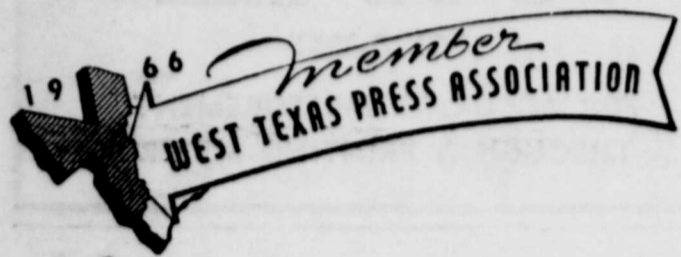


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VARIETY

By NEAL ESTES

Generous, unsolicited testimony concerning results obtained through advertising in the newspaper is always appreciated. CECIL STEPHENS and FRED ROWAN, now operating the Ho Way Cafe just outside the city limit on the Midland highway were highly pleased with the number of customers who responded to the cafe ad last week. They have another advertisement in this issue of the paper and left the impression that they want to be represented weekly. We are delighted at their response they have acknowledged and trust they continue to have good business.

MARY FRANCES (PUG) DEAVENPORT, daughter of MR. and MRS. BOB DEAVENPORT, and granddaughter of MR. and MRS. BROWN DEAVENPORT and MR. and MRS. J. D. RENFRO is going to write the local school news for the paper. That is, PUG is going to write an interesting part of the news about the students, et al. The editorial staff will continue to cover many other school activities, including the administrative releases. PUG's first column appears in this issue. Read it.

DON WOOTEN, Abilene, is the new president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. He succeeds JOHN BEN SHEPPER. JBS has given up his next to last big job that has kept him in the public eye in West Texas for a long time. SHEPPER has resigned all other state appointments and is settling down to practice law for his boss, BILL NOEL of Odessa. JOHN BEN has done well out here in the wide open spaces. The old East Texas boy from Gladewater is a very energetic person. He has always been that way since his early days as a young attorney. JOHN BEN does not expect to quit his civic activities. He is the type who could n't stop if he wanted to. We will hear of his renewed activities sometime again and in the meantime, we send our personal thanks to him for the good job he has done since becoming a citizen of this wide area.

Stanton is expected to be the mecca for a lot of people Monday, May 1, when Dollar Day combines with the annual Spring Festival sponsored by the Martin County Chamber of Commerce. This day is designated to bring about the fine fellowship existing in this community among the people and to give them an opportunity to buy bargains in merchandise at reasonable prices. Stores are all cooperating. A big day is coming, so you plan to come to Stanton on May 1.

Some very interesting ads appear in this issue of the paper. Please read them all. In addition to our regular news, there is an important legal notice, notice of a city election, news of important coming events and a lot of appealing ads.

Thanks for a fine note from WINNIE and JOHN CONNELL of Dallas concerning the paper. We met the fine couple from Stanton about 12 years ago. We have had the pleasure of having them on the mailing list for a long time. WINNIE and JOHN were subscribers before we landed in West Texas. They were warm friends of the late JIM KELLY and he introduced us to them. WINNIE wrote: "We appreciate the paper from Stanton more than we do the Dallas News." That's a message from the hearts of loyal people — people loyal to the area they love and the editor appreciates the comment more than words can express.

Spring Festival Slated Monday



PRESENTS CAP CHARTER—Mayor Stanley Wheeler is shown presenting Captain Jack Robertson, Martin County squadron commander with the charter which brings a new and useful service to this area. The presentation was made here Monday morning.

Connally Oil Completes Harvard Well In Martin

By JAMES C. WATSON

Connally Oil Co. No. 2-A Harvard has been finished as a new producer in the Martin County sector of the Spraberry Trend Area.

Pumping from perforations between 7,292 and 8,183 feet and 8,496 and 9,166 feet, yield was 73 barrels of 39.7-gravity oil and 43 barrels of water per day. The horizon was fractured with 190,000 gallons of fluid, 376,000 pounds of sand and gas-oil ratio registered 700-1.

Well site is six miles southwest of Stanton, 1,500 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of section 23, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey, 1/2 mile east of production.

A Midland County probe, No. 5 Beulah Coleman, being drilled by Tidewater Oil Co. 16 miles southeast of Midland, has recorded a gas flow in an unidentified zone on a drill-stem test.

The tool was open an unreported time on the section between 10,470 and 10,549 feet where gas surfaced in five minutes at the rates of 42 million cubic feet per day. Recovery was 1,100 feet of 41.2-gravity condensate.

One-hour initial shut-in pressure was 6,595 pounds; two-hour flowing pressure was

416 pounds; and four-hour final shut-in pressure was 6,418 pounds.

At last report, drilling was in progress below 10,678 feet toward the contract depth of 11,700 feet in the Devonian.

Earlier, while drilling was at the 9,126-foot level, mud, gas, and oil was kicked out and a choke was installed to control the kicking.

Gas flowed and oil was recovered on a drillstem test in an unidentified zone between 8,998 and 9,146 feet. The investigation surfaced gas in one hour and 29 minutes with recovery being 1,650 feet of highly gas-cut mud, 15 feet of oil and a 2,000-foot water blanket.

No. 5 Coleman is 1,800 feet from north and 1,830 feet from west lines of section 8, block 37, T-3-S, T&P survey, 2 1/4 miles south of the Azalea (Devonian gas) pool, 1/2 mile west of the Spraberry Trend Area.

Connally Oil Co. of Abilene has staked location of No. 1 Evans as an outpost to the Midland County sector of the Spraberry Trend Area.

Site is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 52, block 37, T-2-S, J. M. King survey, eight miles west of Stanton. Proposed goal is 9,450 feet.

Area HD Members Met In Crane In April

Approximately 200 area home demonstration club members attended the 1967 District Six Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting held Thursday, April 13, at the First Baptist Church in Crane, Texas.

Mrs. Clay To Operate Beauty Salon In City

Mrs. Travis Clay, the former Shirley Graves, and husband, Travis, are now making their home in Stanton. Mrs. Clay will be operating the Shirley's Beauty Salon, formerly known as Maxine's Beauty Shop.

Mrs. Clay is a graduate of Childer's Beauty School of Midland, and has been associated with Allen's Hair Styles in Dallas, and later was employed in Eastland.

Mrs. Clay will be open for business Thursday, April 27, and invites all her friends and acquaintances to drop by for a cup of coffee and a visit.

Mayor Wheeler Presents CAP Charter Here Monday

Mayor Stanley W. Wheeler presented a Civil Air Patrol Charter to Captain Jack Robertson, Squadron Commander, Martin County patrol in this city Monday morning.

Captain Robertson said the CAP is a civilian auxiliary of the United States Air Force. Civil Air Patrol mission activities include a national program of aerospace education for both adults and youth participation in USAF authorized search and rescue operations.

The group will also participate in disaster and emergency services, nationally and locally.

CAP offers a unique opportunity to serve the community, the country and the young people of the nation especially. 52,000 plus Cadets now benefit from aerospace education, moral leadership, physical fitness, and training provided under the direction of CAP senior members.

Girls and boys from age 13 through 17 are urged to attend CAP meetings from 7:30 to 9:30 each Tuesday evening at the Stanton Junior High School band room.

Don't Let Junior Be Late Monday

Junior could be late for school next Monday, May 1, provided alert parents fail to conform with the law and the coming custom of running the family clock up one hour.

Daylight savings time goes into effect on May 1. The country starts moving to work and school one hour earlier.

A federal law on the big movement is already on the books and all but three states signed up via laws to conform. The Texas Legislature turned Texas clocks up an hour and most stores, offices, factories and all government offices, including the postoffices, will obey the mandate.

School buses will operate an hour earlier from May 1 and so get Junior up in time to catch the bus.

Once the public gets used to the idea of daylight savings time it will click — or should we say tick.

Permian College Bill Approved By House

A four-year Permian Basin College moved a step nearer reality when the House of Representatives passed 137-1 a bill to authorize a regionally-supported four-year college in the Permian Basin area.

Opposition to the bill was almost nil, with Rep. James Slider of Naples asking a pair of critical questions but with Rep. Steve Burgess of Nacogdoches the only nay vote on the official House record.

Slider first queried, "Is that the old Odessa College bill?" Rep. Ace Pickens of Odessa, the bill's floor manager, replied "Odessa could qualify."

Slider then asked if this was the Permian Basin College bill. And Pickens answered: "Some counties in the Permian Basin could qualify."

Under the House bill, several counties — one of which contains a junior college — may form a regional college district. Odessa now has a junior college.

The bill is similar to a 1951 act which enabled the University of Houston, Pan-American College at Edinburg and Midwestern University at Wichita Falls to operate as four year regional colleges. All are now state-supported institutions.

The House added an amendment to the bill last week which would authorize the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, to

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Annual Affair Sponsored By Local Chamber

Stylish, stepping Stanton will play host to all residents of Martin County Monday, May 1.

The big annual event, the Spring Festival, will be sponsored by the Martin County Chamber of Commerce, and the majority of merchants will participate in the gala affair.

Stanton Honor Roll Announced By M. R. Milam

M. R. Milam, principal of the Stanton High School, has announced the six weeks honor roll. The following students were named honor students:

Seniors: Mark Bentley, Becky Boyce, Linda Brown, Carolyn Brunley, Beverly Clements, Wanda Cranford, Mike Donathan, Bobby Hammon, Brenda Hightower, Judy Kokel, Philip Payne, Cindy Pickett, Gary Reid, Butch Robnett, Buddy Shanks, Mike Springer, Eunice Stephenson, Janelle Tate, Sherry Vest, and Cathy Workman.

