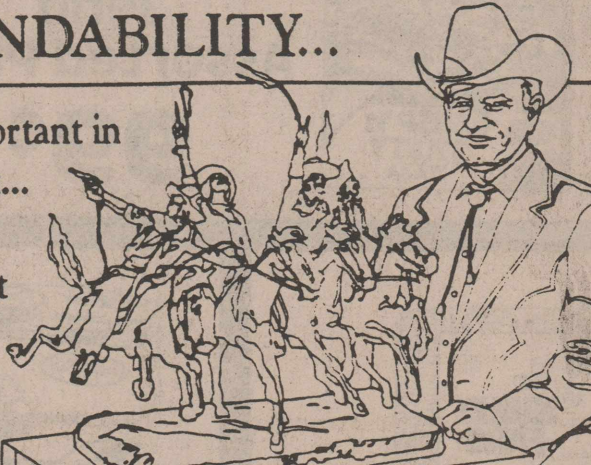
Other
1-30 Coca Cola's Santa (Paintings)
Exhibit — Abilene Museum
1-31 Christmas on Sundance Square — Fort Worth
4-16 Children's Show — Granbury Opera House

5-8 Candlelight Tour of Houston Park — Houston
6-9 Candlelight Tour of Old City Park — Dallas
6,13 Christmas-on-the-Square — Denton
6-22 Christmas Tree Forest — Corpus Christi
7 Shopper's Jubilee — Bandera
7 Christmas Stroll — Georgetown
7-8 Poinsettia Show — Mission
8 Lighting of Boats — Port Aransas
8 Boat Parade — South Padre Island/Port Isabel
14-20 Yulefest — Austin

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Artist Uses Talent in Work With Amarillo Police Department

A former Wellington woman now living in Amarillo with her husband and two children, serves as the artist for the Amarillo Police Department using methods that have proved successful when victims of crime or witnesses cannot identify the assailant.

Celia Meador's drawings have provided identification in some of Amarillo's more brutal crimes.

Beth Haller of the Amarillo Globe-News staff has written of Mrs. Meador's unusual use of her art in the following story published in the newspaper:

Celia Meadors creates composite drawings of suspects for the police department. It has been a 7½ year association that began with a crime.

Mrs. Meadors says she and a friend were unpacking their car after a weekend trip when they heard a woman yelling she had been raped.

Police couldn't come up with a correct picture of a man using a kit that places various features on a transparency head, she said. Mrs. Meador and her husband were at the police station because he had seen the rapist running down the street.

Mrs. Meadors learned of the trouble police were having and said if she could talk to the woman she could draw a picture of the rapist.

The officer was skeptical, Mrs. Meadors said, but she was able to draw a likeness the woman thought was correct.

Jim McKenny, Amarillo police detective, said the greatest help of composite drawings is that they can be released to news media and

someone may be able to identify the suspect. "With just descriptions you can match up to hundreds of people in Amarillo. With a composite, you can get a better idea of facial features and style of hair," he said. "It gives us a direction in which to work."

If a string of crimes appears to be committed by the same person, police will order composites, McKenny said.

Mrs. Meadors sometimes work with the witness taking information and piecing together a composite. But she usually works with the police hypnotist, Gerald Entrop.

In those sessions, she starts first with the suspect's eyes. The hypnotist asks a series of questions and she takes notes. Working in a light pencil sketch, she roughs out the nose and mouth and any identifying marks on the face, she said.

After I've gotten the nucleus of the face, I go to the shape," Mrs. Meadors said. Once she has a full sketch, it is shown to the witness and the correction process begins.

"If they (the witnesses) see any discrepancies after they study the drawing, I make changes, she said. "I keep giving it back until they are satisfied."

Sometimes, victims will look at the drawing and start crying. That's when Mrs. Meadors says she has done a good job.

"I enjoy doing it," she said. "But when it works and they actually capture someone from your drawing, it's a good feeling."

"It's such a trip going down there and doing composites. It makes me feel like I'm special because I can do something they need," she said.

She also gets an inside view of the police department, something that has increased her respect for the police, she said.

"I understand what they go through," Mrs. Meadors said. "The whole process is interesting."

Many times it is difficult to get a good description from the witness," Mrs. Meadors said. "Some people are good visualizers and others are not." She says the details she gets from people under hypnosis are better because the person is relaxed.

"You don't have to recall the facts. They just come to you," she said.

Mrs. Meadors says her involvement with the police department has given her insight into every major case since 1978. In one of the more bazaar cases, the person giving the description was actually the murderer and he was reversing every feature of his face for the description, she said.

When the brutal Sarah Dawn Lawrence murder occurred in Amarillo in 1979, Mrs. Meador was brought in from Stratford where she lived for several months, to do the composites.

Mrs. Meadors, who has a degree in art from West Texas State University and is called in to do about 10 composites a year for the Amarillo Police Department.

However she has done composites for other police departments and sheriff departments in the Panhandle area, such as Canyon, Hereford and Clovis, N.M. She has flown to Carlsbad, N.M. and Clarksville, Ark., to do composites. Police from Waco came to Amarillo to have her do a composite drawing.

In addition to composite drawings, she has tried to do a few

reconstruction drawings, composing a likeness from the remains of a face.

It is a bit more difficult, she said, because it's trying to draw out of thin air. Although there are some tangible things such as bone structure or part of a face to work with.

Mrs. Meadors uses her artistic talents in things other than police work most of the time. She teaches painting, designs Christmas ornaments, and has paintings in a gallery in Santa Fe, N.M.

Immunization Clinic Dec. 10

An immunization clinic offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 10, from 1:30 to 4 p.m. at the Community Action Center, 612 East Avenue.

Protection is against polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus) whooping cough (pertussis) measles, rubella and mumps.

There will be no charge.

Mitchells Attend TFB Convention Nov. 25-28

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Mitchell of Marella were in San Antonio Nov. 25-28 to attend the 51st annual convention of the Texas Farm Bureau. They were among the 1,600 voting delegates present.

The keynote speaker was Dr. Joseph F. Boyle of Los Angeles, president of the American Medical Association and TFB President S.M. True of Plainview delivered his annual address.

Five special conferences were held in connection with the TFB convention. The conferences, program and speaker, are as follows:

--Federal Farm Programs, "Burning Farm Program Issues," Dr. Ron Knutson, professor of agricultural economics, at Texas A&M University.

--Agricultural Financing, "The Farm Credit System," L.W. Holman of Jacksonville, Tex., a cattle rancher/lumber company owner and member of the local chapter of the Federal Land Bank.

--Taxes and Education, David Thompson of Austin, associate director of the Texas Association of School Boards.

--Workers' Compensation, Farl.

Labor and Pesticides, Ken Tiner, TFB workers' compensation supervisor; Keith Garrison, Director of TFB farm labor programs and member communications; Joe Maley, associate director of TFB State Affairs.

--Water and Transportation, Paul Rettman of San Antonio, U.S. Geological Survey; George L. Berg Jr., of Washington, D.C., assistant director, National Affairs, American Farm Bureau Federation.

OIL AND GAS

Assignment of working interest in oil, gas and mineral lease, William Albon Davis, Oklahoma City, to Nichols Hills Oil and Gas Corp., Oklahoma City: 11.660% of 75% net revenue interest in NW 1/4 sec 21, blk 23.

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Graveside Rites Here for Former District Clerk

Graveside Services for a former Collingsworth County district clerk, Mrs. A.L. Allison, were conducted at Fairview Cemetery Friday, Nov. 30.

She will be remembered here as Felix Keller, the wife of the late George Keller, Sr.

Mrs. Allison, 79, died in Amarillo early Wednesday, Nov. 28.

Amarillo services were conducted at 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 30, at Schooler Gordon Colonial Chapel with Dr. Charles Jones, pastor of Second Baptist Church, Amarillo, officiating. Officiating at the Wellington graveside service was the Rev. Keith Bruce, pastor of First Baptist Church. Burial was under the direction of Schooler Gordon Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Allison was born Felix Gardner in 1905 at Dodson, the daughter of the late Dolly and Lee Gardner. Mrs. Gardner was a member of the Dodson family, one of the first families to settle in what would become Collingsworth County.

She was married to George Keller in 1925 and he preceded her in death in 1947.

She served as district clerk of Collingsworth County from 1944 to 1948. In 1949, she moved to Amarillo and was on the alterations staff of the ready-to-wear department at White and Kirk for many years.

She and Mr. Allison were married in 1959.

She was a member of the Baptist Church and the Order of Easter Star.

Surviving Mrs. Allison are her husband, A.L. Allen of Amarillo; two sons, George Keller of Chambersburg, Pa., and Bill Keller of Rockmart, Ga.; one sister, Mrs. Mildred Johnson of Amarillo; 4 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two sisters, Mrs. Frank (Helen) Ford and Mrs. Ruth Barton Walker.

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Obituaries

Buddy Poteet, Former Resident, Dies Nov. 27

Walter A. (Buddy) Poteet of 1912 South Crockett, Amarillo, died Tuesday, Nov. 27, at his home after being ill more than a year.

Mr. Poteet, 61, was retired from Lone Star Gas Co., where he was superintendent of the pipeline department 31 years. He moved from Stamford to Amarillo a month ago.

Mr. Poteet was born in Wellington the son of Mrs. Nell Poteet and graduated from high school here. He began work for Lone Star Gas in its Wellington office.

He was transferred first to Vernon and then to Abilene before going to Stamford 10 years ago.

He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Assembly of God Church.

Graveside services were conducted at Llano Cemetery, Amarillo, at 2 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 29, with the Rev. Rick Moore, pastor of the 1st Assembly of God Church, Stamford, officiating.

Survivors are his wife, Katherine; three sons, Dwayne Poteet of Amarillo; James Poteet of Carlsbad, Texas; and Mike Poteet of Lubbock; his mother, Mrs. Nell Poteet of Pampa, two sisters, Billie Killough and Ruby Killough, both of Pampa and 8 grandchildren.

C.E. Jackson Dies November 5 At Hallsville

A former Wellington man, C.E. Jackson, 66, of Hallsville died Monday, Nov. 5, in the Veterans Administration Hospital in Shreveport, La., after an illness of a few weeks.

He retired from the H.B. Zachary Construction Company only a few days before his death.

He was born near Stamford, Jones County, October 21, 1918, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs.

Ernest Jackson. He grew up in Wellington and graduated from high school here.

He was first married to Eleene Keller and they farmed here and at Clarendon until her death in 1972.

He later married his present wife, Lee Jackson. They lived in Pampa several years before moving to Hallsville 7 years ago.

He was a member of Mulberry Springs Baptist Church and was an Army Veteran of World War II.

Survivors are his wife, Lee; two step-daughters, Shirley Ann Holcomb of Indianapolis, Ind., and Cathy Lee Smith of Lewisville; two brothers, Wayne Jackson of Baton Rouge, La., and Johnny Jackson of Dell Rapids, S.D.; two sisters, Minta Lacy of Lubbock and Alene Wright of Wellington; and two grandchildren.

Mock Ice Storm Held

An exercise to test the emergency readiness of local agencies in the event of an extended period of intense cold weather was held Thursday, Nov. 15.

