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VARIETY

By NEAL ESTES

REP. H. R. GROSS doesn't think the news of great society figures doing the frug is amusing. He said on the floor of the House recently, "I couldn't believe my eyes seeing the REV. BILL MOYERS, LBJ's right-hand man and an ordained Baptist preacher, doing the watusi. MOYERS was photographed at the Smithsonian Institute. GROSS' comment in the House made public what many Americans have been saying privately about the shenanigans of public figures at Washington parties. Many feel such partying is in extremely bad taste when we are involved in war in Viet Nam. This writer was one of the first to express regret about this kind of stuff going in our nation's capitol. We have also pointed out that it is our personal feeling that big public weddings involving high figures and their kin should be shelved while so many other young people are denied this sort of thing because many young men are fighting in Viet Nam. If they just must marry we suggest they kick out the fanfare and quietly get hitched.

For several mornings I have been able to dial in Channel 5 on an RCA tv set about six-thirty a.m. It is a refreshing change to hear the schooled and highly trained commentators on this station. They open up the day's programming with another feature on the weather all over the state that is appreciated. When they describe the conditions in Dallas, they skip to Amarillo, thence to Corpus Christi, back to Houston, on up to Tyler, Longview, Texarkana, over to Paris, Wichita Falls and then to Dalhart. You know just about what kind of day Texans are going to have in their locations. Why not try tuning in Channel 5, Fort Worth, for a refreshing change.

DR. ALLEN FISHER, RAYMOND STRAUB, CECIL BRIDGES, HORACE BLOCKER and JOE RUSSELL were in Austin the past week to appear as a delegation of representatives of Stanton and the Chamber of Commerce before the State Aviation Committee. The local group elected DR. FISHER as their spokesman and although state aid was not promised immediately it was the opinion of those making the Austin trek that some good was accomplished. The men carried Stanton's colors to Austin on a rainy day but their spirit was not daunted. They said their reward was forthcoming when the state authorities expressed gratification over the explanation of the airport project for this area. Stanton had previously been assured of federal aid toward securing an airport. The city has pledged assistance and all needed now is a good grant from the state for the project.

"The road ahead is going to be difficult. We shall not pull out." Those were the words of LYNDON JOHNSON, school teacher by training in life before becoming a long tenure politician and finally to the top spot in government with the assassination of JOHN KENNEDY. LBJ spoke those words in Chicago before a Democratic fund-raising rally Tuesday. LYNDON has become quiet an alterative phrase-maker. These words uttered in Chicago sounded like he was attempting to emulate the late great WINSTON CHURCHILL, who once told British subjects he had only "blood, sweat, toil and tears" for them. And going back to JOHNSON'S campaign pledge and promise "not to escalate the war in Viet Nam."

Valles Draws 30 Year Sentence

Immediate Airport Aid Ruled Out

Immediate state aid for the proposed Stanton airport has been ruled out by the State Aviation Commission in Austin. A delegation composed of five citizens representing the Martin County Chamber of Commerce and the city of Stanton made a day long trip to Austin last week to appear before the state commission. Those going included: Cecil Bridges, Raymond Straub, Joe Russell, Dr. Allen Fisher, and H. R. Blocker. Dr. Fisher, as a representative of the city council, made the presentation for the airport aid to the state authorities.

The Stanton group was the last to be heard on the last day of the Aviation Commission and although Dr. Fisher's appeal for funds was said to be well received, no money was immediately available for the proposed project here. A delegation from Livingston in East Texas appeared just before Stanton's representatives were invited to be heard and at that time only about \$12,000 out of the appropriated amount remained for granting purposes. The spokesman for the State Aviation Commission explained the shortage of money to the local group but advised them that when more money is made available the project here would be favorably considered. (Continued on page 8)

Students Start Vacation Time Thursday, Graduation Friday

Martin County students start their long three-month summer vacation period this week. Graduation exercises are set for seniors on Friday evening, May 20. Elementary students will be dismissed on Thursday at 2:15 p.m. In Stanton, report cards will be issued Saturday morning, May 21 at 9 a.m. Graduation exercises for Stanton Juniors will be held Thursday evening, May 19, in the High

Two Martin County Wildcats Now In Process Of Testing

By JAMES C. WATSON Two Martin County wildcats which have shown possibilities of opening new petroleum reservoirs now are in process of preliminary testing and checking in efforts to complete. Jake L. Hamon of Midland No. 1 Pollock, 11 miles northwest of Stanton, is swabbing out brine load on a series of perforations opposite the Wolfcamp which extend from 9,009 to 9,412 feet. While being drilled an interesting show of oil was developed from a four-hour drillstem test between 9,320 and 9,500 feet. Gas estimated at 12,000 cubic feet daily surfaced in an unreported time. Recovery was 1,413 feet of 38-gravity oil and 360 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut drilling fluid. Flowing pressure was between 226 and 487 pounds. No shutin pressures were reported. The venture drilled on to 11,457 feet and found slightly gas-cut salty, sulphur water in a test at 11,400-457 feet. The hole then was plugged back to 9,714 feet inside the

Camping Season Opens June 12 At Boothe Oaks

Camping season opens at Camp Boothe Oaks, established camp of the West Texas Girl Scout Council, on June



Rose Stubbs

12. The camp is situated in a large grove of oak trees, located eight miles southwest of Sweetwater off State Highway 70. Mrs. Floyd Stubbs is the camp director. Rose has been active for five years as a volunteer in Girl Scouting and is presently a leader of Junior Troop 329. Prior to this she was a Brownie leader, and assistant Junior leader and a Day Camp Unit Leader. She has taken part in most all of the adult training courses offered by the council. This spring she attended the Camp Director's Course at the Eastern Training Center of the Girl Scouts of the U. S. A., in

Buck Hill Falls, Pennsylvania. Camp session dates are: Session I — June 12-23 (12 days) also Pioneer Unit. Session II — June 26 - July 7 (12 days) also Trip Camp. Session III — July 10 - 16 (one week.) (This session is now completely filled.) Session IV — July 17 - 23 (one week.) Fees: For West Texas Council Scouts: 12 day session — \$34.00. One week session — \$20.00. For out-of-council or non-Scouts: 12 day session — \$38.00. One week session — \$22.00. This year there will be a Pioneer Unit. This is a wilderness camp unit for girls who have completed the eighth grade and above and have at least two years established camp experience (or the equivalent.) Girls planning to register for the Pioneer Unit need to register early as registration is limited to 24 girls.

During the period of Session II, a Trip Camp is being offered. This is a specialized event for our Senior Scouts with three years established camp experience, including Pioneer, or the equivalent.) This year a trip is planned to New Mexico. Camp registration forms may be obtained at the council office or from the Neighborhood Chairman or troop leader.

His Own Destiny." Bobby Hamm will play the professional music and Susan Brandt will voice the invocation. The Senior Class will sing "Climb Every Mountain." Betty Glaspie will make the welcome remarks. Sandra Jones, salutatorian will speak on "The Road of Destiny." The valedictory address will be offered by Beth Biggs. (Continued on page 8)

FHA Members Honor Mothers With Banquet

The Future Homemakers of America honored their mothers at the annual Mothers-Daughter banquet in Midland May 7, at the Woman's Club. Linda Manning, chapter president, was toastmistress. The invocation was voiced by Mrs. Ophelia Brandt.

The mothers were welcomed by Susan Brandt. The response was given by Mrs. Correne Manning. "Mother" was narrated by Cindy Pickett. She was assisted by Janis Burgess, Martha Bradshaw, Sharon Kuhlman, Cindy Clements, and Cathy Hazlewood. A review of the state meeting, which was held in San Antonio, was given by Linda Manning, Brenda Standefer, Eunice Stephenson, Beverly Clements, and Diana Mims. Music was provided by Beverly North, Cindy Britton, Brenda Standefer, Lynda White, and Susan Brandt. They were accompanied by Melrae Angel at the piano. Honorary membership was conferred to Beryl D. Clinton. Eunice Stephenson conferred junior degrees of the following: Christine Woodrow, Mary Bradshaw, Sheila Manning, and Diana Mims. Joyce Standefer received the chapter degree.

State degrees were presented Linda Manning, and Brenda Standefer. The banquet ended with the FHA prayer song.

T. Walker Was Guest Speaker For Rotary Club

Tommy Walker of Midland, was the guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon Wednesday noon, May 12, at Belvue Motel dining room. He was introduced by Jack Steel of Midland. Both men are Rotarians. Also the Rev. Leo K. Gee, was introduced as a visiting Rotarian. He is pastor of the First Methodist Church of Big Spring.

The invocation was given by Doyle Corder, and the benediction by Leo K. Gee. Coats Bentley led the group singing, with Susan Brandt at the piano. Tommy Walker talked on the subject, "The Computer Age."

Joe Gould was introduced by Floyd Smith as his guest. He lives in Midland. President Beryl D. Clinton presided at the meeting.

Editor's Mail

U. S. TREASURY Internal Revenue Service Dallas, Texas 75201 May 16, 1966

Editor Neal Estes Stanton Reporter Stanton, Texas 79782 Dear Editor:

We truly appreciate your cooperation during our recent income tax filing period. The Stanton Reporter played an important part in our taxpayer education program. You used our "Tax Man Sam" stories, our educational news releases, and our question-and-answer column. All of these things helped many taxpayers do a better job of filing their returns. You helped both the government and the taxpayer. Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours, Ellis Campbell, Jr. District Director.

Drama Class Entertain For Stanton Lions

Stanton Lions met Tuesday noon at Belvue Restaurant. Lion Allen Fisher, accompanied by the piano by Lion Sweetheart Pauline Wood, led the group singing.

A segment of the Stanton High School drama class, composed of Cindy Pickett, Cathy Halzewood, Cindy Britton, Luann Louder, Don Burns, Larry Haggard, and Gary Reid, presented a "Mellow" dramatic skit of the assassination of Julius Caesar.

David Workman, Scout leader of the Lions Club sponsored troop, reported on the troop's accomplishments and plans for the summer camp activities in the Davis Mountains. The troop is composed of 16 boys. Eleven are working for their first class rating, and five are seeking their second class grade. The group will leave for a one-week encampment in the Davis Mountains June 26 and return home July 2. A camp orientation program is scheduled for the night of June 7 in the basement of the First Methodist Church.