Juniors: Kathy Biggs, Linda Glaspie, Karl Herzog, Sandra Merrifield, and Sue Walker.

Sophomores: Peggy Anastasio, Melrae Angel, Pug Deavenport, David Greenhaw, Linda Holder, Trudy Powell, Mary Ramos, and Claude Straub.

Freshmen: John Anastasio, Vic Bentley, Scotty Fisher, LaWanda Glaspie, Alan Gregston, Robbie Hazlewood, Rusty Hicks, Chester Kokel, Danny Matteson, Johnny McMeans, Faye Ringener, Steve Stallings, and David Workman.

Monday is also Dollar Day in the county and merchants will have plenty of merchandise for sale. A page advertisement appears in this issue of the newspaper sponsored by participating businessmen and in addition to the advertised items in the big ad several merchants are using regular Dollar Day space to advertise timely values.

No festival would be complete without sidewalk sales. Several merchants will operate counters on the outside of their stores and they will be loaded down with old-time bargains. These displays also insure big values for modern buyers at old-time prices.

Free prizes will be offered those attending the pancake supper. Stores will post numbers in windows good for valuable merchandise.

The band concert is scheduled for 5:30 to 6 p.m.

ACC Gift Campaign Starts In Stanton

Kickoff for the \$2.8 million Community Gifts Campaign of Abilene Christian College design for development will be held Thursday evening, April 27, at Cap Rock Auditorium in Stanton.

The campaign in Stanton will begin with the 8:00 p.m. showing of the film "Education for Christian Living." Speaker for the event will be L. Arnold Watson, Abilene Christian College field representative for the Design for Development. City chairman for the Community Gifts Campaign in Stanton is Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, a 1943 graduate of ACC. She will be assisted by Mrs. J. Alex Haggard and Mrs. John Shanks.

The Design for Development, initiated in 1965, is a 10-year program to raise \$25.7 million for academic, physical and endowment expansion.

The Phase I three-year target of the campaign is \$10.4 million, and currently more than \$9.8 million has been raised. The Community Gifts Campaign is designed to help complete Phase I by its February, 1968, deadline.

Four Members Stanton FHA Attend Meeting

Four members of the Stanton High chapter of the Future Homemakers of America, attended the state convention in Dallas, April 21-22. Delegates, elected by the chapter, were Dianna Mims, and Cyndi Clements. Miss Clements served as a voting delegate. Eunice Stephenson, state officer, and Cindy Davis, incoming area treasurer, also represented the chapter. Accompanying the group, were the sponsor, Mrs. King, M. C. King, Carole Jean King, and Mrs. Doris Stephenson.

General sessions were held Friday and Saturday. Eunice, (Continued on page 8)

Wes-Tex Meet Fails To Draw Needed Quorum

No business was transacted at the annual membership meeting of Wes-Tex Telephone Cooperative Saturday, April 22, because of the lack of a quorum. About 75 were present at the Cap Rock Electric auditorium, but only 36 were voting members. Bylaws require the presence of 50 voting members for a quorum.

A. A. McKinney, president, presided at the meeting. Coy McDougald, FEA Field Representative from Lubbock, was the principal speaker. He commended the Wes-Tex organization on its excellent record of service to its members and

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Editor's Mail

Box 1297
Crane, Texas 79731
April 18, 1967
Dear Editor,

Enclosed please find a copy of the news article of the District Six Texas Home Demonstration Association Meeting held in Crane, Texas on April 13.

I hope that you will be able to use all or part of this article. (Continued on page 8)

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE

OF
\$214,000.00 PRELIMINARY
LOAN NOTES
OF
URBAN RENEWAL
AGENCY OF THE CITY
OF STANTON

May 2, 1967

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the above-identified local public body corporate (hereinafter called the "Local Public Agency") at 400 North St. Peter Street in the City of Stanton, Texas,

until, and publicly opened at, one o'clock P.M., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, on May 16, 1967, for the purchase of \$214,000.00 of notes of the Local Public Agency to be known as "Preliminary Loan Notes (Sixth Series A.," being issued to aid in financing its Urban Renewal Project, designated Project No. Tex. R-45. The United States of America has agreed to make a loan under Title I of the Housing Act of 1949, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1450 et seq.), to the Local Public Agency to assist the latter in undertaking and carrying out such Project. By authority of said Act and with the agreement of the Local Public Agency, said Notes are to be unconditionally secured as to the payment of both principal and interest by the United States of America. The full faith and credit of the United States will be pledged to such payment under an un-

qualified payment agreement endorsed on each of the Notes. Under said Act, such agreement is required to be construed by all officers of the United States separate and apart from said loan agreement and is incontestable in the hands of a bearer thereof.

THE NOTES will be dated June 6, 1967, will be payable to bearer on June 7, 1968, will bear interest from their date to their maturity at the rate or rates per annum fixed in the proposal or proposals accepted for the purchase of such Notes, will be issued in such denominations, and both principal and interest there-of will be payable at such incorporated Bank having trust powers or incorporated Trust Company, as the purchaser designates in the proposal. Such Bank or Trust Company must be a member of the Federal Reserve System, or of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, and must have an unimpaired capital and surplus of not less than the aggregate principal amount of Notes designated in the proposal or proposals submitted by the purchaser; provided, however, that such unimpaired capital and surplus need not exceed One Million Dollars. The Notes will provide that they are not valid until after such Bank or Trust Company has signed the agreement, appearing on each Note, to act as paying agent. The Notes will be transmitted to such Bank or Trust Company for delivery to the purchaser upon receipt and disbursement by such Bank or Trust Company of the purchase price thereof in accordance with instructions from the Local Public Agency. After taking delivery of the Notes, the purchaser shall obtain the signature of such Bank or Trust Company upon the Notes as aforesaid. All fees or charges, if any, of such Bank or Trust Company shall be paid by such purchaser.

SAID NOTES will be special obligations of the Local Public Agency and will be secured by a requisition agreement between the Local Public Agency and the United States of America under the terms of which agreement the United States of America agrees to lend the Local Public Agency prior to the maturity of said Notes an amount sufficient to pay the principal and interest of all said Notes and agrees to cause so much of the proceeds of such loan as shall be sufficient to pay the principal and interest upon any of said Notes to be deposited at the respective Bank or Trust Company at which said notes are payable for the benefit of the holder or holders thereof. Under the proceedings authorizing said Notes, the proceeds of such loan payment will be irrevocably pledged first to the payment, at maturity, of the principal of and interest on

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Mr. and Mrs. Dale McReynolds and son, Howard, of Arlington, visited last week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McReynolds.

said Notes.

THE VALIDITY of the Notes and said requisition agreement shall be subject to approval by attorneys designated by the purchaser in the Proposal. Complete certified transcripts of proceedings, including organization transcript as required, evidencing the validity of the Notes and of said requisition agreement will be furnished such attorneys at least 5 days prior to the date of the Notes. The fees or charges of the attorneys shall be paid by the purchaser.

ALL PROPOSALS for the purchase of any of said Notes shall be submitted in a form approved by the Local Public Agency, and shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the Local Public Agency, which should be marked on outside "Proposal for Preliminary Loan Notes." Copies of such form of proposal may be obtained from the Local Public Agency at the address indicated above. Proposals may be submitted subject to completion pursuant to telegraphic instructions or proposals may be submitted in their entirety by telegram. Telegraphic instructions or proposals must be received by the Local Public Agency at or before the time above specified for the opening of proposals. A telegraphic proposal should identify and be made pursuant to the Notes, the Sale, identify the Notes, and specify the principal amount, interest rate, premium, denominations, name of said attorneys, and place of payment of the Notes covered by the proposal. In view of certain statutory and policy limitations, no award of the Notes will be made at an interest rate per annum which is not less than four and one-eighth per centum (4-1/8%).

PROPOSALS may be for all or any part of the Notes, and separate proposals will be required for each part of said Notes for which a separate interest rate is bid. The interest rate specified for each part of said Notes shall be a multiple of one-hundredth (1/100) of one percent (1%). Said Notes will be awarded at the lowest interest rate or rates offered in the proposals, without reference to premium; provided, however, that, as among proposals specifying the same lowest interest rate, award will be made on the basis of the highest premium per dollar principal amount of Notes specified in such proposals. No bid for less than \$50,000 principal amount of said notes or for less than par and accrued interest (which interest shall be computed on a 360-day basis) will be entertained, and the Local Public Agency reserves the right to award to any bidder all or any part of the Notes which such bidder offers to purchase in his proposal, upon the basis of such proposal; provided, that if less than \$50,000 principal amount of Notes is to be awarded to any bidder, such bidder will be relieved of the obligation to purchase such Notes upon written notice to the Local Public Agency within two days after notification of such proposed award. If only a part of the Notes bid for in a proposal are awarded by the Local Public Agency, the premium, if any, offered in such proposal shall be prorated, and said Notes will be issued in denominations in the order of the lowest denomination specified in such proposal; provided that one Note may be issued in a smaller denomination than is otherwise specified. The further right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

SECTION 102(g) of the Housing Act of 1949, as amended (42 U.S.C. 1452), provides as follows: "Obligations, including interest thereon, issued by local public agencies for projects assisted pursuant to this title, and income derived by such agencies from such projects, shall be exempt from all taxation now or hereafter imposed by the United States." In the event that prior to the delivery of any of the Notes to the successful bidder therefore the income received by private holders from obligations of the same type and character shall be taxable by the terms of any Federal income tax law hereafter enacted, the successful bidder may, at his election, be relieved of his obligations under the contract to purchase said Notes.

URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY OF THE CITY OF STANTON

By /s/ B. F. WHITE, Chairman.

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Hospital Notes

Physicians Hospital And Clinic

Patients admitted April 4 Through April 23:
Mrs. Della Stein, Paul Trammell, Mrs. Inez Woody, Mrs. John Blocker, Sr., Mrs. Jewell Smith, Mrs. Lela Bassham, Mrs. Josephine Myrick, E. S. Harris, Mrs. Consuelo Valles and baby, and Mrs. Cozart twins, Mrs. Patsy Nelson, and Valton Laird.

4-H Club News

The Do and Learn 4-H Club met at the court house April 21, and worked on their sewing project.
Those present were: Peggy Barnes, Patti Klein, Linda Woody, Susie Hopkins, Lynette Haggard, Cindy Terry, Debbie Wallace, Mindy Haislip, and Darla Caffey.
Our next 4-H Club meeting will be May 5.

Trade at home and save!

School Menu

High School Lunch Room

Menu for April 24 Thru May 28:

MONDAY: Southern fried chicken, cream gravy, peas and whole potatoes, tossed green salad, fruit gelatin, rolls, milk, butter.

TUESDAY: Hamburgers, potato chips, apple sauce, butter, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Corn dogs, pinto beans, potato salad, corn bread, fruit cobbler, milk, butter.

THURSDAY: Baked ham, glazed sweet potatoes, green beans, bread pudding, carrot and raisin salad, hot biscuits, milk, butter.

FRIDAY: Tuna fish and pimento cheese sandwiches, cream of tomato soup, tater tots, jellied fruit salad, milk.

Mrs. O. L. Snogress, Jr. was a patient in Medical Arts Clinic in Big Spring last week.

Guy Brown was home for the week-end from New Mexico Military Institute.

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SHAVE CREAM
AREO SHAVE
6 Ounce
39c

Fresh Produce

ONIONS
NEW CROP
WHITE
Pound
12½c

LEMONS
CALIFORNIA, SUNKIST
Pound
12½c

BANANAS
Nice Golden Fruit
Lb. **12½c**

CUCUMBERS NICE SLICERS Lb. **15¢**

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BACON
Armour Star
1 Lb. Pkg. . . . **69c**

STEAK ROUND, CHOICE BEEF Lb. **89¢**

OLEO SHURFRESH, SOFT OLEO Lb. **39¢**

CHEESE SHURFRESH 2 Lb. Box **89¢**

STEAK LOIN, CHOICE BEEF Lb. **79¢**

PRESSED HAM Lb. **59¢**

FRANKS GOOCH, ALL MEAT 12 Oz. Pkg. **39¢**

STEAK T-BONE, CHOICE BEEF Lb. **93¢**

FRYERS
Fresh Dressed
Lb. **29c**

Kidney Beans
Food King No. 300 Can **10c**

TEA BAGS SHURFINE 48 Count **39¢**

CHARCOAL ENERGY 10 Lb. Bag **49¢**

SHAVE LOTION COLGATE, SPICE **39¢**

RED BEANS
FOOD KING No. 300 Can **10c**

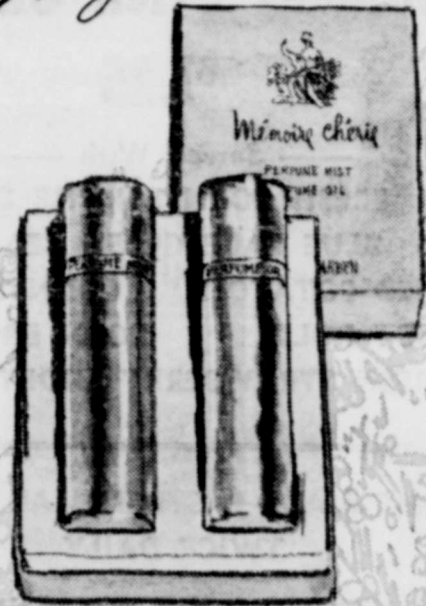
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ORANGE DRINK HI-C 46 Oz. Can, 3 For **89¢**

MELLORINE BORDEN'S Or GANDY'S ½ Gal. Ctn., 2 For **79¢**

SPAGHETTI FOOD KING No. 300 Can 2 For **25¢**

Elizabeth Arden
Fragrance Festival



introducing
Mémoire Chérie
Perfume Spray Set
2½ oz. Perfume Mist and 2 oz. Perfume Oil
5.00
after June 3rd, individual sprays 5.00

New ways to wear the roses-and-jasmine enchantment of Mémoire Chérie—with these elegant aerosol perfume sprays. Perfume Oil may be slipped over the skin as a marvelously long-lasting fragrance. Perfume Mist is a lighter, more ethereal version. An ideal combination, at a price that could solve little-gift problems for months to come!

Stanton Drug
Walgreen Agency

Public Notice

Notice of public hearing on the City Budget for 1967-1968 will be held May 2, 1967.

The City Hall will be the scene of the meeting at the next regular session.

Harvey White
City Secretary
City Of Stanton

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Classified Ads

LODGE NOTICES

Stanton Chapter No. 409 O.E.S., first Tuesday night of each month
MRS. GEORGIA WELCH
 Worthy Matron
LUCIA PICKETT,
 Secretary

Vet Medals In Storage Until Claimed

Millions of unclaimed medals earned by World War II and Korean War servicemen are stacked up in warehouses around the country, according to the Veterans Administration.

Jack Coker, manager of the VA Regional Office in Waco, revealed that the Army alone has some 800,000 pounds of medals in a Philadelphia warehouse.

Among the medals there are over one - and - a - half million Victory Medals, a decoration earned by almost everyone who served in World War II.

The VA manager said that veterans interested in securing medals to which they are entitled should write a letter to the military branch in which they served.

Letters should contain full particulars about their military service, units to which assigned, and above all, the letter should contain the veteran's complete name and serial number.

To write for medals, Coker said, use the following addresses:

ARMY: The Adjutant General, Decorations and Awards Branch, Department of the Army, Washington, D. C. 20300.

AIR FORCE: Director of Military Personnel, Attention: Awards Branch, Headquarters, U. S. Air Force, Washington, D. C. 20000.

MARINE CORPS: Commandant (PMM) U. S. Coast Guard Headquarters, Washington, D. C. 20000.

NAVY: Commandant, Headquarters, U. S. Navy, Washington, D. C. 20000.

Dee Burleson is a patient in the Hall - Bennett Foundation Hospital in Big Spring, where he had surgery last Wednesday.

Mrs. Richard Payne went to Clovis, New Mexico, last week to visit her father, who is a patient in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Eima Nichols and son, Randy, visited their daughter in Brownwood and San Marcus last weekend.

BUSINESS SERVICES

Building Services F-1
 Call SK 6-3418 for your roofing needs. Install new roofs and repair old. Siding, painting and air conditioner repair also. Billy E. Barnhill, 507 College for free estimates. Work guaranteed. 3-17-4tc

Furniture & Upholstery F-2
 Upholstering: White's Upholstery, 3301 East 11th Place, Big Spring. Phone AM 7-2684 will pick up and deliver your work free. Martin customers welcome. 4-18-2tp

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted H-1
 Wanted: Man between 20 and 45 for permanent situation. Good pay, good hours. Write Box 10 care of this paper.

HD Club News

Mrs. Mildred Eiland brought the program on "The Know - How and Know - Why of Beautiful Windows," when the Lakeview Home Demonstration Club met Thursday evening, April 20, at the home of Mrs. Horace Tubbs.

Mrs. Eiland discussed the technique used in achieving beautiful windows, and showed some modern styles used, also how shades and drapes were made.

Mrs. E. P. Madison, president, presided and roll call was answered with, "How I Release My Tension." Mrs. W. J. Harlow gave the council report.

Mrs. Tubbs showed some flowers she had antiqued, along with some freak milo heads made into arrangements.

Refreshments of punch and cheese cake were served to seven members, and one guest, Mrs. Eiland.

The next meeting will be May 4, at the home of Mrs. Roy Price.

Janice Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Morrison, has been home on a visit, after attending school in Germany and touring Europe. She left, Sunday, April 23, for Pepperdine College in Los Angeles, California, to attend the spring semester.

4-H HORSE GROUP TO MEET SUNDAY, APRIL 30

The 4-H Horse Group will meet Sunday, April 30, at 2:00 p.m. at the Stanton Rodeo Arena. Members come and bring their horses.

Others interested in joining may contact Bobby Kelly, Jet Hoggard, or the County Agent Billy Reagor for Minor's release and the by-laws.

FARM & RANCH

Feed, Seed & Grain J-3
 For Sale: Baled Cane 70c per bale. After 5 p.m. call SK 6-2112. 3-17-tnc

MERCHANDISE

Appliances K-1
 Have your GIFTS and PARTY FAVORS personalized with monogramming. We do it in all COLORS, NAPKINS, BILFOLDS, STATIONERY and MATCHES. STANTON DRUG STORE.

