

4 New County Paving Jobs 1 Finished. 3 More Links Due

Commissioners Court is moving on the second phase of its paving program for key rural roads within the county.

The paving project with county work crews and machinery started last year and is planned on a year-to-year basis by the county.

It is pay-as-you-go from the county budget so im-

provements can be carried out over a period of years without increasing taxes.

Newest paving completed is asphalt in Commissioner Druce Cawthron's Precinct 2 on the Cuthbert-Westbrook road.

The new paving extends north from a point 3.5 miles north of Westbrook at FM

Highway 670. When the complete section of road is finished with paving, the asphalt will provide a straight, paved link between Westbrook and Cuthbert and FM 670 and FM 1229 at Cuthbert.

Another rural paving project is now under way in Commissioner J. C. Northcutt's Precinct 3 on the west

side of Lake Colorado City. This new pavement will be about 1.5 miles and will complete the west segment of Lake Colorado City road. It will extend paving from vicinity of Sportsman's Club to FM 2835, which connects with Interstate 20 freeway and State Highway 163 (to Sterling City).

First segment of the west Lake Colorado City road was paved last year.

Equipment will be shifted

later this summer for two other county paving jobs, one in Precinct 1 and the other in Precinct 4.

In Commissioner W. M. Vest's Precinct 1 the new paving will, on the old Seven Wells Road, extend from a point on Austin St. south of T&P Railroad for about 1.5 miles south.

Last year in Vest's precinct, two rural paving projects were completed in the Lake Champion area.

Commissioner Moody Richardson in Precinct 4 will pave approximately 2.5 miles of the Lone Wolf Mountain Road north of Lorraine. This will be a key link between Interstate 20 and FM Highway 1899, which ties into FM 641 to Hermosillo, by making an "L" north from Interstate 20 near Colorado City to City County Airport and west to FM 641.

The Precinct 4 paving was on the county's schedule last year, but could not be worked into the time-table before cold weather.

Paving in the county program is with caliche base, and hot shot asphalt with appropriate rock base. Most of the pavement will be 18 feet wide.

Commissioners decided on the rural paving program last year and accomplished more than 5 miles of actual paving in Precinct 1 and 2, in addition to preparing caliche base in Precinct 4.

The commissioners agree on the priority for paving within their precinct and look for the job to average out about 2 miles of paving per year in the respective precincts. If funds are needed for the work first, then a year's paving can be held over until the next fiscal period within a precinct.

Paving equipment is on a pool basis for all precincts and, thus, projects must be completed one at a time.

The county paving may lead to the scheduling of two other additional asphalt applications in the Colorado City area.

There already has been preliminary discussion toward the possibility of the city joining in a project to pave Austin St. south from I. S. 80 East Business Route to link with the planned county paving on Old Seven Wells Road at T&P Railroad.

Also being studied is the possibility of extending East 10th pavement east to intersect with the new State 208 East loop. This new loop has just been opened, providing a direct route for State 208 from East Highway 80 to Interstate 20 without routing traffic through Colorado City.

Rev. L.B. Edwards Heads Mitchell County Ministerial Alliance

Mitchell County Ministerial Alliance elected the Rev. L. B. Edwards, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Westbrook, as their new president, Tuesday.

In an election meeting after their July monthly breakfast at Villa Inn Restaurant, members of the Alliance chose the Rev. Cecil M. Tune as vice president. He is pastor of First Methodist Church at Lorraine.

The Rev. Calvin Gustin, pastor of Oak Street Baptist Church in Colorado City, was elected treasurer. The Rev. R. C. Hamilton, pastor of Mount Zion Baptist Church, was named secretary.

"First goal for the new season," said Rev. Edwards, new president, "will be wider participation of ministers throughout the county. Other projects will be announced in September and

when plans are made for various projects."

There will be no August meeting of Mitchell County Ministerial Alliance, he announced. Next meeting will be in September.

Retiring president, the Rev. Weems S. Dykes, pastor of First Christian Church, expressed appreciation for cooperation of Alliance members during his term as president.

"I have enjoyed being president for the season just past," he said.

During his recent term, Ministerial Alliance sponsored Brotherhood Week, the Easter Sunrise service for all churches, the community Thanksgiving services, and a drive for clothing to be sent to Vietnam orphans and refugees.

The organization also pur-

chased two books for the Mitchell County Public Library on the subject of the history of Christianity.

A set of volumes on the subject of pastoral counseling has been ordered by the Alliance and will be placed on the shelves of the local public library.

Mrs. Usry's Funeral Held Saturday

Mrs. H. B. Usry, 67, died at 1:20 p.m. Thursday in Root Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

She was born in Le County April 25, 1901, and was married to Mr. Usry in Sweetwater Dec. 21, 1921. The couple lived in Kermit for many years before moving to a home at Lake Colorado City in 1963. Mrs. Usry was a member of First Methodist Church and of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Funeral was conducted in First Methodist Church at 4 p.m. Saturday by the Rev. Darris Egger of Sweetwater.

Survivors are her husband of the home; one sister, Mrs. Lucy Lankford of El Paso; four brothers, Edgar Watkins of Colorado City, Henry Watkins of Eastland, Gene Watkins of Monahans and Mabry Watkins of Seagraves.

Burial was in the Colorado City cemetery under direction of Kiker & Son Funeral Home.



PFC L. M. NEWBY
LEAVES HOSPITAL

Pfc Newby Assigned to Le Jeune

Pfc Lewis M. Newby, United States Marine Corps, left Colorado City Tuesday for Camp Lejeune, N.C., where he has been reassigned to duty.

Pfc Newby was returned to the States for further treatment after leg wounds received in combat in the Vietnam and hospitalization in Japan.