Local Artist Wins Honors In Odessa

Mrs. Suzanne Hightower, Stanton artist, and recognized as one of the select group of young women destined to be further honored in her field for her talents, was among the winners at a recent art show in Odessa.

Mrs. Hightower is the wife of Gaylon Hightower and the mother of two sons. She paints as a hobby. Her husband has also been cited by art show judges for his ability to find the merit in his wife's work.

In Odessa, Mrs. Hightower won two honorable mention ribbons. The field of competition was strong. More than 300 entries were on view in the foyer of Odessa Junior College, for the 8th annual Odessa Art Exhibition.

The talented young artist has won many ribbons and citations for her work. She has exhibited in Roswell and Lovington, New Mexico shows and gained honors with her paintings.

One of her prize ribbon winners in still art is called "Bouquet In Yellow." Another still painting, "Study In Bottles" was a prize winner in Odessa. Mrs. Hightower plans to enter work in the Big Spring art show scheduled for May 27.

Junior High Graduation Rites Tonight

The Stanton Junior High School commencement exercises for the class of 1966 will be held at the high school auditorium tonight, May 19, at 6:30 p.m.

Valedictorian David Workman and Alan Gregston, class salutatorian, will be presented. The address to the graduates will be delivered by H. R. Parish, co-class sponsor. The class presentation will be given by Mrs. Roberta Rogers. Following the commencement rites, graduate will receive diplomas from David K. Workman, president of the board of the Stanton Independent School District.

Jury Renders Verdicts In New Procedure

Augustine Valles, 22, was assessed a 30 year term in the state penitentiary Tuesday evening by a Martin County jury in Judge Ralph Caton's 118th District Court.

The jury, composed of nine men and three women, brought in their second decision at 8:40 p.m. Tuesday night after earlier rendering a verdict of guilty with malice for the defendant.

Captain Norman Blocker Goes To Maxwell AFB

Montgomery, Ala. — U. S. Air Force Captain Norman K. Blocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace S. Blocker of 609 Saint Francis, Stanton, has entered the Air University's Squadron Officer School at Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Captain Blocker, who previously served as a nuclear research officer at Los Angeles Air Force Station, Calif., will receive 14 weeks of instruction at the senior USAF professional school.

The captain will study communicative skills, leadership, international relations, duties and responsibilities of the command - staff team, and aerospace doctrine and employment.

Captain Blocker is a graduate of Stanton High School. He received his commission in 1959 upon completion of the Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps program at Texas Technological College, where he earned his B. E. degree in chemical engineering. He received his M. S. degree in nuclear engineering from the U. S. Air Force Institute of Technology at Wright - Patterson AFB, Ohio. He is a member of Phi Kappa Psi.

His wife, Jere, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest B. Coon of Tunnel Hill, Ga. (Continued on page 8)

Study Club Holds Spring Luncheon

The Stanton Study Club holds its annual spring luncheon recently in the Cap Rock auditorium. The committee in charge was Mrs. James Wheeler, Mrs. Coats Bentley, Mrs. L. D. Snell, and Mrs. Glenn L. Brown. Centerpieces of roses decorated the luncheon tables and other decorations carried out the rose theme.

Mrs. L. D. Snell, president, introduced Mrs. Dee Locklin, Western District president McCamey, and Mrs. Paul Jacobs, parliamentarian, Western District, of Big Lake, who were special guests representing the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Year end reports were given from various committees, and a special report was given concerning the Martin County Library by Mrs. Glenn L. Brown. Mrs. Brown stated that an article about the library, was printed in the May issue of the Texas Clubwoman. She showed a scrapbook compiled of pictures and clippings depicting the history of the library project.

Following the luncheon, Mrs. Locklin installed the new officers of the club: President, Mrs. Ralph Caffey; Vice-President, Mrs. James Wheeler; Secretary - Treasurer; Dr. Sue Fisher, Federation Council (Continued on page 8)

Under the new code of criminal procedure the jury was on the law covering the case and then found Augustine Valles guilty with malice. The jury was then returned to the courtroom where Judge Caton charged them again concerning the assessment of punishment, if any. The jury deliberated several hours before returning the 30-year prison term for Valles.

Valles was tried in the 118th District Court on a charge of murdering Santos Romero, 21, last June 13 in Stanton.

Sheriff Dan Saunders testified that Romero died in the local hospital of two stab wounds a short time after an altercation in front of the Valles' residence in Stanton. Dr. Jack Woodrow, who treated the wounded youth, said he died about 45 minutes after being admitted to the hospital. Stab wounds, he testified, caused Romero's death.

Valles was put on the stand to testify in his own defense by his court appointed attorney, Roger Brown of Big Spring. He claimed self defense, and said on the stand: "I saw him reach toward his pocket and I thought he was going to hurt me."

District Attorney Wayne Burns and County Attorney Roy Pickett, Martin County handled the prosecution for the state.

The state spent most of Monday putting on witnesses and concluded or rested at 5:30 p.m. Monday. (Continued on page 8)

Bonnie Hill Dies Sunday In Stanton

Bonnie Thomas Hill, 95, pioneer West Texas rancher, died in his home here Sunday morning, May 8.

Born in LaGrange July 16, 1870, Hill moved to the community which later became Glasscock County in 1879. On Nov. 1, 1894, he married Ada Lea Chamber in the first marriage to be recorded in newly-organized Glasscock County. Mrs. Hill died April 15 of this year.

In 1895, Hill moved to Sterling County where he began his ranching operations. He moved to Martin County in 1905 and transferred his ranching interest here. He continued to develop ranching and cattle-feeding operations until his retirement in 1950.

Funeral services were conducted at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday in the First Methodist Church here with the Rev. C. M. LeMond, pastor officiating. Interment followed in Evergreen Cemetery under direction of Gilbreath Funeral Home.

Survivors include a son, Belton Hill of Lenorah; a daughter, Mrs. W. D. McWhorter of Midland; seven grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren and two great - great - grandchildren.

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The American Scene Under The Great Society

The Job Corps for women in St. Petersburg, Florida, is moving to another community because of local hostility. City officials had contended that the Job Corps promised to keep the ration of white to negro women at 15 to 1, but that the ration has now risen to 75 per cent negro. Some of the neighborhood residents complained that the girls and their boy friends were immoral and disturbed the nighttime quiet by raucous drinking parties and speeding in automobiles.

Negro Rep. Adam Clayton Powell has proposed a "passive revolution" by college students and professors against the war in Viet Nam. The Harlem Democrat assailed U. S. policy in Viet Nam and also attacked "the white power structure" in a speech prepared for a Brown University lecture series. Powell urged colleges and universities to refuse to let their facilities be used for giving draft deferment tests.

The Johnson administration has given up trying to roll back individual price increases. The quiet and unannounced modification of policy was confirmed Saturday by authoritative sources. The new policy has been made evident in the administration's silence in the face of recent increases in the price of coal, shoes, and tires.

Eighteen Southern senators, appealing to President John-

son "as friends and former colleagues" have urged him to revoke school desegregation guidelines which districts must meet to qualify for federal aid. Neither Texas senator was listed as a signer of the letter. Friends of Yarborough and Tower want to know why?

An Arlington man has been charged with making threats to a new employee of a union plant. "There are a lot of people who will cut your throat," the charged man shouted, "if you cross a picket line." The plant, struck two weeks ago by union employees, is continuing operations.

Just as the war has been accelerated in Viet Nam the Washington party scene tempo has definitely picked up in recent weeks. Great Society figures imitating teen-agers by doing the frug and watusi at the White House, at swinging embassies and at the usually staid Smithsonian Institute. The President danced until 3 a.m. the other day and Rev. Moyers (White House Press Secretary Bill Moyers) was photographed kicking up his heels doing the watusi.

Jo Anna Epley On Honor Roll

Jo Anna Epley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Epley of Stanton, who is a junior student at Texas Tech, Lubbock,

The Exchange Desk

McCAMEY NEWS: "At the meeting of the Upton County Commissioners Court, Monday morning, May 9, bids were opened and let on the building of the McCamey Hospital. Columbine Corp. of Midland was awarded the general contract with a bid of \$157,242.00."

MATADOR TRIBUNE: "One of America's greatest leaders, Cal Farley, organizer of Cal Farley's Boys Ranch north of Amarillo, was the principal speaker Friday night at the Roaring Springs Lions Club's 20th anniversary. The man who has been the instrument to help more than 2,000 boys in trouble find their way back into useful and respected society, was given a standing ovation when he was introduced."

FORT STOCKTON PIONEER: "Six present Fort Stockton teachers were rehired and eight teachers hired to begin teaching next year in a busy school board session Tuesday night. In other action the board: Accepted resignations of nine teachers and a janitor, and hired a new janitor; Authorized the administration to file an application with the Texas Education Agency for an area vocational school."

THE MITCHELL COUNTY NEWS: "Farmers are beginning to get into their fields and plow again following the good rains in April. It is still to wet in places but many farmers have started to plow their beds to clear them of weeds before planting."

THE MEMPHIS DEMOCRAT: "Over 250 state and area Masons are expected to be on hand at 1000 North 16th Street, the site of the new Memphis High School Thursday, May 19, for laying of the cornerstone for the new building. Conducting the cornerstone laying will be H. W. Fullingim, Grand Master of Masons in Texas. The Memphis Masonic Lodge and the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Texas will open their Lodges at 2 p.m."

THE EDEN ECHO: "The Texas Highway Commission today approved the spending of \$162,000 for construction of new farm to market road mileage in Concho County as part of the 1966 FM road program. District Engineer J. A. Snell said 6.8 miles in this county will be involved."

THE MUNDAY TIMES: "Sam E. Clonts of Knox City, a newcomer in Knox County political arena, defeated incumbent L. A. Parker with a vote of 867 to 640. Judge Parker was seeking his third four-year term."

Library Lines

MRS. R. H. CAFFEY Librarian

Library Hours: Monday 1-5 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 1-5 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

I am sure all you parents have been besieged with the offer of the Booklet on the New Math which representative of the Encyclopedia Britannica passed out through the schools. And around town are boxes with the card offering the free gift the memorial booklet "The Lives of John F.

has been notified that she has been put on the dean's honor list for the first semester.

This award goes only to those student who have attained a grade point ratio of 3.0 or better, during the semester.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. G. B. Pollock over the Mother's Day week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pollock of Lenora, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Pollock and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Pollock of Lorenzo, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reynolds and boys of Acock.