TAKE soil away the Blue Luster way from carpets and upholstery. Rent electric shampooer \$1. James Jones Hardware.

FOR SALE — 10x18 Peerless Clasp Envelopes. 2 for 15c. The Stanton Reporter.

Cub Scout News

The Cub Scouts and their parents met Monday night, April 24, for their regular monthly pack meeting.

Skits were presented by two of the dens which carried out the theme for the month, "Mountains." Tables were set up with interesting displays.

A huge get well card was signed by all the Cub Scouts, to be sent to Dale Henson, who is in Medical Arts Hospital, with a broken leg.

The sale of tickets for the Talent Show was reported well under way. All tickets are 50 cents, with children under six free, and may be purchased from any Cub Scout or leader.

Final plans were discussed for the Big Show, which will be Saturday, May 6, at 8 p.m. at the High School auditorium.

The door prizes, which were donated by local merchants, are on display in the window of Louder Electric.

Much effort is being put forth to make this a rewarding experience.

Bible Comment—

Paul's Letters Reveal His Philosophy

We have no formal biographies of the great apostles and leaders in the first generation of the Christian Church.

It is interesting that, on the whole, we know more about Paul than we do about any of the original 12 apostles. We are fortunate in having the letters. They tell us more about Paul than the formal facts of his life and career as they are recorded in the Book of Acts.

In the passages by Paul, we have an indication of the intimate relationship he maintained with the churches and with the disciples.

Apparently there were two attitudes on the part of these disciples. Some there were whose loyalty to Paul was so intense that there was a danger of their religion making

Philosopher Says Postal Service And Farming Are Alike — Neither Makes A Profit

(Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw turns his attention to the post office department in his letter this week.)

Dear editor:
 I was standing by my mail box out here on the road alongside this Martin County grass farm the other morning waiting for the mail carrier, I don't know about city people, but there's one thing you people in the country can depend on — that the arrival of the mail man without fail six days a week, practically always on the dot except on the days he's over-burdened with a lot of free circular and soap samples — and sure enough he wheeled into sight and pulled up and while he didn't have any mail for me he handed me a newspaper he said he was through with and I thanked him and came on back to the house and looked it over.

An article that caught my eye at once was one reporting the Postmaster General, Lawrence O'Brien, has suggested

them disciples of Paul rather than disciples of Christ.

Others were inclined to be critical of Paul and to adhere more closely to other preachers or leaders who had come into the church.

Paul found it necessary to remind both these classes of disciples that their primary allegiance was to Jesus Christ, that their faith should not stand in Paul or in any other man, but in their Master.

He was insistent upon maintaining his integrity as a preacher of the Gospel. He had received his commission, not from man but from the Lord Jesus.

His council to Timothy is advise that any young men who would follow the Christian life might well take to heart.

REAL ESTATE

Houses For Sale M-4
 For Sale: House and lot, four bedroom, 1200 West Blocker, \$100 down \$75 month. Call collect or write Box 1651, night phone TR4-8010, Corsicana, Texas. Also two bedroom house, 209 S. College, \$100 down and \$25 month. 3-14-3tc

Mrs. Stallings Hostess To Club April 19

The Stitch and Chatter Club met April 19, in the home of Mrs. A. J. Stallings. Each member brought some hand work, and enjoyed visiting while they sewed.

Members present were: Mrs. Edmond Morrow, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. John Poe, Mrs. Grady Cross, Mrs. Eddie Butler, Mrs. Bertha Ebersol, Mrs. Lovie Allen, the hostess, Mrs. A. J. Stallings, and three visitors, Mrs. Aaron Donelson, Mrs. Henderson, and Mrs. Lawrence Adkins.

Refreshments consisting of a salad plate, coffee and punch were served.

The next meeting will be May 10, in the home of Mrs. B. F. Smith, at 806 N. St. Peter Street.

Tax Man Sam Sez:

If you filed your tax return at the last minute don't expect that refund check to get there in a few days. It takes longer for Internal Revenue to process the flood of returns that come in at the last minute. Last minute filers tend to make more errors in the excitement of meeting the deadline. This further delays the refund checks. The best policy is to be patient. If you haven't heard from Internal Revenue by July 1, write and ask them what happened.

Before the Meeting Mrs. Dawson, assisted by her daughter, Kathy, also dressed in

Beta Sigma Phi News

Rho Xi Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi meet in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Conner on April 20. President Claudeen Sorrels was in charge of the business meeting.

Wanda Bryan reported that the social committee had completed most of the plans for the Founders Day Banquet to be held April 29, at the Midland Club in the Luau Room.

A City Council report showed that the officers for next year had been elected as follows: President, Kay Simpson; Vice-President, Georgia McMeans; Secretary, Wanda Bryan, and Allie Anderson, Treasurer.

Hot Spam sandwiches were enjoyed by Mrs. Bob Bryan, Mrs. Jimmy Conner, Mrs. Charles Elmore, Mrs. Tom Ed Angel, Mrs. Nolan Sorrels, Mrs. Billy Raeger, Mrs. Vanite Waid, Mrs. Tommy Blackwell, Mrs. Bill Terry, Mrs. Eddy James, Mrs. Bud Green, and Mrs. Fiji Brandt.

Mrs. Helen Dawson of 605 Colgate, Big Spring, was hostess to a meeting in her home Thursday evening, April 20, of Preceptor Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi.

Presiding during the business session was Mrs. J. N. Woody, Jr.

The chapter's outstanding member of the year was selected. She will be announced at the Beta Sigma Phi City Council's Founders Day banquet on Saturday evening, April 29, at the Midland Club.

Mrs. Stanley Reid, program chairman, introduced Mrs. Helen Dawson, who presented a program on Sweden. Mrs. Dawson was dressed in a costume of Sweden and she was wearing a silver pin belonging to her Swedish great-grandmother. Among items displayed were table cloths that dmother's estate in Sweden. Pictures were displayed relative to points of interest in Sweden.

Mrs. Dawson introduced Miss Sharon Creighton, who has studied art for one year in Sweden. Miss Creighton discussed her experiences in Sweden.

Before the Meeting Mrs. Dawson, assisted by her daughter, Kathy, also dressed in

Swedish costume, served dinner. Her Swedish menu consisted of: Swedish meat balls, ham, jellied chicken mold, buttered potatoes with dill, Harvard beets, apple sauce, pickled herring, sardines, oysters, seven kinds of cookies, Krem pudding, rice pudding, smoked salmon, apricot torte, cake, nuts, celery, olives, almond candy, stuffed dates, Swedish sweet rolls, and coffee.

Members attending were: Mrs. J. N. Woody, Jr., Mrs. T. R. Louder, Mrs. Louis Roten, Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, Mrs. Stanley Reid, Mrs. Bob Latimer, Mrs. Elmer J. Long, Mrs. Glenn Gates, Mrs. P. M. Bristow, II, Mrs. Juil Reid, Mrs. Jesse Talton, Mrs. John Wood, Mrs. John Roueche, Miss Sammie Laws and Mrs. Dawson. Special guests attending were Mrs. Huling, mother of Mrs. Dawson, Miss Sharon Creighton, and Kathy Dawson.

Xi Epsilon Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met April 20, at the home of Mrs. Correne Manning, for their regular business meeting and program.

A girl of the year was selected, and a chapter interest survey was taken by the chapter, from the form ordered from International.

Service project participation was discussed including the library, hospital, and State hospital.

A most interesting program was presented by a guest, Mrs. Gaylon Hightower, who has won numerous honors and recognition in the field of art.

She explained the different types of paintings, the construction of a picture, how to recognize a good painting, technique and appreciation, with appropriate examples, and displayed some of her work.

A salad supper was enjoyed by the following: Mrs. Euel Ferguson, Mrs. Henry Louder, Mrs. Lois Powell, Mrs. Homer Schwalbe, Mrs. Bob Thrallkill, Mrs. J. M. Payne, Mrs. Russell McMeans, Mrs. Wallace Kelly, Mrs. Correne Manning, and the guest, Mrs. Gaylon Hightower.

Buy in Stanton and save

Mrs. D. Commander Demonstrated Oriental Art At Cap Rock

Mrs. Dillah Commander presented a demonstration on Oriental Art at the Cap Rock auditorium Tuesday night. The demonstration included the use of willow and drift wood in floral arrangements.

Mrs. Commander will conduct a class in Oriental Art, beginning Tuesday, May 2. Anyone interested may call SK 6-3359.

Read the Ole Reliable for the latest news and reviews of coming events!

Baptist Church News

The Vivian Hickerson Circle of the First Baptist Church, met Tuesday morning, April 25, for Bible study. Mrs. Lajiana Byrd read the call to prayer.

The program was brought by Mrs. Betty Butler. Those present were: Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Lajiana Byrd, Mrs. Tucker, Mrs. W. H. Uhlman, and Mrs. Barrett.

Read The Stanton Reporter

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| Listerine | 43c |
| \$2.99 Right Guard | \$1.57 |
| 79c Air Deodorant Spray . | 49c |
| \$7.98 Presto Cooker | \$6.98 |
| \$3.98 Hi-Intensity Lamp . . | \$2.49 |
| \$14.98 Teflon Electric Fry Pan | \$13.98 |
| \$9.98 Table Lamp | \$7.98 |

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| Boys White Tee Shirts . . . | 39c |
| Neckless and Ear Bob Set | \$1.00 |
| \$1.00 Kites, Hi-Flier | 79c |
| Swinger Ear Bob | 59c |

STANTON VARIETY

SK 6-2451

DOLLAR DAYS

Get in on the Big Buying and Fun-Having day in Stanton on Monday. Better still, start shopping Thursday for our four day value event. Prices advertised this week are good through May 1. Come in, look around, select, and go home proud with a purchase you know you saved money on without sacrificing quality.