Until recently he was recuperating and receiving treatment in the United States Navy hospital at Corpus Christi.

He was guest during his 25-day leave in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Summers. Pfc Newby is grandson of Clarence L. Newby.

Auto Assault Women Plead Guilty

Two Big Spring women were fined in Mitchell County Court Wednesday after an early morning assault upon a Colorado City man.

Loretta Mathews, 27, pleaded guilty to charges of driving while intoxicated. She was fined \$30 plus court cost of \$40. County Judge Elmer Martin assessed the woman 15 days in jail which he probated for one year.

Joyce Kelly, 21, pleaded guilty to charges of premeditated assault with an automobile. The affidavit al-

leges that she, in conjunction with Loretta Mathews, and by use of an automobile driven by Loretta Mathews, assaulted with intent to create bodily injury, and endeavored to strike, the motor vehicle occupied by Tim Mize.

Miss Kelly was fined \$50 plus \$40 court cost.

Both women were detained by Mitchell County Sheriff Lewis Claxton after his investigation of a 4:15 a.m. complaint by Mize.



Officers For Ministerial Alliance

Elected Tuesday morning as new officers of the Mitchell County Ministerial Alliance are, from left, Rev. Calvin Gustin, pastor of Oak Street Baptist Church, treasurer; Rev. R. C. Hamilton, Mount Zion Baptist Church pastor, secretary; Rev. L. B.

Edwards, pastor of First Baptist Church at Westbrook, president; and Rev. Cecil M. Tune, pastor of First Methodist Church at Lorraine, vice president.



Surprise Award For Patrolman

Texas Highway Patrolman Bud Hertenberger receives from County Judge Elmer Martin a plaque from "a grateful community" for outstanding service. The award by Colorado City residents was presented by Judge Martin Wednesday in Civic House in a surprise event following Hertenberger's appearance as luncheon speaker.

Fisher Scores Club Tourney Winner

Danny Fisher won Colorado Country Club's July 4th club golf tournament with net score of 66.

The young golfer had a one-stroke lead over B. H. Jones-Starkley and Tom Rees, who tied for second and third with 67 nets.

Fisher traveled the 18-hole tournament distance with a 77 and net 11-point handicap made it a net score of 66.

Starkley shot a 77 with a 16-stroke handicap while Rees shot a 78 with 11-stroke handicap.

Thirty-one club members participated in the one-day

tournament, a feature of the club's Independence Day activities.

Dave Sanders, Grady Furlow and Howard Tarrt tied for fourth with nets of 74. Sanders shot 81 with a 16 handicap. Furlow scored a 75 with 7-point handicap and Tarrt shot 73 with a 5 handicap.

Furlow won the putting contest which provided an evening barbecue for club families and guests. Other activities for the event include bridge for women members, swimming and fireworks.



DR. B. SMITH

Dr. B. Smith Is Interim Pastor Here

Dr. B. Smith, Hardin County, Texas, is interim pastor of the First Baptist Church here today at the morning worship hour.

Dr. Smith, who is pastor on leave from his position in Hardin County, Texas, will continue to Colorado City until the next morning and evening services. He will be succeeded by the Rev. M. A. Smith, who moved July 1st to Louisiana.

Cotton Exchange New Future's Market

New York Cotton Exchange announced last week that trading will begin July 15 on a new future's market for cotton, calling for delivery of middling 15-16 inch staple.

James G. Rouse, executive officer of the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers Inc., Monday.

"We have been working along with other cotton producer groups in the area with representatives of the New York Cotton Exchange to include middling staple cotton in a future's trading contracts for a long time. The exchange has been trading in long-staple contracts only, which has done much toward stabilizing the market on that class of cotton," Rouse stated.

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Cotton Yield Go Up For Rolling Plains Producers

The preliminary report of Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service on acreage, yield and production of cotton reveals 411,815 bales (500 pounds gross) produced in 1967 by the 32 Rolling Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., 14.9 per cent of the state's 2,767,000 bale total.

The report for 1967 revealed an average yield per harvested acre for Rolling Plains counties of 289.7 pounds as compared to the 1966 average yield of 311.4 pounds and a 1965 average of about 255 pounds.

Mitchell County, according to Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, planted 41,100 acres in 1967, harvest 38,800 acres (compared to

40,500 in 1966) with 36 per cent of acreage lost.

Mitchell's 1967 yield per harvested acre was 262 pounds compared to 428 pounds in 1966 with total bale production of 21,200.

With wind, rain and hail losses reported in areas of the country, the county's yield in 1968 is likely to be reduced again in ratio with planted acres.

State average yield was 376 pounds in 1967, compared to 385 in 1966, and the previous five-year average of 362 pounds. Both the Rolling Plains and the state set record per-acre yields in 1965.

The 1966 and 1967 crops

of cotton in Texas were far below the 1961-65 average of about 500,000 bales on the Plains and 4.5 million for the whole State. Responsible for the drastic drop was greatly reduced acreage under the Food and Agriculture Act of 1965, which became effective with the 1966 crop, and highly adverse weather conditions.

Weather in 1967 cost farmers 84,520 acres on the Rolling Plains, 11 per cent of the 766,860 acres originally planted, according to the report, leaving only 682,340 acres for harvest. In addition, weather severely reduced yields on that acreage not totally destroyed in many areas.

Again this year the Rolling Plains as well as many other areas of the State, saw record a high level of abandonment. Best estimates as of this writing, set losses to hail, heavy rains and high winds at around 50,000 acres in the 32 RPCG counties.

Producers this year signed up to plant about 850,000 acres of cotton. But normal under planting would reduce actual acreage to about 800,000. So, if 50,000 acres have been taken out by weather something like 750,000 acres left standing, about 67,000 more acres than were harvested last year.