The mock emergency, titled ICE I is one of a series of exercises to be held throughout the state this year by the Governor's Division of Emergency Management. It was co-ordinated through the Department of Public Safety District Headquarters in Amarillo, and involved only those agencies in Wellington who would be in the real situation. The public was not aware this was under way.

The exercise was designed to help the participating agencies understand how their functions related to the other agencies that would also be a part of the emergency situation. Headquarters were in the city hall.

Although this mock exercise related to intensely cold weather, many parts would relate to any emergency in which Wellington was involved.

Preceding this mock ice storm,

COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY AGENT REPORT

by Don Reeves

FARMERS TAX GUIDES

The latest edition of the Farmers Tax Guide has arrived at the County Extension Office.

This publication for use in preparing 1984 returns explains how the federal tax laws apply to farming. The explanations and examples in this booklet reflect the position of the Internal Revenue Service.

Items of interest and recent

All Wellington Teams Will Play This Weekend

Wellington Skyrockets and Rockettes will play in the Samnorwood annual basketball tournament Thursday through Saturday, Dec. 6-8, coach Don Lacy announced. Wellington girls will play Hedley at 4 p.m. and Wellington boys will meet Hedley at 5:30.

Junior varsity boys and girls will play in the Childress JV tournament on the same dates.

Wellington and Quanah JV girls will meet at 4 p.m. and Wellington and Quanah boys at 5:30.

There will be more basketball for Wellington, as the junior high teams will meet Clarendon here Thursday, Dec. 6 in games starting at 5 p.m.

The word, "villian" comes from the Latin "villa" for farm and once meant "farm hands."

J.R. Bowen, radiological chairman in the Emergency Management setup, attended a planning meeting for the exercise on Tuesday, Nov. 13, in the Amarillo District Office of the Department of Public Safety. On the following evening, Nov. 14, Bowen briefed others who would be a part of the exercise.

County Emergency Management personnel participating in ICE I were County Judge Zook Thomas, EM director; Charlene Poteet, EM coordinator; Bowen; Lennie Sims, public information officer; Winnie Bell, Sheriff's department dispatcher, Don Fowler and Wade Welch Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation; Marshall Peters, president, Volunteer Ambulance Service; Earl Parker, county road administrator Dudley Coleman, county commissioner; Freeda Moody, manager of the school cafeteria; Tommy Hudson, resident manager, West Texas Utilities Co.; Perry Foster, county hospital administrator; and 1924 Study Club members who operated the telephones.

changes that may affect your taxes this year include Payment-In-Kind (PIK), Capital gains holding period, Investment Credit, Depreciation, Installment sales and Backup Withholding.

Also included in this publication are important dates during the 1985 calendar year and a section on record keeping.

This publication is offered at no charge and may be obtained at the County Extension Office, second floor-County Courthouse.

THE WELLINGTON LEADER

Thursday, December 6, 1984

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RV Club Organizes, Names New Officers

The Collingsworth Recreational Vehicle Club held its organizational meeting Friday, Nov. 30 when officers were elected.

Buster Hughs was named president; Chester White, vice-president; Mrs. Fleet Pruden, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. A.V. Lowrie, reporter; W.R. Breeding, wagon boss.

The 6 directors include all officers and Shelton Nunnelley and A.V. Lowrie.

Those who have already paid \$20 dues are Breeding, Ray Clubb, Wilbur DePauw of Amarillo, Hughs, John Holton, John Jackson, Lowrie, Nunnelley, Fleet Pruden, Louis Patterson, Sandy Parsons, Carroll Reynolds, Claude Smith, Oran Starkey, Troy Gene Thomason, Dick Judd and White.

Anyone wishing to join the RV organization should contact Hughs or Mrs. Pruden.

This was the initial meeting and was held at 7 p.m. in the Heritage Room of Wellington State Bank.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Pruden, Mr. and Mrs. Hughs, Judd, Breeding, Mr. and Mrs. Nunnelley, Mr. and Mrs. Lowrie, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds, White, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, Thomason and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Smith.

In other RV Club activities the board of directors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hughs

Monday, Dec. 3, at 7 p.m. County Judge Zook Thomas was recognized as a new member.

In this business session plans were made for a meeting or RV Rally once a month.

The first of these will be a trip to K-Bobs at Childress Friday, Jan. 4. Hughs emphasized that all those already members are urged to attend, and all potential members or those interested in the club are also welcome. Those going to Childress will meet at 6:30 p.m. at the Heritage Room and will carpool for the remainder of the trip, leaving at 7 p.m.

Hughs also emphasized that this club is for people of all ages, and trips will be planned to accommodate couples working.

Those planning to make this trip should make reservations with John Jackson by calling 447-2450 as early as possible.

Hughs also emphasized that this club is for people of all ages and trips and rallies will be planned to accommodate working couples.

The Feb. 8 meeting will be a covered dish supper at 7 p.m. in the Heritage Room.

The directors will be hosts for a game night March 8 at 7 p.m., also at the Heritage Room.

Plans are under study for an identification card to be placed in a window of the travel vehicles identifying them as being from Wellington.

Present for the directors-meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Pruden, Nunnelley, Mr. and Mrs. Lowrie, White, and Mr. and Mrs. Hughs.

Real estate investments are as vulnerable to interest rates as other investments, Born said. But well-located properties can be better long-term investments than those found in the money and capital markets.

The tiny country of Bhutan, north of India, issued a postage stamp that is actually a tiny phonograph record. It plays the Bhutanese national anthem.

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Hoss Pickard, Cheryl Birkey Wed in Formal Ceremony December 1

The sanctuary of First Baptist Church in Wellington was the scene for the marriage of Miss Cheryl Anne Birkey and Mr. Hoss Edward Pickard. The candlelight ceremony was held at 2:00 in the afternoon of Saturday, December 1, with the Reverend S.L. Yeilding officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Birkey of Quail. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Pickard of Redwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Long presented duet selections that included "Endless Love", "To Me", "Flesh of my Flesh", "Through the Eyes of Love," and "The Lord's Prayer". Accompanying them at the organ was Mrs. Don Reeves.

The double ring ceremony was conducted in candlelight provided by seven brass candelabras entwined with greenery. Graduated candlesticks decorated both the piano and organ and votive candles lined the front railings of the sanctuary. Unity candles and a prayer bench completed the arrangement.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a designer gown of silk peau de soie. Her fitted bodice of French re-embroidered Alencon lace, accented with seed pearls, featured a Queen Anne neckline. Wide lace cuffs defined the full puffed sleeves of organza and re-embroidered lace. The full skirt was enhanced with lace ruffles falling into a chapel length train. Her tiered, chapel length veil was interspersed with appliques of re-embroidered Alencon lace, traced with tiny seed pearls. The veil was attached to a derby hat also covered in re-embroidered Alencon lace, traced with seed pearls.

The bride carried a Bible belonging to her aunt, Mrs. Winfred Estes of Phillips. Covering the Bible was a traditional white silk case accented with, stephanotis, streamers and sweetheart roses. She wore a single string of pearls which had belonged to her grandmother, the late Mrs. T.E. Johnson. Following tradition, the bride wore "something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue".

Miss Leslie Birkey of Clarendon, was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Jennifer Pendleton of Canyon; Miss Beth Green of Clarendon; Mrs. Michael Corley of Redwater; and Mrs. John Birkey Jr. of Shamrock.

The attendants' dresses were of tea length burgandy cotton designed with off the shoulder neckline and elbow length puffed sleeves. Grey taffeta sashes accented the waist. They each carried an oil lamp surrounded by an arrangement of ribbons and silk flowers.

Sara Long, as flower girl carried a white wicker basket filled with burgandy and rose silk flowers accented with gypsophelia. This was the same basket used by the bride's parents at their wedding.



MRS. HOSS EDWARD PICKARD

Her ruffled tea length dress was of burgandy cotton.

Attending the groom as best man was his father, Edward Pickard of Redwater. Groomsmen were Michael Corley of Redwater, David Boone of Commerce, John Birkey, Jr., brother of the bride, of Shamrock; and Robert Smith of Little Rock, Arkansas.

Ringbearer was Joel Long, who carried the satin pillow edged with lace that was used by the bride's parents at their wedding.

Guests were seated by the bride's cousins, Gary Estes and Joe Estes of Phillips. Guests were registered by Stephanie Holland of Hedley.

Lighting the candles were Miss Amy Shields of Quail; Miss Marla Keller, Miss D'Nae Keller and Miss Nicole Keller all of Wellington.

The reception, hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Birkey, was held in the fellowship hall. Guests were received by the families of both the bride and the groom.

The bride's table was covered with a burgandy tablecloth with an antique lace overlay. The three tiered cake was decorated with a fountain in the center and two miniature stairways that led to two smaller cakes on each side. Crystal appointments and brass candlesticks also adorned the table. Various hor d'oeuvres, made by the bride, were served from the groom's table. The table was covered with a cloth and overlay matching that on the bride's table. Spiced tea and coffee were served from a silver service.

Members of the house party were Mrs. John Scott of Wellington, Miss Karon Harmon of Hedley, Mrs. W.L. Green and Mrs. Charles Darter of Wellington, also Miss Amy Shields of Quail, Miss D'Nae Keller and Miss Nicole Keller of Wellington.

Instead of rice, wheat was distributed to shower the couple. The wheat was distributed by Laci Scott, Cami Scott, and Trena Scott in baskets.

After a short wedding trip, the couple are at home in Hedley.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Wellington High School and a 1984 graduate of East Texas State University. She is employed by Hedley School District as home economics teacher.

A 1981 graduate of Redwater High School, the bridegroom also received his degree from East Texas State University. He is employed by Hedley School District as agriculture teacher.



Nylon was first introduced to the public in 1938. Research chemists of the DuPont Laboratories made this material by combining water, air and a by-product of coal.

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Bridal Shower Given Nov. 17 For Bride-to-Be Cheryl Birkey

Miss Cheryl Birkey, the fiancée of Hoss Pickard, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday morning, Nov. 17, in the home of Mrs. Dickie Johnson.

Guests called between 10 and 11:30 a.m.

Scheli Holland and Karon Harmon, students of Miss Birkey in Hedley High School, registered the guests at a table covered with pink linen and an ivory overlay with an arrangement of burgundy and white flowers.

The refreshment table was covered with an ivory cloth and the centerpiece was of burgundy, gray and pink flowers. Silver and crystal appointments were used. Miss Leslie Birkey, sister of the honoree, served the guests.

Gifts were displayed. Hostesses with Mrs. Johnson were Mrs. P.M. Scott, Mrs. Melvin Cardwell, Mrs. Doug Mead, Mrs. Glen Taylor, Mrs. Delbert White, Mrs. James Williams, Mrs. Bob

Rehearsal Dinner Entertains Birkey-Pickard Wedding Party

Mr. and Mrs. John Birkey and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pickard were hosts for the rehearsal dinner honoring their children Cheryl and Hoss, and members of their wedding party.

The dinner was held in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church in Wellington on Friday, November 30.

The buffet dinner preceded the

wedding rehearsal held in the First Baptist Church.

Afterwards gifts were presented to the members of the wedding party by Miss Birkey and Mr. Pickard.