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| MATERIALS | DAN RIVER, Wrinkle-Shed, Quick Dri-Drip, Textured Culpencer, 36", Regular 69c — 2 yds. | \$1.00 |
| SEERSUCKER | ASSORTED COLORS, 100% COTTON— 36" 69c Value, 2 yds. | \$1.00 |
| SMOCKED GINGHAM TRIM | ASSORTED COLORS Yd. | 79c |
| BLUE JEANS | 13 3/4 OUNCE — 28 - 38 Waist Regular \$2.88 | \$2.29 |
| COTTON SOCKS | BOYS 39c and 49c Value | 25c |
| SPORT SHIRTS | MEN'S and BOYS Values to \$4.98 — 2 For | \$5.00 |
| SEE OUR OUTSIDE COUNTER MONDAY | | \$1.00 |
| ODDS AND ENDS — LADIES SLIPS — MEN'S KAKHI PANTS — A FEW BLUE JEANS — MEN'S SHIRTS | | |

Prices Start Thursday Continue Dollar Day, Monday, May 1.

J. A. WILSON Dry Goods

Farm & Ranch Review

Budget For Landscaping — The cost of landscape development, grading, drives, patios, retaining walls, screen fences, plantings and professional services, are often overlooked in planning for a new home. Don't forget to include these and other items which can make the new home more beautiful and living more enjoyable when the budget is being planned, advises Everett Janne, extension landscape horticulturist at Texas A&M University.

February Red Meat Production In Texas — Commercial slaughtering plants in Texas produced 129.3 million pounds of red meat during February, reports the Texas Crop & Livestock Reporting Service. This is down 10.9 percent from January 1967. The num-

ber of cattle, calves, hogs, sheep and lambs slaughtered during February was from the previous month, the service said. Nationally, commercial production of red meat was 11 percent lower in February than in January.

Cotton Seedling Disease Control — Results of Texas Agricultural Experiment Station tests to control cotton seedling disease emphasize that in - covering - soil fungicides effectively control cotton seedling disease. Combination seed treatments did not approach the effectiveness of in - covering - soil fungicides.

Pigeons were domesticated by man about 5,000 years ago and, by 550 B.C., had become a nuisance.

How's Business?

ROCKY ROAD STILL LIES AHEAD FOR BUSINESS
By Roger W. Babson's Staff

Preliminary figures on business results for the month of March injected a ray of hope into the desultory economic climate. First was the report of the upsurge in retail sales, to a new record level on a seasonally adjusted basis. This was followed by the indication that industrial production had inched slightly upward. In addition, it was reported that the dollar volume of business inventory pile-up had contracted significantly during the month of February.

All of these helped to allay some of the fears on the part of a recession-conscious populace. Indeed, the encouraging business news seemed to herald the success of the anti-recession policies of the Administration and the monetary authorities.

But looking behind the scenes, it is all too clear that it is much too early to celebrate. While the new peak in retail trade indicates that consumers are still willing and able to spend, one must remember that statistical devices to adjust for seasonal variations are far from completely accurate. Thus, gratification over the sterling performance of retail trade must be tempered by realization that an early Easter concentrated the season's sales volume into March.

As for industrial production, once again we must question the impact of the seasonal adjusters. The upward edging of the Federal Reserve Index may have been partly a reaction to the unexpectedly early downturn in the preceding two months.

Granting that the reduction in business inventory accumulation in February halted, at least for the moment, the pileup of stocks . . . we are not yet out of the woods. There is still danger of inventory indigestion, since the inventory - to - sales ratio continued to climb.

The notes of encouragement do warrant a hopeful attitude; but we must wait for further confirmation. The road ahead for business is still strewn with obstacles, including labor disturbances and the squeeze on profit margins, which could produce further anxiety.

Harrisonburg, Va., News-Record: "At last report Singapore wasn't at war with anyone. So it came somewhat as a surprise to learn that the United States was selling Singapore 23,000 automatic rifles of the M-16 type. It wasn't long ago that the Defense Department was busy explaining that the shortage of M-16's in Vietnam was temporary and that replacements soon would reach American troops who were forced to use World War II types."

Trade at home and save!

Preston Predicts Day Of Reckoning

I met with Senator A. M. Alkin, Jr., chairman of the Senate Finance Committee and members of his Appropriations Subcommittee early this morning. They will proceed at once to re-examine the Senate General Appropriations Bill in the light of Governor Connally's call for one-year appropriations.

The first job is to determine the mechanics of reducing a two-year bill to one year. Then a decision will have to be made as to changes in content under the Governor's plan of using the accumulated surpluses and unexpended balances in the present biennium for the first year of the next biennium — thus making it unnecessary to have a new tax bill at this time.

Me must not forget, in the process, that there will be a day of reckoning in 1968. I do not think this temporary relief should be considered an invitation to spend more freely than is absolutely necessary to carry on the state's work until August 31, 1968. My personal feeling is that all of the surplus we can spare should be devoted to school teachers' salary raises.

I have contended that it is possible to cover all of our essential expenditures except teachers' salaries for two years with available revenue. Now that the Comptroller's official estimate apparently can be revised upward, we certainly could do it. In a sense



ANNOUNCE MARRIAGE — Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rainwater, 4203 Pleasant Drive, announce the April 1 marriage of their daughter, Glenda, to Billy Blalock, son of Mrs. Lois Blalock of Garden City and the late Charley Blalock. The couple was married in Spring Lake by the Rev. Travis LaDuke of Booker, formerly of Midland, and is residing at 2911 1/2 W. Louisiana St. The bride is employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. and the bridegroom is engaged in ranching near Garden City.

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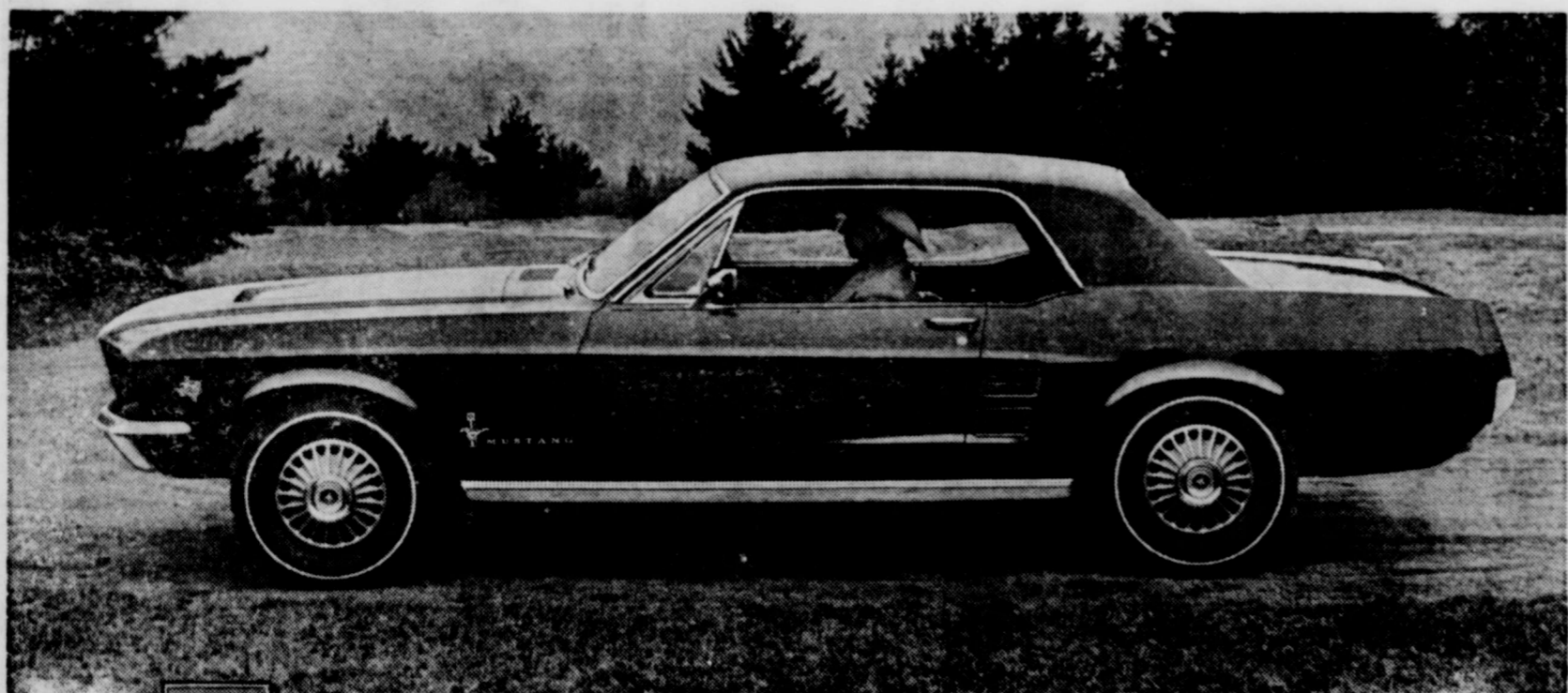
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STANTON, TEXAS 79782

Regional Chamber Begins New Publication Concept

"This Is West Texas" is a completely new concept for a publication issued by a regional Chamber of Commerce, according to John Ben Shepperd, Odessa President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

The new magazine, which goes to members this week, will "sell" West Texans and other on the economic advantages, scenic attractions, industrial, recreational and cultural opportunities of the area as well as the historic and tourist attractions of the region," Shepperd said.