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Test Of Weevil Control By Sterile Male Releases

Last week Rolling Plains farmers saw the start of the world's first large-scale field test of boll weevil control by sterile male release, a long-time dream in almost every producing country.

Under the direction of Dr. Ted Davich, head of USDA's Boll Weevil Research Laboratory at Stone College, Mississippi, about 42,000 sterilized weevils were "released" on 90 acres of the Bill Glenn farm in Dickens County. Two releases of about the same number were made and this two-week schedule will be followed throughout the season unless it becomes obvious that the test is failing to prove effective.

"We are out to prove a principle," Davich said, "and as long as it appears we have a chance for success we'll continue the releases."

The Dickens County site on the Western edge of the Rolling Plains was chosen for two reasons. First, the intensive D'Anouse Control Program carried out in that area for the past four years has reduced weevil population to extremely low levels, making it necessary to release fewer sterilized weevils. Second, the Glenn farm has a relative degree of isolation from other cotton fields, making possible a more accurate evaluation of results.

The diapause program,

jointly financed by Government and producers under the auspices of Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., has reduced weevil numbers in a nine-county control zone by about 99%.

Weevils are being sterilized by the use of radiation in the Mississippi laboratories, flown to Dickens County at night and released the following morning.

While it is sterile males that are expected to curb weevil reproduction in the test, weevils of both sexes are being released. It is more economical to rear and sterilize both male and female than to go through the task of separating them. Davich believes about 250 sterile males per acre are

needed to prevent population increases in the field being used, so 500 weevils per acre are being released under the assumption that half will be males.

Frequent releases are required because all presently known sterilization methods, while completely effective in rendering sterility, reduce both sex drive and life expectancy of the insects in the process.

According to Dr. Davich, research has shown the life expectancy of the sterile weevils being used this year to be an average of about seven days. But their effective mating period is only about three and a half days, hence the two-week releases.

Success in the test would

leave this one major hurdle to be cleared before the new control technique could be widely used for eventual elimination of boll weevils as cotton's most costly insect.

A new sterilization process, in the first stages of study, is showing promise. It involves a combination of radiation and the use of a chemosterilant, both applied in smaller doses than when either is used separately. First indications are that this method may do far less damage to the insects.

A large number of other possibilities are being explored, too, since commercial application of weevil by sterile male release will not be practical until populations can be knocked out with less frequent releases.

Entomologists believe that a method of sterilization can be perfected and that effective control, even eradication, of boll weevils without chemical applications may be "just around the corner."

THE WIDENING WORLD

Mrs. L.E. Gressett Lead WSCS Program

BY MRS. W. A. BELL,
Westbrook Correspondent

"The Widening World - Americans Abroad" was topic of program Monday for Woman's Society of Christian Service of Westbrook Methodist Church.

Mrs. L. E. Gressett presented the program in the church. She was assisted by Mrs. A. Le Young, Mrs. John Hawkins and Mrs. L. R. Messimer.

Next meeting of the WSCS will be Aug. 5 in the church. Guests last Saturday in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Barber and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Conaway were Mrs. Gaylon Bailey and son, Johnnie, of Grand Prairie and Mrs. Jerry Fuquay of Houston.

Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Fuquay are the former Loretta and Venetta Byrd, twin daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Byrd.

Visiting the Dalton Conaways last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hancock and children, Philip and Linda, of Midland. Linda stayed in Westbrook for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rees were hosts last week end for Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hooper and daughters, Carolyn and Lisa, of Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. Dee DeRouen of Big Spring. The group were also guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Dorn Jr. in Coahoma Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Joe Williams

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son of Snyder visited June 28 in the Rees home.

be with her husband who is a patient in Veterans Hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Messimer and Mrs. John W. Hawkins last Sunday were in Sundown visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hordnett.

Mrs. Leroy Gressett was in Big Spring last week staying in the home of her sisters-in-law, Mrs. Earl Phillips and Mrs. D. C. Gressett. She was in Big Spring to

Mrs. M. J. Whitley visited last week in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Iglehart have returned from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Guinn in Oklahoma City, Okla., and with Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Guinn and family in Seminole, Okla.

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Joint MYF Discussions

A discussion of the statement, "God Is Dead," highlighted a meeting of the St. Luke and Buford Methodist Youth Fellowship Wednesday evening at St. Luke Church.

The group discussion followed a program, "Why Father with God," presented by Miss Sarah Harris, MYF president.

Miss Harris emphasized how many persons push God out of their lives. She pointed out that many misuse their rights as a person and talked about religion in every day life.

During a business session MYF members planned a "wreath" for next week's meeting at the Mack Ritchey home. Members are to bring guests.

St. Luke members and guests will meet at the church and travel to the Ritchey home. The outing will begin at 7 p.m.

Sponsors for the evening were Mrs. Bob Bedford and Mrs. Ritchey of Buford Church.

Members attending were Miss Harris, Gerry Ritchey, Carlton Olesby, Sherwood Olesby, Phonda Harris, Johnny Bedford, Jerry Brown and one visitor, Sharon Ritchey.

Historical Survey Group to Meet Tues.

A meeting of the Mitchell County Historical Survey Committee has been scheduled for Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, according to Mrs. Whit Hines.

Scene for the meet will be the Esplanade Room of Mitchell County Public Library. Mrs. Hines Saturday urged all committee members to be present for the meeting.

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Orange Juice	Safeway, Para. From Florida, 2 Quart Jars	79¢	Red Apples	Winesap, Extra Fancy, From Washington, —Lb.	29¢
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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Swan Reside in Snyder Home

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde J. Swan are residing in Snyder following their recent marriage in Buford Methodist Church.