Those attending were Miss Birkey and Mr. Pickard; Mr. and Mrs. John Birkey, Jr. of Shamrock; Miss Leslie Birkey; Miss Beth Green; Miss Jennifer Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Corley of Redwater; Mr. David Boone and Miss Karen Spurgeon of Commerce; Robert Smith of Little Rock, Arkansas; Mrs. Carolyn Keller, Marla, Nicole and D'Nae, Mrs. John Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Long, Joel and Sara, Mrs. Don Reeves, Rev. and Mrs. S.L. Yeilding and the hosts.

Wedding-Birthday Brunch Given Cheryl Birkey Saturday Morning

A combined birthday-wedding brunch honored Miss Cheryl Birkey on Saturday morning, Dec. 1, on her wedding day. Miss Birkey was the fiancée of Hoss Pickard. Both teach at Hedley.

Hostesses were Mrs. Charles Darter and Mrs. W.L. Green in Mrs. Green's home at 10:30 a.m.

The serving table was decorated to carry out Miss Birkey's chosen colors, burgundy and gray. Dainty sausage links, and bacon were served with scrambled eggs in patty shells, and a fruit cup. At the end of the brunch, guests had birthday cake in the shape of

wedding bells and cranberry punch served from a crystal bowl.

Those attending were Miss Birkey, her mother, Mrs. John Birkey; Mrs. Ed Pickard of Texarkana, mother of the prospective bridegroom; and Janet Birkey of Shamrock, Jennifer Pendleton of Canyon, Chere Corley of Texarkana, Leslie Birkey, Nicole Keller, D'Nae Keller, Marla Keller, Beth Green, Amy Shields and the hostesses, Mrs. Darter and Mrs. Green.

Home Delivered Meals For The Homebound

Thursday, Dec. 6: roast, stewed tomatoes, fried okra, banana bread, bread and butter and milk.

Friday, Dec. 7: stewed chicken, chopped broccoli, mixed vegetables, gingerbread, roll and butter, milk.

Monday, Dec. 10: pork sausage, peas and carrots, steamed cauliflower, strawberries, bread and butter, milk.

Tuesday, Dec. 11: liver and onions, scalloped potatoes, green beans, pear half, cream pudding, bread and butter, milk.

Wednesday, Dec. 12: fried chicken, chopped spinach, pineapple and cheese, cream pudding, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday, Dec. 13: barbecued beef, scalloped potatoes, English peas, applesauce, cherry cobbler, bread and butter and milk.

Friday, Dec. 14: fish portions, peas and carrots, stewed tomatoes and okra, prune spice cake, cornbread and butter, milk.

Dodson Extension Homemakers Learn Lap Quilting Methods

Mrs. A.V. Lowrie was hostess Tuesday, Nov. 27, when the Dodson Extension Homemakers Club met in the home of Mrs. Thurman Crownover. Mrs. S.A. Motesenbocker, president, was in charge of the meeting.

Plans were made for each member to take an item to Thomas Nursing Center for its Nov. 29 Christmas sale. The club Christmas party to be held Saturday, Dec. 8 was also planned. The salad and casserole luncheon will feature all the trimmings associated with the season.

Mrs. Motesenbocker demonstrated how to make a lap quilt. One was finished and another was being made. Each member answered roll call by telling of a compliment paid her.

Mrs. Wayne Reynolds gave the secretary's report and also reported on items of business.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Chester Wadley, Mrs. Vance Hunt, Mrs. Wayne Reynolds, Mrs. Motesenbocker, Mrs. Ross Swift, Mrs. Everett Lemons, Mrs. Clarence Black, Mrs. Bob Cochran,

Mrs. A.V. Lowrie, Mrs. Crownover and Mrs. Floyd Wilhite.

Leader Readers

Sgt. Bob Motesenbocker 1 Class, Glendale, Az.; Lynn Wolf, North Pole, Ak.; Mrs. Olan Moore, Dimmitt, Texas; Sister Mary Dominicus, Springfield, Ill.; Nick Lara, Perryton;

Raymond Sanders, Athens; Andrew & Zettie Gosnell, Cisco; Mendy Smith, Albuquerque, N.M.; Channy Wood, Lubbock; Father Patrick Burke, Beaumont, Dublin City 9, Ireland; E.B. Bockman, Shamrock; Wilbur DePauw, Amarillo; Tony White, Childress; Ellen Joy Bentley, Shamrock;

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B&PW Hears District Director Speak on "Motivation" Nov. 27

Sadie Schooler of Vernon, District 10 Director, Texas Federation of Business and Professional Clubs, was the guest speaker when Wellington B&PW members met Tuesday, Nov. 27.

Ms. Schooler stressed that motivation is the key to success in one's personal life, as well as in business and in clubs.

Nancy Janes, president, directed the meeting, which has "Pear-Up" to "Perk-Up" B&PW as its theme.

Bears were used in table decorations to follow the evening's themes.

By matching tokens, each member was paired with another, and for the dinner, and remainder of the evening, all activities were carried out in pairs.

Thomas Nursing Center News

By Ilene Brinkley

First of all we wish to welcome our new resident Mrs. Susie Clark. She is in Room 14 on C Wing.

Our game winners last week were Mrs. Ruth Wyrick and Mrs. Louise Vaughan. Volunteers for our games were Mrs. Morie Smith and Mrs. Lelon Downs.

Sunday morning worship services were conducted by Minister Haun Kite and other members of the Church of Christ.

Sunday afternoon worship services were conducted by Rev. Leroy Walker and other members of the Greater Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

OUR VISITORS:

Visiting Mrs. Estelle Bradley were cousins, Mrs. Winnie Bradley and her son, Paul Bradley of Shamrock.

Visiting Mrs. Clara Bettis were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bettis, and a granddaughter and her family, Mrs. Theresa Stanley, Joi, and Leah all of Amarillo.

Visiting Mrs. Nancy Deger was a niece Mrs. Dona Tucker of Shamrock.

Visiting Earl Alexander was a niece Ms. Nancy Alexander of Vernon.

Mrs. Marilyn Jesse of Childress visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Plunkett.

Visiting Mrs. Beulah Patterson was a friend Mrs. Grace Hedger of Baytown.

Earl Shields of Stinnett visited his mother, Mrs. Theresa Shields.

Visiting Mrs. Ruby Tenison was a friend, Mrs. Lettie Coleman, of Shamrock.

Visiting Mrs. Rebbe Snider were two sisters, Mrs. Irene Barth, and Miss Janie Lowe both of Shamrock.

Visiting Mrs. Ethel Ray were a son Norman Ray, and a son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Ray all of Childress. Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Ray also visited her father, J.C. Norman.



Who's New

Debbie and Clyde Jennings of Houston are the parents of son Christopher Lewis, born November 28. He weighed seven pounds and four ounces. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis of Wellington, Mrs. Doris Jennings of Austin. Great grandparents, Mrs. Irene McCarthy of Wellington. The baby also has a two year old brother, Steven.

Loretta Wright and Diana Manuel were hostesses.

Mrs. Wright introduced the speaker, Charlene Poteet gave the secretary's report and Dollie Mae Wilson the treasurer's report.

The two hostesses led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Guests were Ms. Schooler, Elizabeth Guggisberg, Quilla Gauldin and Mary Ring, all of Vernon, and Pearl Bledsoe of Wellington.

Members attending were Mrs. Janes, Goldie Barnett, Mrs. Manuel, Nancy Lindsey, Jeanetta Turner, Marie Gollighugh, Annesse Darter, Jeanie Adams, Jane Hurst, L.C. Sweat, Willie B. Harwell, Erma Faye Kersten, Pearl Harwell, Paulene Estes, Mrs. Poteet, Geneva Thomas, Laverne McLain, Jane Sheer, Dollie Mae Wilson, Nell McKinney, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Jeanice Adams, Sybil Atkinson, Myra Hayes, Lucille Kelso and Leatha Thomas.

1924 Study Club Continues Free Enterprise System Study

Continuing its emphasis on Free Enterprise, the 1924 Study Club heard a multi-part program titled "New concepts in Free Enterprise. Care enough to Be Involved."

Mrs. B.B. Martin was hostess at the Heritage Room and Mrs. H.L. Jenkins, president was in charge of the business meeting and program hour.

The introductory portion, "The General Federation of Women's Clubs in Free Enterprise: Involvement," was a skit in which Thomas Jefferson was interviewed. Mrs. Truett Holland and Mrs. Boyd Derryberry participated. Its objective was "to foster the American ideals of politics and economic freedom to improve the quality of life by making its citizens informed on opinions known at all levels of government."

Mrs. B.M. Sims, in Part I, "Industry Under Glass...Fashioning Fortunes in Fashions," presented the Dallas Merchandise Mart. Accompanying visual aids showed promotional advertising from some of the country's top industries and businesses. Among other products of Texas Free Enterprise cited were Dr. Pepper, now in its centennial year, and the new film production industry, becoming big business in the state economy.

Part II, individual initiative at home, presented Vicki Wagonseller Wilbur, a club member. She and Adelle Burquist Read, of Wolfe City, partners in Wagonseller Barbed Wire, are selling their arts and crafts creations state wide at major crafts shows, emphasizing "Texans and the Sesquicentennial."

In Part III of the program Mrs. Jenkins explained ways in which the club can help fund the Girlstown USA Endowment Fund.

Miss Rita Lowrie, Wellington teacher, explained the steps necessary to establish a literacy council here and requested members to think of serving in needed capacities. Mrs. James R. Ross was appointed to work with Miss Lowry on the project.

Mrs. Rita Owens, representing the Wellington Chapter of the American Cancer Society, distributed supportive materials for the 1984 Great American Smoke Out.

Members were reminded that Dec. 9-15 is Drunk/Drug Driving Week, an emphasis of the GFWC and Texas Federation of Women's

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1924 Study Club Plans 60th Birthday Anniversary Event

A called meeting of the 1924 Study Club was held Wednesday, Nov. 21, in Bura Handley Community Center to cover several items of business. Mrs. H.L. Jenkins, president, was in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. Bill McKinney, program director and club president elect, outlined plans for the club's 60th Anniversary Celebration to be observed Thursday, Dec. 6, with the theme of "Celebrate Women."

Those honored will include 1924 Study Club members with present and past affiliation with General Federation of Women's Club and Texas Federation of Women's Clubs from the Top of Texas District. Other women's civic

organizations will be honored.

"As Today's Woman shares gifts of volunteerism all year long, this traditional season of giving was selected for the anniversary event in December," said Mrs. B.M. Sims, president of the 1924 Study Club, "we well as the Texas Federation of Women's Club. Tribute to volunteers will be paid in several ways said Mrs. McKinney.

Clubs that are honored are asked to bring pressbooks, scrapbooks and other items on Thursday morning and these will be exhibited during the afternoon. The event will be come-and-go for those who cannot remain during the entire celebration.

Those wishing to make donations to the Girlstown USA Endowment Fund, or give articles that will be sent to Girlstown, may do so then.

Another item of business discussed in the called meeting was the GFWC Walking Challenge which the club is sponsoring in the community. Mrs. Kent Clark, chairman, is searching for the names of local walkers, who will be contacted and invited to participate in the fun approach: "Don't Horse Around; Hoof it Where You're Bound!"