NEW GAME BIRD

The Park and Wildlife Department plans experimental release of a new game bird—a cross between the ring-necked and blackneck Iranian pheasants—in the near future. The first two hatches of the hybrid have been removed from the incubator at the state quail hatchery, and more eggs have been added.

Kennedy and Sir Winston Churchill" to adults. Now anyone really interested in buying a set of Encyclopedia Britannicas can help the library a little if you will come by and take the specially marked cards that are available here. I am not advertising or endorsing the encyclopdias, I just want the public to know that the library can benefit from a set being bought with these marked cards.

Will Rogers once said: "A man only learns by two things, one is reading and the other is association with smarter people." I say why shouldn't we be the smarter people by reading more?

Bible Comment—

We Defeat God's Plan For Mankind When We Allow Dishonesty, Corruption To Live

Perhaps the one great, unfair advantage of his fellows is weakening the whole fabric of society. The public official who betrays his trust would probably scorn to commit murder, or banditry, or to steal in some grosser way.

One can see plainly in revelations of graft and civic corruption how such men have been the actual ally of those who have made stealing, destruction their chief purpose.

Everyday the news reveals, in its recount of tragedies and accidents, the extent of the drink evil, the gambling evil, and the other evils that affect and endanger society—the things that oppose and defy God's life giving purpose for mankind.

Yet the public attitude is still largely apathetic and ineffective. What the world needs is an immense endowment of God's life giving purpose as Jesus expressed it.

The businessman who takes

Philosopher Likes Spotlight On Auto Defects To Keep It Off Of Human Defects

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw has found out about the car safety controversy, his letter this week indicates.)

Dear editor:

In nearly every newspaper I've gotten my hands on in the past two weeks there has been at least one article on the big controversy over whether cars are safe, and while I'd prefer to have the argument going on over whether tractors are safe, if you know what I mean, still I have followed the hearings closely.

According to a report at one session of the Senate Investigating Committee, 8 million cars in the last few years have been found to have defects, out of the 40 or 50 million produced. Of course that included everything, such as a horn that stuck and a windshield wiper that went too slow.

Understand, I'm not in favor of cars' having defects, I'm not even in favor of having one with a tail pipe that'll rust out or oil that needs changing and I think a fender ought to snap back into the place when you graze it on a fence post, but you can carry statistics too far.

For example, I would not be

Tax Man Sam Sez:

Keeping good records has been our theme for quite a few years. We want to repeat that taxpayers need good records. Unfortunately most taxpayers don't keep good records, and sometimes this costs them in extra income taxes. A good record book and a little time and effort is worthwhile for most of us.

Read the classified ads!

Nineteen Years Ago

The most severe hail storm in the memory of the oldest inhabitant in this area, struck Stanton Tuesday evening. Hail fell an hour covering the ground, and drifting to an inch high on the north side of business houses, with hail stones are large as marbles and a few as large as turkey eggs. Water on Highway 80, was over running board of automobiles. Mexican Lake, just south across the T&P railroad tracks was full. The big salt lake east of Stanton was full.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bridges celebrated their 34th wedding anniversary recently. Guests for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baugh, Jr. and daughter of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bridges and daughters of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. Bascomb Bridges and sons of Big Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graves and son of Stanton.

Betty Renfro has been announced as the valedictorian of the Stanton graduating class. Salutatorian is Billie Evelyn Lindsay. Commencement is to be held Tuesday night, May 23. Martell McDonald of Big Spring, will speak. H. B. Hambrick, superintendent, will award diplomas. There are 27 students in the graduating class.

Delta Omega chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met May 8, at the courthouse. Sammie Laws gave the program, "Tools for the Art of Life," and "The Good of Action."

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hazlewood had as Sunday guests, Mrs. Louella Bingham of Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cooper of Monument, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lasey and children of Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Bingham, Tammie and Roye of Lovington, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Bingham Beal of Dallas.

Mildred Louder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Louder, became the bride of Jack Adams of Forks, Washington, in a double ring ceremony May 9, at the Calvary Baptist Church in Midland. Rev. Fred McPherson read the ceremony. Maid of honor was Margie Louder. Billy James Louder was best man.

Mrs. E. Petree of Capitan, N. M., visited her children here last week. A reunion was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Herrington Saturday. Forty-five persons attended.

The U. S. State Department Fuel at an average rate of 2,273 gallons an hour is consumed by conventional jet aircraft.

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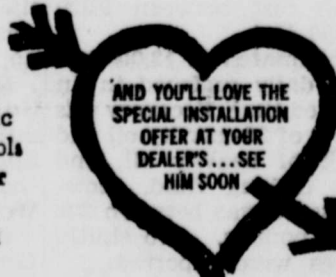
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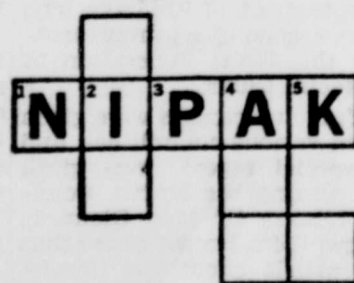
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I would like to express my sincere appreciation to my many friend for their support in the May 7th election.

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Sincerely,

M. D. Coggins

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EMPLOYMENT H

Help Wanted H-1

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Glenwood, Iowa. Opinion-Tribune: "Several government committees are all in a tizzy about deceptive packaging. We wonder when they'll get around to investigation women's clothing?"

Wanted: Maid to come in once a week for general housecleaning. Phone Neal Estes, SK 6-2463. 5-20-tnc

OPPORTUNITY: If you have a healthy boy of high school age who wants to work this summer in an air-conditioned building at \$1.25 and hour for 40 hours and learn a nice trade have him write Box 7 — The Stanton Reporter.

FARM & RANCH J

Miscellaneous J-5

Oil rights for lease, 5 1/2 miles southwest of Lenora. Section 5, block 36, Raymond Sprawls, Rt. 4, Cisco, Texas. 5-21-tnc

FHA Club Activities

The FHA girls met May 11, at the high school, where the following officers were elected:

Eunice Stephenson, president; Beverly Clements, vice-president; Kathy Hazlewood, secretary; Cindy Davis, treasurer; Mary Bradshaw, historian; Sheila Manning, parliamentarian; Cindy Pickett, song leader, and Dianna Mims, reporter.

The Egyptians, who devised one of the first calendars, threw monumental birthday parties.

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Houses For Sale M-4

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Lots For Sale M-5

Five and ten acre lots located on Millhollon Lane, 2 miles northeast of Stanton. Call SK 6-2112 after 5 p.m. 4-16-tnc

Mrs. B. Orson Honored With Shower May 13

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Bobby Orson was held Friday, May 13, in the home of Mrs. Floyd Sorley. Color arrangements of pink and blue were used on the serving table and throughout the house.

The readings, "What is a Girl," and "What is a Boy," were given by Mrs. Sorley. Hostesses for the event were: Mrs. John McIntyre, Mrs. Harry Doshier, Mrs. Louis Roten, Mrs. Bob Glenn, Mrs. Floyd Huckaby, Mrs. Richard Doggett, Mrs. F. C. Wheeler, Mrs. Jack Hankins, and Mrs. Floyd Sorley.

Out of town guests were: Mrs. Bernie Lavis, Mrs. Betty Nicklet and Jan of Lubbock, Mrs. Bill Brice, Joan Dodson, and Mrs. James Webb, mother of the honoree from Midland.

Linda Doyle Bride Of J. Foresyth

Linda Ann Doyle became the bride of Jimmy Foresyth of Big Spring, May 5, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Caffey, Rev. Caffey, minister of the Baptist Church in Lenora, performed the double ring ceremony. The maid of honor was Linda Caffey, and the best man was R. V. Foresyth, father of the bridegroom.

The bride chose a street length dress of cotton brocade with long sleeves and ruffle accents. A cluster of white flowers held her short veil of illusion. She carried a white Bible with yellow carnation bouquet. For the traditional "something old," she had her great-grandmother's wedding band, and "borrowed" a strand of pearls from her sister. The maid of honor wore a street length yellow dress, with a white carnation corsage.

The altar was decorated with yellow candles on each side of the large family Bible. A reception was held immediately after the ceremony, with the bride's chosen colors of yellow and white carried out in the table decorations. Mrs. Leroy Linney and Mrs. Curtis Flanagan served.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle of Stanton. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Foresyth of Big Spring. After a wedding trip to Carlsbad, the couple will be at home in Big Spring.

Mrs. Hattie Estes was honored with a birthday dinner, May 11, with Mrs. Russell Davis, Mrs. Kathy Davis and son, Mrs. Clyde Ray, Mrs. Barney Bratcher, Mrs. M. W. Sharp, Mrs. Johnny Estes, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Estes, as guests.

World's highest bridge above water is the Royal Gorge bridge, 1,053 feet above the Arkansas River in Colorado.

Congressman Wendell Wyatt, or Oregon, called inflation "nothing but legalized robbery."

Mrs. F. Wheeler Hostess For Bridal Shower

A bridal shower, honoring Mrs. Robert Roten, was held at the home of Mrs. F. C. Wheeler, Tuesday, May 10.

Gifts were on display, and approximately 50 people were registered during the evening. Hostesses for the event were: Mrs. Curtis Flanagan, Mrs. Printis Hightower, Mrs. B. F. White, Mrs. Harvey

Russia transferred Alaska to the United States on Oct. 18, 1867.

The U. S. flag first was raised in California in 1846, when Fort Stockton was established.

White, Mrs. Gene Clements, Mrs. Leroy Linney, Mrs. Delbert Franklin, Mrs. Robert White, Mrs. Ed Robnett, Mrs. Jake Hodges, Mrs. Clyde Miller, Mrs. Jim Webb, Mrs. Lillie Harvard, Mrs. Bobby Orson, Mrs. Vestal McCane, and Mrs. F. C. Wheeler.

Thank You For A Great Victory!

As a result of the efforts of friends of Martin County, we led our nearest opponent by more than 100,000 votes in last Saturday's primary. Margaret joins me in expressing our deep appreciation to all who have done so much in our behalf.

We need your support again now for the run-off campaign. Please help us get out the vote on June 4 to complete the victory!

Sincerely,
Crawford Martin

(Pol. ad paid for by Mrs. Roy Pickett)

Message Of Thanks From Joe Froman

On May 7, in the Democratic primary, a lot of fine people went to the polls and enough of them voted for me to give me a place in the run-off.