Mrs. Swan is the former Bobbie LeNell Bedford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bedford of the Buford Community.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. John Webster of Snyder.

The couple was married in a double ring ceremony June 22, Rev. Jessie Dea of Union, former pastor of the church, read wedding vows in a candle light service.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

She wore a floor-length gown of white organza and Chantilly lace Bodice and lace appliques on the skirt.

were accented by seed pearls and tiny French sequins. Her shoulder-length veil of illusion was attached to a ruffled crown of lace, studded with pearls and sequins. She carried an orchid on a white tulle.

Miss Sarah Harris, pianist, presented wedding marches.

Mrs. Ronnie Moseley was matron of honor, Mrs. Tony Sparks was bridesmatron and Miss Donna Blum was bridesmaid.

They wore sheath dresses of light blue crepe and tulle. Their lace veils were attached to matching crepe bows. Attendants carried nosegays of white and blue carnations.

Candles were lighted by Johnny Bedford, the bride's brother, and Elizabeth Lane

of Snyder, the bridegroom's niece.

Raymond Murphy of Snyder was best man, Kenny Woods of Snyder, and David Venson of Tyler, brother-in-law of the groom, served as groomsmen.

None of the bride's parents was sooting for a reception following the wedding ceremony.

Members of the house party were Miss Kay Bowman of Melakoff, niece of the groom, who presided at the serving table.

Bride's table was covered with a white linen and lace cloth set with a three-tiered wedding cake and crystal appointments.

For a honeymoon trip to Big Spring, the bride wore a light blue suit complemented by white accessories.

They are at home at 2749 Ave. V in Snyder. The groom is employed by Pura Super Markets. He is a 1963 graduate of Snyder High School.

The bride, a 1968 graduate of Colorado High School, is now attending Charles and Sue School of Beauty in Snyder.

Out of town guests were from Snyder, Abilene, Greenville, Tyler and McKee.



MRS. CLYDE J. SWAN,
... recent bride.

HOSTED IN WESTBROOK

Post-Nuptial Gift Reception Compliments Mrs. Turnbow

WESTBROOK - A post-nuptial gift reception for Saturday evening in Westbrook Baptist Church's fellowship hall honored Mrs. Harvey Turnbow of Cheyenne.

Mrs. Turnbow is the former McAlister Killough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Richardson of Lake Colorado City.

The honoree's chosen colors of green and white were used in floral arrangements for the party room. Serving table was laid with a white net cloth over green. Silver and crystal appointments were used.

Miss Marilyn Oden presided, guests, Miss Yvonne Lehart and Miss Carolyn Big-

and resided at the refreshment table.

Approximately 30 guests registered from Odessa, Chalmers, Barnhart, Colorado City and Westbrook.

Hosting the reception were Mrs. M. J. McManhan, Mrs. Sam Oden, Mrs. Clyde Gharbers, Mrs. J. D. Iglehart, Mrs. W. A. Bell, Mrs. Ralph Grant, Mrs. Gerald Rollins, Mrs. Charles Pope.

Mrs. Rex McKenny, Mrs. Sam McGinnis, Mrs. Jerry Tankford, Mrs. Jerry Webb, Mrs. Don Henderson and Mrs. Charles Rame.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Anderson returned Wednesday from a three-week vacation trip to Colorado.

They visited with their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Andrews in Florence, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Gwynn Andrews in Pease, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Williamson left Saturday for Arlington to be with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Williamson, who is seriously ill.

The elder Mrs. Williamson, in Big Spring last week, was up in bed, snuggled in the light and said quietly, "Tomorrow I'm enrolling you in Knitters Anonymous."

Review auditors were treated to other chapter notes as the speaker chose them.

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Erma Bombeck's Book Appreciated By Audience

Book review by Mrs. Curtis Latimer, in Mitchell County Public Library, attracted an appreciative audience of about 50 people who laughed in all the right places.

"At Wit's End," by Erma Bombeck, was chosen by Mrs. Latimer for the first review in a series currently sponsored by the Cultural Activities committee of Colorado City Chamber of Commerce.

The amusing little book by a nationally syndicated columnist is now on the shelves of the public library here, said Mrs. G. D. Foster, book review chairman.

"She causes women, teenagers and strong men to laugh," said Mrs. Latimer of the author. "She is definitely an original and is rapidly becoming one of the most popular columnists in this nation."

Of the book, the reviewer said "At Wit's End isn't a book. It's a group therapy session. It is based on six predictable cycles of depression that beset a woman during a 12-month span."

The review was sparked with passages quoted by Mrs. Latimer from the book. "Before moving to the suburbs," she quoted, "I always thought an act of God was a flash of lightning at Mt. Sinai or 40 days and 40 nights of rain. Out here they call a snowfall an act of God and they close the schools."

The third time school was canceled within a two weeks period, I was organizing a dog sled pool. One of the most humorous chapters in "At Wit's End," list suggestions for overcoming the doldrums, Mrs. Latimer said.

"A Knit. Learning how to knit was a snap. It was learning how to stop that nearly destroyed me. I couldn't seem to stop myself. By the end of the first month of knitting I was sick from relaxation. I cried a little from exhaustion. One night when clicking of needles in the darkness awakened my husband, he looked up in bed, snuggled in the light and said quietly, 'Tomorrow I'm enrolling you in Knitters Anonymous.'"

Review auditors were treated to other chapter notes as the speaker chose them.

Of bikinis and bathing suits, Erma Bombeck wrote "There was a time when I had a 23 inch waistline. I was 10 years old at the time. As I recall my measurements were 23-23-23. Heaven knows I try to bend to the dictates of fashion. But let's face it. I'm a loser. When I grew my own bustle they went out of style."