After 47 years of service as a "house organ" for the WTCC, the old publication West Texas Today has been discontinued. No longer will the official publication chronicle the doings of its parent organization and its members; this type of news is being reported in a monthly newsletter to members.

"The new format will be a great help in telling the story of West Texas to all of our friends in and out of the state. It should generate great interest among industrialists and tourists," according to R. W. Whipkey, Big Spring newspaper publisher and chairman of the WTCC Information Committee, which determined the general plans for the publication. Members of the committee include editors, publishers, public relations experts, advertising department head and other publication specialists from West Texas.

"A great deal of research and study has gone into the production of the new magazine," stated Whipkey. "Numerous meetings of the committee were required and consultations were held with knowledgeable people throughout the field of communication media."

Twelve thousand copies of the first edition will go to members, news media, industrialists of the nation, investment bankers, Congressmen, state and federal government officials and others who need to have a better picture of the economic climate and the other factors which make West Texas a desirable place to live, work and visit.

Many West Texas firms are sending hundreds of copies of the magazine to industrial prospects and investors in West Texas properties. Motels are furnishing complimentary copies of the new magazine to their guests. News stands sales are also planned for the publication.

The first issue has a four-

Fort Dodge, Iowa, Messenger: "Social Security, like the public debt, is threatening to get entirely out of hand, and for the same reason — the failure of those responsible for policy to practice restraint. In considering President Johnson's request for (an) . . . increase in Social Security benefits, Congress has been brought face to face with a condition about which early advocates of moderation warned—a threatened breakdown of the system because of intolerable payroll exactions."

color photo of the fabulous McKittrick Canyon in the new Guadalupe National Park.

Color prevails throughout the magazine. The various stories for the first issue include industrial development in Hereford, the historic significance and reconstruction of Fort Davis, the Annual Pilgrimage though anti-bellum homes in Waco, a feature on bench rest rifle shooting in West Texas, the story of the famed Midland-Odessa Symphony Orchestra.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce Executive Vice President Jack G. Springer, said, "In order to produce a more attractive, more colorful and a more useful magazine to promote all of West Texas, we decided to issue only six times a year on a bi-monthly basis. We are highly pleased with the first issue and shall continually seek ways and means of improving it."

Editor of the new magazine is Jack Nixon, Jr.; advertising director is Duane Bunch, and Jodie Boren is art director. Whipkey, C. R. Bowne, public relations director of Shamrock Oil, Amarillo, and Dick Mahan, advertising agency executive of Odessa, comprise the editorial board. Contributing editors of each issue will be professional writers from various parts of West Texas.

Ablene, Kan., Reflector-Chronicle: "A news story tells how a generous Congress has pushed the salaries of its top employees to such levels that \$20,000 - a - year jobs (staff jobs, that is) are becoming commonplace. There are 494 of them ranging up to \$26,500 paid to the head doorkeeper of the House. That sounds like a lot of pay for a 'door-keeper.' In fairness, this job may be misnamed, since it carries much more responsibility than the title implies. However, it is purely a political pay-off type of job. And the salary is only \$1,500 less than a member of Congress."

Cassville, Wis., American: "Several years ago a voluntary health organization launched a vigorous program to educate the public about the rudimentary symptoms of chronic respiratory disease. The watchword was (and still is): 'Cough too much? Short of breath? You may have a respiratory disease. Don't take chances — see your doctor.' . . . Only a doctor can tell for certain whether cigarette smoke or polluted air is having a discernible effect on your breathing apparatus. But the obvious danger signs are those noted above: a cough that won't go away or keeps coming back; and shortness of breath that isn't due to unusual exertion. If you have either symptom, you owe it to yourself to consult a doctor."

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| Manicure | \$2.00 |
| Lash and Brow Dye | \$1.50 |
| Permanents | \$10.00 and up |
| Rinse | \$1.00 and up |

PANCAKE SUPPER

A popular pancake supper will be held on the street, beginning at 5:00 P. M. Tickets are on sale at all Merchants — buy yours early!

DOLLAR DAY

Stanton Stores are just brimming with values — Dollar Day Values that will knock your eyes out! Come and shop all stores.

MARTIN COUNTY SPRING FESTIVAL

MONDAY, MAY 1st, ALL DAY!!

SIDEWALK SALES

Many of the stores represented in this advertisement will have excellent "super specials" — some featuring sidewalk display of low prices.

FREE PRIZES

Each Pancake Supper Ticket will have a number, and lucky numbers will be on display in stores giving free prizes. Check your ticket — and pick up your prize!

COMPLIMENTS OF Stanton Cleaners

Check Your Pancake Supper Ticket Number For Free Prize!

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KRYLON SPRAY PAINT — \$1.30 A Can
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Stallings Insurance Co.

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Blocker Oil Company

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Fred Holders Humble Station

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Stanton Variety

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Check Your Pancake Supper Ticket For A Free Prize!

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Shave, Shampoo, Tonic and Oil, All for \$1.00
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF MARTIN)
CITY OF STANTON)
TO ALL QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF STANTON, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN SAID CITY, AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED

THE SAME FOR TAXATION: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 16th day of May, 1967, in the City of Stanton, Texas, on the propositions and at the place more particularly set forth in the Resolution and Order calling the election passed and adopted by the City Council of said City on the 17th day of April, 1967, and which election order is made a part of this

notice, and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:
RESOLUTION AND ORDER BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STANTON, TEXAS, CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE FOLLOWING PROPOSITIONS: (1) THE ISSUANCE OF \$225,000.00 REVENUE BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING EXTENSIONS AND

IMPROVEMENTS TO THE CITY'S WATERWORKS SYSTEM, (2) THE ISSUANCE OF \$100,000.00 TAX BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING EXTENSIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE CITY'S WATERWORKS SYSTEM, AND (3) WHETHER THE CITY OF STANTON SHALL BE AUTHORIZED TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE COLORADO RIVER MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT FOR THE PURCHASE OF WATER FROM SAID DISTRICT.

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Article 1109e, Vernon's Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended, the City of Stanton is authorized to enter into a contract with the Colorado River Municipal Water District, which District was created under Article XVI, Section 59, of the Constitution, for the purpose of supplying water to such City; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that such contract shall not be entered into until authorized by a vote of the qualified electors of the City who own taxable property therein and who have duly rendered the same for taxation at an election held in such City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council deems it advisable to submit such contract between the Colorado River Municipal Water District and the City of Stanton to a vote of the qualified electors of the City of Stanton who own taxable property in said City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation for their approval; and

WHEREAS, it will be necessary to construct additional waterworks facilities to transport water from the Colorado River Municipal Water District to said City of Stanton; and

WHEREAS, the City of Stanton does not have sufficient funds on hand with which to construct said facilities; and

WHEREAS, the City Council estimates that the proposed expenditures for the new water facilities will cost approximately \$325,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the City Council deems it advisable to issue

bonds of said City in the amounts and for the purposes hereinafter stated; therefore, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STANTON, TEXAS:

Section I. That an election is hereby ordered to be held in the City of Stanton, Texas, on the 16th day of May, 1967, such date being not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this resolution and order, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted to the legally qualified electors who own taxable property in said City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

PROPOSITION NO. 1
SHALL the City Council of the City of Stanton, Texas, be authorized to issue \$225,000.00 of revenue bonds of said City for the purpose of constructing extensions and improvements to the City's waterworks system, said bonds to mature serially over a period of years not to exceed twenty-five (25) years from their date, and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed five (5%) per cent per annum, said revenue bonds to be special obligations of the City of Stanton, payable as to both principal and interest from and secured by a lien on and pledge of the net revenues from the operation of the City's combined waterworks and sewer system?

PROPOSITION NO. 2
SHALL the City Council of the City of Stanton, Texas, be authorized to issue \$100,000.00 of bonds of said City for the purpose of constructing extension and improvements to the City's waterworks system, said bonds to mature serially over a period of years not to exceed twenty (20) years from their date, and to bear interest at a rate not to exceed five (5%) per cent per annum, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem them at maturity?

PROPOSITION NO. 3
SHALL the City Council of the City of Stanton be authorized to enter into a contract with the Colorado River Municipal Water District for the purchase of water from said District for municipal and industrial purposes, in accordance with the provisions of Article 1109e, Vernon's Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended, a copy of which proposed contract is on file in the Office of the City Secretary, where it may be examined by any interested person?

Section II. In the event the said revenue bonds hereinabove mentioned in Proposition No. 1 are authorized to be issued by a majority of the qualified electors of said City voting at said election, and the same are issued and sold, the holder or holders of such bonds shall never have the right to demand payment thereof out of any funds raised or to be raised by taxation.

Section III. That said election shall be held in the basement of the First Methodist Church, Stanton, Texas, (all of said City being included in one election precinct), and T. W. Haynie is hereby appointed Presiding Judge and Mrs. T. W. Haynie is hereby appointed Alternate Presiding Judge. The Presiding Judge shall appoint two Clerks to assist in holding said election.