In seeking re-election as your county commissioner from precinct four, I do so on the record accomplished to date. I will appreciate the vote, and trust and confidence of the voters in the precinct when they visit the polls again on June 4.

I want to thank every person who stood by my candidacy so loyally. I am grateful for every vote received and I will do my best to continue to merit your respect.

Joe Froman
CANDIDATE FOR
COMMISSIONER, MARTIN COUNTY,
PRECINCT 4



Linda Coffey

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Caffey of Stanton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Linda Marie, to Rodney Karl Roten of Midland. Roten is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Roten of this city. The couple has planned a July 22 wedding at 7 p.m. in The First Baptist Church of Stanton. The future bridegroom is employed by Western Electric and a commercial college student in Midland. The future bride has attended Wayland Baptist College in Plainview and Howard County Junior College in Big Spring.

HD Club Activities

The Koffee Kup Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. R. P. Odom, May 12. Mrs. James Eiland, county demonstration agent, presented the program on "New Things in Lingerie."

Plans were made to have a salad luncheon at the next meeting, which will be May 26, at the home of Mrs. Nolan Simpson.

Members present were: Mrs. Nolan Simpson, Mrs. Roger Fleckenstein, Mrs. Bill Morrow, Mrs. Bob Cox, Mrs. Marcus Hayworth, Mrs. Rayford Harrison, Mrs. R. P. Odom, Mrs. Tom Johnson, Mrs. Lynn Dunne, and Mrs. Stanley Barnes.

Read the classified ads!

Political Calendar

For State Senator, 28th Senatorial District:
H. J. "DOC" BLANCHARD
For State Representative, 73rd District:
R. G. PENDLETON
For District Judge, 118th District:
RALPH W. CATON
For County Judge:
JIM McCOY
For Re-election as County and District Clerk:
DORIS STEPHENSON
For County Treasurer:
ELMO REED
For Commissioner of Precinct Two:
MASON COGGIN
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For Commissioner of Precinct Four:
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Baptist Church Activities

The Mary Stamps Circle of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. L. D. Stripling, May 16, for their regular meeting, with Mrs. W. H. Yater, circle chairman, conducting the business meeting.

The calendar of prayer was ready by Mrs. J. R. Sale, and Mrs. B. F. White led in prayer. Mrs. Guy Elland gave a program on "The Diet and Customs of the Jews." Mrs. Paul Jones taught the third and fourth chapters in "Meet The American Jew."

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Allie Spraws, Mrs. Guy Elland, Mrs. B. F. White, Mrs. Paul K. Jones, Mrs. Eula Eubanks, Mrs. Roy Martin, Mrs. J. R. Sale, Mrs. H. R. Caffey, Mrs. Wylie L. Clements, and Mrs. Stripling. Three visitors: Mrs. J. L. Fond of Courtney, Mrs. E. H. Wood of Big Spring, and Mrs. Ethel Beilah of Odessa.

Mrs. Wylie Clements gave the closing prayer.

Use the classified ads!

Stitch, Chatter Club Met With Mrs. B. Smith

The Stitch and Chatter Club met with Mrs. Bartlett Smith Wednesday, May 11.

Punch and cake was served to the following: Mrs. A. J. Stallings, Mrs. Oma Womack, Mrs. Ruth Gibson, Mrs. Bess Gibson, Mrs. Bess Herren, Mrs. Edmund Morrow, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. C. E. Barker, Mrs. Bertha Ebersol, Mrs. Lillie Harward, Mrs. Dovie Allen, Mrs. Eddy Butler, Mrs. Ruth Holloway, and Mrs. Hattie Estes.

There were three guests. Mrs. W. L. Clements, and Mrs. Barney Bratcher, and Mrs. M. W. Sharp, of Lamesa.

Mr. and Mr. Walter Holcombe had as guests for two weeks, their daughter, Mrs. Thelma Brake, of Newark, California, and their granddaughter, Mrs. Darlene Brake, from Chico, California. They also attended the Holcombe family reunion at Marysville, Texas, May 1, at which time all of their children were present.

Ski Surfing Is New Rage In Sand Dune

Texas wouldn't be big enough to hold the ensuing stampede should wild buffalo revive and see what is going on at one of their favorite old times stomping grounds.

Because Texas' biggest sand pile is being converted into a favorite ski surf - boarding race course pursuant to a new fling by the young set.

Thus Monahans Sandhills State Park currently has blossomed from a remote, silent wasteland into a daytime gay spot amid the whoops and laughter of the athletic type seeking a new test of skill and physical endurance.

James A. Jaynes, superintendent of the park, said Carl Kirk learned about sand surfing on the west coast and installed the sport when he returned home.

Now many West Texas youngsters are trying to perfect their own ski designs.

Some of the sand dune pioneers report attaining speeds up to 30 miles an hour, although the ordinary sand surfer manager to make 17 to 20 miles per hour.

Jaynes said one thing that recommends the sport is its safety because the speed, as yet at least, is not dangerously high and the soft sand cushions an ordinary fall.

Of course, there is the problem of a little sand in the hair, eyes and clothing. But the sand surfers take that as part of the game, so they say.

Sand skiing has been successfully developed in Peru where speeds up to 40 miles an hour have been attained. Also it is a popular summer sport at Monte Kaolins in



With a lackluster first Democratic primary behind, state political insiders are looking toward the big general election contest for the U. S. Senate — and even to a potentially exciting 1968.

Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr, the Democratic Senate nominee, and Republican Sen. John G. Tower have their machinery in gear. Both are ranging widely over the state.

Carr boasts of drawing nearly 80 per cent of the May 7 vote in his race against John R. Willoughby, carrying both liberal and conservative areas and rural and metropolitan counties by lopsided margins.

He cites this as evidence the Democratic party will close ranks behind him in the rough race against Tower next November.

Speculation already has started on potential candidates for governor in 1968 if Gov. John Connally steps aside. Lt. Gov. Preston Smith admittedly plans to run for the top job when it opens up. House Speaker Ben Barnes is giving it some thought. Among

Hirschaw, Germany.

Up to now the only "thrill" attraction at historic Sandhills State Park, where buffalo wallows and wagon trains stops marked pioneer times, was the roller coaster type jeep ride. Jaynes reported the principal lure around the calendar, however, still is the quiet isolation.

liberal prospects are U. S. Sen. Ralph Yarborough and State Sen. Franklin Spears who made the attorney general's runoff against Crawford Martin.

Present Martin - Spears race is the only statewide contest on the June 4 runoff ballot. Martin received about 47 per cent of the first primary vote to 37 per cent for Spears and 16 per cent for Galloway Calhoun. Calhoun has endorsed Martin. Both candidates are beefing up their organizations and replenishing financial resources before their final stump tours and appeals. Getting out the vote again is expected to be a real problem, with so few local runoffs.

Governor Connally scored a clean - sweep victory in the May 7 primary and conventions. Not only was he nominated to a third term with 75 per cent of the total vote cast in his race, but his supporters apparently scored overwhelming victory over liberal forces in party conventions.

Only one incumbent was upset. Court of Criminal Appeals Judge W. T. McDonald lost to John F. Onion, San Antonio district judge.

Lieutenant Governor Smith, Railroad Commissioner Bryon Tunnell and Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler won hands-down.

Texas' Senate, with no fewer than 10 new faces, will be a more - liberal body than it has been in the past. Lieutenant Governor Smith says it offers the greatest challenge in history to the presiding officer. One-third of the upper house membership now is from metropolitan counties.

House of Representatives, with a minimum of 54 newcomers, will remain moderate or conservative in tone, with Speaker Barnes retaining firm control of the gavel.

Court Speak — Striking down a 1965 Texas law, a three - judge federal court held a Vernon farm couple cannot be stoned by the state from selling water under their land to Altus, Oklahoma.

Supreme Court heard lengthy argument in sulphur company suits to force Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler to file their claims in Pecos County. State attorneys called companies "trespassers." Firms charged Sadler reversed the land office policy in refusing their applications.

Jack Ruby's lawyers, seeking to disqualify trail Judge Joe B. Brown, told the Court of Criminal Appeals that Brown performed four judicial acts concerning the convicted slayer of Lee Harvey Oswald after contracting to write a book about the case. If the court disqualifies Brown, Ruby will get a new trial for murder of the presidential assassin. If Brown is found qualified, Ruby will get a sanity hearing in Dalais.

Third Court of Civil Appeals, reversing the lower courts, held that State Comptroller Robert S. Calvert has authority to collect franchise taxes on dividends and interest paid to Texas corporations from out-of-state sources.

AG Rules — Former aliens naturalized as U. S. citizens since the March free voter sign-up may vote this year without registration. Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr has held. However, election judges were advised to inquire into other qualifications, including age and length of residence.

In other recent opinions, Carr ruled that:

* Public employees are entitled to 15 working days leave for military training, regardless of whether duty is on consecutive days.

* A defendant is not entitled to calendar time served on a subsequent conviction when the original conviction for the same offense has been set aside and declared void by a federal court.

* Atascosa County commissioners can't lease a county-owned building to a furniture manufacturing firm, since public buildings must be devoted to public use.

* Special information can be submitted by firms bidding on the sale of cars to the state, showing their car's adaptability to the uses of different agencies.

Cattle Dipping Completed — Dippings of scabies-infected cattle in the Texas Panhandle was completed on April 27, according to Dr. S. B. Walker, executive director of Texas Animal Health Commission. A total of 15,452 head were

dipped twice 10 to 14 days apart in an approved manner and solution, while 257 head were dipped once.

Federal quarantine for Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley and Randall Counties still is in effect, though cattle from these counties have undergone state and federal inspection.

A request for release of the federal quarantine is being prepared, Dr. Walker said. Requirements for shipments to other states remain the same.

Dr. Walker praised cooperation which prevented the six Texas outbreaks from spreading.

Auto Insurance Up For Review — On June 15 the State Board of Insurance will hold a public hearing on automobile insurance rates.

Based on evidence presented to the board at its 1965 hearing, rates were upped an average 13 1/2 per cent. But a relatively minor change in motor vehicle traffic accident rates for 1965, compared to a dramatic increase in 1964, may mean good news for car owners.

Planting Extension Granted — Agriculture Commissioner John C. White extended the cotton planting deadline from May 10 to midnight, May 25, for farmers in 22 counties whose plantings have been washed out or delayed by heavy rains.