And "My problem, Doctor, is Sunday work. I am the only one in the house who works on Sundays. It's the same old saw. Everyone pads around all morning in pajamas, running through the comics in their bare feet, and lolling around on the beds like a group of tired Roman soldiers waiting for Yvonne de Carlo to appear with a tray of tropical fruit, while I whip around the house getting meals, making beds, finding mates to white gloves, and keeping the fire exits free of debris."

"Nine out of our last 10 emergencies happened on Sunday. Once, I almost got a nap. Then my husband said 'You looked bored. Let's clean out the garage.'"

At another point, Mrs. Bombeck's philosophy admitted "Sometimes I wonder why the good Lord gave the job of having children to women when men could organize the whole process and turn them out in triplicate in half the time."

The light touch on children, marriage, marital differences about the electric blanket, citing the case when the lawyer interceded and suggested the couple buy a dual control and assume custody of the single control blanket together.

Mrs. Latimer climaxed her review with a synopsis of "What's a Mother For But to Suffer," an essay on the joys and trials of being a mother.

"Fears are normal. We all have them. Parents have the greatest fears of all. For we are responsible for this life we have brought into this

world. There is so much to teach and the time goes so fast. . . . was one of the reviewer's final quotes.

Father Dies At Ballinger

Oscar Charles Cox, father of Mrs. Fred McKee, 1105 Eastover, died at 7:45 a. m., Thursday, in First Light Acres Nursing Home at Ballinger.

Funeral was held Saturday morning at 10:30 at Ballinger with the Rev. Chester Wilkerson of Winters, Rev. Frank Leach, pastor of Talpa Methodist Church, and Rev. Plex Todd, pastor of First Methodist Church at Ballinger officiating. Burial was in Evergreen cemetery.

Born May 18, 1900 in Banner Ark., he moved to Daniels County in 1919, and married Annie Clayton Feb. 8, 1921 at Ballinger. He was a longtime member of Talpa Methodist Church and former member of Talpa Methodist Church and former member of the board of stewards.

Survivors are his wife, two daughters, Mrs. McKee of Colorado City and Mrs. Carl Montanaro of Dallas, one son, Woodrow Cox of Houston, one grandchild, two sisters, five grand-children and four great-grandchildren.

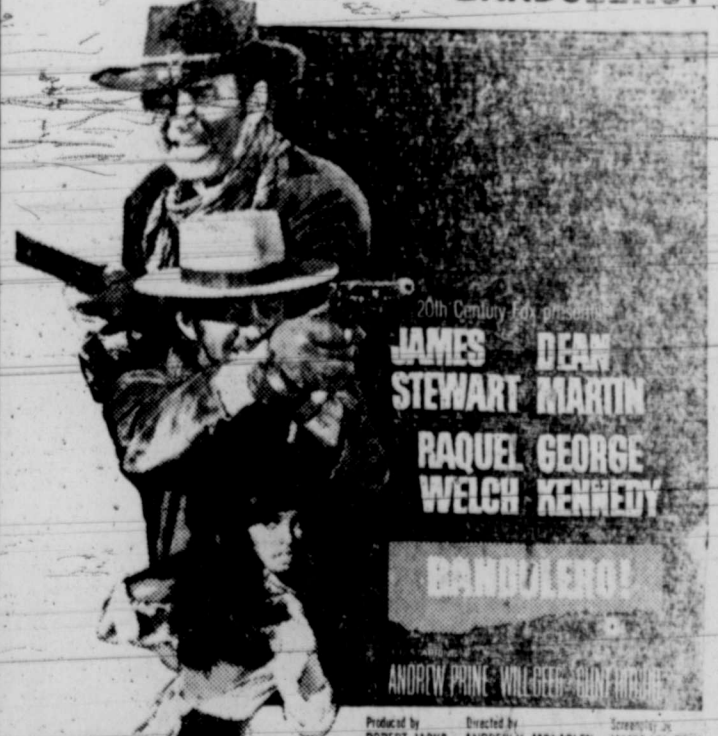
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Fall Off Horse Injures Woman

Mrs. Curtis Latimer received serious back injury Friday when she fell from a horse on the Trulock Es-

Cotton

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The decision to make mid-dling 15-16 inch contracts available will definitely increase the price in our market on short staple cotton, which will include a big percent of the cotton grown in the Rolling Plains," he added.

A spokesman for an Abilene cotton buying firm said his company was pleased that the New York Cotton Exchange had added short staple to its future contract.

He said it would likely prove more beneficial to the shipper and mill buyer than to those in other segments of the industry. It will be possible under the program for the upland producer to hedge on the price he could expect for his crop, guaranteeing a price for his cotton months in advance of the Fall delivery date, he pointed out.

It will also enable a cotton merchant to buy in advance and contract with growers for their crop. The contracts will provide for delivery of the cotton either to Houston, Galveston, New Orleans, La., Charleston, S. C., or Mobile, Ala.

No "spotted" cotton will be tenderable under the contract, but "light spots" will be allowed. The producer can contract his crop through an approved broker in Abilene, Lubbock or other cities where located for delivery on a specified future date beginning in November, 1967.

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Mr. and Mrs. Latimer and son, John Baxter, were riding in a pasture when the accident happened shortly before noon.

Mrs. Latimer stopped for a moment and stood up in the saddle to relax when a rabbit caused her horse to shy and stumble forward. When she fell, a vertebra was broken.

The young son remained with his mother while Mr. Latimer notified a pipe line crew to notify Root Memorial Hospital and obtained a pickup truck to move his wife from the pasture.