At the suggestion of Vicki Wilbur, the 1924 Study Club will participate in the December 20 Christmas promotion when some merchants will remain open until 9 p.m. The Squicentennial theme will be introduced to the community at that time, and 1924 Study Club members will wear dresses of yesteryear to emphasize that theme. Members of other groups will be invited to join them in wearing similar clothes.

The club will check on the fire hydrant spotters bought and installed several years ago to determine if more spotters are needed.

Another project under study is the Red Cross KISS program for passenger car safety month.

Belles Lettres Hears Program Current and Future Fashions

Mrs. F.A. Hatch was hostess at her home when the Belles Lettres Club met Tuesday, Nov. 6.

After Mrs. Bob Hightower, president, conducted the business meeting, Bill Hatch of Hatch Dry Goods displayed new fall and spring fashions, and discussed the various changes that can be made by using different accessories as scraves, gold belts, jewelry and sweaters.

There is an increased use of cotton and wool with the man-made fibers, Hatch told club members.

Newest shoes have toes that are more pointed, but heels are lower. Hose come in all colors to match the suits.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Earl Alexander, Mrs. E.F. Bartlett, Mrs. Bill Carson, Mrs. Bryan Denley, Mrs. J.A. Graham, Mrs. W.F. Harbin, Mrs. Bob Hightower, Mrs. Dick Richards, a guest, Mrs. Cicero Guley and the hostess, Mrs. Hatch.

Phipps Children in Reunion Here

For the first time recently, the children of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Phipps were at home with their parents in Wellington. It was their first reunion in the Phipps' new home.

The group ate turkey, put up Christmas lights and visited.

Those here were Wanda and Ray Daughterty of Irving; Craig Daughterty of Washington, D.C.; Mrs. Denise Parks, a student in Texas Tech University; Gay Phipps and a friend from Grand Saline; Sharon Venable of Childress; Clyde Ingram; David and Carol Phipps with Warren and Bill of Dallas; Denzil Phipps and O.C. Hanby of Mesquite, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Phipps.



Dieters who want to succeed should promise themselves some pleasant activities during the day, psychologists say. Exercise with a friend... see a good movie... make time for your favorite hobbies. Brighten low-calorie diets with delicious but non-fattening treats, such as a hot cup of tea between meals. Soothing and satisfying, it can help keep your waistline trim!

**United Methodist Women
of Wellington, Texas**
invite you to attend their annual
**Christmas Dinner
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Saturday, Dec. 8

Bazaar 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Dinner 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Dinner tickets: \$4.00 adult
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BURA HANDLEY COMMUNITY CENTER

Holiday Dinner Given 42 Club

Members of the Saturday Night "42" Club met in the Heritage Room for their Christmas dinner, Dec. 1. Hosts were Mrs. Goldie Barnett, Mrs. Willie Wade and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Belew.

Games of 42 followed the dinner. Geneva Langford and Jim Wood won high score and Mr. and Mrs. J.I. Morgan won low score.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons, guests, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crosby, Jr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso, Mr. and Mrs. Woody Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wood, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Forbis, Mrs. Wade, Mrs. Barnett, Mrs. Langford, Dalton Vaughan and Mr. and Mrs. Belew.

Relatives Visit In Stevenson Home

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Stevenson recently were her brother, Tom Williams of Santa Barbara, Calif., and a niece, Mrs. Barnes of Bakersfield, Calif. Joining them were Mr. and Mrs. Orland Butler of Lubbock, the daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson.

On another weekend, the Stevensons' son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Stevenson of Tucson, Arizona, were here, along with Mr. and Mrs. David Stevenson of Tucson. The Butlers also returned for this weekend.

Leader Readers

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tice of Ft. Worth visited over the weekend with Mrs. Lila Russell. The Tices formerly lived in Wellington.



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La Paisana DAR Hears Discussion Of Historical Markers for County

United Daughters of the Confederacy, Sabine Pass Chapter 245, met in the Heritage Room at 2:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 26, for the presentation of two books to Collingsworth County Library and for a program.

Mrs. Herbert Duncan presented the program on "Hood's Texas Brigade" which fought for General Robert E. Lee in the Army of Northern Virginia in the War Between the States.

This brigade, she pointed out, was a 100 percent volunteer unit and its men were the first Texas troops to reach a major theater of operations.

They came from 26 counties, forming 32 Texas companies. They compiled a fantastic war record under adverse conditions, said the speaker. After the war, in 1872, sixty-six members met in Houston and formed the Hood's Texas Brigade Association. This group held annual meetings for 62 years, until 1933.

Mrs. John Holton read two poems, "The Battle Ground" and "Unfinished" by Newton Berryhill. These are from a volume, "Backwoods Poems."

Mrs. Holton, Mrs. Duncan and Mrs. Lowell Wells made a presentation of two volumes, "Backwoods Poems," and "Talla Homa's Story and Other Works" to the library.

These were written by Newton Berryhill in memory of Lieutenant W.H. Berryhill, who was killed in battle at Nashville, Tenn. Dec. 15, 1864. The book was copyrighted in 1867.

The author, an invalid, lived with his mother on a southern plantation. When the Union troops swept through Belfountain, Miss., the author and his mother watched from the shade of a large tree on a

hillside as their home burned, consuming all of Berryhill's writings except the manuscripts of this book, which he saved by stuffing them in a feather pillow on which he sat in his wheel chair. The only other item which was saved from the house was the blanket he kept around his legs.

The book was brought to Texas in a covered wagon when the family settle at Memphis. It was finally retrieved from the attic of their home and came into the hands of the three DAR members, who had the books reprinted to give to the library.

Copies were also given to the State Headquarters of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in Austin and the National UDC Museum in Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Melvin Kiker, president, was in charge of the meeting and led the rituals and pledges. Mrs. G.L. Jones led the group in repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Those attending were Mrs. E.F. Bartlett, Mrs. C.O. Bodine, Miss Maudie Coffee, Mrs. G.L. Jones, Mrs. Clinton DeArmond, Mrs. John Carson, Mrs. Herbert Duncan, Mrs. James R. Ross, Mrs. Holton, Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Kiker, Mrs. Roland Mayhugh and a guest, Heather Holton.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. John Ford, Carroll Shanks and Miss Heidi Ertell, all of Midland spent the past weekend in the homes of Mrs. Jack Ford and Mr. and Mrs. Lanny Ford.

Louise Kendrick is in Borger taking care of her 92-year old mother, Mrs. B.V. Stewart. She would appreciate hearing from her Wellington friends.

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Three DAR Members Present Civil War Books to Library

La Paisana Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution met in the Heritage Room Monday, Dec. 3 on "Securing Texas Historical Markers."

The program speaker was Mrs. Lynn Wright, chairman of the Collingsworth County Historical Commission, who told the group the Texas historical program began in 1936 with the Texas Centennial Celebration. It is now under the direction of the Texas Historical Commission.

Subjects to be commemorated are events, institutions, individuals and sites. All subjects must be of historical interest. Members of the Texas Historical Commission make the final decision about the eligibility of marker topics.

Mrs. Wright gave considerable information on the application process and urged anyone interested in placing a historical marker to contact members of the Collingsworth County Historical Commission, who will give information about cost and assist in the process.

The burden of proof for all historical claims rests on the applicant.

In the business meeting, directed by Mrs. Walter Pendleton, regent, Mrs. Bura Handley was elected a delegate to the 1985 state conference in Ft. Worth. Alternates elected were Mrs. Boyd Derryberry, Mrs. H.H. Bowen, Mrs. John D. McDowell and Miss Maudie Coffee.

Mrs. McDowell gave the

National Defense report and Mrs. Pendleton the President General's message and also conducted the rituals that opened the meeting.

Mrs. J.D. Coleman asked that collectors stamps be turned into her to be sent to the Veterans Administration Hospital. Both foreign and commemorative stamps are desired.

Those attending were Mrs. Handley and Mrs. Frank Fourmentin, hostesses, and Mrs. Wright, Miss Maudie Coffee, Mrs. Bowen, Mrs. McDowell, Mrs. James R. Tindall, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. Pendleton, Mrs. Louise Templeton, Mrs. Dan Henard and Mrs. Derryberry.

The next meeting will be on January 7.

KIWIFRUIT CAKE

1/2 cup apricot preserves
1 (8-inch round) baked yellow cake layer
3 California kiwifruit, pared and sliced
1 tablespoon sugar
1/4 teaspoon almond extract
1/2 cup heavy cream, whipped
Heat apricot preserves; strain. Brush top of cake with strained preserves. Arrange kiwifruit slices on glazed surface; spoon preserves over kiwifruit. Fold sugar and almond extract into whipped cream. Serve whipped cream mixture with cake. Makes 8 to 10 servings.

Plan Holiday Buffet Safety

Holiday buffets offer both a creative and efficient way to entertain a large number of guests in a limited space.

But serving meals buffet style requires extra food safety precautions, says a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service food and nutrition specialist. The two basic rules to remember are to keep hot food hot and cold food cold, explains Marilyn Haggard.

Instead of setting out large buffet servings, try smaller ones, replenishing the food as needed from the stove or refrigerator, she suggests. If meat, poultry or egg dishes are left at room temperature for more than two hours, food poisoning bacteria may have an opportunity to grow. Frequent refilling ensures that these foods will remain safe to eat.

Heated serving dishes, such as hot trays or chafing dishes, are great for keeping food warm and tasty, Haggard says, but they may not keep foods at a high enough temperature to prevent the growth of harmful bacteria. Hot foods should be kept hot (between 140 degrees F and 165 degrees F) until served.

Cold meats, potato salads, meat salads and other cold foods should

be stored in the refrigerator at 40 degrees F or below until served, notes the specialist.

After eating, cover and refrigerate all perishables immediately, especially meat and poultry products. Divide large meats and other foods into smaller portions. Food in smaller portions cools more quickly to temperatures where bacteria quit growing, advises Haggard.

Luncheon Given Miss Cathy Crelia

A luncheon and lingerie shower honored Miss Cathy Crelia, the bride elect of Kevin Needham, on Sunday, November 11 in the home of Mrs. Andy Henard.

Hostesses with her were Mrs. Dickie Johnson and Mrs. Glen Thomas.

The table holding the bride's registry was also accented with a small ceramic duck filled with ivy, which was presented to the honoree.

The salad luncheon was served buffet style.

Afterwards friends attending made rice bags to be used at her wedding.

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20% off

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Pants, Shirts, Jackets, Bend-over Levis
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STATE CAPITAL



HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams
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AUSTIN—As the deadline for receiving campaign contributions, December 10, comes closer, public officials are holding fundraisers around the state to raise money.

This week Gov. Mark White throws a bash in Houston for major contributors from 15 surrounding counties, and Land Commissioner Garry Mauro will retire his '82 campaign debt with a modest affair in Austin.

Contributors statewide are also receiving fundraising letters from various other state officials. State law prevents giving or accepting contributions after Dec. 10 until the Legislature adjourns in late May.

The law was passed to prevent lawmakers from accepting funds

while they were in session, a practice that obviously smacked of vote buying.

During the '81 legislative session, when the Legislature redrew the boundaries for political districts, various fundraisers so alarmed citizens groups that pressure was applied to stop them.