These counties include Atascosa, Bee, Bexar, Calhoun, DeWitt, Dimmitt, Frio, Goliad, Jackson, Karnes, Kinney, LaSalle, Live Oak, Maverick, McMullen, Medina, Refugio, Uvalde, Val Verde, Victoria, Wilson and Zavala.

Medicare Setup Approved — New procedures for medicare aid to the aged have been approved by the State Board of Public Welfare.

All old age assistance grants will automatically be increased \$3 a month beginning in June. This will enable those 65 and older to pay supplementary medical insurance benefits. Old age assistance grants will thus be raised to \$100 maximum, with aid to blind increased to \$95 top.

A contract will be signed with Blue Cross - Blue Shield to handle payment of medicare deductibles. Separate contract will be signed for dependent children and for the disabled.

Beginning date on contracts G 2 — Highlights & Sidelight is July 1.

Rainbow trout are being used at Oregon State University for research work. The trout are replacing white mice and guinea pigs as research animals. Scientists in the food toxicology and nutrition laboratory are breeding their own stock. Trout are ideal for certain types of research because they are highly sensitive to many toxic materials which may be found in food and water.

A form of gardenia grown in warmer parts of the United States stands between six and eight feet in height.

Woman Worker In Peace Corps Flees Africans

U. S. Peace Corps officials whisked volunteer teacher Judith Azavedo away to a secret hideout to protect her from angry Tanzanians.

Miss Azavedo, of Taunton, Mass., was one of 17 persons President Julius Nyerere claimed Saturday had started and spread rumors that the government was to be toppled in a coup and that some ministers had been arrested.

The Peace Corps officials hid Miss Azavedo, a teacher at Salvatorium Convent School after Nyerere released the addresses of those he called "rumor-mongers."

"We have taken Miss Azavedo away for own protection," said one official.

Although the government reportedly does not plan to take any further action, the officials feared hotheads might harm those named.

Apart from Miss Azavedo, there are two Britons, three

HD Club Activities

The Koffee Kup Home Demonstration Club met April 28, at the home of Mrs. Johnny White. The program, "Recreation," was presented with a style show, featuring a vacation wardrobe, modeled by Mrs. Bill Morrow, Mrs. R. P. Odom, and Mrs. Tom Johnson.

The delegate to the state meeting was elected during the business meeting, and it was voted to order more paring knives to sell.

Members present were: Mrs. Nolan Simpson, Mrs. Bill Morrow, Mrs. R. P. Odom, Mrs. Tom Johnson, Mrs. Bob Cox, Mrs. Johnny White, Mrs. Stanley Barnes, Mrs. Roger Fleckenstein, Mrs. Wayne Petree, Mrs. Jean Hayworth, Mrs. Bill Rhodes, and one guest, Mrs. Rayford Harrison.

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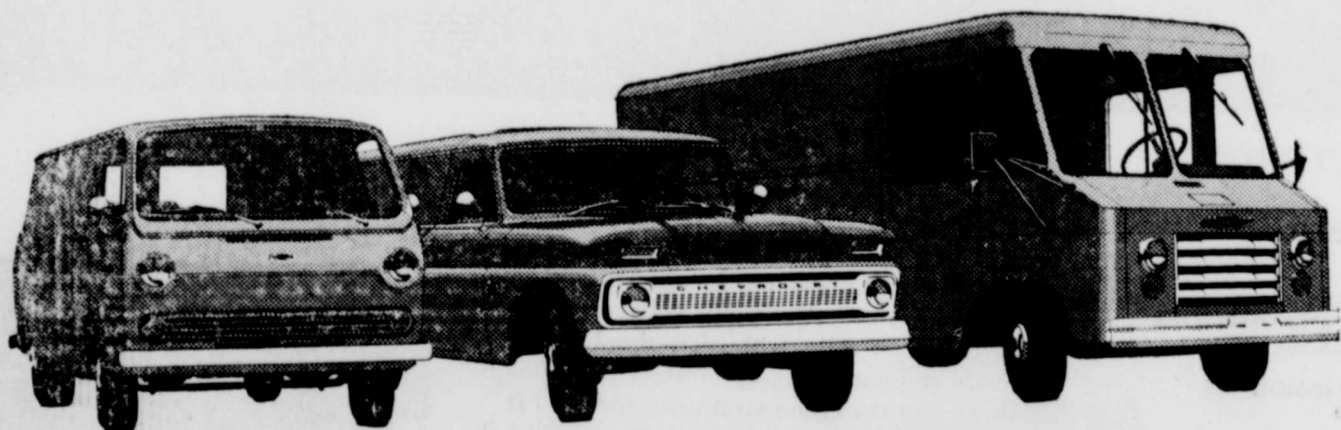
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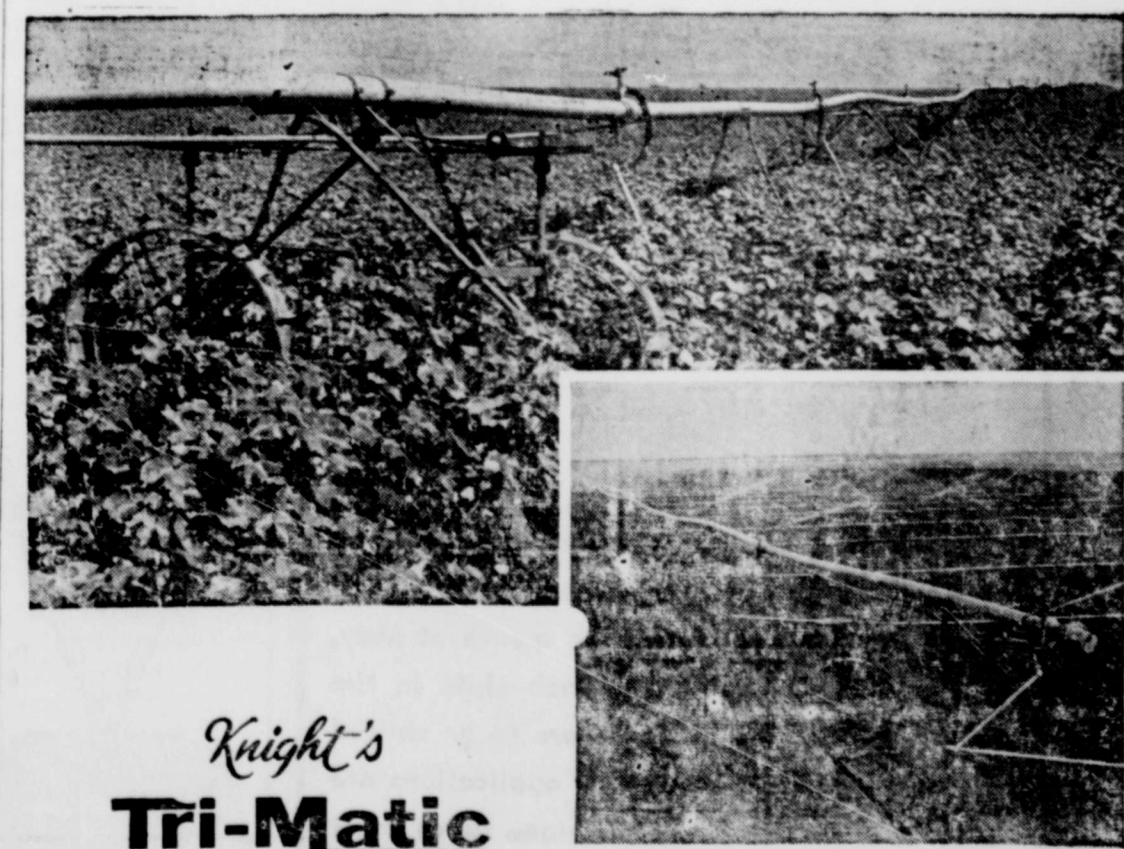
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What Did Texans Say On May 7?

By DICK WEST
Editorial Editor

On April 17, three weeks before the primary, we wrote in these columns that Texans were tired and upset, politically, and their votes would reflect it.

Their moods may change, but right now the majority are tired of big government, tired of the Great Society, tired of taxes, tired of Viet Nam, tired of high prices, tired of laws to force "equality" among the races, tired of long-haired boys, tired of draft-card burners.

We are talking about the laborer as well as the executive, the little man as well as the big, the poor as well as the rich, housewives on a tight budget as well as affluent widows in high-rise apartments.

These frustrations were simmering, when nearly 1,500,000 Texans went to the polls May 7.

John Connally's reputation was at stake — his record as governor, his personal character, his type of political leadership, his philosophy of government.

All of these were reaffirmed, in the tremendous victory he won — but equally important was his image of political independence. When the best interests of Texas were involved, he has had the courage to veto ridiculous poverty programs, to resist Katzenbach, the civil-right division of the

Justice Department and the President himself.

A minority of labor leaders in Texas challenged Connally and his record. They were smashed, and it is obvious that the laborer didn't listen to his leader.

Hank Brown, Ralph Yarborough & Co. carried on a running battle in the headlines with Connally.

There, again, the mood and frustrations of Texans were reflected: They chose Connally, and his image of moderation and independence, and not the ultraliberalism associated with high taxes, big government, Brown and Yarborough.

Listen to Clyde Kinzy, a small, independent nurseryman in Dallas who works 12 hours a day on trees, shrubs, grass and whatever his customers want done.

"I see all kinds of people. I never saw so much discontent. It's high taxes, it's Viet Nam. It's the price of bread and bacon.

"They are fed up. They think Johnson has gone too far, particularly in civil rights. I have a hard time getting day labor. Negroes sit out on curbs in front of the employment offices. They get government checks when they are out of work. Most of them laugh when I try to get them to do an honest day's work for an honest day's pay.

"When I get home at night I am so tired. Then I have to sit down and make out records for Social Security, taxes, bills. After I pay my help and taxes, there's nothing left for me. I'm for John Connally and George Wallace, because

they don't swallow all that stuff from Washington. And there are a lot more like me." There you are.

It is true, of course, that labor and the liberals displayed pockets of strength in the first week of May.

But in the broader, more comprehensive contests, this mood of reaction was evident. In 18 counties of East Texas, where loyalists and liberals are usually strong, John Dowdy — considered by many of the most conservative congressmen from Texas — upset Martin Dies, Jr. He had help from liberals in the process.

In a 9-county stretch of North and Northeast Texas, conservative Ray Roberts defeated the more liberal Lindsey Beckworth.

In 24 counties of West Texas, conservative Omar Burleson swamped his opponent by nearly 20,000 votes.