Mrs. Latimer remained in Root Memorial Hospital Friday night and then was moved by ambulance to Shannon Memorial Hospital in San Angelo Saturday morning.

Yield

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year's crop is late there is still reason to hope for per-acre yields well above the 289.7 pounds recorded last year. Moisture conditions are better over the area than at any time in many years, and the relaxed skip-row planting regulations for 1968 should also serve to boost yields in some sections.

Assuming that current acreage is maintained until harvest and that yields are normal, production this year could come to about 535,000 bales.

Listed below are the 32 Rolling Plains counties together with planted acreage, harvested acreage, percent of acres lost, average yield per harvested acre and total production in 500 and 4 gross weight bales for 1967.

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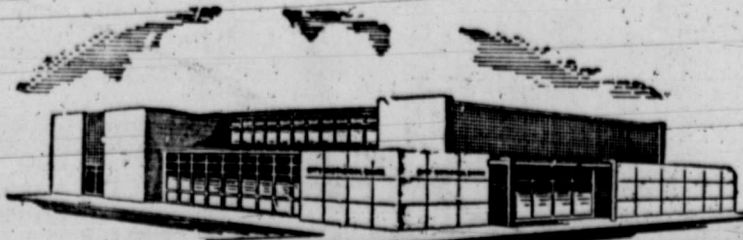
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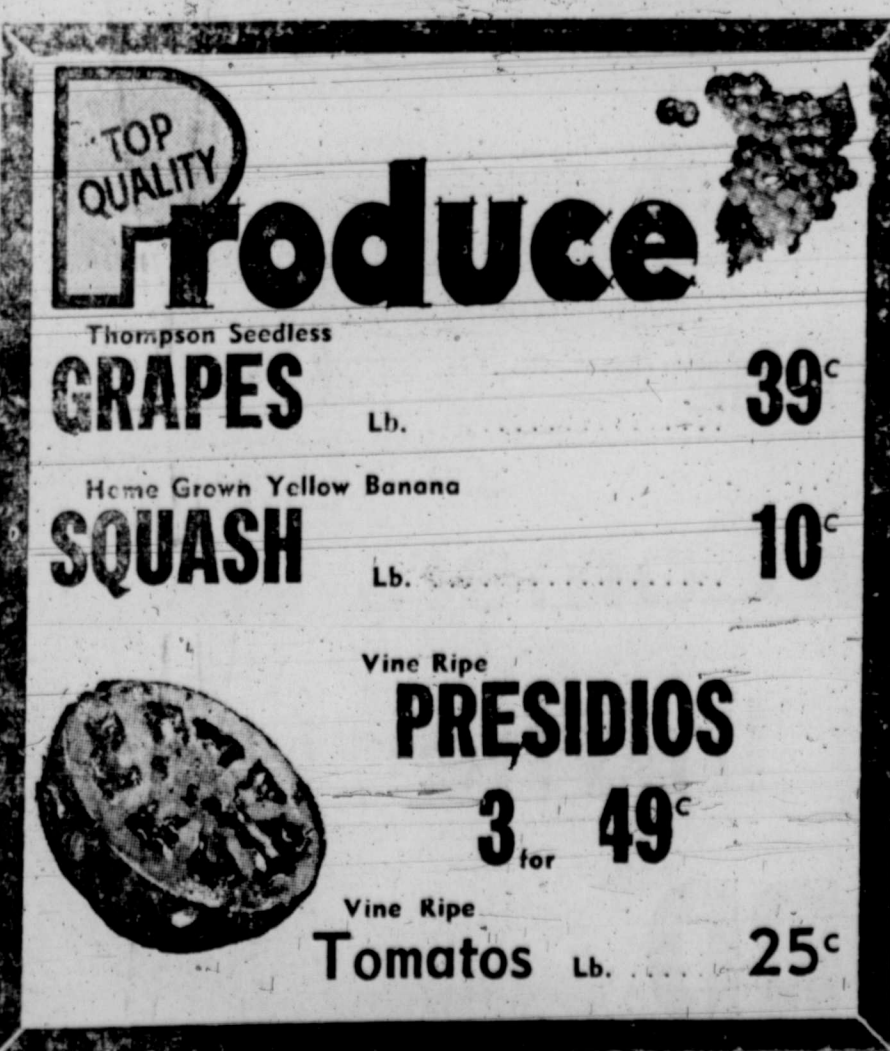
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Shower for Bride-To-Be

Miss Jennifer Holbert, second from left, was honored at a reception wedding shower in the home of Mrs. Tom Neff. Shown with Miss Holbert are, left, to right, Mrs. Homer Hart, mother of the

prospective bridegroom; Mrs. Bill Holbert, bride's mother; Mrs. Kousenky of Houston, Mrs. R. E. Gregory Jr. and Mrs. Tom Neff, hostesses.



Fly-in Day Brings Private Plane And Guests

Gail Henderson, at left, welcomes a family who flew in from Dallas for Colorado City's annual Fly-in, sponsored by the aviation committee of the Chamber of Commerce. The Dallas visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Caffey and their sons; from left, Marty, Mitchell, and Mike. Twenty-seven out-of-town planes landed here for the occasion which featured chuck wagon breakfast.

Mrs. White Hosts Dunn Canasta Club

By JAMES N. F. HALL, Record Correspondent, CHINA GROVE — Home of Mrs. Pete White Tuesday afternoon was scene for a meeting of Dunn Canasta Club.

Refreshments of pie and soft drinks were served. Attending were Mrs. L. C. Oschner of Snyder, Mrs. Houston Cotton, Mrs. Mark Holmes, Mrs. Fred Bowers, Mrs. Jackson Ellis and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Cotton of Dunn last Sunday afternoon.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete White were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Backley, Ricky and Angie of Midland.