Section IV. Absentee voting shall be conducted by M. H. White, City Secretary, at the office of said City Secretary in the City Hall, Stanton, Texas, beginning April 26, 1967, and extending through May 12, 1967, between the hours of 8:00 o'clock, A. M., and 5:00 o'clock, P. M., which is at least eight hours every day during said period except Saturdays, Sundays and official state holidays, and notice thereof shall be posted in said office at least twenty (20) days prior to the date fixed for said election.

Section V. That said election shall be held under the provisions of and in accordance

with the laws governing the issuance of municipal bonds by cities, as provided in the General Laws of the State of Texas, and only legally qualified resident property taxpaying voters of the City of Stanton, Texas, who own taxable property in said City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be allowed to vote.

Section VI. That the ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS REVENUE BONDS AND THE PLEDGING OF THE REVENUES OF THE CITY'S COMBINED WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEM TO THE PAYMENT THEREOF.

AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS REVENUE BONDS AND THE PLEDGING OF THE REVENUES FROM THE CITY'S COMBINED WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEM TO THE PAYMENT THEREOF.
FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF.

AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF.

FOR ENTERING INTO CONTRACT WITH COLORADO MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT.

AGAINST ENTERING INTO CONTRACT WITH COLORADO RIVER MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT.
As to each of the foregoing propositions, each voter shall vote by scratching or marking out one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the three propositions, respectively.

Section VII. That notice of said election shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this resolution and order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION." Said notice shall be posted at the CITY HALL and at two other public places within the City, not less than fourteen

(14) full days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and shall be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Stanton, Texas, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) full days prior to the date set for said election.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED, this 17th day of April, 1967.
S. W. WHEELER,
Mayor, City of Stanton, Texas.

ATTEST:
M. H. WHITE,
City Secretary.
3-18-2tc

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Long visited their daughter, Phyllis, in Lubbock Sunday.

Guest of the James D. Elland this week is Mr. Elland's mother, Mrs. Bessie Chapman, of Nacogdoches.

Susan Brandt attended the R. O. T. C. Military Ball at Texas Tech last week-end. She was the guest of Linda Manning while in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Widner of Odessa, visited Mrs. Widner's mother, Mrs. Cora Turner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Simpson, Jr. and children of Hereford, visited relatives here last week-end.

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HD Club News

The Courtney Home Demonstration Club met April 17, at the library, with Ima Kelly as hostess.

A short business meeting was conducted by the Vice President Mrs. W. E. Kelly, in the absence of the President Mrs. Joe Stewart. Roll call was answered with, "A Helpful Hint for the Sick Room," and refreshments were served.

Mrs. June Reid brought the program on, "Opportunity and Reward of Nursing."

Members present were: Mmes. Albert Pitman, Leo Payne, Chalmer Wren, Lillie Graham, W. E. Kelly, Miss Ima Kelly, and one visitor, Mrs. Vetrece Ferrell.

The next meeting will be May 4, with Mrs. Leo Payne.

The Launching Pad

By NEAL ESTES

A West Texas Marine came back to BOYS RANCH the other day to get married before leaving for duty in Viet Nam. He was PFC. HORACE CLARK. Young CLARK visited in Stanton a few weeks ago in company with ROY MANTER of Midland as a guest of CECIL BRIDGES. The young man was wed to TINA FAY LANKFORD of San Angelo in the first such ceremony performed in the Ranch Chapel. Another record was established with the bride acquiring 92 brothers-in-law for all former residents of the West Texas Boys Ranch are considered brothers wherever they go or whatever they do. Young CLARK impressed us as one of the finest young Americans we have seen in years. We wished him well when he left our company and we wish him the very best for a long and happy married life.

I read in The Dallas News in TOLBERT'S column something about the community of Deadwood in Panola County. He found the place quiet, the village store closed, and apparently found one elderly citizen, a retired blacksmith, to talk with. I could write a book about Deadwood, having owned and edited The Panola Watchman for longer than any other editor. The paper served Carthage, county seat of Panola County. Panola is the Indian word for cotton. Deadwood is near the Louisiana line, and in Panola County. I went down in that area several times but most of the time I had the company of the county sheriff because we were always investigating killings in the community. TOLBERT mentioned Socogee Bayou in his article. It was known as Socogee Creek—not "crick." Nor was Socogee in Louisiana, where they do call streams bayous. It was more of a stream through tangled woods and bottomland. Rumor has it that LA SALLE, the French explorer, was killed down in that sector. FRANK TOLBERT correctly reports the founding of the community. A LA GRONNE family first located and thickly populated the village. They married into the ALEXANDER family and most of the descendants were double first cousins. It's the truth. A feud broke out a few years ago between the families and with 285 votes to be cast there on election day while the feud was ready to pop wide open, not a single ballot was cast. That was a day in Deadwood that would have seen the Sabine country turn into localized war if anyone had as much as reached to pull out a pocket handkerchief. I observed the silence that disdainful day in Deadwood because the entire county election results hinged on the 285 voters there. Yes, the sheriff, the late BUCK HUNT, a large and fearless man, was with me. As a matter-of-fact, I occupied the front seat with SHERIFF HUNT on the trip down to Deadwood. I will write more about Deadwood sometime. It was a real interesting place 25 years ago.

PRESIDENT JOHNSON has appointed another Texan to a top post in Washington. He is WILLIAM (BILL) SHERRILL of Houston and he will take a seat on the board of governors of the Federal Reserve System. That's a mighty fine thing for an old Commerce, Texas native. BILL SHERRILL is the son of the late MR. and MRS. W. W. SHERRILL. Finer people never lived in my old hometown than the SHERRILLS. If LYNDON keeps on appointing good Texans he will do a better job. Early in his administration he appeared to us to be listening to the advise of some of the scholars from the northland too much. Now that LYNDON has learned he is out of cast in Ivy League company and appears to have regained his true status as a good old country boy and graduate of SOUTHWEST STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE, San Marcos, I'll consider returning to his ranks as he appears to have returned to his. I tell you frankly folks, it would suit me grandly if LBJ would move the capitol to the Ranch. There are too many Kings, "Karmichaels," and "Klays" up above the Mason-Dixon. Yes sir—it looks like the KKK has claimed the "Nawth."

DICK MADISON told us Tuesday he was headed back for Medical Arts Hospital in Big Spring for surgery. He entered the hospital Wednesday morning and will spend a few days there. DICK is in Room 206. The enterprising MADISONS have several morning newspaper routes in Stanton and if your paper it a little late you'll know its because DICK is out of commission and the entire route burden rests with his wife JODIE. Be patient—you'll get your paper quickly as possible. In the meantime, we send our best for a speedy recovery to DICK.

I had the pleasure of shaking the good right hand of my old friend RALPH HEDRICK in BROWN'S drug store Monday. RALPH, on crutches, has been having a tough trip back and forth to the hospital. He lives in Big Spring these days and says the family is just doing fine. RALPH almost left for an unscheduled journey to the Kingdom when a blood clot developed that turned out to be hard to control. We are thankful this man's life was spared and he looks forward to regaining complete health. I'm pulling for him and we made a deal—he is pulling for me too. He listened.

Up until a few days ago I never knew what illness was or what the inside of a hospital looked like. Now that my turn with that experience has been thrust on me I find myself trying to find a willing listener to my story. For years I have listened to many tales of personal illnesses. Now that I have one to tell I have difficulty in "pinning down" a listener to mine. So, I'm swearing off before I start this habit. It's like a man said: "Ninety-nine out of every 100 persons have something physically wrong at times. The late, great JOE BAILEY, known in some circles as the 'last of the silver-tongued orators in Texas politics' worked on the theory that nearly all of us had something wrong with us physically. He used to greet a complete stranger with the comment—"How's the old complaint?" The prospective voter would leave BAILEY'S company a supporter because he would think BAILEY even remembered his leg ailment or something, when he met him before at some distant point in Texas as the Senator campaigned.

My sister, MARY LOU, Dallas, keeps up constantly with her three brothers, CARL, JOE, and NEAL. The other day I wrote her a letter that I had lost weight and my belt line had dwindled from a fat 44 to a mere 38. In less than a week, I received two suits from

Student - - -

(Continued from page 1) tively, in the broad jump. Although the local school had only these three winners from district, the team managed to place 20th from a field of 45 schools.

Linda Holder participated in the regional typing contest, while Anna Thompson played singles in girls tennis. Alternates in literary events, were Sue Walker, poetry interpretation, and Johnny Louder, number sense.

Coaches Bryan Boyd and Tommy Blackwell, along with the team manager, Gene Hodges, accompanied the track entries. Mrs. Hazel Pruitt, commercial instructor, journeyed with the literary event representatives.

The Student Council of Stanton High completed its plan for Freshmen Orientation Thursday, April 20, by sending representatives to speak to the eighth grade classes of Stanton and Grady Junior High. Speaking to the Stanton class were Sue Walker, Alan Gregston, Nancy Hursh, Sherry Vest, and Ricky Corbell. Sandra Merrifield, Mike Springer, Steve Hall, Janelle Tate, and Pug Deavenport, represented the high school at Grady.

Members of the L. M. Hays Future Teachers of America chapter, met April 17 to elect officers for 1967-68. Elected were: President, Johnny Louder; Vice - President, Jimmie Jones; Secretary - Treasurer, Pug Deavenport; Treasurer, Sue Walker, and Parliamentarian, Glenn Lawson. Plans were made for the chapter to lead exercises in the elementary grades. Mrs. Mary Haislip is sponsor for the group.