These were three of the most important congressional races, because of the personalities involved and because they

represented the moods of thousands in vast stretches of East, North, North Central, Northeast, West Central and West Texas.

For the most part, Dowdy, Burleson and Roberts have voted their own convictions in Washington and have withstood pressures to "liberalize" themselves.

Now they are fortified with new figures of faith. The people have told them, in effect, to stick to their guns and resist the excesses of liberalism.

Will this mood of reaction in May mean sweeping victories for Republicans in November?

Nobody knows, because political sentiments swing with suddenness and at times with violence.

Texas is still heavily Democratic and is likely to remain that way indefinitely.

But right now the overwhelming majority are Connally Democrats, not Hank Brown Democrats. They like the Democratic party leadership in Texas as it is. They don't want Goldwaterism on the right, of the liberal excesses on the left. They prefer to

of tickets have been issued for the more common infractions such as lacking life preservers, skiing in forbidden areas, boating in a reckless manner as to endanger human life and dangerous speed.

The department stated that, within the available facilities, motorboat-mounted wardens are helping enforce the statute that became effective last September 1.

It added that during the quiet winter period since enactment of the regulatory measure, the warden force has been preparing for the statewide assignment.

Seminars have been held for the field force as well as for law enforcement chiefs and an extra two weeks training had been added to the curricular for the special warden school at Texas A&M University.

Meanwhile, an extensive statewide educational program has concentrated on news media as well as direct contact. More than 35,000 copies of the official regulations have been distributed.

On the public waterways, wardens have been handling enforcement routine with advisory emphasis, personally cautioning water recreationists that the new code was established by the Legislature for the protection and general benefit of the rapidly mounting number of aquatic sports enthusiasts.

The department stressed that the usual land-based law enforcement patrol will be maintained throughout the state.

The department noted that even in the so-called quiet months a substantial number

Veterans Administration

(Editor's note: Veterans and their families are asking thousands of questions concerning the benefits their Government provides for them through Veterans Administration. Below are some representative queries. Additional information may be obtained at any VA office.)

Q — I never filed for compensation with VA although I suffered an injury during World War I. Am I too late?

A — No. You may file a claim for service-connected disability at anytime. However, you will probably be required to submit medical evidence showing the present existence of the disability.

Q — I am a World War II veteran with three years and five months of active service in the Army. I have not been well enough to work for over three years. Am I entitled to any kind of disability benefits from the VA?

A — Veterans of World War I, World War II or the Korean conflict, discharged under other than dishonorable conditions after 90 or more days service, or because of a service-connected disability, who are permanently and totally disabled from reasons not

traceable to service and cannot pursue a gainful occupation may be entitled to a non-service-connected pension if their income from all sources does not exceed \$1800 if single or \$3000 if they have dependents.

Mahon Asks To Put High Plains In Columbia River Water Study

Rep. George Mahon of Lubbock urged Congress to include the High Plains of Texas in a proposed study of the possibility of tapping water from the Pacific Northwest for the ever-thirstier Southwest.

Mahon was the leadoff witness before a House Interior subcommittee which is studying the controversial water supply measure that carries a potential price tag of several billion dollars.

The veteran Texas Democrat explained that the legislation provides for a study of the feasibility of transporting surplus water from the Columbia River in the Pacific Northwest to the Colorado River, which supplied water to several states including Arizona and California.

"A study of this type is necessary," Mahon said, "because the river's flow is not adequate to meet fully the present needs of this southwestern area, and there is alarm as to how long-range needs can be met. This has triggered the strong demand in the Arizona-California area for the study."

He added: "As the bill is traceable to service and cannot pursue a gainful occupation may be entitled to a non-service-connected pension if their income from all sources does not exceed \$1800 if single or \$3000 if they have dependents.

now written, our area would not be included in this study, but there has been a well-supported move from the people in the High Plains of Texas to include our area, and I am working toward this objective.

"We must seek to explore every avenue of approach to this vital problem, and we, therefore, should be included in this study."

Mahon pointed out that some Interior Department officials are skeptical about the participation of Texas in the study, claiming that the water should have to be brought over the Rocky Mountains and that the expense would be prohibitive.

"The fact remains," he continued, "in spite of these protestations, that the underground water table is receding in the High Plains of Texas, and many believe, as I do, that over the long pull we must find a way to bring surface water from outside the area to meet our expanding needs."

He admitted that transporting water from the Columbia to Texas via the Colorado may not be the answer but added, "I feel we should at least have the opportunity to determine the feasibility of the idea."

Mahon explained that a number of years ago he tried unsuccessfully to have a study made of the possibility of bringing water from the Missouri River basin to the Texas

Plains. "I still believe that this proposal holds promise for the long-range future," he said. "Some people believe that an even better source would be the Mississippi River, which is about 600 miles from the High Plains."

Mahon was critical of the fact that no Texas state water plan includes the High Plains area. He said the High Plains has never received any encouragement to be included in a state water plan.

Urban renewal and other federal programs are major causes of despondency and decay among the very people the projects are supposed to help, members of the United States Commission on Civil Rights said at a recent meeting held in Cleveland, Ohio.

One member of the Commission, the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, president of Notre Dame University, said that federal rebuilding programs, as administered here and in other cities were actually immoral and that people find their houses bulldozed from under them. And the present Administration's proposal for 60 to 70 "demonstration cities" could end up the same way. These would seem to be good arguments for defeating this federal proposal.

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Administratrix of the Estate of LEROY ODELL, Deceased, No. 733, in the County Court of Martin County.

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WestTex Rain Helps Hatch; Cats Spared

Two to five inches of rainfall around San Angelo boosted lake water reserves and assured at least partial fish hatchery operations, according to A. E. Pettit, superintendent of the local Texas Parks and Wildlife Department hatchery.

Both San Angelo hatcheries now have sufficient water for operation, but rain came too late for full bass production.

Despite a late start, eight of 16 bass ponds are stocked and should produce between two and four million bass this summer, said Pettit.

Catfish prospects are much brighter since all catfish ponds are expected to produce three-quarter million baby catfish.

If all goes well, an additional half-million sunfish and a limited number of crappie will also be reared this summer in San Angelo hatcheries.

Notice

Parents wishing to transfer their children from one school district to another for the 1966-67 term must do so during the month of May, 1966 if funds allocated for each child in the district by the State of Texas are to be shifted from one district to another. If applications are made at any other time, the state funds must remain in the district of the pupils residence. June 1 will be the last day for applying for such transfers.

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Farm And Ranch Review

All indications are that Texas is going to have a bumper crop of peaches and plums this year, according to Blueford Hancock, extension horticulturist at Texas A&M University.

Hancock says reports from major Texas fruit growing areas show excellent moisture conditions and a heavy set of fruit.

To insure high quality fruit, Hancock says growers should begin to thin-out peaches and plums. Peaches should be thinned to have a space of about six inches on the limb between fruits, according to present soil moisture conditions. Plums can be carried with a closer spacing, he says.

The rotary hoe is still the cheapest and most satisfactory post emergence practice for controlling weeds and grass in cotton fields. Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist at Texas A&M University, says the rotary hoe performs well if it can be operated a few days after a rain while the weeds and grass are small and before their root systems become established.

The rotary hoe is a high speed tool and with multiple units fields can be covered quickly, he adds. He also says that careful attention should be given to cultivation methods.

Lateral oiling with herbicidal naphthal is also recommended for post emergence weed control. Herbicidal oils, says the specialist, should have an aromatic content of 15 to 18 percent and are available from most oil companies.

Swarms of winged termites in a home is good evidence that a well established colony of the insects is nearby. But, points out Phil Hamman, assistant extension entomologist at Texas A&M University, it doesn't always mean they are coming from the house. They can fly in from other locations.

The subterranean group of soil-inhabiting termites is most common in Texas. Their presence is usually indicated by the sudden appearance of swarms of the winged insects in buildings during the spring. Important signs also are the earthen tunnels or runways built by the insects on the inside or outside of foundation walls, says Hamman.

The swarming termites have four silvery wings of equal length which are about twice as long as their body. The wings break off soon after swarming takes place and are usually evident in the

swarming area. The winged termites are sexually mature and produce the workers and soldiers which are wingless. The workers, says the entomologist, are pearly white and make the tunnels or galleries on wood and other materials.

Consumers cast their votes with their dollars. Therefore, family members who shop can vote a loud "no" to products they find impractical or those with misleading labels.

Dr. Barbara Reagon of Texas Woman's University told Home Management Workshop members at Texas A&M University recently that "consumers need to be well informed, however, in order not to be fair game for the old shell game."

Many housewives have stopped "bringing home the bacon" and other food products with skyrocketing prices, the TWU professor of home management and family economics research emphasized.

Homemakers have posed a virtual embargo on many items which they believe to be priced out of line, Dr. Regan added.

She said that most economists will agree, however, that consumers do not use a rational approach to buying "all of the time." On the other hand, many consumers do study news products — and their labels — very carefully and thus cannot be considered shallow thinkers.

BOAT SAFETY

The Parks and Wildlife Department reminded boat owners Saturday that fire extinguishers are a "major must" for motorboats 26 feet or longer under the water safety code.

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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



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MARTIN-HOWARD-MIDLAND SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT
Jack Buchanan, Bob Cox, Bernad Houston, Larry Shaw, J. D. Crawford.

By ORVILLE L. FREEMAN
Secretary Of Agriculture
The American countryside — that expanse of nature separating our cities and towns and rural hamlets — represents the land we have left to grow in, play in, and build on the American dream.

That is all we have; and when divided and divided again for the multiple needs of a Nation growing rapidly in population, in urban development, in highway mileage, in an array of man-oriented uses alien to nature, this natural landscape that once seemed so limitless shrinks before us at every turn — and we are made aware of the challenging crisis in the countryside.

In this Soil Stewardship Week of 1966, we can, all of us, determine to preserve and enhance the values of the countryside — to overcome the problems and realize the fruitful promise of rural America in this time of dynamic change and growth. We can — and must — return to an alliance with nature. It is a matter of desire, of discipline, and of dedication.

We enjoy a period of grace — before the remaining vestiges of nature unspoiled by man are erased. We still have time to protect, restore, and develop the lands and waters of rural America — if we act with resolve and dispatch.

The crisis we face in the countryside is a crisis of quality in a Nation whose people demand quality in the market place but have failed to provide for it in natural environment. It is a crisis of quantity in a land whose rich natural endowment has been vandalized to a degree of grave proportions.