For that reason, public officials now have a short rush period—between the November general election date and early December—to raise campaign dollars. The competition among officeholders for those dollars is fierce at some levels.

Freshman Arrive

The obligatory orientation for freshman lawmakers was conducted by House Speaker Gib Lewis last week. Lewis told the 30-odd freshman class to "shoot straight" with their colleagues and to behave as if the television camera was perpetually aimed their way. Be on their best behavior, in other words.

The Capitol tour and orientation is to help the new lawmakers learn the process for passing laws, for serving on committees, and for studying the issues that will face them when the Legislature convenes in January.

Tax Law

Without doubt, one of those issues will be the tax law passed this summer to fund massive public school reform. That tax increase and those

reforms have stirred a wave of criticism in the worlds of academia and business.

Last week, the dean of the Texas Senate said the law may have done more harm than good.

State Sen. Chet Brooks, D-Pasadena, admitted, "We had a special session we probably could have done without. Looking back in retrospect, I think we did more harm than good."

Brooks said the education bill has to be "repaired," and the tax bill is "unbelievable." Before even a year has gone by, the Legislature is faced with a deficit on the heels of a record tax increase.

"We went for kids' show tickets and the little newsboy's delivery of newspapers and taxing license plates for the elderly people, and we put an eighth of one percent sales tax increase that made every merchant in the state mad," Brooks concluded.

Hike Defended

Although Brooks voted against the tax increase in the special session, his outright attack on the new laws is surprising. Brooks has been known to support liberal causes in the Senate a little earlier than most, and his home district contains a heavy percentage of union and minority votes.

His jab at the tax bill is an indirect attack on the man who called the Legislature back to Austin and forced them to vote on those bills:

Gov. Mark White.

But, Speaker Pro Tem Hugo Berlanga, D-Corpus Christi, is defending the new laws as a necessary first step to reforming education in the face of dwindling revenues. Berlanga usually sides with the conservatives.

The incident is noteworthy because it may reflect the dialogue in the months to come when the Legislature sits down to review its handiwork after listening to the voices back home.

Mattox Sues

Texas Attorney General Jim Mattox is suing nine trucking companies for more than \$9 million in civil penalties because of alleged violations of laws regulating weight limitations.

But the owner of an Austin-based trucking company says that at least half of his business is with state agencies which have ordered him to overload his trucks.

Mattox is seeking \$1 million from each company and said the Austin trucker had 1,053 tickets last year. The trucker retorts he only had 63 tickets.

Parker Case

The Jefferson County district attorney who is attempting to prosecute Port Arthur State Sen. Carl Parker on charges of promoting pornography and prostitution said last week he will get a new grand jury to look at the evidence.

Scoopin'

A friend of mine said that lately she has been missing the Sheriff's Department deputy on duty during lunchtime at the schools on 15th Street. The speed limit is 20 miles per hour during school hours on 15th Street, and she said a deputy in a Sheriff's Department car is a good reminder to slow down during the lunch period when many students are crossing the street and out on the school yards. "They stopped me once," she said, "and I needed to be stopped. I was cruising along, thinking about a dozen other things and not paying any attention to where I was. Now, when I see a deputy's car it reminds me to slow down."

Larry Wartes, the assistant superintendent at Hereford schools, who's seen many football seasons come and go, and who's seen many games that could have gone either way, asked about our season the other day. When I replied 2-8, he told me the advice he always gives when a season seems to be going that way: "It's a lot better to wind up with a 1-9 season. That way, in future years whenever anybody asks how you did, you can look 'em straight in the eye, grin and say 'Won nine.'"

In cleaning off my desk, an activity in which I engage every few years, I found a note that Dr. Dick Ellis had sent from Ft. Worth back in 1980: "Enclosed are two pages which I removed from a recent issue of 'Texas Medicine.' I noticed that Wellington had five physicians in 1909, although it only had a population of 87..."

Allsup's in-house magazine recently featured an article on Wellington store manager Marie Black on the 10th anniversary of the store opening on October 13, 1974. It's hard to believe that was 10 years ago.

---Henry Wells

Senator Bill Sarpalius



Reports



TEXAS LAWMAKERS TO CONSIDER WASTE FEE

The problem of alcohol abuse costs Texas and Texans an estimated five and a half billion dollars a year, according to a recent study authorized by the Texas Commission on Alcoholism. This whopping cost translates to a loss to Texas of almost 15 million dollars a day.

For an idea of what a figure like this means, just realize that the entire budget for the State of Texas is \$30.9 billion for the current 1984-85 biennium. Calculating a biennium loss due to alcohol abuse of an estimated \$11 billion, it is clear that this size of loss is too staggering for this state to accept lightly. Even more ominous, the study estimates the cost of alcohol abuse to the nation in 1983 at more than \$116 billion.

This cost in Texas for 1981 was an estimated \$4.5 billion. These cost estimates were extrapolated using cost estimates for reduced productivity caused by alcohol abuse, as well as mortality, treatment support, lost employment, traffic accidents, crime and social welfare programs. The largest single cost associated with alcohol abuse is for reduced productivity, which was estimated at \$65 billion a year for the nation as a whole.

Even more upsetting is the fact that Texas ranks last of all 50 states in spending per capita for alcohol abuse treatment. According to a study by the National Assoc-

iation of State Alcohol and Drug Abuse Directors, Texas spends a mere \$1.60 per person on alcohol and drug abuse education and treatment. In addition, these estimates do not take into consideration the rapidly increasing Texas population, which would mean an even lower amount of spending per capita on alcohol abuse by the state.

We believe that significant savings could be made if we increased our per capita spending on alcohol education and treatment in Texas. Each additional dollar spent on such programs would alleviate the current number of persons suffering from alcohol abuse, and would in turn lessen the increasing costs of this abuse by a greater amount. We have worked in the past to alleviate the suffering and tragic waste of lives attributed to our current alcohol abuse crisis, and will continue our efforts during the next Regular Session of the Texas Legislature.

We feel that the people of Texas are our most valuable resource and therefore deserve the protection that this state can and should provide. We hope that you feel the same about this critical problem facing our state. If you have any comments concerning the costs of alcohol abuse in Texas, or any other issue, please write Senator Bill Sarpalius, P. O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711.



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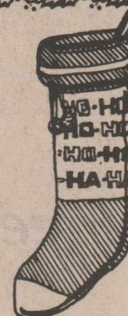
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Wheeler, River Road Win Tournament

Wheeler girls and River Road boys took the championship of their divisions in the Wellington Basketball tournament finals Saturday night, Dec. 1.

Wellington girls and Memphis boys were second, and River Road girls and Wellington boys placed third.

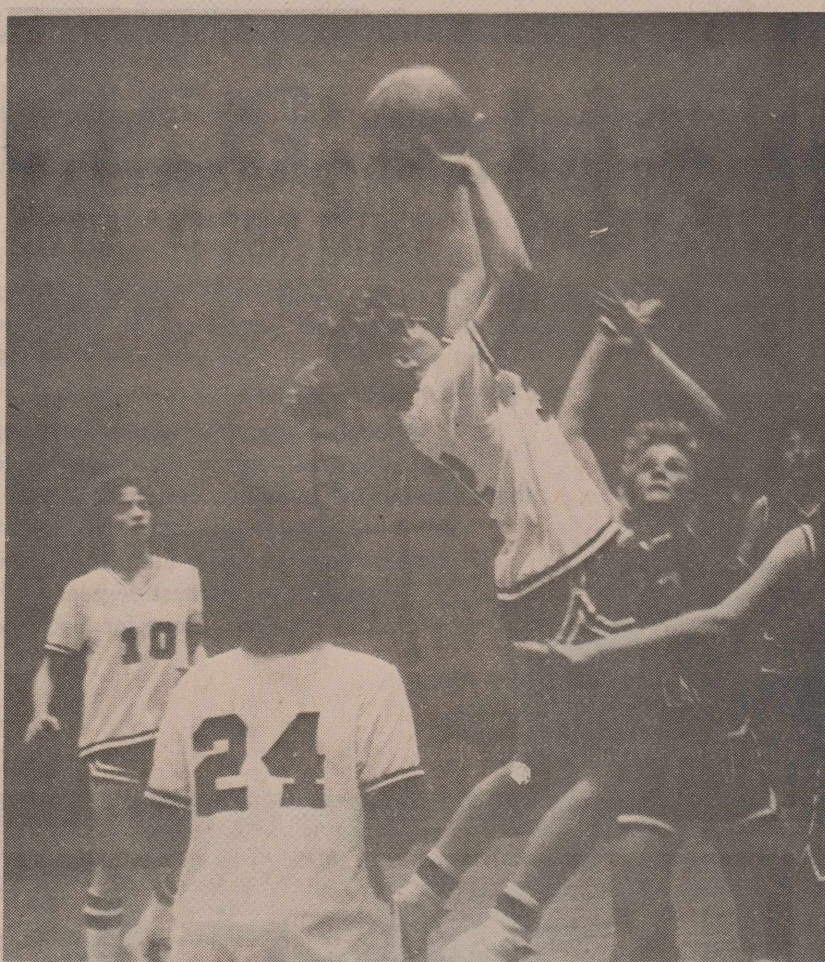
Taking consolation trophies were Samnorwood girls and Hedley boys.

The River Road-Memphis boys game was tied 14-14 at the first quarter and Memphis led by one point 29-28 at halftime. River Road pulled ahead 8 points in the third quarter and although Memphis came back in the fourth it was a little bit late for them to recapture the lead and the game ended 66-61. Richardson led Memphis scoring with 26 points and Cruze had 11. Johnson of River Road scored 10 points and Freeman had 14.

Wheeler girls defeated Wellington 79-47 for the girls championship. Wellington led 16-12 at the end of the first quarter but at halftime Wheeler was ahead 35-27. By the third quarter they were ahead 48-32. Sandra Culpeper led Rockettes scoring with 9 points, Traci Hunnicutt and Margo Duncan had 7 each. Jolly made 24 points for Wheeler and Hartman 19.

In the game for third place, River Road girls defeated Memphis 47-24 after leading from the start of the game.

The Amarillo girls were ahead 8-4 at the first quarter, 26-14 at the half and 36-20 at the third period. Schull scored 9 points for Memphis



ROCKETTE ACTION

Holly Wilson, 32, shoots for the Rockettes against River Road during the annual Wellington Tournament last weekend. At left are Michelle Black, 10, and Traci Hunnicutt, 24.

and Farris 8; Richardson made 12 for River Road and Moon had 10.

Wellington Varsity and JV boys faced each other in the game to determine third place, with the varsity winning 79-36. The JV boys came into the tournament to take the place of Wheeler, which was

still playing football. The varsity led 28-8 at the first quarter; 41-21 at the half and 57-32 at the third period. Lee Souder scored 14 points for the junior varsity and Alex Johnson 13. Heath Ingram made 15 for the varsity and Johnny Nash 12.

The consolation finals that started at noon Saturday, saw Samnorwood girls win over Lakeview, by one point, 38-37, in one of the closest games of the tournament, that was in doubt until the final buzzer sounded.

Samnorwood was ahead 13-10 at the first quarter but behind 22-21 at the half. The Eaglettes were again leading by one point, 29-28 at the third.