Regina Jones of Lubbock visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. White, her grandparents.

Mrs. and Mrs. T. J. Webb recently visited Mr. and Mrs. White Farmer of Ira.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hall and granddaughters, Wintonia Hall and Naomi Mize, accompanied by Mrs. V. E. Stone and Stonie of Colorado were all in Lemesa Tuesday.

PRE-NUPTIAL FETE

Shower Compliments Miss J. Holbert

A wedding shower in the home of Mrs. Tom Neff recently honored Miss Jennifer Holbert, bride-elect of Michel Hart.

Miss Holbert and her fiancé are to be married July 19 in First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Neff greeted guests and introduced the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Bill Holbert, and the prospective bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Homer Hart.

Members of the house-party included Miss Regina Loun, Miss Susan Kirschbaum, Miss Vickie Bodine, Miss Mary Margaret Sparks and Julie Neff.

Sherry and hors d'oeuvres were served from a table set with crystal and silver appointments.

Miss Holbert's chosen color of yellow was carried out in party room decor. Floral arrangements, including giant daisies, ranunculus and starburst chrysanthemums.

Hosting the fete with Mrs. Neff were Mrs. Jerry Foreman of Houston and Mrs. R. E. Gregory Jr. of J.M.

Hospital News

Following items of local interest were compiled from files of Root Memorial Hospital.

BIRTHS

Clifford Christopher Miles, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Miles, born Wednesday weighing five pounds, eight and one-half ounces.

PATIENTS ADMITTED Lloyd L. Norman of Midland, medical, admitted Tuesday.

Rev. Billy Wilkinson of 1516 Austin Street, medical, admitted Thursday.

El Brown, medical, admitted Friday.

Guy Burton of 962 Maroon, medical, admitted Friday.

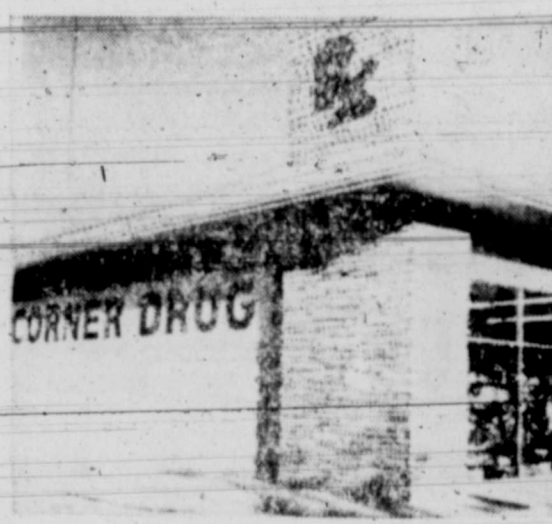
PATIENTS DISMISSED Miss Telya Mae Jones of Snyder, medical, dismissed Tuesday.

Mrs. Curtis Latimer, accident, transferred to San Angelo hospital Saturday.

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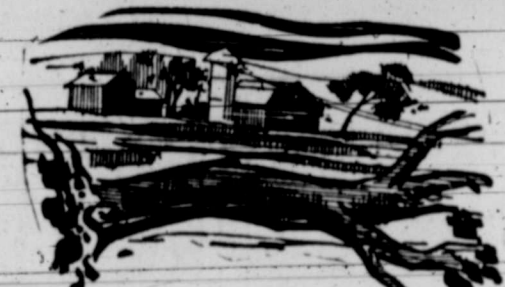
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NOTICE OF EQUALIZATION

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Colorado City, Mitchell County, Texas, at 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday, the 9th day of July, 1968, for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Mitchell County, Texas, for taxable purposes from the year 1968, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

Gilbert R. Leach
County Clerk
Mitchell County, Texas

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THE STATE OF TEXAS To: Richard Neal Cross, Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 6:00 clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 29th day of July, 1968, at or before ten o'clock A. M. before the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Mitchell County, Texas at the Court House of said County in Colorado City, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed in said court, on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1967, in this cause, numbered 8450 on the docket of said court, and styled, Gwindell Dee Donnell and wife, Patsy Marie Cross Donnell, Plaintiff and Petitioners, vs Richard Neal Cross, Defendant.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: Gwindell Dee Donnell and wife, Patsy Marie Cross Donnell, as Plaintiff and Petitioners, vs Richard Neal Cross, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

A suit for adoption of a minor female child by Gwindell Dee Donnell, joined by his wife, Patsy Marie Cross Donnell, as petitioners, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's on file in this suit.

If the citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

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

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Colorado City, Texas, this 12th day of June, A. D. 1968.

ATTEST:

B. H. ERWIN Clerk District Court, Mitchell County, Texas.

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"Family Band", Begins Thursday

A wheelbarrow is the only way to get to the family band which Walter Brown, owner and conductor, has key Ann Warren, and other family members. Daddy Brown, Walter Brown, and other family members. Watch in this week's edition of The One and Only Colorado City Record, which begins Thursday at 10:00 A.M.



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CONVERSATION CORNER

SOMEBODY around here has been living right, maybe. At least, all of us got to enjoy a perfect day for July Fourth parties, backyard barbecues, lake outings, and family celebrations of the holiday.

Locusts in the many tall trees at the house on East 9th St. made more noise than the neighborhood fireworks. Only thing louder than the locusts was that softball game going on between the grandchildren visiting from Michigan and granddaughter and grandson who live in C. City.

WHAT this country needs is a good old-fashioned holiday at least once a month, and twice a month in summer.

There is something rare and deeply satisfying about lounging on the lawn lounge, listenin' to the locusts.

What this country needs is more time for listening . . . more time for just being.