But most of all it is a crisis of people — the tragic loss of young minds and spirits, of evolving skills and talents.

The Nation's future lies in rural America. The vast countryside offers relief from the teeming cities and their congested suburbs — providing ample land and water to serve the expanding needs of commerce and industry, and broad acres on which to build garden communities for tomorrow's generations.

The rural renaissance — assuring diverse employment opportunities and other community benefits — promises the return to rural America of trained and ambitious youth seeking the challenge of a new frontier. It promises a landscape free of rural poverty as prosperity is extended to every corner of the land. It promises the steady advance of national well-being through a richly rewarding town and country partnership. It promises an enlightened approach to the further development of our natural resources in which protection and progress go hand in hand.

It is our duty to respect the countryside as Creation's wondrous temple; to guard it

Editorial . . . Crime Information Center

The Federal Bureau of Investigation is developing a planned nationwide information system to serve law enforcement agencies throughout the country. It will be known as the National Crime Information Center and will be located at FBI headquarters in Washington.

J. Edgar Hoover, director of the FBI, describes the purpose of the project, the progress being made on it, and the benefits expected to be derived from it, in the following message to law enforcement officials from the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin of May 1:

This new information center will complement computerized systems already in operation as well as those being planned by local and state enforcement agencies. Eventually, it will be the hub of a vast information network which will serve as a rapid means of processing, storing, retrieving, and instantly transmitting vital police information, national in scope, to any point in the country in a matter of seconds.

Advisory groups are currently making studies of processing needs so that uniform standards and coding definitions may be drawn up and approved. With assistance of representatives from other law enforcement agencies, electronics experts are working on procedures to effect a smooth, compatible interchange of information by all participants in the network. When specific rules are established, rigid adherence to and strict compliance with such regulations will be mandatory if the center is to provide optimum service.

The FBI center is expected to be in limited operation by January 1967. Initial services

to be programed include data on stolen automobile, other identifiable stolen property, and wanted persons. Other phases will be added as the center develops. The goal is an increasing reservoir of scientifically stored data on criminal activities, gathered by federal and local departments, which will give the officer on the street or any agency in any part of the county up-to-the-minute information, upon request.

Certainly, the random-access computer is not the whole answer to the nation's crime problem. Yet, all enforcement officials are enthusiastic about computerized information systems and their great potential for improving police operations, investigations, and analyses by making necessary information immediately available. Today, computer and communication technology has eliminated two major problems — burdensome volume and time lag — which make a manually operated national system impracticable.

Cooperation is the keynote of success in law enforcement. The development of local and state computerized systems is necessary for a successful national crime information center. The FBI welcomes this opportunity to help bring the full impact of electronics into the fight against crime and violence. We believe the National Crime Information Center will materially increase the effectiveness of our profession and assist law enforcement in its primary objective—protecting human life and property.

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Shocked At Smithsonian Dance

Rep. H. R. Gross says the Johnson administration's "mink coat set" should cut out its 3 a.m. White House parties and swinging Watusis in the Smithsonian.

"If they want to do this, I suggest they renovate one of the burlesque halls for which Washington is fairly notorious," the Iowa Republican said.

DANCE ALL NIGHT

"I don't think with a war going on, and the problems this government has to face, that the President of the United States—his family or the vice president—ought to spend time dancing until 3 in the morning."

Gross first made observation on the House floor Tuesday, then elaborated in an interview.

Referring to the opera ball, a midnight dinner-dance for 1,000 held last Friday in the Smithsonian Institution's Museum of History and Technology, he said:

"I was amazed and shocked that they had a \$75 to \$100 per ticket dance at the Smithsonian with the Rev. (Bill D.) Moyers doing the Watusi and Frug and one woman sent home to get dressed because she was half naked."

Moyers, White House press secretary who is an ordained Baptist minister, was indeed doing the Watusi, as were a dozen ambassadors, half the Cabinet, a number of congressional leaders and their wives.

Mrs. Rudolph E. Carter, wife of a State Department officer, showed up wearing a transparent white lace dress with only a flesh-colored body stocking underneath. Some of her fellow members of the ball's executive committee sent her home to put on a slip. She did.

"I guess Washington isn't ready for fashion yet," she said afterwards. "This dress was created by a New York designer especially for this party."

Her husband said, "At first, I was shocked by it. But I figure, 'Oh well, it's fashion. Let her wear it.' It's much sexier without the slip."

The ball is an annual fund raiser, and since part of the money was for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, a Smithsonian satellite, the champagne dance was held in the museum.

EXHIBITS MOVED

In place of the artifacts exhibits, there were tables in the main corridors for Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara and his wife, the Robert F. Kennedys, former ambassador to the Soviet Union Llewellyn E. Thompson, the Moyers, Mrs. Edward M. Kennedy, Mrs. Nicholas Katzenbach and others.

"I'm not antidancing," insists Gross. "But I don't think the President or vice president should be carrying on 'til morning. And I don't see why the Smithsonian should be made available for this kind of gyrating."

Social Calendar

- LIONS CLUB — Each Tuesday at noon.
- ROTARY CLUB — Each Wednesday at noon.
- ORDER OF EASTERN STAR — First Tuesday night of each month.
- REBEKAH LODGE — Each Monday night.
- ODDFELLOW LODGE — Each Thursday night.
- MASONIC LODGE — Second and fourth Tuesday of each month.
- AMERICAN LEGION — First Tuesday night of each month.
- MEN'S DEPARTMENT First Methodist Church — Second Monday night of each month.
- BROTHERHOOD, First Baptist Church — Second Thursday of each month.
- BETA SIGMA PHI CITY COUNCIL — First Monday of each month.
- AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY — Third Tuesday every other month.
- BETA SIGMA PHI — Preceptor Mu Chapter — First and third Thursdays. Xi Epsilon Delta Chapter — Second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Rho Xi Chapter — First and third Thursdays. Mu Lambda Chapter — First and third Thursdays. Xi Theta Nu Chapter — Every other Wednesday.
- STITCH AND CHATTER CLUB — Every other Wednesday.
- GRADY PARENTS-TEACHER ASSOCIATION — Third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m.
- WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE, Circle I — First Methodist Church, each Monday afternoon.
- WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE, Circle II — First Methodist Church, each Tuesday morning.
- WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT, Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saint—First and third Thursdays of each month.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, Lenorah Baptist Church — each Tuesday afternoon at 4:15 p.m.
- GA's, Lenorah Baptist Church — Wednesday night at 7:45.
- BROTHERHOOD, Lenorah Baptist Church — Fourth Monday of each month 8 p.m.
- YWA, Lenorah Baptist Church—Each Tuesday at 4:15 p.m.
- STANTON GARDEN CLUB — Fourth Tuesday of each month.
- WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD, First Methodist Church — Second Monday evening of each month.
- WOMEN'S MISSIONARY UNION, First Baptist Church — Mary Stamps Circle — Third and fourth Mondays. Vivian Hickerson Circle — First, third and fourth Tuesday mornings. Mary Elizabeth Truly Circle — First and second Thursday at 9:30 a.m.
- WMS GENERAL MEETING — All circles second Tuesday morning of each month.
- BETHANY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS — Meets last Thursday of each month.
- ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC ALTAR SOCIETY — Second Wednesday.
- LEGION OF MARY, St. Joseph's Catholic Church — Each Monday night.
- HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS — Stanton HD Club — First and third Wednesdays. Courtney HD Club — First and third Thursdays. Valley View HD Club — Second and fourth Thursday. Lakeview HD Club — First and third Thursday. Koffee Kup Kraft HD Club — Second and fourth Thursday mornings.
- FIRE DEPARTMENT — First and third Monday night of each month at City Hall.
- CANCER SOCIETY — First Monday night of each month at Cap Rock Electric auditorium at 7:30 p.m.
- GRADY LIONS CLUB — First and third Tuesday night of each month at Grady School.
- HOME DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL MEETING — Third Tuesday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Cap Rock Electric auditorium.
- MARTIN COUNTY FARM BUREAU MEETING — Third Tuesday night of each month.
- STANTON PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION — Second Tuesday night of each month.

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The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

THE mosquito situation in Stanton must either be cleaned up or the community faces an epidemic. Despite the recent town-wide clean-up sponsored by the city council and Rotary Club, the mosquito menace is still with us. We don't know what the authorities have done to eliminate the health damaging mosquitos, if anything, or if anything is planned. We are not attempting to criticize. Persons owning property in Stanton should keep their own premises free of the bug. Perhaps the city and county could take care of the out-of-way places. In any event, something must be done now about the problem. It just can't go on this summer without a breakdown in community health.

THE fact that various automobile manufacturers have been under fire from the federal government for not building in enough safety devices in new automobiles in the past is well known to the public. Some information mailed out from Washington says the drop-off in new car sales is due to that fact. We don't think that way. We feel like the new cars sales are just slightly off because of the threat of inflation. The inflation caused by the bureaucrats in Washington. Anyway, the car manufacturers are still doing ok. They have already sold more models for the first quarter in 1966 than ever before. There is just a remote possibility that a new car with a defect in manufacture or assembly could cause a fatal accident. Most accidents have been caused by man made errors through the years.

BITAIN and Pakistan have signed an interest-free loan agreement for \$11.2 million. Wonder where those nations got that money? We generally do the loaning. This time it appears that Britain got it from us and then generously offered it to Pakistan. That way we got none of the credit in Pakistan. Maybe that's the reason they still take our cars for camels and stand in the streets and yell: "Go Home Yankee."

DEATH claimed a real patriotic pioneer the past week. Few individuals live to be 95 years of age and get to share most of that life with a wonderful lady and give to the world sons and daughters' and grandsons, great-grandsons and great-great-grandsons. BONNIE THOMAS HILL, 95, passed away at the family home in Stanton Sunday morning. He lived a fine and rich life. MRS. HILL passed away just a few months ago. The HILLS shared a life of beautiful love and companionship. They moved to Martin County in 1905 and continued to reside here where his business was farming and ranching. MR. HILL died in the home he had lived in since moving to Stanton. Truly, this good man wrote his name in accomplishments and good deeds here and they will long be cherished and remembered by those who knew and loved him best.

JUST before press time this week we received a communication advising us of an honor won by a local girl. SHERRY HANKINS, daughter of MR. and MRS. JACK HANKINS won the barrel race in Scholarship Play Day at Midkiff, Texas. The next Play Day is also scheduled at Midkiff June 4. MISS HANKINS learned to ride early and is considered an accomplished and talented rider.