Castillo had 10 points for Samnorwood and S. Brandvik 6. Rosales led Lakeview scoring with 12 and Graham added 6.

Samnorwood boys staged a come back in the fourth quarter and even outscored their opponents Hedley, 19 points to 14, but this was not enough and Hedley took consolation honors 58-48. Samnorwood led 13-8 at the first period, 36-29 at the third period. Bentley and Brown had 14 points each for Samnorwood, Kennedy led Hedley scoring with 18 points and Hall had 12.

Half the Wellington tournament games Thursday and Friday were played in Skyrocket Gym and the others at Samnorwood, so all games could be played outside of school hours.

In the first round Thursday, girls division, Wellington defeated Lakeview 59-39; River Road won over Hedley 84-38; Wheeler defeated McLean 71-31 and Memphis won over Samnorwood 43-34.

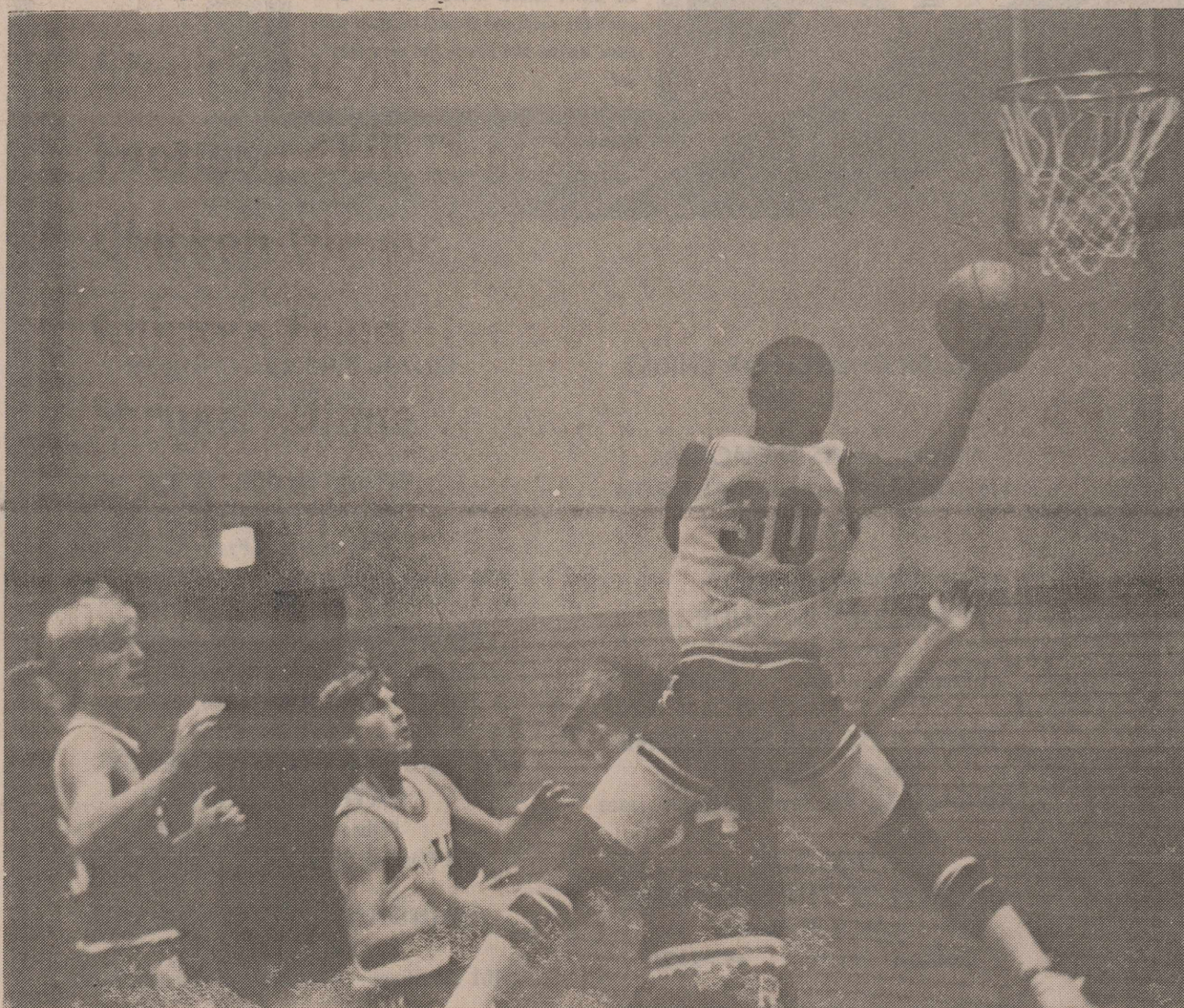
First round boys games Thursday saw Wellington defeat Lakeview 57-52, River Road win over Hedley 51-46; Wellington JV over McLean 48-45 and Memphis downed Samnorwood 78-59.

In Friday games, second round consolation girls play, Lakeview defeated Hedley 49-40; and Samnorwood defeated McLean 43-35.

Boys second round consolation games resulted in Hedley defeating Lakeview 55-48; Samnorwood won over McLean 53-37.

On the championship side, second round, Wellington girls won over River Road 41-38; Wheeler over Memphis 62-36; and on the boys side, River Road dropped Wellington 61-42 and Wellington JV lost to Memphis 78-41.

"I feel this was a successful tournament. We had nice crowds and a lot of good basketball. The kids had fun and the fans enjoyed it," said Coach Don Lacy. "We look forward to next year. We plan to have the Wellington tournament again the first weekend in December and plan to invite the same teams. All showed good sportsmanship and we were pleased with that, and we will invite the same officials."



CHARGE!

Skyrocket Johnny Nash, 30, downs a River Road defender as he shoots during the Wellington Tournament last weekend. At left is Michael Souder, 10.

COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY AGENT REPORT

by Nancy Janes

HELPING CHILDREN COPE WITH STRESS

Excessive stress is not an adults-only problem anymore. While adults like to think of childhood as "the carefree years", the increasing incidence of stress symptoms in children indicates otherwise. Growing numbers of adolescent suicides, especially here in Texas, have underscored the problem.

Experts in child development point out that children have to cope with all the growing pains and uncertainties their parents faced, plus a few more. Children may be pushed to excel in school, athletics and social activities at ever-younger ages. Some youngsters are simply "over-programmed" with organized sports, music and dance lessons, clubs and planned social activities.

In addition, more children face the break-up of their families through divorce and adjustment to a single-parent family, a joint custody situation, or a new family formed by re-marriage. Youngsters must often make difficult choices about drugs, smoking, drinking and sex much earlier than their parents did.

Just as their parents, kids may also worry about the economy, unemployment and nuclear war.

What all this can add up to is a stress overload that causes behavioral changes in a youngster. The symptoms can range from compulsive crying and nightmares to difficulty concentrating, insomnia and vague physical complaints unrelated to any illness.

Parents can help their children with stress by being alert for symptoms and identifying the source promptly. They can set reasonable goals for their children, remembering that the child doesn't have to be the best at everything. Parents can also offer a positive example by managing their own

stress to minimize family tension.

Youngsters can also be taught stress management techniques. Even small children can learn deep breathing, progressive relaxation by tensing and relaxing muscle groups on command, and creating positive mental pictures.

All children can find positive ways to let off steam through exercise, sports, dance and other activities - if they're left simply to enjoy themselves.

Sea Trenches for Waste Suggested

Deep-sea trenches created by converging plates in the Earth's crust may be used to dispose of waste materials, including junked nuclear submarines, says a Texas A&M University geophysicist.

Dr. Thomas Hilde, a professor of geophysics and director of the Geodynamic Research Program at Texas A&M, has found that giant depressions, known as grabens, are formed in the "dowgoing" plates of the Earth's crust as the plates bend downward into the trenches. Hilde suggests the grabens might be used to carry waste deep into the Earth's interior as they descend beneath the overriding land mass plates.

He explains that faulting occurs in the descending plate due to stresses as it bends downward, forming grabens. These grabens exist in more than 50 percent of the Pacific area trench systems, he said.

By placing waste in the grabens it may be carried deep enough so that it would only return to the Earth's surface through volcanic action and only after one to five million years, Hilde said. No nuclear waste would be dangerous after that time, he said.

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Included in the general history section of the Collingsworth County Book will be the histories of present active and disbanded churches throughout the county, with pictures to go with stories, Evelyn King, chairman, announced.

A list of these churches include First Assembly of God, Our Mother of Mercy Catholic Church, Faith Baptist, Lutie Baptist Church, First Baptist, Missionary Baptist, Dodson, Fresno Baptist, Friendship Baptist, Lillie Baptist, Loco Baptist, Missionary Baptist, Arlie, Primitive Baptist, Quail Baptist, Samnorwood Baptist, also

South Baptist, Dodson; Church of Christ, Dodson; Dozier Church of Christ, Ft. Worth Street Church of Christ, Quail Church of Christ, Wellington Church of Christ, Glen Davis Memorial Methodist, Dozier, First United Methodist, Trinity Methodist, combined Methodist churches in 12 small communities disbanded, as well as Methodist activity in all other communities of county, and Church of the Nazarene.

Other sections in the general history will include ranches, clubs and organizations, old and present businesses, medicine, city and

county governments, schools in all communities, two pages of pioneer homes, nostalgia articles "I remember" on various communities as well as Wellington. There will be some unpublished historical articles included.

The general history section, pictures, index, and card files are being worked on.

When the family history section of 1268 stories was mailed to the publisher, the first down payment of \$11,000.00 was sent. There is still time to purchase a book for \$35 plus state tax \$1.80, and mailing fee \$3.25, which includes postage, insurance and book carton.

Cozad Heads Community Band Group

Ray Cozad was elected president of the Community Band at rehearsal which has been set for Sundays at 2:00 p.m. Woodwind players are especially needed, but all musicians are welcome and needed. Any musician is welcome regardless of place of graduation.

Tom Lonon of Greenbelt Electric has offered to hook-up wiring for lighting and Tommy Hudson of West Texas Utilities has agreed to furnish electricity. The band is purchasing lights for music stands.

On the evening of the performance, Thursday, December 20 on the courthouse square Jamie Johnson will direct singers at 6:30.

Hot chocolate for band members will be served by Anita Roberts and Rosetta Wischkaemper of Rosey's Jeans and Things, and a sweet treat has been promised from WAC Donuts, courtesy of C.A. Wilbur.

Wellington EHC Plans Bazaar December 7

Wellington Extension Homemakers will hold a Christmas Bazaar Friday, Dec. 7, in the Heritage Room of Wellington State Bank. Selling hours will be from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Crafts as well as baked goods will be for sale. Free coffee and tea will be served.