Area HD - - -

(Continued from page 1) Club member, who served as one of the two pages for the convention. Janet McManus, Crane 4-H Club member, served as the other page.

The afternoon session consisted of the following workshops:

- 4-H - Martin County.
- Recreation - Winkler County.
- Citizenship - Upton County.
- Family Life - Ward County.
- Safety - Andrews County.
- Health - Pecos County.
- County responsibilities for the meeting were as follows:
- Registration - El Paso County.
- Coffee - Crane County.
- Group Singing - Reeves County.
- Pianist, Mrs. Floyd Brownfield, and song leader, Mrs. Alford Gate.
- Resolutions - Mrs. W. S. Brister, Winkler County.
- Announcements - Mrs. L.

JOE. My current size is the Judge's size. Right now, I am probably the only country editor in the nation wearing federal civilian handouts. I sure did appreciate a United States Judge's clothing. My case is different from BILLIE SOL'S in that he got a uniform instead of a complete suit from the feds. I want to add that BILLY BOY is no kin of mine. We always have something to be thankful for.

MAC McKAY is my domino playing pal. Our talents have been about even in game results until recently. I beat MAC several straight games the other night and he still can't figure it out. He kept score and when I made ten he put me down ten. When he made ten he drew a picture of a heart. I beat him 250 to 150 plus 18 hearts.

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(Continued from page 1) as state third vice - president, presided at the Friday afternoon session. Principal speaker for the event was Dr. Glen R. Hawkes, from the University of California. Theme for the convention was, "FHA - Design for Living." Miss Stephenson received her state degree Friday afternoon.

Wes-Tex - - -

(Continued from page 1) its good financial condition. A financial report was distributed at the meeting.

Manager O. B. Bryan, reported on the progress being made to upgrade telephone service. Upon completion of work now planned, the eight-party line will be a thing of the past. No line will serve more than four members. Completion of these improvements is still several months away because equipment must be manufactured especially for each exchange.

Extensive changes will be made in the outside plant, including addition of many miles of new cable. Most of the new cable will be installed underground to lessen the possibility of service interruption.

Editor's - - -

(Continued from page 1) cle in your paper. Sincerely, Mrs. Oscar Brem, Reporter District Six Convention.

(Editor's Note: Your article appears elsewhere in the paper.)

Neal Estes Stanton Reporter Stanton, Texas 79782 Dear Neal:

The Village Kiwanis Club of Midland, Texas would like to solicit your assistance in some publicity in regard to a forthcoming project. We have entered into a contract to provide, as family entertainment, the King and His Court. This is a four man softball team from Elsinore, California. This softball team has played in almost every key city in the United States and play approximately two hundred and ten games a year and will play the El Paso, Texas, All Stars, three times world champions. The date of the ball game is scheduled for May 22 at 8:00 p.m. in the Hogan Baseball Stadium, located on the North Lamesa Road here in our city.

Tickets are available at Home Appliance Company, 413 Andrews Hwy.; Permian Pontiac, 2714 West Wall and Clyde Greene Carpets, 3508 West Wall. Reserve seats are \$2.00 each, advance tickets are \$1.25 adults and 75c students. Gate sales will be \$1.50 for adults and \$1.00 for students. Over \$750.00 in door prizes will be given away during the game.

Our objective in having this ball game, is to raise money for our youth projects, which include assistance to the Mental Retarded School, Mental Retarded Day Camp and The Cerebral Palsy Center and to send some underprivileged boys to the Kiwanis Camp for Underprivileged Children in Kerrville, Texas.

Your assistance in some publicity would be most appreciated by the Village Kiwanis Club. Thank you for your consideration in this matter. Sincerely, Don B. Hanks President Village Kiwanis Club

C. Shanon, Crane County. Credentials - Mrs. R. L. Lewter, Ector County. Report of Counties - Mrs. O. R. Phillips, Midland County. Messenger Chairman - Mrs. Myrl Duncan, Andrews County. Parliamentarian - Mrs. S. V. Farrell. Programs - Andrews County.

Badges - Ector County. Mrs. Roberta Johnson, District Home Demonstration Agent, presented the use of

THE FAMILY LAWYER

Snow Suits
Over the past few months, winter sports have yielded their usual crop of collisions, contusions, and concussions. The medical consequences, as a rule, are painfully plain to see. But what of the legal consequences? Who is liable for the damage done?

There are several basic principles of negligence law that are likely to provide the answers.

One is that the management of a recreation area must set rules that will keep danger within reasonable bounds.

At one winter playground, sleds and novice skiers were allowed to mix freely on the

same slope. A girl skier, felled by a careening sled, sued the management and collected.

"It is common knowledge," said the court, "that coursing sleds are not easily controlled, while novice skiers are notoriously unable to direct their own movements. The location of these runs made serious accident not only possible but probable."

A second principle is that the equipment provided for public use should be in good working order. Thus, a court held that a skier could collect for injuries traceable to a faulty switch on a ski tow.

On the other hand, the sportsmen too must show a

sensible concern for his own safety. Take this case.

A determined young couple kept right on taking rides on their toboggan, even though the path ran dangerously close to a tree. Sure enough, they finally hit the tree. The girl was injured, and in due course filed suit for damages.

But the court ruled that she herself was guilty of negligence, for continuing to toboggan in defiance of the obvious danger.

Furthermore, the very fact that you ski, skate, or toboggan means that you voluntarily accept those risks that are inherent in the sport.

A court emphasized the point in turing down the claim of a skier who was thrown off balance by a minor irregularity on the slope. Like any skier, said the judge, "the plaintiff was not seeking a retreat for meditation. He took the chance for such a fall."

And the judge added: "To hold that a ski trail down a mighty mountain, with snow conditions that constantly change, should be kept level and smooth, free from holes, would be to demand the impossible."

A public service feature of the American Bar Association and the State Bar of Texas. Written by Will Bernard.

Twins Celebrate Birthdays On April 22

Bonnie and Connie Barnhill celebrated their seventh birthday, Saturday, April 22, with a party at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy E. Barnhill.

Games were played with guests. Cake and punch was served, with favors of balloons and blow outs.

Guests were: Jana Petree, Tracie Williams, Rena Koonce, Valerie Henson, David Payne, Russell Mims, and Sammy Barnhill.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Junior Wilkes, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Gary McDaniel and son, Glen; Mrs. James Crow and children, Ronnie and Linda of Midland, and Mrs. C. E. Crow.

Junior Wilkes was home for the week - end from Grand Prairie, where he is now employed.

Now is the time to renew your subscription to the Ole Reliable for another year.

Health And Safety Tips

From The American Medical Association

With the advent of the spring season of 1967 most of us are beginning to get out of doors again. There are gardens and lawns that need work and outdoor chore of all sorts that have accumulated during the winter.

With the return of outdoor activities comes once again the hazard of minor accidents, cuts and scratches. Most often these aren't serious and will heal quickly if properly cleaned and protected.

But sometimes these little scratches can be more serious. Sometimes they are the channel through which you could get tetanus (lockjaw).

Tetanus - producing spores lie dormant in the soil of your garden, the dirt of your garage, and the dust inside your house. These spores can infect you through the tiniest wound - a pin scratch, a bee sting or a small cut, says a pamphlet of the American Medical Association.

Tetanus spores may remain in your body for long periods without producing the disease. Or, they may produce poison effects in five to fourteen days, even though the wound has healed.

First signs of tetanus are irritability and restlessness. Muscles rapidly become rigid, eventually causing a clenched-jaw leer that gives tetanus its nickname - lockjaw.

When symptoms appear, the outlook is grim, even with the best treatment. To avoid the deadly consequences, be sure you are immunized with tetanus toxoid. When you are immunized, your body manufactures antibodies that will fight tetanus toxin. A booster is needed every ten years and whenever you are injured.

If you aren't protected, in an emergency there is no time for immunization. If you have no built-in immunity, your physician may inject tetanus antitoxin. An emergency shot, however, is not always effective.

Your only long-range guarantee against tetanus is immunization with tetanus toxoid.

The luncheon at noon was held in the Crane County Exhibition Building, with the theme being "April Showers Bring May Flowers."

Trade at home and save!

Only one of every four Americans has this protection. Have you?

Dollar Days Thursday Thru Monday

- Town and Country Nylon Hose, Box 3 pair . . . \$1
- Dan River Solids, No-Iron Finish . . . 2 yds. \$1
- Men's Stretch Sox . . . 2 for \$1
- Nylon Head Scarfs . . . 4 for \$1
- Small Group All-Over Lace . . . yd. \$1.49

Sidewalk Sale
Monday 5:30 P. M.
Odds 'n Ends
Cotton Fabrics 4 yds. - \$1

DEAVENPORT'S



Come Monday, May 1, the county will observe both Dollar Day and the annual Spring Festival. Our sidewalk sales are known far and wide. We hasten to assure our customers that the same quality merchandise will be on the tables out in front of our store Monday. You are all familiar with the fact that these sidewalk items are always priced on an old-fashioned basis. While in town Monday for the Festival drop in our store, make it your headquarters. We'll be glad to see you. In addition to sidewalk specials we will have hundreds of timely items on the inside and remember - our fountain is the place where friends meet.

Stanton Walgreen Drug Agency