FOR reasons this writer has never understood crowds still continue to flock to murder trails. There is something sickening about the whole scene. The Latin community turned out strong Monday morning to hear testimony in the AUGUSTINE VALLES case. The proceedings were new. They accepted a jury quick as rain—allowed the members of the jury to go to their homes Monday night—and some of the courthouse furniture was used to illustrate positions of two cars supposedly parked side by side a few minutes before the fatal stabbing allegedly took place. Things got mixed up and the whole scene was started all over again. After all, it was slightly hilarious. Yes, friends, this new code of criminal procedure in Texas is destined to make a mockery out of every court trial in Texas until it is repealed. The people of Texas never tendered a mandate to their representatives in Austin to write that code.

BILL D. MOYERS, President JOHNSON'S press secretary and an ordained Baptist minister, was admitted Monday night to Bethesda Hospital for observation after falling down a set of stairs at the White House.

WE always like to keep our friend and subscriber, BOB WHITAKER, Batesville, Arkansas advised on Stanton weather. On Monday afternoon the mercury hit 99 degrees in Stanton and 100 in Midland. Tuesday was about ten degrees cooler. But window fans are due to hum if this blazing wave of warm air holds out.

WE are having a lot of trouble getting our newsprint delivered without incident. Two weeks ago a shipment routed to us out of Dallas over Merchant's Motor Freight received an "oil bath" enroute. And then on Tuesday another shipment routed by T&P Railway was smashed in places. To go through the press—any press—newsprint must be handled with kid gloves—like a crate of eggs. If a single corner is turned up, cracked, torn, or ruffled it won't make it through the press. So, it's a total loss. The trouble now is that with two consecutive shipments damaged we are up against it down here for clean, flat newsprint. Maybe the third time will be the charmer because after we talk in person this week-end with freight handling officials in both Abilene and Dallas it could be we can get something worked out—shall we say—smoothly—for all parties concerned.

CONGRATULATIONS to MRS. GAYLON (SUZANNE) HIGHTOWER for the honors she won in the Odessa Art Show held on May 8 through May 14.

Just for a treat: in making chicken salad, use only the white meat and add well-seasoned homemade mayonnaise made with the egg yolk rather than the whole egg.

The first apartment house to be so called was built in New York in 1869.

England ruled Cricket to be an "honorable sport" for the first time in 1784.

Two Marlin - -

(Continued from page 1) more 9,000 - foot operations in the Northeast Martin County sector of the Ackerly (Dean sand) area, about seven miles southwest of Ackerly.

No. 1 Donham - McDonnell will be 660 feet from south and east lines of the southwest quarter of section 25, block 35, T-3-N, T&P survey.

No. 1 Cook spots 660 feet from south and east lines of section 22, block 35, T-3-N, T&P survey.

Both ventures are stepouts to the proven area on the west side of the field.

Shell Oil Co., No. 1 McDaniel, Glascock prospect, about 22 miles southeast of Stanton and 10 miles west and slightly north of Garden City, has set 4 1/2-inch oil string and apparently will attempt completion as a discovery, probably in the Wolfcamp.

Originally projected to 9,300 feet, the test actually drilled to 9,000 feet and set the casing at that point. The hole then was plugged back to 8,950 feet and any checking for production will be through perforations above that level.

Operator has released no information regarding any signs of petroleum which may have been logged in this wildcat, 4 1/2 miles northeast of the Spraberry Trend Area.

The fact that the pipe has been set would indicate that one or more zones penetrated by No. 1 McDaniel carried signs of gas, oil or both. Location is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 44, block 35, T-3-S, T&P survey.

Twelve miles southwest of Stanton, in Northeast Midland County, Connally Oil Co. of Abilene has completed No. 4-B Fasken as a new well in the Spraberry Trend Area.

It is 1,320 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 56, J. L. Veazey subdivision, T-2-S, T&P survey.

It pumped 219 barrels of 33.4 - gravity oil plus 9 per cent water per day from a series of perforations between 7,245 and 8,211 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 520-1. The formation making the petroleum had been fractured with 80,000 gallons of fluid.

Valles - - -

(Continued from page 1) Sheriff Dan Saunders of Martin County and Arthur Posey, Stanton police officer told the jury of the stabbing. They described the wounds inflicted on Romero and told of the investigation they made and Valles' arrest.

Felix Maldonado, a young Latin who was with Valles and Romero on the night of the stabbing, told the jury how he saw Valles stab Romero. He said Valles and another Latin American, Eleono Brito, were quarrelling, and that Romero stepped forward in the role of peacemaker. Almost instantly, the witness testified, Valles turned from Brito and stabbed Romero two times.

Brito told a similar story to the jury, but denied that he saw the knife which Valles allegedly used. The wounds inflicted on Romero were in the abdomen and under the right arm.

Brito testified that he and Valles had gotten into an argument. Romero stepped forward and sought to separate the two men, he said. He saw Valles swing at Romero with his fist and hit him in the stomach. He denied he saw the knife in the defendant's hand.

Roger Brown, attorney for Valles, could not be contacted at press time and his plans to appeal his client's conviction or not to appeal could not be learned at this time.

The rocks of which mountains are made up of silicon and aluminum compounds.

O. Henry was the pen name of William Sydney Porter.

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Variety - - -

(Continued from page 1) we find words of another once popular politician, the late FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT. In Chicago, just a few days before World War Two, ROOSEVELT stood up before a huge throng of cheering people and said: "I hate war, and my wife, Eleanor hates war." History has written in the record books what happened in the years to follow and today FDR rests in the hearts and minds of many as only the war president.

Study Club - - -

(Continued from page 1) selector; Press Reporter, Mrs. Coats Bentley, and Mrs. L. D. Snell, Parliamentarian.

Members and guests present were: Mrs. Delbert Hopper, Mrs. Paige Eiland, Mrs. Bill Terry, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. Stanley Reid, Mrs. Homer Schwalbe, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. J. O. Stuard, Mrs. Joe Stewart, Mrs. S. W. Wheeler, Mrs. James Weeler, Mrs. L. D. Snell, Mrs. Coats Bentley, Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, Mrs. Ralph Caffey, Mrs. Dee Locklin, and Mrs. Paul Jacobs.

Immediate - - -

(Continued from page 1) sidered.

Dr. Fisher said: "There is a good chance that the appropriation next year will be considerably higher now that the commission has some idea of the actual need. We should, therefore, stand as good a chance as 61 other communities with similar need and be able to get state aid by about July, 1967."

Fisher urged that interested citizens write their state representatives and appraise him of their feelings in the matter so that more money can be made available next year for this purpose.

The surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown was on Oct. 19, 1781.

The common housefly neither bites nor stings.

Be Sharp, Be Ready Snakewise

The fact that only ten persons have died from snake-bite in Texas in the last five years compared with the nine who perished from this cause in 1960 alone, has convinced state safety authorities of one thing.

That is, according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, the genuine effectiveness of an educational program within the last decade.

One of the major factors in that movement was the sponsorship of a "POISONOUS SNAKES" bulletin by the department. This has been widely used by news, education and information media and by schools, clubs and various groups.

A vital phase of this approach has been how to treat a snake bite victim. Emphasis has been made on the prompt use of modern transportation facilities to get the victim to medical doctor, contrasting as it does with the earlier years when speed meant only fast horses.

Now safety people stress that, even though a Texan is ordinarily fairly close to proper care, the modern compact snake bite kit should be an indispensable must.

In any event, it is advised that the patient not use the affected area, assuming it is a foot or leg. That is, they urge complete immobilization and if possible the patient be carried by litter to transportation.

It is pointed out that even with a minimum of exertion, to spare the victim from stimulating blood circulation, that the venom can be removed by incision and suction only during the first 30 minutes following the bite.

A department spokesman advises Texans that the best approach to the problem is to be equipped and informed. "Texas by reliable statistics is just another state with snake bite problems," he said. "But with rapidly increasing popularity of our vaunted wide open spaces we simply must be smart and be ready for eventualities."

Students - - -

(Continued from page 1) whose subject will be: "Creating Destiny Through Learning."

Bill Milam, school principal, will present awards and Supt. Beryl D. Clinton will make announcements and introduce the president of the school board, David Workman. Workman will present the seniors with their diplomas. The benediction will be given by Wayne Bradshaw and Bobby Hamm will play the recession-al.

Read the classified ads!

Tips For Outdoorsmen

Crow Decoy

Shape a wire clothes hanger in the outline of Old Blackie and pull an old black sock over it. Stick hanger hook out. Straighten and use as ground spike.

Rolling Sinker

A rolling sinker may gather no moss, but it doesn't keep your bait where you want it. Drive several nails through the sinker. No roll.

Patch Tent

Carry a supply of "iron-on" patches with you camping. If tears or snags get in clothes or tent, heat a pot and use the bottom to iron on a patch.

Shine Spinners

Cigarette ashes will shine up tarnished spinners and spoons.

Chum Chum

Want to catch more fish? Punch a hole in a can of the cheapest sardines you can buy and drag over the side. Oily slick with attract little fish, who attract bigger fish, who attract bigger fish, an so forth.

Spark Plugs

Surf fishermen in rocky areas use spark plugs as sinkers. Hammer electrodes together and wire on a short leader. If the plug snags, a sharp pull releases wire and brings back hooks and bait.

Water Boy

Need to put water in your car radiator... but lack anything to carry it in? Pry off a hubcap and use that. Now why didn't you think of that?

Light Leader

If you have a fish around snags use a leader one half the pound test of your line. Then is you snag, the leader will break, not the line.

John Day, Ore. Eagle: "Maybe our readers think that the Eagle is too critical of Washington, D. C. But if they'll read the following editorial, which was printed in a recent issue of the Portland Oregonian, they'll see that at least this item doesn't make any sense at all. With one hand, Uncle Sam writes a health warning on the cigarette pack, while with the other he offers a smoke for its "pure joy." The quote is from the Agriculture Department's new cigarette promotion film, suggestively titled "World of Pleasure," premiered in Washington, D. C. . . . At a cost of \$106,000, Agriculture prepared the film to promote sales of U. S. tobacco abroad."

You can make silhouette decoys more effective by cutting a piece of masonite in the shape of the bird's back. Paint it the color of the back and fasten it on the bottom of the standing silhouette.

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