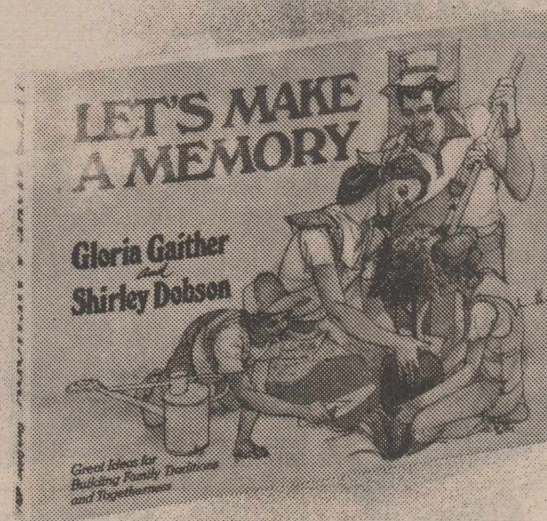
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Although a church's steeple is no longer the highest physical point in the city because of all the many-storied buildings and towers, the church itself is still filled with people who have reached the highest point of Godly maturity and who are filled with the highest degree of Christian love for God and man.



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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Tract of parcel of land out of the South one-half of the Southeast one-fourth of Sec. 50 Blk 21, H&GN Ry. Co. Surveys in Collingsworth County, Texas and described by metes and bounds as follows, viz: Beginning at a point 1005 ft. So. of the NE cor. of the S/2 of the SE/4 of said sec. 50 blk 21 and in the EBL thereof; Thence West 210 ft. to a point for the NW corner of this tract; Thence So. 50 ft. to a point for the SW corner this tract; Thence East 210 ft. to a point in the EB/ of said Sec. 50 blk 21 for the SE Cor. this tract; Thence North 50 ft along the EBL of said Section to the place of beginning; and said tract being the S/2 of a tract of land conveyed by J.D. Stephens and wife to W.J. Neeley and more fully described in a deed dated Nov. 18, 1944 and now shown of record in Vol. 91 at page 407, Deed Records of Collingsworth County, Texas; and this tract also being described in a deed from W.J. Neeley

GATE Activities Earn Regional Team Placement

Activities of Wellington I.S.D.'s GATE program since its inception in the spring of 1980 have drawn favorable recognition from regional and state Gifted/Talented personnel. The result is a place on the regional team that will develop scope and sequence for gifted/

and wife to Lonnie N. Neeley and wife O.C. Neeley dated Oct. 11, 1945 and recorded in Vol. 95 at page 74, aforesaid Deed Records and being the same land conveyed from Lonnie N. Neeley and wife to O.C. Neeley, to J.L. Parker on the 21st of February 1955 which deed is recorded in Vol. 121 page 14 of the deed records of Collingsworth County Texas.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of January, 1985, the same being the 8th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of Defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Wellington between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than an taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, which ever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the same time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

DATED at Wellington, Texas, this the 5th day of December, 1984.

/s/ Kenneth L. Maxwell, Sheriff
Collingsworth County Texas
21-3c

talented students all over Texas for GATE coordinator, Deanna Van Pelt.

Mrs. Van Pelt was in Austin October 8-10 as one of seven team members from Region XVI for the G/T curriculum project institute. Teams from regions all across Texas will assembly to develop G/T curriculum to supplement the new state mandated Chapter 75. The teams will work under the leadership of National G/T consultants in three skill-areas of Research and Study Skills, Creative and Critical Thinking Skills and Leadership Skills. Mrs. Van Pelt will serve on the thinking skills committee, according to Supt. Kenneth McKay.

Program development for gifted/talented students is viewed as a critical aspect in improving public school education in Texas. The Texas Education Agency is conducting this statewide development project to assist schools in providing appropriate curriculum for gifted students. When the

curriculum material are completed, districts will be able to incorporate them into their regular school curriculum that is based on the essential elements of Chapter 75.

Wellington I.S.D.'s administration, school board, and faculty as well as townspeople have all shared in the success of GATE (Gifted and Talented Enrichment) programs. Because of community size and limited resources compared to large industrial districts, many people have offered support and encouragement for enrichment activities offered GATE students. Since 1980, approximately 5% of Wellington's enrollment in grades 6 through 12 have participated in GATE activities.

Since Wellington is the only small school represented on the regional team from the entire Texas Panhandle, the community can share in a feeling of pride in offering a program to its students that has earned recognition at the state level.

Trotline Etiquette Overlooked

AUSTIN - Trotline fishing is an enjoyable and inexpensive way to catch fish, but it also may be one of the most abused privileges on the freshwater sport fishing scene.

Law enforcement officials of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department believe many trotliners are unaware of requirements such as marking the lines and numbers of hooks allowed.

"Rod and reel fishermen often complain about large numbers of trotlines that snag their lures and motors," said Capt. Harold Oates, inland game and fish supervisor, "and I really can't blame them since much of the time lines are unmarked and abandoned."

Oates pointed out that all trotlines must be marked with a durable tag inscribed with the owner's name and address and the date the line was set. These tags can be made from pieces of plastic

of half-gallon milk jugs. The lines must be re-dated at the end of 90 days, or removed.

All hooks on a trotline must be at least three feet apart, with no more than 50 hooks per line. No more than 100 hooks are allowed on all devices for each person.

Lines may not be placed in the vicinity of any public boat dock, public bathing pier, or any public place commonly used as a swimming area. Trotlines, juglines and throwlines also may not be placed in any body of water 500 acres or less lying totally within a state park or that portion of a stream bordering at state park.

"In addition to observing regulations, trotline fishermen

Christmas Donation to Cancer Society Urged

Instead of sending Christmas cards this year, why not make a donation to the American Cancer Society, suggests Rita Owens, a member of the Wellington chapter. Such a donation is tax deductible and a worthy thing, Mrs. Owens added.

Those wishing to make these Christmas donations, or memorial donations should come to Mrs. Owens at Wellington State Bank, who has the tax deductible receipts to be given to the donor.

Edith Brown, chapter president,

should use good judgment and common sense when setting their lines," said Oates. "They should be placed in areas where they cause the least possible obstruction of the activities of fishermen and other users of the lake or river. A lot of confrontation and irritation could be avoided with a little consideration."

also pointed out that a Christmas donation can be given by a club or other organization, or a Sunday School Class as well as by an individual. The procedure for giving is the same.

The November meeting of the Wellington Cancer unit was held Thursday, Nov. 29.

There will not be a December meeting of the Wellington unit, and the next meeting will be on the 4th Thursday of January.

During the mid 1700s, historians estimate two thirds of all tea drunk in England was smuggled into the country to avoid the high import tax.

Volleyball was invented in a Holyoke, Mass., YMCA in 1895 by William George Morgan.

In Germany chestnuts were once carried in the pocket as a charm against headaches.

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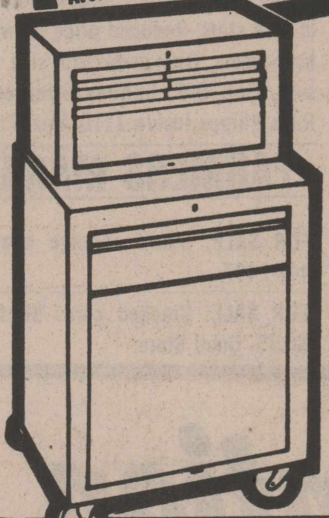
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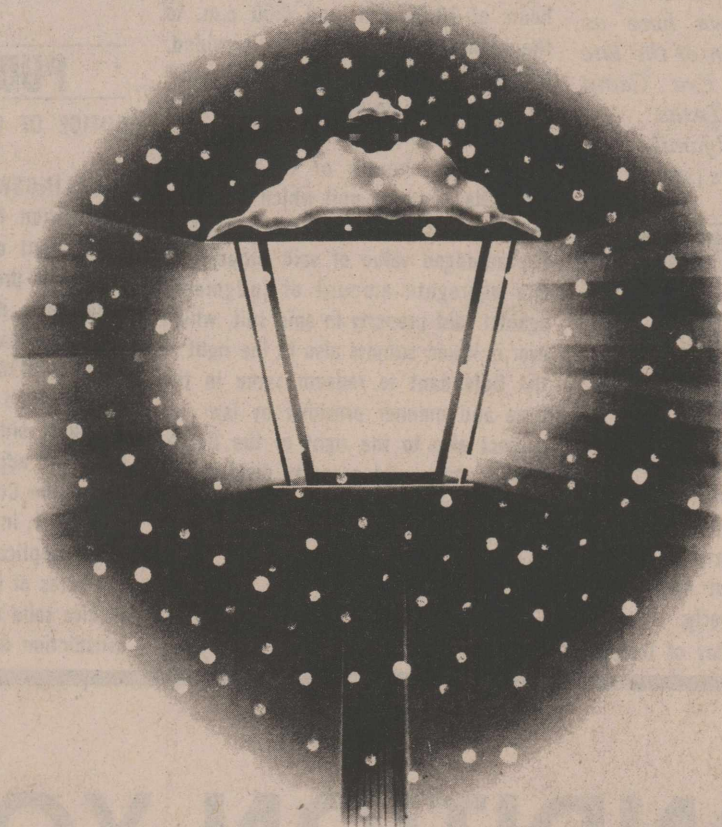
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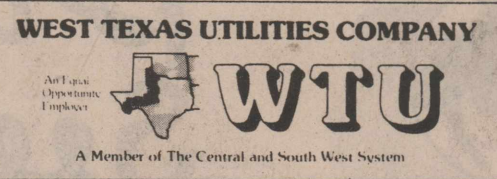


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Use heat-resistant cords with grounding plugs, and do not overload too many lights or appliances on one circuit.
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Do not adjust outdoor lights or tree lights while they are turned on or connected to a power circuit.
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Dodson Newsby Wanda
Hightower Cardwell

The Dodson Gins are really busy ginning cotton this season. Most of the farmers are reporting better yields than they had expected.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.V. Lowrie during the Thanksgiving season were Mr. and Mrs. David Wilkins and Tye, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Wilkins and Wayland and Joe Wilkins from Seminole, Okla., Mrs. Alice Faye Wilkins from Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Knight, Jay, Jeffrey and Stephanie of Quanah.

Burnie and Thurman Crownover were in Sudan Thanksgiving Day to visit Mrs. Crownover's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Harrigan.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Cardwell for Thanksgiving were Mark and Renessa Klink from Denver, Colo., and Jessica Cardwell from Oilton, Okla.

Luncheon guests of Wanda and Melvin Cardwell Saturday, Dec. 1, were Oliver Huffhines and Joy Carlson of Pampa.

Jon Lane Beanland celebrated his birthday Sunday, Nov. 11 at the Dodson Cafe. A decorated cake, streamers and balloons were used for decorations, as well as edible favors for everyone.