All this recent furor over the mini-bottle! Ha. What this country needs is more jugs of iced lemonade . . . more chicken just right for barbecuing . . . more fresh peach ice cream.

WHAT this country needs is not more computers but more companionship. Let us, too, become machine-like creatures programmed 24 hour a day for the mechanics of living.

What this country needs is fewer "Do not fold, bend, or mutilate" cards and more people who do fold, bend, unbend and mutilate watermelon slices in the cool of the evening.

What this country needs is fewer numbers and more names said with the warmth of friendship and affection.

WHAT this country needs is not so much more taxing, but more relaxing.

Not more laws, but more regard for the ones already on the statutes.

What this country needs is longer refreshment breaks more frequent vacations.

What this country needs is fewer forms to fill out and fewer "Brains" clicking away all night to think up newer, longer, and more complicated forms to be filled out.

WHAT this country needs is more days like Thursday, July Fourth . . . lazy clouds, subdued sun, soft breeze . . . time to spare . . . and the sound of the locusts gentle on the mind.

Even the locusts seemed to realize it was a very special day. They made their own patriotic music as their band played on.

How does that favorite poem go . . . the one by Wordsworth?

"The world is too much with us; late and soon,
Getting and spending, we lay waster our powers,
Little we see in Nature that is ours."

What all America needs is more Nature that is ours. HERE for the holiday weekend have been the former

Dana Merritt, her husband Warren (Scooter) Carr, their daughter Carol and son David who live in Oklahoma City, now, First Carr daughter, Linda, is visiting a Houston friend.

Dana is first daughter of Jake and Eva Merritt, 725 Vine St. Joining the Merritt family was their younger daughter Jane Merritt who teaches in a college in Washington State. Jane and another young woman teacher plan to drive all the way to Alaska for their vacation, soon.

VISITING Colorado City just before the Fourth were Ed and Minnie Belle Williams of Irving, headed for a visit in Snyder. Ed is former Colorado Schools superintendent and Minnie Belle a former teacher. Both teach in Irving now.

Jana Grantland, daughter of the James Grantlands of Dallas, just finished her first visit all by herself in the home of her paternal grandmother, Ruth Grantland.

Ruth, who drove to Big D with Kitten (Mrs. Jake) Richardson to take Kitten's grandson Rick home, brought Jana home with her, then met Jana's mother, sister, and other grandmother at Ranger, Tuesday.

TWO lifelong friends who grew up in Colorado City, Iva Helen Lee Bossenroth of Austin and Ann Randle Davis are leaving today for a vacation together.

They will visit Albuquerque, Santa Fe, and Tres Lagunas together.

Also leaving for a short vacation today are Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Walker of Lorraine and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deregibus.

Virgil won the plane trip offered to the lucky winner by Colorado City Flying Club on Fly-in Day last Sunday, to and from the HemisFair in San Antonio. The two couples will "do" the HemisFair together.

David Benson won the watch giving away by Toby Sanderson.

SEEN LATELYS included J. D. Hill, Jr. at his hamburger hour . . . Pearl Lindsey and Ruth (Mrs. T. L.) Holman together . . . Jackie Hickman . . . Kack McClelland.

Talked a minute to pretty Laverne Britton, wife of J. C. Britton . . . Chief Jesse Browning . . . Frank Prewitt . . . Jay Craddock . . . L. J. Taylor.

Saw Ruth (Mrs. Paul) Pritchett on the downtown scene. That reminds me to say that our Mariet Robinson has moved back to C. City after a number of years working in Phoenix.

She grew up here as niece of Ruth Pritchett with whom she is living again and working in the Bridford Dental Clinic.

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

Church Sponsors All-Night Party

More than 90 young people and sponsors attended an all-night party sponsored Wednesday by First Baptist Church.

The party began following mid-week services at the church with refreshments and a short film.

The group traveled by church bus and cars to Big Spring where entertainment included miniature golf, bowling and roller skating.

Breakfast at Villa Inn Restaurant climaxed the night's activities.

Sponsors for the event were Mrs. Earline Sellers, Mrs. J. Wells Slater, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Piland, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sorenson, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prewitt, Mrs. Zane Bernard also attended.

Young people attending the party were Bill Morris, Joe Kirschbaum, Glen Chalk, Stony Stone, Peggy Robertson, Dan Steakley, Jerel Graves, Carolyn Moore, Rose Ann White.

Dale Bynum, Carl Webb, Vickie Bodine, Renee Bernard, Cindy Eason, Brenda Henderson, Charles Stevens, Rick Sorenson, Rodney Mer-

ket, Dick Thomas, Rex Reynolds, Jim Mann, Carl Gueller, Tommy Stevens.

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Lana May, Cindy Parker, Brenda Chambers, David Benson, Donna McKenniv, Pam Nance, David Bernard, Christy Stubblefield, Vickie Strickland, Arna Helmers and Steve Shawn.

Mmes. Web, Furrow Win Duplicate

Mrs. F. B. Webb of Colorado City and Mrs. A. J. Furrow Jr. of Lorraine won top score in Thursday's duplicate bridge at Colorado County Club.

Winning second place during the holiday open season were Mrs. R. D. Bideford and Mrs. W. R. Powell. Mrs. E. F. Rothwell and Mrs. Larry Kinard were third high scorers.

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OFF THE CUFF — JOSIE and Bill Randle have been in Tulsa to attend the wedding of Bill's niece Sharon Ehrle. L. M. Newby, Marine, has been visiting his friends, the Charles Summers family. Bill Coffey Jr., his wife Fran, their daughters Rebecca, Mary Ann, and Melanie, arrived Wednesday for a visit in the home of his parents Bill and Ruth. They live in Midland, Michigan.

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