Attending the dinner were Wanda Cardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Hightower, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hightower with Tim and Zack, Jamie Bryson, the Rev. and Mrs. C.M. Huff, Karen, Karla and Kristi, Shane Smith, Irma and Pat Drew, Iva Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Beanland and Skii Lane and Mrs. Wilma Beanland and Misti.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone that extended their love and sympathy through any form on the death 11-17-84 and burial 11-20-84 in Kerrville, Texas of Mr. Edward Camp Puryear, known here as E.C., and the only son of the late John Edward and Eva Camp Puryear, Wellington, Texas. Mrs. E.C. Puryear and family Margaret P. Peters [sister]

PUBLIC NOTICETHE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH
SHERIFF'S SALE

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of November, 1984, in Cause No. 5563, in the District Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, wherein State of Texas et al were plaintiffs recovered judgment against Kenneth Argo Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of Decem-

ber, 1984, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 5th day of December, 1984, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property, situated in Collingsworth County, Texas, to-wit:

"A tract One Hundred and Fifty Feet (150') by One Hundred and Fifty Feet (150') out of the Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-Eight (28) in block No. Twenty-one (21) of the H&GN Ry. Co. Survey in Collingsworth County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at a point in the West boundary line of Section No. Twenty-Eight (2, Sixty Feet (60') South from the Northwest corner of Section No. Twenty-Eight (28), the same being the Southwest corner of a tract conveyed out of Section No. Twenty-Eight (28) to the State of Texas for highway purposes, for the beginning point of this tract THENCE in an Easterly direction along the South boundary line of the tract heretofore conveyed to the State of Texas for highway purposes 150 feet to a point in said South boundary of the highway for the Northeast corner of this tract; THENCE in a Southerly direction perpendicular to the South boundary line of the said highway One Hundred Fifty Feet (150') to a point One Hundred Fifty Feet (150') Easterly from the West boundary line of Section No. Twenty-Eight (28), for the Southeast corner of this tract; THENCE in a Westerly direction parallel with the South boundary line of the said State Highway One Hundred Fifty Feet (150') to a point in the West boundary line of Section No. Twenty-Eight (28), One Hundred Fifty Feet (150') from the beginning corner of this tract; THENCE Northerly along the West boundary line of Section No. Twenty-Eight (28), One Hundred Fifty Feet (150') to the place of BEGINNING, containing one-half ½ acre, more or less.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of January, 1985, the same being the 8th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendant in and to said property at the Courthouse door of said county in the city or town of Wellington between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, which ever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

DATED at Wellington, Texas, this the 5th day of December, 1984.

/s/ Kenneth L. Maxwell, Sheriff
Collingsworth County Texas

PUBLIC NOTICETHE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH
SHERIFF'S SALE

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of November, 1984, in Cause No. 5566, in the District Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, wherein State of Texas et al were Plaintiffs recovered judgment against Frankie Moore Est., David Moore, Herman Moore, Marilyn Crawford, Mae Frances Moore, Lou Helen Moore, Betty Moore, Frankie Gail Moore, Judy Lynn Moore and Peggy Lee Moore Defendant, for taxes, penalty, interest and cost against the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, on the 5th day of December, 1984, by virtue of said judgment and the mandates thereof the Clerk of the above mentioned District Court of said county did cause to be issued an Order of Sale commanding me as Sheriff of said county to seize, levy upon, and sell in the manner and form as required by law the hereinafter described property;

WHEREAS, by virtue of said judgment and said Order of Sale and the mandates thereof I did on the 5th day of December, 1984, seize and levy upon as the property of the above defendant the following described property, situated in Collingsworth County, Texas, to-wit:

Block 152 lots 23, 24 of the Original Town of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Texas.

And I will on the first Tuesday in the month of January, 1985, the same being the 8th day of said month, proceed to sell all the right, title, and interest of the Defendant in and to said property at the Court House door of said county in the city or town of Wellington between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. to the highest bidder for cash, provided, however, that none of said property shall be sold to the owner of said property directly or indirectly or to anyone having an interest therein or to any party other than a taxing unit which is a party to this suit for less than the amount of the adjudged value of said property or the aggregate amount of judgments against said property in said suit, which ever is lower, subject also to the right of the Defendant to redeem same in the time and manner provided by law and subject also to the right of the Defendant to have said property divided and sold in less divisions than the whole.

DATED at Wellington, Texas, this the 5th day of December, 1984.

/s/ Kenneth L. Maxwell, Sheriff
Collingsworth County Texas

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF FILING OF SOLID WASTE APPLICATION

COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY has filed Application No. 1751 with the Texas Department of Health for a permit to operate a proposed Type III municipal solid waste disposal site to be located 0.25 mile east of Samnorwood on FM Highway 1036, thence 0.5 mile north on an unnamed county road, adjacent to the west side of an unnamed county road, and adjacent to the southeast corner of the Collingsworth County Landfill Site No. 1, in Collingsworth County.

The application covers approximately 2.9 acres of land and seeks a permit to receive solid wastes under the regulatory jurisdiction of the Texas Department of

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Health for disposal or other processing in accordance with the said Department's Municipal Solid Waste Management Regulations. A preliminary study of the application will be made by the Department and supplementary material may be required of the applicant.

Administrative Procedure and Texas Register Act (Article 6252-13a, V.T.C.S.). If a hearing is requested by an affected person having a justiciable interest, or if after evaluating the complete application the Bureau of Solid Waste Management determines that a public hearing should be held, notice of such hearing will be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the area where the site is located at least thirty (30) days prior to the date of such hearing.

Additional information concerning this application should be requested from the above-named applicant or from the Bureau of Solid Waste Management, Texas Department of Health, Austin, Texas 78756-3199; phone (512) 45-7271. Issued this 29th day of November, 1984.

Robert Bernsein, M.D., F.A.C.P.

Commissioner of Health

Texas Department of Health

By: /s/ Hal L. Nelson

Hal L. Nelson, General Counsel

Texas Department of Health

21-1c

Public Notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO Rina H. Beachy, GREETINGS: You are hereby commanded to appear and answer before the Honorable 100th District Court in and for Collingsworth County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Wellington, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of this Citation, then and there to answer the Petition of DANIEL N. BEACHY, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 26th day of October, 1984, against RINA H. BEACHY, Respondent and that the said suit being numbered 5597 on the docket of said Court and entitled "IN THE MATTER OF THE MARRIAGE OF DANIEL N. BEACHY AND RINA H. BEACHY AND IN THE INTEREST OF GARY A. BEACHY," the nature of which is a request to dissolve the marriage. The Court has the authority in this suit to enter any Judgment or Decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.

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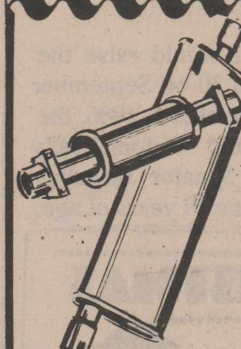
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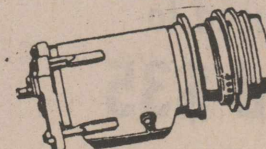
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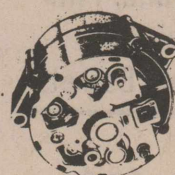
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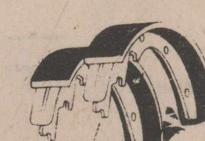


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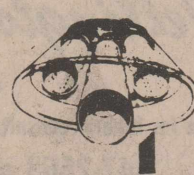


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Methodist Women Completing Christmas Dinner, Bazaar Plans

For the 28th time, United Methodist Women are preparing turkeys and dressing and all the vegetables and salads and deserts for which they are famous over the area. All these must be ready for the annual UMW community Christmas Dinner Saturday, Dec. 8. Serving hours will be 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

And again this year, as for many years past, the annual UMW Bazaar will be held along with the dinner. It will begin at 9 a.m. and continue through the dinner.

Although dinner tickets have been on sale for several weeks, Mrs. Lyla Hurst, co-ordinator for the dinner, said that those from out of the county who may want to attend can phone her for tickets and then pay for and pick them up at the door Saturday, or they may come and buy a ticket at the door.

"We won't run out of food," she assured.

Each year a large number of out of town people, most of them former residents, attend the dinner.

Rachael Campbell directs the bazaar this year. Items to be sold include handcrafted items, such as wooden toys, Christmas decorations, home-cooked cakes, breads and preserves.

Original art will be offered under the direction of Eugena Sherman and Mary Nell Holton. The Pathfinder Group of UMW will be offering Volume II, Recipes Shared With Love, their second cookbook full of favorite recipes from Wellington Methodist Women.

Many talented women of the church worked to create a Bible quilt which will be given at the close of the bazaar as a fund-raising project.

The bazaar and Christmas dinner each year raise money for local church projects.

This year's money has been designated to purchase new classroom tables and toward the church van.

UMW also supports such mission work as the McCurdy School, Methodist Children's Home in Waco, the Christmas Blessing Fund, OMS Missionaries Paul and Sylvia Cummings, and many other missions through district and conference support.

FmHA Employees Finish Training For Credit Setup

Temple -- Texas employees of the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) have completed an intensive training session and are ready to implement the new farm credit initiatives announced recently by President Reagan.

FmHA State Director J. Lynn Futch said members of the state farmer programs staff and employees from all district and county offices participated in the training.

"The final regulations have now been issued in Washington," Futch said, "and Texas is now ready to work with farmers on the initiatives."

Under the new plan, FmHA can set aside up to 25 percent, to a maximum of \$200,000 of a farmer's FmHA debt for five years without interest. For non-FmHA borrowers, the agency can guarantee up to 90 percent of a loan if the lender is willing to write off a minimum of 10 percent of the debt.

In both cases, Futch said, the actions must improve the borrower's cash flow position so he or

she can make payments on the remaining debt.

The plan also allows FmHA to contract for outside assistance in servicing FmHA loans. The goal is better assistance to FmHA borrowers.

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A&M Studies Problems of Older Citizens

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Taking into consideration golf courses, parks, cemeteries, athletic fields, grounds around business establishments and home lawns (but excluding highway rights-of-way), Texas boasts more than a million acres of turfgrass.

And the Texas turfgrass business is a booming one. Each year some \$750 million are spent to maintain the one million acres of turf.

All this points to the importance of the turfgrass industry in the state and is a major reason for the annual Texas Turfgrass Conference and Show, points out Dr. Richard Doble, turfgrass specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Sarpalius Introduces Drinking Age Bill

Senator Bill Sarpalius announced the introduction of Senate Bill 21, relating to raising Texas' legal drinking age in compliance with the National Minimum Drinking Age Act. The United States Congress has recently passed the National Minimum Drinking Age Act, which would deny Texas an estimated \$100 million in federal highway funds if the minimum legal drinking age is not raised to 21. "This potential loss of funds is not merely the saving of federal funds, but rather the savings in human lives that this bill would bring about," Sarpalius added.

Senator Sarpalius, who sponsored and passed the current law that raised the minimum age to 19 in 1982, said that "Texas Department of Public Safety statistics show that the number of persons 18 and under involved in alcohol related fatal crashes was reduced by 19.4% after the new 19-year-old drinking age took effect."

"Moreover, the number of 17-year-old drivers involved in alcohol related fatal accidents dropped 30.8% from 1980 to 1983," Sarpalius said. The number of 19-year-olds involved between this same period stayed the same. "Evidence from other states has shown that raising the minimum drinking age to 21 results in the savings of lives among the 19 to 20 age group," Sarpalius stated. Additionally, the Senator said that raising the minimum age to 21 is widely supported by the public, among both teenagers and adults. "A recent Gallup poll showed that more than 60% of 18 to 21-year-olds favor raising the drinking age to 21," Sarpalius said, "and a full 80% of the general public support such a law."

Senate Bill 21 would raise the minimum age to 20 on September 1, 1985. On September 1, 1986, the legal age would automatically increase to 21. Senator Sarpalius said that "Anyone 19 years of age,

on or before the 1st of September of this year, will not be affected by our bill."



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